

THE POWER OF WELL BEING

The 'Power of Well Being' is the informal name given to a statutory power which enables local Councils to do anything which it considers likely to achieve the promotion or improvement of the economic, social or environmental well being of their area. This came into force in June 2008 and a Council must achieve a list of eligibility criteria before being able to exercise the power. The Town Clerk, Mrs Laura West has achieved the necessary qualification to fulfil the criteria as prescribed in the Parish Councils (Power to Promote Well-Being) (Prescribed Conditions) Order 2008 and the Town Councillors are currently undergoing their training.

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Heanor & Loscoe Town Council

NEWSLETTER - Issue 13

WELCOME to Heanor & Loscoe Town Council's NEWSLETTER.
This newsletter is produced to keep you informed about what your
Town Council is doing. Copies are available from several sites within
the area including Heanor & Loscoe Town Council Office, Loscoe Post
Office and Heanor Library.

OFFICIAL OPENING OF OUTDOOR GYM EQUIPMENT



Councillor Bob Janes tries out new outdoor gym equipment

-DIARY DATES-

Heanor & Loscoe
Town Council
meetings are held
in the Town Hall
at 7.00pm on the
first Thursday
of every month
ALL WELCOME

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Outdoor Gym Equipment

Heanor Town Councillors Bob Janes and Ken Armstrong have, on behalf of the Town Council, successfully achieved funding from Derbyshire County Council's Communities Priorities Programme, to erect an Older Person's Playground on ground adjacent to Heanor Welfare Centre on Wilmot Street, Heanor.

The 'playground' consists of a variety of outdoor gym equipment. It has been sited adjacent to the single story Heanor Welfare Centre and existing children's play area and playing field.

Heanor and Loscoe Town Council are landlords of the Welfare Centre and already many of the Centre user groups are venturing out to use the new equipment. The Town Council are very excited about the equipment and its potential for encouraging social interaction whilst tackling the problems of obesity and inadequate physical activity, and providing a facility for rehabilitation following injury/illness.



Mr Terry Whittaker, Chairman of Heanor 50+ Forum and member of Derbyshire Older Peoples Advisory Group (DOPAG), is a regular user of the new facility and very enthusiastic about the equipment. Mr Whittaker said " The new gym equipment is a fantastic free facility, I use it on a regular basis to help maintain my fitness as a Football Association referee.



Sherwood Foresters Western Front Memorial

In the Autumn of 2008 the Town Council gave a small financial contribution toward the provision of a war memorial to over 11,000 men of the Sherwood Foresters regiment who died on the Western Front between 1914 and 1918. The official unveiling of the memorial took place on Saturday 24th October 2009 at the Tyne Cott Commonwealth War Graves Commission Cemetery near Ypres. Town Mayor Bob Janes and his consort Jenny Janes were delighted to be invited to attend the ceremony and lay a wreath on behalf of the Town Council.

Audit Commission - External Auditor's Report

Annual Return financial year end 31/03/09

The Audit Commission audits the Town Council's finances annually.

The Audit Commission's report for the 2008-09 financial year stated that: -

'On the basis of our review, in our opinion the information contained in the annual return is in accordance with the Audit Commission's requirements and no matters have come to our attention giving cause that relevant legislation and regulatory requirements have not been met.'

Annual Xmas 'Switch On' Event

Heanor and Loscoe Town Mayor Bob Janes 'Switched On' this year's Christmas Lights at 6pm on Monday 7th December 2009. The crowds joined members of Heanor Operatic and Ilkeston Brass Band singing Christmas Carols. This year also saw a special performance by Howitt Community Choir. Activities for the evening comprised of over 30 Charity and Business Stalls on the Market Place, fairground rides, Pinxton Puppets, Santa Claus and a fantastic Firework Finale display at 8.15pm. Despite the weather, the evening was a great success and the Town Council would like to thank everyone who came along and gave it your support.

Red River Nature Reserve



Heanor & Loscoe Town Council's only nature reserve, Red River Local Nature Reserve at Loscoe, has had a makeover thanks to funding from Derbyshire County Council's Community Priorities Programme. The Friends of Red River Group, who maintain the site between St Luke's Church and Charles Hill playing fields, were awarded the grant to refurbish the footpath to make it accessible to all. The improvements are part of a plan to encourage the community to visit the site and enjoy its wide variety of plants and wildlife.

David Burrows, Chairman of the Group said: "We welcome the County Council's interest in the site, and would like to see the local community use the site more, and perhaps have some fun helping us maintain it". Details of how to help are listed on the notice board at the site's entrance, or phone 01773 533050 for more information.



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| Benefits, Council Tax, Car | TC Office |
| Parking, Bus passes etc | AVBC |
| Bus Shelters | H<C |
| Christmas Lights | AVBC |
| Dog Wardens | DCC |
| Education | AVBC |
| Environmental Health | AVBC |
| Footpaths | DCC |
| Highways | AVBC |
| Leisure Centres | AVBC |
| Planning Permission | AVBC |
| Refuse Collection | AVBC |
| Registration of Births, Deaths & Marriages | AVBC |
| Street Cleaning/Toilets | AVBC |
| Street Lighting | DCC |
| War Memorials | AVBC |

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Town Hall, Ripley, Derbyshire
Tel: 01773 570222

AVBC - Council Tip - 01773 716629

DCC - Derbyshire County Council
County Hall, Matlock DE4 3AG
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VICTIM SUPPORT

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