



HAZARD SAFETY AUDIT

Bursledon Parish Council

School Road and Bursledon Cemetery, Bursledon



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HAZARD SURVEY AUDIT NOTES

This Hazard Survey Audit has been undertaken in consideration of current good arboricultural practice with regards to the health and safety of the tree stock on this site.

Inspection Method

This survey is a basic data collection exercise undertaken from ground level only, and records tree condition at the time of survey. This will identify any visible signs of ill-health or major defects, advising further detailed investigation where appropriate. No assessment has been carried out in respect of ingress of roots into underground services or the potential of indirect property damage. Such matters are beyond the scope of this survey.

- Each tree has been numbered and, where instructed, for future identification on site, tagged using small durable metal or plastic tags.
- An assessment of a tree's **age classification** is made in terms of its maturity within the site's landscape and recorded thus:

Y	=	young trees i.e. newly planted or just established
SM	=	semi-mature trees, i.e. those that have reached one-third of their anticipated life expectancy
EM	=	early-mature trees, i.e. those that have reached two-thirds of their anticipated life expectancy
M	=	mature trees, i.e. those that have entered the final third of their anticipated life expectancy
OM	=	over-mature trees, as above but showing signs of low vigour and decline
V	=	veteran, trees that achieved their full life expectancy, are of exceptional size/age and of conservation value

- The **trees height** is recorded in 5 metre (m) increments: -

<5	=	under 5 metres in height
5-10	=	between 5 and 10 metres in height
10-15	=	between 10 and 15 metres in height
15-20	=	between 15 and 20 metres in height
>20	=	over 20 metres in height

- The **trunk diameter** is recorded in 150 millimetre (mm) increments, taken at 1.5 metres above ground level on single stem trees and just above the root flare on multi-stemmed trees:-

<150	=	under 150 millimetres diameter
150-300	=	between 150 and 300 millimetres diameter
300-450	=	between 300 and 450 millimetres diameter
450-600	=	between 450 and 600 millimetres diameter
>600	=	over 600 millimetres diameter

- The **crown spread** is recorded in 5 metre (m) increments and is an average overall crown spread taken from drip line to drip line

<5	=	under 5 metres crown spread
5-10	=	between 5 and 10 metres crown spread
10-15	=	between 10 and 15 metres crown spread
15-20	=	between 15 and 20 metres crown spread
>20	=	over 20 metres crown spread

- An assessment of a tree's structural and physiological **overall condition** is to be made as:

Good	=	none or limited structural defects and good physiological condition
Fair	=	remediable structural defects and/or below average physiological condition
Poor	=	irremediable structural defects and/or poor physiological condition
Dead	=	moribund, no further useful life

- It is strongly recommended that tree works should be undertaken within the timescales denoted in the Priorities column, and are recorded as action required:

Imminently dangerous	=	Immediate
Urgent	=	Within 1 month
Necessary	=	Within 3 months
Important	=	Within 6 months
Routine	=	Within 12 months

- Where ivy is identified on a tree, to prevent the tree from becoming suppressed, to reduce the risk of wind-throw and to alleviate additional weight, it has been recommended that a 300mm section of the ivy should be severed and removed around the base of the tree, unless otherwise stated.
- At the time of inspection, due to ivy cover, location etc, it may not be possible to verify the health and safety of the trees and it is therefore essential that re-inspections be undertaken within the recommended timescales to reduce the risk of potential hazard.
- Comments have been provided only where considered appropriate or necessary to provide additional information.
- Any tree groups have been assessed using estimated and representative data only.
- All dimensions recorded have been estimated and are given for guidance purposes only.
- The data collected and any advice provided within this report is supplied in the interests of sound arboricultural management. Trees are a living dynamic organism that can be affected by external conditions (high winds, storms, snow, heavy rain or drought) and may occasionally fail without warning. It is therefore not possible to state with any certainty that any tree or group of trees is completely safe. The condition of a tree or group of trees can change rapidly as a result of external factors; we would advise that the occupier/ owners inspect the trees at least every 12 months or following periods of extreme weather and where concerns are raised relating to tree health that would be considered beyond the knowledge of a layperson, further arboricultural advice should be sought.

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	Client:		Bursledon Parish Council							
	Site		School Road and Bursledon Cemetery, Bursledon							
	Date of Survey:		14th April 2026							
	Consultant:		Alexa Monk <i>TechCert (Arbor.A) NCH.Arb</i>							
	Tagged:		No							

CONSERVATION AREA:

CBA Trees has been informed by the client that the site lies within Old Bursledon Conservation Area.

