



Community update

Spring 2017



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Hello and welcome

to the Spring 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.

New partner for Brecon Beacons National Park Visitor Centre

Aramark Limited have been selected through an open tender to run the café and tea rooms at the National Park Visitor Centre, Libanus from 1 April 2017.

All the existing staff will be employed by the new provider, which will ensure that the café continues to deliver the excellent service visitors are accustomed to. Aramark are starting a £50,000 spend to improve the facilities and appearance of the café. Marie Healy, Business Development Manager at Aramark said:

"We are very excited to win this contract. We believe we can add real value to the ambience and to the food offering at the tearooms so that they will want to come back again and again. We look forward to welcoming everyone in April!"

Platform One, a local group of craft producers, has been running a craft and gift shop over the winter and the Authority has confirmed that this partnership will continue into 2017. The events programme will also continue with stargazing events, Cotswold tent shows, navigation events, children's activities and the well-loved Summer Fayre over the August Bank Holiday. In addition, residents and visitors can find out more about the National Park and its attractions from the information area.



YHA Brecon Beacons Danywenallt gains Platinum Eco-centre Award

Our partner, YHA Brecon Beacons Danywenallt near Talybont reservoir, has been awarded the Eco-centre environmental award at the highest level from Keep Wales Tidy. Similar to the Eco-schools scheme, the hostel and education centre has to show continued environmental improvement.

In partnership with the YHA, National Park education staff have worked over the last ten years on wildlife monitoring, habitat creation and sustainable practices such as the reduction of energy and water consumption and waste.

Through educational experiences led by National Park education staff, many school children have contributed by taking part in wildlife surveys and learning more about being environmentally friendly.

Julie Giles of Keep Wales Tidy said: "The impact on visitors and encouragement of caring for the environment over the years is a fantastic achievement of which the Centre should be proud. Well done."

For further information on educational visits to Danywenallt and other National Park Authority centres see: <http://www.beacons-npa.gov.uk/learning/learning-centres/>
Tel: 01874 624437

A double win at UK National Parks Volunteer Awards for Brecon Beacons National Park volunteers



Members of the Gurkha community working on a footbridge near Fenni Fach.

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The winners of the UK National Parks Volunteer Awards have been announced and for the Brecon Beacons National Park it's a double celebration. Volunteer Joe Minihane won the Individual award category and the Nepalese Community Footpath Group were Group category award winners. The annual awards give recognition and thanks to all the volunteers who work hard, helping protect the special landscapes of Britain's 15 National Parks each year.

Individual award winner, Joe Minihane, has been volunteering for the Brecon Beacons National Park Authority for around 18 months. In that time Joe has undertaken a wide range of volunteer roles including practical work, carrying out footpath repairs and ground maintenance as well as leading on a project with a local MIND Eco group at the National Park Visitor Centre.

Group award winners, the Nepalese Community Footpath Group, were recognized for the incredible work they carried out in Brecon. The path they restored, now officially named 'The Gurkha Path', leads from Brecon Promenade to Fenni Fach. It was restored over six months by the Gurkha community who wanted to do something in response to the extraordinary generosity shown by the people of Brecon after the earthquake devastated Nepal.

A special mention must go to the Brecon and District MIND Eco-Volunteers who were shortlisted for an award. They have undertaken projects in and around the Park including bee-friendly planting and managing the wildlife garden at the National Park Visitor Centre. They have also gained Agored Cymru accreditation by attending Rural Skills courses run by the National Park Communities Team and will be attending more courses over the coming year to improve their knowledge and skills.

To find out more about volunteering with the Brecon Beacons National Park Authority, visit www.beacons-npa.gov.uk/the-authority/volunteering/ or contact Jackie Thomas, Volunteer Development Officer jackie.thomas@beacons-npa.gov.uk Tel: 01874 620451

Upland Volunteers required for important conservation work

The Brecon Beacons National Park Authority is extending the activities of the extremely popular Upland Path Volunteers who committed over 3200 hours of volunteer time last year.

