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PRESS RELEASE: CPRE Sussex Countryside Day returns to Knepp Estate

Celebration of the Sussex countryside returns with expert talks and kids' activities.

Countryside lovers of all ages are invited to attend the CPRE Sussex Countryside Day on Saturday, 6 September.

Booking is now open for the free event, held at the world-renowned Knepp Estate.

This year's programme includes children's activities, expert-led talks, stalls and the chance to meet CPRE Sussex's own dedicated team of staff, volunteers and supporters.

Paul Steedman, director CPRE Sussex, said: "We are absolutely thrilled to be back at the home of Sussex rewilding for our annual Countryside Day. This event is a fantastic opportunity to celebrate the Sussex countryside, its landscapes, ecology and natural beauty. Come along and join us to find out more about the amazing green spaces which surround you."

Children's activities on the day will include fire lighting and marshmallow sessions, plus the chance to make model houses and anthotypes with Brighton University.

There will be talks from Sussex Wildlife Trust, Weald to Waves, Sussex Underwater and West Sussex Rivers Trust.

The CPRE Sussex Countryside Day takes place from 10am to 4pm on Saturday, 6 September, at the Knepp Estate, Dial Post, West Sussex.

Entrance is free with donations encouraged for events and a small charge for some children's activities.

Let CPRE Sussex know if you are planning to attend by [registering for your free place here](#).

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Notes for editors:

About CPRE Sussex

CPRE Sussex is shaping a greener future for Sussex. Our priorities are:

- Beautiful landscapes, rich in nature and greener towns and cities
- Countryside and green spaces which are accessible to all, enriching lives and health
- Sustainable development for thriving communities
- Effective responses to the climate emergency



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We engage with decision makers, influencing them and challenging them to protect the Sussex countryside and green spaces. We inform on environmental issues and empower individuals and communities with robust evidence to defend and enhance the green spaces they love. We believe in collaborating with others to ensure a greener future for our county. We research and provide advice on planning issues. Together we can shape a greener future for Sussex.