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Environment Weeks 2016



23rd April to the 5th June 2016

Programme of Events

www.sheffieldenvironment.org

Sheffield Conservation Volunteers
www.sheffieldconservation.org / @ConservationVol

Join us at City Hall steps every Sunday
9.30am for great company and rewarding
work on local conservation projects



The 'Friends of Burngreave Chapel & Cemetery' group was set up "to make the cemetery and chapel buildings accessible to everybody and to educate and enlighten visitors into not only its history, but its wildlife, trees and plants, which overlap and interact."

The group, all volunteers meet every
Sunday 12noon – 2.00pm in winter
11.00am – 3.00pm in summer
- to help visitors to find particular graves
Everyone is welcome to join in any of our activities

More details on
www.friendsofburngreavecemetery.btck.co.uk

Sheffield Environment Weeks 2016

Welcome to Environment Weeks programme of events. Our thanks to the many volunteers and community groups in Sheffield who support Environment Weeks.

Thank you also to our sponsors :

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Friends of Botanical Gardens

Friends of Burngreave Chapel

and Cemetery Group

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practical activity



local history



natural history



gardening



fun



display/exhibition



built environment



general interest



sustainable development



suitable for families



open day



talk



guided walk



art



recycling



suitable for families but not for wheelchair users or pushchairs.

Disclaimer

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Saturday 23rd April

8am -

Birdsong Walk - Padley Gorge

Famous Birdsong Walk - A popular early morning walk through Padley Woods and onto the moorlands to hear the Spring birdsong and looking out for the returning migrants such as Pied Flycatcher, Redstart and Warblers. Leaders Paul and Janet Medforth. All are welcome and there is no charge for this event. Stout footwear and suitable clothing is advisable for this walk.

Meet at: Grindleford Station car park (right turn off B6512 Fox House / Grindleford Rd)

MR:SK251788

Sheffield RSPB Local Group

Contact Helen Ensor 07749932806

SheffieldRSPBlocalgroup@talktalk.net

rspb.org.uk/groups/sheffield



10am - 1pm

Wortley Hall Walled Garden Organic Food

Growing - Master Classes Spring 2016 PROPAGATION. Economical ways of making more food plants from seeds and plant material, including sowing in cells and modules, taking cuttings, layering and grafting. Demonstrations and some practical activities will be available. 6 sessions which started 9th April with SOIL followed by 16th April COMPOST £15 per person per session Book for just the ones you want - or £75 for all 6 sessions. Advance booking essential. Concessions available - please ask.

Meet at: Wortley Hall Kitchen Garden: Wortley, South Yorkshire, S35 7DB

Bus routes: 29 (every two hours)

Heeley City Farm

Contact Darrell Maryon 07768 932613

wortleyorganic@rocketmail.com

www.organickitchengarden.co.uk



10am - 12pm

Go Wild! Junior Wildlife Activity Session

Bug Hunting! Join Heeley City Farms nature detectives in the Wildlife Garden and find out more about the world of insects. How many different types of creepy crawlies live on the Farm? Find out in our bug hunt and build your

own bug house to take home too! Family activity for children up to 12 years old, under 8s must be supervised by an adult. Accompanying adults are welcome to stay and join in. £2.50 per child, adults free 10 Places, please book in advance. Please come dressed for the weather as this is an outside activity, boots and clothes to get messy in are advised. Supported by Sheffield Green Spaces Forum

Meet at: the Energy Centre at the far end of the Farm site: Alexandra Road, S2 3DT

Bus routes: 18, 56

Heeley City Farm

Contact Saskia Peet 0114 250 5113

s.hardy@heeleyfarm.org.uk



10am -

Archaeology Walk

Archaeology Walk, led by G. Hartland.

Meet at: outside Woodland Discovery Centre, Abbey Lane

Friends of Ecclesall Woods

Contact Linda Evans

linda.evans2709@gmail.com

www.friendsofecclesallwoods.org.uk



10am - 2pm

Beautiful Birds in Greno Woods

Greno Woods - Bookable Event Bird spotting for beginners and improvers! Join us for a wander around the lovely Greno Woods to see what we can spot. Bring binoculars if you have a pair. £6 for non members and £4 for members. To book your place please book on our Whats On page of the website. www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on For more information please contact nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com

Meet at: Greno Woods (contact nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com)

Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust

nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com

www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



10am - 12:30pm

Workday

A bit of a spring clean! Litter-pick, painting etc to spruce up Parkwood Springs for the spring-time.

