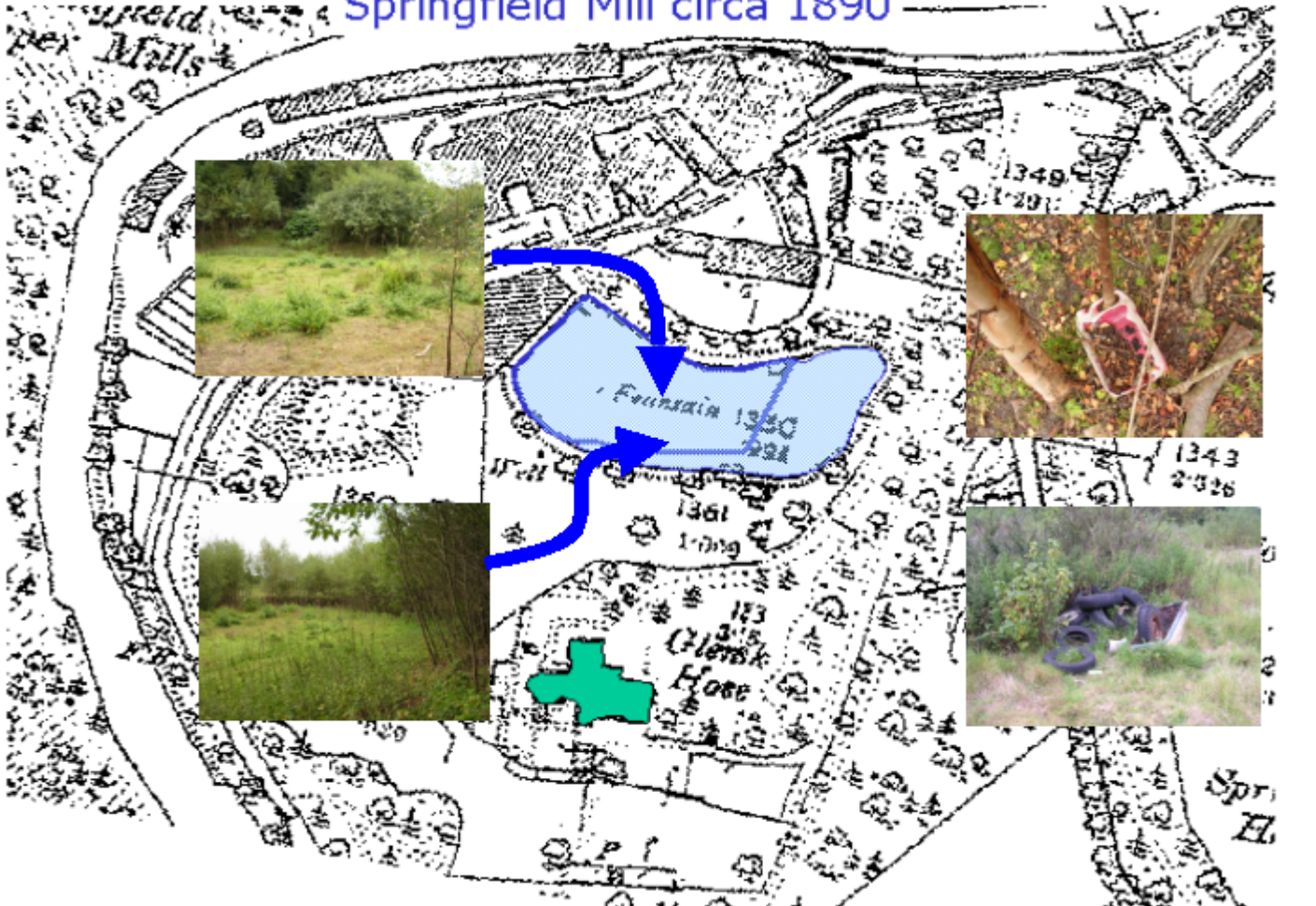


Springfield Mill Action Group

Late Summer 2003, progress so far this year

POND CLEARING: With Alan Hulme wielding a (fully qualified) chain saw, we set about clearing the old pond of many of the self-seeded trees. The good summer has

Springfield Mill circa 1890



meant the pond has dried out now, but in future water should be retained for longer in the year. The map and pictures tell the story – including how nature can perform some bizarre tricks – see the tree growing through the plastic container.

