

## **BMS Recording Network News**

**June 2021**

To: BMS Recording Network Contacts  
Cc: BMS Field Mycology & Conservation Committee members  
  
From: Nathan Smith, BMS Recording Network Coordinator

### **1. Upcoming Online Talk from Ida Dalsgaard Nicolaisen**

Ida Dalsgaard Nicolaisen will be giving an online talk on the subject of 'Standing up for a planet full of Life - Fungi, art and activism' at 19.30 on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> July.

It promises a deeply energising and evocative talk on a subject of increasing urgency. In this talk, Ida will talk about visions for the future where we collaborate with fungi. Tickets can be acquired for free from: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/161831710001>.

If you would like to suggest any ideas for future talks or online events, please email me at [cwe.smith@gmail.com](mailto:cwe.smith@gmail.com).

### **2. BMS Newsletter**

The *BMS Newsletter* welcomes submissions that give an overview on local issues such as commercial picking, land encroachment by developers, environmental shift and profiles on long-term members of recording groups. Articles detailing substantial group news, foray reports, the history of mycology, and all other mycological topics not covered by the other journals of the BMS are also encouraged.

Additionally, any suggestions on how the newsletter can best be improved to meet the needs of yourself and your group would be greatly appreciated.

Please send articles for the *BMS Newsletter* to myself at [cwe.smith@gmail.com](mailto:cwe.smith@gmail.com) and Norman Porrett at [norman@britmycolsoc.info](mailto:norman@britmycolsoc.info). Please send any suggestions on improvements to myself at [cwe.smith@gmail.com](mailto:cwe.smith@gmail.com).

### **3. BMS Recording Network News**

Articles and news any size (but particularly those under 500 words) are also requested for future editions of the *BMS Recording Network News*. Please share upcoming events, news, and mycological top tips and tricks. Please send articles to myself at [cwe.smith@gmail.com](mailto:cwe.smith@gmail.com).

### **4. Survey on loss of CHEG grasslands in the UK**

The survey regarding the loss of CHEG grassland (particularly to tree planting schemes) remains open and can be accessed here for all those who would like to contribute:  
<https://forms.gle/Ctis8rVZztym3GC46>