

John F Leslie
Woodland Walk

This is perfect area to look out for birds of the estuary. Going into the wood are some mature holly trees. This part of the woodland is very rich in ferns of several species.

Holly

A native shrub or small tree with glossy evergreen leaves and bright red berries. Holly has long since been associated with Christmas and, prior to that, with Celtic spirituality. Holly provides great shelter and food for birds. It grows very well under other larger trees such as oak, and is a very tough and resilient plant. It is slow growing and can live for over 100 years.



Ferns

All around you in this part of the wood, you will see ferns- unlike most of our flowering plants they are green throughout the year. They do not produce flowers or seeds but reproduce through the production of spores. Ferns do have stems, roots and leaves (called fronds). John F. Leslie Wood has 9 species of fern, including bracken and harts-tongue fern.



Information Map

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--- Woodland Walk
6km

--- Shannon way

○ - Current Location

○ - Information Points