Fresh air and exercise with a friendly group of people, and a break for a cuppa mid-way.

Meet at: car-park entrance, Cooks Wood Road/Shirecliffe Road Sheffield, S3 9AA

Bus routes: 32, or numerous on Burngreave Road

Friends of Parkwood Springs

Contact Neill Schofield 0777 156 4883

parkwood.springs@googlemail.com

www.parkwood-springs.org.uk



Sunday 24th April

5am - 8am

Dawn Chorus Bird Walk Heeley City Farm.

Join Phil on our annual early morning bird walk and see which of our feathered friends are making their home on the Farm and the surrounding woodland and riverside areas in Heeley this year. The diverse terrains on the Farm means there will be plenty of different birds to see. Some parts of the walk aren't accessible to prams or wheelchairs but alternative paths available.

Meet at: the Farm Kitchen (cafe) at Heeley City Farm: Richards Rd, S2 3DT

Bus routes: 18, 56

Contact Sarah Hardy on 0114 2580482

s.hardy@heeleyfarm.org.uk



5am - 7am

Dawn Chorus Walk on Loxley Common

Wadsley and Loxley Commoners Dawn Chorus Walk on Loxley Common, a walk led by John Robinson. Round walk, you can return to the car park at any time, bring appropriate boots and clothing, 2348472

Meet at: Rural Lane Car Park, Wadsley: Rural Lane Car Park Off Rural Lane/Worrall Road Sheffield, S6 4BL

Bus routes: 57

Wadsley and Loxley Commoners

Contact John Robinson 2337463

hish@pobroadband.co.uk

www.wadsley-loxley.org



9:30am - 4pm

Practical Conservation Project

Come and join us for a days practical conservation project. No experience necessary. Please bring warm work clothes, stout footwear, a packed lunch and waterproofs. Tools, hot drinks and on-site training (if necessary) will be provided.

Meet at: City Hall Steps, Barkers Pool, Sheffield, S1

Bus routes: Any into town

Sheffield Conservation Volunteers

Contact Dave Robson 0114 2223701

d.j.robson@sheffield.ac.uk

www.sheffieldconservation.org



10.00am – 2.00 pm

Rivelin Valley Litter Pick

Join the RVCG Task Team in our annual sweep of the Rivelin Valley. Gloves, litter pickers and bags provided. Leave at the side of the road for collection. Transport available the length of the valley

Meet at: Havelock Dam Car Park between Hollins Lane and the Fire Station, Rivelin Valley Road, S6 5FE. SK 32490 89204

Bus routes: 81, 82 from Snig Hill or Super Tram to Malin Bridge then 10 min. walk

Rivelin Valley Conservation Group

Contact G. Appleby 07850 712988

rvcg@supanet.com

www.rivelinvalley.org.uk



11am - 4:30pm

Wortley Top Forge Open Day

Wortley Top Forge Open Day. 17th Century forge with three early waterwheels and two heavy iron forging hammers. Plus collection of old metal working machines, steam engines and exhibitions in period cottages. Guided tours. Nature Trail with free guide. Miniature railway runs in afternoon. Onsite parking. Entrance fee: Adults £3.00, Children 50p, Concessions £2.00.

Meet at: Wortley Top Forge, Forge Lane, Thurgoland, S35 7DN

South Yorkshire Trades Historical Trust

Contact G. Parkinson 0114 281 7991

www.topforge.co.uk



Monday 25th April

10am - 12pm

Veg Patch Kids - Firth Park Community Allotment

Specially designed with the under 5s in mind. Come and join us, have fun and learn about nature and the plants we grow and eat. We dig, grow, water, harvest and eat, do crafts and make things, do bug hunts, and just have fun being outdoors. No children on their own are allowed on site - all must be with a supervising adult. Make sure children wear clothes that they don't mind getting messy in. Firth Park Community Allotment is part of the Heeley City Farm family of food growing sites.

