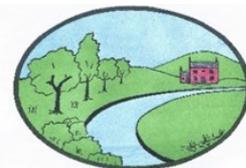




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LITTLE EATON NEWSLETTER

Friends of Little Eaton Canal



Earlier this year we met with Jean Booth again, the direct descendant of Benjamin Outram who was visiting family in the area and called into Little Eaton to specifically see how things had changed at the canal. She was delighted with the progress and wrote *"My husband and I were amazed that so much had been achieved in the 12 months since our first visit to the Canal"*.

Another welcome visitor from the village was Sarah Hammersley, one of the Leaders of the Beavers. She had never really been into the canal area and she wants to encourage the younger generation in the Beavers to get involved in nature and may be taking them to see "what they can spot and name" in the meadow along by the canal.

Speaking of the meadow we have had a recent survey done by Oliver Foulds of Derbyshire Wildlife Trust who has said *"the meadow is looking great!"* Oliver has said there are many key indicator species already present, quite remarkable for such a new meadow. As we all know our natural environment is under threat and anything we can do to redress the balance as individuals or in community groups is important to the bigger picture as well as in its own right.

Our butterfly bank is coming along and many of the British wildflower plants have taken well and are beginning to flower. One of the bird boxes we have put up in the trees was occupied almost immediately by a family of blue tits and we have put up a few bat boxes too. Our butterfly survey work is now in full swing and despite concerns about the drought last year having a negative effect on the butterfly population, our 2019 records are showing how resilient some of these delicate-looking creatures are.

We have received two grants recently, one each from East Midlands Butterfly Conservation and Foundation Derbyshire, for which we are very grateful. Sadly, despite our persistence, Highways England - a public agency - have ignored our many requests for a response to our bid to their Environmental Designation Fund which they encouraged us to make in respect of a partial offset to the damage that will be caused by the forthcoming upgrade of the A38, and in particular the construction of a large temporary depot which will require access from the B6179 and which will cut across Millennium Way and the canal.

Conversely, despite lack of funds and limited personnel, we had a very productive site meeting with the Countryside Division of Derbyshire County Council who fully support what we are trying to do. However, as custodians of the area we are not responsible for keeping footpaths clear or clearing fallen trees, aspects of drainage, which remain the responsibilities of DCC or their agents. In that regard, we are still trying to get the grass area mown to the south of Tomlinson's and have liaised with DCC, EBC and now the PC and this is still to be resolved.

So, a mixed bag of news here, but we are looking forward to the autumn when we can restart some work parties and undertake further litter clearance. In the meantime, we thank all those who have helped during the winter and spring and look forward to seeing you down there again later in the year.

If you would like to get involved or be on our supporters' mailings please contact Contact Susan Stone stonechristone@aol.com or Brenda Shore brendashore@talktalk.net
Facebook: Friends of Little Eaton Canal



Christmas light switch on by Santa
22nd November 6pm on the park





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Croft Corner and the various planters around the village have looked very colourful over the summer period. We cannot thank those people enough who have helped plant, water and tend the many and varied planters throughout the village. The flower bed outside the chemist which has shown signs of neglect since the new company running the chemist has decided not to sponsor it. As volunteers, LEIB, do not feel we can take on more responsibility for the upkeep of any more areas. At the time of writing, we have just raised our concerns about the poor state of this bed which is right in the centre of the village with the Parish Council who had paid for a one off tidy up earlier in the year. We have also put a company in touch with them who may be offering to sponsor and maintain it so we await to see the outcome and hope this can be restored to its former glory.

Our aim over the years has been to put in more sustainable planting in Croft Corner with less reliance on annuals. We feel we have achieved this for the most part with the annuals adding just the right splash of colour. However, we would love to see more flower basket sponsorship next year on the lamp posts in the village. Anyone can do this: individuals, families, businesses or community groups, a group of friends. It's a great different way to celebrate a special anniversary or remember a loved one. How bare it would look to lose these beautiful lamp-post adornments. So if you would like to sponsor a basket of flowers on a lamp-post next year can contact Erewash Borough Council for all the details and costs on 0115 907 2244 or by email: sponsorship@erewash.gov.uk There was a good turn-out in May for the village litter pick and was well supported by our local WI. So, a big thank you to them.

Like all community groups we are in need of more helpers so please get in contact to help us with the autumn planting. We are a friendly group and you do not need to commit much time and you do not have to be a gardening expert.

