Five activities for sharing landscapes

**What:** Welcoming social event at Blaise Castle, with Avon Gardens Trust.  
**Content:** Accessible display, fun ‘Garden History Lucky Dip’, entry-level leaflet.  
**Created:** Freely-available templates for making garden history easy.

**What:** Family excursions to Wicksteed Park, with Northamptonshire Gardens Trust.  
**Content:** Activities such as view-surveying, paperboat making and tree-measuring.  
**Created:** Models for organising group trips.

**What:** Heritage Open Day at Catton Park, with Norfolk Gardens Trust and Broadland District Council.  
**Content:** Includes diverse stall holders, display of gardens across the world, painting a landscape activity, bespoke wide-reaching marketing.  
**Created:** Tried-and-tested method for running an inclusive Open Day as a simple way to attract the attention of local people.

**What:** Entry-level project for new researchers at Warley Woods in the Black Country.  
**Content:** Workshops targeted at schoolchildren and local residents in reading a landscape, using archives, understanding Heritage Values and Significance, producing lively interpretation, and presenting research.  
**Created:** Models for recruiting and training a volunteer research group from scratch, and for introducing schoolchildren to garden history.

**What:** Super-introductory conservation workshops from London Parks and Gardens Trust and English Heritage at Kenwood and Russell Square.  
**Content:** A guided half-day visit gently touching on history and conservation issues.  
**Created:** Achievable way to engage local people as conservation volunteers.

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SHARING REPTON: HISTORIC LANDSCAPES FOR ALL

Sharing Landscapes
Learning to engage and inspire new people

The Gardens Trust is passionate about sharing our love of historic parks and gardens with as many diverse people as possible.

Sharing Repton: Historic Landscapes for All was a two-year project that used the bicentenary celebrations of landscape designer Humphry Repton for activities to introduce new people to historic parks and gardens and inspire their support.

We based the activities on Humphry Repton and had specific target audiences, but we made sure that they can be re-used in other contexts too!

All of the activity materials are available as free online downloads. Take a look at www.thegardenstrust.org/conservation/hlp-hub/networking-materials/sharing-repton-2/

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