



Marylebone Birdwatching Society

Club based in Camden, North West London,
with members and friends from all over London and beyond.

February 2019

Coach Outing Saturday 9 February

Pagham Harbour RSPB/Local Nature Reserve, Hampshire

Intertidal saltmarsh and mudflats, farmland, copses, lagoons, reedbeds and shingle beaches. Brent Geese, Pintail, Goldeneye, Eider; Black and Bar-Tailed Godwits, Avocet, Knot, Spotted Redshank, Whimbrel, Mediterranean and Glaucous Gulls, Great Northern Diver, Firecrest, Dartford Warbler, Peregrine, Little Owl.

Visitor Centre where hot drinks and light snacks are available. WC, hides.

Anderson Coach leaves 8am from alongside **Euston Station**.

£20 (MBS members £18). Advance Booking essential.

See <http://www.birdsmbs.org.uk/coach.html> for details and booking.

Indoor Meeting Fri 22 Feb Steve Piotrowski - The Fall and Rise of Reggie Peregrine

Steve is a highly entertaining speaker and we welcome him back for his talk about peregrines. Steve is a naturalist based in Suffolk who runs bird ID courses, guided birdwatching tours in Suffolk, bird surveys and wildlife holidays elsewhere in Europe.

£5 (£3 MBS members) entrance includes tea/coffee and biscuit.

7 for 7.15pm Gospel Oak Methodist Church, entrance in Lisburne Rd NW3 2NT.



Local Outing Sat 23 Feb Two Tree Island, Essex.



Habitats: 640 acre island of grassland, scrub, reedbed and lagoons.
Species: Brent Geese, Kingfisher, waders including Knot, Dunlin, Lapwing, Curlew, Redshank, Grey & Golden Plover plus a variety of ducks. Short-Eared Owl poss.

Station Café & WC plus a Café by the golf range nearer the reserve.

Travel: Fenchurch Street to Leigh on Sea. Meet 10.30. 10-min walk.

The 9.32 from Fenchurch St arrive 10.19.

Walks on Hampstead Heath

Every Tuesday, weather permitting, an informal, friendly 2hr stroll to see what birds are around. Sets off 10am from Parliament Hill Staff Yard, NW5 1QR. Contact 020 7267 8434.



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