



## Volunteer for nature conservation in Sussex

Sussex Wildlife Trust is the largest nature conservation charity in Sussex and dedicated to conserving local wildlife and natural spaces.

If you are looking to get a team of volunteers out with Sussex Wildlife Trust, your team can now work on a variety of over 30 naturally beautiful Wildlife Trust nature reserves across Sussex at discounted rates.

From working in woodlands to improving habitats for wildlife, Sussex Wildlife Trust takes volunteers out for a whole day, where teams learn more about local conservation work whilst getting some healthy exercise.

**Groups of up to 15 volunteers can register their interest with Anne Weinhold, [anneweinhold@sussexwt.org.uk](mailto:anneweinhold@sussexwt.org.uk) 01273 497 522 who will recommend the best sites and coordinate dates with the nature reserve teams.**

Cost per Manor Royal business volunteer per day is a reduced £40 (usually £45) that covers the reserve officer's time, site and equipment preparation and health & safety.

## Sussex Wildlife Trust membership

Manor Royal businesses can also benefit from an exclusive discounted membership offer with Sussex Wildlife Trust. The Trust has over 30,000 members and regularly features business news in its magazine, newsletters and social media.

Your membership and volunteer days with us also contribute towards your ISO 14001 accreditation, whilst creating a richer environment that enables nature, people and the local economy to thrive.

Find out more on:

[www.sussexwildlifetrust.org.uk/  
manorroyal](http://www.sussexwildlifetrust.org.uk/manorroyal)

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For more information on Manor Royal BID

[www.manorroyal.org](http://www.manorroyal.org)

To offer ideas and feedback on the  
volunteering programme

**Email: [sam@manorroyal.org](mailto:sam@manorroyal.org)**

**Call: 01293 519415**

# Manor Royal BID Volunteering Programme

Manor Royal BID working in partnership with Sussex Wildlife Trust

*Be part of it!*



**Sussex**  
Wildlife Trust



## Introduction

Over the past two years Manor Royal BID (Business Improvement District), the largest business park in Sussex, has worked closely with Sussex Wildlife Trust, at the award winning, Crawter's Brook People's Park.

Thanks to the direct support from business volunteers our working partnership has helped to transform this once neglected, under-valued patch of land into a unique haven for wildlife and people in the heart of a lively business district. The People's Park has become a relaxing space to spend lunchbreaks outdoors, take walks to meetings, and spot returning wildlife to the area. Business commitment and attachment to the park is growing and interest in volunteering has increased.

The BID has funded volunteering days for Manor Royal businesses to tackle a range of essential tasks to care for and maintain the park. Sussex Wildlife Trust and Gatwick Greenspace have been instrumental in leading these volunteering days.

Sussex Wildlife Trust's partnership with the Manor Royal BID continues to flourish, and Manor Royal companies can now benefit from: a dedicated programme of free volunteering at Crawter's Brook; discounted volunteering on Sussex nature reserves; and an exclusive annual membership package to support the Trust's nature conservation work across East and West Sussex.

## Volunteering at Crawter's Brook

All the volunteering sessions will be run by Gatwick Greenspace, a Sussex Wildlife Trust project. We can take up to 15 volunteers for the below dates. Confirmation is on a first come, first served basis.



**BID Volunteering days are on a FRIDAY.**

**3rd June**  
**1st, 15th, 29th July**  
**12th, 26th August**  
**9th September**

➤ **FREE to Manor Royal Businesses**

This volunteering opportunity has been made possible by the Manor Royal BID. Your company's volunteering sessions contribute towards an ISO 14001 accreditation.



## Book your place now!

Choose your preferred date. Tell us how many employees you would like to book and whether you would like a 'Team Building' exclusive date, or whether you would be happy to volunteer alongside neighbouring businesses. Activities include a range of tasks depending on seasonal need, including clearance of the invasive plant Himalayan Balsam and general maintenance.

**Call Anne Weinhold on 01273 497 522 (Wed-Fri) or email [anneweinhold@sussexwt.org.uk](mailto:anneweinhold@sussexwt.org.uk)**

**For more information**  
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## Want to do more for wildlife?

**Come along to our Wildlife Recording Day at Crawter's Brook on Friday 24th June.**

We need to know what wild plants and animals are found at Crawter's Brook to ensure that the work we do benefits both wildlife and people. Arrange to join our experts at Gatwick Greenspace Partnership and bring a team out for an hour to see how many species we can find and record. We are booking hour long slots for Manor Royal businesses.

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Time	Recording	Max Places
7am - 8am	Birds	6
8am - 9am	Mammals	10
9.30am - 10.30am	Moths	15
11.30am - 12.30pm	Butterflies	15
13.00 - 14.00	Trees & wild flowers	20

**Please contact Tom Forward to book your team in for one or more of the slots, and receive details about what's involved. Email: [tomforward@sussexwt.org.uk](mailto:tomforward@sussexwt.org.uk) Call: 0771 375 254**

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