

OUTDOOR LEARNING PROGRAMME 2017

Walks & Workshops In Ironbridge Gorge



Severn Gorge Countryside Trust is a registered charity. The Trust's aim is to promote, protect and conserve the living landscape of the Ironbridge Gorge World Heritage Site. REG CHARITY No. 1004508

Friday 15th September: 10-4pm Wildflowers in Wool



Tutor: Fiona Jackson
Following a walk along the Ropewalk for Autumnal inspiration, Fiona will guide us through the art of creating a wildflower picture using wet felted wool. Suitable for beginners. Fiona creates textiles and jewellery and is an enthusiastic tutor. See www.fionajacksondesign.co.uk
Cost: £30
Meet: SGCT, Darby Road, Coalbrookdale, TF8 7EP
NB: Bring two towels, a plastic bag, and sketchbook.

Wednesday 25th October: 10-12noon Wild in the Wilderness



Tutor: Cadi Price
A wild adventure in Wilderness Woods! We'll create natural wild weaving art, weave dens and celebrate the Autumn colours! • Cost: £2
Meet: SGCT, Darby Road, Coalbrookdale, TF8 7EP
NB: Bring a snack.

Wednesday 18th October: 10-4pm Photography for Beginners

Tutor: Mike Ashton
Discover new ways of looking at Ironbridge Gorge World Heritage Site and improve your picture-taking with a local, professional photographer. Mike will help you learn about composition, colour and camera techniques in and around the gorge with its lovely autumnal colours. www.flickr.com/macreative
Cost: £30
Meet: SGCT, Darby Road, Coalbrookdale, TF8 7EP
NB: Camera or smartphone essential, packed lunch

Friday 1st December: 10-4pm DIY Christmas Cards



Tutor: Amanda Hillier
After a woodland walk for inspiration, Amanda will guide you to create your own unique lino print to make into Christmas cards to take home. We will explore composition and the technique of carving and printing. Suitable for all abilities, Amanda will give you

the attention to develop your skills. Check out Amanda's creativity at www.amandahillier.co.uk.
Cost: £30
Meet: SGCT, Darby Road, Coalbrookdale, TF8 7EP
NB: Packed lunch. Sketchbook, camera (optional)

- FAMILY WALKS**
- GUIDED WALKS**
- WORKSHOPS**

Bookings

Your place is reserved once payment is received. There are no concessions. Cancellation: If you need to cancel your place, please contact us as soon as possible. Cancellation more than four weeks before the course date we will retain 50% to cover administration costs. Cancellations within four weeks of the course date are chargeable in full unless we fill the place. If you book and we have to cancel, then you receive a full refund. Gift vouchers available.

Payment details: Cash
Cheque (*Severn Gorge Countryside Trust*)
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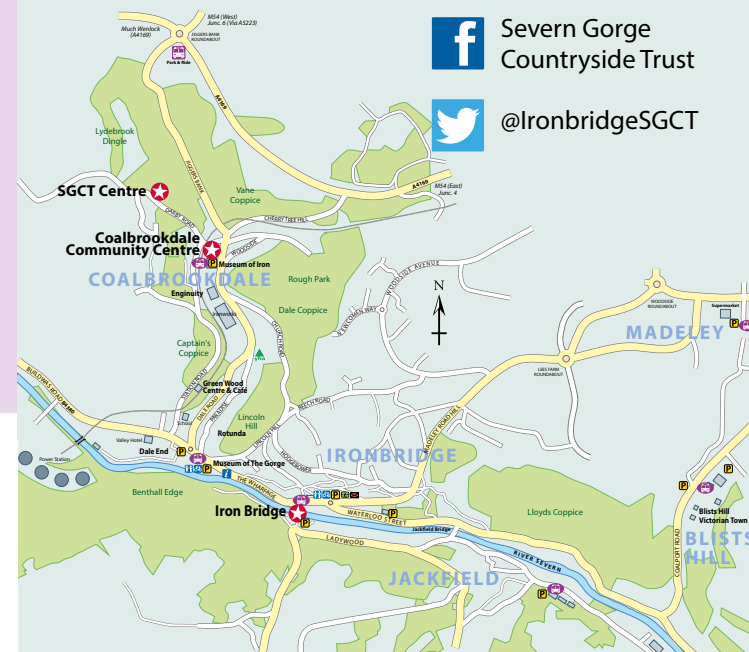
Workshops: You will be outside for all or part of the day. Light refreshments available. See NB for extras.

