

Project:	Tree safety assessment Coppice Close & corner of Saxon Way				Surveyed by: Mrs Alice Martin-Butler		AlisonK - Arboriculture 6 Pond Piece, Brandeston, Woodbridge, IP13 7AW T: 01728 685898 M: 07425389786 E: ali@alisonK.co.uk		
Ref:	Appendix B4. REVIEW2: Schedule of trees, work recommendations and priority timescales.				Weather: Fine and dry.				
Survey Date:	2nd & 17th February 2024				Notes: 1: Comments and updates from latest survey are shown in blue.				
Client:	Melton Parish Council				2: Identifying trees for work on site: Trees have been marked with an orange spray mark discreetly at base of tree or on ivy stem.				
		Estimated (metres)							
Tree/Gp Number	Species	Height	Crown Spread	Life Expectancy (years)	Age Class.	Tree Problems/Comments.	Safety significance and recommendations	Work required on safety grounds	Work Priority
Site	Coppice Close. Inspection date: 2/02/2024								
G1	Mixed Broadleaves	-	-	40 +years	Various	OVERALL CONDITION Good. Not any change in condition since last inspection. A small amount of garden debris still being dumped and two sycamore trees in the Eastern most corner of the site have very recently been felled and the wood stacked. Reason for felling not evident.	No significant safety issues	No action required	-
Site	Corner of Coppice Close and Saxon Way. Inspection date: 2 & 17/02/2024								
G2	Mixed Broadleaves	-	-	40 + years	Young/maturing	OVERALL CONDITION Good. No change in condition since last inspection. Sycamores still being trimmed back over the boundaries where they adjoin gardens . Evidence of garden rubbish/debris still being dumped. CONDITION -	No significant safety issues.	No action required	-
G3	Mixed Broadleaves	-	-	40 + years	Various	First inspection of area: Mix of sycamore (13) sweet chestnut (5) larger specimens of each. Also 1 mature holly, and young beech, hazel and hawthorn present. Well, densely treed area with good varied age range. Only one sycamore tree that may impact on fence in future. One sycamore (6) recorded individually to remove ivy. MPC received enquiry concerning a tree in this area. It is a sweet chestnut tree approx. 5 metres from garage of No1. Tree is in good health with no safety issues which require surgery identified. Evidence of excessive garden rubbish/debris being dumped.	No significant safety issues	No action required	-
1	Acer pseudoplatanus (Sycamore)	17.0m	11.0m	40 + years	Mature	OVERALL CONDITION- Fair No change in condition since last inspection.	No significant safety issues	No action required	-
2	Castanea sativa (Sweet Chestnut)	17.0m	11.0m	40 + years	Mature	OVERALL CONDITION - Good. No change in condition since last inspection.	No significant safety issues.	No action required	-

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3	Acer pseudoplatanus (Sycamore)	17.0m	8.0m	40 + years	Mature	OVERALL CONDITION - Good No change in condition since last inspection.	No significant safety issues.	No action required	–
4	Castanea sativa (Sweet Chestnut)	17.0m	12.0m	40 + years	Mature	OVERALL CONDITION - Good No change in condition since last inspection.	No significant safety issues.	No action required	–
5	Fagus sylvatica (Common Beech)	17.0m	12.0m	40 + years	Mature	OVERALL CONDITION - Good No change in condition since last inspection.	No significant safety issues	No action required	–
6	Acer pseudoplatanus (Sycamore)	18.0m	10.0m	20 + years	Mature	First inspection: OVERALL CONDITION - Fair Tree located in new area Gp3. Tree may be better quality tree however structure partially obscured by ivy which has developed on all main ascending stems into high crown.	Tree not likely to have significant defect however ivy prevents full inspection.	Carry out ivy management to allow for full inspection at next inspection date.	Within 12 months