

Period	22nd August – 26th Sept 2019
Meetings Held	Various meeting with landowners to discuss footpath improvements. Various meetings with BBLP Locality Steward Kevin Williams.
Maintenance	Nearly all footpaths are now open following the removal of vegetation, the removal of crops and the reduction in growth rates at this time of year.
Adopt a Footpath	Various issues reported by volunteers
New Stile WP4/3	The new stile and stream crossing have now been installed to the satisfaction of the two landowners, Balfour Beatty and walkers.
Waymarking	205 waymarkers and advisory signs have been installed and all footpaths are now believed to be signed except for finger posts from public highways (see below).
Balfour Beatty	BBLP have agreed to repair two sets of steps, to replace 13 missing finger posts and to refurbish 11 other finger posts. <u>Still awaited</u> , since 26 th July!
Future Considerations	Footpaths information boards at Pontshill and The Weston Cross – refurbishment or replacement.
Concerns	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Footpath WP15 has been blocked by farmer at stile WP15/3. Now discussed with landowner and a way forward being sought. 2. Lack of support services from BBLP to keep footpaths clear. 3. Difficulty in finding landowner contact details

PROW - Public Right of Way

HC - Herefordshire Council

PC - Parish Council

BBLP - Balfour Beatty Living Places

PFO - Parish Footpaths Officer

FP - Footpath

John Smart - Parish Footpaths Officer 26th Sept 2019.