

# Countryside Activities programme



## KEY to features on activities:

 Accessible Toilets	 Café or Restaurant
 Non-accessible Toilets	 Braille guide available
 Picnics Only	 Scooter Hire
 ZONE B Activity	 STAY UP LATE
 Blue Space Outing	

Open Country is the Yorkshire charity that ensures people with disabilities can access and enjoy the countryside. This is our very first year of running a Barnsley activities programme, we hope you like it! At this stage we are just running a series of taster sessions in South Yorkshire. If you are interested in any of the activities in here, give Bob a bell to book on. If you have any suggestions for outings or activities, we'd love to hear them.

We are in need of some new volunteer supporters in South Yorkshire to help guide members with sight impairments on walks, assist wheelchair users on outings and pilot tandems on evening rides.

**A big thank you to all the National Lottery players for supporting our new Barnsley project.**



## ADVENTURE

### TROUT THERE



### TOGETHER

Friday 12th April

Admission: FREE

Trip: £10

Travel time: 1 hour

Back with our friends at the *British Disabled Angling Association* to try out fishing on Ladybower Reservoir on their accessible powerboats.



## ADAPTED CYCLING

We are currently running taster sessions for our Tandem Cycling Club on the following dates:

Sunday 19th May, 11am—3pm

Tuesday 9th April, 6pm - 9pm

Tuesday 28th May, 6pm—9pm

Tuesday 18th June, 6pm—9pm

Our wheelchair duet bike might also be available for these sessions. Try something new for 2024!

**OUTINGS**

Aimed primarily at those with physical disabilities and sensory impairments, accessible transportation can pick you up and drop you off home afterwards.

**CANAL CAPERS**

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> April

Suggested donation : £7 Trip: £10

Travel time: 1 hour

A leisurely canal boat cruise, with our friends at the *Safe Anchor Trust*.



**A ROARING GOOD TIME!**

Wednesday 8th May

Admission: £25 Trip: £10

Travel time: 1 hour

A day trip to the Yorkshire Wildlife Park, the world famous zoo near Doncaster.



**DOVE STONE**

Saturday 1st June

Admission: FREE Trip: £10

Travel time: 1 hour

A longer accessible amble around this stunning Peak District reservoir with an ice cream to finish!



**LIFE'S A BEACH**

Saturday 15th June

Admission: FREE Trip: £10

Travel time: 2 hours

Fish and chips on the promenade at Hornsea. Sand between your toes—what could be better?



**WALKS**

Open to any ambulant disabled adult, with volunteer guides on hand to help guide you. The minibus will be able to pick you up from central Barnsley and drop you off there afterwards.

**BURBAGE**

Wednesday 3rd April

Trip: £10 Travel: 1 hour

A lovely scenic 6 mile circular route in the heart of the Peak District.



**LANGSETT RESERVOIR**

Wednesday 1st May

Trip: £10 Travel: 30 minutes

A 3.5 mile circular route on this moorland and woodland walk, with stunning views at the top for lunch.



**FIVE WEIRS WALK**

Wednesday 5th June

Trip: £10 Travel: 30 minutes

A longer circular walk around the canals of the Sheffield district in this sensory filled hike.

