



Intermediate level course
**Intermediate Birdwatching:
 Warblers**
Starting 28th April 2022



An intermediate level course looking at why summer visitors return, new information about song, the dawn chorus and alarm calls – with an in-depth investigation of warblers, swallows and martins!

Going beyond the basics of birdwatching, this intermediate level course is aimed at those with some birding experience, including past students of the Introduction to Birdwatching course. It will include an assignment in which students will be asked to research and observe a chosen species in some detail. Modules will include why birds return, song and the dawn chorus, alarm calls and an in-depth study of Manx warblers, swallows and martins.



Tim Earl is the course leader, starting on Thursday 28th April and comprising:

- three evening classroom-based sessions (7.00pm to 9.00pm approx.);
- and three weekend morning outdoor sessions.

Please note that field trips are subject to cancellation only in extreme weather conditions, so some flexibility and appropriate clothing might be required.

- Thursday 28th April, 7.00pm evening seminar, ****Braaid Hall****;
- Sunday 1st May, field trip – time and location to be decided;
- Thursday 5th May, 7.00pm evening seminar, St Marks Hall;
- Sunday 8th May, field trip – time and location to be decided;
- Thursday 12th May, 7.00pm evening seminar, St Marks Hall;
- Sunday 15th May, field trip – time and location to be decided..

The course fee is £35.00 per person (including all seminars and field trips). Proceeds will be donated to Manx BirdLife. **Places are strictly limited so please book early to avoid disappointment!**

To reserve your place, please email jthompson@manx.net or telephone 428953 or use the booking form below.

Course fees are payable by cheque (to Manx BirdLife) or via bank transfer to:

Account Name: **Manx BirdLife**, Account Number: **40817279**, Sort Code: **20-26-74**, Reference: **Intermediate Warblers**

BOOKING FORM Intermediate Birdwatching – Warblers (April 2022)

Please reserve me place(s) on the course:

* I enclose payment of £ (£35 p.p.)

*Please tick one box as applicable

* I have paid by bank transfer £ (£35 p.p.)

Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms/Other _____ Full name: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

For any further details about the course, please call Janet Thompson on 428953 or email jthompson@manx.net. Please send completed form, with payment if by cheque, to: **Manx BirdLife, 35 New Road, Laxey, Isle of Man IM4 7BG**

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