

Dacres Wood Spring Feast

Including fungus workshop

17th May, 10.30 – 3.30

You are invited to meet Claudio Bincoletto, farmer, chef, forager and environmental expert, on his visit to Dacres Wood Nature Reserve, and share in an experiment in sustainable local production of oyster mushrooms.

10.30 – 12.00

Claudio will talk about his work, and how responsible foraging can help us all. There will also be a nature walk and activities for children led by Ema Felix of Secret Adventurers

12.30 – 2.00

Preparing and eating *Risotto primavera* and *Wild herb frittata*. Claudio will be using wild herbs sourced from the reserve and a neighbouring garden. Only 20 servings will be possible, but visitors are welcome to bring their own picnic as well.

2.30 – 3.30

Fungus workshop. Claudio will be preparing recently felled sycamores for the production of oyster mushrooms by drilling them with 200/250 inoculated plugs. There will also be opportunities to take part for those suitably dressed.

Dacres Wood Nature Reserve is entered from Honeyfield Mews, off Dacres Road, SE23. Nearest station Forest Hill

Prices

- Entrance £5 adults, children free
- Risotto primavera, frittata with wild garlic and hop shots and ground elder salad £5 – limited to 20
- Oyster mushroom plug sponsorship - £1 per plug

Plug sponsors will be entitled to a share of any mushrooms we produce – which can be expected to last from 2016 – 2018 – so please stay in touch!

Your contributions, and any donations, will go to support the work of the Friends of Dacres Wood.

To book your serving of risotto primavera, and sponsor oyster mushroom plugs,

email events@dacreswood.org.uk
Web site dacreswood.org.uk/events/

Disclaimers

Weather conditions – e.g. high winds - may result in cancellation for safety reasons, in which case another date will be provided.

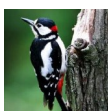
There is a risk of slipping or tripping when visiting the actual reserve, to which there is no disabled access. Visitors must wear sturdy footwear and other appropriate dress.

No one should attempt to enter the pond.

Contact with vegetation or wildlife may trigger allergic reactions

Children under 12 years old must remain the direct responsibility of an accompanying adult.

A formal risk assessment has been prepared by Claudio Bincoletto as required by his Public Liability insurance, and will form the basis for advice to



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