

RECORDING HIGHLIGHTS - PLANTS 2024



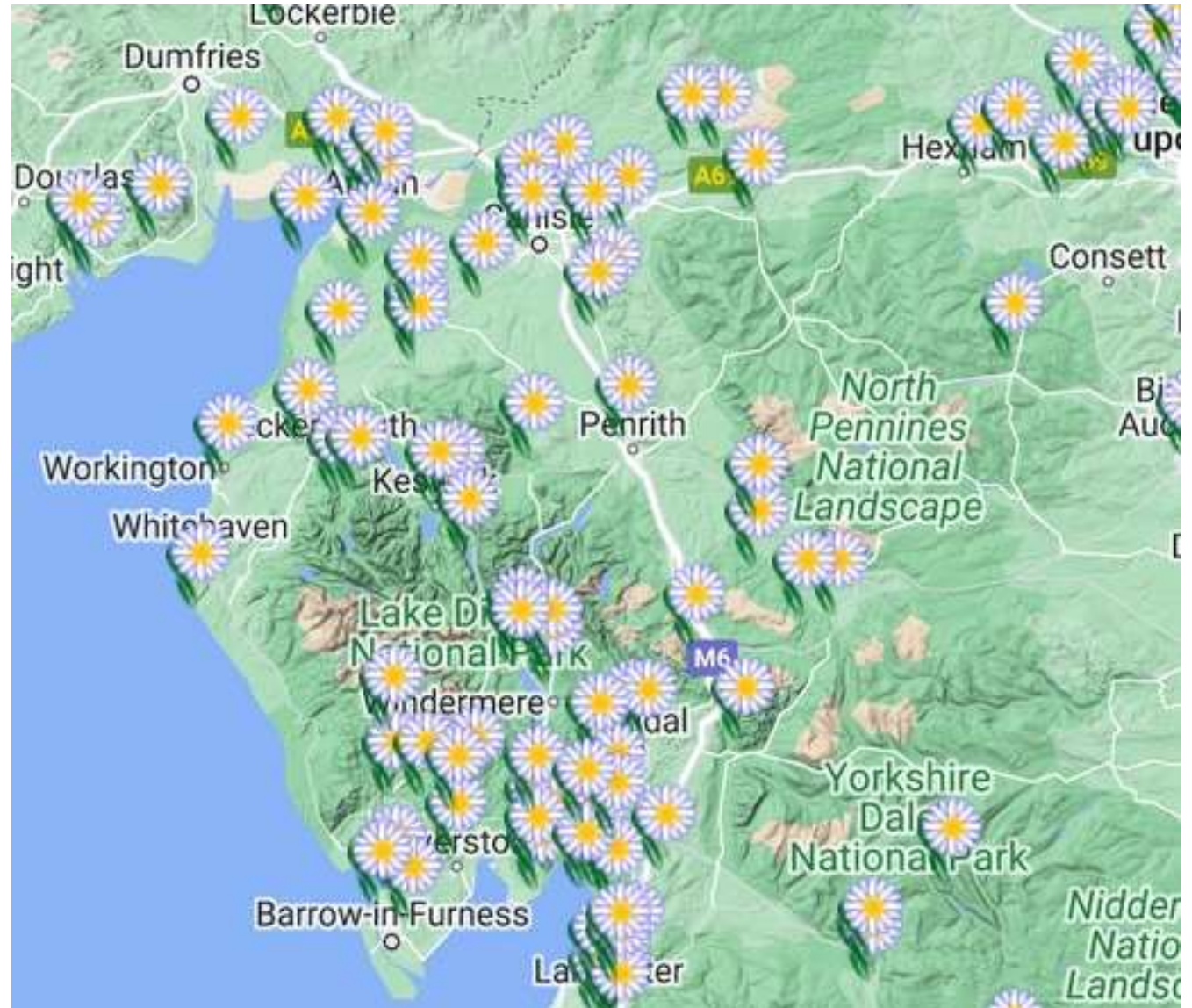
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NEW YEAR PLANT HUNT 2024/2025

