

The **Fernhurst Society** has made great progress over the past four years pursuing a large number of local nature, wildlife and history projects in the parish. Rather than tell you about the details in another newsletter we thought it would be good to share it through an Exhibition at which you can see, touch and hear the results so far. So here it is...

FERNHURST WILDLIFE EXHIBITION

Saturday 25th October 2003 11am – 5pm Sunday 26th October 2003 10am – 5pm

In Fernhurst Village Hall

Come and enjoy:

- A 3D model of the Parish, bringing the landscape alive
 - Wildflowers from our roadside verges
- Hedgerows can you tell the age of a hedge?
- How our parish land is used today
- * The changing landscape find clues to the history of the parish from the land itself and old maps
 - ♣ Garden birds a fascinating insight into our garden visitors
 - Bats listen to their radar calls
 - Butterflies
 - * Amphibians and mammals
 - * Owls, and our project to help them survive
 - * Interesting objects from the Village Archives
 - * Local plants / foliage display by Fernhurst Horticultural Society

PLUS

Fernhurst Photographic Competition (winner announced 4pm Sunday)

Quizzes (with prizes) for the children

Refreshments will be served throughout the weekend

FREE ADMISSION

EVERYONE WELCOME



Keeping to the local theme the **Fernhurst Society** thought it would be a great opportunity to offer **local artists and craftspeople** a chance to share their talents at the same time as the Wildlife Exhibition. So there are two exhibitions in one weekend....

FERNHURST ARTS & CRAFTS EXHIBITION

Saturday 25th October 11am – 5pm Sunday 26th October 10am – 5pm

In Fernhurst Village Hall Committee Room

Work on show and for sale includes:

Paintings and sketches
Pottery
Embroidery
Knitting
Wood-turning
Photography
Spinning and weaving
Model making
Patchwork
Tapestry
Hand made cards
Sculpture

Come and enjoy the multitude of talents lurking in our community!

The Local Heritage Initiative, part of the National Lottery, has funded the Fernhurst Society's Biodiversity project. The LHI is a partnership between the Heritage Lottery Fund, Nationwide Building Society and the Countryside Agency.