Meet at: Firth Park Community Allotment: Vickers Drive, Firth Park, S5 6TG

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 88

Heeley City Farm

Contact Dot Rodman on 07985421346
dotrodman@heeleyfarm.org.uk



10:30am - 4pm

Meersbrook Walled Garden - Organic Growing

Sessions - Volunteer and learn how to grow fruit and veg organically and increase your physical and mental health at the same time. Lots of tips on what to plant and how to manage an organic plot. The Walled Garden includes vegetables, soft fruit and herb growing areas, an orchard, a polytunnel and greenhouses. Meersbrook Walled Garden is part of the Heeley City Farm food growing sites.

Meet at: Meersbrook Walled Garden, Derbyshire Lane, S8 9EH

Bus routes: 24, 25

Heeley City Farm

Contact Nick Horne 07941182028
nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



Tuesday 26th April

10am - 1pm

River Don Flood Defence Scheme River Clean Up

- Volunteer day with the River Stewardship Company. Please use contact details to find out more. The River Stewardship Company help co-

ordinate volunteer days for 3 different organisations - ourselves, Friends of the Blue Loop and the Canal and Rivers Trust

The River Stewardship Company

Contact 0114 3540012 info@the-rsc.co.uk
www.the.rsc.co.uk



10am -

Work Day - Porter Valley

Regular work day. Meeting at 10am, working until lunchtime. Tools, and teas, provided. Wear suitable clothing and footwear.

Friends of Porter Valley

Contact Ann le Sage for details 07790250087
ann@lesage.org.uk
www.fopv.org.uk



10am - 12pm

Plants first!

Co-designer of the 2012 Gardens at the Olympic Park in east London and remaining at the core of the team planning the post-Games legacy design and maintenance of the gardens, Sarah Price is a Visiting Lecturer in Planting Design at the Department of Landscape at Sheffield University and at the KLC School of Design in London. She writes for Gardens Illustrated and the Daily Telegraph and is a Chelsea & Hampton Court Medallist. Note: Gardens classroom is due for demolition and a new Education Centre will be built. Please check the FOBS website for news of venue changes - this may also affect access.

Meet at: Sheffield Botanical Gardens: Clarkehouse Road, Sheffield, S10 2LN

Bus routes: 81, 82, 83, 83a, 88

Friends of the Botanical Gardens, Sheffield (FOBS)

Contact Lynda Price on 0114 273 0839
fobssheffield@yahoo.co.uk
www.fobssheffield.co.uk



10:30am - 4pm

Wortley Hall Walled Kitchen Garden - Organic Growing Sessions

Volunteer and learn how to grow fruit and veg organically and increase your physical and mental

health at the same time. Lots of tips on what to plant and when and how to manage an organic plot. The largest of our growing sites, 3 acres in size, Heeley City Farm manages the garden as an organically certified market garden, with three big polytunnels, pear and apple orchards, and extensive vegetable and herb growing areas.

Pick up point at Heeley City Farm. Open to the public

Meet at: Pick up point at Heeley City Farm. Wortley Hall Walled Garden, Wortley, South Yorkshire, S35 7DB

Bus routes: 29

Heeley City Farm

Contact Darrell Maryon on 07768932613
darrell@heeleyfarm.org.uk



11am – 3pm

Energy Saving Drop In Sessions

The South Yorkshire Energy Centre is open for you to DROP IN or call the centre to book appointments for advice on saving energy and/or reducing your bills. Group visits are also available. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays.

Meet at: The Energy Centre, Heeley City Farm, Richards Road, Sheffield, S2 3DT

Bus routes: 18, 56, 252

Heeley City Farm

Contact Shelly Davis on 0114 3039981
shelly.syec@heeleyfarm.org.uk



1:30pm -

Porter Valley Healthy Walking Group

Our group walks every Tuesday afternoon, You can't miss us our walk leaders wear distinctive green fleeces. We walk up through the valley (as far as you feel comfortable) for half an hour and then back. The fitter members walk further and the not so fit go as far as they want. There are always volunteer walk leaders to look after you, no one is ever left on their own. We encourage all ages and people with with all health problems, everyone is made welcome. Afterwards we have a get together in or outside the cafe (depending on the weather) so people can get to know each other. Once a month we have a trip out somewhere, this has a small cost.

