

Frog Lane Country Trail

Welcome to Frog Lane Country Trail. This trail was opened to the community in 2024. Along the footpath there are native hedgerows, natural ponds, a meandering stream, trees and woodland. This trail is a wonderful space for us all to get in touch with nature.

Welly Walk

This trail is a natural unsurfaced and uneven footpath, and it can get very muddy in parts especially at the Wetlands Area!

Wellington or walking boots are recommended, and please do take care whilst thoroughly enjoying your walk!



Sensory Walk

Have you tried out our new Sensory Walk? It allows you to use your senses to connect with your surroundings whilst you stay active.

Take the first letter from each animal you find when completing your brass rubbing, at the end it will make the name of an animal. (Hint: it is an amphibian and related to the name of this site!)

Scan the QR code on the wooden brass rubbing post and under 'Local Walking Routes & Maps' to download the route map for the Frog Lane Country Trail.

Wetlands and Hedgerow

The soil at the Wetlands is continuously saturated. The water retained in the soil provides a special ecosystem for wildlife and species, and is a great place for our newly planted hedgerows to grow and flourish.

We have planted British native species hedgerows including hawthorn, holly, spindleberry, field maple and alder buckthorn – enhancing biodiversity at the trail and providing habitat, food and shelter for our wildlife including bugs, insects, bees and butterflies.



Red Admiral butterfly feedir on Hawthorn blossom. Credit: R. Carr / Alamy

Farming Activity and Livestock Crossing

The route of the footpath runs alongside working farmland, and there are parts of the footpath where there may be livestock or farming machinery crossing. Please be aware of the areas indicated by this symbol on the map, and take additional care in these areas to ensure that the path is clear and it is safe for you to proceed.

The trail is suitable for walking your dog, but we do ask that you please keep your dog on a lead at all times. Please act responsibly with extra special consideration for the farm animals in the adjoining fields and nearby farmland.

Water safety

Open water can be very dangerous, whatever the time of year. If you see someone in difficulty in the water, call 999 or 112 and ask for the fire service.



Scan the QR code with a mobile phone camera to read lots of water safety advice on the West Midlands Fire Service website.

For more information, visit: www.wmfs.net/safety/water-safety/



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This trail is for the community and we are keen to keep it clean and welcoming. Please remember to put your litter and dog poo in the bins provided. If the bin is full, please take your rubbish home. Please note this is a permissive footpath and access has been granted by permission of Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council. This footpath has not been dedicated as a public right of way.

No fires or

BBQs

No camping or overnight stays





No motor vehicles

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No unauthorised traders



No swimming, bathing, wading or paddling

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