

Welcome

Tonight's Programme

News and forthcoming events

Geo-Villages News

Prof. Ian Fairchild **The Ice Age in Worcestershire**

Questions
Refreshments

News & Forthcoming Events

Jan 19 **EHT newsletter** published, full of interest, diaries for local societies, new projects, well worth the read—[HERE](#)

February 1st—Last date to book **Nick Chidlaw's mapping course**—see Heather, Mel or me for details

February 9th—**Research Day** at EHT, fully booked, don't forget!

February 11th—Evening talk--Dr Nick Daffern, **Palaeolithic Worcestershire**

February 16th [Herdman Lectures](#), Liverpool, Last booking 12th Feb—**EOI** at the back

News etc continued

March 18th—Evening talk—Roy Starkey, **Minerals of the English Midlands**

March 30th—**Five Hills Walks No. 3—Coppet Hill**
EOI at back, 10am Goodrich Castle CP with
Rosamund Skelton, 20 places

NEW COURSE! 'Snapshots in Time' Dr Paul Olver
on fossils through time. 5 weeks starting 17th April
7pm—EOI at back

May 4-12th **National Geo-Week**—to celebrate and
publicise geology, we need to think of an event(!) Any
ideas?

Other

June 8-15th-**Field trip to S France (Donny)**—EOI at back

In the more distant future, 1 week trip to Tenerife, EOI at the back (Geoff)

Ice Age Ponds project in Herefordshire (Kate)

6 Months Activities Chart (so far)

ITEM	DATE	No.	18/01/2019	25/01/2019	01/02/2019	08/02/2019	15/02/2019	22/02/2019	01/03/2019	08/03/2019	15/03/2019	22/03/2019	29/03/2019	05/04/2019	12/04/2019	19/04/2019	26/04/2019	03/05/2019	10/05/2019	17/05/2019	24/05/2019	31/05/2019	07/06/2019	14/06/2019	21/06/2019	28/06/2019	
Evening Meetings			▼				▼				▼				▼												
AGM	18/11/2019										▼																
Herdman Lectures	16/02/2019										▼																
5 Hills No. 3 Coppet	30/03/2019	20/25											▼														
5 Hills No. 4 Woolhope		20/25																									
5 Hills No. 5		20/25																									
Tenerife Field Trip	2020	25																									
Geology Course	17/4-->	20/25																									
EHT Research	09/02/2019	10/12				▼																					
Knighton Mapping	ongo		—————																								
Cotteridge Park	16/03/2019										▼																
French Field Trip	8-15 June																										
Local Geo-Ambles	July																										
Martley Show	17/08/2019																										
Permian Project																											
Teme Valley Project	ongo																										
Apps field Use	July																										
Childrens courses																											
School Rock box intros	March ongoing																										
Donation strong box?																											
Kettle hole project																											
Working Parties	As necessary																										
TVGS special event																											
L/O partnership launch																											
GA Festival	01/11/2019																										

Links to Other Societies

- PLENTY to keep you interested if TVGS let's you down:--
- Malvern U3A Geology [HERE](#)
- Black Country Geological Society [HERE](#)
- Woolhope Club, Geology Section [HERE](#)
- The Geologists Association holds events, [HERE](#)

Geo-Villages News

See [HERE](#) for definitions, criteria and ideas on GVs

Baseline Philosophy

A Geo-Village is a community that has distinctive geology within its bounds, has a policy of locally managed geological discovery and conservation, has developed a viable educational offer for both school pupils and adults and is using its geological assets as a focus in support of the local economy. The aim, too is to incorporate local services, crafts and produce into the model.

Current News

- GA is supporting the project, Paul writing an article
- So far, eight locations in five countries
- TVGS busy formalising documentation
- Web portal proposed
- GV gathering in Martley, suggested for 2021