Devon Beavers – talks and walks

Devon Wildlife Trust staff and other partners involved with the beaver projects offer detailed presentations on our work. The absence of beavers from the English landscape for so long means that the interest in the Beaver Projects has been overwhelming and there has been an enormous appetite for these events.

We receive no funding from any government sources for any of our work with beavers, and yet meeting the conditions set by government agencies are anticipated to cost the charity around £600,000 over the five years that we are running the River Otter Beaver Trial. Charging reflects this demand, and the costs incurred.

- Daytime or evening presentation on Devon Beaver Projects £70 + travel *
- Guided Walk for an organised group (>10 people) £10 per person
  (Available for River Otter, and Enclosed Project near Okehampton)
- Training events for professionals please discuss

*DWT charges 45p / mile from Exeter EX2 4AB, and will also ask for overnight expenses to be recouped where appropriate.

Every event that we run is unique, but we estimate that the average evening presentation costs DWT around £100 in staff time and expenses - those outside Devon considerably more. We therefore regret that we cannot always accommodate requests, especially from smaller groups and those outside the River Otter project area.

The River Otter Beaver Trial is led by Devon Wildlife Trust working in partnership with The University of Exeter, the Derek Gow Consultancy, and Clinton Devon Estates. Expert independent advice is also provided by the Royal Zoological Society of Scotland, Dr Roisin Campbell-Palmer, Professor Alastair Driver, Professor John Gurnell, and Gerhard Schwab, an international beaver expert based in Bavaria.

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