

Carrick Invasive Species Project

Balsam bashing volunteer dates 2013

Would you like to get involved in removing the invasive weed Himalayan balsam from the river banks of the River Stinchar? Come and join us in our task to remove this invader for the benefit of our native wildlife.

Date	Time	Location
05/08/13	10am-4pm	Pinwherry (meet at Jubilee bridge)
06/08/13	10am-4pm	Dalreoch (meet at Colmonell bridge)
07/08/13	10am-4pm	Dalreoch (meet at Colmonell bridge)
08/08/13	10am-4pm	Garnaburn (meet at Sawmill)
13/08/13	10am-4pm	Kirkland bridge near Barr
14/08/13	5:30pm-8pm	Colmonell , meet at bridge
16/08/13	5:30pm-8pm	Ballantrae (meet at old bridge)

Electrofishing demonstration included at Colmonell on the 14th at 5:30pm.

Come along for as long as you can, an hour or two, or for the whole day. Gloves and hand tools are provided along with tea/coffee and biscuits. Bring a packed lunch if you come along for the day and dress for the weather!

Himalayan balsam is an invasive non native plant which spreads rapidly, suppresses native plants and can increase erosion on river banks.



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