

# The Elderflower Harvest

WE PAY FOR  
WHAT YOU PICK

Belvoir Farm  
Elderflower  
Cordial

£50\*  
cash

CELEBRATING 40 YEARS

\*Based on a 100L bin bag. Over 16+ only.

# GRAB A BAG AND HEAD TO THE HEDGEROWS FOR THIS YEARS ELDERFLOWER HARVEST.

**GET PAID TO PICK**  
We pay £3.50 per kilo for elderflowers.



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## SOME SIMPLE BUT IMPORTANT THINGS TO KNOW...

We like elderflower heads, so no stalks or leaves please. Flowers need to be fresh so please deliver them on the day they are picked because they go brown very quickly and become unusable.

## WE DO WANT

- \* Full, open flower heads
- \* Creamy white flowers
- \* Flowers without leaves or branches
- \* As much pollen on the flower heads as possible



## WE DO NOT WANT

- \* Browning of any kind
- \* Flowers with buds on
- \* Overly wet flowers
- \* Too many leaves
- \* Make sure you're not picking any Cows Parsley



## YOU'LL NEED...

All you need is a clean single use green bin bag to put the flowers in (provided in each field) and some strong footwear (walking boots). We advise you to wear long trousers so you don't get stung by nasty nettles.

Please note that our Belvoir Vale elderflower plantations are a few miles from the drop off point near Bottesford so you will need your own means of transport to bring in your flowers for weighing and payment.



## WHERE TO LOOK FOR FLOWERS...

Elderflowers like it best in un-cut hedgerows, preferably those that catch the sun and are out of the wind. Elderflower bushes tend to thrive in tucked away places like canal tow paths, disused railway lines and air strips, or field and woodland edges and corners.



## THE COUNTRYSIDE CODE:

When picking, do not pick from public places, e.g. church yards, and only pick from land with permission; please respect the countryside code:

- \* Be safe, plan ahead and follow any signs
- \* Leave gates and property as you find them
- \* Keep to the public footpaths in fields where crops are growing
- \* Protect plants and animals and take your litter home
- \* Consider other people
- \* Seek permission from landowners where applicable



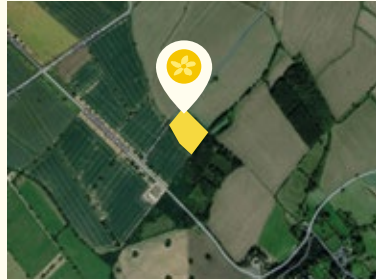
# ORGANIC ELDERFLOWER PICKING FIELDS

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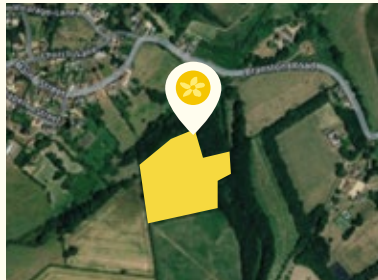
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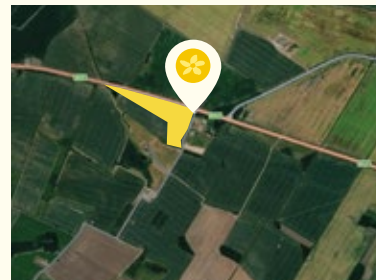
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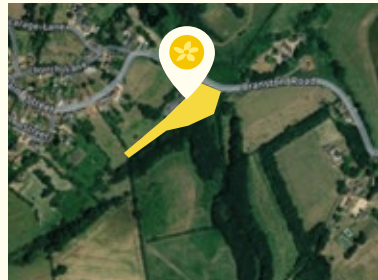
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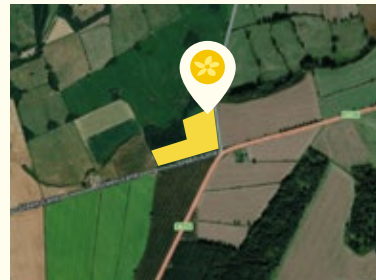
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**LINGS HILL** GPS: 52.843353, -0.799910



what3words ///nozzles.roost.accusing

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is an application for mobile phones that makes it easier to find and navigate to places. Just enter the given three words into the app. It is available for Android and iOS smartphones.

## WHERE & WHEN TO TAKE THE FLOWERS...

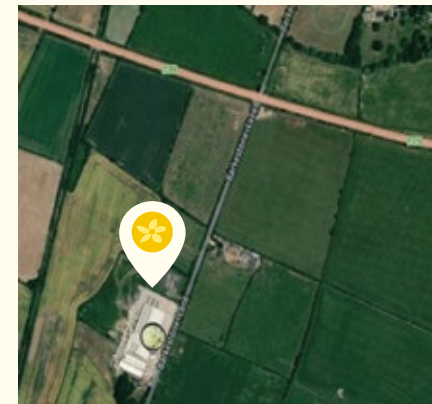
We operate two drop-off points for picked flowers that will be open in the afternoons starting from the 20th of May. The Belvoir and Sacrewell sites will run 6 days a week (Monday - Saturday).

### BELVOIR FARM

GPS: 52.92921, -0.81518

Barkestone Lane, Bottesford,  
NG13 0DH United Kingdom

OPENING TIMES: Mon - Sat, 14:00 - 18:00



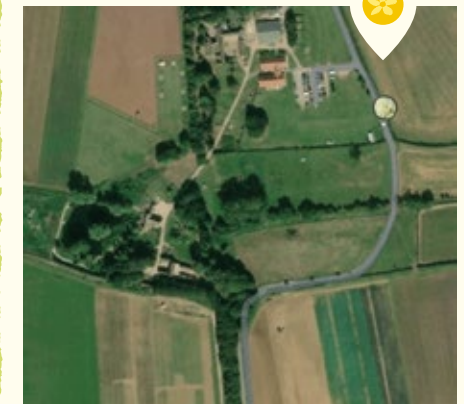
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### SACREWELL FARM

GPS: 52.58873, -0.40468

Thornhaugh, Peterborough,  
PE8 6HJ United Kingdom

OPENING TIMES: Mon - Sat, 14:30 - 17:00



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# 5 Picking Tips

To create the natural, delicate taste for which we're loved, we ask for...

## ALL FLOWERS TO BE ELDERFLOWER

European *Sambucus nigra* L  
- for the experts!

## FRESH FLOWER HEADS ONLY

No stalk, leaves, twigs, buds or foreign bodies.

## NO BROWN FLOWERS

Only creamy white fresh heads with lots of yellowy green pollen.

## NO OFF ODOURS

Only fresh, green-grassy, citrusy and flora aromas.

## DRY FLOWERS, MINIMAL MOISTURE

MAKE SURE YOU'RE NOT PICKING ANY COWS PARSLEY

Then weigh in,  
collect your cash  
**AND REPEAT!**

