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Hurst Meadows Working Group Meeting

4th June 2026

Minutes

1. Upcoming works update

- a. PROW cut
- b. Cycleway Cut
- c. Hovel Field South cut
- d. Millennium Garden Cut
- e. Vegetation control by Cycleway
- f. Orchard water tank
- g. Orchard Path Cut

- All works are due to take place at the end of the week commencing 2nd June 2026, but bad weather may delay this.
- SW will arrange for Hamish to strim the Access track to forest school.
- We are monitoring Hovel Field South, and more cuts will be arranged if needed.
- Ensure that we get ownership of all areas of our countryside open space if land east of Big Edgerley comes to us with future development in order to remove partial ownership by previous landowners.
- SW is to check orchard path to bench is cut back.
- Apples handed out at the Village Centre went well last year and we are keen to do this again.

2. Anti-social behaviour

- a. 2 x noticeboards have had glass broken and the rear of the 3rd damaged.
- b. Youths seen on electric bikes on site.
- c. Drinking evidence on site.
- d. Skylark signs damaged.

We are to continue reporting these incidents to the Police.

3. Any Other Business

- a. The magnets are back in Hovel Field noticeboard. SW to print out a new A3 Map and investigate getting an OS licence map made, with all paths, sky lark nesting area, cycleways, PROW and other items of interest.



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- b. SW is to organise for the gate by Meadow View to be installed by us.
Investigate whether we can use the wooden gates by Fat Pony field and fence gap off.
- c. Make sure the drainage for the new build by Meadow View has been modelled to ensure our ditch can cope with the additional water collected.
- d. SW is to chase Batchellor Monkhouse for Rural Payment Agency feedback.
- e. Pond dredging at Marchant's Close is being planned by the owner, SW is arranging a meeting with the owner to discuss the emptying of the pond.