

RIGHTS OF WAY ACTIVITY FROM EASTER 2019 to July 10th

- 1) The wooden footpath sign on the Vernon Lane end of path 144 has rotted and will be replaced by one of the new metal signs.
- 2) A new, metal finger post has been placed at the end of footpath 130 at Spancarr, on the Chesterfield to Matlock Road. There is also one on Farhill at the start of Path 41 and one at Red Lion Stone Edge for footpath 127.
- 3) A fallen tree across footpath 63 near Overton Hall has been moved. Low hanging braches on Back Lane Overton have been cut back for the benefit of horse riders.
- 4) A bench has been positioned next to the footpath on Footpath 111 upstream of Brockhurst Mill.
- 5) Vegetation has been cut back on path 92 along the Amber, behind The Miners' Arms, to give walkers more space.
- 6) Thanks to the landowner, a crumbling stone stile on footpath 89 at Greenend has been made safe.
- 7) Extra way marker discs made the route of a short section of footpath 124 near Hardwick Farm clearer and on the right line.
- 8) Thanks to the owners of Eastwood Grange, the hedge through 'The Tunnels' (Footpath 42) has been cut back. Volunteers cleared the stone steps at the uphill end.
- 9) Thanks to the owner, overgrowth on path 41 near Eastwood Grange has been sympathetically cut back.
- 10) Overgrowth on path 16 near Press Farm has been cut back, especially making it safer over an old stone bridge.
- 11) Repairs to path 147 on Highoredish, including adding extra steps and handrail, are nearing completion.

12) A new gate has made a much easier entry onto Brackenfield 30 from Ashover 85, on the way to Ogston Reservoir.

13) The County Council arranged for the path from The Bassett Rooms to the cricket pavilion to be cut (Ashover 37). The Tree Group kindly completed the job by removing overgrowth.

14) Thanks to a diligent land owner, a dangerous tree overhanging footpath 30 near Eastwood Grange has been made safe.

15) Work has been done on several footpaths in The Parish to clear over and under growth. This is particularly to help children to be less likely to be scratched or stung!!

16) Thanks to a local dog walker, cut backs have been done on Path 43 (Appletree Knoll) and Hilltop (44). Cut backs have also been done on the link path between Hilltop Road and Hillside.

17) Grateful thanks to the Tuesday evening walking group who help to keep so many paths well-trodden. Their planning walk at weekends is also much appreciated, as it involves clearing of obstructions.