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| **Broadland Tree Warden Network****Brundall Church Fen Local Nature Reserve Monthly Inspection Report** | *Date of inspection:**8th October 2022* |
| *Item* | *Detail* | *Report* |
| ***Entrance gate*** | *Open / closed* | *CLOSED* |
| *Condition* | *GOOD* |
| *Ease of opening* | *GOOD* |
| ***Eastern pathway*** | *Surface condition* | *WET IN PLACES OTHERWISE FINE*  |
| *Vegetation* | *CLEARED OVERHANGING UNDERGROWTH* |
| ***River bank*** | *Surface condition* | *GOOD* |
| *Vegetation* | *NO ISSUE* |
| ***Western Boardwalk*** | *Surface condition* | *FLOODED IN PLACES WOOD BEEN REPLACED MESH NEEDS ATTENTION* |
| *Vegetation* | *A BIT OF OVERHANGING CLEARED FALLEN LEAVES NEED CLEARING* |
| ***Northern pathway*** | *Surface condition* | *GOOD* |
| *Vegetation* | *NO ISSUES* |
| ***Educational area*** | *Surface condition* | *NOT USED SO OVERGROWN* |
| *Trees / vegetation* |  |
| ***Trees*** | *Safety* | *NO ISSUES NOTED* |
| *Damage / disease* | *AS ABOVE* |
| *Comments* | *PATHWAYS SAFE SOME TREES OVERHANG THE DYKES* |
| ***Shrubs*** | *Safety* | *NO ISSUE* |
| *Damage / disease* | *NO ISSUE* |
| *Comments* | *NONE* |
| ***Vegetation (general)*** | *Safety* | *CLEAR FOR ACCESS* |
| *Damage / disease* |  |
| *Comments* |  |
| ***Reedbed*** | *General observations* | *OVERGROWN AND FLOODED* |
| ***Water (dykes)*** | *General observations* | *HIGH. AS YOU WOULD EXPECT IN WINTER MONTHS* |
| ***Signs*** | *General observations* | *REPLACED 2 POO SIGNS. TREE ROOT SIGNS IN PLACE* |
| ***Lifesaving equipment*** | *In position / removed* |  *THROW LINES IN POSITION* |
| *Condition* | *SAFETY LADDERS NEED ATTENTION IN LONGER TERM* |
| ***Moorings*** | *In use* | *YES* |
| *Barbecues / fires* | *NONE* |
| *Proper use* | *YES BA 24hr signs looking tired* |
| ***Anglers*** | *Number* | *NONE* |
| *Obstructing footpath?* | *N/A* |
| *Litter etc* | *NONE SEEN*  |
| ***Swimming, parties etc on river bank / moorings*** | *Evidence* | *NONE* |
| *Damage / vandalism* | *NO* |
| *Comments* |  |
| ***General remarks or observations*** | *ENJOYABLE PEACEFUL WALK . AS LONG AS YOUR CAREFUL THE EASTERN PATH DOES HAVE TREE ROOTS EXPOSED BUT AS ALREADY STATED SIGNS IN PLACE.**Stated last months should dogs be kept on leads?*  |
| ***Inspection carried out by: RICHARD FARLEY*** Broadland Tree Warden  |