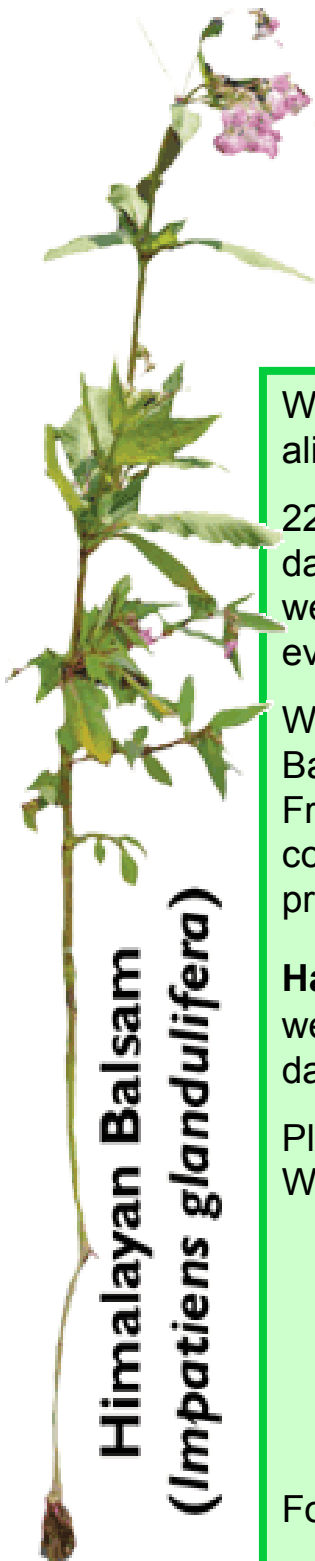


Halt The Invasion!

Invasive Weed Clearing Event

Frampton Cotterell

Friday 22nd May 2009



Himalayan Balsam
(Impatiens glandulifera)

We are being invaded! Non-native Invasive Weeds and other alien species are a huge threat to biological diversity.

22nd May is International Biodiversity Day. To celebrate the day and raise awareness of the threat of non-native invasive weed species in our area the AIWF is holding a weed clearing event.

We will be tackling an invasive weed called Himalayan Balsam, which is in abundance along the banks of the River Frome. This weed is such a problem because it out-competes native plant species and takes over and causes problems such as erosion of river banks.

Halt the invasion! - If you would like to get involved in the weed pulling event please come along for all or part of the day. All are welcome.

Please wear clothes you wont mind getting dirty and your Wellington boots or other sturdy footwear.

Date: **Friday 22 May**

Time: **10am until 3pm** (at the latest)

At: **Community Orchard Open Space,
Church Rd, Frampton Cotterell, Bristol.**

For more information call Vicky at AIWF on 07795 602068.