



Biodiversity; Practical measures to help enhance wildlife and address recent legislation

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Biodiversity; Measures & New Legislation

Part 1. Background

- Biodiversity in Yorkshire and relevant national policies
- Complying with recent ***Biodiversity Duty***
- Possible steps to take
- Role of principal authorities and agencies

Part 2. Opportunities for Local Councils;

- Accessible advice, support and funding
- Liaising and working in partnership
- Community action case studies
- Engaging/bringing your communities with you





Biodiversity

- Bio - Life
- Diversity - Variety

Biodiversity describes the variety of biological organisms in a given habitat, area, or ecosystem.

Biodiversity

3 TYPES OF BIODIVERSITY

Diversity of Species

variety of species in a given area



Diversity of Ecosystem

variety of habitats, ecosystems, and communities



Diversity of Genes

variety of genetic makeup within a species



Why is Biodiversity So Important?

Because it contributes to...

Healthy Environments



- Cleaner air and water
- Nature-based solutions to climate change
- Resilience to storms and flooding

Healthy Humans



- Food security and nutrition
- Natural medicine & pharmaceuticals
- Mental health support

Healthy Economies



- Resistance to shocks (e.g. disease)
- Recreation and tourism
- Livelihoods and job creation

Benefits of nature

Nature provides us benefits, many of which are fundamental to our lives. These are summarised in the image below.



Threats; UK Biodiversity



UK Wildlife



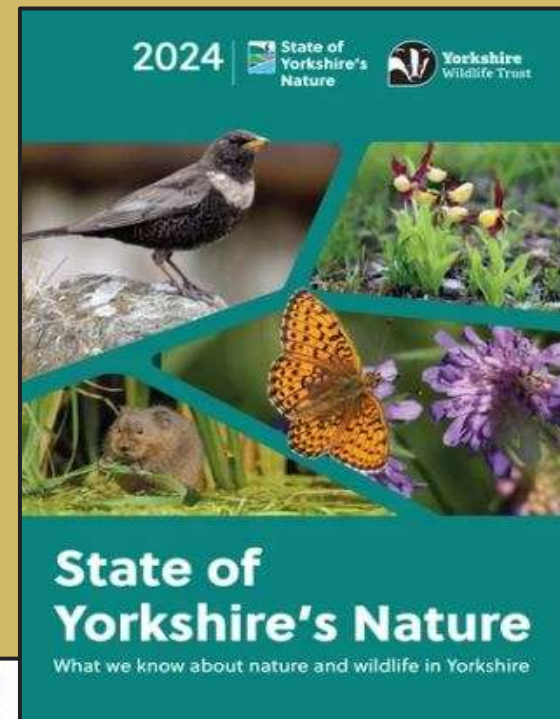
Yorkshire Biodiversity

David Attenborough Warns Of 'Serious Trouble' After Report Shows Britain's Biodiversity Decline Is Among World's Worst

'The natural world needs our help as never before'.



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The Environment Act 2021 – a turning point for Nature

[Tony Juniper](#), 23 November 2021 - [Biodiversity](#), [Environment Act](#), [Natural Capital](#), [Nature Recovery Network](#)

 UK
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NERC Act 2006
Parish Council Duties

- ‘Every public authority must, in exercising its functions, **have regard**, so far as is consistent with the proper exercise of those functions, **to the purpose of conserving biodiversity**’

Biodiversity Duty

BIODIVERSITY DUTY ON PARISH & TOWN COUNCILS

Biodiversity Duty

13 October 2023



NALC have issued guidance on Biodiversity Duty. The Environment Act 2021 made changes to the Natural Environment and Rural Communities Act 2006 in respect of biodiversity. Section 40 of the 2006 Act, in force 1 January 2023, places a duty on all local authorities, including parish councils, to from time to time consider what action the authority can properly take to further the general biodiversity objective. The general biodiversity objective is the conservation and enhancement of biodiversity in England so all parish councils must take biodiversity into account in all their decisions and actions. The government has issued [guidance](#) on complying with the duty.

Section 40A of the 2006 Act places a duty on principal authorities (but not parish councils) to produce biodiversity reports.



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Guidance

Complying with the biodiversity duty

As a public authority, understand what the biodiversity duty is and how to comply with it.

From: [Department for Environment, Food & Rural Affairs](#)

Published 17 May 2023

Minimum Requirements



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- **Have Biodiversity as meeting agenda item**
- **Note local biodiversity actions taking place**
- **Agree what further steps to take**
- **Address biodiversity when commenting on planning applications**

Possible Steps to Take



- **Review Nature Recovery Plans**
- **Make Contact with nature conservation NGO's**
- **Carry out Biodiversity Audit of council landholdings and/or whole council area**
- **Gather expert Advice on possible Biodiversity Actions**
- **Draft an Action Plan; for your council and in support other local bodies**

Nature Recovery



Local Nature Recovery Strategy

Department for Environment, Food & Rural Affairs

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Local Nature Recovery Strategies: how to prepare and what to include

Overview

Executive summary

Local Nature Recovery Strategies are a new, England-wide system of spatial strategies that will establish priorities and map proposals for specific actions to drive nature's recovery and provide wider environmental benefits. The requirement for there to be Local Nature Recovery Strategies, what they are and how they should generally work will be established by the Environment Bill once it completes its current passage through Parliament.

Closed 2 Nov 2021
Opened 10 Aug 2021

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Local Nature Recovery Strategy

We are responsible for preparing a Local Nature Recovery Strategy for North Yorkshire and York.

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LOCAL NATURE RECOVERY STRATEGY

A Local Nature Recovery Strategy for West Yorkshire

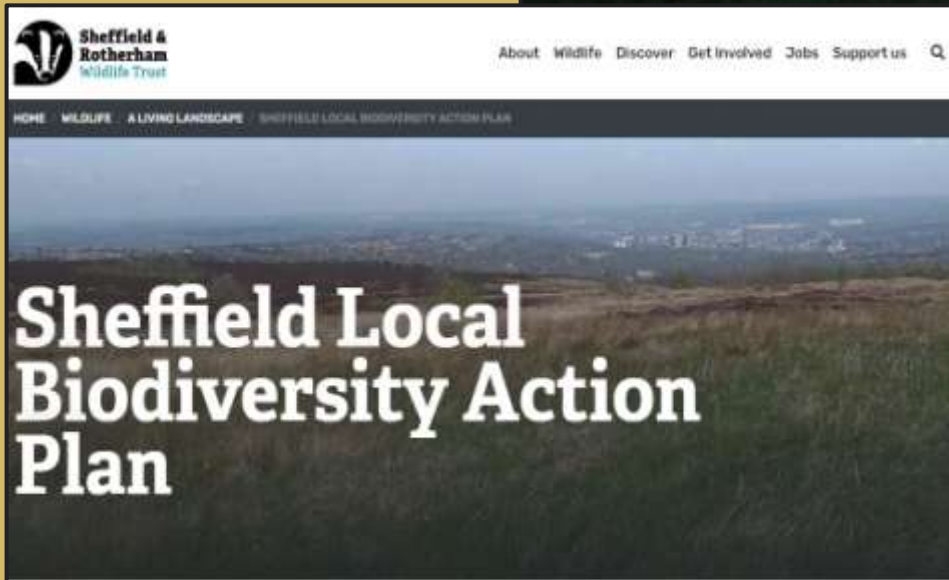
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Local Organisations; The Wildlife Trust



