

Welcome to Telford Town Park Nature Trail and Local Nature Reserve.

This leaflet will guide you around the trail, where you will discover a variety of wildlife rich habitats, including rare heathland, wild flower meadows, blue pools and beautiful woodland. So diverse and important is the wildlife of the park, that much of it has been designated a Local Nature Reserve.







These habitats have reclaimed the land once covered by heavy industry. With the care and management from those who look after the park, it now provides a fantastic place for a great diversity of wildlife – birds, bats, dragonflies, butterflies, amphibians and reptiles.

Trail Interest Point panels are sited around the park to give you more information. Each has a metal plate from which you can take rubbings, so you may like to bring crayons and paper.

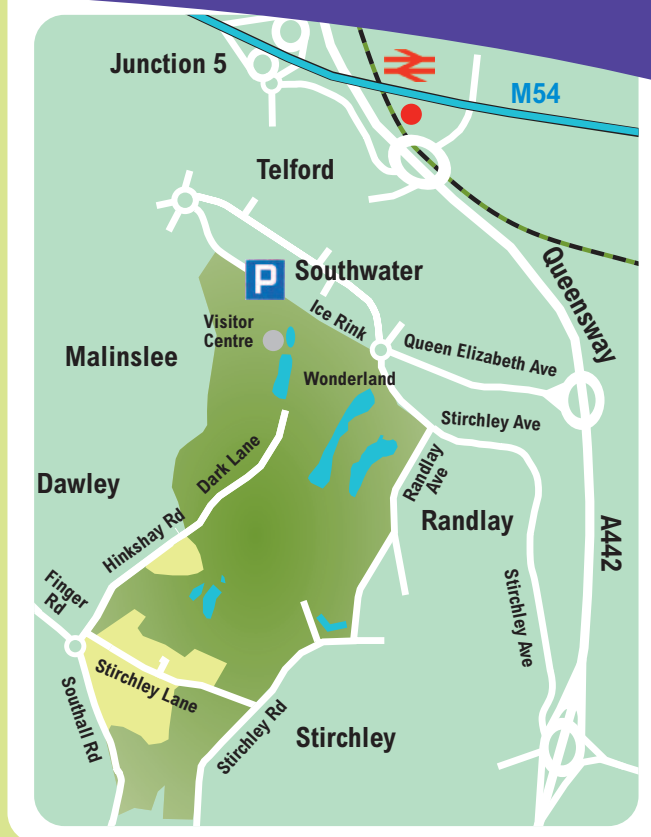
Please observe the park code and respect the environment.

Park code

We hope you enjoy your visit to Telford Town Park. Help to protect your park and enjoy your visit by following this simple Park code:

-  Please be respectful to all park users which includes walkers, runners, cyclists and horse riders.
-  Please dispose of litter responsibly in the bins provided or by taking your litter home.
-  Please supervise your child at all times.
-  Please keep your dog under control and use the litter bins provided for dog waste.
-  Please do not swim in the lakes and pools.
-  Please do not ride motorbikes through the park; this will be reported to the Police.

In emergencies please call 999 or contact the Visitor Centre on 01952 382340



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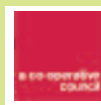
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Daubenton's Bat

The map below shows the route of the Nature Trail around the park

A large proportion of the Town Park is designated as a Local Nature Reserve for its flora and fauna.



Randlay Pool and Brickworks

The largest lake in the park where kingfishers hunt by day and bats hunt by night.



Sparrowhawk

Blue Pool

The rich blue water of this pool and its bankside vegetation attract dragonflies and damselflies.

Silkin Way Learning Zone

Keep your eyes peeled skywards for buzzards and sparrowhawks.

Holywell Pit Mound

Rare heathland habitat where you might spot lizards and green hairstreak butterflies.



Lizard

Fletcher's Pool

This small, secret pool is home to insects, amphibians and aquatic plants.

The Grange Learning Zone

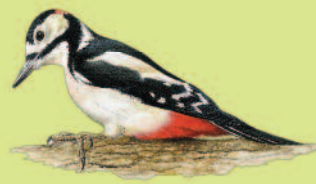
Enjoy the view over Grange Pool and the wildflower meadow below.

Hinkshay Meadow

A short diversion from the Nature Trail to a meadow rich in wild flowers and butterflies.

Hinkshay Pools

Fishermen and wildlife love these pools. Chubb, carp and other fish swim below the surface, dragonflies and damselflies fly above.



Great Spotted Woodpecker

Key

- Parking
- Toilets
- Viewpoint
- Trail interest point
- Picnic area
- Steps
- Bridge
- Nature Trail
- Heritage Trail
- Local Nature Reserve boundary



Small Heath butterfly

Nature Walk

A trail through woodland and scrub which is home to birds like jays, woodpeckers and blackcaps.

