

Who?

Join a group of enthusiastic volunteers working with the Wildlife Trust to conserve and protect wildlife in Bedfordshire.

Why?

As a registered charity, volunteers are a vital resource for us, helping us carry out much-needed work. Also, you can get fit, meet new people and help conserve wildlife all in the same day!

When?

Every Tuesday, meeting at 9.00 a.m. at the Wildlife Trust office, Priory Country Park, Bedford, (or on site at 10.00 a.m. - see details overleaf), returning to Priory by 5.00 p.m.

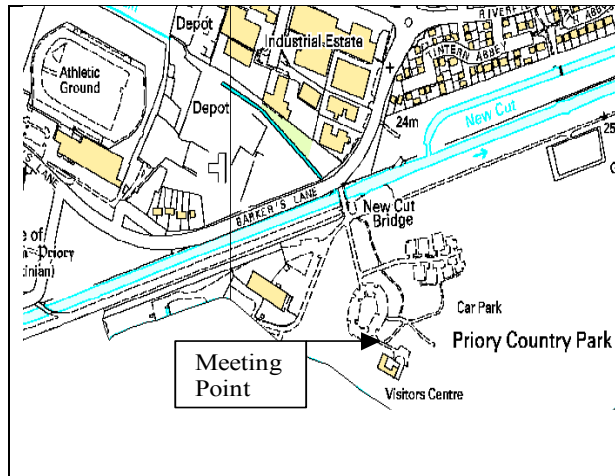
Where?

We will be working on a range of nature reserves across Bedfordshire, including woodlands, wetlands, grasslands and other sites of interest.

www.wildlifebcn.org
Registered Charity No. 1000412

No previous experience needed!

We will give you all the training and instruction you will need. Tools and gloves are provided, along with hot drinks and even a biscuit, or two! All you have to do is come along with outdoor clothing and stout footwear (or wellies) and waterproofs. Remember to bring a packed lunch.



So how do I get involved?

Contact: The Wildlife Trust, Priory Country Park, Barkers Lane, Bedford MK41 9DJ
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Midweek Wildlife Team Bedford October - December 2019



Protecting **Wildlife** Close to Home

October 2019

1st SALLOWSPRINGS

Vegetation cutting, raking and stacking. Meet at Chute Farm, Whipnade, via the Dunstable Downs visitor centre car park access road.

8th FELMERSHAM GRAVEL PITS

Grassland management. Meet in the nature reserve car park on the road between Sharnbrook and Felmersham.

15th SHARNBROOK SUMMIT

Scrub management. Meet in Forty Foot Lane, Souldrop, at the junction that leads to Blackmere Farm.

22nd COTTAGE BOTTOM FIELD

Scrub management. Meet at the junction of Southwood Road and Jardine Way, Dunstable.

29th DROPSHORT MARSH

Cutting and raking. Meet at the reserve entrance on the B5120, Toddington - Houghton Regis road.

November 2019

5th OLD WARDEN TUNNEL

Scrub and grassland management. Meet where the Greensand Ridge Walk crosses the road between Cardington and Old Warden.

12th TOTTERNHOE QUARRY

Scrub management in and around the quarry complex. Meet at the end of Knolls View, Totternhoe.

19th FELMERSHAM GRAVEL PITS

Scrub management. Meet in the reserve car park on the road between Sharnbrook and Felmersham.

26th SEWELL CUTTING

Scrub and regrowth management on the slopes of the former railway. Meet at the end of French's Avenue, Dunstable.

PLEASE NOTE:

In certain circumstances, it is possible that the venue for any of the above tasks can change at short notice. Please check with the task leader before setting off.

December 2019

3rd BLOW'S DOWNS

Scrub management. Meet at either the end of Half Moon Lane, or the Jeans Way entrance, Dunstable.

10th OLD WARDEN TUNNEL

A return to the slopes of the former railway cutting. Meet where the Greensand Ridge Walk crosses the Cardington - Old Warden road.

17th TOTTERNHOE QUARRY

Our traditional festive scrub management task. Meet at the end of Knolls View, Totternhoe.

24th NO TASK TODAY!

Unfortunately, there is no task this week.

31st NO TASK TODAY EITHER!

Unfortunately, there is no task this week either. Thank you for your help in 2019 and see you next year.