

# Wilden Marsh



Worcestershire



## Access

The northern half of the nature reserve, including the section alongside Hoo Brook, and former lagoon area, are privately owned by Associated British Foods (ABF). Access is by permit only.

### ***Former lagoon area - closed to the public***

The former lagoons are filled in for safety reasons. The site remains hazardous with boggy areas and rusted metal objects. We are negotiating with ABF to manage the former lagoon area, which is a very valuable wildlife asset, and we need to limit disturbance in order to maximise a sustainable biodiversity.

Wilden Nature Reserve is home to varied fauna and rare flora; the riverside area is a Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) and is managed by Worcestershire Wildlife Trust.

### ***The southern part of the reserve - owned by Worcestershire Wildlife Trust***

Worcestershire Wildlife Trust members and permit holders are welcome to visit here. The entrance is to the side of the scrapyard on Wilden Lane. You may walk north, along the river path, to the first seven-bar gate marked private and back past the scrapyard to Wilden Lane. We hope to extend access in the future.

**If you are walking your dog it is very important to keep your dog on a lead to avoid disturbance to wildlife. Please clean up after your dog.**

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