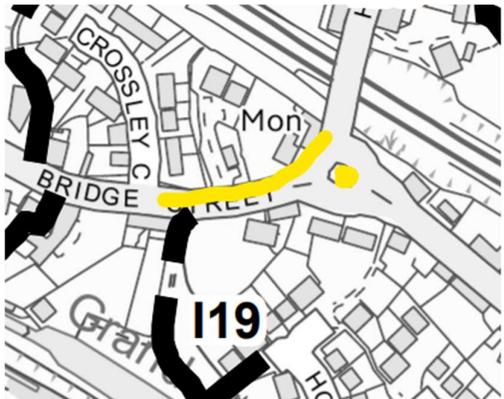


<b>Task #</b>	22-04	<b>Date:</b>	24 <sup>th</sup> Feb	<b>Review Date:</b>	As required
	<b>Meet:</b>	<b>Jerusalem Island</b>			
	<b>Summary:</b>	Clear shrubs from a large bed for the Gardening Club			
	<b>Volunteers:</b>	11			
	<b>Time:</b>	10:00	12:00		
	<b>Weather:</b>	Cool but sunny			

We had a lovely day out on Jerusalem Island roundabout today as the ladies from the Gardening Club asked us to rejuvenate one of the beds that had started to feel a bit overgrown and was getting a bit difficult for them to manage.

We removed all but one of the established shrubs so that the bed can be replanted in spring for some wonderful displays in future years.



We armed ourselves with Hi-Vis vests, mattocks, spades, forks and even a scaffolding pole!

Margaret and Andy B at the start of the day. You can clearly see the extent of shrubs in front of them that we were asked to clear back and remove as much of the roots as possible.



Brian and Karen



Andy, Steve and Bob



After 2 hours of hard work the area was cleared with only the Holly tree remaining.

Fantastic team effort from everyone involved, and such a privilege to be asked to help on this great village community area.

As well as working on the Island, we also had Andy and Julie clearing away the bramble from the corner around the pavement between Bridge Street and High Street.

It looked so much better afterwards – thank you



Thanks to the team today: (L-R)

Stewart, Steve, Bob, Andy NS, Karen, Soo, Margaret, Julie and Brian. Not on the photo - Andy B & Annette.

Thanks to Charnwood Borough Council and Serco for supplying the brown bins and taking away all the green waste from site.

**Next Task:**  
Thursday 10.00 10<sup>th</sup> March  
Location: **Hunting Lodge**

