

THE FRIENDS OF PAXTON PITS NATURE RESERVE (FPPNR)

Thank you for your support – FPPNR Kingfisher Lottery Club

The FPPNR Kingfisher Lottery Club was launched at the AGM in March 2013.

The objectives are to:-

- 1. Raise funds for the Friends of Paxton Pits Nature Reserve**
- 2. Provide cash prizes to members of the club**

The FPPNR Kingfisher Lottery Club is managed on a voluntary basis. The only costs incurred are the annual lottery licence and postage.

Draw Programme September 2013 to June 2014

FPPNR were able to donate £939 towards the cost of the Cobham Hide which was officially opened June 2016.

Draw Programme September 2014 to June 2015

FPPNR were able to donate £1,709 to build a second tern raft on Heronry North Pit.

Draw Programme September 2015 to June 2016

FPPNR were able to donate £2,312 to build a third tern raft Heronry North Pit.

Draw programme September 2016 to June 2017

FPPNR were able to donate £2,234 to build a fourth tern raft on Heronry North Pit.

Draw programme September 2017 to June 2018

FPPNR were able to donate £2279 for a viewing screen at south end Washout pit

Tern Rafts updates

June 2016 - Two rafts occupied by some seventeen Common Terns so hopeful of a successful breeding season.

June 2017 survey report 17 young counted (two rafts added total of four)

June 2018 survey report 21 young counted (four rafts in action)

Common Terns are a long distance migratory species who spend the winter period in West and South Africa. Thanks to you and your ongoing support, we are helping the survival of these birds by offering a safe haven at Paxton Pits Nature Reserve for their breeding season. 05/08/2018