

Community Update Autumn 2017



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Hello and welcome

to the Autumn 2017 edition of Community Update from the Brecon Beacons National Park Authority.

We very much hope you will enjoy catching up with work, news and stories from across the National Park.

If you would like to be placed on our mailing list or contribute to future editions, please be sure to contact the Communities Team via the A-Z of services at the end of this newsletter. This newsletter is also available online at http://www.beacons-npa.gov.uk/communities/community-newsletter/Many thanks.

John Cook Chief Executive Officer, Brecon Beacons National Park Authority.

Bringing our Heritage to Life

Learn more about the heritage of the Brecon Beacons National Park at the Heritage Day being held on Sunday 15 October at Theatr Brycheiniog, Brecon.

The day, held in celebration of the National Park's 60th Anniversary, will bring the past to life. Many think that the landscape of the Brecon Beacons is unspoilt and natural, but in fact it has been shaped and changed by people over many thousands of years. The legacies left can be seen in the diverse archaeological heritage, historic buildings and settlements, with a wealth of archaeology from prehistoric stone circles and burial chambers to Iron Age hillforts, Roman camps, medieval castles and the remains of an industrial past. The varied programme of talks and discussions will focus on some of these sites including the World Heritage Site at Blaenavon; Amelia Pannett from Cadw will talk about recording change and managing monuments within this important industrial landscape;



Ruth Coulthard from the Brecon Beacons National Park Authority will tell the story of the Glyn-Neath Gunpowder Works and its recent success in gaining Heritage Lottery Funding to secure the future of one of the most significant sites of industrial heritage in South Wales. Also featuring will be Mari Fforde from Hay Castle Trust who will update listeners on the project to restore and regenerate Hay Castle, allowing the public to enjoy full access across the site for the first time in over 800 years.

Further speakers will give an expert perspective on projects including the new Brecknock Museum, and the restoration by the Landmark Trust of the medieval hall house at Llwyncelyn near Llanthony.

The event is free but ticketed and will run from 9.30am to 4.30pm. For full programme details and to book tickets visit http://www.brycheiniog.co.uk/



The Party in the Park

On Sunday 30th of July around 600 people from across the Park joined National Park Authority staff and volunteers to celebrate the 60th Anniversary of the Brecon Beacons National Park. At the two venues, the National Park Visitor Centre near Libanus and Craig-y-nos Country Park, everyone joined in activities including 60th cupcake decorating, geocaching, pond dipping, walks with wardens, simulated caving and even the chance to view the night sky in the daytime in the Dark Sky Wales's Planetarium. At each site the occasion was marked with a speech followed by the cutting of a special anniversary cake which was then shared out. A fun day was had by all!

Help available to prevent falls and fractures

The Communities team at the National Park Authority have been working with health professionals to help raise awareness of the risk of falls, especially amongst older people who may be living in rural areas within the National Park.

Powys Teaching Health Board has a network of nurses, physiotherapists, pharmacists, occupational therapists and doctors who are working together with older people to reduce the risk of falls and fractures. There is also help to improve older people's health through home improvements to enable people to stay living at home safely and in comfort. Contact Care & Repair in Powys on 01686 620760 and ask for a Healthy Home Assessment.

Find out more at www.powysthb.wales.nhs.uk/falls-services

Wardens help Disabled Ramblers get out and about in the National Park

In July, the Disabled Ramblers group planned a series of six walks as part of a special Brecon Beacons tour. This was the second time the ramblers had visited the Beacons following on from a successful visit more than 10 years ago.

Wardens from the Brecon Beacons National Park Authority assisted on four of their walks —a climb up to Fan Frynach, a walk across Mynydd Illtyd to the hill fort, a trip up the old coach road from Libanus to



Storey Arms and an assault on Southern Britain's highest mountain, Pen y Fan, only thwarted by technical problems with one of the wheelchairs rather than enthusiasm!

The week was deemed a successful adventure by all and a wonderful opportunity for everyone involved to exchange ideas for other possible rambles in the future.

