

## JUNE 2010 ARCHIVES

### 30th June

Gold Spangle; Broadgate (A Hannan, G Jones)

Southern Wainscot; Hough Green (P Hillyer)

Goat Moth; Formby (R Walker)

Dun-bar; Preston (S Palmer)

Gothic, Clouded Border; Bispham (B Brigden)

Lesser Cream Wave (many), Beautiful China-mark; Haweswater area (S Palmer)

Silver Hook (many); White Moss (S Palmer)

*Argyresthia cupressella*, *Argyresthia curvella*, Blackneck; Heysham (J Holding)

Dark Sword-grass, *Epiblema foenella*, Bordered Sallow, Large Wainscot, Obscure Wainscot (29th); Hale (C Cockbain) Bird's Wing; Preston (A Bunting)

### 29th June

Red-necked footman; Bispham (B Brigden)

### 28th June

Ghost Moth (male); Alston (S Halliwell)

Dingy Shell; Fazakerly (L Ward)

Single-dotted Wave, Swallow-tailed Moth, Nutmeg; Heysham (J Holding)

### 27th June

Beautiful Carpet; Rindle Wood (I Walker)

*Donacaula forficella*, Marbled Beauty; Orrell (P Alker)

Archer's Dart; Formby (R Walker)

### 26th June

Beautiful Hook-tip, Blackneck, Blood-vein; Burnished Brass; Lower Burgh Meadow (E Langrish)

Light Arches, Swallow-tailed Moth, *Tortrix viridana*; Hale (C Cockbain)

Purple Clay; Billinge (C Darbyshire)

Bordered Sallow, Obscure Wainscot; Sunderland Point (J Girdley)

Heart and Club; Heysham (J Girdley)

*Trachycera marmorea*, *Apotomis capreana*; Leighton Moss (J Girdley, J Beattie)

Silver Hook; Ainsdale (R Walker)

Small Dusty Wave, Short-cloaked Moth; Bispham (B Brigden)

Common Emerald, Magpie Moth, Bordered White, Common Wainscot, Smoky Wainscot; Gregson Lane (G Dixon)

### 25th June

Dark Dagger (confirmed by dissection); Sunderland (J Girdley)

*Barred Yellow*; Liverpool (J Clews)

*Algedonia terrealis*; Chorlton (B Smart)

*Epinotia bilunana*; King's Moss (C Darbyshire)

Setaceous Hebrew Character, Cabbage Moth; Warton (M Elsworth)

Poplar Grey, Double Lobed; Bispham (B Brigden)

### 24th June

Lyme Grass; Crosby (C Fletcher, J Donnelly) - **new to Lancashire** and the first ever record from the west side of Britain. Kindly identified by Roy Leverton.

Humming-bird Hawk Moth; Warrington (J Clarke)

Plain Golden Y, Dotted Clay; Bispham (B Brigden)

### 23rd June

*Coleophora deauratella* (many) - new to VC60, Chevron, Blackneck, *Celypha cespitana*; St Annes

Clay; Leighton Moss (J Beattie)

Currant Clearwing (12), Vapourer larva; Hope Carr Allotments, Leigh (D Wilson)

Netted Pug; Adlington (P Pugh)

*Crambus uliginosellus*; Dolphinholme (N Rogers)

Sandy Carpet, Bird's Wing; Rindle Wood (I Walker)

### 22nd June

Coronet; Heysham (J Holding)

Large Emerald, Small Rivulet; Rindle Wood (I Walker)

### 21st June

Obscure Wainscot; Orrell (P Alker)

### 20th June

Common Lutestring; Rindle Wood (I Walker)

*Yponomeuta rorrella*, larval web on white willow; Chorlton (B Smart)

### 19th June

Grey Arches, Clay Triple-lines, Green Arches, Mullein Wave; Woodwell (E Langrish, A Barker)

*Triaxomera parasitella* - several over a few days at its only known breeding site in Lancashire so far; Preston (A Powell)

Small Clouded Brindle; Liverpool (J Clews)

Ghost Moth; Carnforth (D Bennett)

Muslin Footman; Leighton Moss (M Myerscough)

#### 18th June

Blackneck, Fazakerley (L Ward)

Green Arches; Adlington (P Krischkiw)

#### 17th June

Devon Carpet (3); Northern Eggar, Fox Moth, Red Twin-spot Carpet; Roeburndale (J Girdley, P Marsh)

#### 16th June

Dark Tussock larva; Ainsdale (P Smith)

*Euzophera pinguis*; Liverpool (J Clews)

Obscure Wainscot; Gregson Lane (G Dixon)

Peach Blossom; Fazakerley (L Ward)

Shore Wainscot; Formby (T Davenport)

Eyed Hawk Moth, Elephant Hawk Moth; Charnock Richard (K Lawson)

Lime Hawk-moth, Green Pug, Lime-speck Pug, Chinese Character; Carnforth (D Bennett)

Least Minor, *Scythris fallacella*; Warton Crag (S Palmer)

Wood Tiger (2), Grass Wave (60+), Smoky Wave (15+); Cockerham Moss (S Palmer)

Goat Moth - two empty pupal; Freshfield (G Jones)

Double Dart; Heysham (J Girdley)

#### 15th June

Obscure Wainscot; Heysham (P Marsh)

*Donacaula mucronellus*; Leighton Moss (J Beattie)

#### 14th June

Clouded Buff; Longridge (D Lambert)

Puss Moth; Ainsdale (S Halliwell)

Valerian Pug, Common Wainscot; Martin Mere (A Bunting)

