BRAMSHAW TELEGRAPH





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NEWS



DRAGONS TEETH

As a result of verges suffering from overrun, Forestry England will commence work in October/November to remove old rotten or no longer serviceable dragon's teeth and will be installing new ones closer to the road edge.

List of locations (and maps) were sent out with October's edition of the Bramshaw Telegraph. They can also be found <u>here</u> and <u>here</u>



#Add3Minutes

Drivers are being urged to just #Add3Minutes as the nights draw in to make journeys safer. When the clocks change in October, and people have to drive home in the dark, there is a much higher risk of hitting one of the free-roaming animals.

56 animals were killed on New Forest roads in 2017 63 animals were killed on New Forest roads in 2018

Most of the accidents are caused by local people on regular trips, on four main routes:

- Lymington Beaulieu Dibden Purlieu
- Brockenhurst Sway
- Burley Picket Post
- Cadnam Godshill

Sue Westwood, Clerk to the Verderers said "Driver should be aware that they are very likely to encounter animals on the Forest's roads, day and night. Animals don't have road sense so please help avoid accidents by driving slowly and carefully."

Failing to report an accident with a commoner's animal can lead to prosecution. The Verderers offer a reward of up to £5,000 payable to anyone providing information which leads to the successful prosecution of a driver responsible for a hit and run accident.



BOOKS ON BRAMSHAW AND THE NEW FOREST

Many residents will remember Jack Sturgess who kindly donated a collection of books to the Parish Council. These books mainly relate to the history of Bramshaw, surrounding villages and the Forest in general. A complete list of the titles can be found here.

If you would like to borrow any of these books, please contact Martin Vann either by email – <u>mjvann1@outlook.com</u> or phone 07824 867518.



FREE PARKING

Councillor Edward Heron has published a Portfolio Holders Decision on Parking Charges that set out proposals for Free Parking to help promote Small Business Saturday which is a national campaign to promote local high streets and independent shops.

This Year it is proposed that free parking will be provided on:-

Saturday 7th December Saturday 21st December Sunday 22nd December

Rob Lane

Service Manager-Streetscene Operations New Forest District Council



PHOTO COMPETITION

Capture the Forest's mini-wonders on camera (or phone) for a chance to win £50 Amazon voucher.

For entry details visit https://www.hlsnewforest.org.uk/2019/08/28/enter-our-microphotography-competition/



AMAZON PRIME SCAM

Action Fraud has received hundreds of reports of a scam where victims receive an automated phone call claiming they've been charged for an Amazon Prime subscription. The phone call informs people their personal details have been fraudulently used to subscribe to Amazon Prime, however they can cancel the transaction by pressing 1.

When victims do this, they are automatically connected to criminals posing as Amazon customer service representatives who remotely access their computer and steal their personal and financial details. What you can do to keep yourself safe:

Personal information:

Always question uninvited approaches in case it's a scam. Instead, contact the company directly using a known email or phone number.

Stay in control:

Have the confidence to refuse unusual requests for personal or financial information. It's easy to feel embarrassed when faced with unexpected or complex conversations. But it's okay to stop the discussion if you do not feel in control of it.

Remote access:

Never install any software or visit a website as a result of a cold call. Unsolicited requests for remote access to your computer should always raise a red flag.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS: NOVEMBER			
1 NEW FOREST KNOWLEDGE CONFERENCE			
	-	9:45am-4:30pm	
LYNDHURST		Lyndhurst Community Centre, Lyndhurst, SO43 7NY	
COMMUNITY		This conference will focus on how buildings and structures have	
CENTRE		been shaped by the Forest. Speakers include researchers from	
-		the New Forest National Park Authority, New Forest District	
		Council, and University of Winchester.	
		Price £20 pp. Book online at:	
		https://www.newforestheritage.org.uk/event/new-forest-	
		knowledge-conference-2019	
		Or call 023 8028 3444	
		Parking charges apply (free for blue badge holders).	
		Enquiries kath.walker@newforestcentre.org.uk	
	3	NEW FOREST EATS 'N' TREATS	
		10am-4pm. FREE event	
		Brockenhurst College, Lyndhurst Road, Brockenhurst SO42 7ZE	
NEW FOREST		Try, buy, and learn about local food, drink, and craft. Chef	
EATS		demos, live music and a pop-up food court.	
M'TREATS		Perfect opportunity to buy high quality and unusual Christmas	
		presents.	
		No booking required. Free parking	
		Enquiries: events@brock.ac.uk	
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		7pm	
		Bramshaw Village Hall, Bramshaw, Lyndhurst, SO43 7JE	
	7	BRAMSHAW WI	
the		2.0 pm for 2.15 pm.	
		A 1200 Mile Stroll to Santiago. Valerie Archibald.	
		Visitors welcome. Contact Juliet Halliday 02380 812397	
		juliethalliday365@gmail.com	
	12	HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY	
		BEHIND THE SCENES AT CHELSEA – Pip Bensley	
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	14	MATHER SNOOKER CLUB	
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	26	BRAMSHAW PARISH COUNCIL MEETING	
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PARISH		Hall, Lyndhurst, SO43 7JE.	
COUNCIL		An opportunity to ask your councillors questions and raise	
		local issues!	
		Please see the Parish Council's website	
		http://www.bramshaw.org.uk/community/bramshaw-parish-	
		council-7687/2019-meetings-and-minutes/ for the Agenda.	
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	28	MATHER SNOOKER CLUB 7pm Bramshaw Village Hall, Bramshaw, Lyndhurst, SO43 7JE	
CALENDAR OF EVENTS: DECEMBER			
	5	BURLEY MANOR CHRISTMAS FAIR 5pm – 9pm. FREE entry. No booking required The Barn, Burley manor, Ringwood Road, Burley, BH24 4BS Annual Christmas gift evening in The Barn and Deer Park Barn with some favourite local florists, independent gift shops, crafts, hand-made confectioners and artisan drink producers. Enquiries: burleymanor@newforesthotels.co.uk	
Christmas Fair	7-8	NEW FOREST CHRISTMAS FAIR 7 Dec (10am) – 8 Dec (4pm). Adults £2.50. Children free. Dogs welcome. No booking required. Free parking. Exbury Gardens & Steam Railway, Summer Lane, Exbury, SO45 1AZ New Forest Fair is a traditional family day out, full of local produce and gifts for a festive atmosphere. Enquiries: forestevents@outlook.com or 07825 300214	
Christmas Fair	7	NEW FOREST CHRISTMAS FUN DAY 10am – 3pm. Museum is FREE but donations are very welcome (suggested £1 per activity). New Forest Heritage Centre, High Street, Lyndhurst, SO43 7NY As part of Lyndhurst's ever successful Christmas fun day join us for some Christmas fun. Can you find all the objects in our Christmas trail hidden around the Museum? Which of our Christmas crafts will you try? Crafts and activities for all ages –	
	21 – 1 JAN*	including big children (adults of course). https://www.newforestheritage.org.uk/event/christmas-fun- day VICTORIAN CHRISTMAS AT BEAULIEU Travel back in time and visit the Victorian Montagu family home this festive season, to see what the Montagu family	
		members would have been doing during the festive season of 1889. Sip a glass of warming mulled punch while you soak in the festive atmosphere of Palace House, with stunning decorations, welcoming log fires and a Christmas tree in each room - including a 22ft tree at the foot of the main staircase! *closed on Christmas Day.	

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