

Sandbach Clean Team



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Elworth Onslaught!

On 12th January Sandbach Clean Team joined forces with the Friends of Sandbach Station and the Friends of Elworth Park for a major litter-pick around Elworth. This is the first time that the three organisations have worked together and an excellent example of how different voluntary groups can come together to improve our town.



It was a very successful morning with more than 25 people involved – including several children – and over of 40 bags of rubbish collected.

A Rocha Litter-Pick

The Sandbach A Rocha Group litter-picked along the Environmental Trail on Saturday 9th March. Despite the wet weather they were not discouraged and managed to clear litter from the whole length of the Trail.

Well-deserved thanks to the group for their help.

New Business Cards

The Clean Team now has business cards for members to give to anyone wanting to know about us: how to get in contact and how to obtain more information about the Clean Team.

The cards were designed and printed, at no cost to the Clean Team, by members Brenda and Stuart Naylor.

They can be obtained from Dick Macaulay.



Helping to keep Sandbach
litter-free.
Want to volunteer?

Contact Dick Macaulay

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Next Litter-Picks

20th April: Transport Festival weekend.

18th May

8th June.

Brereton will hold a litter-pick on 11th May

The Big Clean Day

On 16th March Sandbach Town Council Tidy Town Group and Sandbach Clean Team joined forces. The Big Clean Day is one of a series of initiatives to support the town's entry in the Community Pride Competition 2013.

Local community groups who joined the Big Clean included: Sandbach Allotments Society; Friends of Sandbach Park; Friends of Elworth Station; Friends of Elworth Park; Shipton Explorer Unit; the Rotary Clubs of Sandbach and of Sandbach Crosses, and Sandbach Woodland and Wildlife Group.



The weather was kind and a wide variety of jobs was undertaken in the Park. In Penda Way a raised bed was planted with herbs and the surrounds of the building next to Little Common were cleared of litter and filled with wood chip. The edges of St Mary's Wood were tidied. Clean Team members litter-picked around the town and along Salt Line Way in Elworth.

The whole morning was extremely successful.

Information on the Clean Team can be obtained from
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