To learn more about the Disabled Ramblers and their walks in the Brecon Beacons go to http://disabledramblers.co.uk/

Conservation work at Allt Yr Esgair is a big success

Working in partnership with CADW, Natural Resources Wales and local farmers Richard & Helen Roderick, the Brecon Beacons National Park Authority wardens, staff and volunteers have been busy with conservation work on the spectacular hillfort, Allt Yr Esgair.



Trainee wardens, repairing fences.



Highland cattle, hard at work!

This large fort located on a ridge top between Talybont and Llangorse in the Usk Valley, is thought to date from the Iron Age period (c. 800 BC - AD 74) The site has never been subject to archaeological excavation, but study of the earthwork ramparts suggests that it may have had a long period of use and was potentially refortified several times. As well as being highly defensible, the site would have been a great symbol of power. Remote sensing technologies are helping us appreciate the complexity of these earthwork boundaries.

The visible surface provides clues as to how the hillfort functioned – but much more information about how the hillfort was used and developed will survive in the form of fragile buried archaeological features and deposits. For this reason, the site is legally protected to ensure its survival for present and future generations.

Over the years, the site has become more overgrown with bracken and trees. To tackle these problems, conservation work to clear a large area of woodland from the eastern side has been undertaken. Fences have been repaired by trainee wardens and a conservation grazing system put in place by the Rodericks using Highland Cattle to help prevent vegetation regeneration. These works will help protect the Allt and open up access and the far reaching views of the Usk Valley and the Brecon Beacons, improving the experience of this important site for residents and visitors alike.



Enthusiastic new members join the

National Park Authority

Following the local government elections in May, ten new members were appointed to the Brecon Beacons National Park Authority and an eleventh has just been announced. Members are the decision makers for the Authority and are either councillors from the seven Local Authorities within the National Park or are appointed by the Welsh Government.

Without exception, the new members were keen to be appointed and bring a commitment and enthusiasm that is really encouraging, along with a wide range of experience and skills. They have recently taken part in a full induction programme, developed and delivered to a high standard by National Park staff. The feedback from the induction has been very positive and members have welcomed the opportunity to meet officers and learn about the work they do.

To read more about the new members go to: https://governance.beacons-npa.gov.uk/mgMemberIndex.aspx?bcr=1



Diamond People Exhibition

The Brecon Beacons National Park is a place of great beauty and great people. To celebrate 60 years since the Park's designation in 1957, the Brecon Beacons National Park Authority commissioned local photographer Billie Charity to take the portraits of some of those people that make the Park the special place it is today. See events page for dates and venues.

Awdurdod Parc Cenedlaethol Bannau Brycheiniog Brecon Beacons National Park Authority

Rural skills courses benefit community groups

Groups from across South Wales are learning new skills in the National Park through courses delivered by the National Park Authority's Sustainable Communities team.

These Rural Skills courses are accredited by Agored Cymru and include learning practical woodland skills, conservation skills, tree identification, wildlife surveying and experiencing outdoor activities. Organisations such as Gwalia (housing support), Brecon and District MIND and Merthyr Housing have obtained funding for the courses.

Delyth Thomas of Gwalia said: "The grant awarded to us by the Big Lottery Fund enables us to carry out this project in partnership with the Brecon Beacons National Park Authority which will hopefully enable clients to take up volunteering placements and promote social entrepreneurs."

Any community groups interested in the Rural Skills project should contact Francesca Bell, Community Development Officer at francesca.bell@beacons-npa.gov.uk or ring 01874 624437

Participants from Gwalia on the Practical Woodland Skills course.





Gunpowder Works project under starters orders!

Our very own Gunpowder Plot has finally paid off! After three years of detailed planning, the Heritage Lottery Fund has awarded funding to conserve and celebrate the ruins of one of the Park's heritage treasures.

This \pounds Im project is one of the largest conservation projects the Brecon Beacons National Park Authority has ever undertaken and its aims are to save the perilous ruins of the former Glynneath Gunpowder Works at Pontneddfechan and also work to restore the natural woodland in an area internationally famed for its biodiversity. During the project there will be plenty of opportunities to get involved and view the work being carried out.

