

Shropshire Wildlife Trust Clun and Bishop's Castle Branch 2024-5 report for Clun with Chapel lawn Parish Council

The branch has had another active year with both indoor talks and outdoor walk activities. These have involved many local residents, from throughout the branch area which extends from the Welsh border, east to Corvedale and north to Chirbury.

In addition to these activities, the branch has continued to support the River Clun Monitoring Group (which will no doubt be giving a separate report) financially and organisationally; to undertake habitat mapping activities in the branch area; has worked with the Clun Climate and Environment Group in Himalayan Balsam picking on the Clun; together with English Heritage and National Landscapes (Shropshire Hills) has undertaken several surveys of the Castle grounds and is continuing to work together for habitat improvement plans there. Finally, in conjunction with other organisations, branch members took the lead in organising the first Twist Memorial Lecture (in memory of former Treasurer, Dennis Twist) in autumn 2024.

Mary Eminson, formerly Branch Secretary
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