Ages: Suitable for participants 16+. Family walks 2+. Family walks are suitable for John Muir Family Award www.johnmuirtrust.org.uk

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Friday 13th January, 10-1pm Banish the Blues

Tutor: Cadi Price

Banish those winter blues with a bracing walk through Coalbrookdale's copses exploring their highways and byways, returning to the Trust for a warming 'soup and roll' lunch.

Cost: £5 • Meet: SGCT, Darby Road, Coalbrookdale, TF8 7EP
NB: Includes steps.



Wednesday 22nd February: 10-12noon The Gruffalo

Tutor: Cadi Price

A mouse took a stroll through the deep dark wood. A fox saw the mouse and the mouse looked good... Let's explore the deep dark woods in search of the Gruffalo and enjoy adventures along the way. Will we find the Gruffalo?

Cost: £2 • Meet: SGCT, Darby Road, Coalbrookdale, TF8 7EP
NB: Bring a snack and wellingtons. Includes steps.



Friday 24th March: 9.30-4pm Iron Bridge in Mixed Media

Tutor: Lynne Morgan

The Iron Bridge, built in 1779, is an iconic local feature. After getting up close to the bridge with sketchbooks, and following a mixed media demonstration by Lynne, you will be able to produce a painting in the studio. Plenty of help and guidance available. Suitable for all abilities. Lynne is a local artist who tutors for Shropshire Arts Society and has led popular art workshops for the Trust since 2013. See www.lynnemorgandesign.co.uk

Cost: £20
Meet: SGCT, Darby Road, Coalbrookdale, TF8 7EP
NB: Bring a sketchbook, any mixed media, packed lunch

Wednesday 12th April: 10-12noon Tyrannosaurus Egg Hunt

Tutor: Cadi Price

Following in the footsteps of Tyrannosaurus Drip, we shall explore the stream and woods in this seasonal egg hunt with a twist! Duckbill Dinosaurs or Tyrannosaurus – who will find the egg?

Cost: £2 • Meet: Coalbrookdale Community Centre, Wellington Road, Coalbrookdale, TF8 7DX
NB: Bring a snack and wellingtons. Includes steps

Friday 12th May: 10-4.30pm Singing the Gorge

Tutor: Polly Bolton

Polly Bolton, an experienced folk singer and song writer, will teach us harmony songs which we will sing together in outside locations in the gorge. No need to read music as all songs are easily learned by ear.

Cost: £30
Meet: SGCT, Darby Road, Coalbrookdale, TF8 7EP
NB: Bring packed lunch and walking shoes.



Friday 2nd June: 10-12noon Teddy Bear Picnic



Tutor: Cadi Price

If you go down to the woods today you're sure of a big surprise... bring your teddy and join us for a picnic at Bower Yard picnic site. Tesco Bags of Help has funded a new path, picnic tables and interpretation. We'll enjoy a short walk along the Severn Valley Way then stop for a picnic and games to play!

Cost: £2
Meet: Iron Bridge Toll House, Ironbridge, TF8 7JP
NB: Adults and children to be accompanied by a responsible teddy bear! Bring picnic and (optional) blanket. Pushchairs welcome.

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Wednesday 19th July: 2-4pm Get Rattled

Tutor: Russell Rowley

A rare chance to walk through the middle of a beautiful wildflower hay meadow and to see, touch and have fun with wildflowers. Why is Yellow Rattle so called? Have a go at making it rattle. What has made our eyes bright for centuries and why does hay taste and smell so sweet? This gentle stroll will focus on enjoying the meadow to learn about the wild flowers.

Cost: £5 • Meet: SGCT, Darby Road, Coalbrookdale, TF8 7EP • NB: walking shoes preferred.



Wednesday 2nd August: 10-12noon Stick Man

Tutor: Cadi Price

Stick Man lives in the family tree with his Stick Lady Love and his stick children three... Let's follow his adventures and help him get back to his tree. With the help of the story we will discover some of the 101 things you can do with a stick!

Cost: £2
Meet: Coalbrookdale Community Centre car park, Wellington Road, Coalbrookdale, TF8 7DX
NB: Bring a snack and wellingtons. Includes steps.