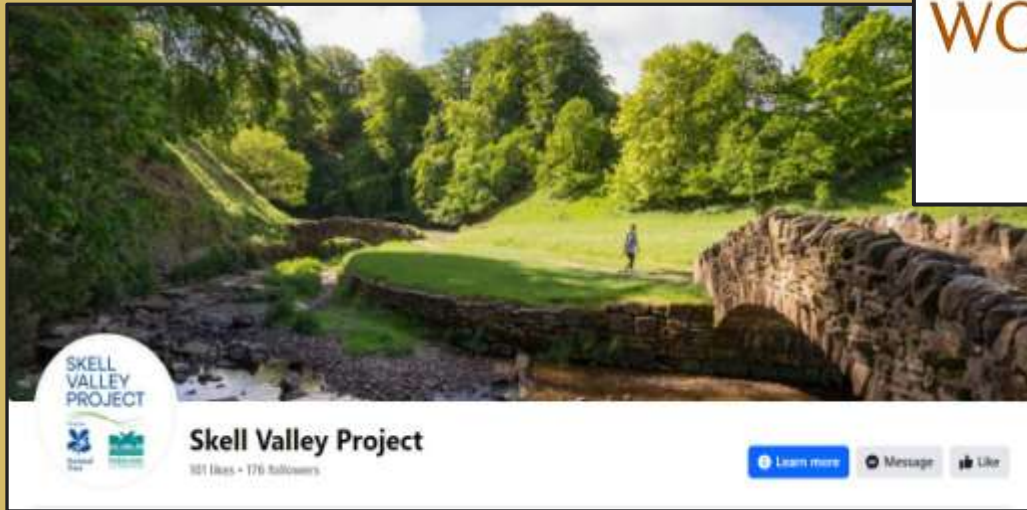
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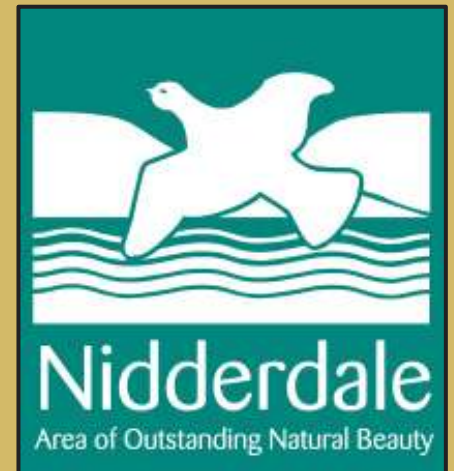
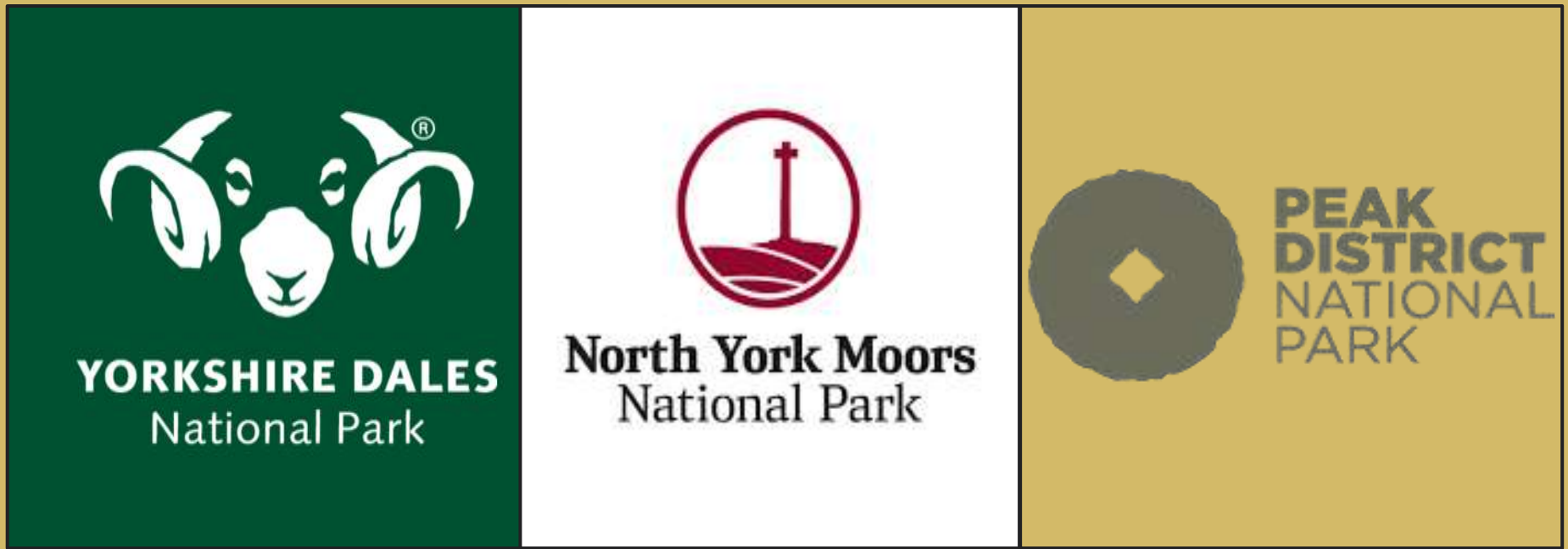
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Sheffield

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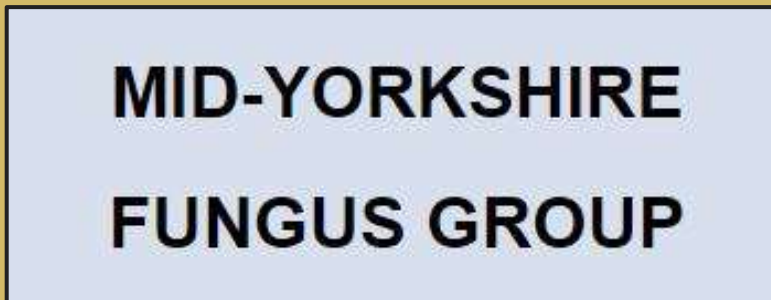


