



Cambridge Natural History Society

The 107th Conversazione and Nat Hist Fest



a **FREE** public exhibition on the natural world

Friday 10th & Saturday 11th April 2026

David Attenborough Building, Pembroke Street, Cambridge CB2 3QZ

Friday 10th April: open to CNHS members and guests 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Saturday 11th April: open to the public from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Cambridge Natural History Society's Annual Exhibition provides opportunities

- ▶ to meet local, national and international naturalists;
- ▶ to meet like-minded enthusiasts and share ideas;
- ▶ for the Society's members to show what they have been doing;
- ▶ for researchers to present their work;
- ▶ for local organisations to publicise their activities; and
- ▶ **for everyone to learn about natural history and find out what is going on.**

We invite you to book space (free of charge) for an exhibit or exhibits on any aspects of natural history. Please complete the booking form and return by 27th March (or sooner) to exhibition@cnhs.org.uk or post to CNHS Conversazione Organiser, c/o Department of Zoology, University of Cambridge, Downing St, Cambridge CB2 3EJ.

- ▶ Exhibits can be about any aspect of local natural history.
- ▶ Exhibits might include specimens – things people can handle seem to be popular.
- ▶ Living things attract attention. *Please consult us if you would like to bring live animals.*
- ▶ Exhibitors are responsible for the welfare and safety of their displays.
- ▶ If you are member of a local group it might like to have an exhibit about its activities.
- ▶ There is no objection to exhibitors selling items, including arts and crafts, but exhibitors are responsible for the security of their wares.

Exhibits will be displayed on benches or tables in the Seminar and Common Rooms in the David Attenborough Building. There is space for some free-standing displays and some free-standing display boards but only a very limited supply of three-fold table-top display boards.

It is desirable for someone to be with exhibits for at least some of the time – it is the interaction between exhibitors and visitors that makes it a Conversazione.

Set-up 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. on Friday; displays must be removed by 7:00 p.m. on Saturday

CNHS Student Prize: In order to encourage participation from students we will be offering a prize or prizes for the best exhibit(s) from an exhibitor who was a school pupil, college or university student at the time of the Conversazione. [Click here for details.](#)

Please contact us if you need more information.

For more about the Conversazione visit our web site at www.cnhs.org.uk/conversazione/