

Probation Service



The Community Payback Scheme empowers offenders to contribute to improving public areas and facilities.

Offenders are supervised by a Community Payback Supervisor (HMPPS officers) at all times

This project is fully risk-managed and will take place in Radcliffe On Trent open spaces on an agreed day with the Parish Council. Some of the benefits to our village are:

- Maintenance and repairs to our open spaces
- Tangible visible improvements to our village
- Promotes responsibility
- Builds skills and employability
- Residents can nominate projects



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Radcliffe on Trent Parish Council and Community Payback Partnership

To the Residents of Radcliffe on Trent.

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The Radcliffe on Trent Parish Council is pleased to announce a new partnership with the HMPPS (His Majesty's Prison and Probation Service) Community Payback Scheme. This initiative allows offenders serving community sentences to carry out unpaid work as a means of reparation, directly benefiting the local village environment and community.

This partnership is a valuable, no-cost way to enhance the maintenance and appearance of our local amenities and green spaces. This project is fully risk-managed and all works are supervised by HMPPS officers at all times.

Some of the key benefits the Community Payback Scheme will bring to Radcliffe on Trent are:

- Enhanced Local Maintenance: The Community Payback teams, managed by dedicated supervisors, will provide additional labour to tackle larger projects and routine maintenance across the Parish. This work will not replace the duties of our employed grounds staff but will supplement their efforts.
- Focus on Local Assets: We intend to deploy the teams across the variety of land the Parish Council maintains, including:
 - Restoration and maintenance of the benches across the Village
 - Clearing overgrown vegetation and footpaths at Rockley Memorial Gardens, The Cliff Walk and The Lily Ponds
 - Litter picking and general maintenance at Rockley Memorial Gardens.

The individuals completing the work will be wearing high-visibility orange vests, ensuring the public know who is undertaking work in our village. Residents will have the opportunity to nominate local areas and projects they feel would benefit most from the scheme's support and this can be done at

https://www.gov.uk/nominate-community-payback-project



We believe that this collaboration is a positive step toward ensuring our valued public spaces - our parks, playgrounds, gardens, and footpaths remain clean, safe, and well-maintained for all residents to enjoy.

Kind Regards,

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