

Canal Volunteer Days



Why not join our growing army of Conservation Volunteers. Come along, join in and get some fresh air and exercise whilst taking part in some practical habitat management.

Tasks are varied and all tools are provided. No special skills are needed – just bring along lunch and suitable outdoor clothing.

Held on the second Sunday of the month from November to March, 10am – 4pm:

Sunday 8th January 2017
Sunday 12th February 2017
Sunday 12th March 2017

Sunday 12th November 2017
Sunday 10th December 2017

We also have opportunities for mid week volunteering and work experience placements.

For more information please contact the Ranger Service on 01884 254072 or email gwcanal@devon.gov.uk

Event Information

- All children should be accompanied by an adult
- Please wear suitable outdoor clothing and footwear
- Sorry no dogs
- Events are free unless otherwise stated.
- There is a car parking charge for the Canal Basin Car Park of £1.50 for 2 hours and £3.00 for all day. Charges apply from dawn until dusk.

Contact Information

For more information and to book onto an event please contact:

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Grand Western Canal



Events 2017

MAY

Guided Walk

Wednesday 10th May
10:15am – 12noon

Tiverton Road Bridge Car Park

Join Rangers for a walk along the canal and surrounding area. Part of Tiverton Walk & Talk.



Fun on the Water Day

Saturday 13th May
11am – 3pm

Grand Western Canal Basin,
Canal Hill, Tiverton EX16 4HX

Free guided taster sessions

Strand-up paddle boarding (Rob Mc Paddling)

Model boating (Exeter & District Model Boat Club)

Pond-dipping with the Canal Rangers

Plus half-price 30 minute rowing boat and

Canadian canoe hire sessions

(courtesy of the Tiverton Canal Co.)



JUNE

Guided Walk

Wednesday 28th June
10:15am – 12noon

Holcombe Rogus

Join Rangers for a walk along the canal and surrounding area.

JULY

Bat Walk

Friday 21st July
9pm - Late

Enjoy a twilight walk with Rangers at the Canal and discover what our night time residents are up to.

BOOKING ESSENTIAL

Cost: £3 per adult £2 per child

Please bring a torch if you have one.

AUGUST

Wild Wednesdays

Rangers will be running a series of children's activities throughout the Summer holidays.

2-4pm

BOOKING ESSENTIAL

Wednesday 2nd August -

Bird box making

Cost: £3 per person.

Wednesday 9th August -

Pond dipping and minibeast hunt

Wednesday 16th August -

Forest crafts

Wednesday 23rd August -

Pond dipping and minibeast hunt

Wednesday 30 August -

Insect homes

Cost: £3 per person.

SEPTEMBER

Guided Walk

Wednesday 6th September
10:15am – 12noon

Location – TBC

Join Rangers for a walk along the canal and surrounding area. Part of Tiverton Walk & Talk.

Bat Walk

Friday 8th September
9:00pm - Late

Join Rangers on a bat walk to find out more about these mysterious creatures.

BOOKING ESSENTIAL

Cost: £3 per adult £2 per child

Please bring a torch if you have one.

OCTOBER

Have A Go At Pike Fishing

October Half Term

Details to be confirmed

DECEMBER



Christmas Wreath and Natural Decoration Workshop

Sunday 3rd December
11am – 3pm

Grand Western Canal Basin,
Canal Hill, Tiverton EX16 4HX

BOOKING ESSENTIAL

Cost: £3 per adult £2 per child