

Cradley Memorials Heritage Trail

Volunteer Trail Leader Application Form

Thank you for your interest in becoming a volunteer trail leader. Please complete the below form.

Volunteer Training

This is a course for anyone willing and able to lead trails in the Cradley community. The course template is suitable for all situations where Trail Leaders facilitate access to a heritage, nature or prayer trail, etc. It is a morning of practical advice and practice in leading a trail and delivering relevant information. It includes:

- risk assessment training;
- practice in leading a heritage trail;
- information on special conditions;
- how to access details of Cradley heritage/nature/prayer sites; and
- follow-up support and resources to help people make the most of their new skills, including a Trail Leader manual.

By the end of the course you should:

- be familiar with the paperwork required;
- know how to plan a route and recognise hazards;
- understand the role of the leader and back-up leader at the start, during and at the end of a trail; and
- be confident to lead a heritage/nature/prayer trail, etc.

When you have completed the course you will receive a Trail Leader certificate.

What you will need for the training day?

- Suitable clothing and footwear – you will be taking part in a short demonstration heritage trail.
- Refreshments – Tea, Coffee and biscuits will be provided, but you will need to advise of any allergies or special requirements.

What is expected of you after the training day?

We hope very much that you will go on to join others in the community leading Cradley heritage, nature and prayer trails.

Your details

Name:

Address:

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Postcode:

Tel No(s):

Email:

What is your interest in applying to be trained as a trail leader?

(heritage / nature / prayer / other) (give details):

If you wish to lead trails for your local scheme, please give the name of the scheme:

Have you already attended a Cradley heritage trail? Yes / No

How often do you expect to lead a trail? – (please give brief details).

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Do you have other experiences, skills or interests that may be useful?

E.g. First aid trained, member of local history group, wildlife trust, etc.

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Do you have any special requirements when attending a training course?

Please give details:

Signed:

Date:

Once complete, return this form to the Secretary of Friends of Homer Hill Park.

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