



# BP Supports - World Elephant Day 12<sup>th</sup> Aug 21



# Thank You for Supporting BPSupports

BPSupports encouraged the celebration of **World Elephant Day** by carrying out Elephant related activities and by becoming more aware of the plight of captive elephants.

A huge **Thank You** to everyone who got involved.

It certainly looks like you enjoyed yourselves and learnt some new skills!



Use and post **#WorldElephantDay** to spread the word about the elephant crisis

# We Adopted an Elephant



**THANK YOU**

BP Supports

You're helping WWF to protect the future of wild elephants and to tackle some of the biggest environmental challenges facing our natural world today.  
Thank you.

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To support the Elephant Crisis BPSupports have adopted an Elephant. Our donation helps to fund WWF work to protect elephant habitats, reduce poaching and address human-elephant conflict.

## Did you know?

- As the human population grows, more and more wildlife habitat is lost or fragmented.
- Around 20,000 African elephants are poached every year.
- The last 10 years have seen a surge in illegal trade in elephant ivory.

Should you wish to adopt an animal take a look here - <https://support.wwf.org.uk/adopt-an-elephant>

# Crochet The Elephant



Vanessa tried out her very new crochet skills and made the cutest, most colourful Elephant.

He is just adorable. Thank you Vanessa. What is next on your list?



# Anne the Elephant At Longleat



Elaine and her family spent the day at Longleat, home to Anne the Elephant. She spent her entire life in a circus until being rescued and homed at Longleat in 2011.

Thought to be 60 years old, Anne suffers with physical and mental hardships after spending majority of her life performing in a circus, she struggles to walk most distances and can often be seen dragging her back legs due to arthritis. Anne is also known to sway, a mental health issue that has developed into habitual behaviour from her time in the circus.



Anne is well looked after by her team of keepers. When Anne was rescued it was intended for her to not be an attraction, so if you go to Longleat you are lucky to see her.

Learn more about Anne - [\*\*Longleat\*\*](#)

# The Calleja Girls Got Crafty



Melissa's daughters Florence and Norah got their colouring pens out and spent some time colouring in.

They learnt new facts about Elephants and how we can look after them in our everyday lives.

## Amelia and Elaine



As much as Elaine wanted to dress Amelia up as an elephant, there was no luck in finding anything suitable. So Amelia spent the day in her elephant top and pink tutu.

And no Elaine did not spend the day with an elephant mask on.



## Help For Elephants



# Treehugger

There are many organisations that do brilliant work in preserving the habitat and conservation of Elephants.

These sites have given us lots of information on the problems and plights faced by these magnificent animals.

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**More information will be revealed for our next event**  
Film Club – 9<sup>th</sup> Sept.



**We've got this!**