



A charity that offers a range of water-based activities on the Norfolk Broads

“Making Adventure Possible”



The Nancy Oldfield Trust is a friendly organisation based at the heart of the Norfolk Broads. We offer a welcoming experience to individuals or groups that would not otherwise be able to access the Broads, giving them the opportunity to sail, motor cruise or canoe, irrespective of experience or ability.

Some examples of groups that we work with include people of all ages, often with a physical or emotional disability, or perhaps experiencing financial difficulties. We aim to be as inclusive as possible and believe that time spent on the water enables people to try new activities, learn new skills, improve self-confidence and increase environmental awareness.

The Nancy Oldfield Trust is a charity, run by a small team of staff and volunteers. All of our staff and volunteers are DBS checked.

We operate a variety of sailing keelboats, motor boats and double-rafted canoes from our base in Neatishead, just off Barton Broad. Learn to sail over consecutive visits, or come along for an afternoon or a day trip. We work with groups and individuals to create programmes, and are able to offer other outdoor activities such as bird watching and pond dipping.

We also have a self-catering bungalow, situated on site at The Nancy Oldfield Trust that is available throughout the year.

The accommodation is fully accessible, has 4 bedrooms with 10 single beds (including 2 profiling beds), 4 ensuite wet rooms, an accessible kitchen-diner and living room.

It is perfect for groups, families and individuals.



Accessibility

Here at the Nancy Oldfield Trust we try to make water activities as accessible as possible.

We have a number of specifically adapted boats to make sailing easier if you have limited mobility, or are normally in a wheelchair. These include a sailing boat with a steering wheel and fixed chair, and a sailing boat with fixed seats and joystick steering. The motor boats are each fitted with a platform lift, and the safety boats have ramps, allowing wheelchair users easy access. Our canoes are low to the ground making them easy to access. We also have a number of hoists available to assist with access onto all of our boats.

Help With Funding

The Nancy Oldfield Trust aims to keep charges as low as possible, but for anyone who has difficulty with affording a visit to us, we do have a small bursary fund to offer financial help. Please get in touch if you would like to apply.

We look forward to welcoming you here at The Nancy Oldfield Trust!

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