

Parish Paths Partnership report for July 2020

DCC have carried out ditching work on sections of Bicton 2 footpath that were in poor condition. This is a popular path that connects Bicton Church to Otterton Bridge and is now greatly improved. The section of Bicton 1 bridlepath that runs past Bicton Gardens below the obelisk has received a second cut by DCC as the nettles were growing back very rapidly.

A Bicton College resident slipped and injured his elbow on the permissive path that connects the Bicton EARTH Centre entrance to the Bicton 2 footpath and runs for about 100m parallel to the B3178. I believe this path is the responsibility of Bicton College which owns the land. It is in need of maintenance as much of the safety railing has rotted away and parts of the path are eroded and sloping. This incident was reported to the Parish Clerk who dealt with it and informed DCC ROW group.

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