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*At last we are seeing some beautiful sunshine, which has also meant that the grass and vegetation has started growing in abundance and our Ranger teams are out cutting the miles of footpaths and coast path around the South Devon estate. It takes our team about 5 weeks to get around the whole network of paths but please do contact us if you walk a path on National trust land in South Devon that needs cutting.*

*As you will have seen when you go down to Wembury beach car park there is scaffolding holding up the wall at the entrance, which is potentially also holding up part of the entrance road into the car park. We will be undergoing emergency repair works as soon as a contractor has been appointed, but this means that the car park will have to be closed during the works. We are currently investigating other car parking areas if this is required during these emergency works. We will display posters with information regarding this work and the closure dates so please keep a look out for these signs.*

*At Wembury Point there have been more new additions to the pony herd. We now have 5 foals on site grazing alongside their mother's. At Wembury Point the field section around the Radar station is not open for public access as this area is leased to the MOD in order to keep maximum security and protection the radar site. Only National Trust staff and volunteers are allowed in this area. Please remain on the network of paths through the site and do not climb over locked gates. Thank you for your co-operation.*

*On the 1<sup>st</sup> May Ranger Lorna Sherriff held a Volunteer day at Wembury Point. Sadly no-one turned up to help with the works on site. If you would be interested in helping with some of the Ranger works the next volunteer day at Wembury is on Sunday July 24<sup>th</sup> where we will be tackling the vegetation growth along the edges of the stream in the meadow behind Wembury beach. This day is free but does need to be booked on by calling 01752 346585.*

*We have several other events coming up in June. If you are interested in getting involved please get in touch.*

*On Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June (11am – 2pm) we are holding Open farm Sunday at Scobbiscombe farm, Kingston. Join the tenants at Scobbiscombe Farm and the National Trust Rangers and come and see the farm animals, enjoy a farm trail and have a go at a few 50 Things to do before you're 11 ¾ activities and more! Bring a picnic, dogs on leads welcome. This event is free and no booking required.*

*On 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> June (12noon – 6pm) we have the South Milton Sands Watersports festival for a weekend of fun on the beach. Come along and have a go at paddle boarding, open canoeing, sit on top kayaks, wild swimming and more. Fun competitions for children, beginners and experienced paddlers. Other games and stalls on the beach to enjoy. There are charges for the have go sessions. For further information please go to [www.nationaltrust.org.uk/south-milton-sands](http://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/south-milton-sands)*

Please stop and have a chat to the team if you see us out working or if you have any comments about the work of the National Trust. For further information please call Lorna Sherriff on 01548 562344 or email [lorna.sherriff@nationaltrust.org.uk](mailto:lorna.sherriff@nationaltrust.org.uk)

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