

Review of the last year
Oct 2024 – Sep 2025

Part One – Public Footpaths

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As per usual I will continue with the good news – like this new gate.



Another new gate – and improved path surface.



Another new gate.

Lancashire CC have a policy of installing a new gate where possible, rather than replacing an old stile with a new stile. Hence more photos of new gates.

However, a large backlog of stiles waiting for repair remains.



A section of muddy footpath that has been improved.



New waymarks – showing the email address for footpath reports.



A stile repaired.



The provision of steps and a handrail.

It is unfortunately a repeat of previous years in that there seems to be more bad news than good news.



A broken stile.



Another broken stile.



And yet another broken stile.



Erosion occurring on a footpath, which could get worse.



A footpath where over hanging vegetation was a nuisance.



A fallen tree.



Another fallen tree

We ought to also bear in mind that in this period of financial cost cutting that other services are also being affected.



An information board that has gone rotten and not replaced.



A sign that is almost unreadable.

Part Two - is about
Lost Ways and
Coastal Access