

friends of WARTON CRAG LOCAL NATURE RESERVE

17th September 2022

Cattle helping us with conservation

Letting cows graze in our local nature reserve can mimic a more natural way of grassland management, providing different heights of grassland swards which can attract all kinds of insects and wildlife. It can also prevent scrub taking over and shading out other more sensitive plants.

Providing water for the cattle in these remote locations with no access to mains water means we rely on rainwater. Our task this month was to give the troughs a good clean out before the heavier rains arrived.



Save the Date: **Saturday 15th October**