

# GREAT BURSTEAD

St Mary Magdalene

Two yews are recorded. The ancient tree had a girth of 4m 97cm at 30cm above the ground in 2022.















Notes from 2020.

At 1' above the ground at its narrowest, girth was 16' 3.5" or 4970mm on 14/12/20

Tree branches supported by 6 x Tubular supports, supporting 4 x Limbs.

2x Rubber mat type cushions have worked free from supports.

Two tubes have flat steel end plates bolted directly to tree tombs using coach bolts approx size 17mm.

The other 4 four metal support tubes have half moon type supports.

One of the Bolt type supports is bent and not taking any weight.

The base of the Yew tree is clear of weeds, the graves around the Yew tree have been cleared of dead branches, Ivy, Holly and any other type of bramble.

The Tree canopy seems healthy.

Below is a smaller girthed yew, recorded in 2021. It grows in the cemetery, about 100m SE of the church. Girth was 8' 1" (245cm) at 6" above the ground.

