Northamptonshire: Sharing the Adventure
Our Vision: “to inspire and broaden cultural experiences of landscapes”
Sharing the Adventure

Research
Exhibition
Lectures
Visits

FUN
Sharing the adventure

Purpose
Planning
Volunteers
Evaluation
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Partnership(s) Wicksteed Park

• Help you reach new audiences
• Provide a venue
• Inspire great ideas
• Resources
• Before you begin
• Remember they have a day job!
• Stay in touch
Sharing the Adventure at Wicksteed Park
Sharing the Adventure: Family Excursion

Let the fun begin
Sharing Repton: Historic Landscapes for All

Let’s celebrate
Sharing the Adventure: Family Excursion

Ok, I’ve got this!
Sharing the Adventure: Family Excursion

This is how it’s done
Sharing the Adventure: Family Excursion

I’m sure our tree was the biggest, can we please just double check?
Sharing the Adventure: Family Excursion

Climb aboard and ...

Grandmas having fun
Our next adventure – September 2019
Wellingborough African Caribbean Association
A sensory sensation .........
Stan exclaimed “What a beautiful place!”
Trips down Memory Lane

Train rides remembered
“Where’s the luggage?”

Sharing other landscapes
“Whose national flower is this?”
Lucky Dip:
The recipient of the bird box expressed delight at the texture

"it feels lovely"
Time for tea and the Cookhouse Shuffle
Sharing the Adventure: Volunteering

Small things make a Big Difference

Hugely valuable and rewarding
Helps break down social barriers
Make new friends
Improves sense of well-being
Enriches sense of purpose in life
Builds capacity of NGT

“Hey Elaine, you can learn about our culture”
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Value your Volunteers

Get organised
Make them feel needed
Help them grow .... L&D
Give them an ‘experience’
Say ‘thank you’
Celebrate the difference they are making

“As an aspiring doctor, it gave me the opportunity to communicate and improve my empathy”
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Outcomes

A wider range of people will have engaged with heritage
Captured a new generation of visitors to historic landscapes
Raised awareness of ecology and nature conservation
Working together to make a difference
Consolidated our passion for ‘sharing landscapes’
Goodbye Victoria Centre

Khadijah (age 6)

"I liked the cake"
"I would have liked more rides"
"I like taking pictures"

Thank you for a fun day out
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Goodbye WACA
Thanks for a lovely time

“Will you have us again?”
And finally from Katie

“I had a lovely time,
....... I found myself”