Major Planting Sites

King Offa Wood

In autumn 2020, 525 native trees were planted by volunteers from BEG and the local community on Bexhill Down to create a new King Offa Wood.

Formal Name	Common Name	Total Planted
Acer Campestre	Field Maple	50
Acer Pseudoplatanus	Sycamore	25
Betula Pendula	Silver Birch	22
Carpinus Betulus	European Hornbeam	45
Castanea Sativa	Sweet Chestnut	50
Ilex Aquifolium	English Holly	10
Prunus Avium	Wild Cherry or Gean	50
Prunus Padus	Bird Cherry	50
Quercus Petraea	Sessile Oak	20
Quercus Robur	English Oak (Pendunculate)	40
Quercus Rubra	Northern Red Oak	45
Tilia Cordata	Small Leaf Lime	33
Sorbus Aucuparia	Rowan/Mountain Ash	50
Sorbus Torminalis	Wild Service Tree	10
Ulmus x Wingham	Elm (Hybrid)	25



This work was generously sponsored by Hastings Direct and Rother District Council.

Planting continues and now over 750 trees have been planted.

Ongoing tree care is undertaken by Bexhill Friends of the Down.

Bexhill Cemetery

Over several years, more than 400 trees and shrubs have been planted in the field to the west of the cemetery.



Turkey Road

Over 250 trees were planted in 2020 in the area near the junction of Turkey Road and Ellerslie Lane.



Hazel Grove

In the past couple of years, 56 trees (including 30 hazels) have been planted alongside the A259, north of the fire station in Beeching Road.

In addition, a hedge was planted along the edge of the Physique's Gym car park.



Broad Oak Park

In 2021, 750 native trees and shrubs were planted in Broad Oak Park to form a hedge.

