



# Newsletter

Bracknell Conservation Volunteers

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## What we've been doing

**18 October 2022**

## Wykery Copse

The largest group coppiced hazel and created cages around coppiced stools to protect from deer browsing. A smaller subgroup repaired dams built previously and built new dams.

The weather was sunny and a bit cool to start with. We had a very good turnout of 25 volunteers.



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**25 October 2022**

## **Englemere Pond**

We were clearing willow from the edge of Englemere Pond and using what we cut to make a dead hedge to discourage dogs from entering the pond. The work was very muddy.

We had a good turnout of 23 volunteers.



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**1 November 2022**

## **Lily Hill Park (Starch Copse)**

We cleared "Area 3" of holly regrowth and bracken and bramble. Cleared material was burnt on site.

The weather was wet to start with, brightening up later, with heavy rain after lunchtime. 17 volunteers attended.

## **Coming up next**

**8 November 2022**

**Temple Copse**

Task: coppicing

**15 November 2022**

**Larks Hill**

Task: orchard prune

## What's on

### ***Nightingale Triangle***

***Work Party Saturday 5 November 2022***      ***10:00 – 14:30***

Street parking in Firlands

### ***Wildlife in Ascot***

***Saturday 12 November 2022***      ***09:00 – 12:30***

Conservation work at Allens Field

Meet in the car park off Liddell Way off Bouldish Farm Rd South Ascot SL5 9UZ

Dress for gardening work. Contact [ascot.wildlife@gmail.com](mailto:ascot.wildlife@gmail.com) for more info.

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