

KEYSTONE PROJECT: FURTHER DETAILS

Relevant SW Nature Area (see SW Nature Map)	Purbeck Ridge – Chalk Grassland
Geographic area of project – number and name	
Project Title/Site Name	Purbeck Heritage Lottery Fund – “Carving a Foundation for the Isle of Purbeck” Purbeck Ridge Project
Lead Partner/s	Purbeck District Council, English Nature, National Trust
Project Timescale	June 2006 - 2009
Project/Site Management Aims	To restore chalk grassland by reducing and managing the extent of gorse cover and by securing favourable grazing management
Quantitative Targets	190ha of chalk grassland in favourable management by 2009
Funding source and amount	HLF £48 000
Project Delivery (eg direct works, advisory, grant aided projects)	Project Delivery through direct funding of gorse control and fencing, management advice, traditional breeds support and facilitating farmer networks
Progress to date	Just started
Key BAP/notable species	Adonis Blue and Lulworth Skipper Butterflies
Future Initiatives/Proposals (please indicate who, when, what and level of certainty)	

Relevant SW Nature Area (see SW Nature Map)	River Frome - Coastal and Floodplain Grazing Marsh
Geographic area of project – number and name	
Project Title/Site Name	Purbeck HLF “Carving a Foundation for the Isle of Purbeck” Frome Valley Project
Lead Partner/s	Purbeck District Council, Environment Agency, Defra Rural Development Service
Project Timescale	3 years (June 06 -09)
Project/Site Management Aims	
Quantitative Targets	Restoration of 450ha of floodplain grazing marsh
Funding source and amount	HLF £150 000
Project Delivery (eg direct works, advisory, grant aided projects)	Includes mainly advisory and facilitatory roles with direct funding of water level management plans, sluices, training, ditch management grants etc.
Progress to date	Just started
Key BAP/notable species	Targeted at Breeding Waders such as Redshank, Lapwing, Snipe. Also benefit to Otters and Water Voles.
Future Initiatives/Proposals (please indicate who, when, what and level of certainty)	N/A