

Norfolk Environmental Action Team

July 2023

FREE Minibus leaves at 10am from the Corner of Queens Road & Brazen Gate, by the traffic lights next to the big Sainsbury's car park, opposite Norwich bus station [what3words: single.affair.robe]. **Booking is NOT usually needed**, unless you want to be sure of a place on the minibus for those days marked **BM** below. Otherwise you can just turn up on the day. See last page of this document for more useful information about joining these activities, including details about who can attend (most people). Sessions run from arrival on site (depends on traffic and travel distance) to 3.15pm on site, returning to central Norwich by 4.15pm latest. **Mobile number to contact us on the day: 07740 899 691.**

| Date | Site | Activity | Site Meeting Point (if coming by car or bike) at 10.15am unless otherwise stated |
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| Mon 3 rd | Salle (Farm Woodland) | Salle-ying forth to tackle invasive Himalayan Balsam. | Outside the church (St Peter & St Paul), The Street, Salle, near Reepham, NR10 4SD. (OS grid ref TG 109 248) [what3words: solution.gathers.contemplate] Arriving at approx 10.40am. |
| Tues 4 th | Longham Claypits BM | Where's the path gone? Retracing our steps to keep the pathways open. | Longham Village Hall car park, Chapel Road, Longham, NR19 2AJ. (OS Grid Ref TF 942 160) [what3words: chapels.litigate.send] Arriving at approx 10.40am. |
| Wed 5 th | Drayton Green Lanes | We are the Village Green Preservation Society: preserving riverside habitats. | Small car park on Low Road, Drayton (near Norwich) (OS grid ref TG 189 126) [what3words: riper.customers.shatters] |
| Thurs 6 th | Salle (Farm Woodland) BM | It's in the Salle! It's going fast, get your last bargain Himalayan Balsam plants while you can. | Outside the church (St Peter & St Paul), The Street, Salle, near Reepham, NR10 4SD. (OS grid ref TG 109 248) [what3words: solution.gathers.contemplate] Arriving at approx 10.40am. |

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| Fri 7 th | Drayton Green Lanes | A Shady Lane, Everybody Wants One...staying off the Pavement and in the shade by the riverside, pulling up Balsam. | Small car park on Low Road, Drayton (near Norwich) (OS grid ref TG 189 126) [what3words: riper.customers.shatters] |
| Mon 10 th | NO TASK | *** Sorry, no task today *** | *** NO TASK TODAY *** |
| Tues 11 th | Diss Ensign Way BM | Diss'll do for us today – avoiding the fate of every Ensign in Star Trek, we will boldly go to clear this urban waterway. | Car park in front of Victoria Market, 17 Victoria Road (A1066), Diss, IP22 4HW. [what3words: minority.printout.wished] Arriving at approx 10.50am. |
| Wed 12 th | East Ruston Poors Land | A scientist would be especially interested – experimenting on the Site of Special Scientific Interest to remove bracken. | Car park at Butchers Arms, at junction of Oak Lane with School Road, East Ruston, NR12 9JG (OS grid ref: TG 345 282) [what3words: cove.relies.fonts] Arriving at approx 10.40am. |
| Thurs 13 th | Horsford | You can lead a Hors to water – and there we will weed round trees and keep the waterway clear. | Horseback Way (by the junction with Beckside), Horsford, NR10 3SG (OS grid ref: TG 189 159). [what3words: spellings.thirsty.meaty] Arriving approx 10.25am. |
| Fri 14 th | Hellesdon old Station | Out on patrol. Walking to riverbanks, searching for any remaining Himalayan Balsam plants that don't yet know that the war is over. | Hellesdon abandoned train station, on Marriotts Way path, just west of Hellesdon Road, Norwich, nearest postcode NR5 8XN, OS grid ref TG 197 100 [what3words: plans.larger.bars] |
| Sat 15 th | Queen's Hills Community Park | Homes for little heroes: birdbox making. | Car park by small waterworks on Alfred Munnings Road, between the Longwater Shopping Centre and Queen's Hills housing estate, Costessey, Norwich: nearest |