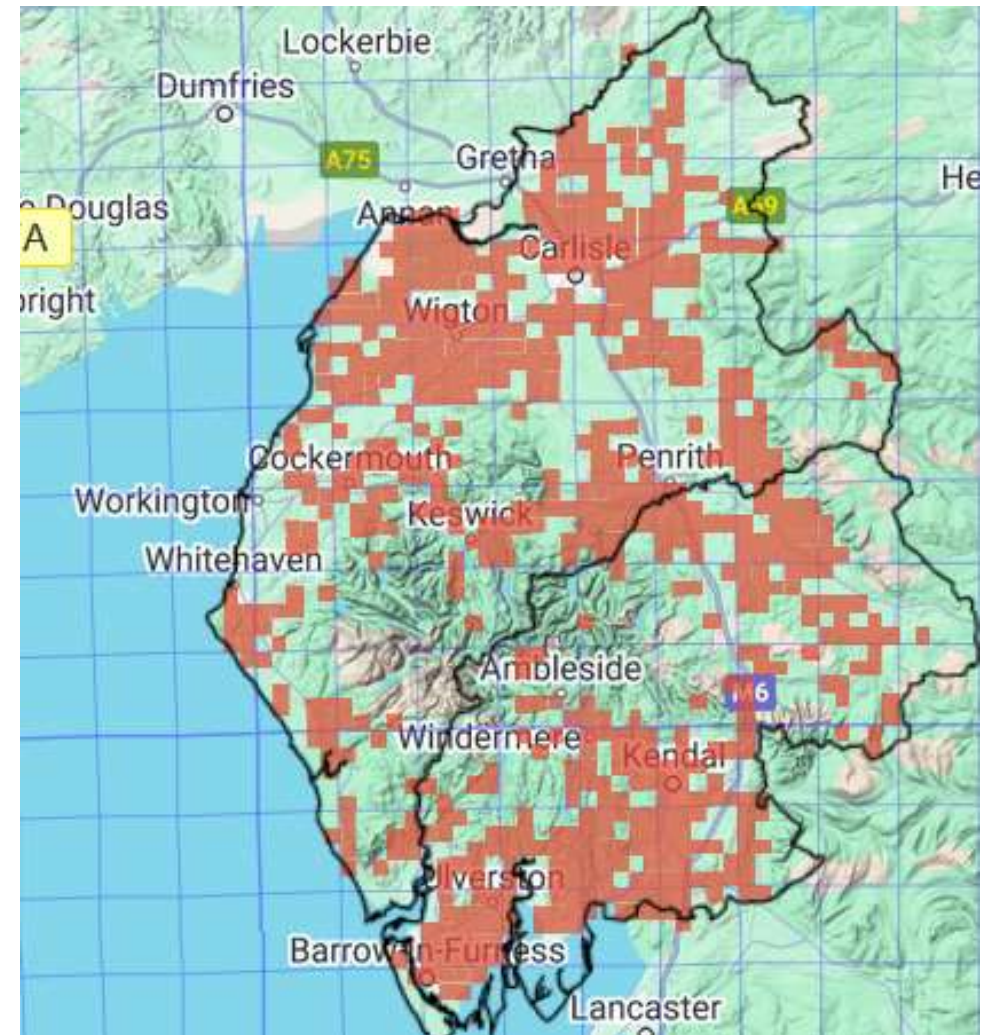
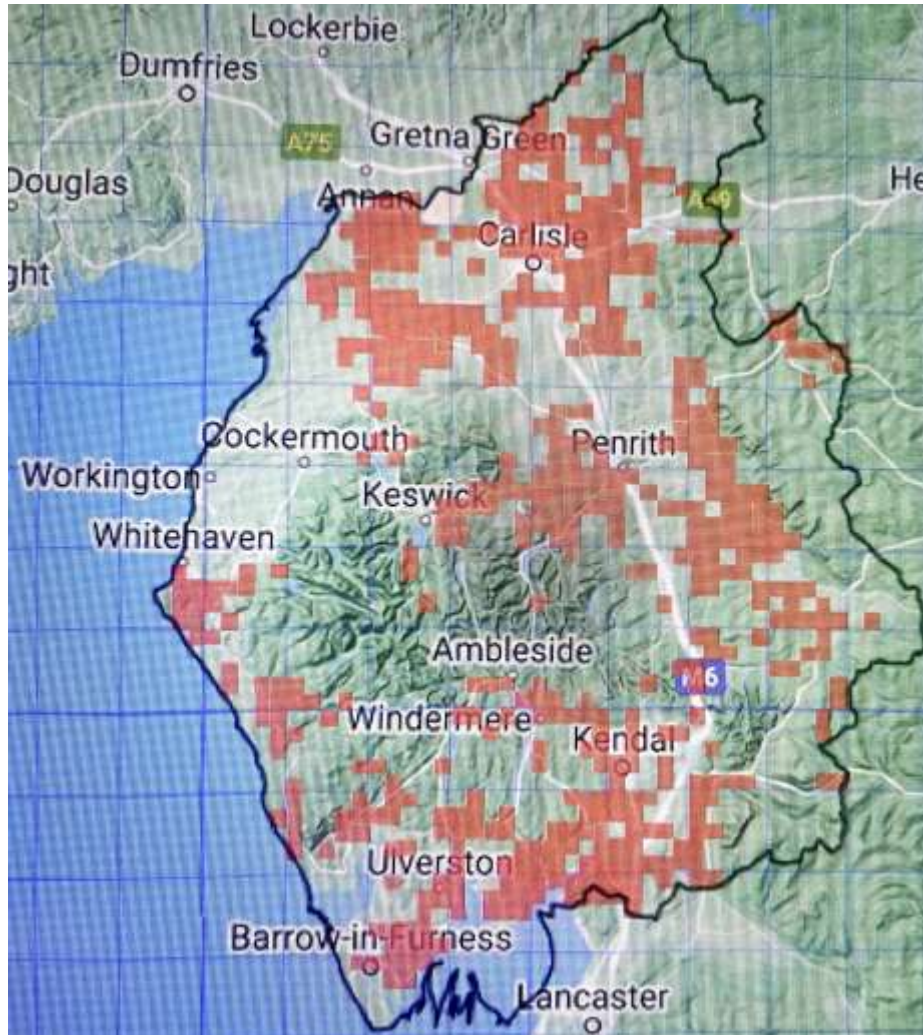
The BSBI New Year Plant Hunt covers the whole of Britain and Ireland and records plants **in flower in the wild – not planted in gardens** – at the turn of the year.

