

# EVENTS PACK



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# MOTH TRAPPING



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Most interactive of all biodiversity activities.



- A family fun activity.
- Trap set night before.
- Trap opened morning time- great excitement.
- Moths taken out one by one.
- Ireland has approx. 1,500 different species.





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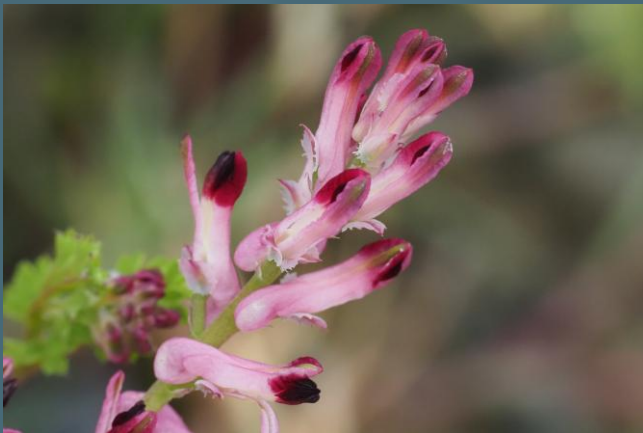


- Requires very little space.
- Morning event.
- People can register in advance to gauge numbers.
- Staff and locals will love.





# WILDFLOWER HUNT



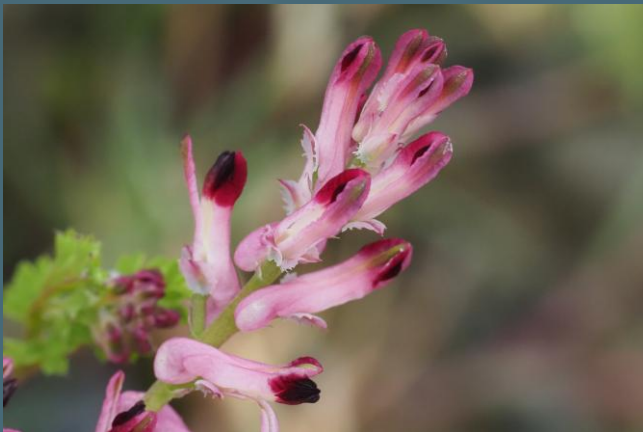
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Primrose



Speedwell



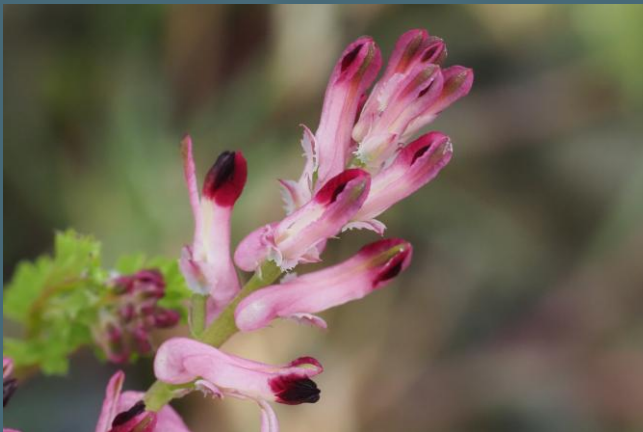
Bush vetch

- Flags are placed at locations with flowers.
- Document given so they can ID the wildflowers.
- People register in advance to gauge numbers.
- Perfect staff or community outreach event.
- Kids enjoy ticking off what flowers they find.  
Adults enjoy the detail about each flower.



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Red Campion



Marsh Orchid



Herb Robert

- Requires the most space.
- Unless you have good wildflower biodiversity it can be boring.
- Ideally done after 10am (flowers need to open).
- Takes time to set event up and print documents specific to the flowers you have onsite.



# INSECT SHOWCASING



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- Adults enjoy more than kids.
- Catches butterflies/bees/dragonflies/beetles etc.
- Ideally done after 1pm (*temp. needs to increase*)
- Secondary trapping is done using pitfall traps to get ground dwelling insects.





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- Can be uneventful if used in areas with high pesticide usage.
- Some people are afraid of bees/wasps/insects.
- What you get is completely random so you can't prep activity sheets.

