

# PHOENIX PARK

## BIODIVERSITY FESTIVAL & Honey Show

6<sup>th</sup>

7<sup>th</sup>

September 2024

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ALL EVENTS ARE **FREE**

Please contact

[phoenixparkvisitorcentre@opw.ie](mailto:phoenixparkvisitorcentre@opw.ie)

or [01 677 0095](tel:016770095) for booking details.

*Please wear suitable clothing and footwear  
for outdoor events.*

### TWO MAIN LOCATIONS FOR THE EVENTS:



Ashtown Demesne: **Eircode D08 Y304**

Biodiversity Centre, Knockmaroon  
Gate Lodge. **Eircode: D20 A402**

**A**

Ashtown Demesne

**B**

Biodiversity Centre, Knockmaroon

**P**

Papal Cross

Scientific Name: *Bombus terrestris*  
Irish Name: An Bhumbóg Earr-dhonnbhui  
Common Name: Buff-tailed Bumblebee  
Photo Credit: Leif Ó Beargha



6<sup>th</sup>

Friday

7pm – 9pm Dark Sky Event with the Irish Astronomical Society  
*Weather permitting*

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7<sup>th</sup>

Saturday

10am – 4pm Phoenix Park Honey Show

11am – 4pm The Big Dig **BOOKING ESSENTIAL**

11am – 4pm Honey Bee Observation Hive

11am – 12pm Victorian Walled Garden Tour

12pm – 1.30pm Forest Bathing **BOOKING ESSENTIAL**  
*Children are not permitted at this event*

12pm – 1pm Pond Dipping Workshop

12pm – 1pm Fallow Deer of the Phoenix Park Tour

1pm – 2pm Victorian Walled Garden Tour

2pm – 3pm Trees of the Phoenix Park Tour

2pm – 3pm Pond Dipping Workshop

2.30pm – 4pm Forest Bathing **BOOKING ESSENTIAL**  
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4pm approx. Honey Show Prize Giving

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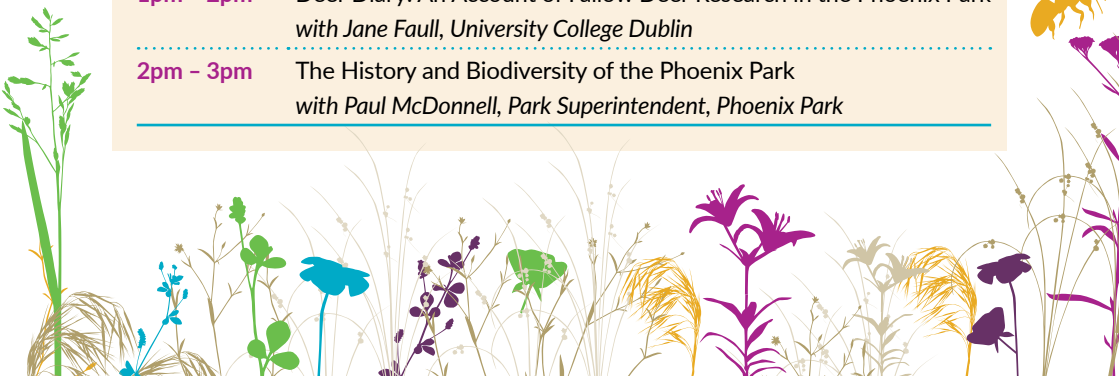


## Talks at Ashtown Demesne

12pm – 1pm Citizen Science  
*with Leif Barry, Guide Services, Phoenix Park*

1pm – 2pm Deer Diary: An Account of Fallow Deer Research in the Phoenix Park  
*with Jane Faull, University College Dublin*

2pm – 3pm The History and Biodiversity of the Phoenix Park  
*with Paul McDonnell, Park Superintendent, Phoenix Park*





Scientific Name: *Vanessa atalanta*  
Irish Name: Aimiréal Dearg  
Common Name: Red Admiral  
Photo Credit: Leif Ó Beargha







#### Distance from Phoenix Park Visitor Centre

Biodiversity Centre, Knockmaroon – 3km (35minutes walk)

Papal Cross – 1.4km (16 minutes walk)

Cover Image:  
 Scientific Name: *Calopteryx Splendens*  
 Irish Name: *Brideog Bhandach*  
 Common Name: Banded Damoiselle  
 Photo Credit: Leif Ó Beargha