



## Discover Christchurch Biodiversity project update 25/11/25



The Discover Christchurch community biodiversity group, led by Gillian Ellis-King and Becky Strike ran a planter design workshop and bulb planting 5<sup>th</sup> November. A real success with fabulous design ideas for the planters produced by the children and over 600 native daffodil bulbs planted along the main drive in the churchyard – bringing the total number of bulbs planted over the last three seasons to over 3000!

The planters will be planted up by 20 November with the help of young people, toddlers and parents / carers at the Ark Toddler Group.



The Town Council informed the group the next day that the biodiversity enhancements at Christ Church, co-designed and implemented over the last 3 years with children from Christ Church School working together with volunteers and including CC's Green team, have been judged by Britain in Bloom SW as 'outstanding' in the It's your Neighbourhood category! This repeats our success of last year!!

This is a fantastic community project, involving many volunteers of all ages. I am proud to support this effort and that BOATC provided a grant 3 years ago to launch it.

