# Elm Heritage Kent

KENT PLAN TREE LYNDSAY WAYMAN-ROOK & ANNA RITCHIE





#### 2024-25 Update



#### Local Authority Treescape Fund 1, 2 & 3

- 80679 whips
- 411 Standards
- 119 Fruit Trees
- 304 Feathers

38 Elm Standards Emerging from Hedgerows 89 Elm Feathers

#### Elm Feather Giveaway

• 260 Elm by KCC Members Grant

#### Local Authority Treescape Fund 4

- 13000 Whips
- 270 Standards
- 400 Elm Feathers
  - 100 Elm Standards



### Elms







English Elm (Ulmus procera) - British Trees - Woodland Trust

#### Elms of Capel



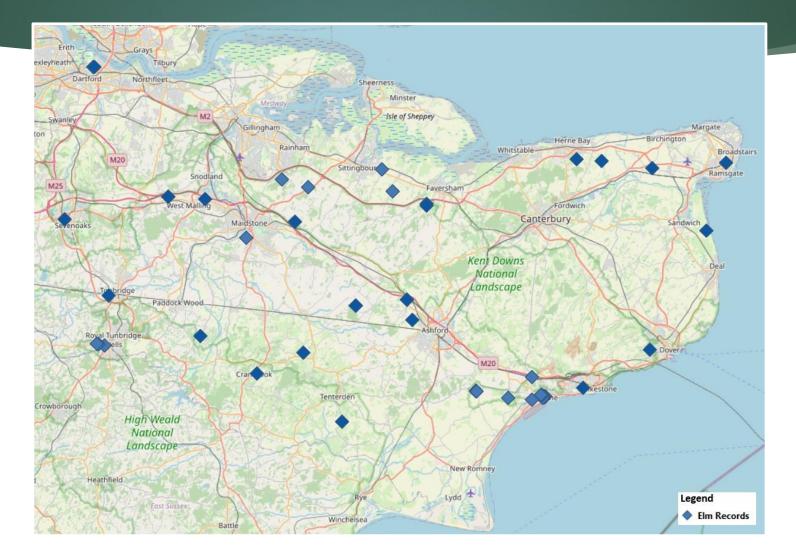
#### Lost elms of Kent – Richard Buggs







#### Elms Records







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New Horizon

Vada – No longer recommended





Fiorente

Lutece





# Elm 'Lutece' Giveaway



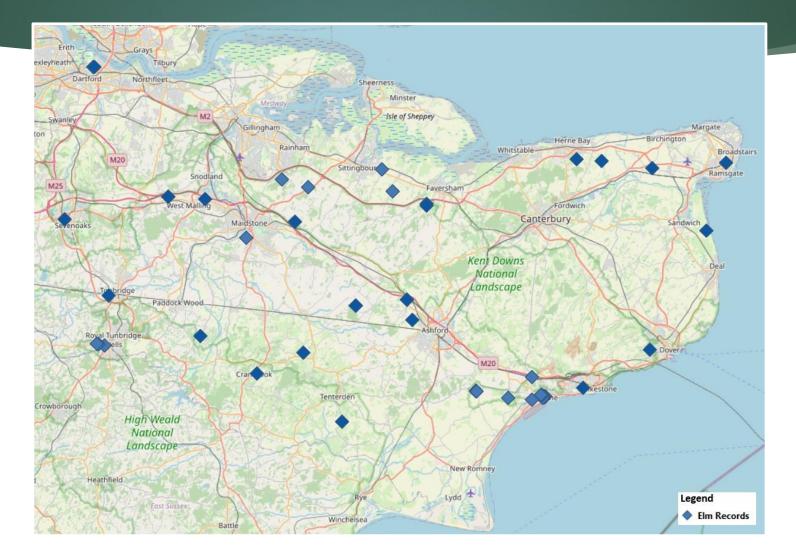


### Elm Trees Emerging from Hedgerows



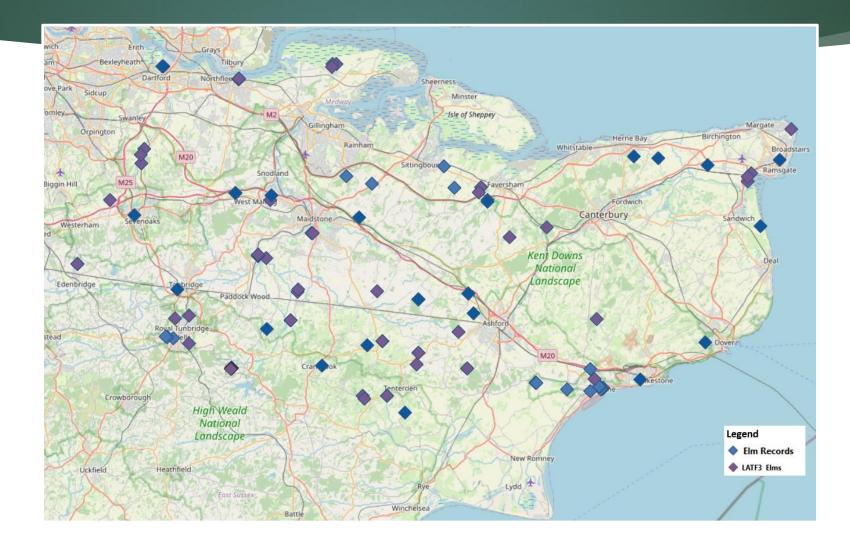


#### Elms Records



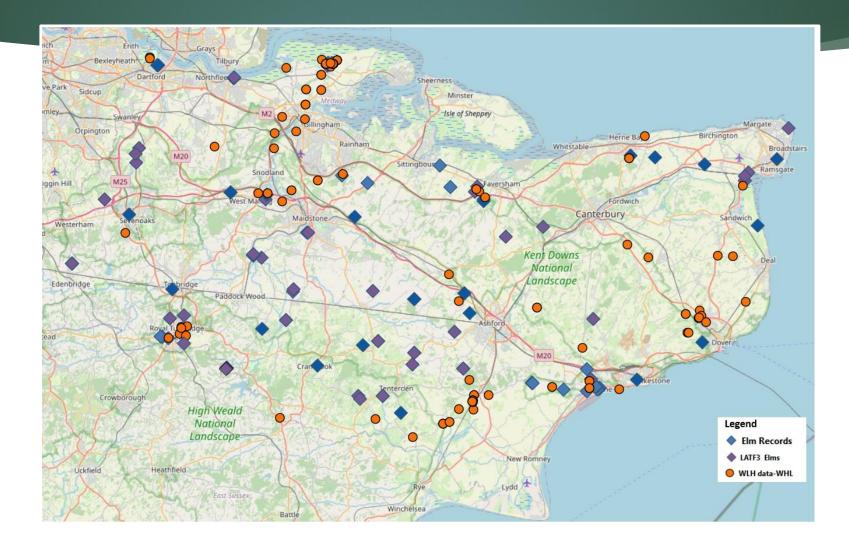


