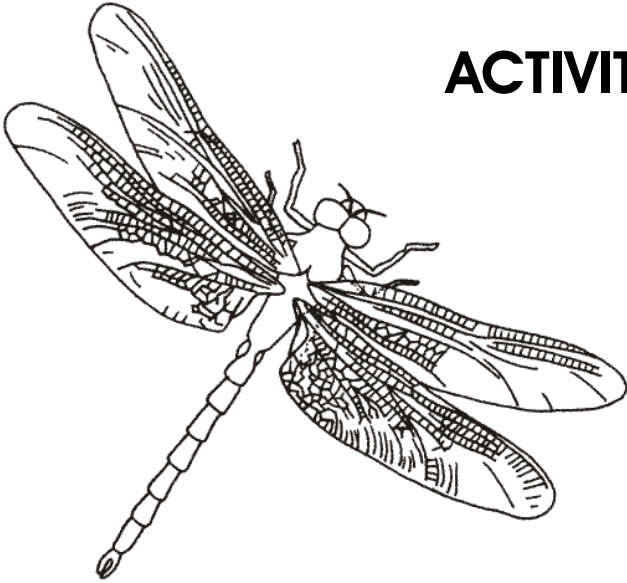


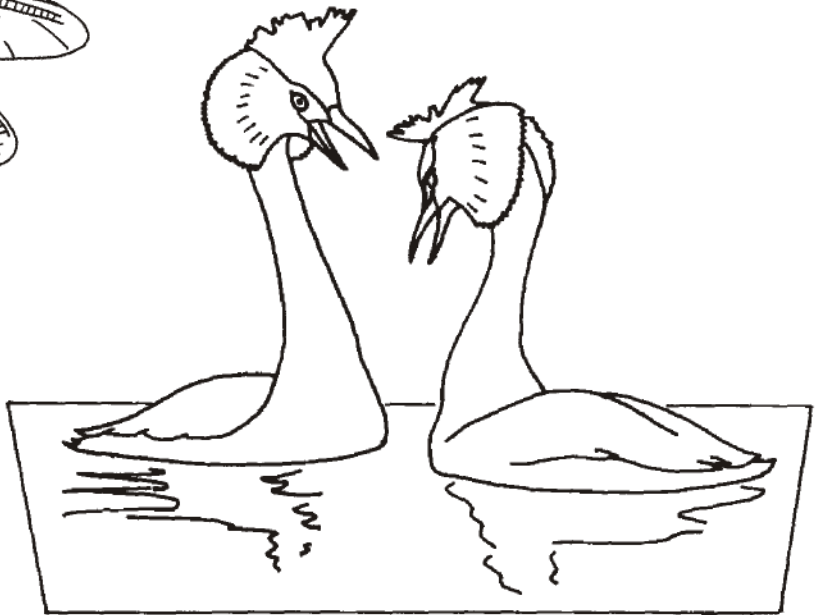
# THE SECRET HISTORY OF EARLSWOOD LAKES

## ACTIVITY SHEET

Colouring is Fun



Dragonfly



Great Crested Grebes



Flower of  
Great Willowherb



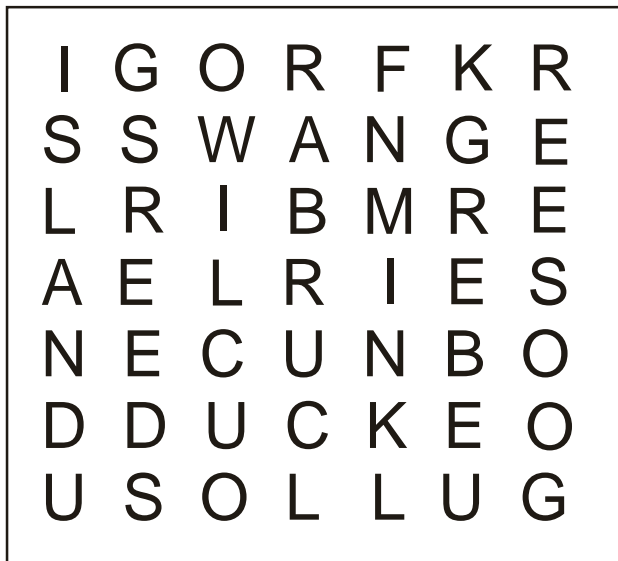
Jay

Write your name here

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## Earlswood Lakes Wordsearch

Hidden in the square are the names of nine things at the Lakes  
Can you find them?



