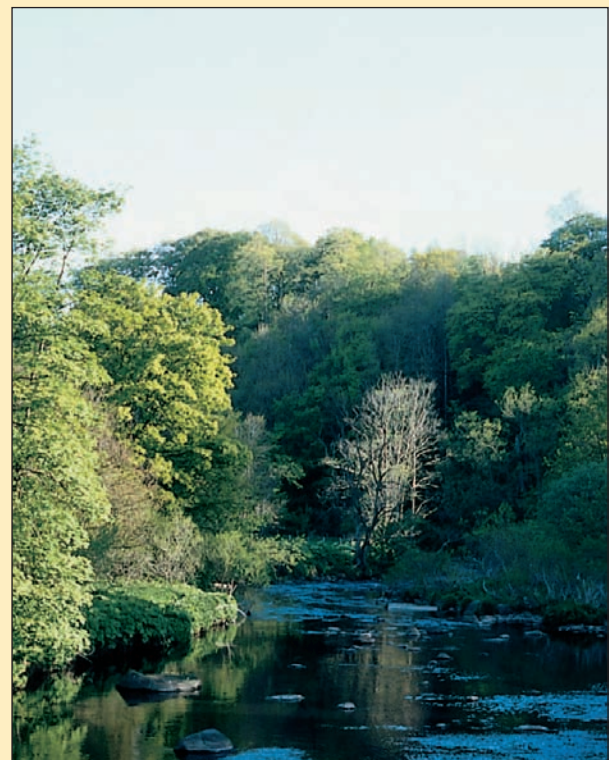


ALMONDELL & CALDERWOOD COUNTRY PARK

NEAR BROXBURN WEST LoTHIAN



For further information, to book facilities or for general enquiries contact:-

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OPENING HOURS

APRIL TO OCTOBER

Monday to Sunday 09.00am to 5.00pm
 Closed for Lunch 12.30pm to 1.00pm

NOVEMBER TO MARCH

Monday to Sunday 10.00am to 4.00pm
 Closed for Lunch 12.30pm to 1.00pm

BY BUS

Buses from Edinburgh to East Calder. Unfortunately there are no direct public transport routes to the park.

BY TRAIN

The nearest station is at Uphall Station, three miles from the Park.

CAR PARKS

1. North Entrance - signposted off the A89, 2 miles due south of Broxburn. Nearest car park to the Visitor Centre with access to disabled car park.
2. South Entrance - on the B7015 at the east end of East Calder.
3. Gasworks Brae - next to the Masonic Hall on Bank Street in Mid-Calder.
4. Oakbank car park - on the A71, three quarters of a mile east of the Lizzie Brice roundabout.

For more information on West Lothian's other countryside areas, please contact the Ranger Service at:

Beecraigs Country Park, Linlithgow

Telephone: 01506 844516.
 www.beecraigs.com

Polkemmet Country Park, Whitburn

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VISIT ALMONDELL AND CALDERWOOD COUNTRY PARK

Tucked out of sight in the valley of the River Almond and stretching for 1.5 miles between Broxburn and East Calder, Almondell & Calderwood Country Park is probably the best kept secret in West Lothian!

Based around two adjoining estates (Almondell at 97 acres and Calderwood at 130 acres) and with a history going back 340 million years to the time of the Carboniferous swamps, this area has much to offer its visitors.

Based at the Visitor Centre, the Countryside Ranger Service will help you to both enjoy your visit and understand the needs of the countryside. Whether it be assisting school visits, giving illustrated talks, organising nature and conservation clubs, or leading guided walks and activities, contact the Ranger Service.

The converted stable block now houses the Visitor Centre where people can come for information on what to see and do in the surrounding countryside, book the use of the facilities (such as the barbecue sites and the conference room) or relax in the conservatory, where light refreshments are available. Admission is free and the Park is open throughout the year.



Whatever the season, there is always something of interest for visitors to Almondell & Calderwood Country Park - peace and quiet, walking the dog, a family barbecue, picnicking or simply soaking up the atmosphere.



Left undeveloped and unspoilt, Calderwood is a complete contrast to Almondell. This natural woodland, located on a plateau bounded by the Linhouse and Murieston

Waters, is home to a wealth of wildlife. Roe deer, fox, heron and woodpecker all make their homes here, while the many oak and hazel trees provide food for the squirrels and woodmice.



Spring flowers, summer azaleas, autumn colour, winter woodland - Almondell & Calderwood has time for everyone!