	Species	Age Class	Height (m)	Trunk Diameter (mm)	Crown Spread (m)	Overall Condition	Defects and other Relevant Comments	Recommended Works	Priority (months)	Recommended Re-inspection Interval
1	Hybrid Black Poplar <i>Populus x euroamericana</i>	EM	15-20	300-450	10-15	Good	Mistletoe in crown Minor deadwood in crown Ivy on trunk	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
2	Field Maple <i>Acer campestre</i>	EM	10-15	150-300	5-10	Good	Growing on bank Minor deadwood in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
3	Field Maple <i>Acer campestre</i>	EM	10-15	150-300	5-10	Good	Growing on bank Minor deadwood in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
4	Previously removed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Previously removed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Common Sycamore <i>Acer pseudoplatanus</i>	EM	15-20	150-300	15-20	Fair	Multi-stemmed at ground level Growing on bank Tight forks with included bark Major deadwood in crown but no significant target Squirrel damage in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
7	Previously removed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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8	Previously removed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Common Alder <i>Alnus glutinosa</i>	-	-	-	-	-	Previously fallen	Cut up and stack to form coppice	Routine - within 12 months	N/A
10	Previously removed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Common Hazel <i>Corylus avellana</i>	EM	5-10	<150	5-10	Fair	Multi-stemmed at ground level Growing on roadside bank Major deadwood in crown but no significant target	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
12	Previously removed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	Previously removed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	Common Sycamore <i>Acer pseudoplatanus</i>	SM	10-15	300-450	5-10	Poor	Growing on bank Basal suckers Squirrel damage throughout crown Major deadwood in crown Significant cavity in trunk at 1.2m above ground level	Reduce crown by 4-5m	Routine - within 12 months	2 years
15	English Elm <i>Ulmus procera</i>	-	-	-	-	-	2.5m high stump remains	-	-	2 years
16	Previously removed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	Previously removed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	Common Ash <i>Fraxinus excelsior</i>	EM	15-20	150-300	10-15	Fair	Growing on roadside bank Bifurcated at ground level Major deadwood in crown over road	Remove deadwood over road	Important - within 6 months	2 years

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19	Pedunculate Oak <i>Quercus robur</i>	M	>20	>600	15-20	Good	Growing on bank Ivy on trunk Minor deadwood in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
20	Common Ash <i>Fraxinus excelsior</i>	EM	15-20	150-300	10-15	Fair	Growing on bank Dead Ivy on trunk Major deadwood in crown but no significant target	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
21	Hybrid Black Poplar <i>Populus x euroamericana</i>	M	>20	450-600	15-20	Fair	Growing at top of bank Ivy on trunk Major deadwood in crown and hung up branches in crown but no significant target Storm damage in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
22	Previously removed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	Previously removed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	Common Ash <i>Fraxinus excelsior</i>	EM	15-20	300-450	10-15	Fair	Growing on bank Ivy on trunk and in crown Bifurcated at 4m above ground level Major deadwood in crown but no significant target	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
25	Common Ash <i>Fraxinus excelsior</i>	EM	15-20	300-450	10-15	Fair	Growing on bank Ivy on trunk Bifurcated at 2.5m above ground level Minor deadwood in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
26	Rowan <i>Sorbus aucuparia</i>	SM	15-20	150-300	5-10	Good	Tall and etiolated due to group pressure Crown shape distorted due to group pressure Minor deadwood in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
27	Rowan <i>Sorbus aucuparia</i>	SM	10-15	150-300	5-10	Fair	Bark wounds on trunk Minor deadwood in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years