For latest news and more information visit http://www.beacons-npa.gov.uk/communities/current-projects or email explosivetimesproject@beacons-npa.gov.uk.



Meet Martin Coleman - the new Volunteer Development Officer

Martin Coleman has joined the National Park Staff as the new Volunteer Development Officer. Martin is from Derbyshire where he started learning Welsh and is now fluent! Martin is very pleased to relocate to Wales and to be surrounded by the Welsh language.

Volunteers play a vital role in the running of the National Park. In the last year over ten thousand hours were contributed to the maintenance, enjoyment and improvement of the area by a wide range of volunteers, going out in all weather conditions. While much of the volunteer activity is practical outdoor work there are also opportunities for the less active or those who don't like getting wet. If you have an interest in history, heritage or the local environment, there may be an opportunity for you.

If you are able to commit to a minimum of 10 days a year, Martin will try to find a placement for you. Please contact him on 01874 620451 or martin.coleman@beacons-npa.gov.uk

National Geologists' Conference to visit Fforest Fawr Geopark

Fforest Fawr Geopark is proud to play host this autumn to a visit by delegates from the Geologists' Association who, for the first time in several years, are having their annual conference in Wales. They meet on 21st/22nd October at the National Museum, Cardiff. Along with the Gower, the Geopark will be hosting a conference field visit on the Sunday. After a welcome at the future Geopark hub at Craig-y-nos Country Park, delegates will be introduced to the geology and industrial archaeology of the Cribarth and Penwyllt.

More information on this prestigious event is on the Geopark website at www. fforestfawrgeopark.org.uk/education-research/ga-2017-excursion/

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Select your perfect walk in Waterfalls Country

An innovative information panel has been created to help visitors in Waterfalls Country select a walk to match their ability and expectation leading to an enjoyable day out.

The colour coded walk selector identifies how exciting the walk is, how busy it gets and its length and terrain. It features on a unique new panel in Pontneddfechan village that was specifically designed to complement the modern design of the existing public conveniences in the centre of the village- a popular setting off point when exploring Waterfalls Country.

The panel will enable visitors to select a suitable route, know how to get there, where to park and the location of the nearest facilitates. The panel also includes messages about staying safe, what to do in an emergency and enjoying Waterfalls Country sustainably.

It is part of a number of improvements to the visitor experience in Pontneddfechan that the National Park Authority has made in partnership with Neath & Port Talbot Council and Natural Resources Wales.

Other improvements include painting the wording on the entrance gates to the Elidir trail as well as information promoting the audio trail and introducing the legend of Elidir and Gwladus.



The new panel outside the public toilets, Pontneddfechan

Brecon High School pupils launch gas pipeline publication

Nine pupils from Brecon High School have launched a new publication, 'A Line Through Time', during a special school assembly.

The booklet is full of information about the archaeological discoveries made during the installation of the gas pipeline that goes through the Brecon Beacons National Park. The pupils were joined by Nigel Blackamore, Senior Curator at Brecknock Museum & Art Gallery who brought along a 4000 year old halberd, one of the rarest finds recovered during the pipeline construction work at a ring ditch near Trecastle. Pupils from years seven and eight worked with Authority staff to research and put together an engaging presentation.

Mr R Broadbridge, Headteacher at Brecon High School who attended the assembly said: "Giving pupils the opportunity to learn about the history of the place in which they live and encouraging them to share those learnings has been a rewarding experience for all involved."

National Park Authority Historical & Cultural Heritage Member Champion, Mr Julian Stedman commented; "I am pleased that the discoveries from the installation of the pipeline have now been published and are available to everyone in this illustrated booklet. A lot of communities within the National Park are curious

about what was discovered during the works and it is important that this historical information is now accessible to them."

Copies of the booklet are available at the National Park Visitor Centre near Libanus, Craig-y-nos Country Park and the National Park Head Offices in Brecon whilst stocks last. They are also free to view and download from Cotswold Archaeology's website http://www.cotswoldarchaeology.co.uk/publications-2/popular-publication/llinell-amser-a-line-through-time/

Brecon High School pupils launching the new booklet



Brecon Beacons, Myths & Legends

Brecon Beacons, Myths & Legends can be purchased online at www.beacons-npa. gov.uk/shop, at the National Park Visitor Centre near Libanus, Abergavenny TIC, Llandovery TIC as well as other local and independent booksellers. Each story has a short walk to go with them, allowing you to follow in the character's footsteps, deep into the hills of Wales.

