



PRESS RELEASE

Visitors flock to Pensthorpe for a flamboyant Flamingo Fiesta weekend

Pensthorpe Natural Park, near Fakenham, held its first Flamingo Fiesta event at the weekend, on 29 and 30 June 2019, and over 1,000 visitors came along to celebrate the flamboyant birds.

Flamingo-inspired activities included special flamingo trails with facts on the wading birds, fun flamingo storytelling sessions, flamingo face painting and photo opportunities with a fluffy Flamingo character named Gilda.

Many youngsters also dressed-up as flamingos for the event, as Jo Artherton, Marketing and PR Manager at Pensthorpe comments: "Our first Flamingo Fiesta event was all about celebrating these graceful and social birds and getting people to learn more about them. The weather over the weekend was glorious and the flamingos loved basking in their tropical lagoon-inspired home in the Wetland Discovery Area and enjoying a dip in the water. It was wonderful seeing lots of little ones arriving at Pensthorpe dressed in their pink flamingo clothes and enjoying seeing our resident flock of 49 flamingos up close."

For more information about Pensthorpe visit pensthorpe.com or call 01328 851465.

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Editors Notes

Pensthorpe Natural Park is on the A1067, one mile from Fakenham and 30 minutes drive from Norwich city centre. Open all year from 10am. Seasonal closing times. Please check website. Closed Christmas Eve, Christmas Day and Boxing Day.

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