If anyone would like to help with the work involved keeping our village a lovely place to live, please contact : moirajhutchison@hotmail.com or brendashore@talktalk.net Little Eaton in Bloom Facebook

Civil parking enforcement (CPE)

Derbyshire County Council are responsible for the enforcement of parking restrictions in Derbyshire and manage enforcement across the county (excluding Derby city) in partnership with Erewash Borough Council. Civil enforcement officers (CEOs) have replaced traditional traffic wardens and enforce a range of restrictions. They manage the enforcement of on-street regulations. District and borough councils manage off-street enforcement (such as pay and display car parks). Moving traffic offences, such as contravention of an Access Only Order, remains a police responsibility as the CEOs do not have the power to stop vehicles. CEOs are responsible for enforcing:-

Limited waiting bays/double and single yellow lines/on street pay and display bays/residents' parking zones/
Blue Badge bays/loading bays/bus stops/taxi bays/school keep clears/clearways/dropped kerb access (also police)
double parking (also police)/pedestrian crossings (also police)/car parks (with orders)

The police are responsible for enforcing:-

Double white lines/obstruction – for example, pavements with no parking restrictions/dangerous parking where there are no restrictions in place, for example, on bends, brows of hills and junctions/dropped kerb access (also CEOs)
double parking (also CEOs)/one-way traffic/box junctions/access only/white-hatched areas/pedestrian crossings (also CEOs)

They have a limited number of CEOs and will identify problem areas so that resources can be targeted effectively. CEOs do not have targets to meet in regard to the issuing of Penalty Charge Notices (PCNs) and are not provided with incentives based on how many notices are issued. Money from fines is used to operate the service, with any surplus used to carry out improvements to parking and general traffic management.

Report Illegal Parking. Civil parking is not a reactive service and requests for enforcement will be scheduled into routine patrols, as and when resources allow. Due to the large number of reports we receive, requests by email are preferred. contactcentre@derbyshire.gov.uk Call Derbyshire tel: 01629 533190



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Little Eaton W.I.

Little Eaton WI members had a busy summer with preparations for the carnival and building our float "Strictly WI" which all our ladies were dressed in their dancing dresses accompanied by our judges. All our hard work paid off when we won 1st prize. Our concert by Eastwood Collieries' Male Voice Choir in May raised over £800 for our charities; this year are Friends of the Baby Unit (Derby) and The Beeches Perinatal Unit. We then continued our fundraising in August with a Barn Dance, the music and instruction was provided by The Treacle City Dance Band. Our Presidents attended the Padley Centre charity ladies' lunch in July to represent our WI. We were invited as we raised money for them in 2017.

We look forward to the autumn programme as the nights start to draw in...



We meet at the Village Hall **2nd Wednesday of each month** at 7:30pm

11th September Biometrics 3 by Paul Newsham

9th October A Crime Author by Stephen Booth

(This evening is open to all including husbands / partners / friends, donation of £3 per guest)

13th November 1970s Music by Alan Daunt

Friday 29th November – Charity Coffee Morning – see posters for details

Saturday 30th November – QUIZ AND CHIPS – Open to all - Previously organised by LECA

WI Book Club (for WI members) meets at The New Inn at 12:30pm on the following Tuesdays

10th September, 8th October & 12th November

The book choice for September is Small Island by Andrea Levy

Keep an eye on the village noticeboards for events, also Little Eaton Women's Institute Facebook page which has all our information and latest news.

Visitors are made most welcome to join us and can become a member at any time through the year.

For information contact; Presidents: Barbara Adams – 01332 832267, Lynne Siddons - 01332 834834, Sue Tulloch - 01332 832510 or Secretary: Jackie Elliott - 01332 831517.

Rights of way

What's over 3,000 miles long but countywide and free to use? The answer is Derbyshire's Rights of Way Network, made up of rights of way, bridleways and byways. Derbyshire County Council are legally obliged to protect and assert your rights to use the Rights of Way Network and to update the register of map modification applications (the legal record of rights of way for the county).

They deal with disputed routes, obstructions to paths, signing paths from roads, path maintenance, path structures (bridges, gates and stiles) and promoting the use of the network. To view rights of way in Derbyshire please visit the [Derbyshire mapping portal](#). View the [register of applications](#) for rights of way.

