

# The Summer Crop Circle Lectures

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**Additional Tour/Events Information Sheet**  
**It's Important you read this information very carefully**

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**Night-Watch/Vigil with Ross Holcomb, Jonathan DeVierville & Cameron Broughton**  
**Saturday 30th July 2011 - 12.00am until 6.00am (approx)**

**Night-Watch/Vigil**

Many strange things have been seen and experienced in the Pewsey Vale, around the fields and crop circles at night. The whole place takes on a different ambience when the sun sets. Crop Circles most often appear at night between darkness and sunrise and many researchers have at some point taken part in night-time vigils overlooking the fields. Last year we were able to take the group into a nearby circle during the night - if circumstances allow we will repeat this.

Spend the night out in the open at a special location/s in the Wiltshire countryside overlooking the enigmatic Pewsey Vale as part of a night-time vigil with a small group of open-minded companions. Also explore dream, consciousness and ritual landscape components of the crop circle phenomenon. With an indoor debrief afterwards complete with hot coffee and tea before disbanding to get some well-earned sleep!

**Requirements:**

**Transport:**

You will need a car or a lift to the meeting site, which is a 15-20 minute (approx) drive from Devizes town centre. We will supply a map upon booking. If this is a problem please let us know.

**Physical Fitness:**

This workshop will involve some sustained walking up and down steep hills on uneven ground (and in the dark) to reach various locations, therefore a good level of fitness is required to undertake the workshop. You need to be prepared to sit out all night in the open, on the ground, it could be cold and to some extent uncomfortable. Don't let this put you off - but be aware and be prepared!

**Equipment you will need to bring:**

You will need a good pair of walking shoes. You will also need all weather clothing - water proof jacket and trousers. Whilst we hope for a dry and star filled night, the weather may well be intermittently wet or damp, even on a rain free night, the air can get water soaked as dawn approaches. You will also need warm clothing, it can get quite cold at night even in the summer. Better to peel a few layers off than not have enough!

You will also need a good torch/flashlight with new batteries. Other optional extras include: a flask with a hot drink would help you keep warm and hydrated and small snack might also be helpful. Don't bring too much with you, you will have to carry it! A small backpack might be useful to put your things in. It can be carried on the back leaving your hands free. All rubbish will need to be taken away with you when you leave the site, so consider this too

when deciding what to bring with you. We will provide some waterproof ground sheets for everyone to sit on.

**Camera Equipment etc:**

You might find a pair of binoculars very useful for sky watching. Please feel free to bring cameras, video-cameras, or night vision binoculars with you, you might get the opportunity to record or see something unusual, and hopefully the opportunity for some sunrise photos. However, remember you will have to carry your equipment with you - so don't overload.

**Important Practicalities:**

It might seem obvious, but here are no public toilets at our locations (out in the middle of the countryside), so please plan accordingly! However there will be toilets at the debrief site before and after the watch. We would also ask everyone to abstain from alcohol before and during the event.

**Schedule:**

**12.00am:** Meet your guides at the meet site. Please be punctual. There will be introductions before the group departs to the actual watch/vigil site.

**4.00am/5.00am:** (approximately) the group will reconvene for a debrief and a hot drinks back at the indoor meet site.

**5.30/6.00am:** Workshop disbands and everyone returns to their own lodgings for some well earned sleep!

**NOTE:** The timings may be renegotiated by the group if the weather is particularly uncomfortable, or if any other matters arise which call for a change of plan.

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**DIRECTIONS TO MEET SITE:**

The group will meet at the Coronation Hall, Alton Barnes. \*See enclosed map for directions.

**Please be considerate to the local villagers, and keep noise and disturbance down to an absolute minimum - i.e. talking and the banging of car doors.**

Cars should be parked in the Coronation Hall car park (please park behind the building - not in front). Do not leave anything on display in your car. The group will return to the hall for the debrief and to pick up their vehicles.

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**During the conference** on Saturday, we get the night-watch group together with their guides to introduce everyone and to make arrangements to pool cars (where necessary) and to make sure everyone knows where they are going. If you have any last minute questions you can address your guides directly in person.

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**Optional Consciousness Work:** We are enclosing a booklet containing some visualisations you may want to use in the run up to the night-watch. This is an entirely optional exercise for those particularly interested in exploring consciousness aspects of the phenomenon. There will be opportunity to discuss your impressions and intuitions from these exercises as part of the night-watch.

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