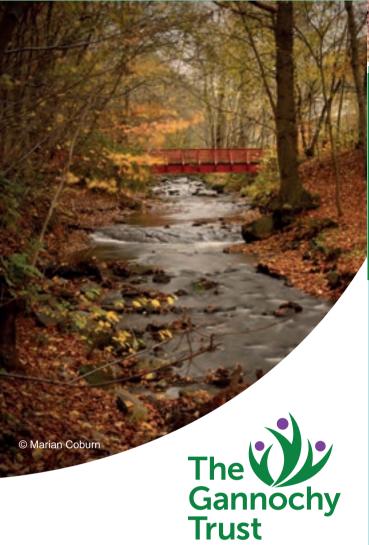
Explore Quarrymill **Woodland Park**



gannochytrust.org.uk/our-estate

Discover the Quarrymill Woodland Park with over 2 ½ miles / 4.5 km of paths forming a range of routes for walking, cycling and wheeling.

Explore paths under a canopy of deciduous and evergreen trees that follow the Annaty Burn on the outskirts of Perth as they wind through the old quarry and mill site taking in stunning scenery and sounds of the countryside. Grab a well-deserved treat after your walk as all paths lead to the Macmillan Coffee and Gift Shop!

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The map inside this leaflet shows details of two primary routes, plus other connecting link paths, comprising Quarrymill's Path Network.



Comprising two primary routes on the outskirts of Perth, Quarrymill Woodland Park offers more than 2 ½ miles / 4.5 km of routes for walkers, cyclists and wheelers to explore and enjoy.

Distance to Quarrymill

Perth City Centre 1 1/2 miles 2.5 km Scone 1 mile 2 km Dundee 22 miles 35.5km





of Quarrymill

HOW TO GET HERE



BUS

There are bus stops at both ends of Quarrymill, with services into Perth and further afield to Scone, Blairgowrie, Dundee, and beyond. For more information about public transport timetables and journey planning, visit www.travelinescotland.com



CYCLE

There are many routes that are cyclable in the area, but it is advisable to check CycleStreets to help plan your journey safely. www.cyclestreets.net



WALK

Quarrymill benefits from connections to Perth and Kinross' extensive core path network, making it readily accessible by foot. www.pkc.gov.uk/corepathsmap



CAR

Quarrymill lies just off the A93 between Perth and Old Scone. For Sat Navs, input PH2 7HQ for the car park at the Macmillan Coffee and Gift Shop on the western end, and PH2 6LP for parking at Scone Old Parish Church on the eastern end (please leave free Sunday mornings for Church service users). There are no electric charging points at either car park. chargeplacescotland.org/cpmap

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TREES

Quarrymill is a mixed species woodland of 27 acres on the Annaty Burn where ancient semi-natural woodland exists beside veteran trees. Riparian wood, i.e. a forest or woodland area adjacent to water, sits along the burn's banks, while conifer and deciduous stands cover sloped ground and flatter bank areas. Quarrymill lies near to Scone Palace, which is included in the Inventory of Gardens and Designed Landscapes.



WILDLIFE

Quarrymill's woodlands are home to an abundance of wildlife, including roe deer, red squirrels, hedgehogs, moles, rabbits, and bats plus numerous bird species, and wildflowers that feature throughout the seasons.



HISTORY

Quarrymill forms part of the estate that was gifted to The Gannochy Trust by A K Bell in 1937 for the benefits of the local community. 'Scone Den' as it was once called has a long and illustrious history. It was once home to mills that spun cotton and extracted starch for the textile industry. The quarry that lies at the heart of the park once provided stone for the construction of many local landmarks, bridges and buildings.





Quarrymill Woodland Park features a range of facilities, including accessible paths; viewing platforms; seating areas; picnicking and barbeque facilities; and the Macmillan Coffee and Giftshop.



All cyclists and mountain bikers should behave responsibly. Please dismount on narow paths and where there is risk to people or wildlife.



Flourishing woodland provides a rich habitat for all kinds of wildlife, from insects to birds. Help us preserve this beautiful place by following the Scottish Outdoor Access Code.



The Macmillan Coffee and Gift Shop offers delicious food and gifts. Find it at the Isla Road (A93) entrance to Quarrymill.

Enjoy Scotland's outdoors responsibly

- take responsibility for your own actions
- respect the interests of other people
- care for the environment.

SCOTTISH OUTDOOR **ACCESS CODE**

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The Gannochy Trust

Founded in 1937 by Arthur Kinmond Bell, The Gannochy Trust provides almost 300 houses for rent; manages an estate of 700 acres, including farms and woodlands; and funds charities both in Perth and Kinross and across Scotland. The Trust owns and manages Quarrymill Woodland Park. www.gannochytrust.org.uk



AKBELL

Arthur Kinmond Bell was a gifted businessman, who developed the Bell's Whisky business and, in his later years, became an outstanding philanthropist. He built the original Gannochy

housing estate in the 1920s and acquired Quarrymill for the benefit of the local community. A believer in the health-giving properties of exercise, fresh air and the outdoors, he instructed that Quarrymill be maintained as a "place of public resort". The Gannochy Trust aims to uphold these wishes to this day.

PERTHSHIRE BIG TREE COUNTRY

The famous botanist and plant explorer, David Douglas, was born in Scone, near Quarrymill in 1799. He travelled to North America collecting seeds from trees, shrubs and herbs we are now familiar with in the UK, including his name's sake Douglas Fir. www.perthshirebigtreecountry.co.uk







Enjoy the tranquil Annaty Burn through mixed woodlands and keep an eye out for wildlife. Get up close with nature on two platforms built over the water and traverse seven bridges to explore paths on both sides of the burn.