Look for - ISLAND, REEDS, SWAN, MINK, GREBE, GOOSE, GULL, DUCK and FROG.

## What is it?

The first letters of the names of these creatures spell out the name of a long-legged water bird.

1) Mrs. Tiggywinkle was one.

2) A long, thin slippery fish.

3) The water vole in 'Wind in the Willows.'

4) A wise old bird.

5) An amphibian.

## Try this easy Earlswood Lakes crossword.

### Clues Across

2. Me.

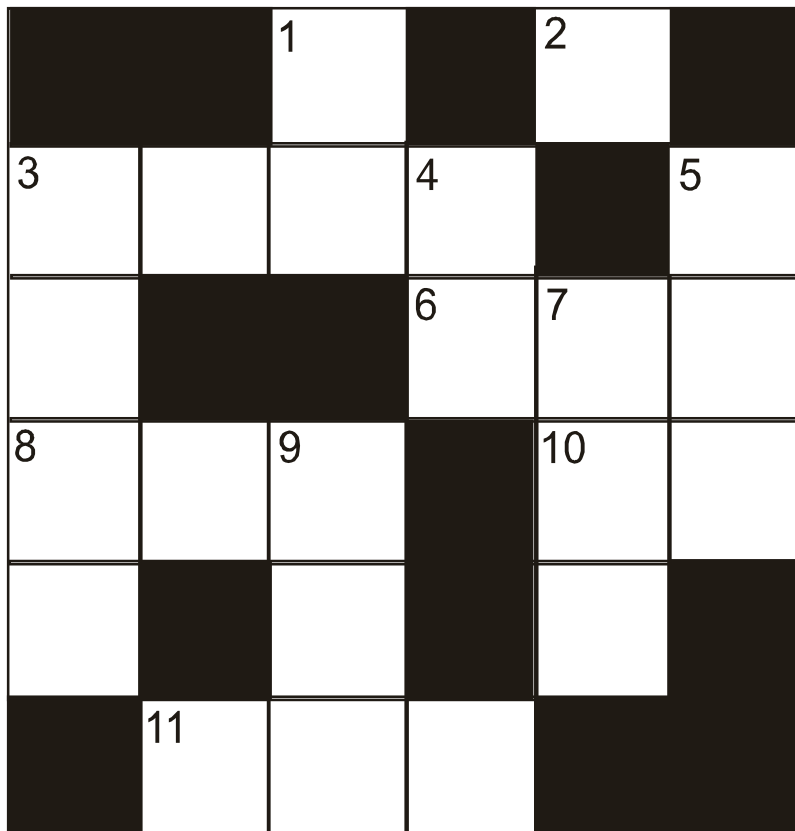
3. A black water bird.

6. Top position.

8. Steal.

10. You are here (initials).

11. Consumed.



### Clues Down

1. Move away.

3. A type of fish.

4. Towards.

5. Slippery fish.

7. You can catch fish with this.

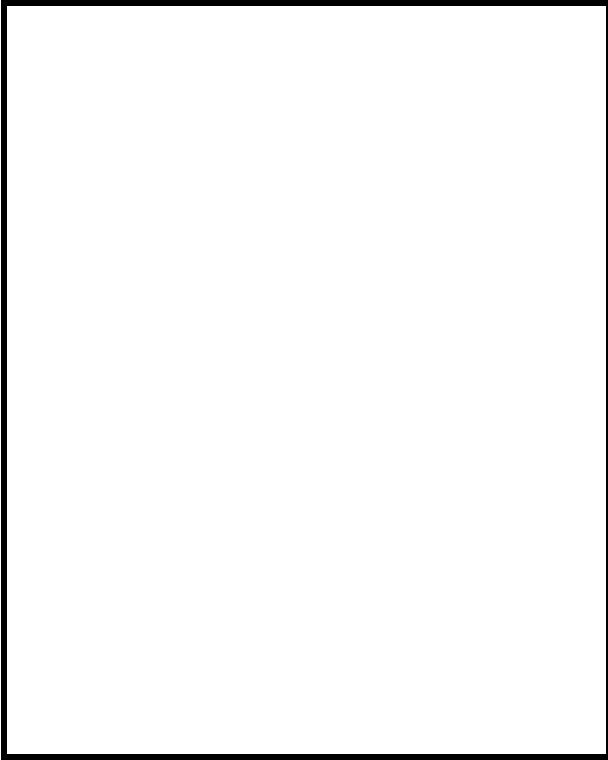
9. Flying mammal.

