WILDLIFE AND PLANT LIFE LISTS PROVIDED BY JON BURNELL

WILDLIFE

BEES AND WASPS

Amblytelos armatorius

Andrena 5 plus sp

Apis mellifera

Bombus Hortorum

Bombus humilus

Bombus lapidaries

Bombus lucorum

Bombus Monticola

Bombus pascuroum

Bombus pratorum

Bombus sylvavum

Bombus Terrestris

Dolichovespula media

Eucera longicornis

Eumenes coarctatus

Megachille centuncularis

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Nomada 2 Plus sp

Pimpla hypochondrica

Vespa crabro

Vespula vulgaris

BIRDS

Barn Owl

Blackbird

Blackcap

Blue Tit

Brambling

Bullfinch

Carrion Crow

Chaffinch

Chiffchaff

Coal Tit

Common Buzzard

Eurasian Jay

Fieldfare

Goldfinch

Great Spotted Woodpecker

Great Tit

Green Woodpecker

Grey Heron

Hobby

House Martin

House Sparrow

Jackdaw

Kestrel

Lesser Whitethroat

Kingfisher

Linnet

Little Egret

Longtailed Tit

Magpie

Mallard

Mistle Thrush

Moorhen

Nightingale

Nuthatch

Peregrine Falcon

Red Kite

Redpoll

Redwing

Reed Bunting

Song Thrush

Sparrowhawk

Starling

Swallow

Swift

Tawny Owl

Tree Creeper

Water Rail

Whitethroat

Willow Warbler

The field does seem to be on a Migratory path, as in September I often see 300 + Swallow flying and Gaggles of Geese flying over. In 2015 there was a large flock of Ring Ouzel came through and stayed in the Orchard behind Kiln Field for a few days. A Hen Harrier, a pair of Longtailed Duck and Rough Legged Buzzard have also been seen flying over (L T Duck heard more than seen!) There have been a few sightings of Lesser Spotted Woodpecker though I have not seen one there myself?

BUTTERFLIES

Brimstone

Brown Argus

Clouded Yellow

Comma

Common Blue Butterfly

Gatekeeper

Green-veined white

Holly Blue

Large White

Marbled White

Meadow Brown

Orange-tip

Painted Lady

Peacock

Purple Hairstreak

Red Admiral

Ringlet

Silver-washed Frittillary

Small Copper

Small Heath

Small Tortoiseshell

Small white

Speckled Wood

Small Skipper

Large Skipper

Essex Skipper

Clouded Yellow Helice

Small Copper (f. Caeruleo-punctata)

DRAGONFLIES

Common Blue Damselfly

Large Red Damselfly

Hairy Dragonfly

Common Darter

Ruddy Darter

Southern Hawher

Migrant Hawker

Broad-bodied Chaser

Four-spotted Chaser

Azure Damselfly

White-legged Damselfly

Golden-ringed Dragonfly

Lesser Emperor Dragonfly

HOVERFLIES

C. Bicinctum

Chrysotoxum cautum

E. Horticola

E. Latifasciata

E. Luniger

E. Nemorum

Episyrphus balteatus

Eristalis tenax

Eupeodes corolle

H. Hybridus

Helophilus pendulus

Melanostoma salare

Myathropa florea

P. albimanus

P. granditarsis

P. pelatus

Platycheirus rosarum

Rhingia campestris

Sphaerophoria interrupta

Syphus Sp?
Syritta pipiens
V. Inanis
V. Inflata
V. Pellucens
Volucella bombylans
Xanthogramma pedissequum

There is a few unidentified, could you also add that all are identified from Photos.(I don't collect and pin)

This has been a very rich site due to the Orchards becoming overgrown and the amount of dead wood and trees.

REPTILES

Xylota segnis

Slow Worm Grass Snake Common Lizard

SPIDERS

Daddy-long Legs Dysdera crocata Garden Spider Harvestman Labyrinth Orb weaver Piisaura mirabillis Wasp Spider Wolf Spider

Every year there are Grass Snakes basking in the sun in the Pond and Viviparous (Common) Lizard in the grass on the banks and in and around different log piles.

Thank you for getting the maintenance guys to put branches over the top, I haven't seen the Snake yet but a few Common Lizards have been basking there.

PLANT LIFE

PLANTS IN THE POND

Yellow Flag Iris Soft Rush Water Mint Reed Mace (Typha Latifolia) Marsh marigold

PLANTS IN FIELD

Common Vetch

Mallow

Common Knapweed

Silver weed

Himalayan Balsam

Nipplewort

Hedge Mustard

Hogweed

Bluebell

Common Ragwort

Lords and Ladies

Wild Angelica

Ragged Robin

Scarlet Pimpernel

Stictchwort (common & Greater)

Primrose

Red & White Clover

Cowslip

Common Field Speedwell

Hop Trefoil

Common Birds-foot Trefoil

Field Scabious

Various Common Grasses

Stinging Nettles

There has been a real difference each year with the plants. Three or Four years ago we had loads of large Michaelmas-daisy, Two Years ago a mass of Birds-foot Trefoil and Red Clover.

Last year the Knapweed really took over. I would like to be able to have the Red Clover and Common Birds-foot Trefoil back, but not really sure how to go about it.

Please find a link to plantlife road verge pdf guide:

https://www.plantlife.org.uk/uk/our-work/publications/road-verges-last-refuge-for-some-of-our-rarest-wild-plants

The main plants are pollen rich to attract Bees, Hoverflies and Butterflies etc. Thistles, Foxgloves, Cowslip, Sorrel (common and sheeps), Cuckooflower, Charlock, Hedge Mustard, Kidney Vetch, Meadow Vetch and Horseshoe Vetch. Lucerne and Red Clover. Most of these plants are abundant in Kiln Field and do a great job attracting pollinators.