

Summer Scavenger Hunt

There are all sorts of interesting wildlife and plants in our cemetery. How many can you find?

Foxglove



Yellow
buttercups

Hairy bee



- Foxgloves have tall spikes with bell-shaped flowers of pink, white or purple.
- Bees love the foxgloves and buttercups. Look for their nests in the wall by the Pow Burn, in burrows under the roots of trees, or even in our bug hotel.
- Rhododendron bushes have large clusters of open flowers. Under the leaves is a good place to look for caterpillars and small birds.

Chestnut leaf



Flowering
rhododendron

Herb Robert



- Herb Robert has little pink flowers with five petals. Have you had a sniff? Another name for this flower is Stinking Robert!
- There is a pair of woodpeckers nesting in the cemetery. Listen for the 'drumming'.
- Lots of headstones have carvings. Look out for the sign that explains what the different plants and flowers mean.

Grey Squirrel



Headstone
with carved
flowers

Greater
Spotted
Woodpecker