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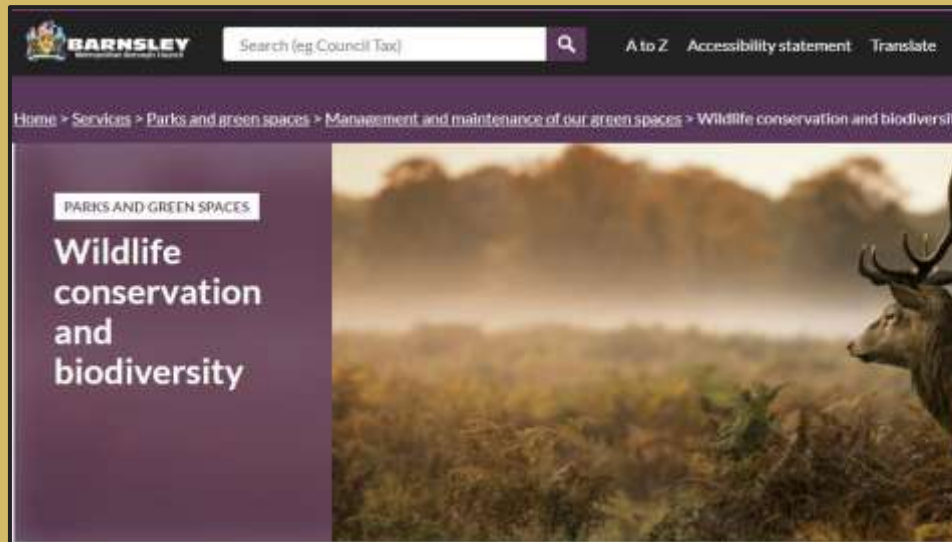
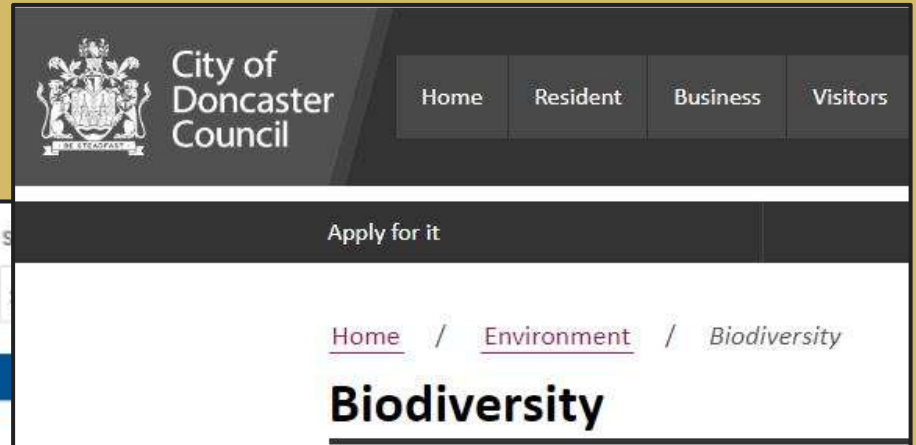
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Planning applications are determined by Leeds City Council. The Parish Council is notified of all planning applications and, following consideration by the Planning Working Group, will submit a response to Leeds City Council. Please send if they are any issues you would like the Planning Working Group to take into account.

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Guidance

Understanding biodiversity net gain

Guidance on what biodiversity net gain is and how it affects land managers, developers, and local planning authorities.

From: [Department for Environment, Food & Rural Affairs](#)
Published 21 February 2023
Last updated 14 December 2023 — [See all updates](#)



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NALC add a new online event on levelling up the environment to its calendar

Monday, 26 July 2021

Levelling up the environment through biodiversity net gain



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Biodiversity net gain

Learn about our strategy to develop land and contribute to the recovery of nature.



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Biodiversity Net Gain (BNG)

