

May Task Day – was held in Rivelin Park at the request of Louis Farrington (Friends of Rivelin Playground (FoRP)) and who unfortunately couldn't be there. About a dozen volunteers were again split into groups to tackle various tasks in different areas. One group tackled the undergrowth interfering with the nature trail. Another tackled the trees and stumps growing out of the riverbank and we also restored steps on the footpath leading to New Dam. The playground is now looking very smart with its new children's climbing frames and swings and the new notice board all thanks to FoRP.



Restoring the steps at New Dam



Trimming back the trees growing in the riverbank



Recovery of an overgrown footpath



The RVCG now sponsors the Rivelin Park planters

The RVCG now sponsors the large planters in Rivelin Park. A few volunteers spent time clearing out the weeds and adding new compost and giving the plants a good water. New summer bedding will be added very soon. Thank you to Richard at Valleyside Garden Centre for providing the compost and plants.

**Text & photos: Graham Appleby
Task Team Leader**