

The Tree Planting project was an attempt to break the existing world record for trees planted by hand by any number of people within a single hour which stands at 653,143.

A klaxon was sounded at 11am precisely, and everyone set to with vigour. The 500 trees Earley Town council had were planted well before the 12 Noon klaxon sounded.

The trees were a mixture of 125 hawthorn, 125 hornbeam and 250 hazel.

Our Mayor John Armstrong was there to ensure that everything was done by the rules.

There are photos on the Views of Earley on the Council web site and photos will duly appear on www.earleyenvironmentalgroup.co.uk and there will be an update on the number of trees planted nationally.

A great big Thank you goes to those people who gave up their time to help on Saturday morning