

All fungus and lichen records should be sent to the Group Recorder:

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- These forays are run by and for the members of the Herefordshire Fungus Survey Group (HFSG). The group is self financing; a membership fee is levied to cover our postage costs and stationary involved in running the group together with the costs of printing and publishing the newsletters.
- If you are not an HFSG member and would like to come on a foray with us, please contact the Secretary, Mike Stroud, at least 3 days in advance - contact details on the front page of this Programme.
- Our Public Liability Insurance is covered through the British Mycological Society.
- Access to private sites is limited to the Group only and other sites can be too small to take large numbers and their cars.
- **Dog Owners:** Please note that:
 - i. the HFSG Public Liability Insurance does NOT cover any damage or actions caused by pets: it is the sole responsibility of the owner to have appropriate insurance for this type of situation;
 - ii. on this Foray Programme there are instructions for each site. Where stock is present, please **always** keep dogs on a lead. Also, please clear up any mess on paths & tracks, as many of the sites are open to the public.
- Some site owners (eg Forestry Commission) specifically prohibit smoking and fires, but it is good practice to apply this to all – especially in woods.
- Please wear suitable footwear to all sites and be prepared for all weathers. Some sites are quite steep, and slippery in bad weather, so please take care at all times.
- Unless otherwise stated, forays are normally from 10.30 am – 12.30 pm (approx.): many of us then go to a nearby pub for lunch afterwards. Details of these are published nearer the foray dates.
- The Secretary's mobile no. is 07507 266711 and is usually on (when he remembers!) at the start of a foray.

Herefordshire Fungus Survey Group Foray Programme 2024



Otidea notica (Hare's Ear Fungus)

Please note: meeting time for forays will be at 10.15 am for a prompt 10.30 start (unless otherwise stated)

Wed. April 17th Hergest Croft
DOGS ON LEADS, PLEASE.

Wed. May 15th Queen's Wood, Dymock
PLEASE KEEP DOGS UNDER CONTROL & WITHIN SIGHT

Wed. June 12th Berrington Hall
NO DOGS PLEASE. WALKING AREA NEAR CAR PARK, THOUGH

Wed. August 14th The Flits Nature Reserve
PLEASE KEEP DOGS UNDER CONTROL & WITHIN SIGHT IF NOT ON LEADS

Wed. Sept. 4th Nether Wood
PLEASE KEEP DOGS UNDER CONTROL, IF NOT ON LEADS

Wed. Sept. 25th Mowley Valley & Wood
Whole Day foray
PLEASE KEEP DOGS ON LEADS

Sat. Oct. 5th Queenswood Arboretum, Dinmore Hill SO 506 514
HFSG's UK FUNGUS DAY EVENT (HR6 0PY)

Wed. Oct. 16th Little Doward
PLEASE KEEP DOGS UNDER CONTROL, IF NOT ON LEADS

Wed. Oct. 30th Whitfield Estate
Whole Day Foray
DOGS PREFERABLY ON LEADS, PLEASE

Wed. Nov. 13th Bringsty Common
Whole day foray
PLEASE KEEP DOGS UNDER CONTROL, IF NOT ON LEADS

Wed. Nov. 27th Ewyas Harold Common
DOGS ON LEADS, PLEASE

If you are not an HFSG member and would like to come on one of these forays, please could you contact:

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