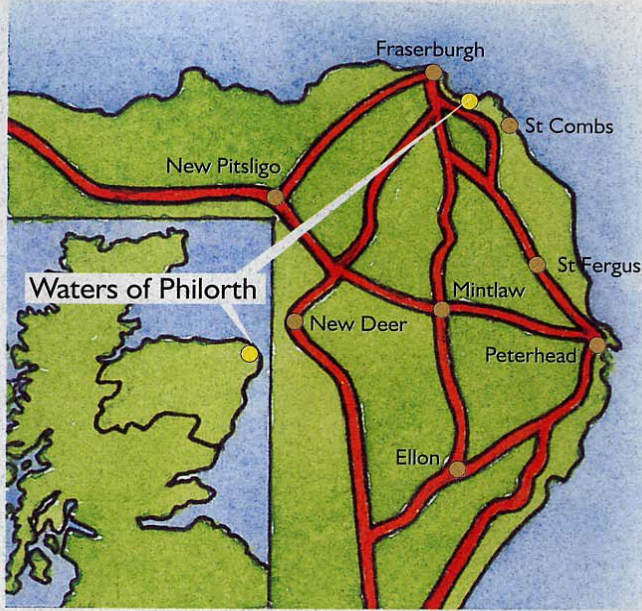


## Where is Waters of Philorth?

Waters of Philorth Local Nature Reserve lies two miles south east of Fraserburgh town centre on the B9033 to St. Combs and Inverallochy.



## How do I get there?

The Local Nature Reserve can be reached on foot by walking along the beach of Fraserburgh Bay or by car on the B9033. Parking is available on the site. You can also catch the No. 275 bus service which runs between Fraserburgh and St. Combs every half an hour.

Waters of Philorth Local Nature Reserve is managed on your behalf by Aberdeenshire Council.