You will find all the answers to the puzzles on the back

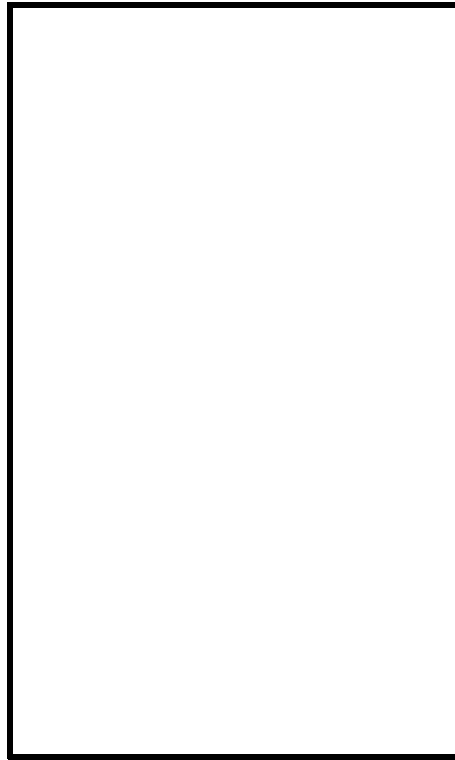
**Follow the secret History Trail around Earlswood Lakes  
and collect the pictures from the posts by making a rubbing in the  
spaces below and on the back page**

