

Wildlife to look for on Broadstreet Common

You won't find any Romans living here or even remains of their buildings as they have long gone!

But the common is rich in wildlife that you can easily discover and enjoy.

It is a semi-mature woodland of oak and birch trees with areas of grassland, plus hawthorn and blackthorn bushes.

In the summer visiting birds include chiff chaffs, blackcaps and whitethroats. Within the wooded areas there are magpies and jays, while in the open areas you may see a kestrel. Butterflies include meadow browns and gatekeepers, while as dusk falls in the summer months several species of bats are on the wing.



Why not invite some friends or family and try the walk together?



Top tip: Wear stout footwear when you go on a walk, and be aware parts of Broadstreet Common can get muddy during the winter months.

Look out for further self-guided walk leaflets covering other parts of this area. . .

Joining In! self-guided walks

This walk has been devised by the **Joining In!** project that supports community involvement in Westborough and Park Barn. It is managed by **Voluntary Action South West Surrey**. More details about **Joining In!** (that also operates in Bellfields and Slyfield and Ash and Tongham) at www.joiningin.org.uk
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How can I benefit from **Joining In!** ?



Joining In! helps local people by promoting things that they can get involved with in their community – from simply attending an event or joining a group, to volunteering their time to help others. In Westborough and Park Barn **Joining In!** successfully works with up to 70 local groups and organisations helping them to promote what they offer and helping them, if need be, to find volunteers. **Joining In!** also helps to organise local events such as fun days, community clear ups, swap shops, and now guided and self-guided walks. See website for details.



Did you know? Voluntary Action South West Surrey is a charity that supports voluntary, community and faith groups in Guildford and Waverley. We help find volunteers for hundreds of different local and national organisations. So whether you want to volunteer a few hours a month or for a day or two a week we will have something that is right for you. We also give advice to groups on funding and writing constitutions and policies and provide training and networking events. Our service Welcome to Volunteering supports anyone facing challenges getting into voluntary work. The Guildford Advice Centre is at 39 Castle Street, Guildford GU1 3UQ. For opening times or to make an appointment call 01483 565456 or visit our website www.voluntaryactionsws.org.uk

Joining In! self-guided walks No.2

IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF THE ROMANS



Use this leaflet to guide you on an enjoyable circular walk of discovery!



This guide also tells you more about Westborough and Park Barn's history

Distance: 3 miles

The walk described here starts and finishes at the Park Barn Social Centre and takes you to Broadstreet Common and the highest point in Westborough



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