

Dates for your diary:

31st July, 10.00 start

Walk from Stockgrove to Tiddenfoot
to join the canal festival

31st July, 10.00 - 17.00

Canal Festival
Tiddenfoot Waterside Park

1st - 24th August,

Children's Bug Labs

Various Leighton Buzzard venues & times

15th August, 10.30 - 15.00

Doggie Fun Day
Stockgrove Country Park

22nd August, 10.30—12.30

Heathland Discovery Walk
Stockgrove Country Park

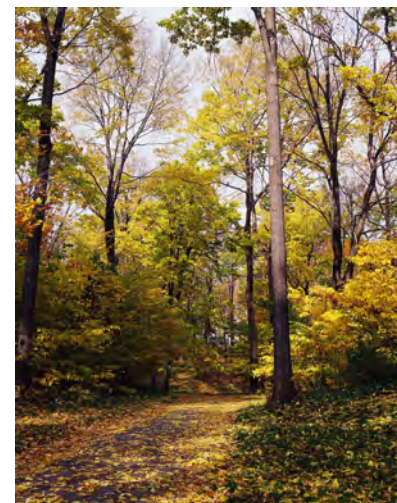
Contact Stockgrove or see www.greensandtrust.org
for more information and other events.

The Greensand Trust

Midweek Volunteer Team

Conservation Tasks & Events Programme

Summer 2010



*Opportunities for local people
to enjoy & help conserve the
countryside on their doorstep*



PLEASE WEAR STEEL TOE-CAPPED BOOTS ON TASKS (OTHER APPROPRIATE SAFETY CLOTHING WILL BE PROVIDED)

July

WEDNESDAY 7TH JULY - RUSHMERE PARK

Finish doing the fence and continue opening up paths. Meet just inside the main gates at the Old Linslade Road/Plantation Road junction.

WEDNESDAY 14TH JULY - CRICKET FIELD SPINNEY/FOX HOLE

Starting by clearing the bank at the Spinney in Great Brickhill and then going on to Fox Hole for some other management work. Meet at Great Brickhill Parish Hall car park (off Rotten Row - SP904306).



WEDNESDAY 21ST JULY - RUSHMERE PARK

Opening up some more paths. Meet just inside the gates (see 7th July)



WEDNESDAY 28TH JULY - MAULDEN HEATH

Details to follow.

August

WEDNESDAY 4TH AUGUST - KINGS WOOD/RAMMAMERE HEATH

Pulling bracken in Kings Wood, clearing the pipeline track to Rammamere and maintenance of a heathland glade. Meet at Stockgrove.

WEDNESDAY 11TH AUGUST - AMPHILL PARK

Clearing glades in Laurel Woods. Meet at Western car park, just off the Ampthill bypass.

WEDNESDAY 18TH AUGUST - BILLINGTON PARK PONDS

Removing reedmace from the pond & cutting small area of grassland. Meet at Moorhouse Way, Billington Park (SP938238, near RAF Stanbridge).



WEDNESDAY 25TH AUGUST - TO BE NOTIFIED

Please contact Stockgrove for details.

September



WEDNESDAY 1ST SEPTEMBER - STOCKGROVE COUNTRY PARK

Our annual cutting and raking of the marshy meadow. Meet at Stockgrove.

WEDNESDAY 8TH SEPTEMBER - OAK



WOOD

Cutting and raking the streamside meadow near the



WEDNESDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER - VIMY ROAD

Cutting and raking the grass bank near the river. Meet at Vimy Road, Leighton Buzzard by the swings.

WEDNESDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER - TO BE NOTIFIED

Please contact Stockgrove for details.



WEDNESDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER - SANDHOUSE NATURE RESERVE

Ragwort and thistle pulling. Meet at Reserve entrance on Sandhouse Lane - don't forget to bring gloves.

Tasks begin at 10am and finish around 3.30.

Wear old clothes and strong (preferably steel toecap) footwear.

You will need a packed lunch and drinks if you are planning to stay all day.

For further advice and information contact

the Rangers at Stockgrove Country Park,

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