Studying Trees:

All About Roots



Roots provide anchorage, storage and also water & mineral uptake.



Most roots are in the top 60cm of the soil & spread out roughly as far the height of the tree.



Where this tree has no support on R hand side it has laid down strong roots on L to hold it up.



Lighting a fire under a tree's canopy can damage the roots, seriously harming the tree.

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