



Newsletter

Bracknell Conservation Volunteers

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23 May 2025

What we've been doing

25 February 2025

Nine Mile Ride

The task was planting trees on the boundary after the removal of rhododendron.

The weather was dry and fairly warm. 22 volunteers attended.



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4 March 2025

Bucklers Community Garden

The tasks were: continuation of dead hedge started previously

Planting a wild rose hedge

Adding stone and sand to base of waterlogged bee bank

Tidying up chipping paths in allotment

It was a bright, sunny day but cool, with some frost early on. 20 volunteers attended.



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11 March 2025

Wildmoor

The tasks were:

1. Remove boardwalk, remove nails from wood
2. Replace with hoggin to create raised path
3. Construct steps

The weather was overcast. We had a good turnout of 25 volunteers.



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18 March 2025

Whitegrove Copse

The tasks were:

1. removing old fence line adjacent to Harvest Ride
2. opening up footpaths, clearing brambles
3. create short section of dead hedge

The weather was bright and sunny, although still cold. 21 volunteers attended.



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25 March 2025

Peacock Meadows South

The tasks were:

1. To replace knee rail around Swift Fields car park
2. Mulch new trees in the community orchard
3. Build a bee bank and put up 2 bug hotels

The weather was cloudy and cold. 23 volunteers attended.



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1 April 2025

Harvest Hill (Rachel's pond area)

The tasks were to remove a boardwalk from road to bridge, to dismantle and remove old nails and put in trailer

The weather was sunny but not too warm. We had a very good turnout of 27 volunteers,



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8 April 2025

Peacock Meadows

The tasks were:

1. To continue with the knee rail in the car park
2. To start double rail fence around the orchard

The weather was perfect: warm, sunny and still. 20 volunteers attended



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15 April 2025

Wildmoor Heath

The tasks were:

1. To replace the existing knee rail fence in the car park with rustic knee rail fencing
2. Finishing off spreading hoggin on the path where we had removed the boardwalk

The weather was grey and damp. 18 volunteers attended



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22 April 2025

Larks Hill

The task was fence repair around a meadow to keep the cows in.

The weather was sunny and warm. 19 volunteers attended.



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29 April 2025

Lily Hill Park

The task was to repair path edging from the meadow towards the Wellingtonia. Both sides were reinforced with 8 x 2 wood. Brambles were cleared.

The weather was very good, sunny and warm and nice in the shade. 23 volunteers attended.



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