



Newsletter

Bracknell Conservation Volunteers

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What we've been doing

17 January 2023

Lark's Hill

On a bitterly cold morning we pruned the orchard trees, removing diseased, damaged or crossing branches and trying to produce a "goblet" shape, and creating space between neighbouring trees.

Prunings were piled in suitable places to be picked up later for shredding.

11 volunteers attended. The weather was very cold; the ground was frozen, but luckily there was not much wind.

24 January 2023

Edmunds Green

We coppiced an area south of the hedge between the orchard and the road, and cleared some holly. Stakes and binders were produced and piled to be used to create a dead hedge around the orchard later in the year.

24 volunteers attended. The weather was cold (about freezing) and dry.



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Coming up next

31 January 2023

Wildmoor Heath

Task: scrub clearance

7 February 2023

Lily Hill Park

Task: scrub clearance; rehanging 5-bar gate, orchard pruning

What's on

Jealotts Hill Community Landshare (JHCL)

Walk and wassail

Saturday 28 January 2023

12:00 – 15:00 (main event)

Countryside led walk from 11:00 – 12:30

Jealotts Hill Community Landshare, Wellers Lane at junction of Penfurzen Lane, Warfield
RG42 6BO, off A330 Ascot Road
No dogs on site except guide dogs.

St Mary's Bell Ringers Quiz Night

Saturday 11 February 2023

Start 19:00

Brownlow Hall, Newell Green, Warfield, RG42
£10 per head (cash only) which includes a top of the range ploughmans!
Ideally it's for teams of four but anyone who cannot make four is still welcome as there are
always teams who are short requiring extra brains!
There will be five rounds; three GK and trivia; one audio round and one visual round.

Wildlife in Ascot

Wildlife in Ascot Quiz Monday 27 February 2023 Starts 19:30

'The Wildlife in Ascot Quiz is back ! at The Stag in Ascot
Organise a team of 3 to 5 or come along and join a team on the night. This is
a free social event with a wildlife themed quiz in the Stag Pub in Ascot High
Street. Get yourselves settled with a drink for quizzing to start at 7:30 pm.
The pub serves good food.'

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