











# LNBP

## AT BRAUNSTON

**Canal boat residential trips and short breaks for community groups and organisations**

The Queen's Award for Voluntary Service

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We are a registered charity and non-profit making voluntary organisation providing opportunity for community groups and organisations, schools and colleges to enjoy canal boating holiday and short break experiences on the Grand Union and Oxford Canals in central England.

We welcome community groups of all ages, backgrounds and interests to enjoy the experience of canal boating with us on our two 12 berth canal boats, Lancelot and Guinevere. They are based at the historic junction of the Grand Union and Oxford Canals at Braunston, a pretty village on the county borders of Northamptonshire and Warwickshire, located five miles from Daventry and eight miles from Rugby.

## Our Boats

Lancelot and Guinevere are purpose-built, full-length, modern vessels that are designed, fully-equipped and maintained to the highest possible standards, making the boats suitable for all-year round cruising.

Each boat has three separate cabins with central heating, instant hot water and double glazing, and contains two toilets and a shower. Sleeping accommodation is provided in four berth and six berth cabins, the saloon area provides accommodation for the group leaders, with an additional berth available in the rear cabin for the project's skipper when on board.

The canal boats are made available with an accompanying LNBP skipper to any organisation. Alternatively if the leader holds an LNBP Skipper Certificate or a Certificate in Community Boat Management, the group can self-steer.

## Great places to visit

Braunston is a wonderful spot and a great departure point with so many routes and destinations to choose from depending on your length of trip. Plus, it is a great accessible location for groups and organisations from all over the UK to reach and set off from.

From Braunston, there is the option of overnight trips which allow plenty of time to capture the immediate beauty of the surrounding countryside and local history. Trips of two, five or up to 10 days can take you to explore the likes of Coventry, Birmingham; Leamington Spa, Warwick and Stratford-upon-Avon; Leicester and Foxton Locks, Northampton, Stoke Bruerne and Milton Keynes; Banbury and Oxford.

Day trips for groups can also be arranged. Please contact us for further details.





# Who can hire our boats?

## YOUTH GROUPS AND ORGANISATIONS WORKING WITH YOUNG PEOPLE

- Local Authority Youth and Children's Services
- Young Carers Network
- Voluntary Youth Organisations (National Association of Youth Club member organisations, Princes Trust, etc.)
- Youth Performing Art Centres
- Duke of Edinburgh's Award Centres

## SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

- Educational establishments from 8 years upwards, including young people who may have special needs.

## UNIFORMED ORGANISATIONS

- Cubs, Scouts, Explorer Scouts, Scout Network
- Brownies, Guides, Senior Guides
- Boys Brigade
- Cadet Forces

## COMMUNITY GROUPS AND PROJECTS

- Church Groups
- Military organisations & Army Welfare Service
- Senior and veteran clubs and associations
- Social Groups (Ramblers, Women's Institute, U3A)
- Groups and organisations working with those with special needs and disabilities
- Organisations and projects working with the disadvantaged and the unemployed

**We have a minimum age of 8 years but no maximum age.**

**Group size is a maximum of 12 persons per boat inclusive of a minimum of 2 leaders, but exclusive of an LNBP Project Skipper.**

# So much to see, do, explore and enjoy

A short break with LNBP at Braunston provides a wide range of activities for you and your group to enjoy and experience. These include navigation and route planning, steering a boat through open countryside and tunnels, working the locks, opportunities for photography, stopping off for countryside walks, or just simply sitting back to relax and enjoy watching the world go by at a slower pace.

**We know that the experiences you and your group can expect to look forward to on the Grand Union and Oxford Canals with us will enthuse, inspire and last a lifetime.**

**So why not get in touch to book your group to come aboard and enjoy everything that canal boating has to offer.**

**We look forward to welcoming you aboard soon.**


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