

Pontesbury P3 Footpaths Group

Annual Report for year ending Feb 2025

2024 was a busy year for us apart from limitations caused by the weather. We have had 2 new members join us this year and now have a full complement of volunteers although we will maintain a waiting list for prospective new volunteers.

Man-hours worked in 2024 were 505. We completed 53 different items of work in the year. In this we have covered path surveys, stile repair/replacement, vegetation clearing, bridge and gate repair, signposting & waymarking.



We continue to ask for direct referrals of problem paths with position references and photos from members of the public. Although not everything reported to us falls within our remit, we will always endeavour to pass on such reports to the relevant authorities for further action.

Our core area is Pontesbury/Minsterley but we have also worked out this year to Annscoft, Lordshill, Bromlow Callow, Hemford, etc. – basically wherever we can help.

I would like to thank all the volunteers who give up their Tuesday mornings to work for the group come whatever the weather, the farmers and landowners for their co-operation in helping us access the routes on their land, and also Helen Beresford at Shropshire Council Rights of Way Office for all her help and assistance given to us.

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