

Tree Wardens Report to Nacton Parish Council May 2026

Victoria Field

The hedge that was replanted last year opposite the school has taken well. Regular weeding, watering and occasional fence repairs have taken place over the past year.

One of the fruit trees died last year possibly due to the drought despite regular watering. A replacement tree was purchased and planted in January.

I plan to replace all the tree guards on the fruit trees in the near future and keep an eye out for suitable free or reasonably priced materials to carry out this work in the meantime.

Paupers Wood

The path through the wood and around the memorial has been strimmed and cleared of debris at regular intervals. A handful of casualties from last summer's drought were replanted with saplings in January. A local contractor has felled and logged up a number of potentially dangerous large dead trees over the past few months.

Other Matters

A parishioner drew my attention to a dead Wych Elm tree which was overhanging the corner of the Churchyard. Thankfully the tree was dealt with by the new owner of the property soon after they moved in.