Rights of Way Enquires can be reported by using the following link:-

<https://www.derbyshire.gov.uk/leisure/countryside/access/rights-of-way/rights-of-way.aspx>





Village Hall Directory

www.littleeatonparishcouncil.org.uk/little-eaton-village-hall.html

Welcome to the Village Hall below is a list of activities you can enjoy. Any enquiries you may have should be sent to: bookings@littleeatonvillagehall.com or phone the Booking Clerk on 07805 053180 to arrange a viewing of the facilities. Booking forms can be printed directly from the website.

If you are planning a Wedding, Party or event Contact the Booking Clerk – We are here to help.

Any alterations to this Directory to be made to the Village Hall Committee.

Thomas Bates Hall (Upper hall)

Monday

Pilates Class

9.30am – 10.30am

Contact: Carmela D’Afflito 07973 921722

Singing for the Brain

Monthly: Time 1.30 pm – 3.30 pm

Telephone: 01332 208845 for dates.

Contact: Derbyshire@alzheimers.org.uk

Run by the Alzheimer’s Society for Derbyshire Dementia Support Group. This group uses singing to bring people with dementia together in a friendly and stimulating way. People with dementia, their friends and carers are also welcome to attend.

Hours available in the Thomas Bates Hall on Mondays 3.45 pm – 5.30 pm.

Adult Fitness Yoga

6.00pm – 7.30pm

Contact: Ailsa Waters – 01332 832914

Restless Soles

8.00 pm – 10.00 pm

Are a mixed Appalachian Dance Group who dance to Old Time American music. We practice on a Monday night Little Eaton village hall and perform at various events, including folk and morris events, throughout the year. We welcome new dancers and musicians to join us. Please contact Sara (07803137354) or Fiona (07951 910993) for further information.

Tuesday

Baby Sensory

9.00am – 2.30pm

Baby Sensory is a baby development class specially designed for babies from birth – 13 months.

Contact Claire: 07967 485855

e-mail: derbyeast@babysensory.co.uk

Hours available in the Thomas Bates Hall on Tuesday 3.00 – 6.45 pm

Tai Chi Classes

7.00pm – 9.00pm Health & Relaxation

7.00pm – 8.00pm Tai Chi Fan

8.00pm - 9.00pm Tai Chi

Contact: Carol Gasgoyne:

01332 833883 or 07920 080443

Lower Hall

Monday

The Village Pre-School OFSTED No. 206836 Rated ‘GOOD’ April 2016.

From September 2016 - open all day Monday - Friday Opens 9.00am – 3.30pm on Mondays. See below for other days.

All children welcome from age 2 years, free 15 hours funding for 2, 3 & 4 year olds. For more information call the manager – Sharon Self 07493 925900

Remember to book your place for September onwards. Free Taster Sessions available. Come along and join the fun. thevillagepre-school@hotmail.co.uk

The Village Pre-School

9.00am – 12.00

12.00 – 12.30 Lunch Club

12.30 – 3.30

Beaver Scouts

Boys & Girls aged 6 to 8 years

6.15pm – 7.15pm Contact Sarah Kohrs 01332 841965

Tuesday

The Village Pre-School

9.00am – 12.00

12.00 – 12.30 Lunch Club

12.30 – 3.30

Starstruck Music Academy

5.00pm – 6.00pm Contact Debbie 07971 687910

Website: www.starstruckmusicacademy.com

Hatton boxing for fitness - mixed class all abilities.

Tuesday 7.30 pm - 8.30 pm

Contact Alex 07817 337861 or Andy 07817 869277

Bootcamp now started.

Contact Alex for details 07817 337861

Thomas Bates Hall

Wednesday

Playball

Multi-sport programme for children aged 2 – 4 year old
10.00 am – 11.30am
Contact: Kyla Masden – 07935 600027
Website www.derby.playball.com

Twistin' Tots

Music classes for under fives
1.30pm – 2.30pm
Contact: Lisa Leach – 07988 602570
Email: lisaj1903@gmail.com

NEW CLASS Skipping, Boxing & Core Conditioning

Wednesday evening 5.30 pm – 6.30 pm £6 per person
Contact: Danny Forster 07946727602 or
email danny.forster08@gmail.com

Little Eaton Gardening Club

Monthly meeting every 1st Wednesday
7.00pm – 9.00pm (not during Summer)
Contact: Moira Hutchinson – 01332 831966

