Task # 24 – 18 Date: 08 August 2024

Meet: Strancliffe Lane – to Nottingham Road

BARROW
FOOTPAT

A great team turnout with 13 volunteers out for the Strancliffe Lane path from Willow Road across to Nottingham Road.

We had a gentle start to the task, mainly snipping away the extra-long brambles at the start of the path, and chatting to lots of dog walkers, when Alison, who was at the rear of the team, heard a loud crack behind her and saw that a large lvy covered tree had just fallen straight across the path.





We quickly checked that no-one else using the footpath was injured, and thankfully there wasn't, so we were able to start cutting it down and out of the way. Once the Ivy was removed it was a 7 person lift to move the dead tree trunk out of the way.

We carried on clearing the overgrowth along the full length of the path, and an advance team also went over Nottingham Road to clear the entrance to the footpath towards Walton.

We were able to leave lots of fruiting bramble along the way - most of which is almost ready for picking. We also cleared away one bag of rubbish.





Thanks to the team today - Pat, Paula. Anne, Alison, Ian, Nick, Margaret, Steve, Patrica, Andy, Bob and Trev

Next Task:

Thursday 15 August 09:30

Location: Willow Road/Brooker Close Play Park