Thank you for <u>not</u> feeding us bread!

Bread makes us ill, as it does not contain the right nutrition or calories that we need to keep us warm in winter.

Rotting bread pollutes our water and causes nasty surface algae, which kills our fish and gives us diseases. It also makes our water smell.





It's great that the local community are keen to help feed our birds, however if ducks and other waterfowl don't get the right nutrients in their diet they can develop an illness known as 'angel wing'. This can limit birds' ability to fly and can ultimately threaten their survival.

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Uneaten, rotting bread and other food left by ducks can also fuel the growth of algae and this can eventually eradicate fish from the area.

We'd urge people to think twice before taking bread with them when they go out to enjoy our brilliant local wildlife.

- Hampshire & Isle of Wight Wildlife Trust

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