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Images from the walk to the waymarker tree.



The grass path passes a yew to its left, then turns uphill leftwards – away from the waymarker ‘fine yew’ and its partner rowan, located across deep bracken to the right.



Appraisal of the rough slope reveals many broadleaves and conifers surrounding the original waymarker yew. Different species have their own predestined lifecycle, determined by their DNA plus the ecological and environmental circumstances they exist within. This loose assembly of fellside trees is uneven-aged, meaning each individual is at a different stage in the timeline of its own lifespan – which is good news, in terms of perpetuating the expansion of this embryonic woodland.