



Friends of Shirtcliffe

Below are listed the Friends of Shirtcliffe events:

All comers are welcome – equipment and protective gloves are provided.

The week before each workday, FoS Officers normally undertake a Risk Assessment walk. If you spot any problems in the intervening period, please let one of the committee members know.

Schedule 2018

Workdays (*Please note: FoS Workdays are now Ranger-supervised.*) We work from 1pm to 3pm.

Please be careful: some of the paths may be slippery, so do wear suitable footwear.

Saturday 8th December - Litter Picking & Brook Unblocking (1pm to 3pm)

It looks as if we are going to have 2 activities going on for the coming workday. We are told that somebody has been dumping rubbish at Severnside Drive again. Also there are several blockages in the Brook in Shirtcliffe Woods.

It is proposed that one team clears the Severnside rubbish. The Ranger in attendance will park his van on the green above Severnside Meadow, so it's not too far to take the filled binbags. Obviously the most sensible meeting point for this activity will be the access gate on Severnside Drive (SK 4116 8527).

Meanwhile, the second team will start at Schubert Bridge (SK 41997 85300) and begin clearing blockages from the Brook, steadily working their way upstream. Hopefully, we should all meet in the middle.

We will bring some tools to hook the logs and branches out of the water, but we've asked the Ranger if he could possibly bring some cranes as well. We'll try to coordinate by mobile phone – in case of technological failure, we will resort to sending runners! (This should be interesting, if nothing else!)

Proposed dates for workdays in 2019:

January	12 th	July	13 th
February	9 th	August	<i>No Workday, see below</i>
March	9 th	September	7 th
April	13 th	October	12 th
May	11 th	November	9 th
June	1 st	December	14 th

There is normally no workday in August as this is the holiday period.

Please note – these dates are provisional and may be subject to change. Any alterations will be published on our website and Facebook.