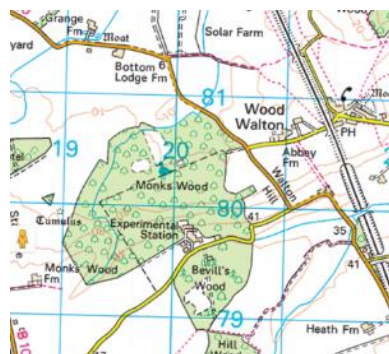
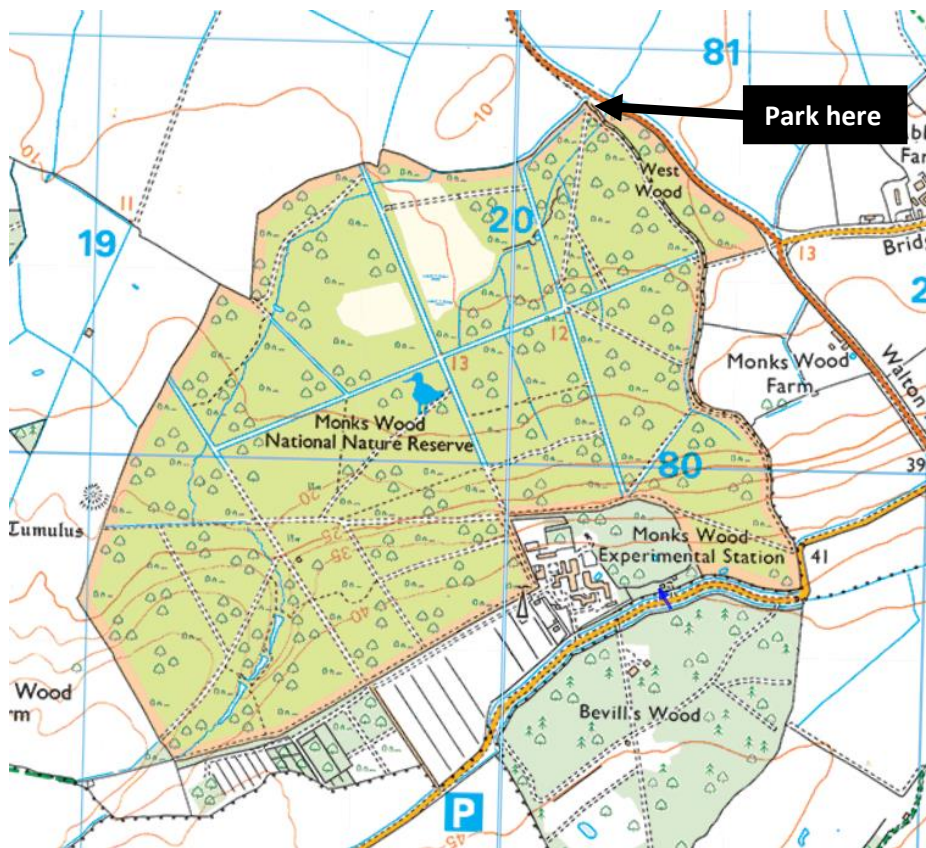


Monks Wood (v.-c. 31) Sunday 2 February 2025

Extending over 157 ha, Monks Wood is the biggest wood in our area. In 2019 we started a compartment-by-compartment survey of the wood, which is one of the most bryologically rich areas in Cambridgeshire. This was intended as a follow up to the extensive survey of Monks Wood NNR conducted by Chris Preston and Kevin Walker between 2003 and 2007, when they recorded 98 taxa. About 132 bryophyte taxa have been recorded in the wood (the list below of 140 taxa includes some old records that were in the vicinity rather than in the wood). In 2019 we expected to take 4 years. We completed the two years 2019 and 2020, missed 2021 and 2022 because of Covid, and added 2023 and 2024. This, a mopping-up operation, is the last of the planned excursions to the wood. Chris Preston will lead us.

Park at 11 am in the public car park TL201808. The postcode PE28 2LR will take you to the south side of the wood (formerly Monks Wood Experimental Station, now a police training facility). The parking is at the north.



Monks Wood bryophytes (2024 finds not added, except *Neckera pumila*).

