



**SLAPTON LEY FIELD CENTRE & NATIONAL NATURE RESERVE  
ANNUAL RESEARCH SEMINAR  
SATURDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2013**

Venue: Slapton Village Hall  
Chair: Prof Ian Mercer, FSC

To register please call 01548-580685 or email [reserve.sl@field-studies-council.org](mailto:reserve.sl@field-studies-council.org)

09.30 *Arrival and coffee*

09.45 *Welcome and introduction - **Andy Pratt (Head of Centre)***

**Session 1**

10.00 *Do Cirl Buntings have regional accents?*

**Prof Sarah Collins, University of Plymouth**

10.30 *Coastal Monitoring at Slapton Sands as part of the wider South West Regional Programme*

**Emerald Siggery, Plymouth Coastal Observatory**

11.00 *Lessers, Daubs and Glebs: How are these three bat species faring in Slapton and the wider landscape?*

**George Bemment**

11.30 *Coffee*

**Session 2**

12.00 *Embedding outdoor learning within the school curriculum*

**Tom Pether, Blackawton School**

12.30 *Badgers and the Moon - a rare case of black and white*

**Dr David Dixon**

13.00 *Lunch*

**Session 3**

14.00 *The Sustainability of Edible crab in South Devon*

**Emma Pearson, University of Leicester**

14.30 *Slapton students' contribution to UK climate change monitoring*

**Fiona Crouch, Marine Biological Association**

15.00 *Gentlemen & Players - Slapton Ley monitoring and citizen science*

**Debbie Gregson & Andy Pratt, FSC Slapton Ley**

15.30 *Close*