Meet at: Cafe in Endcliffe Park

Porter Valley Healthy Walking Group

Contact Carol Stevens on
carolfruitbatstevens@talktalk.net



Wednesday 27th April

10am - 12pm

Botanical Gardens

Wednesday Morning Volunteers - come and join the team who help to maintain these beautiful gardens. Wear suitable clothing, sturdy footwear and gardening gloves. Tools and training provided.

Meet at: Meet in large greenhouse near the South Lodge at Thompson Road (S11 8RB) end (behind the hedge, north of toilet block) just prior to 10am. Please be aware that work on building the new Education Centre may be in progress nearby from March onwards.

Bus routes: 81, 82, 83, 83a,88

Friends of the Botanical Gardens, Sheffield (FOBS)

Contact Lynda Price on 0114 273 0839
fobssheffield@yahoo.co.uk
www.fobssheffield.co.uk



10am - 12pm

Volunteer Work Days - Sunnybank Fourth Wednesday of the month . Regular volunteer days take place on several of Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trusts nature reserves management. Tools and gloves are provided, but please wear warm, waterproof clothing, and sturdy footwear. Bring a packed lunch and drinking water.

Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust

For details contact -
nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com
www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



10:30am - 4pm

Norfolk Park Community Garden - Organic Growing. Volunteer, learn how to grow fruit and veg organically and increase your physical and mental health at the same time. Lots of tips on what to plant and how to manage an organic plot. Set behind Centre in the Park in Norfolk Heritage Park (next to the old cottages). Garden is approx.

1 acre, including a large polytunnel and a newly planted orchard.

Meet at: Norfolk Park Community Garden, off Guildford Avenue, S2 2LP,

Bus: 7, 8, 8a, 50, 50a, 71, 120 or get the tram to Norfolk Park Surgery and walk past the school to Norfolk Heritage Park

Heeley City Farm

Contact Nick Horne 07941182028

nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



10:30am - 1:30pm

Clean up and invasives - River Don

Volunteer day - Livesey Street (Hillsborough)

The River Stewardship Company help co-ordinate volunteer days for 3 different organisations - ourselves, Friends of the Blue Loop and the Canal and Rivers Trust. Contact for more details

The River Stewardship Company

Contact Hellen Hornby for information on 0114 3540012 mob. 07766 35 29 32

Hellen.Hornby@the-rsc.co.uk

www.the.rsc.co.uk



11am – 3pm

Energy Saving Drop In Sessions

See 26th April for details.

Meet at: The Energy Centre, Heeley City Farm, Richards Road, Sheffield, S2 3DT

Bus routes: 18, 56, 252

Heeley City Farm

Contact Shelly Davis on 0114 3039981

shelly.syec@heeleyfarm.org.uk



Thursday 28th April

9:30am - 12pm

Firth Park Community Allotment Volunteer

Session Come along and help to maintain the allotment plots and learn valuable skills at the same time.

Meet at: Firth Park Community Allotment Vickers Drive, Firth Park, S5 6TG

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 88

Heeley City Farm

Contact Dot Rodman on 7985421346

dotrodman@heeleyfarm.org.uk



10:30am - 4pm

Wortley Hall Walled Kitchen Garden -

Volunteer and learn how to grow fruit and veg organically. See 26th April.

Meet: Pick up point at Heeley City Farm. :

Heeley City Farm

Contact Darrell Maryon on 07768932613

darrell@heeleyfarm.org.uk



11am – 3pm

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See 26th April for details

Meet:The Energy Centre, Heeley City Farm, Richards Road, Sheffield, S2 3DT

Bus routes: 18, 56, 252

Heeley City Farm

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shelly.syec@heeleyfarm.org.uk



1pm - 3pm

Toddler Time - Firth Park Allotment

Specially designed with the under 5s in mind. See 28th April.

Meet at: Firth Park Community Allotment Vickers Drive, Firth Park, S5 6TG

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 88

Heeley City Farm

Contact Dot Rodman on 07985421346

dotrodman@heeleyfarm.org.uk



Friday 29th April

10:30am - 12:30pm

Organic Growing Sessions Heeley City Farm

Kitchen Garden - Volunteer and learn how to grow fruit and veg organically, increase your physical and mental health at the same time. This is an allotment sized garden with raised beds, polytunnel, cordon and espalier apple and pear trees. We use No-Dig methods on some of the

beds, which have advantages for the time-stressed or less flexible gardener!

