



Volunteer Programme (North) October -December 2025







**Bryniau Clwyd a** Dyffryn Dyfrdwy Tirwedd

Cenedlaethol

**Clwydian Range** and Dee Valley National Landscape



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# **Successes from** July - September



#### STACKS OF STONE

The historical boundary dry-stone wall on Moel Famau, running alongside Offa's Dyke National Trail, has been given a facelift thanks to our fantastic volunteers' hard work and tutelage by local professional drystone waller, Rich Jones. Many visitors have commented on how good the finished sections of the wall looks, thank you so much to all that helped out!

#### STACKS OF SEATING

Volunteers worked hard, placing new benches along the trails at Loggerheads Country Park. The new benches feature different engraved key species of the National Landscape. These benches provide resting points along the trails and help to increase accessibility to nature, as well as providing a nice spot to take in the views.

# **STACKS OF GRASS**

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The top car park at Loggerheads is looking neat after volunteers cut and raked the grass. Removing the arisings is essential to promote wildflower diversity, to support pollinators and to just look brilliant!





# Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> October 10am – 3pm

Manor Hill Quarry - Collecting and burning cut vegetation

Rake, collect and burn previously cut vegetation to restore this habitat of principle importance into favourable condition.

Meet at Prestatyn Hillside car park –

Grid Reference - SJ 07166 82106, What 3 Words - middle.shipwreck.economics

#### Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> October 10am – 3pm

Loggerheads Country Park - Lower Trail path edging

Give the Lower Trail some TLC after a busy summer by replacing and repairing the path edging.

Meet at Loggerheads car park -

Grid Reference - SJ 19803 62639, What 3 Words - lifters.seabirds.split

#### Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> October 10am – 3pm

Moel Fenlli – Fenlli pond clearance and car park tidy

Help the Ranger team to maintain the pond on Moel Fenlli by clearing reed mace and creating open water.

Meet at Penbarras car park -

Grid Reference - SJ 1613 6058, What 3 Words - plums.delighted.posts

#### Prestatyn Hillside - Vegetation removal from Scheduled Ancient Monument

Remove vegetation from this historic monument as part of an ongoing project to restore this site to open grassland in readiness for grazing in the near future.

Meet at Gwaenysgor Village Green -

Grid Reference - SJ 0752 8106, What 3 Words - provider.zaps.textiles

#### Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> October 10am – 3pm

Loggerheads Country Park – Walk and work

Help maintain the main paths at Loggerheads by cutting back growth after a busy summer.

Meet at Loggerheads car park –

Grid Reference - SJ 19803 62639, What 3 Words - lifters, seabirds, split

# Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 10am – 3pm

Coed Llangwyfan - Coppicing

Maintain the woodland at Coed Llangwyfan by coppicing trees to make room for new growth.

Meet at Coed Llangwyfan car park –

Grid Reference - SJ 13889 66848, What 3 Words - leaps.skewed.inspects

### Tuesday 28th October 10am - 3pm

#### Moel Famau - Conifer removal

Help to maintain this important moorland habitat by removing invasive coniferous trees to keep the moorland open.

Meet at Penbarras car park –

Grid Reference - SJ 16135 60577. What 3 Words - iousting.watched.converged

# Wednesday 29th October 10am - 3pm

**Coed Bell – Collecting and burning vegetation** 

Enhance the stunning bluebell display visible in the spring and increase the overall biodiversity of the woodland by collecting and burning vegetation.

Meet at Coed Bell car park -

Grid Reference - SJ 08545 83307, What 3 Words - topic.airstrip.gardens



### Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> November 10am – 3pm

#### Moel Famau - Conifer removal

Help to maintain this important moorland habitat by removing invasive coniferous trees to keep the moorland open.

Meet at Penbarras car park –

Grid Reference - **SJ 16135 60577**, What 3 Words - jousting.watched.converged

# Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> November 10am – 3pm

# Loggerheads Country Park - Coppicing

Promote ground flora growth in our SSSI woodland by coppicing trees to prolong tree life and reduce shade in the understory.

