



Newsletter

Bracknell Conservation Volunteers

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What we've been doing

19 December 2023

Wildmoor Heath

This was our last task for 2023.

The task was to clear vegetation (broom, gorse and heather) about 1m either side of the path, and burn the cleared material on a bonfire. Given the incessant rain, the bonfire was surprisingly successful.

The weather was miserable, with constant rain, but fortunately was relatively mild. 14 volunteers attended in spite of the poor weather forecast.

In the evening we attended our Christmas meal at Peacock Farm. The meal was very good, as was the service. Richard and Trevor kept us entertained with picture quizzes and puzzles.

Acknowledgement

I am sure you will wish to join me in saying a big thank you to Trevor for organizing our Christmas meal, and to Richard and Hugh for keeping us amused in between courses.

Thanks are also due to our task leaders who have turned out in all weathers to ensure that we are able to provide a worthwhile service to the BFC rangers.

And thanks to the volunteers who nobly turned out in the rain at Wildmoor on 19 December.

What's on

Wildlife in Ascot

Saturday 10 February 2024

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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