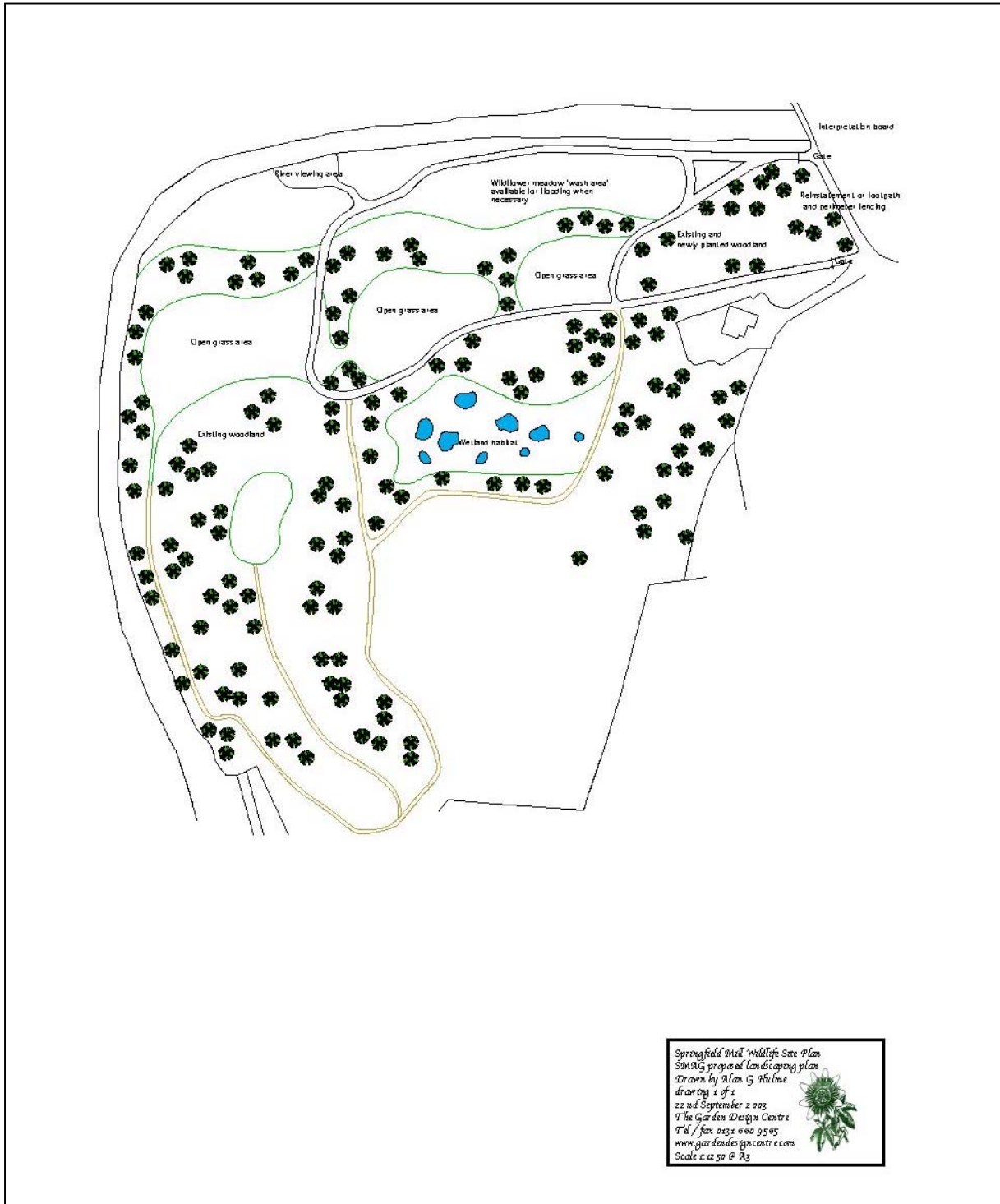
THE LAST BUILDING COMES DOWN: Midlothian council secured some

welcome funding to allow them to demolish the last building. Tim Tukes's photos capture the effect. If you want to see the whole process, visit <http://www.springtec.f9.co.uk/SMAG/building1.htm>



To find out what's next, please come to the AGM.

Pete Cain, Convenor



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 SHAG proposal landscaping plan
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