Little Eaton Women's Institute

Ladies meet on the second Wednesday of each Month
except August 7.30 pm.
Contact details: Jackie Elliott – Secretary 01332 831517

Little Eaton Parish Council

Monthly meeting normally every 4th Wednesday
7.30pm – 9.30pm
Clerk to the Parish Council, Laura Storey 07941 052009
e-mail: clerk@littleeatonparishcouncil.co.uk

Thursday

Little Eaton Women's Institute Keep Fit Class

10.00am – 11.00am
Contact: Sue Tulloch – 01332 832510

Hours available 12.30 pm – 5.30 pm

Circuit Training Classes

6.00pm – 7.00pm Contact: Ailsa Waters – 01332 832914

Zumba 7.15 pm – 8.15 pm. Fun filled workout using Latin based fitness rhythms with easy to following routines. Beginners always welcome. Contact details: Cathy – 07963 738137 or email Cathy.74@outlook.com.

Friday

Playball Multi-sport programme for children aged 2 – 4 year old 9.30am – 11.00 am
Contact: Kyla Masden – 07935 600027
Website www.derby.playball.com

Three Bears Cookery Club 1.00 pm – 3.00 pm
Details contact: Ruth Chubb 07973193362
www.threebearscookeryclub.com.

Youth Café 4.00 ypm – 6.00pm during term time
Get fed, play games, join in varied activities and have fun.
Volunteers always welcome.
Contact: Justine Reid – Justineareid@aol.com

Lower Hall

Wednesday

The Village Pre-School

9.00am – 12.00
12.00 – 12.30 Lunch Club
12.30 – 3.30

National Childbirth Trust

5.45pm – 7.45pm Contact Rebecca Cumming
01332 842036 or 07850 342866
e-mail: dropins@nct.org.uk

VINYASA FLOW YOGA

8.15 pm – 9.30 pm £7 drop-in (or £5.50 with a block booking). Come & join our super friendly group. Lose weight, improve flexibility, gain strength & stamina and most importantly have fun! All equipment provided, suitable for all levels
Contact Liz Bortoli 07733179773
holistichealthderbyshire@hotmail.com
www.holistichealthderbyshire.com

Thursday

The Village Pre-School

9.00am – 12.00
12.00 – 12.30 Lunch Club
12.30 – 3.30

Pilates Class

6.45pm – 9.00pm
Contact: Louise Oliver – 01332 603408
e-mail: info@highfield-clinic.co.uk

Friday

The Village Pre-School

9.00am – 12.00
12.00 – 12.30 Lunch Club
12.30 – 3.30

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Thomas Bates Hall

Friday

NEW CLASS – Sound Bath
Monthly – Starting Feb. 22nd 2019 – Doors open 7.15 pm Class starts at 7.30 pm – 9.30 pm
Cost: Per person £15 - Couples £25 including refreshments. A chance to Relax, Restore and Rejuvenate. Wear Comfortable Warm Clothing, bring Pillow, Blanket, Duvet, Yoga Mat so you can be warm and cosy. Performed by: Teresa Scarlett - 07866253059
Contact: www.celticdrumreiki.com or email: celticdrumreiki@hotmail.com

Saturday

Little Eaton Dance School

Fun dance classes, ballet, tap, modern jazz and acrobatic dance. – Children from 2 years old.
9.00am – 2.00pm Contact: Julie Law (IDTA, ABT, AMJ)
01332 835392 or 0734 2973166

Sunday

Adult Yoga

10.30am – 12.30pm
For dates contact: Fiona Ainsworth – 07957 887280
e-mail: Fiyoga22@btinternet.com

Framework Drum Circle

6.30pm – 8.30pm Drumming is good for your health.
Contact: Taryn Shrigley-Wightman – 01332 832922
For dates contact taryn@framework-circle.co.uk

Pre School

Congratulations and good luck to our rising 5's starting big school this September.

We are holding a open afternoon Saturday 21st September 2-4pm. Open to all, new friends and old. In the lower village hall, refreshments crafts, games, glitter tattoos and a reading corner.

Pre-School re opens in September after the holidays. We look forward to seeing you then.



