

## PROPOSED MANAGEMENT PLAN CHRONOLOGY, COST AND IMPLEMENTATION

<u>ACTION</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>PHOTO REF</u>	<u>COST - £*</u>	<u>NOTES</u>	<u>COMPL-ETED</u>
Clear scrub to the south of the southern (larger) pond	Mar 09 and ongoing	A1	£?	To be completed by volunteers. Required to let light/warmth into the pond to rejuvenate aquatic life as advised by Juliet Hawkins. Treat some larger stumps to prevent re-growth. Leave some piles of dead wood for wildlife.	14.3.2009
Remove dead Elms	From Spring 09	F	£?	To be completed by volunteers.	
Treat New Zealand Pigmyweed and remove	Summer 09	A1	£?	To be completed by volunteers.	
Erect fencing to enable grazing and organise a water supply.	From Autumn 09	Marked in blue	£?	Fencing will enable grazing as additional conservation management without precluding hay cutting. Grazing will be an important part of managing both the existing grass swards and the scrub encroachment to the west. Strategic placement of permanent fences will be required to ensure that the public can still use the entire site. A mains water source connected to a ball valve trough would also be required.	
Erect Informative Signs	Autumn 09	Not Marked	£?	To be completed by volunteers.	
Lay the inner hedge to the eastern boundary	Autumn 09	D	£?	To be completed by volunteers. Laying will thicken the hedge providing a childproof screen to the road and excellent habitat for birds. At a reduced height the hedge will then allow a digger to clean the ditch thus helping to remove water from the children's play area.	
Clear scrub to the south of the northern (smaller) pond and expose the air raid shelter	Autumn 09 and ongoing	A2 & H	£?	To be completed by volunteers. Required to let light/warmth into the pond to rejuvenate aquatic life as advised by Juliet Hawkins. Treat some larger stumps to prevent re-growth. Leave some piles of deadwood for wildlife.	
Clean ponds and ditches and tidy area of bike track.	Autumn 09	A,B and C	£?	Hire a digger to clean out both ponds in accordance with Juliet Hawkins advice, clean out the ditch to the east and fill in the holes previously dug by children on the recreational area to enable the football pitch to be used. Would need a new culvert under the existing access through the hedge to the east.	
Erect barn owl and other bird boxes on standard trees	Autumn/ Winter 09	Not marked	£?	To be undertaken by volunteers for smaller boxes and by a tree surgeon for a barn owl box.	

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Clear more scrub on the area to the west	From Spring 10 and ongoing	Not marked	£?	To be completed by volunteers and ongoing on a rotational basis in accordance with advice.	
Remove some of the Oaks and pollard other specimens	Spring 10	E	£?	To be completed by volunteers.	
		<b>Total Cost</b>	<b>£?</b>		

\* Costs will be ascertained once a plan has been agreed. Obtaining quotes at the draft stage would have been misleading to Contractors.