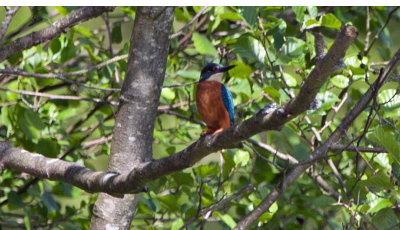


Worth Park

volunteering news

May 2014



Worth Park Spring watch!

The building of nests, hatching of chicks and first swimming triumphs of growing duckling families have been beautifully captured on camera and posted on our facebook page by our volunteers. Grebes, Russian geese and even a kingfisher have been filmed. Thanks to all our photographers and please keep posting updates!



We'd also like to hear your ideas for developing Worth Park Lake as a habitat for native species and encouraging more wildlife-friendly initiatives.

Archaeology mystery solved

Volunteer archaeologists have discovered the mysterious underground circular ring feature in the park near the bottom of the Italian Terrace is completely natural! It helps build a picture of the earlier days of the park before this section was levelled as part of Pullham's landscaping works.

Schoolgirl Memories

Former pupils from the days when the Victorian mansion was used as a school are gathering memories and helping to build a picture of what it was originally like. The Miltonian Guild's unique photographic archive has already been vital in helping us to plan the landscaping works and Ridley's restoration.

Volunteer Opportunities

Fishing and conservation. We'd like to hear your ideas for developing Worth Park Lake as a habitat for native species and encouraging more wildlife-friendly initiatives.

Cycling and heritage. We need help with the Worth Park Pootle on Saturday 21 June. Volunteers are already busy planning the route and it will be a great day out.

Do you play croquet? We need help with their new drop-in croquet course at starting 11 June for six weeks. This is in addition to the valuable work of Crawley Croquet Club to help people learn the game. If you can help, please get in touch or contact the club.

For more information about these and other volunteering opportunities please contact Edwina Livesey on 01293 438027 or by email on edwina.livesey@crawley.gov.uk

