



THE FLOOD HUB Newsletter

NEWS

Feedback needed on improvements to part of the Kendal Flood Risk Management Scheme



KENDAL FLOOD RISK MANAGEMENT SCHEME
REVISED PLANNING APPLICATION FOR DESIGN CHANGES AT AYHAM ROAD AND WATERSIDE



Proposed view illustrating all existing trees cleared to facilitate works with proposed glass panel fixed to low stone clad wall located at rear of the footway. Tree planting proposed where ground conditions allow (after fower growth).

£12 million funding for St Annes sea wall gets go-ahead for design that retains much-loved seafront attractions

Help Sefton Council to shape its flood and coastal erosion risk strategy for the next decade

Dredging work to extract 6000 tons of gravel begins in Keswick to reduce flood risk

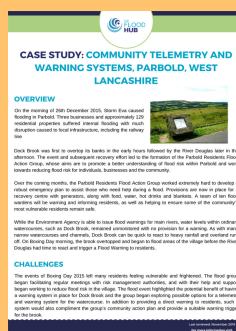
Thousands of hectares of vital peatland to be restored to help tackle climate change and protect biodiversity

FEATURED CASE STUDY

CASE STUDY: Community Telemetry and Warning Systems, Parbold, West Lancashire

Parbold Residents Flood Action Group formed following flooding in 2015. The flood event highlighted the potential benefit of having a warning system in place for Dock Brook, and the group worked with different agencies to get one installed.

Download the case study here



Would you like to be involved? If your community flood group is based in the North West and would like to feature as a case study on our website and in an upcoming newsletter, please get in contact!

NEWGROUND FLOOD TEAM

Take a look at some of the recent blogs posted by the flood team at Newground:

- [Flood Action Groups](#)
- [The Flood Hub – How much do you know about it?](#)
- [How is flooding and coastal erosion risk managed across the North West?](#)

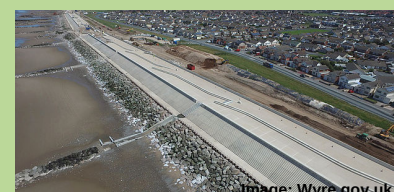


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EVENTS



- 20.10.2021: **West Cumbria Rivers Trust - Glenderamackin Volunteer Group: Tree Planting**
- 20.10.2021 & 09.11.2021: **Cumbria Wildlife Trust - Armboth Fells Conservation Day**
- 21.10.2021: **Eden Rivers Trust - Volunteer Work Party: Tree Audit and Old Fence Removal**
- 06.11.2021: **West Cumbria Rivers Trust - Volunteering: Building Leaky Dams and Tree-Planting at Corney**
- 19.11.2021: **Cumbria Wildlife Trust - Tilberthwaite Conservation Day**

CAMPAIGNS



November: The Flood Hub Anniversary

November: Community Flood Focus Week

December: Triggers and Alternative Triggers

You can follow these campaigns on our Twitter and Facebook accounts.

KNOWLEDGE HUB

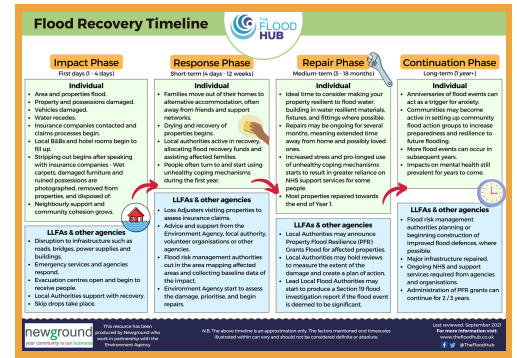
New Resources

- [Flood Recovery Timeline](#)
- [Environment Agency - National Flood and Coastal Erosion Risk Management Strategy for England](#)
- [Updated Household Flood Plan](#)
- [Updated Business Flood Plan](#)

New Case Studies

Multiple Natural Flood Management case studies including:

- [Row End Water Storage Area](#)
- [Threlkeld Farm](#)
- [Hedge restoration and leaky dams at Moor Farm, Keswick](#)
- [Matterdale Large Woody Debris](#)
- [Lonscale Gully Erosion Stabilisation Project](#)



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The Flood Hub Newsletter: Issue 6, July 2021

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KNOWLEDGE HUB UPDATE

Since the Flood Hub refresh, where we uploaded brand new pages and content, we have also updated the Knowledge Hub filter to have more categories and sub-categories to make resources easier to find.

TOP TIP!

Have a trigger!

Autumn and winter can sometimes bring periods of severe weather, which could lead to flooding. Having a trigger to put your flood plan into action can be one of the easiest steps for improving your resilience and reducing the effect a flood may have.

[Click here for more information](#)



FACT!

Only a third of people who live in areas at risk of flooding believe their property is at risk.

Are you at risk of flooding?

Visit www.thefloodhub.co.uk to check your risk and find out more about:

- Flood risk maps
- Types of flooding and who's responsible
- Flood warnings and triggers

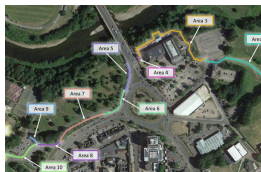
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FLOOD SCHEME UPDATES

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CARLISLE PHASE 2



HAMBLETON



KENDAL



LANCASTER



LOW CROSBY



PADIHAM



PRESTON AND SOUTH RIBBLE



RADCLIFFE AND REDVALES



RICKERBY



ROCHDALE AND LITTLEBOROUGH



UPPER KENT



For information on how Flood Risk Management Schemes are funded and delivered, [please click here.](#)

Click the on the tiles below for information on 'Proposed' and 'Completed' Flood Risk Management Schemes in the North West.



Proposed Flood Risk Management Schemes



Completed Flood Risk Management Schemes

Downloads

- [Rochdale and Littleborough Flood Risk Management Scheme Newsletter](#) September 2021
- [Low Crosby Flood Risk Management Scheme Newsletter](#) September 2021
- [Padiham Flood Risk Management Scheme Newsletter](#) September 2021
- [Preston and South Ribble Flood Risk Management Scheme Newsletter](#) Summer 2021
- [Carlisle Flood Risk Management Scheme Newsletter](#) August 2021
- [Rochdale and Littleborough Flood Risk Management Scheme Newsletter](#) July 2021
- [Low Crosby Flood Risk Management Scheme Newsletter](#) July 2021

USEFUL LINKS & CONTACTS

Sign up to flood warnings:

- Environment Agency Floodline: **0345 988 1188**
- www.gov.uk/sign-up-for-flood-warnings

Reporting flooding:

- Environment Agency Incident Hotline: **0800 80 70 60**
- United Utilities: **0345 672 3723**
- Lead Local Flood Authority: This will either be the District Council, provided it is a Unitary Authority, or the County Council. [Find your local council here.](#)

AUTUMN LEAVES

During the autumn months, there is an increased risk of drains becoming blocked with fallen leaves and causing surface water flooding.

TOP TIP! Take time to regularly clear drains around your property. If everyone did this it would make a huge difference!

If you are unable to clear blockages yourself, report it to your council using this link: www.gov.uk/report-blocked-drain

www.thefloodhub.co.uk

The Flood Hub website is funded by the North West Regional Flood and Coastal Committee and is a joint initiative developed by the Environment Agency, United Utilities, Newground, and the Cumbria, Lancashire, Greater Manchester, Merseyside and Cheshire Strategic Flood Partnerships.