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28	Rowan <i>Sorbus aucuparia</i>	SM	10-15	150-300	5-10	Fair	Bark wounds on trunk Bifurcated at 2m above ground level Tight fork with included bark	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
29	Rowan <i>Sorbus aucuparia</i>	SM	15-20	150-300	5-10	Fair	Bark wounds on trunk Bifurcated at 2m above ground level Tight fork with included bark Bifurcated at 3m above ground level	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
30	Ash <i>Fraxinus spp</i>	EM	15-20	300-450	10-15	Fair	Crown shape distorted due to group pressure Tight fork with included bark Minor deadwood in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
31	Monterey Pine <i>Pinus radiata</i>	EM	15-20	300-450	5-10	Fair	Leans and weighted north Minor deadwood and stubs in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
32	Wild Cherry <i>Prunus avium</i>	EM	15-20	300-450	10-15	Fair	Trifurcated at 1m above ground level Crown shape distorted due to group pressure Minor deadwood in crown Mechanical damage to surface roots Major root cut for path	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
33	Monterey Pine <i>Pinus radiata</i>	EM	15-20	450-600	10-15	Good	Minor deadwood and stubs in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
34	Common Ash <i>Fraxinus excelsior</i>	M	>20	>600	>20	Fair	Multi-stemmed at 4m above ground level Major deadwood in crown but no significant target Inonotus hispidus on branch in south side of crown but no significant target	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
35	Common Ash <i>Fraxinus excelsior</i>	M	>20	450-600	15-20	Fair	Trunk shape distorted due to group pressure Ivy on trunk and in crown, previously cut Major deadwood in crown but no significant target	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years

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36	Common Ash <i>Fraxinus excelsior</i>	M	15-20	300-450	15-20	Fair	Crown shape distorted due to group pressure Weighted south Ivy on trunk and in crown, previously cut Major deadwood in crown but no significant target	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
37	Monterey Pine <i>Pinus radiata</i>	M	>20	>600	15-20	Fair	Trunk and crown shape distorted due to group pressure Weighted south Storm damage and branch tear wound in crown Major deadwood and stubs in crown but no significant target Offsite neighbouring tree hung up in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
38	Pedunculate Oak <i>Quercus robur</i>	EM	15-20	300-450	10-15	Fair	Bifurcated at 2m above ground level Tight fork with included bark Major deadwood in crown but no significant target	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
39	Pedunculate Oak <i>Quercus robur</i>	EM	>20	300-450	10-15	Fair	Bifurcated at 0.5m above ground level Ivy on trunk and in crown - previously cut	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
40	Pedunculate Oak <i>Quercus robur</i>	M	>20	450-600	15-20	Good	Old pruning wounds on trunk Major deadwood in crown over footpath	Remove deadwood	Important - within 6 months	2 years
41	Pedunculate Oak <i>Quercus robur</i>	EM	10-15	300-450	10-15	Fair	Old pruning wounds on trunk Weighted south Crown shape distorted due to group pressure Large branch tear on north side of trunk at 4m above ground level occluding	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
42	Swamp Cypress <i>Taxodium distichum</i>	EM	>20	300-450	5-10	Good	Minor deadwood in crown Mechanical damage to surface roots	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
43	Silver Birch <i>Betula pendula</i>	EM	15-20	150-300	5-10	Fair	Bifurcated at ground level Minor deadwood in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years

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44	Silver Birch <i>Betula pendula</i>	EM	10-15	150-300	5-10	Fair	Bifurcated at ground level Bark wound on north west side of trunk Minor deadwood in crown Ivy on trunks	Sever ivy	Important - within 6 months	2 years
45	Silver Birch <i>Betula pendula</i>	EM	15-20	150-300	5-10	Fair	Minor deadwood in crown Ivy on trunk	Sever ivy	Important - within 6 months	2 years
46	Silver Birch <i>Betula pendula</i>	EM	15-20	150-300	10-15	Fair	Trifurcated at ground level Minor deadwood in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
47	Silver Birch <i>Betula pendula</i>	M	15-20	150-300	10-15	Good	Bifurcated at ground level Mechanical damage to surface roots Minor deadwood in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
48	Pedunculate Oak <i>Quercus robur</i>	EM	15-20	300-450	10-15	Fair	Bifurcated at 3.5m above ground level Minor deadwood in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
49	Pedunculate Oak <i>Quercus robur</i>	EM	15-20	300-450	10-15	Fair	Branch tear wound on west side of eastern branch but no significant target Minor deadwood in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
50	Rowan <i>Sorbus aucuparia</i>	EM	10-15	150-300	10-15	Fair	Bifurcated at 1.8m above ground level Tight fork with included bark Minor deadwood in crown Possible root severance on north west side due to trench works	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
51	Goat Willow <i>Salix caprea</i>	EM	10-15	150-300	10-15	Fair	Multi-stemmed at ground level Minor deadwood in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
52	Silver Birch <i>Betula pendula</i>	EM	15-20	150-300	5-10	Fair	Trunk shape distorted Tall and etiolated	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years

