## **SHARING REPTON:** HISTORIC LANDSCAPES FOR ALL



Guests and volunteers at our family excursion to Wicksteed Park, Kettering

It would be greedy to keep historic parks and gardens to ourselves, so the Gardens Trust is delighted to be working with volunteers and sites to share our passion with diverse local communities and create new friends and supporters for these heritage assets.

The project is delivering five pilot activities, based around five Repton sites across the country. It will additionally create an infrastructure of skill sharing, guidance materials and training workshops with a view to other groups being able to offer similar local community events in the future.

The project will run till the end of 2019 and we would love to hear from anyone wanting to participate, or to link into the associated skill sharing and training. Do get in touch via sharinglandscapes@thegardenstrust.org

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## Audience Development

## Piloting 5 activities

The Gardens Trust is working with local volunteers to deliver 5 pilot activities at Humphry Repton sites across the country.

1) A welcoming social event for members of the Bristol community at Blaise Castle, with Avon Gardens Trust, at which guests will be treated to a fun 'Garden History in 10 Objects' workshop and then a tour of Blaise.

2) A family excursion to Wicksteed Park, Kettering, with Northamptonshire Gardens Trust, with invited guests from a community centre in Wellingborough enjoying children's activities such as paperboat making and tree-measuring, as well as a tour of the park.

3) A world cultures Heritage Open Day at Catton Park, Norwich, with Norfolk Gardens Trust and Broadland District Council with international cuisines, a display of gardens across the world, bushcraft and Bollywood dancing.

4) The Warley Woods Big Red Book Project in Birmingham at which parents and children from Abbey Junior School and its community will learn to research and record their local historic landscape in a uniquely fun volunteer project.

5) A collaboration between London Parks and Gardens Trust and English Heritage in which guests from refugee groups will be empowered to enjoy and conserve their local green space through a visit to Kenwood in London, with a look at 18<sup>th</sup> century plantings and then a project to discover how plants and gardening styles from their countries of origin have inspired Britain's gardening in the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

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