Caring for canals and rivers across the North West

We're the charity working to protect and bring to life this 250-year-old network of canals and rivers spanning England and Wales. Not so long ago many canals were abandoned, and some lost forever. Today, with your support, wildlife is recovering, history is alive, boats are plentiful and spending time in this environment is contributing to our health and happiness.

Our mission is to keep this extraordinary network of canals and rivers alive, teeming with wildlife, transforming places they run through and enriching all of our lives. Your support today could help us care for the Liverpool Albert Dock and many more places, for today and generations to come.





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The task of protecting the finest examples of working industrial heritage including Liverpool Albert Dock, and the wildlife that calls it home, is growing all the time. As a charity we need you by our side more than ever. Please support our work today.





Keeping history alive

Opening in 1846, Albert Dock transformed the way docks worked. Its warehouses were fireproof and secure, and hydraulic cranes hauled heavy cargoes helping to cut the time it took to unload and turn ships around in half.

By the 1970s, the dock was silted and unused. In 1981, the Merseyside Development Corporation was established to regenerate the city's waterfront and docks. Following a £22 million facelift, Liverpool Canal Link opened to boats in 2009, extending the canal from Stanley Dock Lock Flight to the South Docks via Albert Dock.

Discover lots of fun things to do with the family by and on the water.
Go to canalrivertrust.org.uk/explorers

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Welcome to Albert Dock & Liverpool Canal Link

Connecting our inland waterways with the new world.



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We're the charity making life better by water

Liverpool's docks dominated global trade in the 19th century. Today its iconic architecture is central to the city's culture and heritage.

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5 things to do at Albert Dock & Liverpool Canal

- Walk along the Liverpool Canal link to Pier Head, see if you can spot the Cunard Building and the Liver Birds atop the Royal Liver Building.
- Visit the Museum of Liverpool, the Maritime Museum and the International Slavery Museum and learn how the docks shaped the history of the city, the country and the world.
- Take a trip on the world-famous Mersey Ferry.
- Enjoy world-class art at Tate Liverpool.
- Pause for a drink or bite to eat at Albert Dock and enjoy some time by water.

Did you know?

Albert Dock was awarded Grade I listed status in 1952 and is the largest single collection of Grade I listed buildings in the country'.

