

CONSERVATION GRAZING IS ESSENTIAL

Livestock grazing is essential for the conservation of many of England's most important wildlife habitats. New Milton Town Council are responsible for the Ballard Water Meadow site, designated a Site of Importance for Nature Conservation; managed in line with Environmental Stewardship requirements under the **Higher Level Stewardship** scheme.

Previously grazed by a small herd of Dexter cattle, **we've now got 4.25 ha of grazing**

available in the meadow from September to March, year on year, and **we need conservation grazers** to help us maintain this important local wildlife site.

The site benefits from full stock fencing around the meadow and secured gates. Livestock have access to a water trough that is regularly checked.

Dexter cattle would be ideal for this site, but we are happy to discuss other breeds as appropriate.



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