

ORNITHOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF NEW ZEALAND

HAWKE'S BAY Field Trips for second half of 2009

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Upcoming Field Trips and Meetings

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| Sun 16 Aug | Waitangi Wetland to see water birds, bitterns and Black fronted terns on the estuary. Meet at 2pm |
| Sun 27 Sept | Cape Kidnappers to be confirmed on Tamsin's return. Brown Teal etc |
| Sun 18 Oct | Shines Falls & Lake Opouahi for return of the Shining Cuckoo etc |
| Sat 14 Nov | Wader Summer Census at Ahuriri |
| Sun 15 Nov | Wader Summer Census Porangahau |
| Sun 27 Nov | Blowhard Bush, Napier – Taihape Road, jointly with Forest & Bird. Count at numbered stations |

Some ideas for the first half of 2010 were also discussed. Ideas included a visit to Foxton Beach in early March and a visit to the Mahia area.

If Helen has your email address then you will be contacted by email, otherwise Phyllis will contact you during the week prior to the field trip or meeting to confirm the details. Any change to the above programme will be advised as soon as possible.