Friends of Freshford – Tyning Projects Month

Monthly Report – June 2021

Actions undertaken in May 2021

- Bollard and heritage trees ordered from Chew Valley Trees for planting in November/December (see below)
- 120 hedge whips awarded by the Woodland Trust community tree pack scheme. https://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/plant-trees/schools-and-communities/. These arriving for planting in November (see below)
- Native wildflower seeds such as Lady's Bedstraw and Oxeye Daisy sown around tree trunks on south side of Tyning Lane thereby increasing the protection from vehicle erosion by creating a species-rich barrier similar to the diversity strip (un-mown hump) running along the north side of Tyning Lane.

Actions to be undertaken during June 2021

Advance ordering of orchard trees for planting autumn/winter 2021-2

Advance dates

27/28 November and 4/5 December 2020 – Community Tree Planting on the Tyning. Planting the heritage and bollard trees and the new hedge to coincide with National Tree Week https://treecouncil.org.uk/take-action/seasonal-campaigns/national-tree-week/ and the Queen's Green Canopy initiative marking the Platinum Jubilee in 2022. https://queensgreencanopy.org/map-education-hub/qgc-map/#/