

## The Conservation Volunteers February 2022



# Haringey

#### **Conservation Projects in Haringey:**

TCV is the largest environmental volunteering charity in the country. We do conservation work in various parks, nature reserves and woodlands in Haringey.

New volunteers are always welcome! We provide the leadership, tools, and training. Wear suitable outdoor clothing and sturdy footwear. Bring a packed lunch.



Jelly Ear fungus—at Railway Fields

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### February 2022

#### Wednesday **Tuesday Tuesday 1st February** Wednesday 2nd February 10am - 3pm 10am - 3pm **Railway Fields** The Paddock Join us for a whole range of woodland tasks Join us for our regular conservation including planting some hazel trees! activities at the Paddock! MAP/meet: Site Office, Railway Fields, 381 **MAP/meet:** Entrance on Ferry Lane Near N17 9BS **Green Lanes, N4 1ES Tuesday 8th February Wednesday 9th February** 10am - 3pm 10am - 3pm **Parkland Walk North** The Paddock Join us on the Parkland Walk North for some Practical conservation action day. vegetation clearance—we'll be opening up the Muswell Hill entrances! **MAP/meet:** Entrance on Ferry Lane MAP/meet: St James Lane entrance, near Near N17 9BS N10 3QX **Tuesday 15th February** Wednesday 16th February 10am - 3pm 10am - 3pm **Finsbury Park** The Paddock Join us in sorting out the wildflower bank! Practical conservation action day. MAP/meet: Oxford Road gate entrance, near **N43EY** MAP/meet: Entrance on Ferry Lane Near N17 9BS **Tuesday 22nd February** Wednesday 23rd February 10am - 3pm 10am - 3pm **Queen's Wood** The Paddock Join us for some tree planting! Practical conservation action day. **MAP/meet:** Entrance on Ferry Lane MAP/meet: Queens Wood Café N10 3JP Near N17 9BS

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#### **Thursday**

#### **Thursday 3rd February**

10am - 3pm

#### **Parkland Walk North**

Join us on the Parkland Walk North for some vegetation clearance—we'll be opening up the Muswell Hill entrances!

MAP/meet: St James Lane entrance, near

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#### **Thursday 10th February**

10am - 3pm

#### **Lordship Rec Spinney**

Join us for some woodland management in the Spinney!

MAP/meet: Freedom Road Entrance, Broadwater Farm Community Centre N17 6HE

#### **Thursday 17th February**

10am - 3pm

#### **Queen's Wood**

Join us for some tree planting!

MAP/meet: Queens Wood Café N10 3JP

#### **Thursday 24th February**

10am - 3pm

#### **Bluebell Wood**

We will be doing a range of tasks including some deadhedge building!

MAP/meet: Meet at the entrance on Winton Avenue, near N11 2AR

#### **Sunday**

#### **Sunday 6th February**

10.30am – 2pm

#### **Tunnel Gardens**

Join us in clearing the meadows and caring for the paths!

MAP/meet: Blake Road Entrance, near N11 2AL

#### **Sunday 13th February**

10.30am - 2pm

#### **Southwood Lane Wood**

We'll be carrying out some woodland management and clearing bramble from the meadow.

MAP/meet: Entrance where Jackson's Lane meets Southwood Lane. Near N6

#### **Sunday 20th February**

10.30am - 2pm

#### **Coldfall Wood**

We will be managing the coppice areas in this beautiful ancient woodland

MAP/meet: Entrance on Creighton Avenue opposite Beech Drive N2 9BJ

#### **Sunday 27th February**

10.30am - 2pm

#### **Chestnuts Park**

Join us for some hedgelaying and hedge care!

MAP/meet: Chestnuts café, St Ann's Road, near N15 5BN

#### Interested in joining us?

We will be continuing to run our booking system which you can access using the link below. However, from now on you will also be able to contact us on the day of a project to see if there are spaces left. Please see the front page of this newsletter for our phone numbers (please note that some staff are part time)

Click <u>HERE</u> to register interest, and we'll be in touch if you have a space. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday places are allocated on the previous Friday and Sunday places are allocated on the previous Wednesday.





## Wildlife Surveying Workshops /Walks

Whether you are complete beginner or an experienced surveyor, our wildlife surveying workshops are for you!