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Aneura pinguis 2013	Cirriphyllum piliferum 2020	Orthotrichum diaphanum 2020
Calypogeia fissa 2006	Climacium dendroides 2006	Orthotrichum pulchellum 2019
Cephalozia curvifolia 2020	Cratoneuron filicinum 2020	Orthotrichum stramineum 2019
Cephalozia lunulifolia 2006	Cryphaea heteromalla 2020	Oxyrrhynchium hians 2020
Chiloscyphus pallescens 2007	Ctenidium molluscum 2006	Physcomitrium patens 1983
Conocephalum conicum 2020	Dicranella heteromalla 2006	Plagiomnium rostratum 2020
Fossombronina pusilla 2020	Dicranella schreberiana 2006	Plagiomnium undulatum 2020
Frullania dilatata 2020	Dicranella varia 2003	Plagiothecium curvifolium 2020
Lejeunea cavifolia 2004	Dicranoweisia cirrata 2020	Plagiothecium denticulatum 1977
Lepidozia reptans 1987	Dicranum fuscescens 1987	Plagiothecium nemorale 2020
Lophocolea bidentata 2020	Dicranum montanum 2006	Platygyrium repens 2020
Lophocolea heterophylla 2020	Dicranum scoparium 2020	Plenogemma phyllantha 2020
Lophocolea semiteres 2020	Dicranum tauricum 2020	Pleuroidium subulatum 2006
Marchantia polymorpha 2015	Didymodon fallax 2000	Pleurozium schreberi 1965
Metzgeria consanguinea 2020	Didymodon insulanus 2003	Pohlia melanodon 2003
Metzgeria furcata 2020	Didymodon sinuosus 2019	Pohlia nutans 1995
Metzgeria violacea 2020	Didymodon tophaceus 2003	Polytrichum formosum 2020
Microlejeunea ulicina 2004	Drepanocladus aduncus 1987	Pseudocrossidium hornschurchianum 1968
Myriocoleopsis minutissima 2020	Entosthodon fascicularis 1967	Pseudoscleropodium purum 2020
Pellia endiviifolia 2020	Ephemerum serratum 2006	Pseudotaxiphyllum elegans 1987
Pellia neesiana 2004	Eurhynchium striatum 2020	Pulvigerella lyellii 2019
Plagiochila asplenioides 2020	Fissidens bryoides 2020	Rhizomnium punctatum 2013
Porella platyphylla 2020	Fissidens exilis 2020	Rhynchostegium confertum 2020
Ptilidium pulcherrimum 1987	Fissidens incurvus 2020	Rhynchostegium riparioides 2020
Radula complanata 2020	Fissidens taxifolius 2020	Rhytidiadelphus squarr 2020
Riccardia chamedryfolia 1967	Fissidens viridulus 2019	Sanionia uncinata 2019
Riccia fluitans 2007	Funaria hygrometrica 1977	Schistidium crassipilum 2019
	Grimmia pulvinata 2019	Streblotrichum convolut 2004
	Herzogiella seligeri 2005	Syntrichia montana 2020
	Homalia trichomanoides 2020	Syntrichia papillosa 2019
	Homalothecium sericeum 2020	Syntrichia ruralis 2004
	Hylocomiadelphus triquetrus 2020	Tetraphis pellucida 2005
	Hylocomium splendens 1967	Thamnobryum alopec 2020
	Hypnum cupressiforme 2020	Thuidium tamariscinum 2020
	Hypnum resupinatum 2020	Tortula acaulon 1967
	Hypnum jutlandicum 2006	Tortula muralis 2004
	Isothecium alopecuroides 2020	Tortula truncata 2020
	Isothecium myosuroides 2020	Trichodon cylindricus 1967
	Kindbergia praelonga 2020	Ulota bruchii 2020
	Leptodictyum riparium 2019	Ulota crispa s.str. 2019
	Leskea polycarpa 1987	Weissia squarrosa 2020
	Lewinskya affinis 2020	Zygodon viridissimus 2020
	Lewinskya striata 2020	
	Microbryum davallianum 1977	
	Microeurhynchium pumilum 2019	
	Mnium hornum 2020	
	Neckera complanata 2020	
	Neckera pumila 2024	
	Orthodontium lineare 2020	