



UNESCO UK MAB Urban Forum

The Art of Nature II

two-day event

The second event in a programme that started in London (Feb 2014)

Walking, talking, listening, looking, sharing: people connecting with environment. Join, among others, [Nina Edge](#), [Jean Grant](#), [David Haley](#), [Kerry Morrison](#), and [Richard Scott](#) in a social exploration, with artists and ecologists, through parts of Liverpool less trod by tourists.

DAY 1

SATURDAY 31ST MAY

Please bring water, and wear a hat and comfortable shoes.

- 10.00 Meet at the [Camp & Furnace](#) for a cuppa to go: 67, Greenland Street, Liverpool, Merseyside L1 0BY
- 10.30 Walk the Talk to the Anglican Cathedral [St James sunken garden](#) to meet volunteer gardeners and site manager.
- 11.45 Talk the Walk through Dingle, up Park Road to Picnic atop the iconic [High Park St Reservoir](#) – spectacular views across the Mersey estuary to Birkenhead and beyond.
- 12.30 Picnic Lunch atop the reservoir. **Please bring picnic food to share**
If it rains we'll picnic among the pillars under the vaulted ceilings of this Victorian engineering feat. A unique experience –
- 13.30 Off our backsides and back on our feet taking to the [edges of Toxteth](#): taking in the [Welsh Streets](#) and that [Blooming Green Triangle](#). A few streets away, [Princes Park](#), designed by Joseph Paxton, opened in 1842. A walk in the park is not out of the way.
- 16.00 Heading back into the city via [Growing Granby](#) along Kingsley Road
- 17.00ish [Everyman Playhouse](#) basement bistro: time to put our feet up and reflect

Under 16s must be accompanied by an adult. Toilet breaks will be made.

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DAY 2 – talking the walk and making connections

SUNDAY 1ST JUNE

National Wildflower Centre and home of Landlife,

Court Hey Park, Roby Road, Knowsley, Liverpool, L16 3NA

(Nearest rail station is Broad Green)

- 10.30 Welcome and Tour of the Centre by Richard Scott
- 11.00 Talk the Walk – connections from Day 1 explored
- 12.30 Lunch – Please bring picnic food to share
- 13.30 Where next? Exploring the future... making our futures
- 17.00 Close

ACCESS:

Please note that the Day 1 walk may be difficult for some people. If you are concerned about issues of access, please contact rscott@landlife.org.uk to discuss how we may help you.

EVENT FEES:

	1 DAY	BOTH DAYS
Statutory Organisations	£100.00	£120.00
Not for Profit/Voluntary	£ 50.00	£ 75.00
Waged Individual	£ 30.00	£ 40.00
Unwaged Individual	£ 10.00	£ 15.00
Low income, Students & Seniors	£ 10.00	£ 15.00

BOOKING:

Please contact rscott@landlife.org.uk

We thank Landlife: the National Wildflower Centre for making their space available for free. The project team for this event are being paid either a basic fee for their time or their out-of-pocket expenses. We, therefore, invite you to make a donation to cover these expenses.

Above are our suggested fees to cover the costs of this event. Please feel free to donate more, or less. If any profit is made, it will go towards the on-going UK MAB Urban Forum, Art of Nature programme. UK MAB works on a non-for-profit basis.

UNESCO UK MAB Urban Forum Programme Team:

Ambra Burls, David Haley, Judy Ling Wong, Kerry Morrison, Richard Scott, Celia Spoucer

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ACCOMMODATION IN LIVERPOOL

Overnight accommodation will be self-arranged. Nearby hotels offer a range of styles and prices. See the following as interesting candidates if you are travelling by train:

Hotel Agio (www.agagiocity.com, key in Liverpool)

Hotel Indigo (www.hotelindigoliverpool.co.uk)

Adelphi (www.britanniahotels.com)

Hard Day's Night (www.harddaysnighthotel.com)

For those travelling by car,

Derby Lodge Premier Inn at Roby (www.premierinn.com) is very convenient.

There will be ample opportunity to eat together in Liverpool on the first evening.

Please note: For DAY 2, The National Wildflower Centre can be easily reached by train by taking the train from Lime Street Station to Broadgreen. This is roughly a 15 minute journey, and trains run approximately every fifteen minutes. It is about a 15-20 minute walk from this station to the National Wildflower Centre.

