



Membership Form

Data Protection Act - With your permission the data you supply below will be stored on a computer. Your privacy is important so your data will only be used to keep you informed about membership, visits, events, conservation and volunteering work that is solely of interest to members of the Langdyke Countryside Trust.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU TICK THE BOXES BELOW.

If you do not opt-in for us to store your details we will be unable to send you information on any of the Trust's activities.

Name of member(s) including children

Address

Email

Date ____ / ____ / ____

I/we would like to join the Langdyke Countryside Trust. The suggested annual membership fee is

£24 per individual or £36 per joint family unit, but we do not insist on a minimum membership fee and would not want anyone to feel they can't join the Trust because it is unaffordable.

PLEASE TICK THE BOXES THAT APPLY

I agree to the Langdyke Countryside Trust storing my data for the purposes of keeping members up-to-date and informed about the Trust's activities.

I/we are happy to receive information from the Trust by

EMAIL POST

Please complete this form and return it with your payment to the Membership Secretary either by a cheque payable to the **LANGDYKE COUNTRYSIDE TRUST** or if you prefer to pay by bank transfer please send an email so we can send the LCT bank details direct to you.

Langdyke Countryside Trust Membership Secretary - Peter Leverington, 36 Peakirk Road, Glington, Peterborough, PE6 7LT.

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How to make a difference

If you share the Trust's vision and want to make a difference to your countryside please join the Trust and be part of an ambitious, positive approach to nature and cultural heritage in the local area.

Members of the Trust have the following benefits

- Free places for all the family at all Langdyke events and walks
- A free copy of the Trust's annual report
- Free permits for Etton Road – Maxey Pits (on request)
- Regular email updates about events and local nature sightings
- Opportunities to join one of the Trust's four geographic groups, who look after the reserves or be part of our Heritage and Archaeology Group – contact details are on the Trust website, see below.

And you'll have the satisfaction of being part of an exciting community project that will benefit our communities for many years to come.

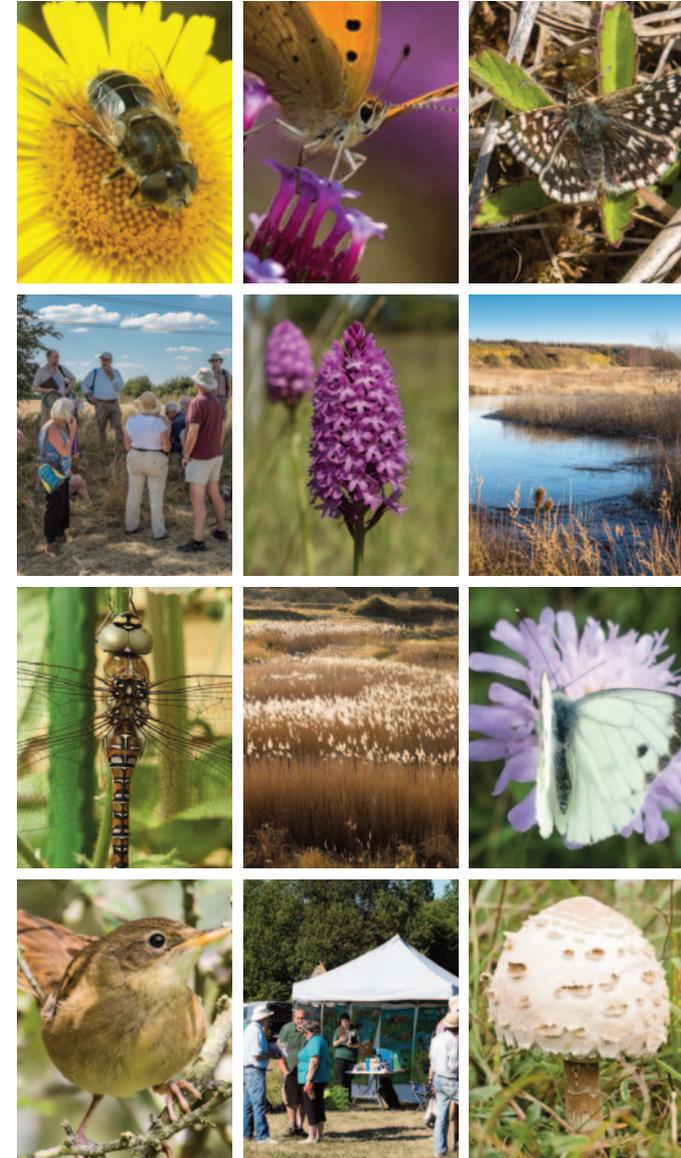
As a **voluntary organisation**, we depend on the financial contribution of our members to manage our reserves, buy tools, plant hedges, keep our sheep, insure our volunteers and produce our annual report.

Website: www.langdyke.org.uk

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The Langdyke Countryside Trust works to promote the conservation, protection and enhancement of the biodiversity, landscape, natural and cultural heritage of the rural areas north and west of Peterborough, for the benefit of local people, wildlife and visitors.

