

Wildlife Garden Monitoring and Management – Work Party Schedule

September/October	December/ January	March/April	June/July
Check condition of seating	Check condition of seating	Check condition of seating	Check condition of seating
Check all pathways are accessible – cut back overgrowth if necessary	Check/Clean out bird boxes	Pruning work party – cut back shrubs, curtail over dominating growth.	Check for invasive species
Arrange mowing of grass - Completed	Check/Clean out Bee Houses	Assess tree condition – lop lower branches to maintain light levels	Deadhead flowers?
Clear away all arisings	Create a deadwood habitat – logpile/stumpery?	Check bug hotel	Water any new planting
Create composting pile	Prune back buddleia and blackthorn on the bank	Decide on additional planting Appendix A	
Plant spring bulbs	Tidy the bug hotel, replace the top layer – remove all broken tiles	Feed the birds?	
Engage with the community	Remove any invasive plants	Engage with the community	
Create a bee bank	Plant snowdrops	Sow wildflowers ?	
Create a deadwood pile			