



THE NATIONAL  
FOREST


## Nature Alive

A 6 ha site in Coalville. Derelict coal stocking yards converted to a range of habitats and trails in 1993, funded by Government and North West Leics District Council.

### Facilities



both in town or Diner  
and McDonalds (5  
mins away)

 Midland Fox 117 hourly  
Mo-Sa; 217 hourly Sun

### Nearby sites to visit

- Snibston Discovery Park in Coalville
- Coleorton Wood

### What to look for

A valuable nature conservation, public amenity and educational asset for the local community. The Leicestershire and Rutland Wildlife Trust is deliberately managing the site as a low and relatively inconspicuous level, so retaining a natural and informal appearance of landscape value.

Managed as a nature reserve, it holds a variety of habitats including mature specimen trees, trees and shrubs, ponds and open water, ditches, wildflower meadow, rough grass and hedgerows.

Bat and bird boxes and nesting rafts were installed with grant aid from the National Forest Company and Canon.

