FRAMSDEN PC Annual Parish Meeting: Thursday 10 April 2025

The Trees of Framsden

Tree Wardens: Jeannie Buckingham & Claire Macaulay

The Agroforestry trees planted behind Framsden Hall and the Queens Green Canopy plantation on Beacon Meadow are growing despite stresses of sustained drought in 2022, followed by floods of 2023. However, they did benefit from good growing conditions in 2024!

Several groups of Fallow deer continue to knock over stakes and guards to get to the trees. More visits by dog walkers and villagers to check the trees will deter them to some degree. Please continue to take a bottle of water to your trees during dry times. This all contributes to the trees growing well.

'Alive in Five' - we must continue to visit, tend and look after the trees we have planted to give them the best chances to survive.

Claire & I would like to thank Framsden villagers & especially the Framsden Woodland Group for all the work they do in Eades Orchard & the village. Our trees improve air quality, stores carbon, provides shelter & habitat for wildlife and we enjoy spending time watching the trees & enjoying the woodland.

Jeannie is standing back from 27 years as Framsden tree warden to concentrate on 2 Fields Community Tree Nursery in Debenham.

If you would like to be involved in seed collecting or helping at the nursery please contact Jeannie: 07935921941.

Claire will be seeking someone to work alongside her and will introduce you to the role of Tree Warden. Please contact Claire to discuss: 07747 513607