

*Youngwilders*



Youngwilders exists to:

- (1) **Accelerate UK nature recovery**, and
- (2) **Centre young people** in the process and movement

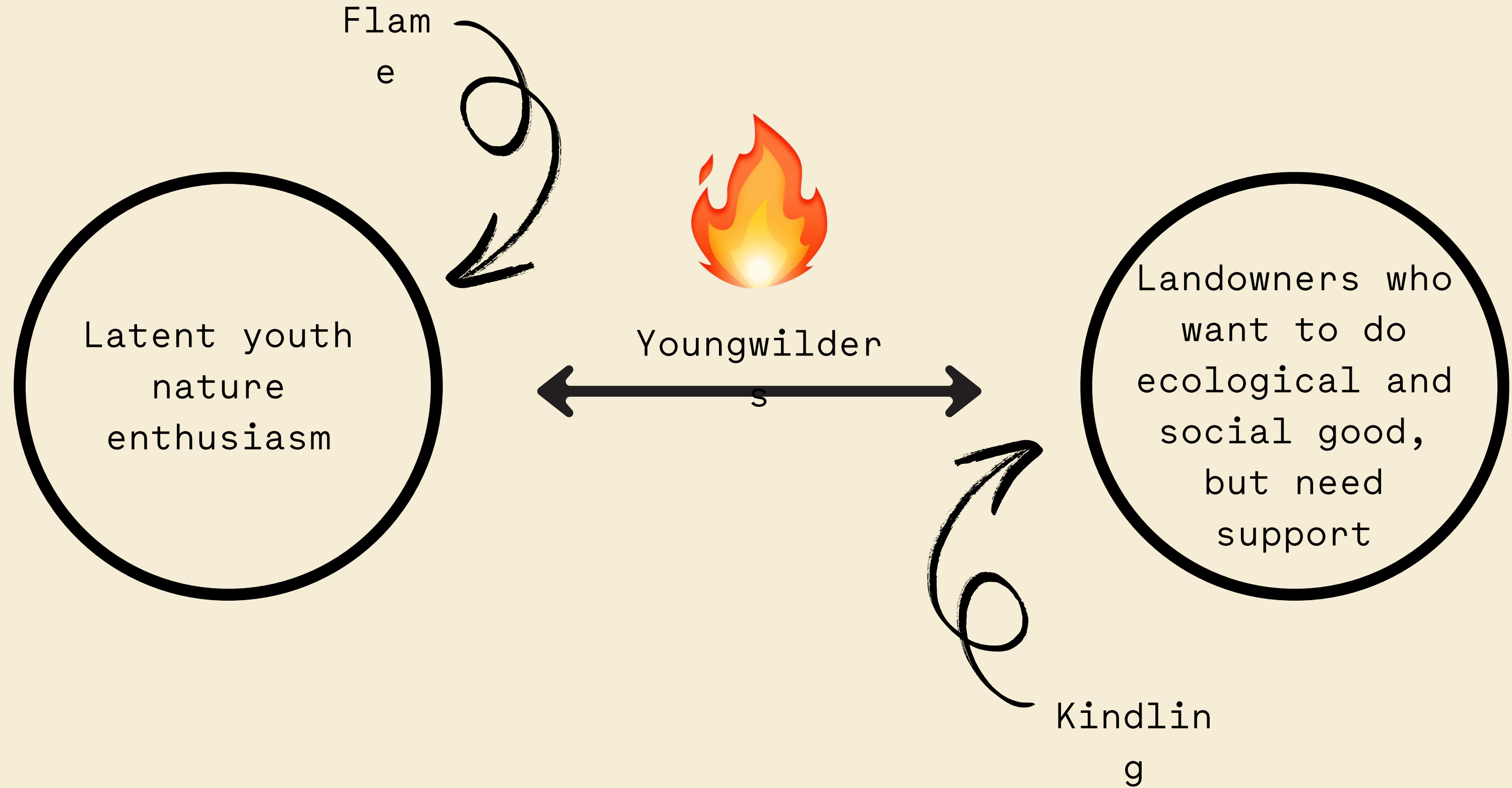
## **Critical Moment for Nature**

Britain is in the bottom 10% on earth for ecological intactness, and we're off track to achieve our targets.

## **No Future without Youth Buy-in**

73% of young people describe tackling climate change and environmental degradation as 'very important'. But less than 20% of young people in the UK feel our generation is being listened to on environmental issues.

