



Newsletter

Bracknell Conservation Volunteers

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What we've been doing

13 August 2024

20 August 2024

Bucklers Forest

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Unusually, we did the same tasks on this site for 2 consecutive weeks.

One task was to build allotment plots as raised beds in the Community Garden area. The timber for this was supplied ready cut to size, and needed putting together to make the raised beds.

Another task was to clear an area overgrown with weeds so that it could be used as a growing area.

We also transplanted bee-friendly plants from the areas to be covered by raised beds and planted these out in the meadow to the south of the area.

The weather was sunny and hot on 13 August and there was little shade. The weather was cooler on 20 August, overcast but dry.

22 volunteers attended on 13 August and 23 on 20 August.



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27 August 2024

Temple Copse

The task today was to coppice hazel and to cut down holly in Temple Copse, sections 4 and 5. Cut material was stored in enclosures, made mainly of hazel and holly.

24 volunteers attended, and we were happy to welcome a new volunteer. The weather was warm and bright but cloudy.



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Coming up next

3 September 2024

Task: reed clearance

Frost Folly

10 September 2024

Task: coppicing

Wykery Copse

What's on

Wildlife in Ascot

Survey of small mammals at Allens Field

Friday 13 September 2024 before sunset

Setting small mammal traps for a survey at Allens Field at around 6:30 pm -
volunteers needed :- Please email us at ascot.wildlife@gmail.com.

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

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

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