Founded in 1999, Langdyke now manages six nature reserves – a total of 180 acres of land – has more than 200 household members and its own flock of sheep! Over the years we have planted hedges and trees, restored wild flower meadows, built tern rafts, created ponds and an orchard. We organise weekly work-parties for members and monthly nature walks, regular talks and family days, helping people to understand, value and get involved with the natural and cultural heritage.

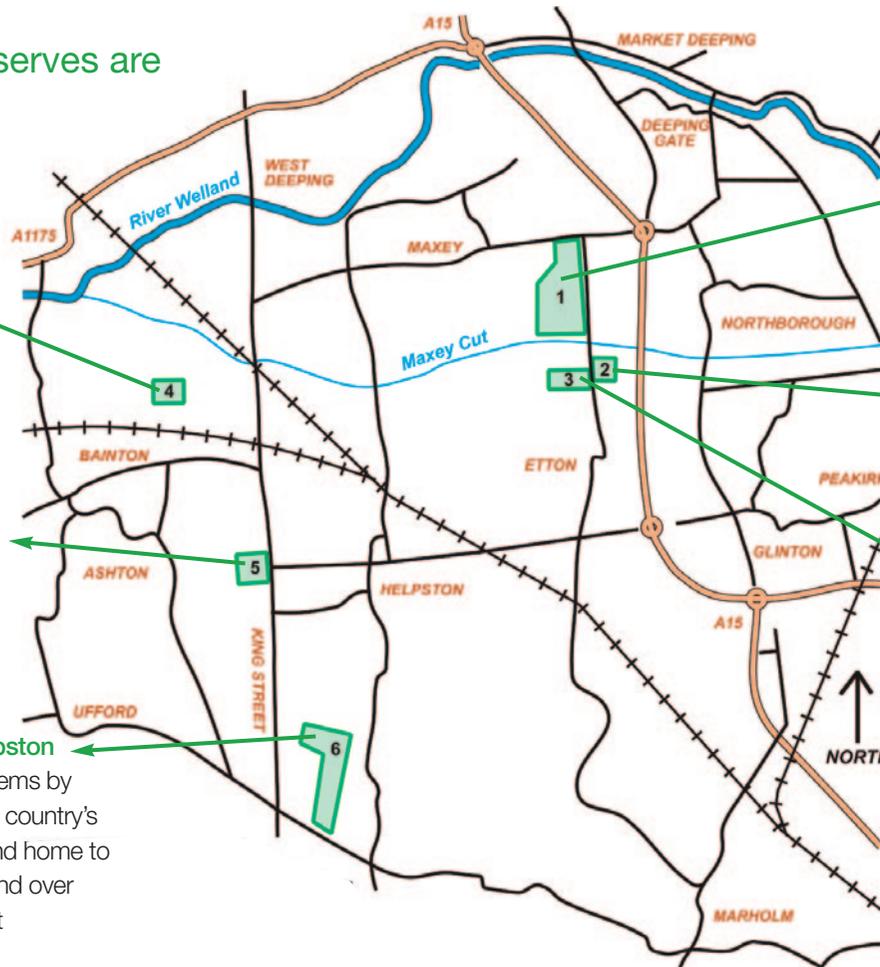
We are a purely voluntary organisation committed to making a difference to our local countryside.

Our nature reserves are

Bainton Heath, Bainton Home to nightingales and rare insects and flowers

Torpel Manor Field, near Helpston The site of a Norman manor house and a county wildlife site

Swaddywell Pit, Helpston The subject of two poems by John Clare, one of the country's first nature reserves and home to hundreds of orchids and over 1200 species of insect



Etton Maxey Pits A 90-acre wetland with breeding lapwing, redshank and winter ducks

Etton High Meadow A small paddock and barn with a community orchard and allotments

Vergette Wood-meadow Wet woodland and pasture for flowers, dragonflies and ducks

How to access the reserves: Details of access arrangements for our reserves can be found on our website at <http://langdyke.org.uk/> The Trust also works closely with Natural England and the Wildlife Trusts and helps manage the national nature reserves at Barnack Hills and Holes and Castor Hanglands.

Timeline

Medieval	1999	2003	2005	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2017	2018
The medieval court of Nassaburgh meets under the shade of the Langley Bush	Langdyke Countryside Trust founded by four residents of Helpston and Etton	First management agreement reached for Swaddywell Pit	Swaddywell Pit nature reserve officially opened	Torpel Manor Field nature reserve established Etton Maxey Pits nature reserve established	Torpel Manor Field entered into Higher Level Stewardship scheme	Heritage Lottery Fund grant for Torpel Manor Field research and visitor cabin Etton High Meadow nature reserve established	Bainton Pits nature reserve	Swaddywell and Etton Maxey enter into Higher Level Stewardship schemes	Visitor cabin opened at Torpel Manor Field	Langdyke South (Castor, Ailsworth, Sutton, Marholm) Group established	Langdyke Ermine Street (Barnack, Pilsgate, Ufford, Southorpe) Group established Vergette High Meadow nature reserve established