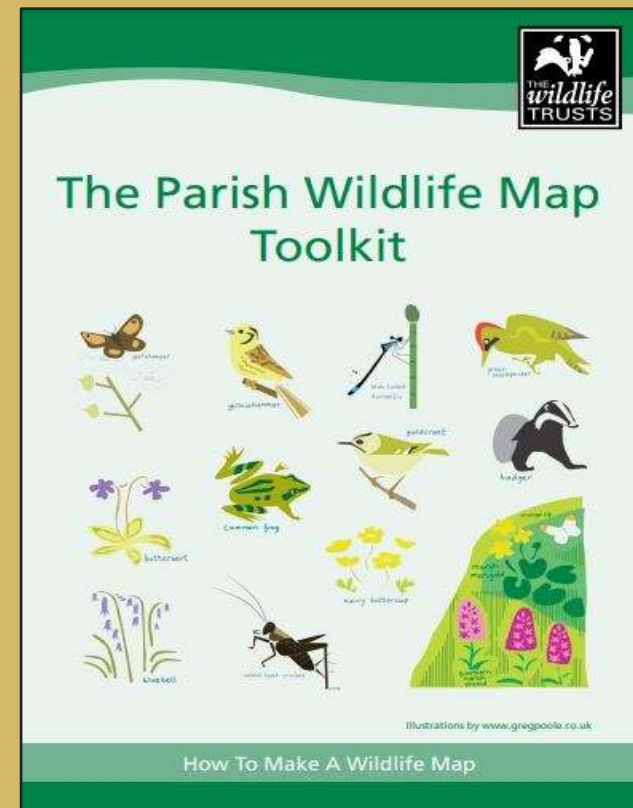
Biodiversity Audit

Baseline Habitat Survey and Biodiversity Audit

Otley Parish

Submitted to:
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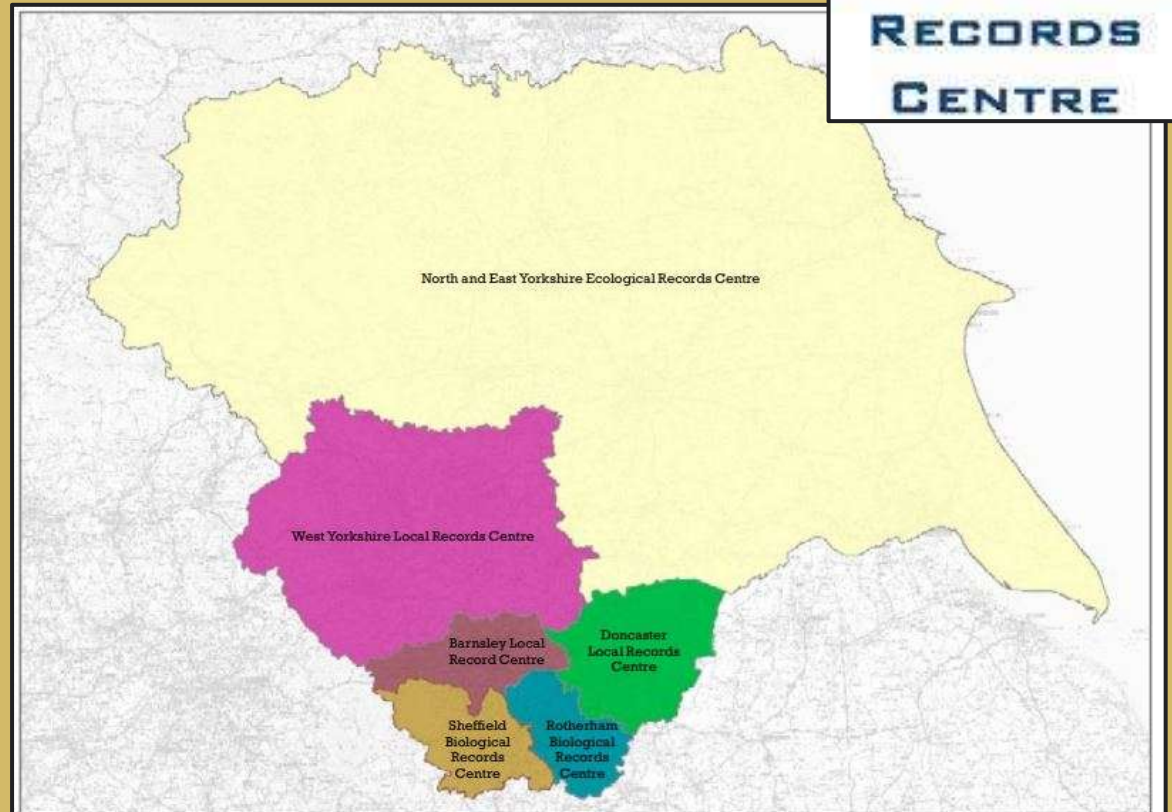
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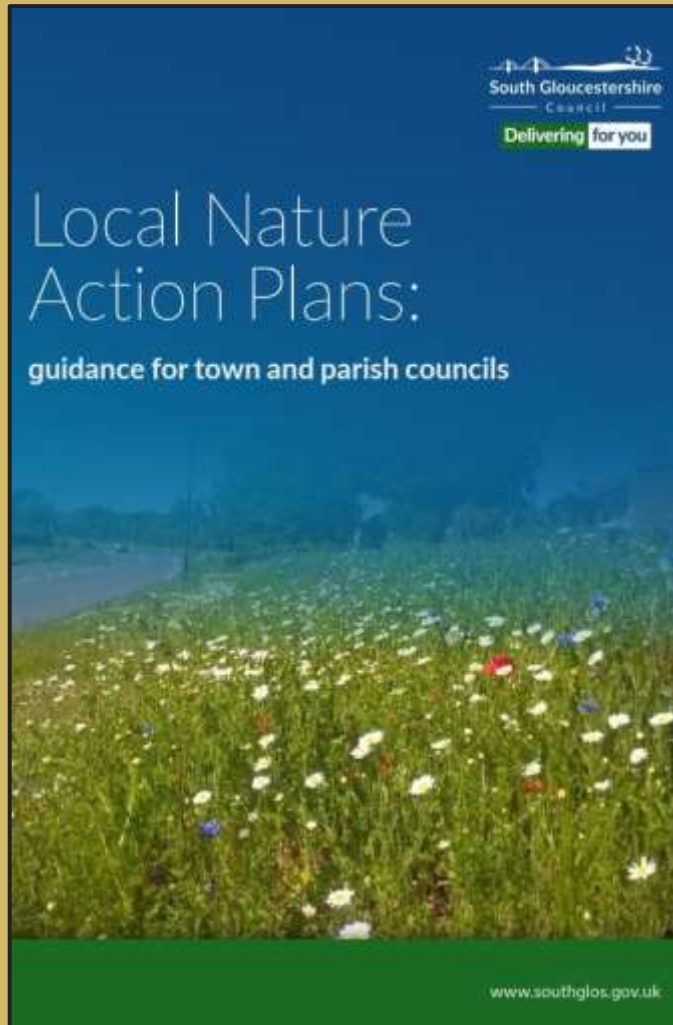


West Yorkshire Ecology Service provides two main services - advising on biodiversity conservation and hosting the West Yorkshire Ecological Record.



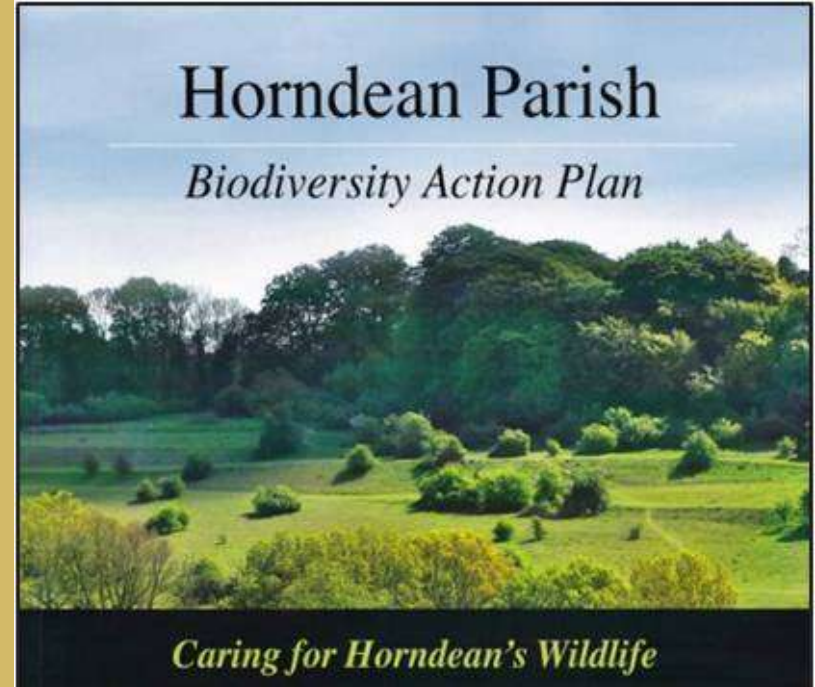
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Action Plan



Selby Town Council Nature Recovery Action Plan 2024- 2030

Selby Town Council has recognised the importance of taking steps to address the ecological crisis our world is facing. This Nature Recovery Action Plan has been drawn up in order for us to take the necessary steps to stop the decline of biodiversity and to assist the council in achieving their aim of reaching Net Zero by 2030.