### Elms Records – Plan Tree Planting Sites



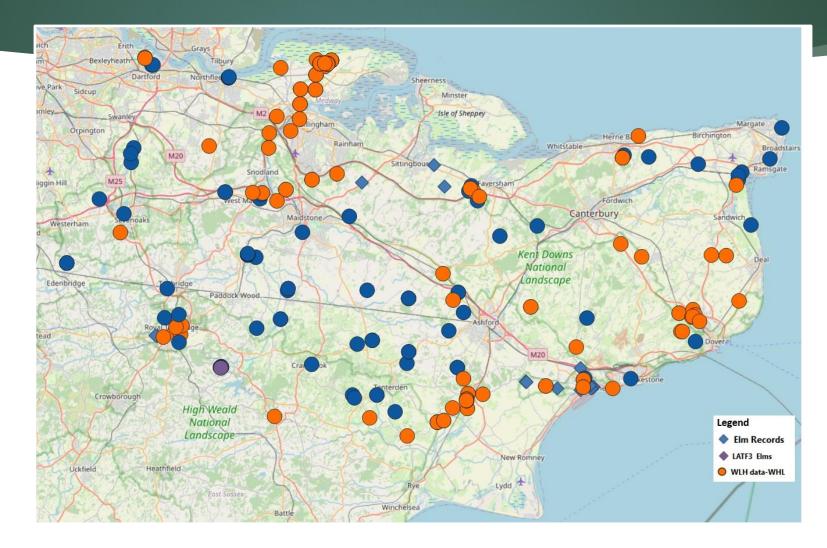


#### Elms and White-letter Hairstreak Records



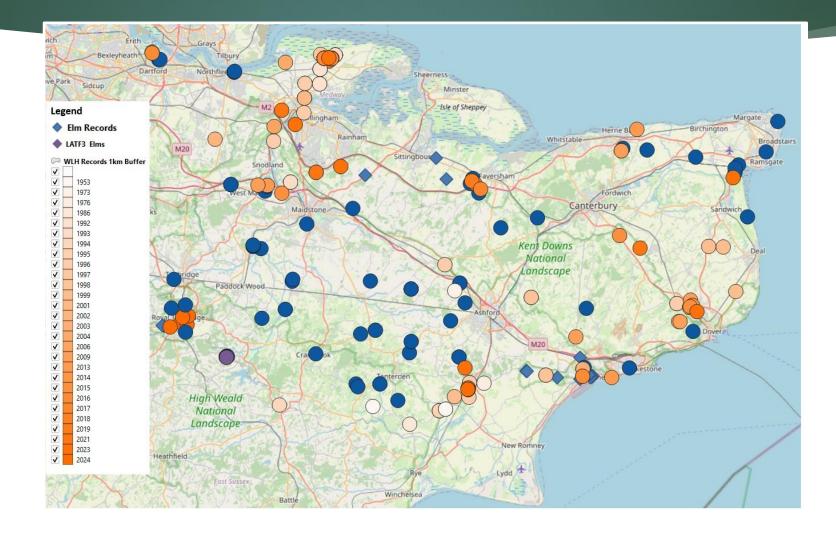


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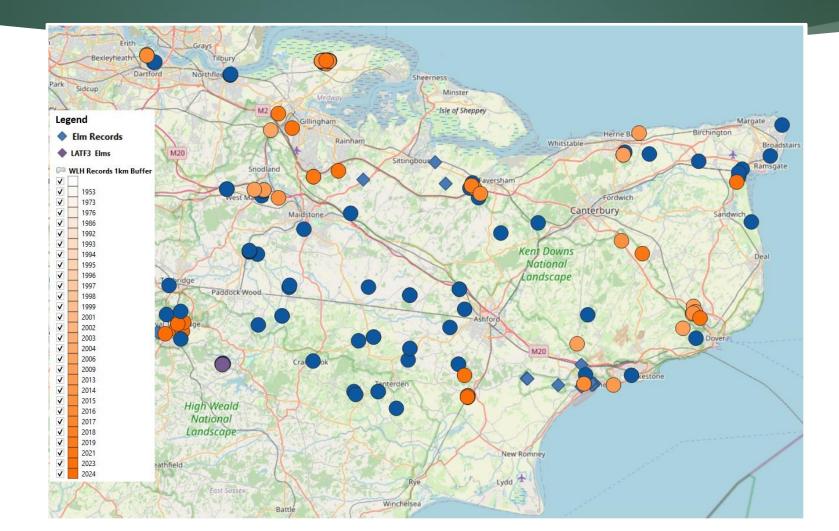


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### White-Letter Hairstreak Royal Military Canal





#### WLH iRecord

iRecord - White-letter Hairstreak butterfly map: <u>Explore all records |</u> <u>iRecord</u>





