

FoSC – November Activity Bulletin



Dear Friends,

Please note the following key activities for November:

- **Task Calendar, November 2017** please see attached. A further update will be circulated after the AGM, 9 November. Please join us if you can. As always, we welcome new faces - no previous experience required!
- **Calling for new Committee Members!** If you are interested in becoming more involved in FoSC's work and thereby helping to manage the voluntary work of conservation on the Reserve, you may like to consider joining the Committee. To do this you need to tell us that you're interested! Find out more by sending Clare Batty an expression of interest.
- **Task Days** Up to and including Friday 3rd November, we have contributed more than 700 hours to the NNR, more than 300 of which were 'organising' the sheep for winter, most of which are now off the Common. Thanks to all who have participated in the various tasks during the year. More information about tasks carried out will be available in the Chair's Report to be circulated following the AGM
- **Save the Date** – Thursday 14 December, Christmas Chatter & meal
- **Save the Date** – Winter Warmer and hogget buffet, Sunday 7 January 2018
Details for both the above social events to be circulated soon!

Some useful contacts:

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