



Newsletter

Bracknell Conservation Volunteers

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23 May 2024

What we've been doing

14 May 2024

Peacock Meadows South

The task was to install a new knee rail around the car park. The old rail was removed first and vegetation was cleared about 1 m from the edge of the tarmac. The new rail was then placed in position.

The weather was cloudy and warm. 21 volunteers attended.



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21 May 2024

Long Hill Park

The task was to remove creeping thistle and ragwort from the meadow. Only a small amount of ragwort was found, although there was plenty of thistle.

Weather was overcast and quite chilly. 20 volunteers attended.



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Coming up next

28 May 2024

Cabbage Hill

Task: ragwort pulling

4 June 2024

Heritage Parks

Task: TBD

What's on

Wildlife in Ascot

Conservation work

Saturday 8 June 2024

09:30 - 12:30

Conservation work at Allens Field – cutting back fresh rhododendron shoots near paths and pollinator surveys (if conditions are suitable). Please bring gardening gloves and wear sturdy boots/shoes.

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

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

Earthwatch

"Great UK water blitz"

Friday 7 June – Monday 10 June 2024

Over the weekend of the 7-10 June, earthwatch are asking people across the UK to go out and measure the water quality of their local rivers. With this data they can build a snapshot of the health of our rivers throughout the country. To take part, simply sign up using the form below and they will send you everything you need to easily measure your local water quality. More information here:

<https://earthwatch.org.uk/greatukwaterblitz/>

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