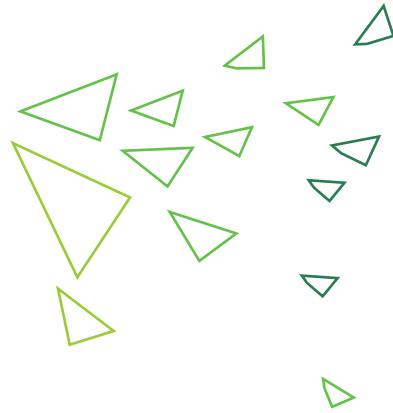




Twyford Parish Council  
RHS Its Your Neighbourhood  
2022





Judges:

Katy Dagnall & Kyle Dowling

Representatives from Twyford:

Ian Butterick - Friends of Stanlake Copse

Cllr Malcolm Bray – Twyford Parish Council

Cllr Bridget Ditcham – Twyford Parish Council

Rebecca Howard -Big Tree Project

Stephen Loyd – Environmentalist

Lucy Moffatt - Clerk to Twyford Parish Council

Information on the venue:

Parking is available and the pavilion will be open for use of the toilets.

Postcode: RG10 OBL



Rebecca Howard will talk about:

Crowdfunding

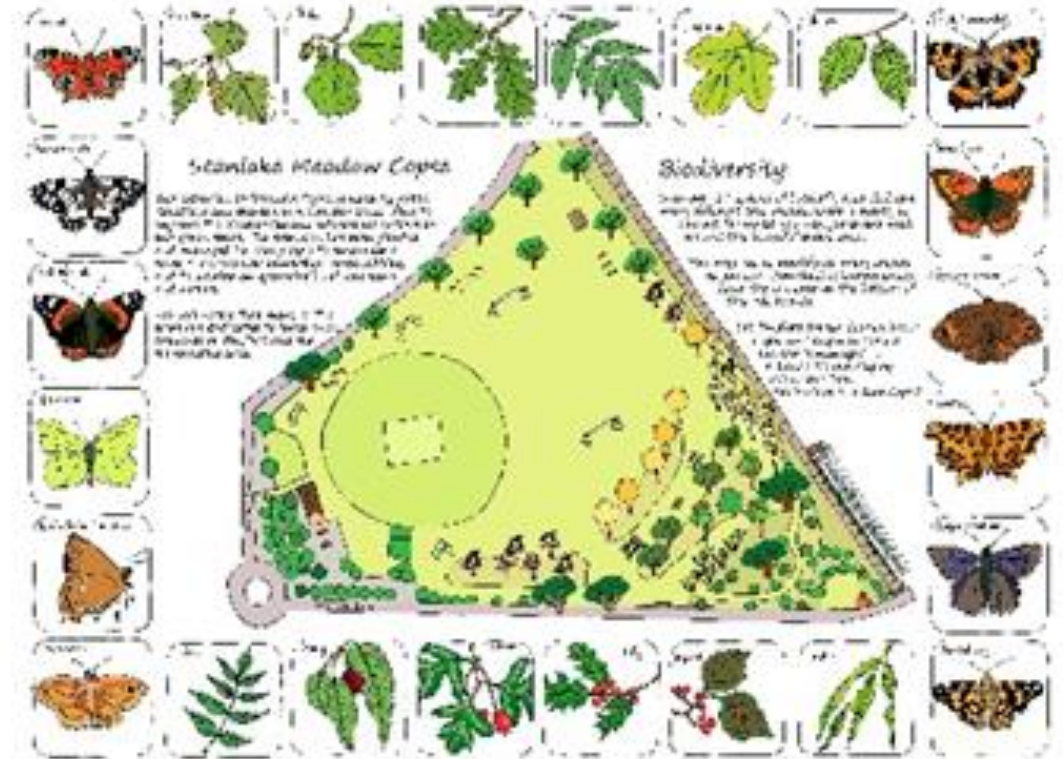
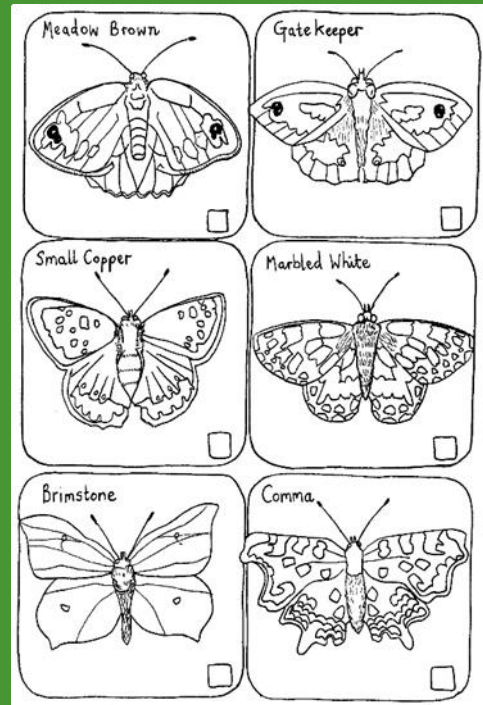
Tree Planting 2020 & 2021

Ongoing care and management of the trees

Challenges of caterpillars!

Tree Information Board

Website butterfly sheet





TPC will talk about:

Tree Festival 2021

Bringing the community together after Covid

Helping to combat loneliness


Therapeutic effects of working with nature

Education

Gordon Storey memorial tree

Thank the NHS bench





Stephen Loyd will talk about:  
Stanlake Copse Management plan 2019  
Planning the layout of the trees  
Tawny Owl nest box  
2 x disease resistant Elm  
Natural wildflower area  
Reducing carbon

Planting plan updated 2021



Grass to be left long around newly planted trees

Hazel whips

Planting Key	2021 addition
Field Maple ( 10 )	Rowan ( 6 )
Wild Cherry ( 3 )	Goat Willow ( 3 )
Hornbeam ( 7 )	Silver Birch ( 9 )
Mulberry ( 1 )	British Oak ( 5 )
British Oak ( 15 )	Hornbeam ( 6 )
Beech ( 3 )	Elm ( 1 )
Hazel Whips ( 10 )	Apple Tree ( 3 )
Silver Birch ( 16 )	Wild Cherry ( 1 )
Alder ( 3 )	

Ian Butterick will talk about:  
 Friends of Stanlake Copse group  
 Bi – monthly working groups  
 Assistance from Conserve Reading on Wednesdays (CROW)  
 Stag Beetle habitat and information board to be installed in July  
 Seasonal pond



**Stag Beetle Habitat**

The stag beetle is a large, long-lived insect that is found in woodlands across the UK. It is a protected species and its numbers have declined significantly since the 1950s. This is due to the loss of its natural habitat, which is old-growth woodland with a high level of dead wood.

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**Life Cycle**

The life cycle of a stag beetle is long and complex. It starts with the adult beetle, which lays eggs in a hole in the wood. The eggs hatch into larvae, which spend several years in the wood, feeding on dead wood. The larvae then pupate and emerge as adults, which can live for up to 10 years.

**How you can help**

1. Create a stag beetle habitat by creating a hole in the wood.
2. Provide a source of dead wood for the larvae to feed on.
3. Avoid using pesticides in the woodland.
4. Create a seasonal pond for the adults to drink from.
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Thank you for visiting Twyford.  
Please join us for drinks and cake in the  
pavilion.

