

Footpath and Rights of Way Report for August 2019

General

1. Not much change – the footpaths are in a good condition

Major Issues

2. Footpath posts
 - a. The new footpath sign posts have arrived – they look brilliant with the names of soldiers who perished in WW1
 - b. It is expected that they will start to be erected at the end of the month
 - c. Many thanks to the proactive involvement of the Parish Chairman

Minor Issues

3. Most of the footpaths and other rights of way are in a good condition. Some brambles and nettles are restrict access but this is only in limited places and normal for the time of year.
4. I am still getting complaints about the steps to Clamour Bridge – DCC have been told.
5. I am sure most residents have observed all the felling of small trees along the Otter just south of Otterton bridge – the beavers have been busy.
6. There is a sign “Bull On Farm” on fence along the river leading to East Budleigh (1a) – however, there are no animals along the footpath so presumably this is advising walkers to keep to the path.
7. Riverside footpath 1 – the gate just north of the aquaduct (on berm) is damaged and one of the uprights needs fixing.

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