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Grp 1	Sycamore x1 Hazel x6 Field Maple x10 Flowering Cherry x5 Silver Birch x11 Pedunculate Oak x2	SM	10-15	150-300	5-10	Good	Small group of trees planted round car park edge Some multi-stemmed at ground level Trunk and crown shapes distorted due to group pressure Minor deadwood in majority of crowns One Oak has large dead branch but no significant target One dead Birch stem to east end of group (shown on tree location plan as G1.1)	Remove dead Birch stem	Necessary - within 3 months	2 years
Grp 2	Goat Willow x1 Hazel x2 Silver Birch x3 Field Maple x5 Pedunculate Oak x1 Flowering Cherry x3 Hornbeam x4 Common Ash x2 Poplar x1	SM	15-20	150-300	5-10	Fair	Small group of trees planted to north of car park Tall and etiolated due to group pressure Crown shapes distorted due to group pressure Minor deadwood in crown	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
Grp 3	Field Maple x11 Flowering Cherry x6 Hazel x8 Hornbeam x1	SM	15-20	150-300	5-10	Fair	Small group of trees planted to north of car park Tall and etiolated due to group pressure Crown shapes distorted due to group pressure Minor deadwood in crown Two branch tear wounds and snapped out branches in Hazel to north side of group but no significant target	Remove snapped out branches if desired	Routine - within 12 months	2 years
Grp 4	Pedunculate Oak x4 Flowering Cherry x3 Yew x2 Field Maple x1 Silver Birch x4 Common Ash x3	EM	15-20	150-300	5-10	Fair	Trunk and crown shapes distorted due to group pressure Major deadwood in crowns but no significant target	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
Grp 5	Common Ash x4 Pedunculate Oak x13 Wild Cherry x5 Hornbeam xx5 Silver Birch x2 Monterey Pine x 1	SM	15-20	150-300	5-10	Fair	Trunk and crown shapes distorted due to group pressure Low hanging branches Minor deadwood in crowns	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years

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Grp 6	Pedunculate Oak Common Ash Field Maple Sycamore Flowering Cherry	SM	10-15	150-300	5-10	Fair	Trunk and crown shapes distorted due to group pressure Major deadwood in crowns but no significant target	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
Grp 7	Pedunculate Oak x4 Field Maple x1 Silver Birch x1 Yew x1 Hornbeam x1	EM	15-20	150-300	10-15	Fair	Trunk and crown shapes distorted due to group pressure Major deadwood in crowns but no significant target Tall and etiolated due to group pressure	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years
Grp 8	Wild Cherry Silver Birch Common Ash Goat Willow Pedunculate oak Field Maple Hawthorn Common Holly Elm Cherry Laurel Bay Laurel Holm Oak	EM	10-15	150-300	10-15	Fair	Trunk and crown shapes distorted due to group pressure Minor deadwood in crowns Understorey of Elder and natural regeneration	No works required at time of survey	N/A	2 years