**You could try doing the rubbings in different colours.**

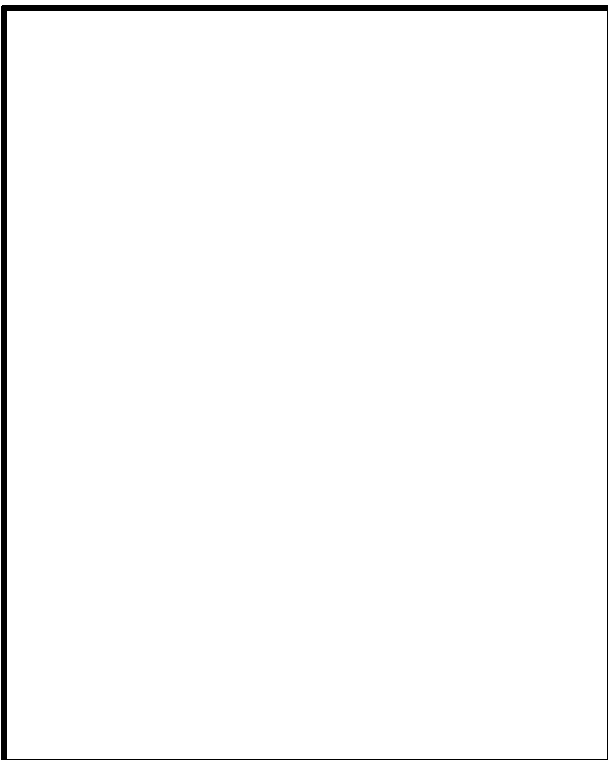
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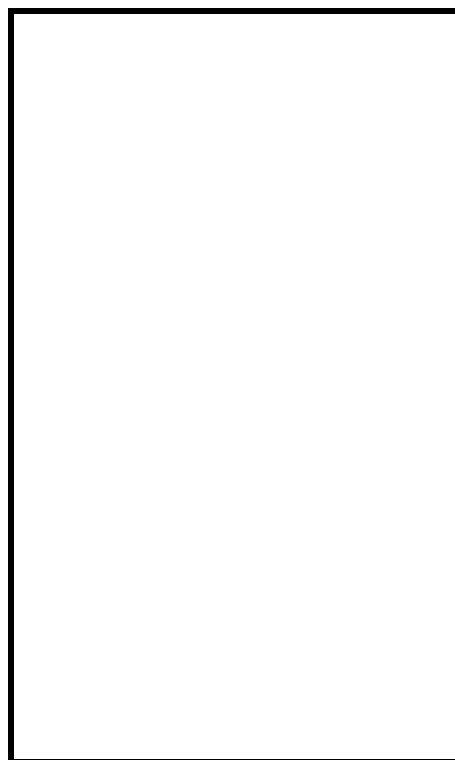
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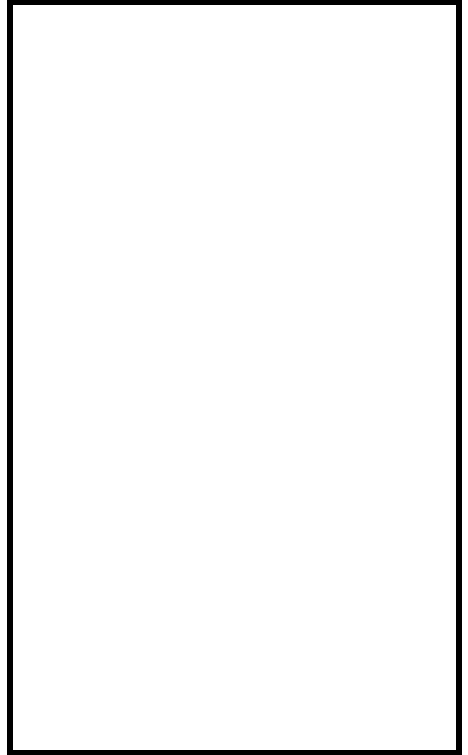
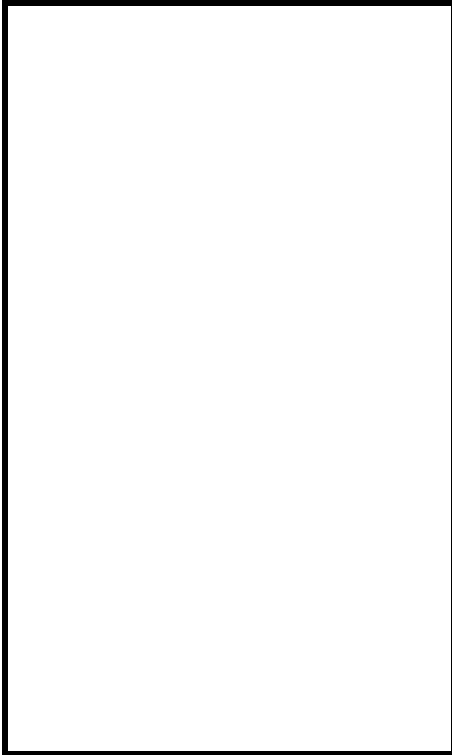
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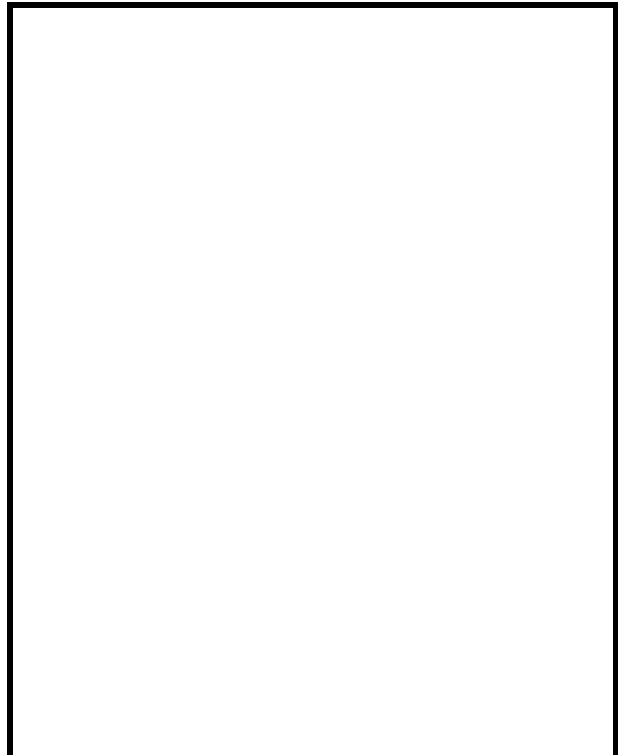
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**PUZZLE ANSWERS**

WHAT IS IT? 1) Hedgehog. 2) Eel. 3) Ratty. 4) Owl. 5) Newt - spells out HERON

CROSSWORD: Across: 2) I. 3) COOT. 6) ONE. 8) ROB. 10) E.L. 11) ATE.

Down: 1) GO. 3) CARP. 4) TO 5) EEL. 7) NET. 9) BAT.



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