



Friends of Christchurch Park Partner with Suffolk Wildlife Trust to Offer Summer Park Events

The Friends of Christchurch Park are delighted to support two events for families and young children in the Park this August.

As part of their summer programme, which includes the highly popular Brass on the Grass concerts, the Friends of Christchurch Park are partnering with Suffolk Wildlife Trust to offer two events.

The first event, **Family Night Safari**, takes place on Friday 6th August between 9.00 and 10.30pm and involves searching for nocturnal species that make the Park their home.

The second event is **Mad about Mabel**, takes place on Wednesday 11 August 10.30am – 12noon, which is based around the nationally-famous Tawny Owl which has been nesting in the Park for many years. The event is suitable for children aged 5 -14 years and features the dissection of owl pellets.

Ticket prices for each event are as follows: an adult and child ticket costs £5 (additional children £2.50).

Tickets can be booked at Suffolk Wildlife Trust's website:
www.suffolkwildlifetrust.org.uk/events

"We are so pleased to support activities for younger Park users," comments Peter Gray, Chair of the Friends of Christchurch Park. "It is a pleasure to be supporting events by Suffolk Wildlife Trust who have been involved in so much in the Park over the years."

"We are thrilled to be working with and to be supported by Friends of Christchurch Park on these partnership events. Suffolk Wildlife Trust's aim is to nurture a connection between people and the natural world. We hope that these two fun summer activities will spark a love for nature and will allow people to get up close and personal with Ipswich's wonderful urban wildlife," comments Lucy Shepherd, Wild Learning Officer, Suffolk Wildlife Trust.

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