

Make a Donation to The Grantham Canal Society

All donations are used to help support the work of the GCS. Donations can be made to our general fund and larger donations may be dedicated to specific projects such as lock chamber restoration or lock gate construction and installation

Money is always welcome but donations can take many forms. Plant and materials for the physical restoration process, linked to the projects planned or underway on the canal, are especially welcome by our working parties.

Join the Grantham Canal Society – NOW !

Don't forget – help us reclaim the tax!!

Gift Aid it...

"I am a UK taxpayer and I would like the Grantham Canal Society to treat all donations I have made, as well as any future donations, as Gift Aid, until I notify them otherwise."

Please remember to notify us if you change your address or no longer pay as much in income (or capital gains) tax as we reclaim on your donations in the current tax year.

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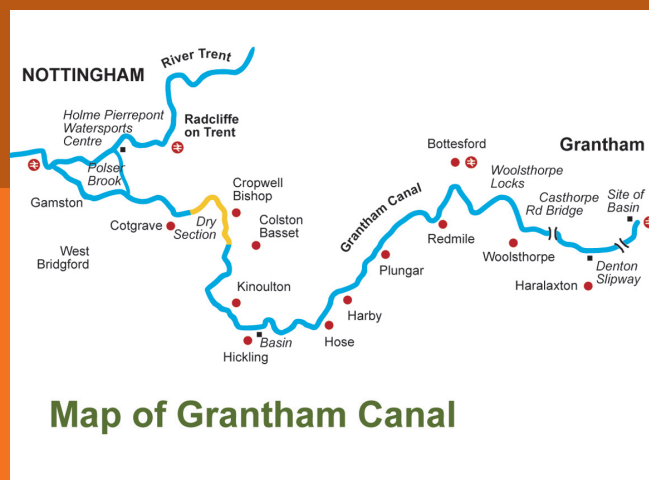
We'd like to keep in touch via email. If you are happy with this please write your email address in the space provided. You can stop receiving emails at any time and we will not share your email address with other organisations.

And to help even further, donate your old:

- Stamp Collection
- Beermats and Pump Clips
- 12" vinyl LPs and CDs
- Copies of "Viz", "Private Eye", etc
- Model Railway Trains and Track

We can sell on all kinds of items and every little helps.

Ring 07970 858458 if you wish to donate any of the above or Email: donate@granthamcanal.com



Map of Grantham Canal

Talk to us about the choices open to you and thank you, in advance, for caring about the Grantham Canal.

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Support the
Grantham Canal,
Now & Into the Future



*Become a Sponsor,
Make a Donation,
Leave a Legacy.*



.... for today, and for future generations

The Grantham Canal is a neglected waterway but has the potential to be one of Britain's most beautiful canals. Volunteer activity has already resulted in several million pounds worth of work having been completed as we strive to restore it to the navigable, sustainable gem of the English countryside that it deserves to be.

The Grantham Canal Society is dedicated to full, sustainable restoration in a way that advances and respects the canalside communities, the visitors, users and all their interests.

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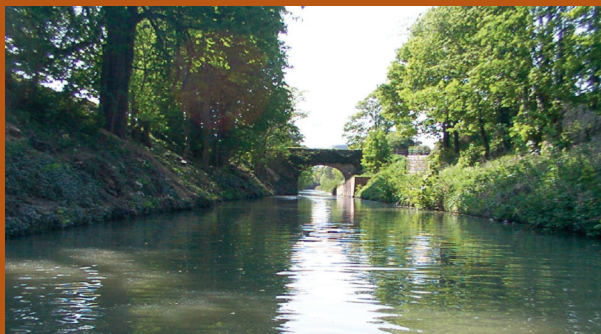
Your Interest in the Grantham Canal

Maybe you connect with the wildlife and the natural environment and realise that the Grantham is one of the most beautiful rural canals in Britain.

Please understand that this beauty is fragile and that without our efforts the canal would disappear, destroying one of England's most diverse wildlife habitats.

It could be the history of the canal and its surrounding area, or respect and admiration for the pioneer canal engineers and their navvies who transformed transport in the eighteenth century but blended their revolution into the natural environment.

Whatever your interest, please help us to sustain it.



The secluded upper reaches.... Harlaxton

Become a Corporate Sponsor of "The Grantham"

The Grantham Canal Society seeks to develop a Corporate Supporters' Scheme. We seek to involve your employees, your customers and suppliers in the canal, and demonstrate your organisation's commitment to our natural and historical environment. Doing something worthwhile is a great stimulus for any employee, allowing them to experience a satisfying sense of awareness and achievement.

As a corporate member the benefits we can offer you may be limited but they are heartfelt....

1. A free annual trip on our narrowboat, "The Three Shires"
2. Volunteering days under the auspices of the GCS Restoration Team provide an interesting solution for those looking for team building and staff development ideas that are a little out of the ordinary.
3. Workplace talks by Grantham Canal Society experienced members will introduce your staff to any aspect of the canal from its history, through our strategy for restoration, current campaigns and the most recent developments.
4. Themed towpath walks giving an insight into the history, canal operations, the wildlife and environment plus the restoration and behind-the-scenes GCS activity.

Leaving "The Grantham" a Legacy

We need your help. We will never be a wealthy charity nor do we receive government funding, so we rely heavily on YOUR support. Without it, we could not restore or sustain the canal. Help us create a positive future – the future is green (with a continuous thread of water running through it).

No matter how small, leaving something to us in your Will really makes a difference. The combined generosity of members who remember us in their Wills could add up to something truly amazing. You can be confident that your gift will have a real impact.



Hickling Basin, restored 1994

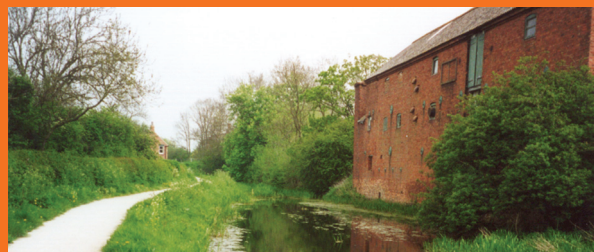
Why Support the Grantham Canal?

We seek to bring the canal back to the centre of everyday life for communities and visitors alike.

Since the late 1960's a succession of people in various guises have developed and pursued a vision of the full restoration of the Grantham Canal, a 33 mile long green waterway corridor from Grantham to Nottingham, preserving an important wildlife habitat and with the potential to create jobs and local business opportunities.

Your gift, through donation, sponsorship or legacy, could be of a general nature or you may wish to be remembered for supporting a specific project or initiative on the canal.

To talk to us about the "Corporate Supporters' Scheme" please ring 0560 3333 228 or email us at membership@granthamcanal.com giving full contact details. We will be pleased to talk to you.



Harby Warehouse - an original canal building

Fundraising through Sponsorship

Sponsorship of canal related activity is a popular way of fundraising. Sponsorship by family, friends and colleagues can take many forms. For example, you may be sponsored for

- a towpath walk – 33 miles, Nottingham to Grantham
- organising and/ or participating in a towpath marathon
- wildlife identification competition

Become a "pound-for-pound" sponsor – look into matched giving either personally or in partnership with the organisation you work for.