



Herefordshire
Wildlife Trust

Conservation Volunteer Programme April – June 2025

Herefordshire Wildlife Trust manages 60 nature reserves across the county. Our volunteers are an invaluable asset, assisting us in carrying out many conservation tasks on our reserves, maintaining them as valuable sites for wildlife.

The Trust has a range of groups that operate throughout the month with varied tasks, so for a fun and interesting day in the beautiful countryside, come along and join the team at HWT.

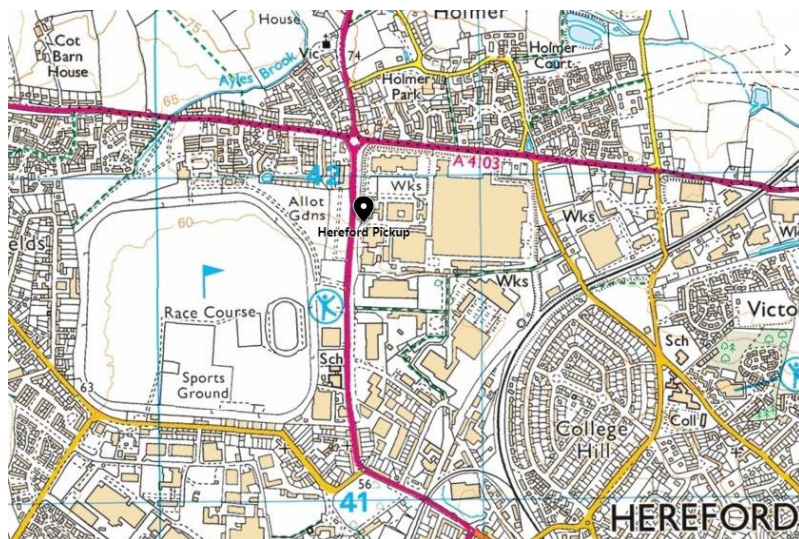
New Volunteers

If you are not already a registered volunteer, please contact Lesley Hack on 07940 462 285 or l.hack@herefordshirewt.co.uk to arrange an induction with one of our reserves staff to welcome you in to one of our teams.

Practicalities

- Come prepared for work outdoors.
- Wear sturdy footwear, old clothes and additional gear for the elements e.g. waterproofs, sun hat etc.
- Bring the correct PPE if you are qualified to use certain machinery.
- Bring a packed lunch, water, tea, coffee etc.
- Bring antihistamines and any additional medication that you may need. Please make this aware to your leading Reserve Officer.
- Please do not hesitate to get in touch with the reserves staff to find out extra information or to make arrangements to join us.

Note: Our Hereford Pickup for Midweek Groups only – Outside Hereford Group Training Association, Holmer Road at 9am, leaving QW at 8:45am



Woolhope Dome Group
2nd Tuesday each month
Meet on site for 9:30am
Contact Pete for info.

Birches Farm Group
2nd Tuesday each month
Meet on site for 9.30am.
Contact Toby for info.

Sturts Group
3rd Friday each month
Meet on site for 10.30am.
Contact Toby for info.

Midweek Groups
Wed & Thurs each week
Pickup as below - 9.00am
Contact Pete for info.

Woolhope Dome Saturday Group
2nd Saturday each month
Meet on site for 9:30am
Contact Pete for info.

Ross Group
2nd Sunday each month
Meet on site for 9.30am.
Contact Pete for info.

Weobley Meadow Group
3rd Saturday each month
Meet on site for 10.30am
Contact Toby for info

Occasional Brilley Green Dingle Group
Contact Toby for info

Clifford Common Group
Contact Toby for info

Tretawdy Farm Group
Contact Pete for info

Lugg Meadows
Meet on site 10.00am
Contact David for info

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April				Lead
Wed				
Thurs				
Tues	8	Wessington	Clearing brash	Pete
Wed	9	Lugg Meadows	Planting meadow plants	David
Thur				
Sat	12	Lea and Pagets wood	Woodland work	Martin
Sun	13	Leeping Stocks	Fence repairs	Pete
Wed	16	Lugg Meadows	Planting Meadow plants	David
Wed	16	Littley Coppice	Clearing arisings	Pete
Thurs	17	Littley Coppice	Clearing arisings	Pete
Fri				
Sat				
Wed				
Thurs				

May				Lead
Thurs	1			
Fri	2			
Sat	3			
Sun	4			
Mon	5			
Tues	6			
Wed	7			
Thur	8			
Fri	9			
Sat	10			
Sun	11			
Mon	12			
Tues	13	Queenswood	Fencing yard prep (open to up to three vols – pref at least one chainsaw qualified) No minibus collection	Rosie
Wed	14	Queenswood	Fencing yard prep (open to up to three vols – pref at least one chainsaw qualified) No minibus collection	Rosie
Wed	14	Crow Wood	Bracken Pulling/Fallen tree removal	Luke
Thurs	15	Crow Wood	Bracken pulling/ Closing footpath	Luke
Thurs	15	Bodenham Lake	Clean up buildings and compound (open to 3 vols) No minibus collection	Rosie
Fri	16			
Sat	17			
Sun	18			
Mon	19	Queenswood	Clearing up firs down in arboretum (up to 4 vols) no minibus collection	Rosie

Tues	20	Queenswood	Clearing up firs down in arboretum (up to 4 vols) no minibus collection	Rosie
Wed	21	Queenswood	Coppicing clear up session (open to 10 vols) no minibus collection	Rosie
Thurs	22	Nupend	Check repair deer fencing	Pete
Fri	23	Queenswood	Coppicing clear up session (open to 10 vols) no minibus collection	Rosie
sat	24	Lea and Pagets	Putting up Deer Fencing	Martin
Sun	25	Leeping Stocks	Move cordwood paths and bracken	Pete
Mon	26			
Tues	27			
Wed	28	Wessington	Ragwort control	Pete
Wed	28	Bodenham Lake	Baslm pulling (open to 8 vols) no minibus collection	Rosie
Thurs	29	Wessington	Ragwort control	Pete
Fri	30	Bodenham Lake	Balsm pulling (open to 8 vols) No minibus collection	Rosie
Sat	31			

June				Lead
Wed	4			
Wed	4	Bodenham	Dock and thistle removal	Rosie
Thurs	5			
Sat		Lea and pagets	Putting up Deer Fencing	Martin
Sun	8	Doward	Paths and bracken cutting	Pete
Mon	9	Queenswood	Coppicing tidy up	Rosie
Tues	10	Wessington	Weed control...ragwort	Pete
Wed	11	Ail Meadow	Docks and ragwort	Pete
Thurs	12	Nupend	Paths and fencing	Pete
Fri				
Sat				
Mon	16	Queenswood	Coppicing Tidy up	Rosie
Fri	20	Queenswood	Windblown tree tidy up	Rosie
Mon	23	Queenswood	Coppicing tidy up	Rosie
Wed	25	Bodenham	Building tidy up	Rosie
Thurs	26	Bodenham	Balsm Bashing	Rosie
Fri	27	Bodenham	Balsm Bashing	Rosie
Mon	30	Queenswood	Coppicing tidy up	Rosie