

A very productive few weeks across the area's footpaths!

South Wiltshire Paths Group

I'll start by saying a big thank you to all the volunteers that have been out and about improving our paths in the last few weeks.

Last week South Wiltshire Paths Group were out in the sun replacing a bridge next to Standlynch mill, the results of can be seen in the images below. The original bridge was getting rather rotten so we removed this and replaced it with a very heavy kit bridge.





The finished bridge and some of the gang from last weeks work party. The Rights of Way team will go back to replace the red tape with fencing and compact the new surface leading to the bridge.

Our lead Volunteer has been very busy getting a group together in Firsdow and designing a circular path. They have already been out and to clear a 30 metre section of their circular path of dense overhanging brambles enabling the path to be moved further in from the busy road to be surfaced with scalplings at a later date (see image below).



Our lead Volunteer has also been out with the Ramblers light gang and some local residents clearing one of the paths from the Green at Pitton and levelling about 30 metres of

path across the side of steep White Hill (see image below). The Ramblers light gang to a tremendous job across the area clearing paths of vegetation.



Future work parties.....

Our next work party will be on the 11th of May due to the bank holiday falling on the first Monday of the month. If you are interested in attending our next work party or any future ones then please let me know via my email address: info@southwiltspathsgroup.co.uk

Many Thanks
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