



Your local alternative to Springwatch, discover a local geological plethora of knowledge on

**Saturday 19 June 2010
with Phil Palmer**

***Beginners & improvers guide to
Bird Identification.***

We have all been in a hide and puzzled over a distant bird, but been too embarrassed to ask. This course is designed to take you a step beyond *Springwatch*. If you enjoy looking at birds but are baffled by jargon, bewildered by the amount of books and binos, this course is for you. Advising on the best books, CD's, optic usage, websites and other equipment, we discuss fieldcraft and what to look for to correctly identify that distant dot or flying blur correctly. Your records can be used to save a threatened habitat or species, learn how to put them to good use. What to record and what to do with your notes.

Workshop takes place at Blaxton Village Hall at 10am and finishes at approximately 4pm. Cost £20, refreshments included. Advance booking required. Please wear suitable outdoor clothing and bring a packed lunch.

For more details and a full 2010 programme visit www.thmcf.org
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