## **Aug - Oct 2019**

Meeting point each time is outside Acle Library, Bridewell Lane, Acle, Norfolk NR13 3RA, at 09.30am. If you are thinking of joining us for the first time, please contact us. Please do not pass this programme on to anyone else without checking with us first.

Date	Site	Activity	Details
07 Aug	Upton Reserve TG380138 NR13 6EQ	Creepy Crawlies	Our very own Tim will guide us around the world of insects on Upton Reserve. Wellies recommended on this wet site. Then its CHIPS at the White Horse at noon.  Leader: Tina Meet: 9-30 Acle Lib or 9-45 Upton Reserve car park, Low Road
14 Aug	Constable Doles TG409097 NR13 3DH	Hello, Hello, Hello!	Time for this SSSI area to have a cut & rake to encourage its bio diversity. A small team led by Ian will scythe & rake Moulton St Mary's conservation area. Leader: Nigel Meet: 9-30 Acle Lib or 9-45am Park on Damgate Lane
21 Aug	Horstead Church TG264199 NR12 7ET	More Horsing Around	A new churchyard for us, where they need a cut & rake of their conservation area.  Leader: Mike Meet: 9-30 Acle Lib or 10am Parking by Horstead Church, Rectory Road
28 Aug	Belaugh Church TG289184 NR12 8UY	Still Belaughing!	Another new churchyard for us to cut & rake on their conservation area.  Leader: Ian Meet: 9-30 Acle Lib or 10am Belaugh Church
04 Sept	Horstead Common TG264199 NR12 7ET	You Rang M' Lord	Lord Horstead requires a cut & rake of his common, whilst a small group will cut at Coltishall Orchard. Leader: <b>Mike/Jean</b> Meet: 9-30 Acle Lib or 10am Parking by Horstead Church, Rectory Road
11 Sept	Houghen Plantation TG181175 NR10 4BZ	Ouch 'n Plantation	We will be mowing & raking at the plantation this time in order to support the bio diversity of the site. Leader: Jerry Meet: 9-30 Acle Lib or 10am Houghen plantation car park, Haveringham Road
18 Sept	Wheatfen Reserve TG324056 NR14 7AL	Have You had Your Wheatabix?	The warden Will Fitch will guide us around this fantastic site that was nurtured by naturalist Ted Ellis. Leader: Jean Meet: 9-30am Acle Lib or 10am Wheatfen reserve car park

25 Sept	Cremer's Meadow TG332086 NR13 5NU	Creme Crackered	Its time to be cutting & raking two thirds of this amazing meadow to enhance its biodiversity.  Leader: Andrew Meet: 9-30am Acle Lib or 10am Cremer's Meadow, Blofield Road, Brundall
Oct 02	Southwood Church TG391053 NR13 3LS	Cut & Run	Southwood churchyard needs our attention with a cut & rake & light prune. A small group will scythe & rake the conservation area with <b>John</b> at Moulton St Mary church, Reedham Road NR13 3NW Leader: <b>lan/John</b> Meet: 9-30am Acle Lib or 9-45 am Southwood Church, Norwich Road
09 Oct	Damgate Wood TG401100 NR13 3DE	Dam Fine Job!	Join us for clearing vegetation & opening access on the Weaver's Way & possible dyke work. Leader: Nigel Meet: 9-30am Acle Lib & walk to Damgate Wood
16 Oct	Hemblington Church TG352115 NR13 4EF	Sow as you Reap	Raking & hedgework maintenance will be the order of the day at Hemblington. <b>Andrew</b> will lead a small group cutting & raking at Hoveton church.  Leader: <b>Ian/Andrew</b> Meet 9-30am Acle Lib or 9-45am Hemblington Church, Church Lane
23 Oct	Beighton Church TG386082 NR13 3JZ	Taking the Beight!	Having given over the whole churchyard to conservation, Beighton needs its Autumnal cut & rake. Leader: Ian Meet: 9-30am Acle Lib or 9-45am Beighton Church, Church Hill
30 Oct	St Benet's Abbey TG375134 NR13 6DZ	Harvest time	We will be cutting & raking half of the site in order to manage its wildlife, including the nationally declining harvest mouse.  Leader: Mike Meet: 9-30am Acle Lib or 10am St Benet's Abbey

- Sessions start at meeting point at 9.30am and last until about 1pm on site unless stated. If you need to arrive late or leave early please inform the leader.
- You do NOT have to be physically fit to take part, please only do what you feel able to. Most sessions include the chance to learn a bit more about wildlife, as well as trying some practical conservation work if you wish.
- You don't need to book (unless otherwise stated) but if you are a newcomer please contact us.
- If you want to join us on site instead of at the meeting point at Acle Library, please let us know, we can provide directions if needed. Alternatively, a map can be found online by inputting the OS Grid Reference or Postcode or address into the appropriate box on the following website: http://gridreferencefinder.com/
- We will provide light refreshments, usually something like tea and biscuits.
- If a site does have toilets this is indicated on the previous page. Most sites we work at unfortunately don't.
- Please wear old working clothes, suitable for the weather. If you have them, bring reasonably sturdy shoes or boots, and rainwear. We will bring any tools and personal protective equipment (such as gloves, goggles or hard hats) if they are needed for a task. "W" on an activity indicates wellies probably needed.
- Please check if your tetanus inoculation is up to date.
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