

Practical Volunteer Programme

January 2024

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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	
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<u>Leader</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Main Tasks</u>
Emily/Sam	Tuesday 9th	Ladybower Wood	Boundary fence repair
Emily	Tuesday 16th	Ladybower Wood	Wall gaps and bird box clean
Emily	Tuesday 23rd	Long Clough	Fence repairs by Herods Clough
Emily	Tuesday 30th	Long Clough	Fence repairs by Herods Clough

White Peak

<u>Leader</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Main Tasks</u>	
Emily H clearing	Wednesday 10th	Priestcliffe Lees	Scrub management and footpath	
Meet at Millers Dale Station car park				
Emily H	Wednesday 17th	Cowdale	Scrub management	
Meet at layby in Cowdale village (What3Words///yachting.snipped.excellent)				
Emily H	Wednesday 24th	Chee Dale	Scrub management and footpath	

Note change of day to accommodate volunteer leader training course. Please meet at A6/Topley Pike layby.

Emily H	Wednesday 31st	Priestclifffe Lees	Scrub management and gate re-
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Meet at Millers Dale Station car park

Derwent Valley

<u>Leader</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Site</u>	Main Tasks	
Amy B	Thursday 11th	Gang Mine	Scrub management	
Please confirm attendance. Brush cutter operators to bring saftey footwear. Parking available along Old Porter Lane				
Amy B	Thursday 18th	Hopton Quarry	Birch regen management	
Please confirm attendance. Parking in The Woodside cafe layby with lifts to site. What3words: ///imply.pebbles.wisdom. Grid Reference:				
SK28226 57379. Steep, muddy incline to access site.				
lan/Nick	Sunday 21st	Lea Wood	TBC	
Please contact Ian on 07729 733 549 or Nick on 07570 225 051 to confirm your attendance. Please wear sturdy and supportive footwear.				

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Please confirm attendance. Brush cutter operators to bring saftey footwear/PPE. Residential parking available along Chadwick Nick Lane

Trent Valley

<u>Leader</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Site</u>	Main Tasks
Henry/Simon Henry/Simon	Tuesday 9th Wednesday 10th	Witches Oak Water Witches Oak Water	Hedge laying training Hedge laying training
Colin	Sunday 14th	Witches Oak Water	Reedbed management tbc
Henry	Tuesday 16th	Golden Brook	Scrub/wetland management
Christine	Sunday 19th	Golden Brook	Scrub/wetland management
Henry	Tuesday 23rd	Drakelow	Spit
Henry/Simon	Tuesday 30th	Witches Oak Water	Hedge laying training

Erewash Valley

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

North East Derbyshire

<u>Leader</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Site</u>	Main Tasks
Jenn Slade	Thursday 4th	Avenue Country Park	Scrub and shingle management
Jenn Slade	Thursday 11th	Avenue Washlands	Islands
Jenn Slade	Thursday 18th	Carr Vale	Scrub
Jenn Slade	Thursday 25th	North Wingfield	Scrub
Jenn Slade	Sunday 28th	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.

