

Natural Heritage Project
Completion Report
31st Dec 2007

Work carried out

Gibbies Wood

Contractors: Stone Path Upgraded
Marsh Pond (Fowemer) dug out
Drainage Pipes from stone path to pond
Grading & Boarding of internal pathways & glades

Volunteers: Construct Log maze
Carve / Install Wooden Benches in glades
Create Habitat stacks & pipes
Plant Coppice Areas
Plant Native Mixed Tree Areas
Woodchip internal pathways
Maintenance work
Coppice Poplar Regeneration
Add recycled soil for wildflower strips & glades
Weave Willow Sculptures & Bird hide
Plant Wildflower Plugs / Bulbs
Plant pond flora
Crown lift pathways
Sow Wildflower / Grass glades
Design / Construct Carved Snake & Trim Trail with Toothill
Design / Construct Carved Grasshopper
Revetment of Snake & Grasshopper
Hay Rake
Create access pathway / Archways

Other

Volunteers: Design / Construct / Maintain 3D map
Design / Install New Trails Route
Design Trail Leaflets
Design / Install Interpretation Boards
Collect own stock sapling trees from within Park woodlands
Seed collection / propagation
Run Activity Days
Hazel / Willow / Dogwood Coppicing
Flora & Fauna Surveys
Design / Set up FORCP Website
Photographic Collection
Design / Create an Audio Visual DVD

Groups involved

Friends of Rushcliffe Country Park
Local Community / General Public
Volunteer Rangers
Work Experience
Experian Volunteer Group
Pupil Inclusion Centre
Youth Offending Service
Phoenix group
Farnborough Inclusion Group
Youth Worker & Young Person
South Notts Bird Ringing Group
Wildlife Watch Group
Toothill Secondary School
Kinoulton Primary School
St. Peters Primary School
Rushcliffe Resource Centre
Pelham Lodge
Summerwood Day Centre
Duke of Edinburgh Scheme
1st Ruddington Brownie Group
1st Lady Bay Beaver & Cub Group
1st Ruddington Guide Group
Ruddington Women's Institute
WBU3A 50+ Group
RCP Photographic Group
RCP Park after Dark Moth Trapping Group
RCP Mammal Trapping Group
Notts Bat Group

Equipment Purchased

Moth Trap
Generator
Digital Balance
Digital Camera & Accessories
Multi-card Reader
Spot Lamp Torch
Longworth Mammal Traps
Digital Calipers
Scissors
NHP Marker Posts

Workshops / Events

Grant Launch Event
Coppicing
Hedgelaying
Woodland Craft
Tree Planting
Wildflower & Bulb Planting
Photographic
Willow Coppicing
Willow Weaving
Guided Walks
Park after Dark Moth trapping
Park after Dark Bat Walk
Mammal Trapping Week
Flora & Fauna Identification
Toothill School Project – 5 Days
Seed Collection & Planting
Woodcarving
Bird Ringing
Kinoulton Primary School Activity Day
Family Volunteer Day
Hay Rake
Celebration of Grant Completion

New Members / Volunteers

1st Oct 2005 – 31st Dec 2007

FORCP Existing Members	55
FORCP New Members	35
Adult Volunteers	77
Adult Community Group	94
Young Children with Leaders	95
Special Needs	9
Local Schools	125
Youth Clubs / Organisations	99
Business Park Employees	4
CVS	1
Voluntary Rangers	14
Work Experience	17
Community Service	0