The walks are featured on www.breconbeacons.org.

Local Development Plan review to start in December

The National Park Authority has a Local Development Plan (LDP) which sets out policies and proposals to guide development in the National Park, whilst also protecting the Park's high quality environment. The current LDP was adopted in 2013 and the Authority is due to commence a review of the LDP in December 2017. One of the first things to do is to prepare a 'Delivery Agreement' with the Welsh Government. The Delivery Agreement will establish a timetable for the review of the LDP and will be published on the Authority's website as soon as it is adopted, hopefully in early 2018.

If you would like more information on the LDP review process, please contact Strategy@beacons-npa.gov.uk or call 01874 620431.

Geocaching is a big hit with pupils visiting the National Park

Geocaching is one of the most popular activities this year for schools on an educational visit with the Park Authority's Education Team.

The pupils embark on a 'technological treasure hunt' using the GPS units provided, which work like a SatNav to lead them to small boxes of 'treasures' known as caches. There are geocaching trails at the three education centres- the National Park Visitor Centre, Craig-y-nos Country Park and YHA Danywenallt Residential Centre and the activity is often combined with map and compass skills in the National Park Explorers course.

Hayley Sharp, Education Officer said:" Pupils really enjoy hunting for caches and learning how to use the GPS units. Also this activity contributes to the Digital Competence element of the curriculum that all schools are now covering and they experience and learn about the National Park along the way!"

For further information on this and other courses see http://www.beacons-npa.gov.uk/learning/ or ring the Education team on 01874 624437



Geocaching on Mynydd Illtud

Your opinion needed for the Rights of Way Improvement Plan

The National Park Authority has commenced the process of reviewing the Rights of Way Improvement Plan (ROWIP) for the Brecon Beacons National Park. The Plan was first produced in 2007 and was the only Plan in Wales to be produced by a National Park Authority. It covers the footpaths, bridleways and restricted byways within the National Park.

The legislation requires that the review involve the following assessments:

- the extent to which local rights of way meet the present and future needs of the public;
- the opportunities provided by local rights of way for exercise and other forms of open air recreation and the enjoyment of the area;
- the accessibility of local rights of way to blind or partially sighted people and others with mobility problems.

The review must also:

- evaluate the degree to which the previous ROWIP has been delivered;
- evaluate the present condition of the network and its record;
- investigate opportunities to contribute towards Active Travel and Well-being objectives and to the delivery of other plans and priorities.

A copy of the current plan is available here:

http://www.beacons-npa.gov.uk/environment/planning-access-and-row/rights-of-way-improvement-plan/

The Authority will be undertaking a number of consultations over the summer and autumn and will endeavour to consult as many people and organisations as possible. If you would like to be involved please contact row@beacons-npa.gov.uk or 01874 624437. As the Plan will set the direction of the National Park Authority's management of the rights of way and access provision for the next 10 years, your input and opinion is crucial to the process.

Reporting Rights of Way Issues

You can report any issues regarding our rights of way such as damage to footpaths, stiles or fingerposts to our Rights of Way Officer, Eifion Jones

eifion.jones@beacons-npa.gov.uk or call 01874 620452

Planning Surgery

This is available for advice on householder developments every Wednesday from 9.30-12.00 am and 1.30-3.00 pm at the National Park Offices, Brecon.

Appointments are available in 30 minute slots and must be booked in advance.

To make an appointment or for any general planning enquiry, please call 01874 620431

Sustainable Development Fund Enquiries

For further information and advice about the Fund please contact either:

Helen Roderick or Ceri Bevan on 01874 620471

Email

helen.roderick@beacons-npa.gov.uk ceri.bevan@beacons-npa.gov.uk

2017 Grant application deadlines:

- 8th November
- 18th December.