In Cumbria more people took part than in previous years (about 100) but the number of different species recorded this year (78) was lower than that of the best years.

The reason? Some very cold weather in November.



Galanthus (Snowdrops) 2020-2023 and 2020 to date



WGS84 lat/lng: 58.257,-7.831



North Sea

Edinburgh

United Kingdom

Isle of Man

Dublin

Ireland

Manchester

Birmingham

London

Amsterdam

Netherlands

Belgium

Luxembourg

Paris

Crepis praemorsa
(Leafless Hawk's-beard)

Discovered and identified by
Geoffrey Halliday in 1988 near
Orton (Westmorland).

New to Cumbria, Britain and
Western Europe



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Discovered by Gary Lawrence
in 2024 near Sunbiggin Tarn
(Westmorland)

Second site for Cumbria,
Britain and Western Europe.



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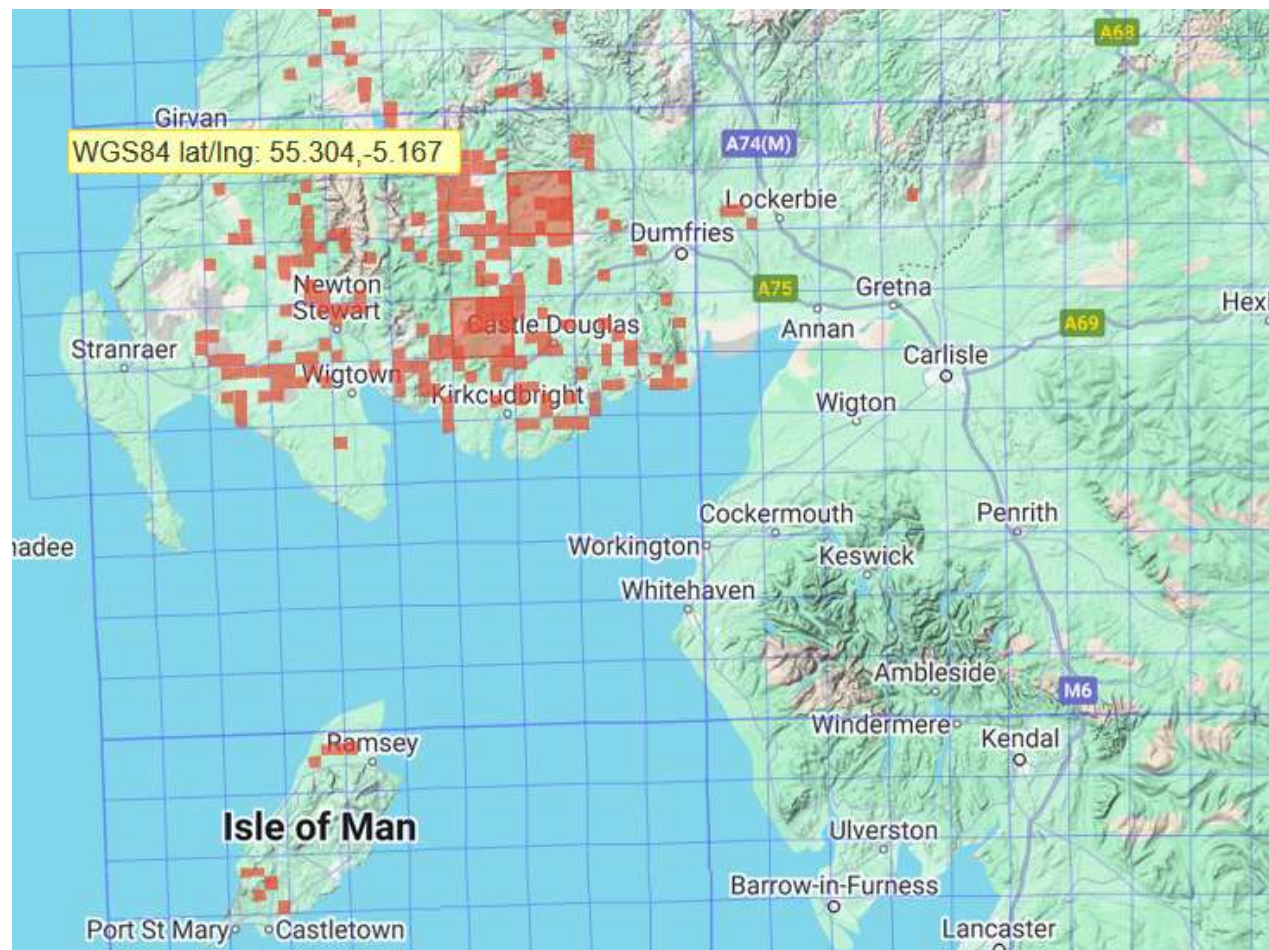
Flower heads



Boat-shaped leaves



Trocdaris verticillata (Whorled Caraway)



Trocdaris verticillata (Whorled Caraway) in Far
Easedale



Arctostaphylos uva-ursi (Bearberry) in
Teesdale



Carex atrata (Black Alpine-sedge) on Helvellyn



Veronica spicata (Spiked Speedwell) at
Humphrey Head



*Spiranthes
spiralis*
(Autumn
Lady's-
tresses) at
Wartbarrow





Anacamptis morio
(Green-winged
Orchid) at Kirkhead