

Practical Volunteer Programme

December 2023



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Volunteer support from DWT

Without our volunteers we wouldn't be able to do such amazing things!

Please don't forget to;

- Keep your contact details up to date including changes of email address by emailing: volunteering@derbyshirewt.co.uk
- Read and fill in all the necessary documents that can be found on the Volunteer's Area of the website: <u>Volunteer's area | Derbyshire</u>



Your dedication means we can make amazing things happen!



Locations & Meeting Places

Full details of all reserves and maps at www.derbyshirewildlifetrust.org.uk

Ladybower Wood

Meet at the Ladybower Inn car park SK204865 on the A57.

Brockholes Wood

SK 07179966

What3words: vocals. Alerting.amps

Overdale

SK 1834 8062

S33 9HZ

Access by foot only from Abney and Brough.

Chee Dale:

Limestone dales, crags and riverside woodland SSSI Meet at Millers Dale station car park PostcodeSK17 8SN

Priestcliffe Lees

SK140733. Meet at Millers Dale station car park Left turn on B6049 after railway bridge. Postcode SK17 8SN.

Hoe Grange Quarry

Near Haven Hoe Farm, Longcliffe, Brassington, DE4 4HX

Witch's Oak Water

SK436295 Access to the site is via the Shardlow gravel pit slip road from the A50 (sign says quarry traffic only). Turn left and drive under the A50, park behind concrete blocks.

Willington Wetlands

46ha of ex gravel workings with a full range of wetland habitats, home to the DWT beaver release project. Limited parking on Meadow Lane off Repton Road DE65 6BX.

Derwent Meadows

Derwent Meadows is situated along Fernhook Avenue, Derby, DE21 7HW

Woodside

SK44954398

What3words: fell.winter.like

Erewash Meadows

SK4465495

What3words: narrow.rainwater.narrow

<u>Oakerthorpe</u>

SK390553

What3words: rave. Causes.broom

Carr Vale

SK459701 Series of pools created by mining subsidence with many waterfowl. Park at the Peter Fidler DCC car park off A632 just outside Bolsover

The Avenue Washlands

SK386679 Access is off Mill Lane off the A61, just south of The Hunlocke Arms pub. Parking is available on site. S42 6NG.

The Avenue Country Park

SK388680 Access is off Hornbeam Drive off the A61. Parking is available at the visitors carpark S42 6FY.

Peak Village Rowsley

Main car park

(Matt 07736 308475)

Hollinhill and Markland Grips

1 mile East of Clowne, off the A616 Park in the layby

Mapperley Wood

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East of Mapperley Reservoir, on the southern edge of Shipley Country Park.

North Wingfield:

SK404643 Previously a railway siding with willow scrub and rough grassland. Near Clay Cross on A6175, park by church & walk down

Work parties start at 9.30am, don't forget your packed lunch!



Dark Peak

Leader **Date** Emily H Wednesday 6th Emily/Sam Tuesday 19th

NB: White Peak reserve swap

Leader

Site **Main Tasks** Hadfields Quarry Pond and grassland management

Millers Dale Station Scrub management

Trent Valley

Date <u>Site</u>

Henry /Vic Tuesday 5th Vic/Colin Sunday 10th

Leader

Main Tasks

Witches Oak Water Reedbed management Witches Oak Water Reedbed management

Erewash Valley

On hold until further notice-please contact Katie for any additional information

White Peak

Emily H Wednesday 6th NB: Dark Peak reserve swap

Date

Emily H Wednesday 13th Emily/Sam Tuesday 19th

NB: White Peak reserve swap

Site Main Tasks

Hadfields Quarry Pond and grassland management

Millers Dale Scrub management Chee Dale (Wormhill Slopes) Scrub management

Derwent Valley

Site Main Tasks <u>Leader</u> **Date** Amy B Thursday 7th Lea Wood Invasive species control in wood-

land

Meet at the bus stop in Lea Bridge

TBC Ian/Nick Sunday 17th Lea Wood

Please contact Ian on 07729 733 549 or Nick on 07570 225 051 to confirm your attendance. Please wear sturdy and supportive footwear.

09.30 - 14.30. Meet at the bus stop in Lea Bridge

TBC TBC Amy B Thursday 21st

North East Derbyshire

<u>Leader</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Site</u>	Main Tasks
Jenn Slade	Thursday 7th	Hollinhill and Marklands Grip	Scrub
Jenn Slade	Thursday 14th	Avenue Country Park	Scrub and tree guards
Sunday Group	Sunday 17th	Avenue Washlands	Bee field

Although we appreciate many of you make your own travel arrangements to reserves, please try and let the team leader know you plan on attending, before the day. If you haven't been out with us for a while it's worth double checking the task is running as planned (e.g. the Trent Valley sites flood at short notice!) & where people are meeting.

Volunteer Christmas Celebration Event: 12th December for all volunteers! See invite coming round soon for more details

