



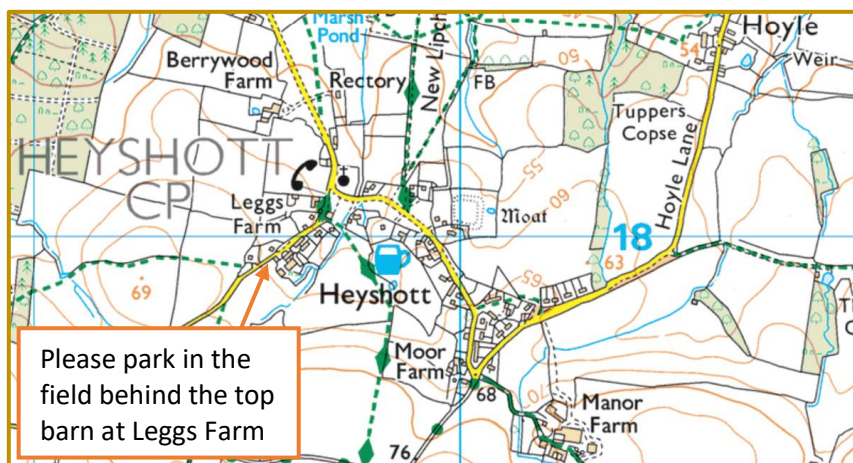
Rother Valley Farmers Group

Farmland Bird Training Event at Leggs Farm, Heyshott

Wednesday 18th September 2019, 10.30am - 12.30pm
Followed by Buffet Lunch at The Unicorn Inn, Heyshott

The RVFG is holding a farmland bird training event on the morning of Wednesday 18th September 10.30am -12.30pm, kindly hosted by RVFG Member, Andrew Lovejoy, at Leggs Farm, Heyshott. The event will include:

- A guided farm walk stopping at 4 key points with advice from ornithologist Dr. Richard Black together with Colin Hedley (Agri-Environment Consultant & RVFG Facilitator) and Ses Wright (Environmental Consultant and Co-Facilitator for RVFG)
- Information on what farmland birds need to thrive while maintaining a profitable farm
- Basic Payments Scheme (BPS) & Ecological Focus Area (EFA) aids/options for farmland birds
- Agri-Environmental Stewardship options for farmland birds
- Barn Owl and Kestrel Boxes in the same semi-covered barn and how they get along!
- How game crops can benefit farmland birds and pollinators
- RVFG Wildlife Targets: Lapwing, Yellowhammer and Barn Owl are discussed



Please come along to support this event and your RVFG Cluster Farm. Refreshments and a buffet lunch are provided at the nearby Unicorn Inn (Heyshott) after the event. To confirm you would like to attend please email info@arrrt.org.uk or call 07854721902. The full event address is: Leggs Farm, Leggs Lane, Heyshott, Midhurst, West Sussex, GU29 0DJ (as shown on the above map).