

Hemblington churchyard Tree Surveys – records from 2017 onwards. Trees numbered from S.W. corner

<i>Number</i>	<i>Sound</i>	<i>Holes</i>	<i>Growth</i>	<i>Branches</i>	<i>Comments</i>	<i>2018</i>	<i>2019</i>		<i>Surveyor</i>
1	Good except one small area on N	few	good	ok	cut laurel from base	Regular review. No issues.			JB
2	Good but white fungus at base	few	fair	some dieback	cut laurel from base	Regular review. No issues.			JB
3	Good	few	fair	some dieback on N	cut laurel from base	Regular review. No issues.			JB
4	Good	few	good		cut laurel from base	Regular review. No issues.			JB
5	Good (22/09/17)	Very few	good	OK	cut laurel and ivy from base	Regular review. No issues.			SR PR
6	Good (22/09/17)	Few	fair	Some dieback on East side	cut laurel and ivy from base	Regular review. No issues.			SR PR
7	Good (22/09/17)	Very few	Fair to poor	Fewer and less well developed	cut laurel and some ivy from base	Regular review. No issues.			SR PR
8	Good except for one soft area at base on North side (22/09/17)	few	Fair	Some dieback on S side	cut laurel and some ivy from base	Regular review. No issues.			SR PR
9	Good (22/09/17)		fair	some dieback on W. side	cut laurel from base	Regular review. No issues.			LB DB
10	Good (22/09/17)		Good if slender	OK	cut laurel from base	Regular review. No issues.			LB DB

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11			Fair	Dieback on S.W. side	cut laurel and some ivy from base	Regular review. No issues.			LB DB
12			Good	OK	cut laurel from base	Regular review. No issues.			LB DB
13			Good	Dieback on West side	cut laurel from base	Regular review. No issues.			LB DB
14	Good	few not deep	strong	non dead	Ivy up trunk. Cherry plum growing up side and sycamore below	Regular review. No issues.			JB/ ? Sue Shillam
15	Good	no holes visible	fair	some die back on small branches	Ivy	Regular review. No issues.			JB
16	Mainly good; dull area on field side	many holes around base	strong	Extended branch to west dark crack with possible fruiting body		Regular review. No issues.			JB
17	Mainly good; dull on field side		fair	some die back	New branches springing from base. Sycamore growing close to base	Regular review. No issues.			JB
18	Mainly good; dull area on field side	several holes			oak on south side a lot of hedge growth	Regular review. No issues.			JB
19	Good	few not deep	fair		Ash at base	Regular review. No issues.			JB

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20	Mainly good; dull area on field side				oak in front. ivy	Regular review. No issues.		JB
21	Good					Regular review. No issues.		JB
22	Good	few holes			ivy	Regular review. No issues.		JB
23	Good				ivy	Regular review. No issues.		JB

Note from David Bryant – December, 2018: I check ‘our’ poplars when I do the bird survey: AFAIK they’re fine. The grass and bramble clearing we started in the late summer 2018 was completed in November and you can walk right up to the trees and give them a good tap: they were *all* sound last week.

February, 2019: small working party in both churchyards 16/02/2019. Trees reviewed and no winter damage evident. Mixed hedging on eastern boundary of northern churchyard continued to be cut back and down to reasonable level. Laurel hedging on south boundary of southern churchyard continued to be cut down.