

Tiddenfoot Waterside Park

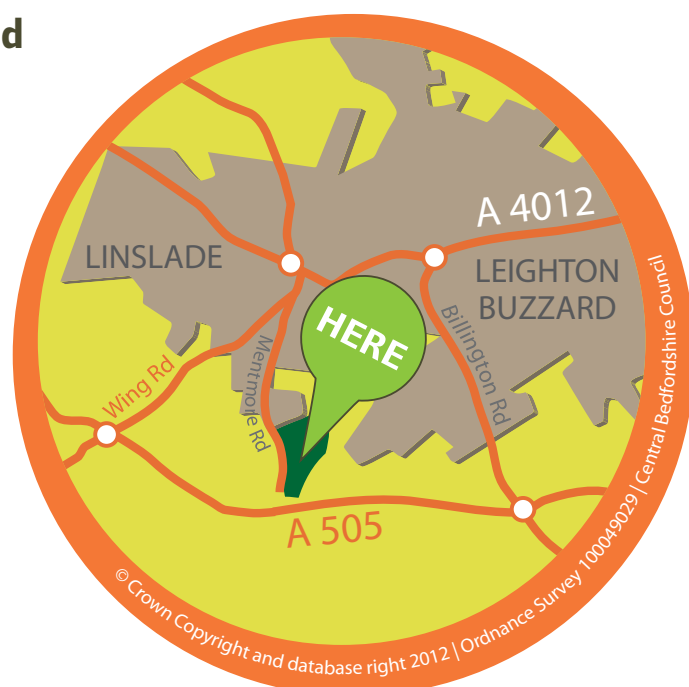


Tiddenfoot Waterside Park is an oasis for wildlife. It is hard to believe that it was once a busy quarry sending sand to building sites all over England. Quarrying began in the 1920s and when it ceased in the 1960's wild plants and animals began to reclaim the site.

Central Bedfordshire Council have owned the site since 1976 and have gradually developed the park for visitors, with a car park, surfaced paths, benches and bridges.

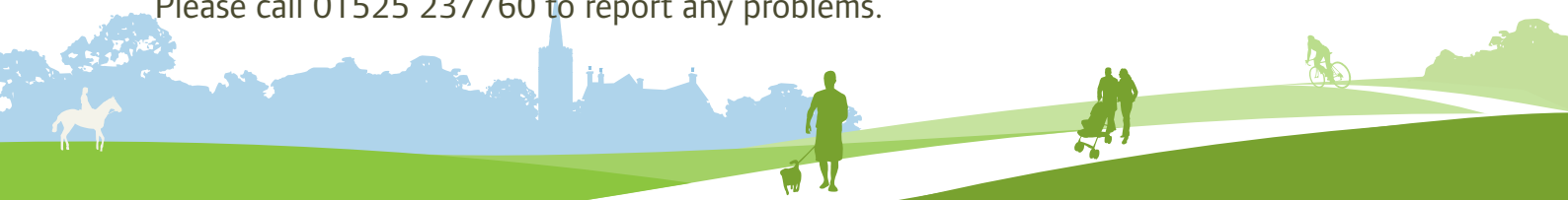
Path information

Surfaced paths suitable for wheelchairs and pushchairs run around the site, allowing a circular route, and along to the canal, where it is possible to access the tow path (also surfaced) via a ramped bridge.