In addition to maintenance and repair of the upland paths within the Brecon Beacons, the group is adding two more Wednesday work parties per month. The volunteers will help restore internationally important habitats within the Black Mountains and also improve access by clearing vegetation. If you are interested, please visit the Authority website or contact Jackie Thomas, Volunteer Development Officer: (details above)

Uplands volunteers restoring a path in the Black Mountains



YHA Brecon Beacons Danywenallt

Development of Place Plans in the National Park

You may remember a previous article about Hay-on-Wye and Crickhowell developing Place Plans for their area.

These plans are developed through community consultation and set a five-year action plan looking at what the towns need to help them develop sustainably into the future. We are pleased to tell you that Hay-on-Wye had their plan adopted as Supplementary Planning Guidance in 2016, which means that the document has to be taken into consideration in planning decisions made in the town. The plan is available here: <http://www.beacons-npa.gov.uk/wp-content/uploads/Hay-Town-Plan-1.pdf>.

It includes actions to address a range of issues and themes including public services, youth, older citizens, environment, employment, housing, parking and travel.

Crickhowell aren't far behind Hay and have just completed the final draft of their own plan. This will be available for consultation from the 16th February here: <http://www.beacons-npa.gov.uk/planning/draft-strategy-and-policy/>

We are also pleased to tell you that Brecon and Talgarth have started working on plans and hopefully we will see those come to fruition within the next 18 months.

If your community is interested in producing its own Place Plan, we would be happy to work with you. We have, with the help of the Welsh Government and the Design Commission for Wales, produced guidance on how to go about writing a Place Plan, available here: <http://www.beacons-npa.gov.uk/planning/draft-strategy-and-policy/place-plans/>.

If you would like to know more you can email our Place Plans team on placeplans@beacons-npa.gov.uk or call 01874 620465.



Matt Baker from Countryfile with National Park Activity Leaders Billy and Ilona and young people from Gwalia.

BBC Countryfile films with the Communities Team

BBC Countryfile visited the National Park to film a programme which was broadcast on 27th November. Presenter Matt Baker spent the day with the National Park Communities Team on Mynydd Illtud, where Geocaching Activity Leaders Billy and Ilona introduced Matt to geocaching which is similar to a treasure hunt but uses GPS technology to find 'caches' or boxes.

They had the chance to showcase their Sport Wales funded Geocaching project which aims to increase participation in physical activity for groups of 11-25 year olds from areas in the South Wales valleys. It was a brilliant opportunity for them to get national coverage for the project.

Gwalia (a local housing support group) also took part, with two young people talking to Matt Baker about how learning to geocache with the Communities Team has had a positive effect on their lives.

Over 827 young people have now directly benefitted from the Geocaching Project and together they have walked around 2,500km - the equivalent of twice the Welsh coastline. It has been so successful that Sport Wales has agreed an extension of the project to continue in 2017/18 and will now cover Powys and Neath Port Talbot areas as well as Merthyr Tydfil, Torfaen, Rhondda Cynon Taff and Blaenau-Gwent.

**For more information please contact Billy Morgan or Ilona Carati
geocaching@beacons-npa.gov.uk Tel: 01874 624437**

Another success for the Geopark

Fforest Fawr UNESCO Global Geopark has just obtained a 'green card' from UNESCO.

Alan Bowring, Geopark Development Officer writes: This amounts to a pat on the back, the third we've had since we became a Geopark in 2005. There's still lots to do before our next scheduled re-assessment in 2020. Early plans are in place for the development of Craig-y-nos Country Park as a new Geopark Hub; we hope it will help people get more out of their visit to the upper Swansea Valley – and elsewhere around the Geopark. One of the first developments will be an interpretation of the view from the Geo-terrace outside Changing



Seasons café. And we are increasing the ranks of our Geopark and Local Ambassadors – local people from business and the community keen to share their knowledge of the place with others. Plus the ever popular Geopark festival will take place from May 20th- June 4th.

**For more information contact Alan Bowring,
alan.bowring@beacons-npa.gov.uk
Tel 01874 620415**

The view from the terrace at Craig-y-nos combines geology, archaeology and wildlife, beauty and adventure



Criw Craggy get ready for spring

Criw Craggy, the Friends of Craig-y-nos Country Park, have just celebrated their first year and are going from strength to strength.