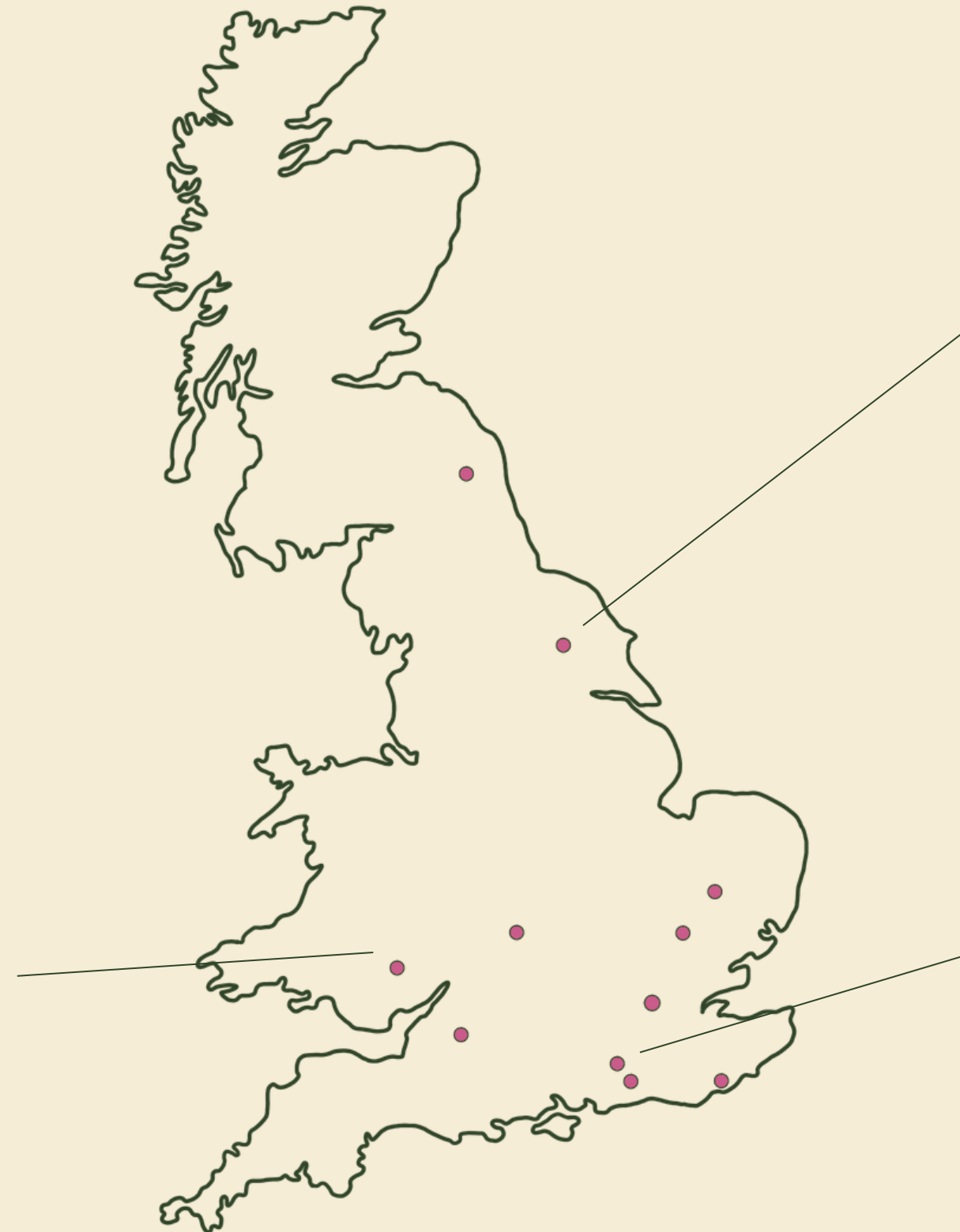




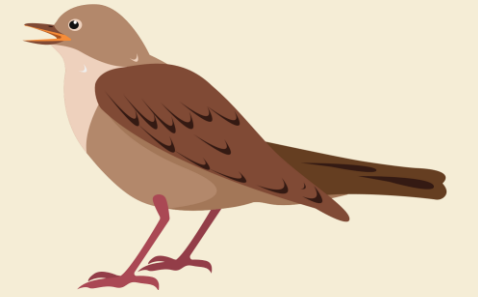


Since 2022, we have worked with over **1500 young people** to bring over **362 acres** of land into recovery

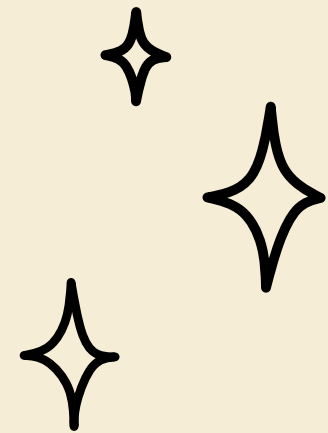
- **Over 1200** trees planted
- **Over 30** young people engaged in monitoring tree health on site



- **Over 50 acres** surveyed using UKHab with minimum Level 4 Classification
- **Two Wild Stewards** working on a management plan
- **300** young people engaged in in-person acts of care for nature
- **30 acres** of scrub creation
- **Over 1.2km** of fencing removed



Breeding pairs of nightingales have risen from **1 to 5**  
at our site in Sussex



**96% average keenness** to return to a Youngwilders  
event





## Short Term Actions

- Youth-led
- Weekend events
- Transport cover and support
- Education
- Pay
- Fun!





## Long Term Work

- Community buy in is critical for long-term care for nature
- Understand barriers
- Nurture relationships
- Co-create where possible

Are we brave enough to relinquish some control??



Molly



Meg



Jack



Noah



Koto



Elen



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