



Newsletter

Bracknell Conservation Volunteers

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What we've been doing

31 October 2023

Englemere Pond

We carried out scrub clearance and clearing work to widen a path. Cleared material was burnt on a bonfire.

The weather started sunny, but looked ready to rain any minute. 25 volunteers attended.



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7 November 2023

South Hill Park

This was an unusual kind of task for us, clearing up the car park. The weather was sunny. 16 volunteers attended



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14 November 2023

Temple Copse

We coppiced hazel stools where possible and removed holly and laurel. We built hazel cages to hold cleared material and reinforced some deer cages that had been built on previous tasks.

20 volunteers attended. The weather started fine but started raining and soon became very heavy.



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Coming up next

21 November 2023

Task: wet woodland restoration, clearing and damming

Piggy Wood

28 November 2023

Task: rhododendron clearance

Bucklers Forest

What's on

Berkshire, Buckinghamshire and Oxfordshire Wildlife Trust (BBOWT)

Saturday 2 December 2023

11:00 – 15:00

Christmas Tree sale

**Edgbarrow Woods Car Park
Wildmoor Heath, Sandhurst Road, Crowthorne near RG45 7PP**

Sustainable Christmas trees - from your local nature reserves

The Scots pine trees are sourced from local heathland by the Wildlife Trust. The 'green' Christmas trees are sustainably grown, freshly cut the weekend of the sale and drop-resistant. Felling the trees helps with the heathland management and restoration.

Christmas gift items, holly and pine cones will also be on sale.



Christmas Trees -
December 2023.pdf

Wildlife in Ascot

Saturday 9 December 2023

09:30 - 12:30

Conservation work at Allens Field - we will be planting a few saplings – if you have any native trees or hedging plants looking for a home do bring them along. We will also be creating some wood piles.

Meet in the car park - off Liddell Way, South Ascot SL5 9UZ here:

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/seRhoQsrTEsyqWw2A>

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