They were successful in obtaining funding for equipment for the volunteers, including a log splitter to process any wood created through managing the trees in the Country Park. They planted thousands of native daffodil and snowdrop bulbs at an event last autumn with help from families and a team of Gurkhas from Brecon.

Eleanor Flaherty of Criw Craggy said: "It was a lovely event and we will be planting many more bulbs next autumn. This spring we will be running a bird and bat box making workshop so that members of the community can help the wildlife in the Country Park. Like our Facebook page www.facebook.com/criwcraggy to see pictures of what exciting things we are up to!"

To become part of the Friends Group please contact Eleanor Flaherty on: info@eleanorflaherty.co.uk



Members of Criw Craggy planting spring bulbs

Cardiff People First are inspired to get out and about in the National Park

Cardiff People First is a self-advocacy organisation run by and for people with a learning disability in Cardiff.

Members of the group participated in the 'Inspironment' project run by the Park Authority's Communities Team last year. The group were sent itineraries for ten walks in the National Park produced as part of the project, which inspired them to get out into the environment (hence 'Inspironment'!) They successfully obtained funding from Awards for All to do just that, by hiring officers from the National Park's Communities Team to lead all ten walks throughout the summer. Everyone is looking forward to it!



If your organisation is interested in planning a similar walking project or accredited Agored Cymru 'Rural Skills' training with the Communities Team, please contact Francesca Bell, Community Development Officer francesca.bell@beacons-npa.gov.uk
Tel: 01874 624437

The 'Inspironment' walking itineraries can be downloaded from here:

http://www.breconbeacons.org/explore/things_to_do/walking/where_to_walk/inspironment_walking_itineraries

Members of Cardiff People First at Craig-y-nos Country Park

Seasonal celebrations at Craig-y-nos Country Park

In the run up to Christmas, the National Park Education Service offered primary schools two exciting new courses.

For 3-7 year olds 'Seasonal stroll and Santa's spectacular journey' included a magical sensory walk through the Country Park. The children searched for lichen to feed Sion Corn's reindeer and for holly to adorn a traditional 'Calennig' – a decorated apple carried around by children on New Year's morning as they sing for sweets or money.

The visit was made even more special as Sion Corn himself came to see the children as he looked for Rudolf. He told them a story about his magical journey across the National Park and gave them small but suitable gifts to take away.

The 7-11 year olds enjoyed sharing traditional Welsh customs. The children learned and sang a traditional 'Plygain' carol and made a 'Calennig' ready for the New Year celebrations. They also met 'Y Fari Lwyd', a horse skull decorated with ribbons and a white sheet fixed to a pole. The children learnt of her antics and wrote these in a story board.

They made the most of their visit to Craig-y-nos with a wintry geocaching walk, collecting fascinating seasonal facts along the way.

Feedback was very positive – "Our children and staff had an amazing time with you" responded one teacher "the children asked if they could go back"

**For further details of National Park education courses see <http://www.beacons-npa.gov.uk/learning/>
Tel: 01876 624437**

Children from Christchurch Primary School with Sion Corn and one of his elves-Education Officer Hayley Sharp



A new face joins the National Park Authority's Ecology Team

Buffy Beck (an undergraduate at Cardiff University) has recently joined the Authority as part of a Professional Training Year placement based with the Ecology Team. She is also spending time with other departments and partners. Buffy writes:

My year placement started in early September where I was introduced to the many different departments within the Authority. I undertook a variety of different tasks such as accompanying the Ecology Team on site visits to Cadair Fawr and Craig-y-nos Country Park, learning and researching about the different species within the National Park and participating in a red grouse count.

I would say my highlight of the month was assisting the Access Officer, Richard Ball, in airlifting materials to improve mountain paths. I enjoyed the cold but dry day out in the field and am able to say that I am now the only one in my immediate family to have flown in a helicopter, a fact I love to remind my dad of on the not-so-occasional basis!

This has been an interesting eye opener to the many roles an Ecologist can have and I am looking forward to the months ahead.



Buffy Beck

Archaeology is fun!

The National Park contains a wealth of history and heritage to discover and the Brecon Beacons Young Archaeologists Club, with the support of the National Park Archaeologist, is doing just that.

