

Month	Meadow Area	Non-Meadow	Notes
January	N/A	See note	Use BCOG mower to cut performance areas ahead of Wassailing
February	N/A	N/A	
March	BCOG mower	N/A	BCOG volunteers will mow to ensure uniform sward height for the benefit of wild flowers.
April	N/A	BTC mower	First of the monthly BTC cuts. BCOG may rake up cut grass for composting. BCOG will mow around trees enabling BTC to give them a wide berth to avoid damage.
May	N/A	BTC mower	
June	N/A	BTC mower	
July	Scythe and remove cut grass	BTC mower	This cut will occur between mid June and early August, with alternate years early and later
August	See note	BTC mower	For sowing yellow rattle, mow, then scarify, then sow seed
September	See note	BTC mower	
October	BTC machine	BTC mower	The only time in the year the whole of the orchard is mowed by BTC. The cut grass is removed from the meadow area, and if possible much of the rest of the orchard too, and composted.
November	N/A	N/A	
December	Scythe or BCOG mower (see note)		In mild conditions it may be necessary to curb vigorous grass growth, in which case use whichever method is most suitable, but all cut grass must be removed and composted.