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| | | | <p>postcode NR8 5EY. (OS grid reference TG 153 117) [what3words: lows.science.remarking] *** Meet at 10am on site, sorry no minibus from central Norwich today ***</p> |
| Sat 15 th | Bungay Pride Event | We will have a stall at this event. Come and help us set up beforehand if you can, or just turn up and enjoy the drag show (not performed by us)! | <p>Outside Bigod's Café, Bungay Castle, Castle Orchard, Bungay, Suffolk, NR35 1DD. [what3words: results.compelled.gearing] (OS grid ref TM 335 897) *** Event runs 1.30pm-4.30pm on site, sorry no minibus from central Norwich today ***</p> |
| Mon 17 th | Cringleford Lobelia Lane and Orchard | Weeds to the left of them, weeds to the right of them...clearing round our newly planted trees at the community garden and nearby heritage orchard. | <p>Lobelia Lane (opposite house number 12, near Catkin Close), Roundhouse Park, Cringleford, Norwich, NR4 7JU. [what3words: laying.punchy.beans]</p> |
| Tues 18 th | * NO TASK * | Sorry, no task today. | *** NO TASK TODAY *** |
| Wed 19 th | East Ruston Poors Land | Bracken to the left of them, bracken to the right of them: we will pull one side, and cut the other, to see which method works best. | <p>Car park at Butchers Arms, at junction of Oak Lane with School Road, East Ruston, NR12 9JG (OS grid ref: TG 345 282) [what3words: cove.relies.fonts] Arriving at approx 10.40am.</p> |
| Thurs 20 th | * NO TASK * | Sorry, no task today. | *** NO TASK TODAY *** |
| Fri 21 st | Rouen Road | Wild About Norwich, part 2. Our wildflower seeds are growing nicely, but we must protect them from nasty sycamore suckers and brambles. | <p>Rouen Road at junction with Argyle Street, central Norwich, NR1 1QS. [what3words: union.builds.detail]</p> |

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| Mon 24 th | East Ruston Poors Land | Do sweat the small gorse. Tackling regrowth at the fringes of our heathland restoration area. | Car park at Butchers Arms, at junction of Oak Lane with School Road, East Ruston, NR12 9JG (OS grid ref: TG 345 282) [what3words: cove.relies.fonts] Arriving at approx 10.40am. |
| Tues 25 th | Bluebell Woods | The Bells, the Bells...clearing the pathways though this lovely flower-rich woodland. | Junction of Bluebell Road and North Park Avenue, Eaton Park, Norwich, nearest postcode NR4 7ED. [what3words: bill.walks.amount] |
| Wed 26 th | Mousehold Heath | It's back! First task of the year at one of our all-time favourite sites. | Car park in front of Zak's Mousehold Diner halfway up Gurney Road opposite the bandstand, Norwich, NR1 4HW. [what3words: sobs.deeply.charm] |
| Thurs 27 th | Mousehold Heath | North 'Coast' of Norwich 500. Celebrating over 500 tasks at Mousehold with a bit of a (bracken) bash. | Car park in front of Zak's Mousehold Diner halfway up Gurney Road opposite the bandstand, Norwich, NR1 4HW. [what3words: sobs.deeply.charm] |
| Fri 28 th | East Ruston Poors Land | Might gorses from tiny seedlings grow – unless we stop them, so that heather can regenerate. | Car park at Butchers Arms, at junction of Oak Lane with School Road, East Ruston, NR12 9JG (OS grid ref: TG 345 282) [what3words: cove.relies.fonts] Arriving at approx 10.40am. |
| Mon 31 st | Oulton Broad Orchard Walks | It's showtime! Finally the first part of this site will be opened to the public, so we need to find and clear the paths ready for this. | Near the turning for Nursery Drive on Monckton Avenue (off Normanstone Drive near roundabout with Peto Way), Oulton Broad, NR32 3EG. [what3words: brains.media.nasal] Arriving at approx 10.55am. |

