

**BUSINESS
PARTNERSHIPS**

**Helping your business
and the community**



Corporate events, volunteering and giving

**Partner with us
Find your Wildside**

“Everyone had a really enjoyable day. It was good to step back and see the difference we had made.”



About Wildside

Wildside aims to get people outdoors for health, wellbeing and learning. Each year our canalside oasis in Wolverhampton hosts more than 7,000 visits from children, adults and families who develop their love for the outdoors through our environmental education and adventure based activities. We work very inclusively – all our activities can include people with disabilities and learning difficulties.

If companies like yours buy from us and support our work, we can help even more people live healthier and happier lives whilst caring for nature.

Corporate volunteering

Corporate volunteering at Wildside is a great way for your employees to enjoy the fresh air, build stronger relationships, re-energise and de-stress, whilst having fun and making a real difference to the local environment and wildlife habitats.

We offer a wide range of activities including woodland conservation, canalside work, habitat building and landscaping projects. The programme can be structured to suit your needs.

We request a donation of £20 per person to cover the cost of equipment and time for organising and overseeing the day (approx. 5 hours) with a normal minimum group size of 8 people.

Corporate membership

Support our charitable work by becoming a corporate member of Wildside and show your commitment to the local community.

Receive the following benefits:

- Membership certificate
- Special feature in the Wildside newsletter welcoming you as a corporate member
- Short talk for your employees about Wildside Activity Centre and ways to get involved
- An invitation to our AGM
- Advance notice of our events and activity programmes.

Corporate membership depends on the size of your organisation and costs £150 to £500 per year.

“ Thanks so much for having us yesterday, the team loved getting stuck in and I enjoyed being out of the office. ”

Sea Life Centre

Employee wellbeing

Activity programmes at Wildside already help hundreds of people each year to benefit from improved mental and physical health. Healthy people perform better at work, so why not partner with Wildside and make a big difference to the health and wellness of your employees?

“We’d love to come back and volunteer at Wildside. We’ll definitely be in touch for another day.”

Carillion

We can offer:

- Regular activity sessions for staff – walks, cycling, canoeing (please ask for specific costs)
- Places to work and meet – for a change of environment and fresh thinking
- Enhancing support for those returning to work following long-term sickness or absence (or those identified at risk).

Meeting facilities

Enjoy stunning views of the canal and woodland from our meeting room, ideal for training events or team away days. The room has space for 50 people, 35 delegates seated. The room is equipped with a digital projector, flipchart and whiteboard. Wifi is available.

- Ample free car parking for 16 cars
- Situated two miles from Wolverhampton City Centre with good bus and cycle access
- Room hire costs £70 for 3 hours and £120 per full day
- Refreshments (tea, coffee, milk, sugar and biscuits) cost £1.50 per person. You can organize your own lunch catering or Wildside can book a buffet for you.

Book our narrowboat for your next meeting or special event! Available from just £120 for 1.5 hours, £200 for up to 3.5 hours. Fee includes narrowboat skipper and crew. Longer trips are available. It’s a great way of saying thank you to your staff.

Team challenge days

Our outdoor team building days give everyone a chance to put their skills to the test. We offer a five hour session for up to 30 people with group exercises, challenges and competitions requiring problem solving, team work, creative thinking, leadership and decision making skills. Guaranteed to energise your team and boost morale.

- £25 per person with a minimum group size of 10, including hot drinks, use of our facilities and meeting room
- Bring your own lunch or Wildside can book a buffet for you.



Corporate giving partnerships

There are several ways your company could support Wildside through corporate giving:

- Nominate Wildside as your Charity of the Year
- Offer employees the option of making a small monthly donation through payroll giving
- Give your skills and expertise so that we can have a greater impact
- Sponsor our boat trips and community programmes.

“I would just like to thank you for today, it was definitely a worthwhile experience and did bring all of us out of our comfort zone!”

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Get in touch

For more information about coming to Wildside or how we can work together, please get in touch.

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