

Brundall Parish Council Land Management reports to be considered

Name of organisation/group: Cremer's Meadow. March 2024

Highlights for sharing

The Maintenance Plan has been approved by the Friends and will provide a structure for monthly working. (attached)

The pond group (Friends and BWG) have been meeting and the initial work will be testing the mud at the bottom of the pond. This is in conjunction with testing at Church Fen. Costings for the pond redevelopment will be sought in the medium term.

There was a major leak of foul water including sewage during the high rains. It transpired that the pumping station by the Scout Hut failed which led to the overflow which went into the Run Dyke at the bottom of the site, onto the site itself and into the barn. Anglia Water cleared up to some extent, including disinfecting the barn. There are ongoing discussions about this as reassurance is required about future precautions. Tim at Strumpshaw Fen was alerted to this as the Dyke runs into the Lackford Run and then the reserve.

Orchid Day/Open Day will be held on 22nd June. This may be a joint event with Marty's Marsh if the bridge is in place

Issues you wish Land Management to discuss

Cost of mud testing if this is available (Richard?)

There may be a blockage in the culvert which runs under the main entrance at the south end of the site. This may need investigation (possible costs) once the water has gone down a bit and we can see what needs to be done.

Help requested from within Land Management groups