

# **Slapton Research Seminar** (and *Marketplace of Ideas*)

#### Saturday 9th November 2024

### Slapton Village Hall, Slapton & Slapton Field Centre

Slapton Ley Field Studies Council and National Nature Reserve is delighted to invite you to our annual Research Seminar, hosted on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> November at Slapton Village Hall, Slapton.

This year's event will once again showcase the incredible research conducted in and around Slapton Ley and the surrounding area, with talks from researchers, academics and volunteers in the morning. But this year, running after lunch, we'll be introducing a new session, which we're calling a 'Marketplace of Ideas'. This will be more of a 'meet-and-great' style session where people can network, share ideas and learn more about wider projects taking place in South Devon, with a range of stands for local charities and organisations.

For over 30 years, the Slapton Ley NNR and Field Centre have been hosting an annual research seminar, attracting participants from across the country. The seminar provides a platform for a diverse range of research interests linked to this unique region. Last year's seminar saw attendees from various backgrounds come together to share their findings, engage in stimulating discussions, and forge valuable connections.

#### **Call for Contributors:**

We welcome presentation proposals and research poster contributions from those who wish to share their work at the seminar. We encourage you to submit an abstract of around 200 words to <a href="mailto:e.kendall@field-studies-council.org">e.kendall@field-studies-council.org</a> by the 1<sup>st</sup> August 2024.

## Registration:

There is no charge for the event and lunch will be provided. Accommodation and transport from Totnes train station can be arranged for those travelling from further away, on request. Presentations will begin at 10am and the event will end at 4pm. To register your interest in attending the seminar, please email Emma at <a href="mailto:e.kendall@field-studies-council.org">e.kendall@field-studies-council.org</a>. Kindly provide your name, affiliation (if applicable), contact details, and any requirements you may have. You may expect further updates on programme information closer to the event date.