

MEETING OF BRIGHTON & HOVE's WILDLIFE FORUM

Tuesday 5th July 2011. 7.00pm at Booth Museum.

AGENDA

1. Welcome, introduction of group reps & apologies for absence.
2. Minutes of last meeting (5-4-11) & matters arising not on agenda.
3. Local Groups – updates - concerns & successes.

Preston Park

10th May a three foot-long reptile Texas Rat Snake was found basking on the grass near the men's bowls pavilion. Passed on to RSPB.

27 August (12:00-17:00) Friends of Preston Park, in conjunction with CityParks, will be staging a summer festival in the park. Aims to celebrate local talents, promote local businesses and community organisations and to provide a fun day.

4. Local BAP, engagement and consultation -
See web-link: www.citywildlife.org.uk/forum/viewtopic.php?f=5&t=16
5. The South Downs National Park Authority - Statement of Community Involvement.
6. Site management plans.
7. CSP
8. Planning applications.
9. Reference Library.
10. Key items for next meeting's agenda on 18th October.
11. Any other business.
 - mention 'South Downs Network' – Chris Todd's invitation
 - Biosphere application to UNESCO, job advertised, £30k pa over 2 years