

# Green Team March and April 2025 Newsletter

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The Green Team is a team of both core and ad hoc volunteers who help look after and maintain the green spaces in Whitchurch-on-Thames.

In 2025 regular working parties started up again in March, following a break over the winter.

## **What's Happened Recently**

- The first Village Green working party was at the end of March, with another at the end of April. The work included picking up branches that had fallen over the winter at the south end of the green; clearing brambles and nettles; weeding the car park flower beds.
- The first Maze working party was on 12<sup>th</sup> April, when the grass along the edges of the maze bricks was trimmed and the maze area mown.

## **Work Coming Up**

- The next two Maze working parties will be on 10<sup>th</sup> May and 14<sup>th</sup> June at 10am.
- The next two Village Green working parties are planned for the last Saturdays in May and June, starting at 10am.

## **New Guardians**

There are 2 new guardians. Mark Reynolds is taking over from Richard Wingfield as guardian of the Jubilee Path. Keith Brooks is now guardian of the bank on Hardwick Road adjacent to the Hillside houses.

## **Get involved!**

We would love to hear from anyone who would like to get involved in looking after the green areas of the village. If you have noticed any areas which you think need a bit of maintenance, just get in touch. Also, do feel free to turn up at any of the published activities – you would be very welcome!

## **Find out more**

Visit our page on the village website <https://whitchurchonthames.com/groups/greenteam.html> or contact Jill on [jill@jbradon.co.uk](mailto:jill@jbradon.co.uk), or 07879 843285