

Great Day on the Fen with volunteers from Balfour Beatty



Recently, we were fortunate to have the offer of some volunteers from Balfour Beatty. We made arrangements for a working party on 24th February, and were blessed with a nice fine day as well.

Their Community Liaison Officer brought along five volunteers from the offices, and whilst initially they were not all familiar with hand tools, they set to with a will, and learnt very fast. Thanks to their hard work, with some help from Dave, Sue and myself, they soon got into the swing of things, and we were able to clear up and burn most of the remaining reed from the recent cut, and a large quantity of scrub that had been amassed on a previous occasion.

One of their colleagues arrived at lunchtime armed with several flasks and an array of food, which boosted everyone's energy levels. The group were cheerful all day, and a pleasure to work with, so we hope that we may be able to repeat the experience on another occasion.