What else can your Council do?

- **Manage for Wildlife**
- **Biodiversity Management Plans**
- **Planning & Development**
- **Engage and Inform**
- **Be Innovative**
- **Make Links – Don't work alone**
- **Celebrate your Wild Places**
- **Funding Opportunities**



Biodiversity Policy



MALTON TOWN COUNCIL

CLIMATE & BIODIVERSITY POLICY



This policy was adopted by Malton Town Council on
30th March 2022 (next review March 23)

BIODIVERSITY POLICY

STILLINGFLEET PARISH COUNCIL

Stillingfleet Parish Council formally adopted this policy on 14 December 2023 in response to the strengthened 'biodiversity duty' placed on local authorities introduced by the Environment Act 2021. Stillingfleet Parish Council will take biodiversity into account in all its decisions and actions.

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Settle Town Council Climate and Biodiversity Policy



**Cantley with Branton
Parish Council**

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ACKWORTH PARISH COUNCIL



HESSLE
TOWN COUNCIL

Environmental Policy

Statement:

This policy statement affirms that Hessle Town Council is committed to the preservation of the environment. Hessle Town Council's aims are for making Hessle a safer, fairer and greener place in which to live, work and play.

Biodiversity Group



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Climate Change & Biodiversity Sub Committee 12th June 2023 at 10:30 a.m.
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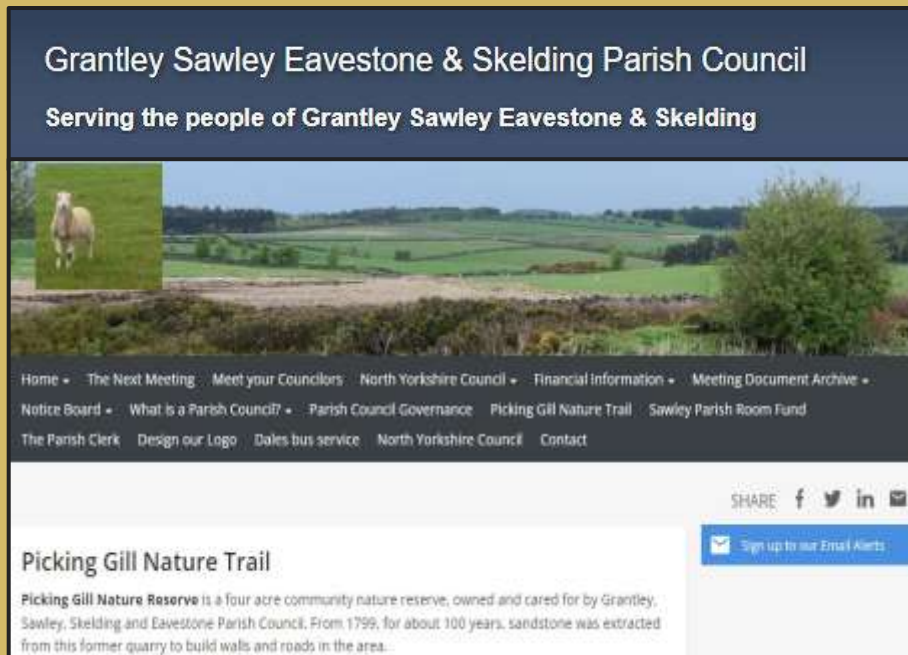
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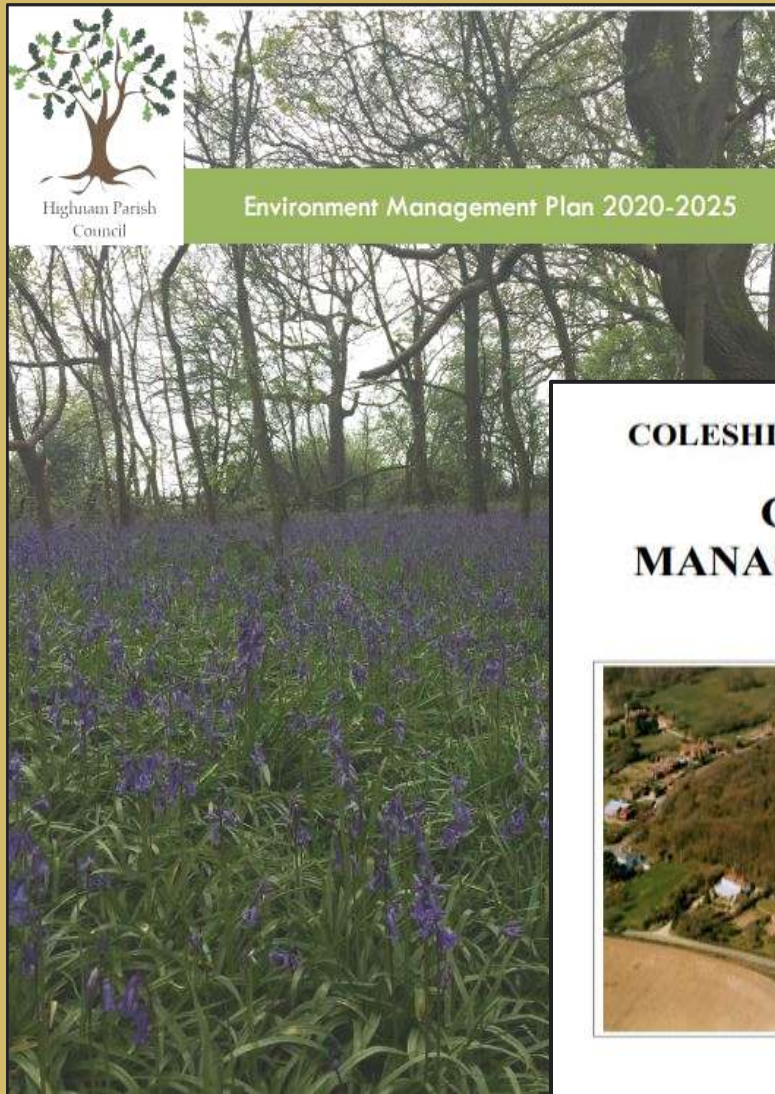
Environment Group

Luttons Parish Council has set up a new group of councillors and volunteers to investigate and discuss ways of improving the environment in West Lutton, East Lutton and Helperthorpe.

