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Magor Marsh SSSI



Magor Marsh is the last relatively natural area of fenland on the Gwent Levels. From the fleeting glimpse of a kingfisher, to the sight of colourful dragonflies darting over the reens, this is an inspiring place to visit. In autumn and winter the reserve is particularly attractive to birdwatchers, as the pond provides a sanctuary for wintering wildfowl and passing migrants.

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Species and habitats

Species [Kingfisher](#), [Jackdaw](#), [Rook](#), [Grey Willow](#), [Marsh-marigold](#), [Cuckooflower](#), [Cetti's Warbler](#), [Cuckoo](#), [Ragged-Robin](#), [Lesser Spearwort](#), [Meadow Thistle](#), [Tormentil](#), [Yellow Iris](#), [Hemlock](#), [Purple-loosestrife](#), [Otter](#), [Reed Warbler](#), [Sedge Warbler](#), [Hobby](#), [Peregrine Falcon](#), [Coot](#), [Moorhen](#), [Water Rail](#), [Little Egret](#), [Teal](#), [Shoveler](#), [Gadwall](#), [Sand Martin](#), [Hairy dragonfly](#), [Musk Beetle](#), [Carrion Crow](#), [Mute Swan](#)

Nearby nature reserves

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- [Lower Minnetts Field](#)
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3 miles - Gwent Wildlife Trust

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Reserve information

Location
Whitewall
Magor
Gwent

Map reference
ST 428 866

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Opening Times
Open at all times

Size
36.00 hectares

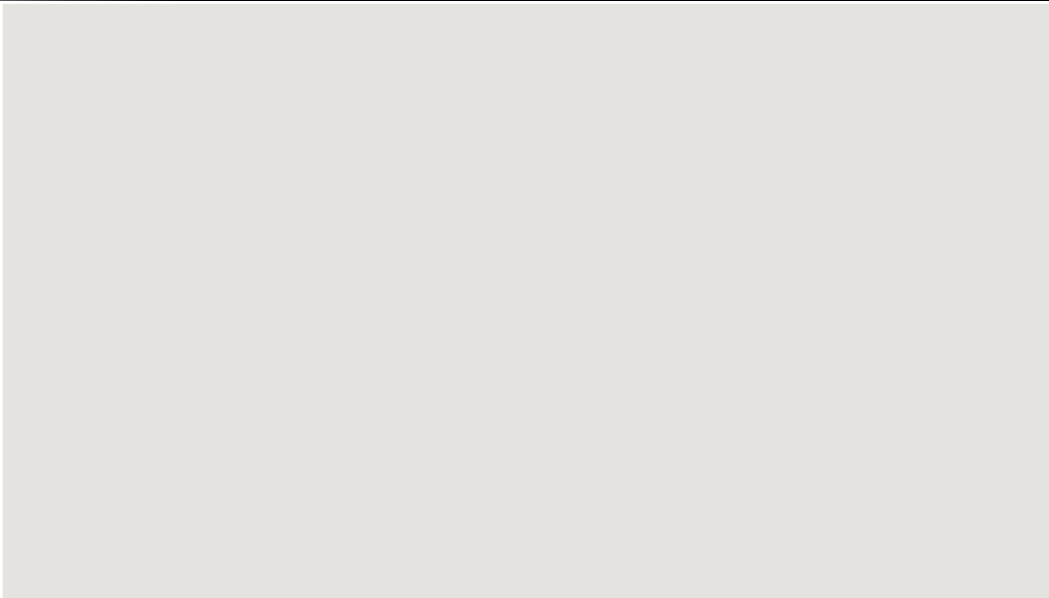
Living Landscape schemes
Gwent Levels Living Landscape

Access
Yes

Walking information
The reserve is flat, with a

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access as far as the bird hide (400 metres from the car park). There are steps and boggy, uneven ground in other parts of the reserve, whilst cattle or other livestock regularly graze some areas. Please note that due to sensitive wildlife, dogs are not allowed at Magor Marsh.



Parking

Car park by the Derek Upton Centre at the reserve entrance.



Dogs

No dogs allowed

Grazing animals

Livestock



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