

Marine Conference from the Highland Environment Forum
Sea Lives, Our Lives : Routes to thriving seas and coastal communities

Where : MacPhail Centre, Ullapool High School

When : Monday 15th October

Book: <https://sealifeourlife.eventbrite.com>

Time	Subject	Speaker
9.30	Registration + Refreshments	
10.00	Welcome	Chair
10.10	Living Seas	Noel Hawkins, Scottish Wildlife Trust
10.30	Crown Estate Scotland : Working with coastal communities	Crown Estate Scotland
10.45	Cooperative working on the Clyde : What can be achieved	Clyde Marine Planning Partnership
11.00	Community involvement in marine surveys	Owen McGrath, Scottish Natural Heritage
11.15	Panel Discussion	
11.30	Comfort break	
11.45	Seabirds and Marine Plastics	Elizabeth Marsden, UHI Environmental Research Institute
12.00	Creel fishing: Working together to reduce entanglements	Ellie MacLennan, British Divers Marine Life Rescue
12.15	Ullapool Harbour Trust : Our place in the marine environment	Topher Dawson, Ullapool Harbour Trust
12.30	Oysters and seaweeds: Sustainable sea production	Ailsa McLellan, Ockran Oysters
12.45	Panel Discussion	
13.15	Lunch	
14.30	New insights into basking sharks	Suz Henderson, Scottish Natural Heritage
	Move to workshops	
15.00	Workshops focussing on future action. 1. Community involvement in marine surveys 2. Marine planning: how to do it 3. Marine environmental education: what's needed 4. Marine rubbish and pollution: planning future action	Owen McGrath, Scottish Natural Heritage Shona Turnbull, Highland Council Jenny Grant, Andy Summers, High Life Highland Rangers Noel Hawkins, Scottish Wildlife Trust Julien Moreau, Plastic@bay
15.45	Report back from workshops, emphasising ideas for future action	Workshop Leaders
16.15	Thanks and goodbye	Chair