Manage for Wildlife



Management Plan



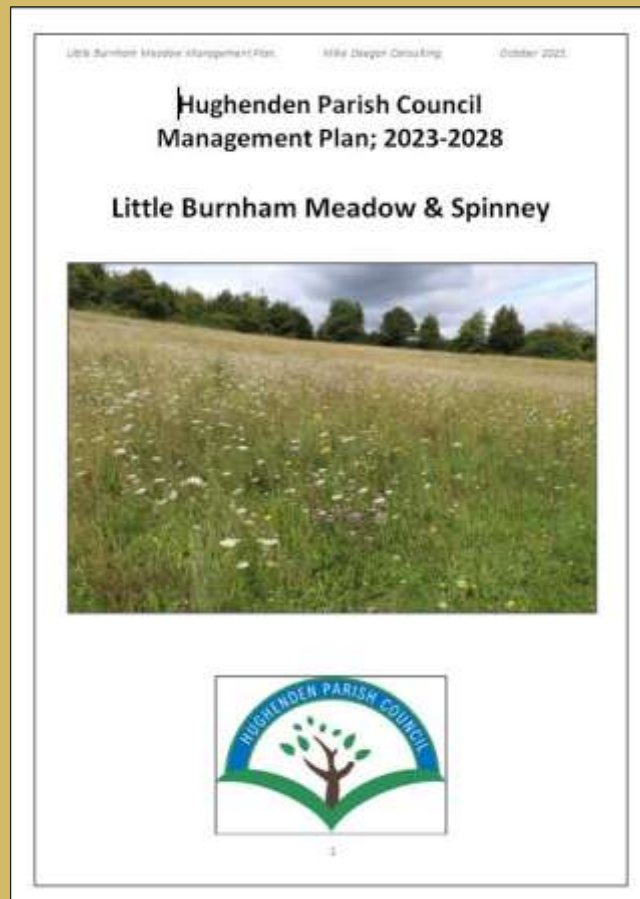
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COLESHILL PARISH COUNCIL COMMON MANAGEMENT PLAN



Revised edition 2014



Trees & Woodland

NEWS

Saddleworth Parish Council commits to Charter for Trees, Woods and People

By Aimee Belmore | January 17, 2020



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18TH DECEMBER 2023 BY HELEN NORTH

New Tree Planting and Fence



New trees and fence along Airedale Road



Baildon Town Council


Serving the people of Baildon

Clerk: Helen Thornton
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West Yorkshire BD17 8JX
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A good week for the Baildon Tree Planting Partnership



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Hedgerows



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Hedgerow

Hedgerows are one of our most easily encountered wildlife habitats, found lining roads, railways and footpaths, bordering fields and gardens and on the coast.



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Hedgerow Planting with Tickton Primary School

Tickton & Routh Parish Council celebrate a community initiative by planting a new hedgerow with the local primary school.

Orchards



Wilberfoss Community Orchard

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Wilberfoss Community Orchard

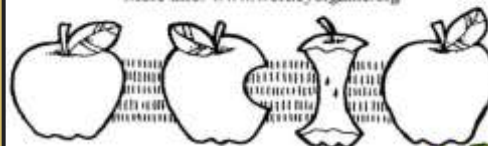
Planted in October 2020, Wilberfoss has a small community orchard in the front garden of the Community Centre on 1 Street. Residents are encouraged to help themselves once trees have become established. Why not take a book from Book Exchange, a piece of fruit from the orchard and sit at the porch at the Community Centre?

Apple & Pear Day at Wortley Hall Walled Garden

Sunday 17th October 12pm—4pm

Celebrate the Autumn fruit harvest in the Walled Garden with an afternoon of fruity diversions. Our orchard has over 50 varieties of apple, including Yorkshire heritage varieties, and old & modern pears. Help make and share juice made in our press. Apples and pears for sale. Information and advice on your own fruit growing.

Tours of orchard and more...Free admission.
More info: www.wortleyorganic.org



Wortley Hall Walled Garden Wortley South Yorkshire S35 7DB
Managed by Hilly City Farm, 52 JDF. Charity no. 1111462



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Join in Apple Day at Shipley Fields Orchard

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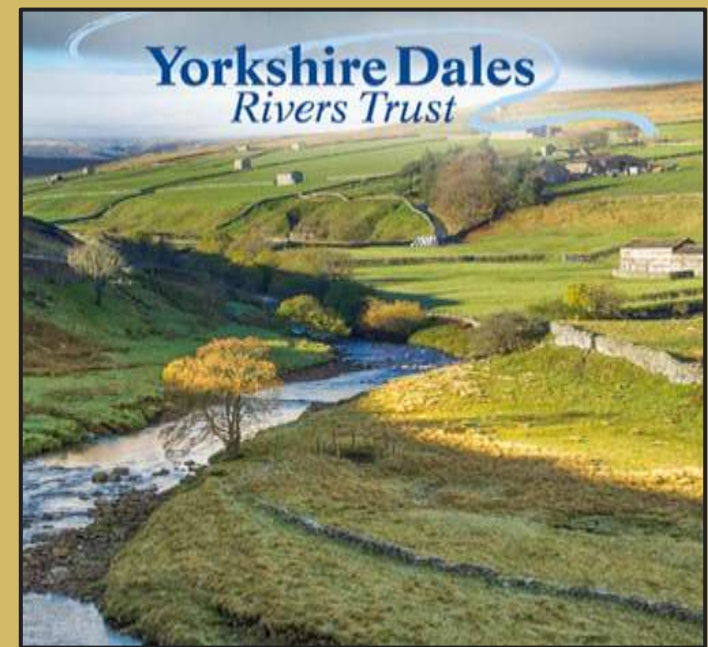
The public are invited to Shipley Fields Community Orchard to celebrate Apple Day on Saturday 7th October, 1pm-4pm. Hosted by the Fruit Works Cooperative and the community orchard volunteers, the event has been made possible thanks to a grant from the Shipley Town Council Community Wellbeing Fund.

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Reduce Grass Cutting



Verges



Parish council leading the way in wildflower revolution

Twelve parishes have signed up for wild flower verges

Thursday, 6 August, 2020



LRD Cllr Steve Parn, Parish Councillors Janet Earwater and Tina McDonagh, and Cllr Trevor Pendleton at Fleckney's wild flower verge

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The county council has offered young people so far, with funding available in areas including housing operations, surveying, business administration.

