

International workshop on the conservation of Baer's Pochard



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The East Asian – Australasian Flyway Partnership's (EAAFP) Baer's Pochard Task Force (BPTF), Beijing Forestry University, Hengshui Municipal Government, Hengshui Hu Nature Reserve and Wildfowl & Wetlands Trust (WWT) are pleased to announce that an international workshop on the conservation of the Baer's Pochard will take place in Hengshui, Hebei province, China on 18th – 21st March 2018.

The goals of the workshop are to:

1. Review progress with implementation of the EAAFP / CMS Action Plan for Baer's Pochard
2. Discuss the development of priority projects for 2018-19
3. Identify new actions required for the conservation of Baer's Pochard

Following arrival in Beijing no later than the 17th March, the programme is as follows:

- 18th Meeting at Beijing Forestry University for all international experts, followed by travel to Hengshui city in the afternoon
- 19th Opening ceremony and workshop sessions
- 20th Half-day workshop session and half-day field excursion to Hengshui lake
- 21st Final workshop sessions and departure for Beijing

Further details will be sent to all invited delegates in early February. Please direct queries to either Prof. DING Changqing (cqding@bjfu.edu.cn) at Beijing Forestry University or Richard HEARN (Richard.Hearn@wwt.org.uk) at WWT. Further information will also be available on the BPTF web page: <http://www.eaaflyway.net/our-activities/task-forces/baers-pochard-task-force/>

