

## What we do

Halesworth Millennium Green is a magical place to explore in all seasons and weathers. Find your favourite corner amongst the meadows, woodland, rivers, ponds, heathland, orchard, along the historic route of the old railway and even older navigation, the New Reach canal.

The charity owns and cares for over 50 acres of the landscape round Halesworth continuing on from the Town Park.

Everyone you ever see working on the Green is a volunteer. Jobs include:

- clearing paths; maintaining benches, gates, fences, watering for cattle; enhancing the Green's wide variety of wildlife habitats
- supporting the Narrow Gauge Railway Society, and East Suffolk Council, in conserving the historic railway and New Reach navigation
- doing behind-the-scenes strategic work involved in running a charity – the Trustees are also volunteers
- running and supporting community events which use the Green.

There is a constant need to maintain and replace tools including heavy-duty mowers, and for training in equipment use.

Work parties happen each week run by and for volunteers – everyone is welcome. And visitors to the Green are welcome at all times.

## How your legacy could help us

The major and crucial part of our income comes from members of the public by means of donations and legacies.

**If** you are considering leaving a legacy to Halesworth Millennium Green in your Will, it is more flexible for the needs of the charity if your gift is unrestricted so that it can be used for the general conservation work of the charity and will support work where it is most needed at the time.

**If** you are happy with this, you will just need to advise that the legacy is made 'for the general purposes of The Halesworth Millennium Green CIO.'

**If** however, you wish to restrict the gift for a specific area of the charity's work please contact us to discuss your preferences.

Large donations may enable us to buy land to extend the area under our protection.



## Setting up a legacy



When setting up a legacy please include the following information:

Halesworth Millennium Green CIO  
Brook House  
7 Quay Street  
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Suffolk IP19 8ET  
Registered Charity Number 1202703

## Making a Will – not so difficult

This is much easier than you might think. It can be done at relatively low cost but we recommend you do seek legal advice at the time of writing it.

If you have already made a Will, a Codicil can be added to cover your gift.

## What kind of gift can I leave?

There are 3 main types of gift you can leave in your Will.

**A residuary gift** is a percentage of your estate once any specified gifts have been made to friends and family. Many of our supporters choose to leave this type of gift because there is then no danger that the size of the gift will interfere with any gifts left to family members, friends or other beneficiaries.

**A pecuniary gift** is a specific amount of money. It's worth bearing in mind that the effects of inflation mean that this type of gift is likely to lose value over time and may end up being less than you initially intend.

**A specific gift** is a gift not of money but of a specified item, for example a personal possession such as jewellery, land, buildings or stocks and shares.

## Help us to look after Halesworth Millennium Green for future generations



## Further Information

If you have any questions or would like to discuss leaving a gift or legacy please do not hesitate to contact us.



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# Remember Halesworth Millennium Green



## in your Will?