

SEDGWICK PARISH COUNCIL CANAL REPORT

May 2026

The bulbs on the right hand bank have flowered since late January in a succession of colour and have been appreciated by all.

Trees: JP still needs to remove the dead elm opposite the Stoker Seat. Most trees have come into leaf – with the exception of approx. 6 which are now dead, but they are not overhanging public areas and so they will be reviewed in 4 months when our annual survey takes place – we should budget for some felling. Along Back Lane there are two trees that are late in leafing and will be reviewed in July.

Paths: All good.

Benches: All OK – the Stoker Seat could do with a clean when possible

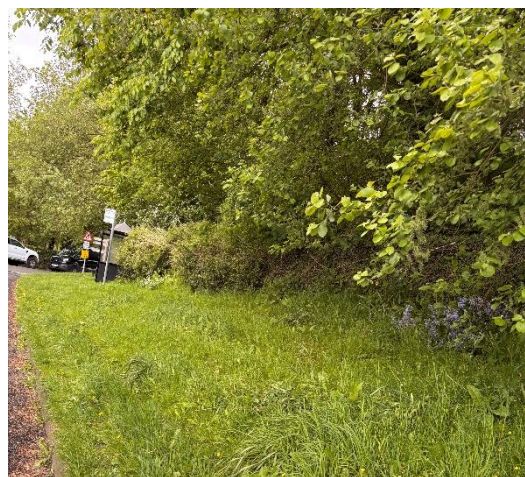
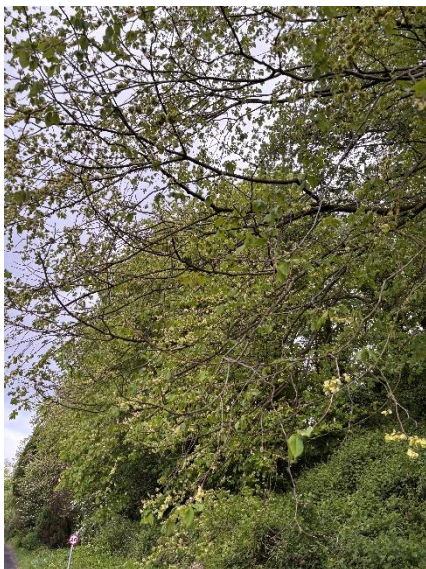
Signage: All are sturdy but the waymarker still needs a re-varnish.



Vegetation: the verges are growing quickly and we will need a cut in June as usual. We will also need JP to trim the hedges. It appears that the first section in Back Lane was not cut like last year.

Boundaries, Walls and Fences – section of wall down – we need to contact Mr Simpson again.

Usage: very busy



CRT and W&F Issues

We have yet to hear from W&F about their intentions to widen the path and remove the bulb verges.

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