

ELMLEY

NATURE RESERVE

January 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	What's on this month?
			1 9am-4pm Friends of Elmley extended opening – 7.30am-4.15pm	2 CLOSED	3 9am-4pm	4 9am-4pm	<p>January sees our winter numbers of wildfowl and waders peak and is prime time for watching owls and Bearded Reedlings. Enjoy crisp, cold winter days on our most abundant season for birds.</p> <p>Friends of Elmley Extended Openings:</p> <p>Thursday 1st, 7.30am-4.15pm Sunday 11th, 9am-4.30pm Thursday 15th, 7.30am-4.45pm</p>
5 CLOSED	6 CLOSED	7 9am-4pm	8 9am-4pm	9 CLOSED	10 9am-4pm Friends of Elmley extended opening – 9am-4.30pm	11 9am-4pm	
12 CLOSED	13 CLOSED	14 9am-4pm	15 9am-4pm Friends of Elmley extended opening – 7.30am-4.45pm	16 CLOSED	17 9am-4pm	18 9am-4pm	
19 CLOSED	20 CLOSED	21 9am-4pm	22 9am-4pm	23 CLOSED	24 9am-4pm	25 9am-4pm	
26 CLOSED	27 CLOSED	28 9am-4pm	29 9am-4pm	30 CLOSED	31 9am-4pm		



February 2026

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						1 9am-4pm	
2 CLOSED	3 CLOSED	4 9am-4pm	5 9am-4pm Friends of Elmley extended opening – 7.30am-5.40pm	6 CLOSED	7 9am-4pm	8 9am-4pm Friends of Elmley extended opening – 9am-5.40pm	Enjoy thousands of Wigeon and wildfowl, as we reach peak numbers. The male Lapwings begin to establish breeding territories and can be seen displaying on mild or sunny days.
9 CLOSED	10 CLOSED	11 9am-4pm	12 9am-4pm	13 CLOSED	14 9am-4pm	15 9am-4pm	Friends of Elmley Extended Openings:
16 CLOSED	17 CLOSED	18 9am-4pm	19 9am-4pm Friends of Elmley extended opening – 6.45am-6pm	20 CLOSED	21 9am-4pm	22 9am-4pm	Thursday 5 th , 7.30am-5.40pm Sunday 8 th , 9am-5.40pm Thursday 19 th , 6.45am-6pm
23 CLOSED	24 CLOSED	25 9am-4pm	26 9am-4pm	27 CLOSED	28 9am-4pm		



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March 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	What's on this month?
						1 9am-4pm	
2 CLOSED	3 CLOSED	4 9am-4pm	5 9am-4pm Friends of Elmley extended opening – 6.15am-4pm	6 CLOSED	7 9am-4pm	8 9am-4pm Friends of Elmley extended opening – 9am-6.20pm	Weather and wildlife are very changeable as we approach the beginning of Spring. The first Wigeon and Brent Geese leave us for the Arctic, whilst the first Chiffchaffs, Wheatear and Sand Martins can be seen before the end of the month.
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16 CLOSED	17 CLOSED	18 9am-4pm	19 9am-4pm Friends of Elmley extended opening – 5.45am-4pm	20 CLOSED	21 9am-4pm	22 9am-4pm	Friends of Elmley Extended Openings: Thursday 5 th , 6.15am-4pm Sunday 8 th , 9am-6.30pm Thursday 19 th , 5.45am-4pm
23 CLOSED	24 CLOSED	25 9am-4pm	26 9am-4pm	27 CLOSED	28 9am-4pm	29 9am-5pm	
30 CLOSED	31 CLOSED						

