

# Magnificent Meadows Conservation Volunteers

## Work party programme

The group meets at 10.30am on the **first Thursday of the month** (unless otherwise stated)

Date	Reserve	Task	Meet
2 Apr 2026	Velvet Bottom	Continuing with dry stone wall repairs along the reserve boundary	Roadside at the Charterhouse end of Velvet Bottom ST 503 555
7 May 2026	Middledown	Removing a fence line in the hay meadow	Park in the lay-by ("Totty Pot") at the top of the Gorge Road at ST486 535
4 Jun 2026	Cooks Fields	Pulling creeping thistle from below the hay meadows	Deer Leap car park - ST 520 494 (Priddy to Ebbor Gorge Road)
2 Jul 2026	Middledown	Bracken clearance on species rich grassland on top of a notable limestone ridge on the reserve	Park in the lay-by ("Totty Pot") at the top of the Gorge Road at ST486 535
6 Aug 2026	Ubley Warren	Ragwort pulling, focussing on limestone heath and rakes	Roadside at the Charterhouse end of Velvet Bottom ST 503 555
3 Sep 2026	Draycott Sleights	Removing bramble and young hawthorn regeneration from species rich grassland slopes	Roadside at reserve entrance ST 486 514 Please car share if possible

### New volunteers:

Please contact SWT's Volunteer Coordinator for details of how to get involved at [volunteering@somersetwildlife.org](mailto:volunteering@somersetwildlife.org) or **01823 652416**