

Nazeing Triangle Local Nature Reserve

Reserve Area: 0.60 Hectares

Access: There is a gate off Back Lane, Nazeing. A hardened path leads you onto a boardwalk which takes you out along the pond.

Parking: There is roadside parking on Back Lane nearest postcode: EN9 2DD

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LNR declaration: 2001

Wildlife Site Designation: Ep33 1998



Grey Heron



Common Darter



Great Crested Newt

Site Description: Nazeing Triangle is a tranquil spot for a peaceful picnic by the ponds. Ideal if you are walking in the local area and want somewhere to stop for a break.

Site Management: Nazeing Triangle pond is managed by pulling excess reedmace from around the board walk and cutting approximately a third of the reed bed every year. This prevents the old reeds from dying back and creating a thatch which causes the pond to dry up at the edges. There is a small area of wildflowers meadow which is cut annually to prevent invasive species out competing the wildflowers.

Seasonal: In the summer, the ponds are alive with dragonflies and damselflies, and the ground is carpeted in wildflowers such as Oxeye Daisy and Selfheal. The pond is home to Moorhen, Ducks and a smaller pond was installed by the help from volunteers in 2024, to help increase the population of Great Crested Newts.