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Field Trip

South East Regional Group Field Trip Visit to the Isle of Wight to View Landslide Features and Slope Stabilisation Works Sunday 15th July 2018

Early start, details to be confirmed on registration

Cost: £27 per person, payable in advance

Please register as detailed below by 18th June



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- ◆ Guided by: Professor Eddie Bromhead. This is a follow-up to Eddie's June talk to the SE Regional Group
- ◆ We will be travelling by Hovercraft to Ryde where we will be met by a coach for the visit round the island
- ◆ Our first stop will be Chale viewpoint, from where we will walk along the cliff top and down the cliff path to explore the St Catherine's Point landslide
- ◆ This will be followed by lunch at The Buddle Inn, Niton for those who pre-book lunch when registering. Meals and drinks to be paid for individually.
- ◆ After lunch, planned stops are:
 - several sites at Ventnor and Bonchurch, including the Graben feature at Lowtherville
 - the old quarry at Ventnor railway station
 - Monks Bay, where the Monk's Bay Sandstone Formation and beds beneath the landslide system of the Sandrock can be seen
- ◆ If time permits, we may also stop at St Helen's on the way back to the hovercraft to discuss the issues relating to very recent drowned valleys and sediment accumulation
- ◆ Please dress for the weather and have sturdy footwear as we will be walking across loose shingle and slippery rocks.

PLACES ARE LIMITED SO IF YOU WISH TO ATTEND, PLEASE REGISTER BY RESPONDING TO:
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