

CANAPE summer newsletter - Building the farms

The first half of 2020 has been an exiting time in the CANAPE project, with various pilot sites developing rapidly, and giving a clear idea of what they will look like at the end of the project. This is despite numerous challenges - including the driest month on record in the UK.

Unfortunately, despite the problems variable weather poses for wetland restoration and management, this is something we will have to grow used to and start considering as we adapt to our changing climate.



Building a sphagnum farm (Video)

As mentioned in the last newsletter, we have made good progress at Barver Moor constructing a sphagnum farm. We now have a video ready to show the process of converting grassland to a sphagnum harm.

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Sizzling Charcoal

Last year we began our charcoal making journey with Roberta the Retort, our friendly charcoal making machine. This year we have really hit our stride, with new partnerships the product has been a significant hit with the public.

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Two for the price of one - a new farm in Store Vildmose

We have already mentioned one paludiculture farm - however we have also been hard at work in Denmark, building a new farm on a former potato field in Store Vildmose. This will grow Typha and Reed Canary Grass.

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International Day for Biodiversity

To mark International Day for Biodiveristy, we have built a list of some of the wonderful creatures that inhabit the wetlands we are working to enhance.

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