The Brecon Beacons Young Archaeologists' Club would like to attract new members aged between 8 and 16. They are based at the Subud Hall in Brecon and meet every second Saturday of the month. The Club aims to make learning about archaeology interesting and fun and is one of over 70 clubs throughout the country. You can find out more by visiting the website www.yac-uk.org



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So far the club has tried Roman cookery, had a battle, been on some digs, looked at cave art, had a visit from a Viking, been on walks and learned how real archaeologists work.

The cost is £3 per child per session.

Email: bbyac1@btinternet.com

The club is also looking for adult team leaders.

Training and support will be provided through the YAC network. Please contact them at bbyac1@btinternet.com

Members of the club taking part in an archaeological dig

Exciting developments at Hay Castle

In November 2016 the Brecon Beacons National Park Authority approved a planning application for the restoration of Hay Castle including community space and shops.

The Authority worked closely with a number of national organisations and local groups to ensure that the proposals would be acceptable.

Hay Castle is an important asset to the local community of Hay and the National Park itself. By bringing the building back in to use, the Hay Castle Trust is helping to regenerate the local area. The project will allow the wider public to enjoy full access to the site for the first time in over 800 years. The Brecon Beacons National Park Authority is delighted to have played an important part in this ambitious and exciting project.

Experience Welsh legends in the Brecon Beacons National Park

2017 is Visit Wales 'Year of Legends' and to celebrate some of the best legends from the Brecon Beacons National Park we are working with Horatio Clare, multi-award winning author and journalist.

The stories are being rewritten in a contemporary style. The resulting book will be launched at the Hay-on-Wye Literary festival this May. Visitors and residents can visit some of the locations or take a walk to experience the legends; itineraries will be available to download from the Brecon Beacons destination website www.breconbeacons.org

The legends are: The Christmas Day Massacre • Sir Thomas Vaughan • Henry Vaughan • The True Prince of Wales • Rourke's Drift • Adelina Patti • Lady of the Lake & Physicians of Myddfai • The White Lady of Tretower • Arthur & his Slumbering Knights • Twrch Trwyth • Macnamara's Road • Llyn Cwm Llŵch.

For further information contact Carol Williams, Tourism Growth Officer, carol.williams@beacons-npa.gov.uk 01874 620478



Matt Botwood

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
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2017 Grant application deadlines:

- 15th March
- 21st June
- 30th August
- 8th November

The scag and the smoke

Deborah Perkin is one of the Members of the National Park Authority and its Business and Communities Champion. Deborah recently spent a training day out with National Park staff. Read how she got on.....

I may know a thing or two about governance, partnerships and broadcasting, but as a new-ish Member of the Authority, I'm no conservation expert. So the Authority arranged a training day for me at Caeau Ty Mawr on the southern shores of Llangorse Lake. It was great fun, and I learned a huge amount....that horses are less fussy eaters than sheep and so more useful in grazing certain areas.... that alder is an excellent tree to start off a new woodland because it fixes nitrogen in the soil....that the tannin in bark can be used in tanning leather: people, animals and landscapes working to protect the landscapes we all love.

Ecologist Rebecca Price was full of enthusiasm to share her specialist knowledge of wild plants and I met Estate Warden Paul Chapman, supervising six new Trainee Wardens in their mission to clear scrub and large trees from the grassland. Trainee Gavin Vella kindly let me have a go (after a bit of tuition from Paul) on the Scag machine, that cuts and dices the thickest of thickets, without churning up the earth. It's quite addictive, seeing all that waist-high growth getting chewed up.

For most of the day I helped with felling trees, cutting up logs for use and burning. I met the trainees, who told me how they are building up new skills. I feel very proud of these young people and everyone involved in setting up and running the Skills in Action scheme funded by the Heritage Lottery Fund -Skills for the Future. Thanks to all for a great day out, away from the boardroom! And good luck to all the trainees for the rest of their year and beyond.



Grants still available from the Sustainable Development Fund

There are still small grants available for expenditure before the end of March. If your community has an idea and would like to discuss it, please contact Ceri Bevan or Helen Roderick as soon as possible- see side panel for details.

