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DEFENDING OUR WILD WATERS - EST 1903

## **SEMINAR Y GWANWYN 2019 SPRING SEMINAR**

**Dydd Llun, Ebrill 8<sup>fed</sup>      Monday, April 8<sup>th</sup>**

**10am - 4pm**

**Lantra, Royal Welsh Showground, Llanelwedd, Builth Wells, Powys, LD2 3SY**

**ALLWN NI ACHUB EOG YR IWERYDD? - CAN WE SAVE THE ATLANTIC SALMON?**

### **AGENDA**

#### **MORNING SESSION**

- 9:30 Registration and refreshments
- 10:00 **Filming and Fishing the River Taff: Against the odds**  
Will Millard – angler, author and broadcaster
- 10:20 **S&TC - 115 years of campaigning on behalf of wild salmon**  
Paul Knight - CEO Salmon and Trout Conservation
- 10:45 **IFM at NASCO and how to improve salmon stock assessment**  
Dr Nigel Milner – Senior Fisheries Scientist, APEM Ltd.
- 11:10 **Invertebrates and Salmon – The Riverfly Census and salmon conservation**  
Nick Measham – Deputy CEO S&TC and Head of Freshwater Campaigns
- 11:30 Coffee
- 11:50 **Salmon stock assessment and the role of 'Index' rivers**  
Ian Davidson – Senior Technical Advisor (Salmonids) Natural Resources Wales
- 12:15 **When is small too small? The challenge of managing small salmon populations.**  
Professor Carlos Garcia de Leaniz – Swansea University
- 12:40 **Nets v Rods: a thousand years of getting the most from our salmon**  
Tom Fort – author and journalist
- 13:00 Lunch

## AFTERNOON SESSION

13:40 **What has Welsh Water ever done for salmon and what's next?**

Gail Davies – Environment Programme Manager, Dŵr Cymru Welsh Water

14:05 **Usk salmon: whodunnit?**

Dr Guy Mawle – Independent Fisheries Consultant

14:30 **The Wye Experience**

Dr Stephen Marsh-Smith – CEO Afonydd Cymru

14:55 Forum

15:30 **Maintaining our Independence**

Guy Edwards – S&TC Fundraising Manager

15:45 Closing thoughts

16:00 Depart