Uplands Volunteers go balsam bashing

The National Park Uplands Volunteers are actively supporting the Ecology team in the control of Himalayan Balsam on Cwm Bwchel in the Black Mountains.

Himalayan Balsam is an invasive species which has managed to establish itself along the pathway leading down to the stream. It is an extraordinary plant and extremely successful in its ability to thrive to the detriment of other native species which it outcompetes for space, light and pollinators. As part of the ongoing conservation work, the Upland Volunteers have started a 3-year programme to help with



control of the Himalayan Balsam at Cwm Bwchel by either pulling the plant from the ground before it sets seed or from cutting it at its base. The work is hard although rewarding – seeing a patch that you have cleared fills you with a sense of pride, knowing that you have prevented several thousand seeds from germinating.

The Upland Volunteers have an extensive work programme working Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays carrying out essential upland path maintenance and conservation work in the Black Mountains and Central Beacons. If you wish to join a very friendly and highly motivated group, please contact our Volunteer Development Officer, Martin Coleman on 01874 620451 martin.coleman@beacons-npa.gov.uk or Jason Rees, Project Coordinator 07854 997 550 jason.rees@beacons-npa.gov.uk

Sustainable Development Fund Grants now available

If your community is within or on the borders of the National Park and has an idea for a project which supports sustainability, find out more on http://www.beacons-npa.gov.uk/communities/sustainability-2/substainable-development-fund/ . See also details on the side panel.

The following projects were recently successful in obtaining grants:-

- Big Pit Apprenticeship Scheme The grant
 will support the appointment of two new
 apprentices at Big Pit, vital to ensuring the long
 term viability of the underground experience.
 The apprentices will be taught mining skills, learn
 all about the health & safety at the mine and be
 able to guide the tours, giving visitors a realistic
 glimpse of life as a miner.
- Brecon Town Manager support is being given to Brecon Chamber of Trade to assist with the regeneration of the town utilising the skills of a town centre manager.
- Our People's Future the grant is supporting Severn Wye Energy Agency to run this sustainable energy project across schools within or on the boundary of the National Park. The aim is to reduce each school's energy use and offer young people the chance to learn transferable skills, gain a greater awareness of environmental issues and the range of employment opportunities within the 'green economy'.
- Calon Cymru is being supported to coordinate information & organise business between Calon Cymru and the villages and towns along the

- Heart of Wales line. Calon Cymru network is a community interest company focused on sustainable rural regeneration.
- Criw Craggy, the Friends of Craig-y-nos, are being supported to undertake Royal Horticultural Society training in order to maintain, develop and improve the facilities, learning and outreach opportunities at the Country Park.
- Brecon Jazz Legends, led by Brecon Jazz Club is being supported to chart the history of the festival since its inception. The community will be invited to give feedback on the festival and its future.
- Brecon Volunteer Bureau has been helped to set up Brecon Repair café to encourage people to learn how to fix their belongings rather than throw them away in order to reduce waste, maintain repair skills and to strengthen social cohesion.
- Hay Markets Ltd have been supported to stage the Brecon Food Festival to give local food producers a festival platform to offer their produce.

Need a meeting room in Brecon?

We have the following available for hire:

- Conference Room
- Video Conference Room
- Members Room

Catering available
For details contact
01874 624437 or check
http://www.beacons-npa.gov.uk/
the-authority/hire-a-room/

Community Marquee Available

The Community Marquee loan scheme offers groups, schools, charities and other nonprofit organisations within the National Park the opportunity to use the 20'x 30' Community Marquee at their local events. A donation is requested.

For booking forms please contact Ceri Bevan on 01874 620471 or ceri.bevan@beacons-npa.gov.uk

Webcasts

All the Authority's meetings are available to view via our webcasts microsite.

To find out more visit:

http://www.beacons-npa.gov.uk/the-authority/webcasting/

Events late August to December 2017

For an extended list and further details of activities and events in the National Park please visit http://www.breconbeacons.org/events



Events at the National Park Visitor Centre

Tickets can be booked through the website given above or by contacting the Visitor Centre on 01874 623366

26th to 28th August

Summer Fayre and Go Outdoors Tent Show

Local food, arts and crafts, children's activities and live music. 10am -5pm.

