



We are the Woodland Trust. We stand up for trees.

The views. The landscape. The open space. Tring Park is a beautiful setting to connect with woods and trees and to discover the work of the Woodland Trust. We want you to join us in helping to protect, create and restore UK woodlands, and we're keen to have your support in shaping the future of Tring Park.

With a vibrant and intriguing past; Tring Park is a perfect place for visitors to learn about UK woodland, protected grassland and Victorian history all rolled into one.

Our work so far

- Working hard to protect the rare chalk grassland SSSI and ancient woodland areas in the park.
- Creating Walter's Wander - a walking trail highlighting the history of the site - in conjunction with the Natural History Museum.
- Monitoring the use of the park and taking steps to relieve pressure in sensitive areas
- Expanding the landscape. In 2016, with the generous donations of the public, we bought 63 acres of land on the west side of Hastoe Lane, with the intention of buffering the ancient & valuable Stubbing's Wood,
- Volunteers felt the earth between their fingers, planting 13,500 trees on the extension land in early 2019. Further community planting days are planned for winter 2019/2020.

Looking to the future

We want to preserve and improve the natural beauty and tranquillity of Tring Park. We'd also like to improve access to the park, ensure visitors feel welcome and informed to explore, and to make sure we're telling the stories of this unique place in the best possible way.

Let's talk

- We're consulting with visitors, residents and stakeholders, exploring ways to build on our Woodland Trust welcome.
- We have listened and adapted, continuing to share plans and consider feedback until we submit a planning application in the summer.

Tree-top ambitions

- We'd like to remove physical and mental barriers to visiting e.g. the footbridge over the A41 and the steps from Hastoe Lane.
- Do you wheel your way to the woods? Or bounce along in a buggy? We want to give better access for all - everyone should be able to enjoy the great outdoors.
- We want the woods to be safe and welcoming. This means removing congestion and dangerous parking from Hastoe Lane.

Watch our plans take root

- We'd like a new car park on Dawes Field with space for 50 cars.
- We'll install bicycle racks for those arriving by pedal power.
- We'll create a ramp for access from Hastoe Lane, allowing easier access from the footpath.
- We'll protect the SSSI grassland by spreading visitors across the new and the old sites, increasing the number of entrances.
- We'll protect the magnificent view. Careful architect's plans will shield the car park from the ridgeway and blend any new infrastructure into the landscape.

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