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WELLY WANGING “How to” guide . . .

Welly Wanging is a competitive social event involving the throwing of a Wellington boot as far as the competitor possibly can. The welly may be wanged under arm or over arm; from a standing position or after a running start.

It is also delightfully simple you need:

- A Wellington Boot
- A Field (or other suitably large open space)
- A very long Measuring Tape
- Markers (to mark the spot where the welly lands) golf tees; plant labels; lolly sticks

RULES:

Competitors (and it can get very competitive!) pay a fee – **we suggest £1 for 3 throws** – and throw a welly as far as they can down the set course. Where the boot lands is marked; at the end of the day the farthest mark wins.

Perfectly adequate wellies for throwing can be found in cupboards or under the stairs in most homes at no expense. Using one or two pairs of identical wellies will of course ensure absolute fairness and equality!

It doesn't get much simpler than this! However, should you want to enhance your competition, a few suggestions:

- Add to the excitement and competitive nature of “**The Wangers**” by having a prominently displayed leader board – blackboard and chalk; whiteboard & marker pen;
- Another option – and test of wanging skill – is to have some circles marked out, or buckets placed, at varying distances on the course. Land a welly inside the circle or bucket to win a small prize.
- Don't forget the kids – what about a separate competition, with a smaller welly, for the under 12's?
- Finally, the ‘Toddler Welly Wang Challenge’ is another surefire winner. How could any parent resist getting their pride and joy to demonstrate how to launch a little rubber boot or two!

So there you have it . . . maybe you should get practising!

- To register your event, complete and return our Welly Wanging Registration Form
- Now hold your event . . . have lots of fun and raise some cash!
- Send your raised funds (please make cheques payable to Nottinghamshire Wildlife Trust) to:
Nottinghamshire Wildlife Trust, The Old Ragged School, Brook Street, NOTTINGHAM, NG1 1EA
- To make your donation go even further don't forget to return a completed Gift Aid Form for each separate payment.
Thank you for your support

For guaranteed fundraising success, let the wellies fly . . . !