



# Clare Biodiversity Week 2007

## In association with Clare Heritage Office

### Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> May – Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> May

Date	Event / Location	Description	Booking Details
Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Irish Seed Savers Biodiversity Day</b> All day event Capparoo Scarriff	Garden tours of the native heritage orchards, gardens and woodland. Workshops on Native fruit varieties, vegetable seed processing, rare Irish grains, planting organic garden, bee keeping, rare poultry, horse ploughing, cob building, children's activities including nature walks, wildlife drawing and a puppet show. Booking Essential.	€15 Adults, €30 Family (2 Adults/2 Children). Child over 5yrs €3 Incl bus transfer from Scarriff and all activities.  <a href="http://www.irishseedsavers.ie">www.irishseedsavers.ie</a> OR (061) 921866
Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Native Trees</b> one-day course Irish Seed Savers, Capparoo, Scarriff	Learn about Native tree & shrub identification, uses of timber, and introduction to coppice craft. Tutors: Bob Wilson/Stuart McIntyre, CELT	€60 per person  <a href="http://www.irishseedsavers.ie">www.irishseedsavers.ie</a> OR (061) 921866
Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Dawn Chorus</b> Burren National Park Burren	Dawn/morning walk in the Burren National Park to hear a dawn chorus with a difference. We hope to hear Whitethroat, Blackcap, Yellowhammer, Cuckoo, along with more common birds. Meet at the Grotto in Corofin at 5am.	Leaders: Austin Cooney and Tom Lynch (065 6822145)  FREE ADMISSION
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> May	<b>Nature Walk</b> Dromore Nature Reserve	An evening nature walk at Dromore Nature Reserve with NPWS Ranger Emma Glanville. Meet at the car park next to the Cabin at 7.00pm. The walk will take approximately 1 hour 30 mins.	Emma Glanville (065 6822694)  FREE ADMISSION
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	<b>Loop Head Walk</b> Loop Head	A walk along the cliffs at Loop Head with NPWS Ranger Barry O' Donoghue. Meet in the Lighthouse Car Park next to the Display Board at 7.00pm.	Barry O'Donoghue (065) 9051640  FREE ADMISSION
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	<b>Introduction to Garden Design</b> Irish Seed Savers Capparoo Scarriff	Create a plan for an edible sustainable garden, for any situation; rural or urban, school or community garden. An ideal course for those starting a garden or for getting more from your existing garden. Tutors: Ian McGrigor & Niamh Ni Dhuill, Kerry Earth Education	€60 per person  <a href="http://www.irishseedsavers.ie">www.irishseedsavers.ie</a> OR (061) 921866
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	<b>Bat Walk</b> Tuamgraney & Raheen Woods	A Bat walk with the Clare Bat Group to Tuamgraney & Raheen Woods. Bring a torch. Meet at the gateway of the Heritage Centre at Tuamgraney at 8.00pm. Leaders will be David Lyons & Sinead Biggane.	David Lyons (065) 6822 682 Sinead Biggane (065) 6822 125  FREE ADMISSION
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Burren Walk</b> Burren National Park	An evening walk through the Burren National Park with Tony Kirby. Meet at the church at Kilnaboy at 7.00pm.	Tony Kirby (065) 6827707  FREE ADMISSION
Saturday 26 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Walk in the Woods</b> Vandeleur Gardens Kilrush	West Clare Wildlife Club Vandeleur Gardens. Guided walk in Vandeleur Woods: Trees, flowers, birds, butterflies and moths. Led by the West Clare Wildlife Club. Meet at car park at 2pm	Dr. Simon Berrow (087) 5855450  FREE ADMISSION

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