To give you an idea of the kind of projects which will attract funding, recent successful applications include:-

- **St. John's Family Centre, Brecon** A grant for volunteer recruitment and projects. The Centre holds a Luncheon Club every Monday, runs a Food Co-op and food bank each week and a Gardening Club will begin again in the spring. Anyone interested in volunteering or joining in with any of the activities should contact Alix on 01874 611723/07872993138 or email: stjohnsbrecon.bsr@swanseabrecon.org.uk
- **Old School House, Defynnog** A grant to purchase secondary glazing and insulation, as part of a large energy efficiency project.
- **Brecon Volunteer Bureau** A small grant to help with the purchase of a kitchen unit and water heater at new premises which will also help them achieve some income generation from small events/meetings. The Volunteer Bureau is contactable on: vbxbrecon@fsmail.net Tel: 01874 625393
- **Myddfai Trading Company** A grant to increase their production facilities and enable more students from Coleg Elidyr to work with them.
- **No.9 Bell Street, Talgarth** A heritage grant from the Fund will ensure the shop frontage can be renovated.
- **Menter Iaith Brycheiniog a Maesyfed** A grant to employ a co-ordinator to develop Welsh language services in the outdoor activity sector and try to develop South Powys as a bilingual outdoor centre for Wales.
- **Llandovery Sheep Festival** A grant to support a 'Food Demo' vehicle which will help generate revenue for the Sheep Festival, other local events and promote local food producers.

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 February – early September 2017

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



2017 is the 60th Anniversary of the Brecon Beacons National Park and to celebrate, the Authority is organising some events and activities:

- **Party in the Park** Sunday 30 July. We will be organising birthday parties with tea, cake and activities including walks, talks with wardens and children's activities with our education team. Venues will include the National Park Visitor Centre and Craig-y-nos Country Park, but we hope that local communities may be interested in hosting events – this is a celebratory event aimed at promoting the National Park. If you would like to know more or get involved, please contact communications@beacons-npa.gov.uk.
- **A touring portrait exhibition** of between 15 and 20 photos showing the people of the National Park. We will be commissioning portraits of local people including representatives of the farming community, tourist attractions and school children and bringing the exhibition to communities around the Park throughout the year.
- **A school competition for windows in empty shops** We will be working with local schools and businesses to run a competition for shop window displays. School children will be able to show what living in a National Park means to them now- and how they see their future here.

20th May-4th June

The Fforest Fawr Geopark Festival

Walks, talks, exhibitions at a variety of locations in the Geopark and a family activity day at Craig-y-nos Country Park <http://www.fforestfawrgeopark.org.uk/whats-on/>



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 the National Park Visitor Centre

8th & 9th April

13th & 14th May

27th, 28th & 29th May

10th & 11th June

21st June

8th & 9th July

25th July

26th July

29th July

30th July

1st, 8th, 15th & 22nd August

2nd 9th, 16th, 23rd & 30 August

11th August

26th to 28th August

9th & 10th September

Safety on the Hills Bronze Course

Safety on the Hills Bronze Course

Cotswold Tent Show

Safety on the Hills Bronze Course

Solar Viewing with Dark Sky Wales Summer Solstice theme

Safety on the Hills Silver Course

Take Part Pottery Workshop

Take Part Felt Workshop

Solar Scopes with Cardiff Astronomical Society

60th Anniversary 'Party in the Park'

Take Part Pottery Workshop

Take Part Felt Workshop

Star Gazing Perseid Shower with Dark Sky Wales

Summer Fayre & Cotswold Tent Show

Safety on the Hills Bronze Course



Michael Sinclair

Events at Craig-y-nos Country Park

20th February

19th & 29th April

17th & 19th April

31st May

31st May, 12th July & 16th August

30th July

August 28th

September 3rd

Bird and Bat Box Making

Orienteering 'Come and Try It' days

Songs at the boat house

Fforest Fawr Geopark Festival Activity Day

Taster Days (Birds and Bees)

60th Anniversary 'Party in the Park'

Craft Fair

Classic Cars at the Country Park



Matt Bertwood

Your Authority A-Z

Your helpful guide to contacting the Authority
for information or services

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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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Follow us on Facebook **www.facebook.com/breconbeaconsnationalpark**

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

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Our Instagram feed is **www.instagram.com/breconbeacons**

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