#### 13th June

*Ptycholoma lecheana*; Dolphinholme (N Rogers)

#### 12th June

Fox Moth, Small Elephant Hawk, Drinker; St Annes (G Jones, A Heslop)

Grass Rivulet; St Annes (G Jones, A Smith)

Riband Wave, Small Rivulet, Clouded Border; Martin Mere (A Bunting)

Rush Veneer, Pale Prominent, Treble Lines; Sunderland (J Girdley)

Poplar Kitten; Crosby (J Donnelly)

#### 11th June

Broom Moth; Hale (C Cockbain)

#### 8th June

Common Footman; Rindle Wood (I Walker)

Magpie Moth bred ex larva; Rochdale (B Smart)

Silver Hook, Shaded Pug (3); Middleton Industrial Estate (J Girdley)

Beautiful Snout (10+); Lord's Lot Wood (per P Marsh)

#### 7th June

*Endothenia nigricostana*; Martin Mere (A Bunting) very few recent records

Marsh Pug (14); Fleetwood (B Dyson)

Garden Tiger; Preston (S Palmer)

Sallow Kitten; Wilpshire (T & J Davie)

Grass Wave (2), Small Yellow Wave, *Lampronia luzella*, *Metendothenia atropunctana*; Cockerham Moss (S Palmer)

#### 6th June

Spindle Ermine larval webs and larvae completely defoliating Spindle bush; Larkhill Heath, Formby (P Smith)

#### 5th June

Uncertain, Pinion-streaked Snout; Rindle Wood (G Riley, I Walker)

Chimney Sweeper (350); Yarrow Valley (E Langrish, S Priestley)

Devon Carpet (3 on 3rd by BH) and 17 on 5th; White Moss (B Hancock, G Jones)

Little Emerald, Scorched Carpet, Green Arches, Oblique Carpet, Common Lutestring, Cream Wave, Shoulder-striped Wainscot, Dusky Brocade, Rivulet, Dot Moth, Lunar Thorn, Sloe Pug, Snout; Yealand Hall Allotments (B Hancock, G Jones, S Palmer, M Tordoff) - in all exactly 100 species.

Middle-barred Minor, Mottled Rustic, Dusky Brocade; Pennington (D Wilson)  
Oblique Carpet, Dog' Tooth; Preston (S Palmer)

White Colon, Shears; Crosby (J Donnelly)

Light Arches bred ex larva; Chorlton (B Smart)

#### 4th June

Silver Hook, Peppered Moth; Lower Burgh Meadows (E Langrish)

Netted Pug; Yealand Conyers (B Hancock)

Satin Beauty, Broken-barred Carpet; Martin Mere (A Bunting)

Alder Kitten; Gregson Lane (G Dixon)

Alder Moth; Briercliffe (T Lally) - **new to this well recorded garden**

Diamond-back Moth, Yellow Shell; Heysham (J Girdley)

Small Elephant Hawk Moth and Elephant Hawk Moth; Gait Barrows (C Barnes)

Freyer's Pug, Dark Arches; Pennington (D Wilson)

Cistus Forester (6); Warton Crag (R Miller and B Hancock on 7th June)

#### 3rd June

Eyed Hawk-moth; Treble Lines; Widnes (P Hillyer)

Alder Moth; Heysham (J Holding)

Birds Wing; Rindle Wood (I Walker)

Light Knot-grass, True-lover's Knot; moors north Lancs (J Girdley)

Marsh Pug male and female (observed ovipositing); Flixton (B Hancock, K McCabe)

*Coleophora striatipennella* bred from Common Mouse-ear; Chorlton (B Smart)

#### 2nd June

Beautiful Yellow Underwing (3), Mother Shipton (3), *Epinotia rubiginosana*, *Nemophora degeerella*, *Lampronia fuscata* (first in VC60 since 1887); Cockerham Moss (S Palmer)

Green Carpet; Preston (S Palmer)

Marsh Pug; St Annes (S Priestley, G Jones)

Silver Hook; Rixton (B Smart)

Eyed Hawk; Gregson Lane (G Dixon)

Gold Spot; Euxton (E Langrish)

Oblique Carpet; Middleton Industrial Estate (J Girdley)

Middle-barred Minor; Sunderland Point (J Girdley)

*Plutella porrectella*; Morecambe (J Girdley)  
Small Elephant Hawk-moth; Adlington (P Krischkiw) -

#### 1st June

White-spotted Pug; Gregson Lane (G Dixon)

#### 31st May

Grey Scalloped Bar; Yealand Conyers (B Hancock)

Figure of Eighty; Preston (S Palmer)

Brown Rustic; Rindle Wood (I Walker)

Broom Moth, Dark Brocade; Dolphinholme (N Rogers)

Least Black Arches; Euxton (E Langrish)

Six-spot Burnet (50+); Haslam Park (G Dixon)

#### 30th May

Silver Y (c20 on 2nd June); Euxton (E Langrish)

Chamomile Shark; Heysham (J Holding)

Wormwood Pug; Billinge (C Darbyshire)

*Enarmonia formosana*; Up Holland (C Darbyshire)

#### 29th May

Devon Carpet; Lord's Lot Wood (J Girdley)

Marbled Coronet; Sunderland (J Girdley)

Knot-grass; Dolphinholme (N Rogers)

Shaded Pug; Heysham (J Girdley)

Ash Pug; Silverdale (B Hancock)

#### 27th May

Ruddy Highflyer; Heysham (J Girdley)

#### 26th May

Slender Brindle; Flixton (K McCabe)