

Monmouthshire Meadows Group Kingcoed Meadows Fund

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Monmouthshire Meadows Group

Help us Secure the Future of Kingcoed Meadows

Monmouthshire Meadows has the opportunity to safeguard the future of two beautiful, species-rich hay meadows in the heart of the county.

The two meadows used to be part of Kingcoed Farm. Originally semi-improved and rather species poor, they have been sympathetically managed by their current owners for 12 years. As a result, Spotted Orchids, Southern Marsh Orchids, Knapweed, Common Cat's Ear, Rough Hawkbit, Bird's-foot Trefoil, Tufted Vetch and many other plants have colonised and spread. In wet areas a diversity of rushes and sedges has appeared, and even Adder's-tongue Fern. However, the owners are now selling the land.



Our Open Day at Kingcoed Meadows June 2014

We want to safeguard this important site from agricultural 'improvement', to preserve and enhance the biodiversity of the area. We plan to use the site for events and educational activities, to demonstrate what can be achieved with the right management regime.

PLEASE CAN YOU HELP?

Monmouthshire Meadows Group aims to buy the two meadows, for the sake of their flowers, bees, butterflies and other wildlife. We need around £96,000 to secure the 11.8 acres. We have already received pledges towards this target. We are seeking donations and grants to raise the remaining amount.



*Common Blue on
Bird's-foot Trefoil*



*Bumblebee Bombus rupestris on
Knapweed*



Orchids in Kingcoed Meadows

*Photographs:
Jon Dunkelman,
Ray Armstrong
(Bombus rupestris)*

Monmouthshire Meadows Group is a registered charity, number 1111345

To Donate

If you can donate please complete the confirmation / Gift Aid form overleaf indicating the amount you wish to give. You can then pay the amount direct to our account or, if this is not possible, send a cheque made payable to **Monmouthshire Meadows Group Savings Account** to our treasurer:

Martin Fenn-Smith, Farrier's Barn, Mathern, Chepstow NP16 6JH

To pay online please use the reference 'Kingcoed' and account details:

Sort code 77-29-18 Account No. 39854960

Please note if we fail to meet our target, or if an excess amount is raised, we will offer you the choice of a refund or donating the money to MMG general funds or another related charity