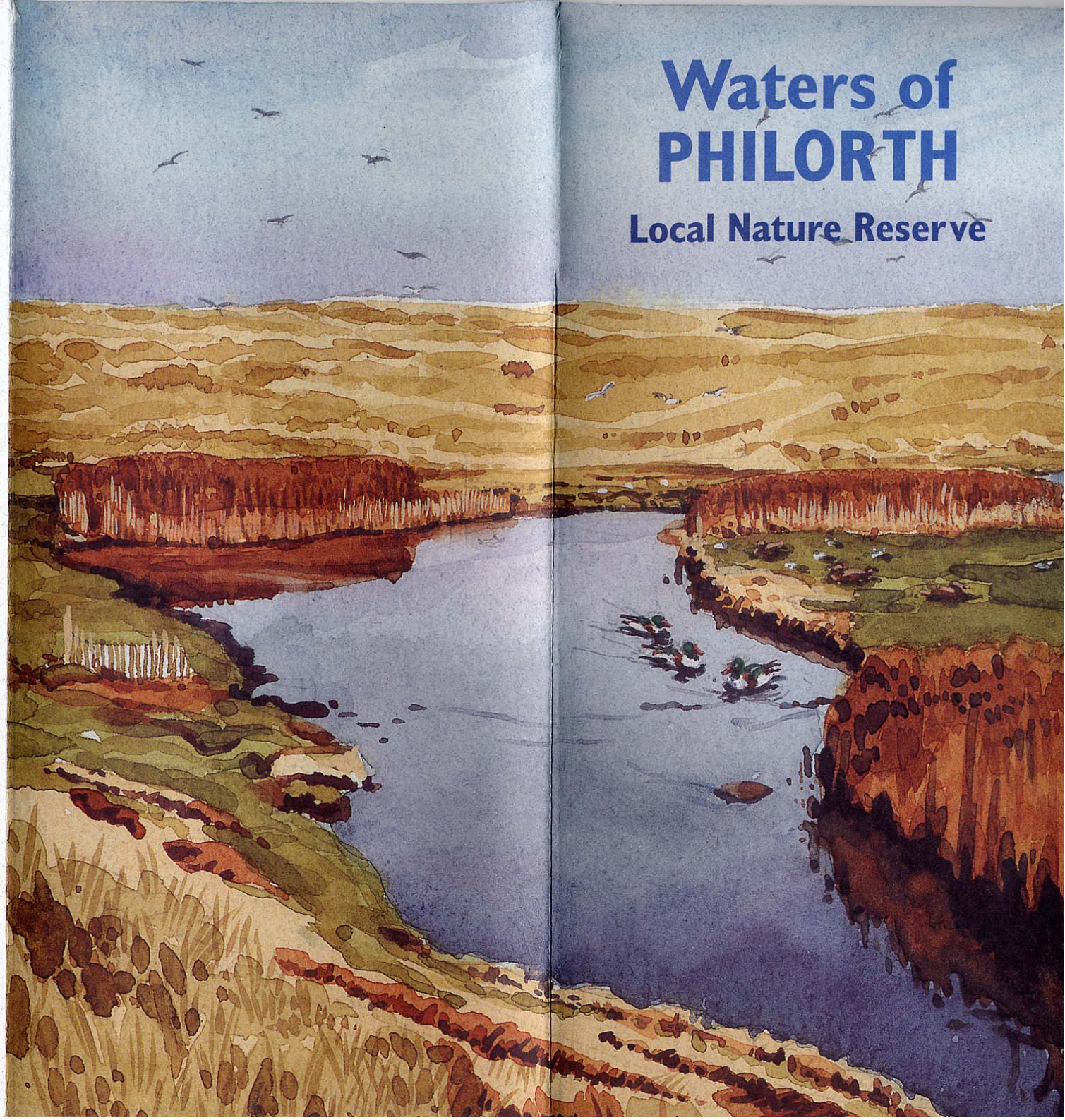


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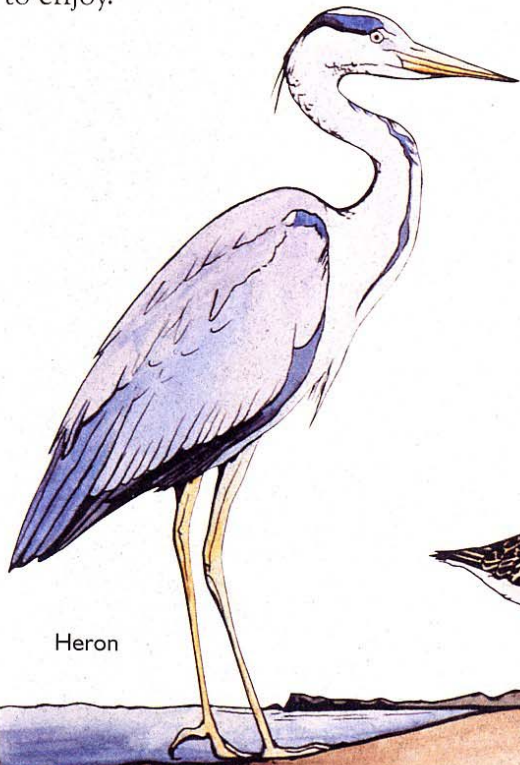
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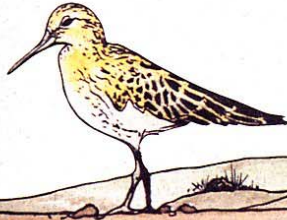
**W**aters of Philorth has been designated as a Local Nature Reserve because of the variety of habitats that can be found here. On your visit you will see sand dunes, marshes, reed beds, the river and its estuary, and the beach which all combine to provide an attractive haven for wildlife and outdoor surroundings for you to enjoy.



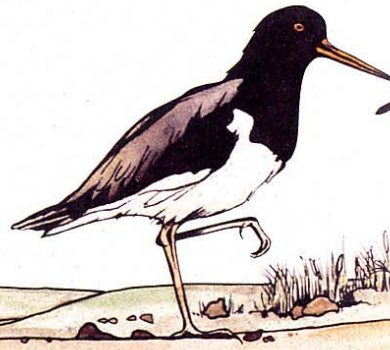
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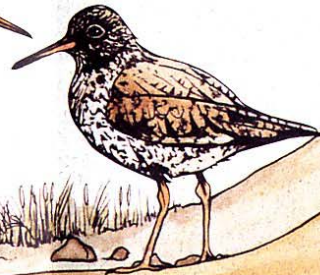
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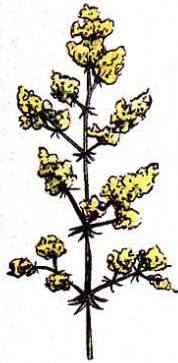


Redshank



Ringed Plover

**T**he sand dunes on the reserve have developed during the last century and the river course has altered considerably as a result of this. The site's history of moving sands adds a distinctive character to the reserve making it a fascinating area to learn about the natural environment and local history.



Ladies Bedstraw



Northern Marsh Orchid



Cowslip

**W**aters of Philorth is a pleasant place to walk or just sit and picnic. The Local Nature Reserve is open all year round with footpaths providing access to Fraserburgh Bay, a three mile stretch of golden sands, and a walk along the river bank.



Birdsfoot Trefoil



Marram Grass

**T**he map overleaf shows you the variety of habitats you can see and the range of plants, birds and insects that live on, or visit, the site. Use your eyes and ears to learn more about the reserve and its inhabitants on your visit.

### Country Code

We hope you enjoy your visit to the Local Nature Reserve and ask you to take the following steps to make the site better for people and wildlife:

- Please use the litter bins or take your litter home.
- Please keep your dog under control and clean up after it using the dog bins.
- Stay on the main footpaths – the sand dunes are fragile and easily damaged by erosion.