

## November 2019 to January 2020



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.**

<i>Date</i>	<i>Site</i>	<i>Activity</i>	<i>Details</i>
06 Nov	Burlingham Woods TG365100 NR13 4TA	Fungal Infection	Steve & Yvonne, our fungal enthusiasts will guide us in identifying as many fungal species as they can. Leader: Steve Meet: 9.30 Acle Lib or 9-45 North Burlingham Church car park, Main Road
13 Nov	East Ruston Common TG342280 NR12 9JG	Scrubs up Nicely I	Support the NWT Commons project with some serious scrub work at this historic SSSI common. Leader: Mike Meet: 9-30 Acle Lib or 10am Butcher's Arms, Oak Lane, East Ruston
20 Nov	Kidman's Corner Pond TG360127 NR13 6DJ	We Kid Ye Not	Clearing the pond of reed will keep us busy at this lovely site. Wellies recommended. Leader: Ian Meet: 9-30 Acle Lib or 9-45 Kidman's Pond, Newport Road, South Walsham
27 Nov	East Ruston Common TG342280 NR12 9JG	Scrubs up Nicely II	Finishing of our scrubwork at this beautiful common designated a Site of Special Scientific Interest. Leader: Jean Meet: 9-30 Acle Lib or 10am Butcher's Arms, Oak Lane, East Ruston
4 Dec	Halvergate Dyke	Going with the Flow	Julie's dykes need some clearance work so they can flow unhindered. Wellies recommended. Leader: Jerry Meet: 9-30 Acle Lib or 9-45 Address will be given via email nearer the time
11 Dec	Monies Pond, Acle TG399095 NR13 3DW	Show Me the Monie	Plenty of clearance work at this lovely pond, to get our teeth into & much needed tool maintenance. Leader: Brian/Jerry Meet: 9-30 Acle Lib or 9-45 Monies Farm, Reedham Road, Acle
18 Dec	Upton Village Hall TG394125 NR13 6AU	Wherrie Not, the Chips are Here	Join us for two films on 'Farming in a Bygone Age' & 'The Story of Norfolk Wherries' & then on for <b>chips</b> at the White Horse pub in Upton at noon. Leader: Tina Meet: 9-30 Acle Lib or 9-45 Upton village hall for 10am start, Cargate Lane, Upton

25 Dec	Xmas Time	Ho, Ho, Ho!	Happy Festivities to you all. Leader: Santa Claus
01 Jan	Happy New Year	“Should Áld Acquaintance be Forgot”	Wishing you all a healthy New Year to come. Leader: Father Time
08 Jan	How Hill TG372190 NR29 5PG	Slash & Burn!	Its time for more cutting & burning to manage the reedbed at our favourite educational establishment. Leader: Andrew Meet: 9-30 Acle Lib or 10am How Hill, How Hill Road
15 Jan	Stalham Corner Pond TG352115 NR13 4EF	Ponder Ye Not	There will be plenty of reed pulling & scrub clearance to keep this pond well maintained. Leader: Andrew/John Meet 9-30 Acle Lib or 10am Stalham Pond, parking on Yarmouth Road, near Field Road
22 Jan	Swanton Abbott TG263256 NR10 5BH	Common Knowledge I	Lots of scrubwork maintenace to enhance the varied flora & fauna of this common. Leader: Steve Meet: 9-30 Acle Lib or 10am The Street, Swanton Abbott Parking to be confirmed.
29 Jan	Swanton Abbott TG263256 NR10 5BH	Common Knowledge II	We’re finishing off the maintenance work at this marvelously bio diverse common. Leader: Steve Meet: 9-30 Acle Lib or 10am The Street, Swanton Abbott Parking TBC

- 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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