Dropwort

Very common in the limedtone grassland. We have listed 13 of the myriad clumps in the area. Its distinctive leaves with both large and small leaflets make it easy to identify even when not in flower. Lots of the plants suffered in the drought in 2023 they appear to be doing very well in 2024.





Filipendula vulgaris

4 figure	Site	Grid Ref	Recorder	Date	Number	Comments
4376	Park Point	SD4369376834	AK	25/08/23	lots	one of many along the cliff path. among the most prolific of plants.
4376	Arnside Park	SD4399576764	LF	11/11/23	several	in middle of wood in small area of open grassland.
4377	Frith Wood	SD4372177624	AK	04/07/23	scattere d	a few plants mainly shrivelled on cliff path from White Creek to New Barns,
4476	Heathwaite	SD4483976789	LF/SB	01/06/23	2000	extending in grassy areas across to the path down from the bench at the top
4477	triangle before New Barns	SD4444677698	LF/SB	28/05/23	6 flower spikes	Small triangle on RHS before you get to New Barns Bay to New Barns
4573	Jack Scout	SD4591773807	AK	28/07/23	lots	only one flower but lots of leaves
4576	Heathwaite	SD4507876712	LF/SB	01/06/23	10 plants	with Anthyllis vulneraria in lower field just above main track
4577	Arnside Knott	SD4533077285	LF/SB	06/07/23	10 plus plants	by trail path up from Sauls Drive just before you get to the bench at the col.
4676	Eaves Wood	SD4642676341	AK	07/07/23	100	among the limestone clints in open area
4674	Sharps Allot.	SD4658874739	FN	08/06/24	20 plus	by large rock in path
4775	Myers Allot	SD4741975008	SB	17/06/23	4	dried up because of weather,
4776	gait barrows	SD4785476997	LF	18/06/23	5	plants by side of track
4777	gait barrows	SD4789777194	LF	18/06/23	5	about 5 flowering plants
4778	Hazelslack	SD4740378546	LF	31/05/23	lots	On sloping bank,