To find out more and book a place visit follow the links below or on the <u>TCV-Haringey</u> webpage.

#### **Friday 4th February**

10am -11am Bird Survey.

11:15am-12:15pm Winter Tree ID

#### **Friday 11th February**

10-11am Bird Survey

11:15am-12:15pm Bird Folklore Workshop

#### Friday 18th February

10-11am Bird Survey

11:15-12:15pm Moss Workshop

#### Friday 25th February

10-11am Bird\_Survey

11:15-12:15pm Plant Survey

#### **Saturday 26th February**

10:30am- 12:30pm Bat Box Building
1pm- 3pm: Guest Speaker
Join us for a stroll around The
Paddock and enjoy a talk with our
guest speaker —->

#### TCV Haringey—Who's who?

Carrie Anker, Volunteer Officer. With TCV since 2019.







Jon Coelho, Sunday Project Officer. With TCV since 2010.

Luke Farnsworth, Volunteer Officer. With TCV since 2021.









Hannah Jones, Schools Project Officer. With TCV since 2020

Cassandra Li, Project Officer With TCV since 2017









Mat Pendergast, Senior Project Officer. With TCV since 2008.

Anna Pole, Senior Project Officer. With TCV since 2017









Keith Shallcross, Volunteer Officer. With TCV since 2010.

Clare Street, Project Officer. With TCV since 2009.









Helena Taylor, Senior Project Officer. With TCV since 2020.



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# Brush off those winter cobwebs and get out in your park

this new year! 26th February 2022 Winter Woodland Walk

Take relaxing guided walk through your local nature park and into the surrounding wetlands, discover your green spaces and the wildlife they contain.

Book a place at: <a href="https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/the-conservation-volunteers-32022937345">www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/the-conservation-volunteers-32022937345</a>

The Paddock Community Nature Park, Ferry Lane, N17 6NG

For further events and volunteering visit

www.tcv.org.uk



# Springfield Park Saturday 12th Feb, 10:30am-2pm

TCV Haringey will be running volunteer sessions at Springfield Park on the 2nd Saturday of every month until August '22.

These sessions aim to make improvements to the key nature areas of the park (including 2 ponds and a woodland), give the entrances a welcoming feel and carry out a range of other management tasks.

Springfield Park is in need of YOUR help! Join TCV and the local community of Springfield Park to help make some positive changes to a small but well-loved park in Haringey.

Please sign up to sessions on Eventbrite

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/springfield-community-park-volunteer-

with-tcv-tickets-211151268127

OR scan this QR Code to take you to the Eventbrite page: OR contact Helena to sign up / for more information: 07870 678571 / helena.taylor@tcv.org.uk

Springfield Community Park is located between Park Rd and Durnsford Rd in Bounds Green, N11 2LW, London UK.

Nearest tube: Bounds Green (Piccadilly line) Covered by bus routes: 102, 184, 221 and 229 Jon Coelho and Carrie Anker will be your TCV leaders.
Contact Jon on: 07887 624866





TCV would like to invite you to join in with the investigation. You can help out on any of the following dates, and there is no min/max amount of days you have to attend to be part of the project.

# Tower Gardens: Pesticide-Free weed removal Investigation

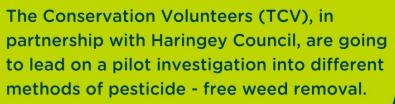
Tower Gardens Park, Haringey, N17 London Get in touch for more info! helena.taylor@tcv.org.uk

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- Objective: Determine the most effective method of pesticide free weed removal.
- TCV and The Friends of Tower Gardens will investigate 4 different methods of weed removal.
- The Project will begin Feb '22 and will end approx. Sept '22.
- New volunteers are welcome, get in touch to join in with the next session or to find out more!



## BAT North Needs You!



Every Monday 10-3.30



It's a great opportunity to learn all sorts of practical skills, from tree planting to hedgelaying, pond construction to woodland management, whilst also caring for some of London's most important and beautiful green spaces.

There's no minimum commitment, so why not give it a try?



Upcoming projects on tcv.org.uk/batnorth



For more information about this volunteering opportunity, please contact our Project Officer, Mat Pendergast T. 020 8348 6005

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Join in, feel good

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