

## Seasonal Best

Many plants and animals can be seen all year round at Haldon Forest Park, but to see them at their best, use the guide below.

Migratory and passage visitor species can only be seen at Haldon at the times indicated.

Species	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Notes
Roe Deer					Kids	Kids	Rut	Rut					Rut best seen on warm humid nights
Fallow Deer					Fawns	Fawns				Rut	Rut	Rut	Rut best seen after a frost
Buzzard	•	•	•	•	•			•	•				
Sparrowhawk	•	•	•	•								•	
Goshawk	•	•											Start display, if territory threatened by rivals
Hobby				•	•		•	•	•				Migratory
Osprey								•					Migratory passage
Nightjar					•	•	•	•					Migratory Warm humid nights
Turtle Dove				•	•	•	•						Migratory
Woodcock	•	•									•	•	Migratory. Track edges, early morning
Goldcrest	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Crossbill		•	•	•	•								
Small Pearl-bordered Fritillary						•	•						
Pearl-bordered Fritillary					•	•							
Silver-washed Fritillary							•	•	•				
Demoiselle					•	•	•	•					
Emperor Dragonfly						•	•	•					
Golden-ringed Dragonfly						•	•	•					
Wood Ants				•	•	•	•	•	•				Respond to warm sunny days, all year round
Fungi									•	•	•		Fruiting bodies appear
Common Spotted Orchid						•	•	•					Flowering
Early Purple Orchid				•	•	•							Flowering
Bluebells				•	•	•							Flowering
Autumn Colours									•	•	•		