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**Recording Wildlife**

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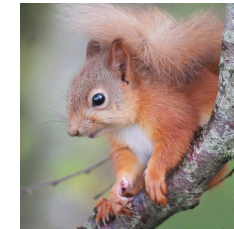


Recording wildlife is a crucial step in protecting species and habitats.

### Why Record Wildlife?

Wildlife records are used locally to inform **planning applications** and can play a vital role in highlighting the biological history of a site.

When a site is **proposed for development**, wildlife records are used both by ecological consultancies and the local planning authority.



### Radnorshire County Recorders

You can submit your records to as many different people and groups as you wish but here is the current list of all the Radnorshire Vice-County Recorders (VC43):

**Amphibian & Reptiles** Hannah Shaw [hshaw@freshwaterhabitats.org.uk](mailto:hshaw@freshwaterhabitats.org.uk) ✉

**Birds** Pete Jennings [radnorshirebirds@hotmail.com](mailto:radnorshirebirds@hotmail.com) ✉

**Butterflies** Chris Ledbury [chrisledbury@icloud.com](mailto:chrisledbury@icloud.com) ✉

**Dragonflies** Bob Dennison [rd19366@googlemail.com](mailto:rd19366@googlemail.com) ✉

**Fungi & Lichen** Ray Woods [raywoods@aol.com](mailto:raywoods@aol.com) ✉

**Invertebrates** (excluding butterflies, moths & dragonflies) Phil Ward [philthebugman@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:philthebugman@hotmail.co.uk) ✉

**Mammals** Sorcha Lewis [radnorshiremammalgroup@live.com](mailto:radnorshiremammalgroup@live.com) ✉

**Moths** Pete & Ginny Clarke [peteandginnyc@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:peteandginnyc@hotmail.co.uk) ✉

**Plants** Liz Dean & Sue Spencer [erd@btconnect.com](mailto:erd@btconnect.com) ✉

### The Birdwatchers' Code

Following the birdwatchers' code is good practice, common sense and should enable us all to enjoy seeing birds.

[Click here to read more about how to safely observe birds without disturbing them.](#) ✉



The Local Environmental Record Centre is the [Biodiversity Information Service for Powys and Brecon Beacons National Park \(BIS\)](#). ✉

BIS collate all the wildlife records provided by the county recorders and provide data for planning applications and Welsh Government requirements. You can submit your own wildlife records directly to

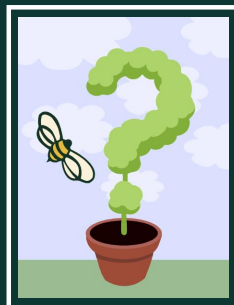
their database and also view maps of various wildlife species recorded in Powys. [SUBMIT A RECORD](#)

## Other Useful Numbers

Kites Tony Cross [avcross@btinternet.com](mailto:avcross@btinternet.com)

Regional BTO Rep Carlton Parry [cj.parry@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:cj.parry@tiscali.co.uk)

### What have I seen?



Try the following for identification help:

[i-spot](#)

[Butterfly Conservation](#)

[Amphibians & Reptile Conservation](#)

### Grid Reference Help

Grid references are the best way to submit a record.



Here are some useful sites / tools to help you with this:

[UK Grid Reference Finder](#)

[Grab a Grid Reference](#)

### Wildlife Consultancy

Radnorshire Wildlife Services

01597 825722



- Planning advice
- Habitat surveys
- Ecological assessments
- GIS mapping
- Wildlife Surveys

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