9th and 10th September

Safety on the Hills / Bronze NNAS Navigation course

Price: £115 per person ~ spaces limited. Booking essential. 9am-5pm

7th and 8th October

Safety on the Hills / Bronze NNAS Navigation course

Details as above

14th October

Star Gazing Event

Tickets £9. Booking essential. 6.30 pm

11th and 12th November

Safety on the Hills / Bronze NNAS Navigation course.

Details as above.

8th December

Geminid Meteor Shower Stargazing Event

Tickets £15 - includes soup and a roll. Booking essential. Start 7 pm

Our Visitor Centre and Country Park are open every day of the year except Christmas Day. Free entry but parking charges apply.

National Park Visitor Centre (Mountain Centre)

Libanus, Nr Brecon LD3 8ER

- Information
- · Tea Rooms and restaurant
- Craft shop
- Toilets
- · Room Hire

Tel: 01874 623366 npvc@beacons-npa.gov.uk http://www.breconbeacons.org/12_ visitor_centre

Craig-y-nos Country Park

Pen-y-cae, Swansea Valley SA9 1GL

 Changing Seasons Tea Rooms and Restaurant

Tel: 01639 731498

- Disabled toilet with baby changing facility open 24hrs
- Room hire
- Exhibition space
- Craft centre
- Glass studio
- Photography studio and courses

Tel: 01874 624437 enquiries@beacons-npa.gov.uk http://www.breconbeacons.org/6_craig_y_nos

Events at Craig-y-nos Country Park

16th September

Storytelling Festival

Stories, music, circus and lots more for the whole family. *I 0am-8 pm. £5 adults, Children free.* For more information see https://www.facebook.com/criwcraggy/

Dog Training workshops

3rd September 'Put the Wag Back in the Walk' 10 am-3 pm, £50
30th September 'Barkers and Lungers Anonymous' 10am-3pm, £65

8th October Man Trailing 10am-3pm, £40
Contact:Theresa on dogwarts.wales@gmail.com.Tel: 01874 636785

Brecon Beacons Heritage Day (see page 1)

15th October Theatr Brycheiniog, Brecon. 9.30am-4.30pm.

Free entry. Booking essential.



Diamond People Exhibition (see page 3)

Touring dates and venues.

All are free to enter but please check opening times before visiting.

To 28th August Brecon Library Gallery

Ist September – 27th September Black Mountain Centre, Upper Brynaman

30th September – 29th October Welfare Hall, Ystradgynlais (viewing by appointment only)

30th September – 29th October Riverside Gallery, Ystradgynlais
 2nd November – 19th November Theatr Brycheiniog, Brecon

20th February – 13th March Crickhowell Resource and Information Centre



Your Authority A-Z

Your helpful guide to contacting the Authority for information or services

Service or Team	Lead Contact/Officer	Contact Details	Telephone N°
General Enquiries National Park Authority Headquarters, Brecon	Reception	enquiries@beacons-npa.gov.uk	01874 624437
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Fforest Fawr Geopark	Alan Bowring	alan.bowring@beacons-npa.gov.uk	01874 620415
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Information Technology	Paul Funnell	paul.funnell@beacons-npa.gov.uk	01874 620459
National Park Visitor Centre 'The Mountain Centre' Libanus	Information Officers	npvc@beacons-npa.gov.uk	01874 623366
Planning Services Administration	Jane Pashley	planning.enquiries@beacons-npa.gov.uk	01874 620422

Brecon Beacons National Park Authority

Plas y Ffynnon, Cambrian Way Brecon, Powys LD3 7HP http://www.beacons-npa.gov.uk/

www.breconbeacons.org

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There are now even more ways to keep up to speed with all the latest news and information from the National Park Authority you can



Keep up to date with our tweets at @BreconBeaconsNP or our Wardens Team at @BBParkWarden



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See our Youtube Channel Videos www.youtube.com/user/ BreconBeaconsNPA



Our Instagram feed is www.instagram.com/breconbeacons

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