



Working the Tweed

Riverside Meeting

Date: August 10th 2013

Time: 2pm – 6pm (plus travel to and from Paxton/Berwick)

Location: Paxton – Mouth of the Tweed

We will coordinate minibus pick -ups in Hawick, Selkirk, Galashiels, Kelso, Coldstream and Berwick

2.00 Arrive at Paxton House by minibus.

2.15: Welcome talk by **Martha Andrews**, Curator at Paxton House about the cultural heritage of Paxton and the Tweed and a chance to look at the Angling Museum

2.45: Riverside meeting with **Melanie Findlay** of Findlay Ecology Services. Melanie is an ecologist who specialise in resolving protected species issues using cameras for monitoring difficult subjects such as otters. <http://www.findlayecologyservices.co.uk>

3.15: Refreshments in The Boathouse by the Tweed

3.45 – 4.45: Riverside Session with Tweed Foundation who will be netting on the river at Paxton as part of their biological survey work. <http://www.tweedfoundation.org.uk/>

5.10 On the Water session: Skipper David Thomson will take us on his boat 'On a Promise' down river from Paxton to Berwick. This will be another opportunity for Melanie Findlay to talk about the wildlife as we travel downstream. <http://www.mouthofthetweed.co.uk/>

5.50 Arrive in Berwick

6.00 Depart Berwick by minibus

Please note that there are only 12 places available at this session due to the number of passengers the boat can carry.

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