



Norton Big Wood
Woodland
Burials



Hill Holt Wood and Norton Big Wood

Hill Holt Wood and Norton Big Wood are jewels in the Lincolnshire countryside that often go unnoticed by the hundreds of people that pass their gates every day. First time visitors often comment that they have always wondered what was down these lanes off the A46, and when they arrive they are always hugely impressed and often overwhelmed by the beauty of the buildings and the work that the small Ranger team do at the woods.

Hill Holt Wood is a Social Enterprise; it focuses on changing people's lives within a sustainable, environmental setting. The organisation, quite simply, puts people first and works in a holistic way with the emphasis on positive change and social inclusion.

The people that work here really embrace the social enterprise vision, it is more than a job it is a way of life and the team embodies the spirit of a family.

This matters because whatever strand of the business we are working at it is always done with a caring and conscientious attitude because the outcome always reflects on the integrity

of the team as a whole. This has particular relevance when dealing with people who are preparing to say goodbye to loved ones.

From an environmental perspective the woods are well managed and host a wide variety of flora and fauna, the woodland management plan focuses on and encourages biodiversity with the ultimate aim of establishing a balance.

It is this balance that we see in nature that we work hard to encourage and nurture in our staff and young learners that we hope will allow them to grow and develop into positive and happy people.

I do hope that you also believe in this ethos as the experience that you will have at Hill Holt Wood and Norton Big Wood will be like no other; memorable, personal and shared with loved ones and friends.

This is what sets us apart. we focus our whole business on putting others first and have a genuine and caring attitude. For us as a Social Enterprise, it is not about the money it is about the person.



The Burial Area at Norton Big Wood

The area that is being used for burials is a small glade surrounded by Birch, Ash and Pine and is dominated by beautiful mature Oak trees. These stand like sentinels watching over the glade and act to preserve its peace and tranquillity. The burials manager will direct you to the area where the grave will be dug as this will be determined by other plot reservations

and suitability for tree planting. For those who have chosen a cremation we have an area where you are able to bury the casket of ashes, this is adjacent to the main burial area. There is also a charming area where we allow the scattering of ashes, if this is something that you would like to do.



Our Prices as of January 2021

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| To buy/reserve a single grave plot | £1320 |
| To buy/reserve a double grave plot | £2400 |
| To buy/reserve a single plot for the burial of ashes | £400 |
| To buy/reserve a double plot for the burial of ashes | £750 |
| Scattering of ashes | £80 |
| Grave preparation and administrative costs | £330 |
| Ashes casket grave preparation and administrative costs | £150 |
| Rental of the Wood Hall for a ceremony prior to interment | £195 |
| Tree | £60 |
| Wild flower Seeds | £10 |

Reservations are conditional until payment in full is received with completed reservation form. This must be prior to interment.

These prices are current but may increase over time due to inflation and market forces. however once a plot is paid for it is secured.

The monies are invested through the Social Enterprise to ensure the care and maintenance of the woodland in perpetuity. Please see our General terms and conditions for specific information.



Memorial Benches and other Wooden Products

Benches may be commissioned to commemorate the passing of a loved one. These will be sited at locations at the discretion of the management and will not be necessarily adjacent to the grave.

Bespoke bird and bat boxes may also be commissioned and again will be sited in suitable areas decided upon by the management. Please note that while the products will be of a high quality and are built to last they will deteriorate over time due to the weathering process. If the product needs repair or replacing then it will be at a cost to the original purchaser and not the Management of Norton Big Wood.

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| Wooden Bench | £500 - £750 |
| Bird Boxes | £40 |
| Owl Boxes | £100 |

All these products come with a laser engraved inscription with a maximum of 40 characters.



Wakes at Hill Holt Wood

We are well placed at Hill Holt Wood to offer the option of a wake. We have a beautiful facility, the Wood Hall set in natural surroundings and offer a first class experience in food and service. This is conveniently situated just a five minutes' drive from Norton Big Wood.

Our in-house catering team can draw on over 20 years of experience to ensure that your requirements are met exactly and unobtrusively. Whether it's simple homemade sandwiches or a classic canape buffet both can be prepared and served by our in-house catering team.

We also do an extensive range of vegetarian food and can cater for any specific dietary requirements. The glass-walled dining area offers pleasant views into the surrounding woodland which boasts an abundance of wildlife and is next to our organic garden, which provides seasonal produce for the kitchen.

Please ask for price list
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