



Did you Know?

Three new trees have been planted on the 'Shady Walk' near Rayners Lane. All are deciduous, native, woodland trees, good for wildlife and absorbing carbon.

Hornbeam (Carpinus betulus)

Ultimately growing to 17 – 22M, with clear yellow leaves in autumn. A tough, resilient tree, traditionally used for producing mallets and even the moving parts of pianos.



Bird Cherry (Prunus padus)

A medium-sized tree, 7 – 12M at maturity. Late spring produces a profusion of white flowers, loved by pollinators. Black fruits follow. Yellow/bronze/autumn colour



Field Maple (Acer campestre)

10- 15 m at maturity, widely used in the Middle Ages for making musical instruments, this maple tolerates drought and air pollution. Autumn colour ranges from yellow to red.



FoYW funding for these trees came from a successful award from the Crane Valley Partnership

If you would like to help sponsor a tree for Yeading Walk, please email FoYWgroup@gmail.com