



# Broadland Tree Warden Network

## Brundall Church Fen Local Nature Reserve

### Monthly Inspection Report

Date of inspection:  
26<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2024

Item	Detail	Report
<b>Entrance gate</b>	Open / closed	CLOSED
	Condition	GOOD
	Ease of opening	GOOD
<b>Eastern pathway</b>	Surface condition	MUDDY BUT PASABLE WITH CARE TREE ROOTS TRIP HAZARD REQUIRED X2
	Vegetation	CLEAR OVERHANG TO PATH CLEARED
<b>River bank</b>	Surface condition	MUDDY IN PLACES
	Vegetation	NO PROBLEM
<b>Western Boardwalk</b>	Surface condition	AS BEFORE NEEDS BOARDS REPLACING
	Vegetation	SEVERAL SMALL TREES CLEARED AS REQUIRED
<b>Northern pathway</b>	Surface condition	MUDDY
	Vegetation	NOT A PROBLEM
<b>Educational area</b>	Surface condition	NOT USED
	Trees / vegetation	NOT USED
<b>Trees</b>	Safety	NO ISSUE REGARDING SAFE ACCES ON PATHWAYS
	Damage / disease	SEVERAL FALLEN / DEAD
	Comments	1 LEANING TREE BUT HUNG UP ON BRIDGE
<b>Shrubs</b>	Safety	NO PROBLEM
	Damage / disease	NO ISSUE
	Comments	SEVERAL CLEARED ALONG EASTERN PATH
<b>Vegetation (general)</b>	Safety	PATHWAYS CLEAR
	Damage / disease	
	Comments	NO ISSUES
<b>Reedbed</b>	General observations	OVERGROWN AND NOT BEEN MAINTAINED FOR DECADES
<b>Water (dykes)</b>	General observations	LOW
<b>Signs</b>	General observations	2 NEEDS REPLACING AS ABOVE
<b>Lifesaving equipment</b>	In position / removed	YES
	Condition	UPSTREAM SAFETY LADDER TAPED OFF
<b>Moorings</b>	In use	YES 1 BOAT
	Barbecues / fires	NO
	Proper use	YES
<b>Anglers</b>	Number	NONE SEEN
	Obstructing footpath?	N/A
	Litter etc	LITTER PICK COMPLETED
<b>Swimming, parties etc on river bank / moorings</b>	Evidence	NONE
	Damage / vandalism	N/A
	Comments	
<b>General remarks or observations</b>	USED WIRE MESH NEEDS REMOVING FROM SITE. 5 PLANKS NEED REPLACING ALONG BOARDWALK BEFORE SPRING 2X TREE TRIP HAZARD NEED REPLACEMENT LEANING TREE AT BRIDGE WILL BE COMPLETED BY MEONCE I HAVE A SECOND PERSON ON SAFETY GROUNDS	
Inspection carried out by: <b>RICHARD FARLEY</b>		Broadland Tree Warden