

Wyre Forest Study Group

Snow Flea *Boreus hyemalis* (L., 1767 Mecoptera: Boreidae) in Wyre Forest

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The map below shows Snow Flea records for Wyre updated with information from John and Denise Bingham for the 2015/16 season. Several teneral females were seen in early November showing the characteristic pale yellow colouration that fades around 24 hours after emergence. This season was good for recording with many new sites found, especially after the complete lack of records for the 2014/15 season despite several days

spent looking. No other reports from other woodlands have been received, despite several naturalists known to be looking following the talk given at the Worcestershire Entomology Day in November 2015. Perhaps our Wyre population is exceptional, but it is still early days to confirm this. Keep looking!

Thanks to Graham Hill and Andy Grubb for their help in creating the map.