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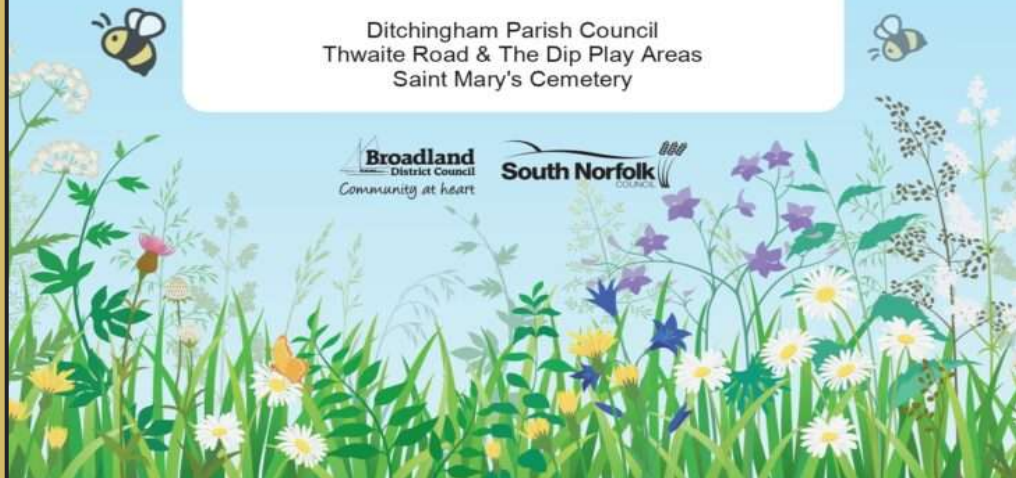


Pardon the weeds We're feeding the BEES!

We are leaving some areas uncut to encourage a more diverse range of flowers and grasses. Which in turn will provide food and shelter for a variety of wildlife.

Perhaps you could do something similar in your garden?

Ditchingham Parish Council
Thwaite Road & The Dip Play Areas
Saint Mary's Cemetery



Why hasn't this grass been cut?

We have decided to change the way we manage this local green space and we are now cutting less frequently. By leaving grass and wildflowers in this area to grow long we are:

- increasing habitat for beneficial insects and wildlife
- promoting sustainable landscapes that are bigger, better and joined-up
- encouraging native wildflowers to flourish and grow
- saving energy and reducing emissions by not using mowers and equipment
- providing an opportunity for observation and education about local wildlife and plants
- cutting costs, not flowers
- creating a beautiful meadow for the whole community to enjoy!

For more information on managing green spaces for wildlife, visit:
www.bucksmknep.co.uk/wilder



Bucks Buzzing is a project by the
Buckinghamshire & Milton Keynes
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Bee orchids appeared on one of the trial verges.

Photo: Jenny Pearson, courtesy of Chesham Town Council.

Case Study

Chesham

In 2017, Chesham Town Council began a trial on 6 sites (including verges and town council owned open spaces) to see how changing the mowing regime from regular cuts to once per year could help their local insects. The key management change was the removal of grass cuttings after the annual cut. After the success of the trial, the council decided to permanently manage these sites for wildlife and expand the trial. There are now over a dozen sites in Chesham managed for wildlife.

Chesham Town Council worked in partnership with a local group, Chesham & District Natural History Society, to assess and monitor sites.

Meadows and Pastures

Flaxton Parish Council

Mowing Flaxton Green



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Village green wildflowers

03 July 2022



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Bishop Burton Wildflower Meadow

Inspiration & Objective

While Sarah was undergoing cancer treatment, she had a dream about a Wildflower Meadow. One said 'Sarah about her dream and they decided to bring it to life and make it real. Their hope was to create something positive to focus on.

The Wildflower Meadow has 3 aims:

- To diversify plant and pollinator species on a grassed village green.
- To involve the village community and provide Bishop Burton as an environmentally sustainable village to visitors.
- Raise awareness about the diversity and resilience that we



EASINGWOLD TOWN COUNCIL

Millfields Open Space



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Engage Beforehand

Resident forced to cut 'disgusting' council-owned grass verges outside home himself

Chris Williamson says he is sick and tired of feeling 'neglected' by North East Lincolnshire Council after the council-owned grass verges in the village reach a 'disgusting' state



📍 New Waltham residents Chris Williamson and Roger Breed, right, are angry that the grass verges are not getting cut on Janton Court, and as a result they're now having to mow them (Image: Jon Corken)

Residents think this overgrown verge is full of snakes and a fire risk but a housing association says it's a wildlife haven

The obsession with going green that's putting drivers' lives in danger: How UK's overgrown roadside verges have left motorists and pedestrians fearing for their safety as cost-cutting councils hide behind #NoMowMay and other eco-initiatives

- UK residents have voiced concerns over roadside areas becoming out of control
- It follows a scheme encouraging councils not to mow any green spaces in May
- [Have you seen any dangerous verges? Email dan.woodland@mailonline.co.uk](mailto:dan.woodland@mailonline.co.uk)

By DAN WOODLAND

PUBLISHED: 15:54, 16 July 2023 | UPDATED: 16:10, 16 July 2023



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ROWING OVER MOWING I'm furious after the council left our grass verges to overgrow – I refuse to cut it myself but it looks like a tip

Tom Hussey

Published: 13:25, 7 Jun 2022 | Updated: 13:25, 7 Jun 2022

Engage & Inform

Documenting the biodiversity of the Meanwood Valley



Meanwood Valley Bioblitz exhibition panels. Photo: Ellen Hunter.



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If you care about and love the natural environment then there cannot be many better places to live in England than East Cottingham for its wide diversity of wildlife, wildflowers, and wetlands.

The map below, taken from the Natural England leaflet on the Lower Derwent Valley (LDV) shows where we are situated in the LDV and on the edge of the nature reserve itself. (the shaded green areas).



Useful Contacts

Natural England

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/natural-england>

Natural England switchboard 0300 060 8800

Lower Derwent Valley and Skipwith Common National Nature Reserve Office
Bank Island
Church Lane
Whitby
North Yorkshire
YO21 5PE

Natural England blog relating to LDV

<http://www.naturalengland.org.uk/>

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Wildflower Meadow Update

Let nature be the teacher

The wildflower meadow continues to inspire us and teach us.

When we look around and see the wildflowers in the verges, it all looks so easy. What we perhaps fail to remember is nature has been left to create these spaces over hundreds of years. It was encouraging to hear on the Chelsea Flower Show programme how challenging it is to create a wildflower area! So seeing our village's new wildflower meadow begin bloom in its first year feels like a real achievement.

Thank you to all the villagers (encouragement) in this project, either in action or kind words.

Progress

During early spring, the shadier woodland bulbs began to emerge, including snowdrops, bluebells, and anemones, which all provided a new haven of food for early pollinators. We saw the established and new daffodils start to bloom but the strange weather means that many dropped before they started.





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Yorkshire Wildlife Trust - State of nature event

Published: 27 November 2024



Left to right - Cllr Bromley, Peter Gurney - Yorkshire Wildlife Trust, Horsforth Climate Action - Penny Lewis & Penny Pinn

Innovate

Leeds: Tiny forest aims to bring health and environmental benefits

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ELIZABETH BAINES/BBC

The mini forest aims to mimic natural woodland but in a much smaller space

What is a Tiny Forest?