Other Organisations frequently using the facilities

Little Eaton Diamonds Junior Football Club

Football for various age groups from under 7 to under 16.
Chairman: Stephen Rowlinson
Tel: [07747 486478](tel:07747486478)
Email: stephen_rowlinson@yahoo.co.uk
Website: www.ledfc.co.uk

Little Eaton Senior Football Club

Football for over 16s – 1st Team, Reserves and U18.
Chairman: Ben Pick
Tel: [07841 398049](tel:07841398049)
Email: benjamindpick@gmail.com
Website: www.pitchero.com/clubs/littleeatonfc

Premier Sport

Activities in the Village Hall for children during School Holidays

Little Eaton Produce Show

54th Annual Village Produce Show
Saturday 14th September 2019
Chairperson: John Easter 01332 880829
Secretary: Ness Reed 07974 101024
Treasurer: James Reid 07801 730598
leproduceshow@gmail.com

Little Eaton Carnival

Carnival Day – **30th June 2019**
Contact: Chairman – Steve Mann
e-mail: chairman@littleeatoncarnival.com
Vice-Chairman – Dave Howard
e-mail: vicechairman@littleeatoncarnival.com
www.littleeatoncarnival.com 07866 265804

Little Eaton Players

Amateur dramatic group staging several events a year.
Contact: Chairman – Steve Baines – 07970 969874
Secretary: - Rachel Holmes – 07966 767952
e-mail: littleeatonplayers@hotmail.co.uk

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In 2020, Little Eaton commemorate 95 years of Carnival within our wonderful village!

We believe that this memorable event deserves proper recognition and gives us an opportunity to invite the village community and valued local volunteer groups such as yours to consider how they might like to celebrate this special anniversary.

Ideally, we would like to identify local groups who are interested in organising special standalone events to help build momentum and excitement in a '**Countdown to Carnival 2020**'. While unfortunately we do not have the resources to run these events, we are able to help promote events and offer logistical support to bring some of these exciting ideas to life!. An example might be that a Group decide they would like to organise a children's tea party on the park.

In this case, the Carnival Team could help the Group to promote their event on social media, offer technical guidance and provide support in the form of gazebos, tents and other equipment along with a few extra volunteers to assist organisers run their special event.

With this in mind, we would ask you to give some thought to how your community group might like to join our 95th anniversary celebrations

As they say, it's time to start thinking of some exciting ideas for 2020!

Please forward your ideas/ plans to the Carnival Committee for consideration, so that we can review all the suggestions and hopefully come up with a shortlist of companion events that we believe are feasible to support in 2020.

(Closing date for entries **01/10/19** - Return email address havefun@littleeatoncarnival.com)

[Many thanks for your interest and we look forward to receiving your ideas in the near future](#)

Best Regards

Steve Mann

Chair - Little Eaton Carnival

<https://www.littleeatoncarnival.com/>



O.A.P. Hall, Barley Close Little Eaton

**The hall is available for hire Meetings, Birthday Parties etc
£10 per hour or regular users £8-50**

Monday Lunch Club 11-45am.

3rd Monday Film Club 12-30pm.

First Wednesday in month: Coffee Morning 10am. 2nd

4th Friday Various Outings 11-45am



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Derbyshire County Council Report It Facility

Derbyshire County Council are responsible for the Highways including:-

Potholes, road markings, kerb damage, loose chippings, obstructions and ironwork. Street lights/lamps, lit traffic signs and bollards.

They can also advise on flooding problems.

Ways to contact them:-

- www.derbyshire.gov.uk
- Call Derbyshire tel: 01629 533190.

Open from 8am to 8pm on Monday to Friday and from 9:30am to 4pm on Saturdays. Outside of these times they provide an out of hours service for some areas including social care.

You can also contact Call Derbyshire by text, fax or minicom:

- text: 86555
- fax: 01629 533269
- minicom: 01629 533240.



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News from the United Reformed Church in Little Eaton

Sunday 15th Sept. 3.00pm – Harvest Songs of Praise followed by a Harvest Tea

Service led by Revd. Julie Anne Heath

Sunday 22nd Sept. – 10.30am Service when Scouts will talk of their camping experience in France.

Sat. 12th Oct. – Apple Day, Games, Quizzes, Apple Diets, Food  Everything APPLE.

Sat. 23rd Nov. – Christmas Market 12.00 – 2.00pm Christmas Gifts, Tombola, Games & not forgetting Warm Pork or Turkey Cobs.

