



Non-native and emergent diseases of wild plants and animals - identification, action and biosecurity

Wednesday 11 November 2015

Battleby Conference Centre, Perth

Who is it for? Ecological consultants, land managers, conservation advisors.

What is it about? This event aims to encourage environmental professionals working in the field to better identify, understand and respond to emergent plant and animal pathogens of concern to wildlife.

What will you gain from attending?

Gain knowledge of current plant and animal diseases

- issues
- distribution
- symptoms to look out for
- how to contribute to detection and surveillance efforts
- what biosecurity measures are appropriate
- implications for conservation management

Content: There will be presentations and break out groups with opportunities to discuss issues with others to help increase knowledge, learn about resources, develop networks and clarify the actions required when these diseases are present.

Times: The event will start at 1000 (coffee and registration from 0930) and finish at 1600.

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Venue: Battleby Conference Centre
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Redgorton
PERTH
PH1 3EW

Tel: 01738 458551

Organisers: Scottish Natural Heritage in partnership with Chartered Institute of Ecology and Environmental Management (CIEEM)

Cost: Free - lunch & refreshments will be provided.

Booking: To book a place, please complete the booking form which should be returned to sgp@snh.gov.uk **as soon as possible**, and no later than Friday 23 October 2015; or post to: SGP Team, Scottish Natural Heritage, Battleby, Redgorton, Perth, PH1 3EW

Please note that due to limited places, numbers will be restricted to two per organisation in the first instance.



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