Welcome to South Yorkshire's first Tiny Forest planted in March 2021 near to Goldthorpe. A Tiny Forest is a small, native woodland that helps mitigate the effects of climate change, is good for wildlife and improves people's health. It's a place to enjoy the green surroundings.

tinyforest

Brickpond, Goldthorpe, Barnsley



Urban forests are very important for the climate. They help to reduce the amount of heat absorbed by buildings and roads, and they can help to reduce the amount of air pollution. They can also help to improve the health of people who live in urban areas.



This Tiny Forest is planted using a technique developed by Japanese forester Akira Miyawaki. It consists of a dense mix of 100 native and non-native species.



The urban community can use the outdoor classroom as a place to learn and play.



Ground animals and small insects that live in the forest help to keep the soil healthy and the plants growing.



This Tiny Forest will be maintained by volunteers from the local community. For the first two years, there will be regular meetings for planting, weeding and general maintenance.



100 Fruit Trees Challenge - Apple Tree Order Form

Help us help nature by reaching our goal of planting 100 fruit trees by purchasing and planting one of your own! We've secured trees at a much reduced cost thanks to

[Fruit Works](#), who are offering us an incredible bulk rate. Place your tree order below, make a donation of £10 per tree plus any additional donation to support our work of helping nature across Alwoodley. Trees can be purchased until the end of March and planted by early April.



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Slow The Flow



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Guidance

Natural flood management programme

Apply now for funding: increase flood resilience with Natural Flood Management

From: [Environment Agency](#) and [Department for Environment, Food & Rural Affairs](#)
Published 22 September 2023

Ellerker Parish

a village community in the East Riding of Yorkshire

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Todmorden
Town Council

Natural Flood Management Grants

by Admin TC | Jun 14, 2021 | Mayoral News

TODMORDEN

NATURAL FLOOD MANAGEMENT OPEN EVENING

TODMORDEN TOWN HALL | 1 NOVEMBER 2021 | 18:30-21:00

Join the Mayor of Todmorden, Slow The Flow, Calderdale Council, Treesponsibility, the Todmorden Flood Group, the Calder Rivers Trust and the Environment Agency at this free open evening to explore how Natural Flood Management can help to reduce flooding in the Upper Calder Valley and how you can make a contribution to reducing flood risk.



YouTube Video



Film: Slow the Flow together



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Gardens for Nature





Old River Bed SSSI Beaver Project



Countryside and Greenspace Team Manager
Shrewsbury Town Council



Hedgehog Awareness Week 1st May—7th May 2022



Aston Clinton Parish Council are helping protect Hedgehogs native to the UK by handing out FREE Hedgehog Highways. Please pop in to our office in Aston Clinton Park to collect yours. Fitting is simple just make sure your fence has a hole and attach to help let Hedgehogs move freely between fences.



Bassingbourn-cum-Kneesworth Parish Council



Swift Nest Boxes

Firstly, the Swift Box Project aims to address the decline of the Swift population, (which has fallen by 60% since 1995) by installing Swift nest boxes within the parish.

The initial stages of the project were funded by the Parish Council and involved installing nest boxes on residents' houses. 20 boxes have been installed this year and

Amersham Town Council

Bees & Pollinators!

May 31, 2022



Wildflowers Across Our Town

July 27, 2022



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The Bug Hotel Receives A New Living Roof!

May 18, 2022



Town council scheme sees vibrant murals painted on internet cabinets (Image: Amersham Town Council)

Celebrate Your Nature



Hunston Wildlife Day

Friday 19th July 2019
9am - 1pm
Hunston Village Hall and Playing Field
PO20 1AW

Join your local wildlife charity for a celebration of local wildlife!

Get involved and have fun!

- Species surveys
- Guided nature walks (9.30am and 12pm)
- Hear updates on the local conservation work of the FLOW (Fixing and Linking Our Wetlands) project.

Tea, coffee, cake and other refreshments available!

Find out more about volunteering

This is the perfect opportunity to come and chat with us about how you can get involved with protecting and improving your local countryside. No time commitments or special skills needed, only enthusiasm! We need volunteers for:

- Practical habitat management work
- Wildlife surveys
- Helping with events
- Artwork or photography
- Fundraising, admin, accounting and more!

This event is free but we welcome donations on the day. Dogs welcome on the playing field but not on the nature walks. Please do not leave your dog unattended in a car whilst attending a nature walk.

For more info please email helo@nwhg.org.uk



HUCCLECOTE PARISH COUNCIL

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A walk around Horsbere Brook wetland area

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A nice one hour walk around Horsbere Brook wetland area

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Slow the Flow Calderdale Climate Action Roadshow - Project

£8,500

Slow the Flow Calderdale Climate Action Roadshow

16 December, 2021

Duration: 3 April, 2022–30 August, 2022

the funds to organise a roadshow on natural flood... Calder Valley. The roadshow will tour Calderdale... spots providing an exhibition and events pro... and educate locals about how sustainable urban... e-based solutions such as tree-planting rain gar... ling can make the areas more flood resilient.



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Press release

£25 million for projects using nature to increase flood resilience

£25 million to support projects that use nature to increase the nation's flood resilience

From: Department for Environment, Food & Rural Affairs, Environment Agency, and Rebecca Pow MP

Published 22 September 2023

WOODLAND TRUST

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Free trees for schools and communities

We want to make sure everybody in the UK has the chance to plant a tree. So we're giving away hundreds of thousands of trees to schools and communities. Together, we'll get millions more trees in the ground.

VEOLIA ENVIRONMENTAL TRUST

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Welcome to The Veolia Environmental Trust's website

We support community and environmental projects across England through the Landfill Communities Fund, using money provided to us by Veolia.

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Veolia Env. Trust Development Trust is proud to have for over 10 years been a part of the Landfill Communities Fund (LCF) and we're excited to continue our partnership with Veolia.

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Countryside Stewardship: get funding to protect and improve the land you manage

THE NATURE COUNCIL'S COMMUNITY HEDGE FUND

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Apply for our Community Hedge Fund

Plant hedgerows in your community with our grant funding

The Nature Council's Green the Gap Community Hedge Fund can provide up to 100% grants for volunteer Tree Warden and community groups in England to plant new hedgerows. Hedgerows are a key part of our environment and planting them can help to improve the environment and provide a habitat for wildlife.

Partner organisations can register their interest in a new Community Hedge Fund by signing up to our volunteers at the National and Wildlife Society Group (NWSG) for planting and growing up hedgerows by making contact with the NWSG.

Summary

- Make most of new Duties
- Make links with partners
- Utilise local support
- Manage to enhance wildlife
- Engage and inform
- Celebrate your wild places