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Tree Location Plan

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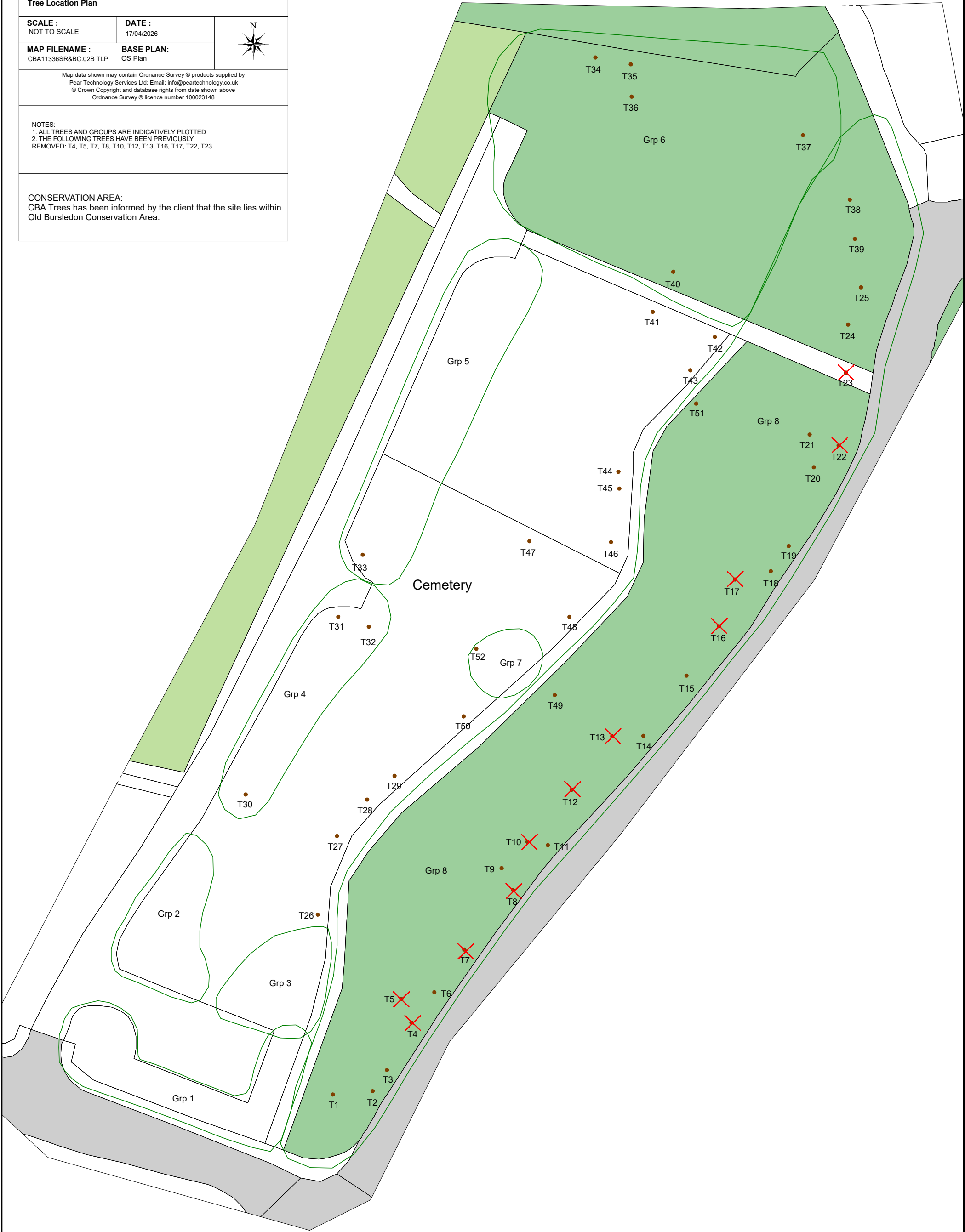
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NOTES:
1. ALL TREES AND GROUPS ARE INDICATIVELY PLOTTED
2. THE FOLLOWING TREES HAVE BEEN PREVIOUSLY
REMOVED: T4, T5, T7, T8, T10, T12, T13, T16, T17, T22, T23

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Company Profile, Qualifications and Experience

CBA Trees is acknowledged as one of the UK's leading arboricultural consultancies offering a full range of tree related services from BS5837 tree surveys, arboricultural impact assessments and method statements to health and safety audits. Based near Southampton in Hampshire with easy access to the motorway network and transport links, we provide a professional solution to your tree problem throughout southern England and nationwide across the UK.

Whether the instruction is in respect of a single tree in a garden, a mortgage report, a development site or a new settlement that needs a full arboricultural report for a planning application, CBA Trees has the tree expertise to provide a professional solution. We employ a team of qualified and experienced arboricultural consultants to ensure that at every stage of the arboricultural process our clients receive the very best in expert knowledge and the highest standard of professional service.

Stefan Rose *BSc(Hons), TechCert (Arbor A), TechArbor.A* joined CBA Trees in 1998 as a junior surveyor and having gained extensive knowledge and a wealth of experience over the years including the Professional Tree Inspectors Certification (LANTRA), has progressed to Principal Consultant. His vast experience in working as a locum for local authorities, assessing new and extant Tree Preservation Orders, as well as working on some of the largest development sites nationwide enables him to provide expert advice and guidance on initial feasibility site assessments to full scale planning applications, working with individual homeowners and within multi-disciplinary teams to achieve successful arboricultural outcomes.

Alexa Monk *TechCert (Arbor.A), NCH.Arb* has a background in tree surgery, running her own small business for many years. Working with CBA Trees for over 10 years, Alexa has experience of pre-planning work for developers, Tree Preservation Order legislation work, tree inspection including decay detection with sophisticated decay detection equipment and general arboricultural health and safety surveys.

Listed below are some of the services we provide:

- Arboricultural Consultancy
- BS5837 tree surveys (for residential sites and development projects)
- Arboricultural Impact Assessments and Method Statements
- Advice on Tree Preservation Orders including Objections
- Arboricultural Health and Safety Surveys
- Arboricultural site and project management

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