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Guided Walks

Booking and payment in advance is essential for all walks - call 01746 781192. (Sorry no refunds). We are finding that the walks are very popular so please book early to avoid disappointment. Please wear walking boots and bring a packed lunch and drink. Meet at starting point at 9.15am for a 9.30am start.

Adults £4.50, Children £3.00, Members of Shropshires Great Outdoors FREE. Meet at Severn Valley Country Park unless otherwise stated. You can book onto walks up to two months in advance. If the walk is full, please leave your details with us on our reserve list and join our mailing list.

Monday 23rd July

Kinlet Hall and Park (13 miles) Please meet at Severn Valley Country Park in Alveley (WV15 6NG)). Join our ranger on this longer guided walk. Explore the parish of Kinlet, including Kinlet Hall and its parkland before returning to the Country Park through New England.

Tuesday 4th September 10am-4pm

Leaf Mining Moth Workshop

Leaf-mines are the eating patterns of small moth caterpillars as they eat their way through the insides of leaves and enable identification based on their patterns. Leaf-mining moth identification training course that will introduce leaf-mines to beginners with this group and also expand knowledge of more advanced surveyors. There will be some time spent outdoors looking for leaves during the course in the excellent habitat surrounding the visitor centre. £40 per person

For more details or to book.. please contact

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Maximum of 15 participants – booking essential. (This is the peak time of year for seeing leaf-mines created by micro-moths from this excellent nearby site – at least 20 species should be recorded and these will also be species not usually recorded in moth traps. You will need to pay car park fees for the site in addition)



Events at a glance 2018

July 2018

Fri 6th	Wild Toddlers
Fri 13th	Buggy Walks
Fri 20th	Wild Toddlers
Sat 21st Jul-Sun 2nd Sept	Self Led Trail
Mon. 23rd	Walk: Kinlet Hall & Park
Wed 25th	Sunny Sundials Drop In
Thurs 26th	Really Wild Thursday Pond Dip
Sat 28th	Severn Valley SUN-day

August 2018

Wed 1st	Slime Slime Slime
Thurs 2nd	Really Wild Thursdays Mini Beast Hunt
Thurs 2nd	Rock and Fossil Hunt
Sat 4th	Slime Slime Slime
Wed 8th	Marvellous Mask Making
Thurs 9th	Really Wild Thursday Pond Dip
Fri 10th	Much Ado About Nothing
Sat 11th	Marvellous Mask Making
Wed 15th	Beetle Bonanza
Thurs 16th	Really Wild Thursdays Mini Beast Hunt
Sat 18th	Meet the Beetles
Wed 22nd	Silly Sock Puppets
Thurs 23rd	Really Wild Thursday Pond Dip
Sat 25th	Silly Sock Puppets
Wed 29th	Krazy Kites
Thurs 30th	Really Wild Thursdays Mini Beast Hunt

September 2018

Sat 1st	Krazy Kites
Tues 4th	Leaf Moth Workshop

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Events

*July 2018 to
September 2018*



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Saturday 21st July - Sunday 2nd September

Self-Led Trail Throughout the summer, we will have an exciting self-led trail that is fun for all the family and a great way to explore the park! Trail maps (£3) available from the visitor centre 11am-4pm.

Saturday 28th July Severn Valley SUN-day

Join Pete Williamson (BBC Radio Shropshire Astronomer) to discover the magic of the Sun. An event for all the family! From 2pm-5pm call into the Visitor Centre to look closely at the sun through special scopes (FREE). While you're there why not have a go at making your own sundial to take home or a stomp rocket with Shropshire Astronomy Group. Then in the evening (7pm-8.30pm) there will be a talk by Pete Williamson on how the sun works and how to get into solar astronomy. Adult £3 Child £2 includes drink and biscuits.

