

Programme Nov-Dec 2023

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REFRESHMENTS – Please bring your own.

PLEASE WEAR old clothes, gloves and sturdy shoes or boots.

TETANUS: Please ensure this is up to date

MOBILE No. on day: Heather 07964 014022; Hilary 07436 214126; Rachel

Godfrey 07974 515968; Simon 07551 656847, Adrian 07729 471947.

Elaine 07538 109286, Clive 07508 338229

TOOLS to bring: If you have been issued with GG tools, e.g. loppers, shears, secateurs, pruning saw, please bring them along. Also gloves suited to the day's tasks and sanitiser.



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DATE & LEADER	MEETING PLACE	TASKS All sessions on Weds unless stated
1 st November 10 am – 1 pm Adrian adrian.angie.smithweir@gmail.com	Glyme Valley Nature Reserve. Meet at Glyme Farm - OX7 5XJ for BBOWT Glyme Valley reserve – SP 335260, 20-minute footpath walk from farm. #1	Continue with work from previous sessions removing blackthorn from open areas. Possible bonfire. Bring gloves. Possibility of cows being present in the pasture. If so, no bonfire?
8 th November 10 am -1 pm Rachel Godfrey rmgodfrey@outlook.com	William Fowler Wood. Park at Leisure Centre, Burford Rd, OX7 5DY. Meet near the start of track to allotments.	Scything the orchid areas, planting saplings, felling dead ash.
15 th November 10am-1 pm Heather rheatherleonard@yahoo.co.uk	Community Orchard Worcester Rd, Ch. Norton, OX7 5XS	General weeding, tidying and scything.. Move water tank and complete Donkey Parlour. Clip hedges, clear debris from tree felling. Bring secateurs and loppers, weeding tools, weeding gloves.
22 nd November (Option 1) 10 am-1 pm Simon simba217@gmail.com	Fitzalan Wood, The Triangle, Station Road, Ch. Norton OX7 5HX #2	Clear brambles, trim off and stack crowded branches, prepare carpeting for removal offsite and logs for storage.
22 nd November (Option 2) 10am-1 pm Hilary hilsandpeter@hotmail.co.uk	Hawkyard Copse.#3 Meet by gate to Common on New St/Worcester Rd (opp. Playground) OX7 5LJ	General clearance and tree-planting
29 th November 10am-1 pm Hilary hilsandpeter@hotmail.co.uk	Hawkyard Copse.#3 Meet by gate to Common on New St/Worcester Rd (opp. Playground) OX7 5LJ	General clearance and tree-planting
6 th December 10 am -1 pm Rachel Godfrey rmgodfrey@outlook.com	William Fowler Wood. Park at Leisure Centre, Burford Rd, OX7 5DY. Meet near the start of track to allotments.	Trimming by the track, coppicing hazel, laying woodchip on the path. Tools to bring: gloves.
13 th December 10 am – 1 pm Adrian adrian.angie.smithweir@gmail.com	Glyme Valley Nature Reserve. Meet at Glyme Farm - OX7 5XJ for BBOWT Glyme Valley reserve – SP 335260, 20-minute footpath walk from farm. #1	Continue with work from previous sessions removing blackthorn from open areas. Possible bonfire. Possibility of cows being present in the pasture. If so, no bonfire?
20 th December 10 am- 12:45 pm Simon simba217@gmail.com	Fitzalan Wood, The Triangle, Station Road, Ch. Norton OX7 5HX #2	Clear brambles, trim off and stack crowded branches, prepare carpeting for removal offsite and logs for storage.
20 th Dec 1:15 pm Heather rheatherleonard@yahoo.co.uk	Xmas Lunch at The Old Mill Café West Street, Chippy	All members welcome. Partners also welcome.
27th December	Christmas Break	No Session

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#1

Park at Glyme Farm: their long drive is left off the B4026 Chipping Norton to Charlbury road, after 40m ph sign & immediately before the delimit sign.

#2 Go down New Street, then left into Station Road. Entrance to Fitzalan Wood is on right at first bend.

Parking is rarely available on Station Rd; try also [Lewis Road](#), to left off Station Rd. after second bend.

#3 Go down New Street to the start of the common on the left. Meet at first gate in left-hand fence.

#4 Solar Farm is on B4022 towards Witney. Park in lay-by on right (before left turn to Fawler). [Click link for safe parking](#)

#5 From the A44 Chippy to Oxford, turn left onto B4030 for Church Enstone (just before Enstone village). The site is on a corner of the staggered crossroads (with B4022). Park opposite the white barrier

#6 From the A44 Chippy to Oxford, turn left onto B4030 for Church Enstone (just before Enstone village). The site is 2.5 miles along this road in Gagingwell. For parking take a right turn in Gagingwell village signposted to Radford and after 200 yards turn into the drive of Spring House (yellow house) on right.

#7 : From Chippy towards Moreton on A44, turn rt. up drive marked 'Elmsfield Farm', just after turn to Station Rd & opposite sign for Travis Perkins. Do not park on verge by orchard but keep going & turn right behind garage of Elmsfield House.

#8 Coming from Churchill, turn R into the public car park opp. the village green & before x-roads. Wait in car park.

#9 Drive down South Hill towards the Pear Tree, Hook Norton. Half a mile before the Pear Tree you will see a right hand turn to Southrop. Don't take this right turn. Keep going towards the Pear Tree, but soon there is a footpath sign on the left and a sign for Ale Wood. We should be able to park inside the gates. We will assemble at the gates at 10 am. Hogan's Copse is two woods away from Ale Wood, up the hill, then down the hill.