Mostly wide, flat, stone woodland path. Some stretches can be damp after heavy rain. Low gradients



1 1/2 miles / 2.5 km Allow ¾ hr

○─○ High Woodland Path

Explore the wooded paths above Annaty Burn and discover stunning viewpoints. Make your visit as long and rigorous as you like by exploring other linking paths. Watch out for squirrels and a variety of birds among the trees!

Mostly narrow earthen path with some uneven sections, which can be muddy after heavy rain. **Moderate gradients and** some steps.



1 mile / 1.5 km Allow 3/4 hr

Key to the symbols

Coffee Shop



Viewing Platform

Visitor Centre

View Point

Parking

Picnic Area

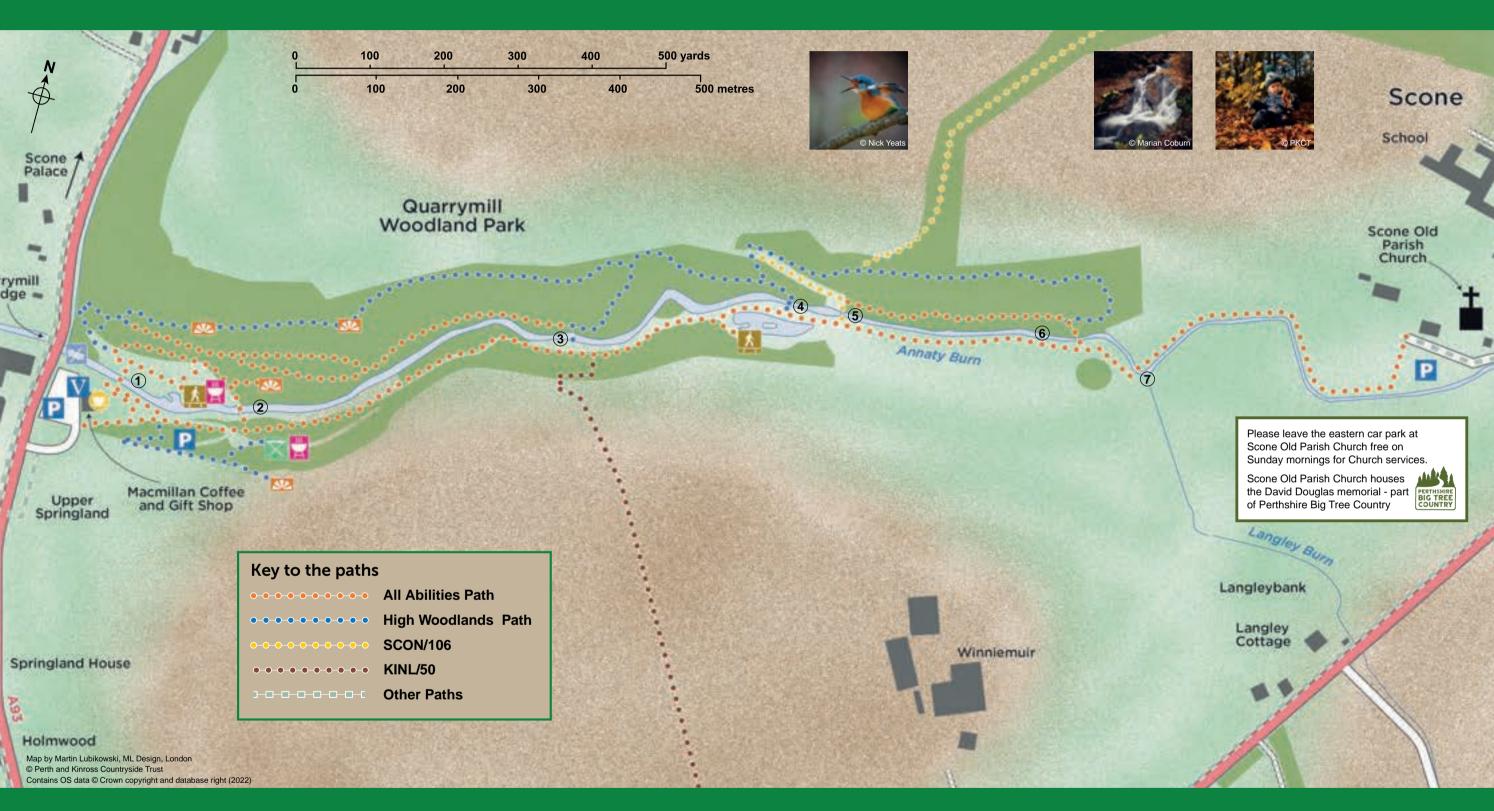


Barbecue Area



Ford

Bridge



Macmillian Coffee and Gift Shop

The Macmillan Coffee and Gift Shop can be found at the Isla Road (A93) entrance of Quarrymill Woodland Park, postcode PH2 7HG.

The friendly volunteers serve a delicious selection of home-made soup, sandwiches and cakes. The shop has a wonderful variety of gifts. All funds raised go towards the Cornhill Macmillan Cancer Centre in Perth.

Open 7 days a week from mid-March to the end of October.

Contact the Coffee Shop on 01738 633890 or macmillancoffeeshop@yahoo.co.uk.

Check out their website or Facebook page (@Quarrymill) for the latest information.



Growing up with Quarrymill

Growing up with Quarrymill is a partnership project between RSPB Scotland and The Gannochy Trust. It aims to engage and connect local communities, children, young people, teachers, and families with the natural world at Quarrymill Woodland Park.

We provide varied, exciting, and challenging outdoor experiences for a range of age groups to discover, explore and learn about the local environment. Hands on and learner-led education inspires those who join us and instills a sense of ownership and connection to nature at Quarrymill.

For more information, upcoming events and sessions, and to get in touch, follow us on Facebook @GrowingUpWithQuarrymill.