Thurs 2nd August 1.30pm-3pm. Rock and Fossil Hunt

Join our rangers and local experts from 'Geologists in the Geopark' and try to find your own carboniferous fossil! This family friendly session starts at the visitor centre with a brief introduction to the fascinating geology of the park and what you might expect to find during the fossil hunt. The experts from 'Geologists in the Geopark' will be on hand to share their knowledge as you dig in to an exposed area of coal spoil to see what you can discover. Booking essential. Child £4, adult free. All children must be accompanied by an adult. Suitable for age 5 and upwards.

Rain or Shine Theatre Company present



Friday 10th August
7.30pm

Much Ado about Nothing
Outdoor theatre

Join us this summer, as we visit one of Shakespeare's best-loved comedies. From the dastardly Don John, to the daft Sergeant Dogberry, 'Much Ado

About Nothing' will bring you revellers, rascals and romance. Featuring the very best of the Bard's wit and wisdom, the fiery Beatrice gives Benedick, the bachelor, a battle of words to remember, and true love is at its sweetest as Claudio falls for his darling Hero. Adults £14, Concessions £12, Child £6.

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FREE EVENT

Wed 25th July & Sat 28th July 12pm-4pm (drop-in) **Sunny Sun-Dials**

Come along to this drop in session and have a go at making your own sundial! Decorate it with bright colours and use it in your garden at home or anywhere outside to amaze people with your ability to tell the time using the sun. If you can't make a Wednesday then come along on Saturday to our SUN-day where there will be another chance to make the craft as well as a chance to look through special scopes at the sun.

FREE EVENT

26th July & 9th August & 23rd August
Meet at 1.30pm

Really Wild Thursdays! Pond Dipping

Really Wild Thursdays are a super fun way to get kids exploring wildlife. Join us for pond dipping at Elfin Pool on our dipping platform, all equipment provided in this ranger led session. See if you can catch a slippery fish or a massive diving beetle – there is so much to discover! Meet at the visitor centre.

FREE EVENT

Wed 1st August & Sat 4th August
12pm-4pm (drop-in)

Slime, Slime, Slime! Make your own slippery slime! There is a lot of slimy fun going on at Severn Valley with this drop in. See how far you can stretch it and how sticky you can make it!

FREE EVENT

2nd Aug & 6th Aug & 30th Aug.
Meet at 1.30pm

Really Wild Thursdays! Mini Beast Hunting Really Wild Thursdays are a super fun way to get kids exploring wildlife. Join us for a mini beast safari and see which creepy crawlies you can find! Will it be a lovely ladybird, a slimy snail, or a beautiful butterfly? All equipment provided in this ranger led session. Meet at the visitor centre.

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FREE EVENT

Wed 8th Aug & Sat 11th August
12pm-4pm (drop-in)

Marvellous Mask Making Make your own marvellous mask - decorate it with beads, sequins, feathers and more! You could make your mask into an animal one or even a camouflage one. The possibilities are endless!

FREE EVENT

Wed 15th Aug 12pm-4pm (drop-in)
Beetle Bonanza

Come and make your own ladybird and beetle to take home with you! Create them from scratch and decorate them in any way you like – make them look realistic or out of this world!

FREE EVENT

Sat 18th August 12pm-4pm (drop-in)
Meet the Beetles

Come and meet models of ENORMOUS beneficial beetles – a dung beetle and a burying beetle who are champion recyclers, and a ground beetle who eats slugs. There will also be seven species of ladybird available for interview in this wildlife role-play session (see www.beetlesandbees.co.uk for more details). Fun for the whole family! There will also be a chance to make your own ladybird to take away with you. Suitable for age 6 and up.

FREE EVENT

Wed 22nd August & Sat 25th August
12pm-4pm (drop-in)

Silly Sock Puppets

Simple and fun – come and make your own sock puppet! Let your imagination run wild with your puppet creation and see what stories you can make with your new puppet friend!

FREE EVENT

Wed 29th August & Sat 1st Sept
12pm-4pm (drop-in)

Krazy Kites

Make your own kite to fly on a windy day! Decorate it and make it your own ready to soar through the sky!