Meet in Loggerheads car park –

Grid Reference - SJ 19803 62639, What 3 Words - lifters.seabirds.split

#### Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> November 10am – 3pm

#### Coed Bell – Collecting and burning vegetation

Enhance the stunning bluebell display visible in the spring and increase the overall biodiversity of the woodland by collecting and burning vegetation at the site. Meet at Coed Bell car park –

Grid Reference - SJ 08545 83307. What 3 Words - topic.airstrip.gardens

#### **Coed Moel Famau – Arboretum improvements**

Maintain the arboretum at Coed Moel Famau by undertaking tasks such as crown lifting, thinning, drainage works and more!

Meet at Coed Moel Famau car park –

Grid Reference - SJ 17131 61072, What 3 Words - inventors.slam.sampled

# Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> November 10am – 3pm

# Loggerheads Country Park – Hedge laying

Come and learn the traditional skill of hedge laying!

Meet at Loggerheads car park -

Grid Reference - SJ 19803 62639, What3Words - lifters.seabirds.split

#### Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> November 10am – 3pm

#### Moel Famau - Conifer removal

Help to maintain this important moorland habitat by removing invasive coniferous trees to keep the moorland open.

Meet at Penbarras car park -

Grid Reference - SJ 16135 60577, What 3 Words - jousting.watched.converged

#### Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> November 10am – 3pm

# Coed Llangwyfan – Coppicing

Maintain the woodland at Coed Llangwyfan by coppicing trees to make room for new growth.

Meet at Coed Llangwyfan car park –

Grid Reference - SJ 13889 66848, What 3 Words - leaps.skewed.inspects

#### Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> November 10am – 3pm

#### Coed Bell - Collecting and burning vegetation

Enhance the stunning bluebell display visible in the spring and increase the overall biodiversity of the woodland by collecting and burning vegetation.

Meet at Coed Bell car park –

Grid Reference - SJ 08545 83307, What 3 Words - topic.airstrip.gardens



# Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 10am – 3pm

#### **Loggerheads Country Park - Coppicing**

Promote ground flora growth in our SSSI woodland by coppicing trees to prolong tree life and reduce shade in the understory.

Meet in Loggerheads car park –

Grid Reference - SJ 19803 62639, What3Words - lifters.seabirds.split

#### Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December 10am – 3pm

#### Coed Moel Famau to Moel Fenlli Big Clean!

Give Coed Moel Famau and Moel Fenlli an end-of-year reset by litterpicking around Coed Moel Famau, through the arboretum and up to Moel Fenlli.

Meet at Coed Moel Famau car park –

Grid Reference - SJ 17131 61072, What 3 Words - inventors.slam.sampled

#### Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December 10am – 3pm

#### Moel Famau – House for a Grouse vegetation control

Help to maintain this important moorland habitat by removing invasive coniferous trees to keep the moorland open.

Meet at Coed Moel Famau car park –

Grid Reference - SJ 17131 61072, What3Words - inventors.slam.sampled

#### Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December 10am – 3pm

#### Bishopswood - Site tidy up

We will be clearing the paths of leaf litter and having a general tidy-up of the site (cutting back hedges etc.).

Meet at Bishopswood entrance at the end of Bishopswood Rd -

Grid Reference - SJ 06778 81335, What 3 Words - shrug.motion.claps

#### Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December 10am – 3pm

#### Loggerheads Country Park – Hedge laying

Come and learn the traditional skill of hedge laying!

Meet in Loggerheads car park -

Grid Reference - SJ 19803 62639, What3Words - lifters.seabirds.split

# Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December 10am – 3pm

#### Moel Famau – House for a Grouse vegetation control

Help to maintain this important moorland habitat by removing invasive coniferous trees to keep the moorland open.

Meet at Coed Moel Famau car park -

Grid Reference - **SJ 17131 61072**, What 3 Words - **inventors.slam.sampled** 

# Thank you so much for your hard work!