**Oxford University Museum of Natural History**

**Parks Road, Oxford, OX1 3PW**

**In collaboration with**

**British Entomological & Natural History Society (BENHS)**

**Biological Records Centre (BRC)**

**10.00 –** Arrival tea / coffee / biscuits – Annexe

**10.30 –** Welcome & Housekeeping – Lecture Theatre

**10.35 – Mark Gurney – Fear no weevil**

**10.55 – Jon Webb – Natural England update focusing on their work with DNA technology**

**11.15 – Katy Dainton– Beetle- eating beetles, and other forest pest biocontrol methods**

**11.35 – Jeff Blincow & Tim Newton - “If it doesn’t work, we won’t tell anyone we’ve started – a Saproxylic beetle project at Yardley Chase Training Area”**

**11.55 – Sue Townsend - FSC Field Studies Council: FSC Find Study Coleoptera**

**12.30 – 14.00 –** Lunch (Museum café, local pub or bring your own - Annexe)

**Hope Entomological Collections open 13.00 – 16.00**

For collections use contact amoret.spooner@oum.ox.ac.uk

**Hope Entomological Library open 12.30 – 16.00**

Please contact Danielle Czerkaszyn library@oum.ox.ac.uk with your library requests in advance,

as there will not be a librarian working on the day to assist.

**14.15**

 **Helen Roy, Richard Lewington & Peter Brown – Ladybird field guide Q&A** –Annexe

**No booking needed, unless access is required for a specific collection/ archive.**

**THERE IS NO PUBLIC PARKING AT THE MUSEUM**

**For general enquiries please contact:** amoret.spooner@oum.ox.ac.uk

**Further Information:** The Museum: <http://www.oum.ox.ac.uk>

BENHS: <http://www.benhs.org.uk>

The Biological Records Centre: <http://www.brc.ac.uk>

Travel: <http://www.oxfordbus.co.uk>

Parking: <http://parkandride.oxfordbus.co.uk>

****Accommodation: <http://www.oxfordcityguide.com>

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 **Diary date: 17th Coleopterists Day - 8 February 2020**