

# NOVEMBER



## LONG SPINNEY / BEWICK GREEN MAINTENANCE WORKING PARTIES

**Wednesday 4th - AND - Sunday 8th**  
**at the winter time of 1pm till 4pm.**

We meet at 1 pm by the Soulbury Road ( located between Chesterfield Crescent + Burcott )

### ON THE "TO-DO LIST"

Due to recent high winds and flooding in Long Spinney  
we have a huge number of fallen and leaning trees  
*So our priority will be to cut back the overhanging branches and major tree trunks.*

Also, around mid November, some 420 whips (bare root tree saplings)  
will arrive from the Woodland Trust  
*which will need to be planted.....*

*(More information about the planting will be given when we have received them).*

In advance of that we need to clear the planting area of brash and bramble.  
We would like to do this during the November working parties...

**So we need plenty of volunteers this month**

*even if you can only spare an hour of your time it will help us achieve our tasks.*

#### **Tools required for the tree clearing will be:**

Bow saws and loppers, especially long reach loppers and saws.

*Please note that only professionally qualified chainsaw users are allowed to work in Long Spinney,  
so if you are qualified we would be grateful for your help!*

#### **For the planting area clearing, tools required will be**

Strimmers, secateurs, loppers and rakes.

**Don't forget boots and gloves for yourselves and some water to keep hydrated.**

**We hope to see you on Wednesday and/or Sunday.**



*Under the current government advice this needs to be a socially distanced working party.*