# Large Tortoiseshell returning to Kent



Large Tortoiseshell female by Peter Eeles, UK Butterflies



Small Tortoiseshell by Iain Leach, Butterfly Conservation



#### Large Tortoiseshell

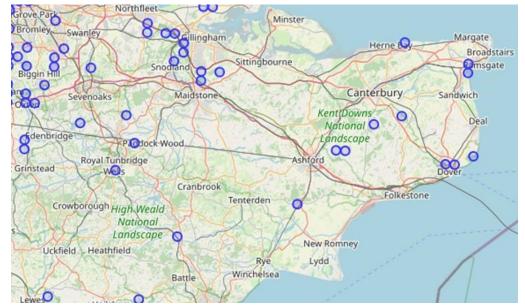
iRecord – Large Tortoiseshell butterfly map: <u>Explore all records |</u> <u>iRecord</u>





### Distribution similarities

#### White Letter Hairstreak



#### Large Tortoiseshell





### Elms Planting 2025



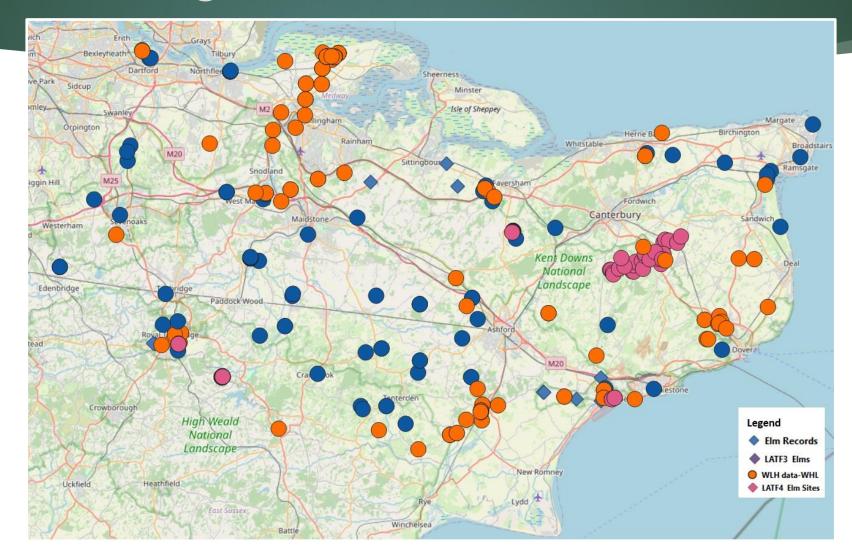


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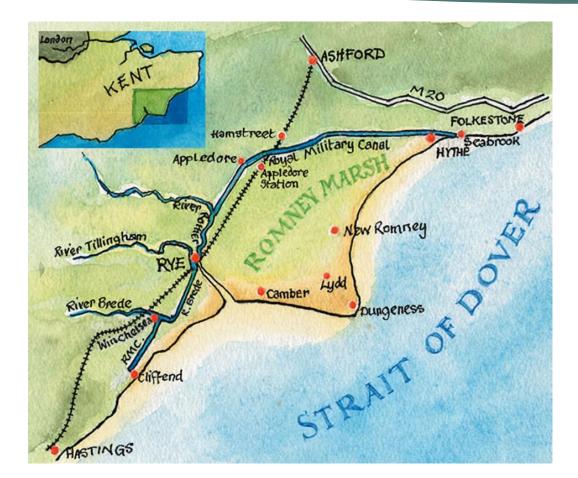


# Elms Planting 2025





### Elms 2025 – Royal Military Canal







Saving butterflies, moths and our environment





### Record Record Record!

- Upload Elm records to (International Records) <u>iNaturalist</u>
- Upload Elm records to (UK Records) <u>iRecord</u>
- ▶ Upload White-Letter Hairstreak to <u>iRecord Butterflies</u>.









# Thank you, Questions?

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- Identifying British Elms Ulmus
- <u>White-letter Hairstreak | Butterfly</u>
  <u>Conservation</u>



#### The 4 Tonge Elm, Sittingbourne