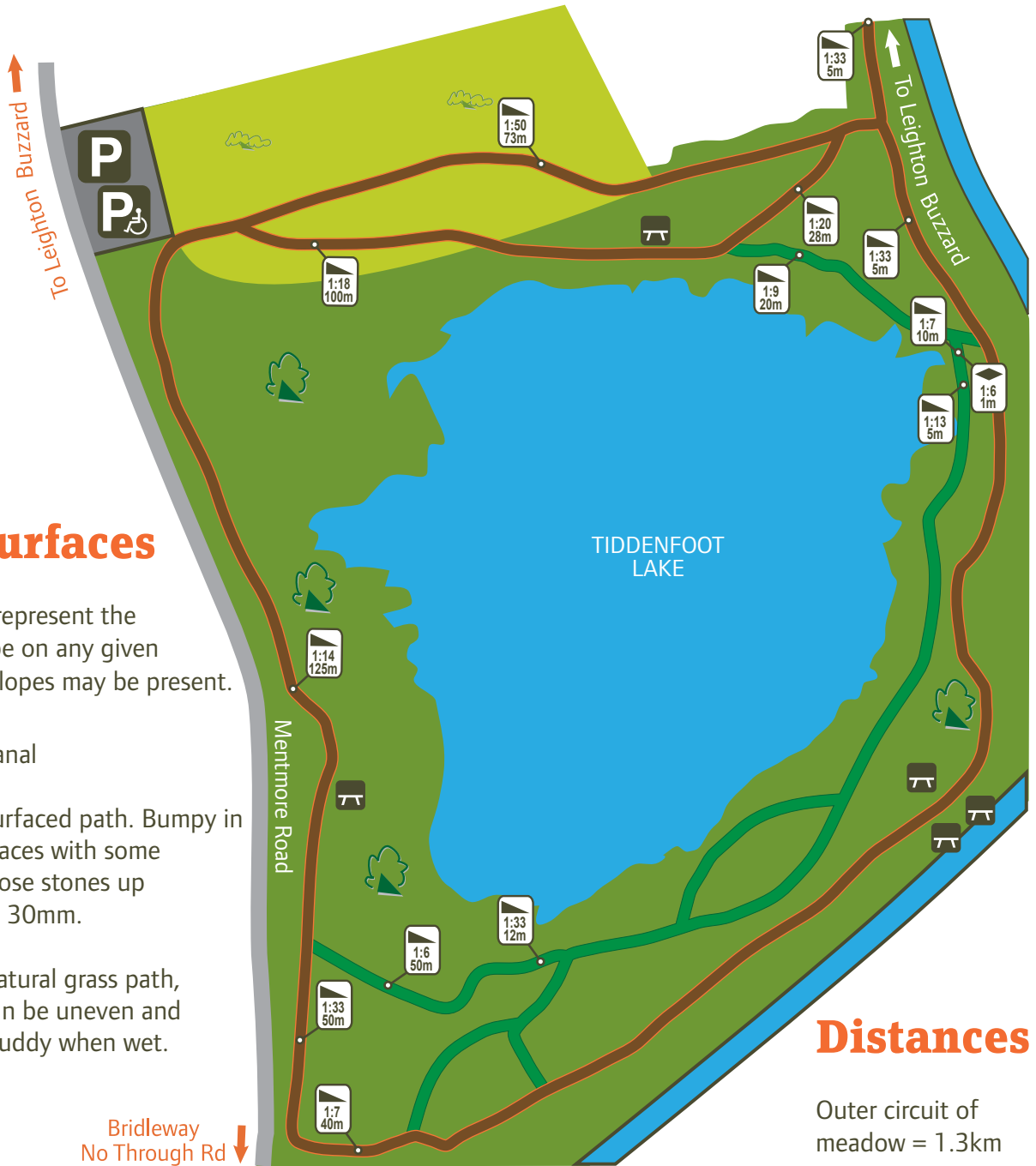
Visitor information

- There is a small free car park on site (height restriction 1.8m)
- Public toilets and refreshments can be found in Leighton Buzzard where there are pubs, cafes, supermarkets and bakeries.
- Fishing is controlled by Leighton Buzzard Angling Club www.lbac.co.uk
- The site is home to the Canal Festival (in July).
- The site is owned by Central Bedfordshire Council and managed in partnership with the Greensand Trust. Please call 01525 237760 to report any problems.






We hope you enjoy your visit.
Please be considerate and respect other users.

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Path surfaces

Path angles represent the steepest slope on any given path, other slopes may be present.








-  Canal
-  Surfaced path. Bumpy in places with some loose stones up to 30mm.
-  Natural grass path, can be uneven and muddy when wet.

Distances

Outer circuit of meadow = 1.3km

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|  gradient and length of x-slope |  Disabled parking |  Parking |  Meadow |
|  gradient and length of slope |  Bench | |  Wood |