Meet: Heeley Farm, Richards Rd, S2 3DT

Bus routes: 18, 56

Heeley City Farm

S. Peet or N. Horne 0114 250 5113

safeplaces@heeleyfarm.org.uk or

nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



Saturday 30th April

9:30am - 12pm

Bird Watching Walk through Beauchief

Bird Watching Walk through Beauchief led by group member Graham Games. A guided walk around the area covered by Beauchief

Environment Group to look out for birds and see the various projects undertaken by the group.

Please bring binoculars, stout footwear advised.

Meet at: Beauchief Abbey, Beauchief Abbey Lane, Sheffield, S8 7BD

Bus: nearest bus stops 76 by roundabout at Abbey Lane/Bocking Lane and by Beauchief Hotel at junction of Abbey Lane/Abbeylee Road.

Beauchief Environment Group

Contact Dr Diana Holland

mail@dianaholland.plus.com

www.beauchief-environmentgroup.co.uk



10am - 3pm

Wortley Hall Walled Garden Organic Food

Growing - CROPS. Exploring the range of crops we can grow in our region, including cultivation methods, weeding techniques, rotations, inter-cropping, catch cropping, extending the season and growing under cover. See 23rd April .

Meet at: Wortley Hall Kitchen Garden Wortley, South Yorkshire, S35 7DB

Heeley City Farm

Contact Darrell Maryon on 07768 932613

darrell@heeleyfarm.org.uk

www.organickitchengarden.co.uk



10am -

Chesterfield Canal - Weekend Walk

Leaders: Geoff & Lyn Facer. There is no charge for this event.

Meet: Anston Stones Wood lay-by on A57 Anston to Worksop road. MR:SK538828

Sheffield RSPB Local Group

Contact Helen Ensor 7749932806

SheffieldRSPBlocalgroup@talktalk.net

www.rspb.org.uk/groups/sheffield



10am - 2:30pm

Treeton Woods Bluebell Walk

The walk includes Catcliffe Flash, Treeton Dyke, some superb bluebell woods, a comfortable lunch stop, great views and a visit to the historic Catcliffe Glass Cone. 7.5 miles circular.

Meet: Outside W H Smith in Pond Street Interchange at 10am to catch 10.10 72 bus to Catcliffe.

Bus routes: 72

Walking Out in Sheffield

Contact Rob Haslam on 0114 287 9466

roberthaslam0@gmail.com



10am - 2pm

Plant Sale - Walkley Bank Allotment Society -

Surplus plants donated by members. Including a wide range of

vegetables, flowers, herbs, perennials, annuals, cuttings all at competitive prices. Tea, coffee and cakes available. The shop will be open for general garden supplies to members.

Membership £1 per annum Sat. Sun and Bank Holiday Monday

Meet at: Allotment Hut, Morley St. S6 2PL

Walkley Bank Allotment Society

Contact Dan on 7940965922

morleystreetallotments@gmail.com



10.15am -

Woodland Walk from Whirlow to Meadowhead

- Linear walk of 4 to 6 miles.

Leaders J. Gathercole and Val Coleman

Meet at: Opposite WH Smith in Pond Street Interchange at 10.15am

Walking Out in Sheffield



11am - 1pm

Low Edges Fire Station Community Growing Project Volunteer and learn how to grow fruit and veg organically, increase your physical and mental health at the same time in this community growing spot.

Meet: Low Edges Fire Station, Low Edges Road, Sheffield, S8 7JN

Bus routes: 75, 76

Heeley City Farm

Contact Craig Barnett on 07955342152
craig.barnett@heeleyfarm.org.uk



1pm - 3pm

Craft Session - Pitsmoor Adventure

Playground - Environmental Craft Session for Children aged 8-13. The craft session will have an environmental theme and utilise salvaged materials to upcycle into new playground parts. All children will be encouraged to follow their creative instincts and play will be used as a vehicle to develop the adventure. Children under 8 must be supervised by a parent/carer and should wear clothes they don't mind getting messy in. Supported by Sheffield Green Spaces Forum

Meet at: Pitsmoor Adventure Playground, Melrose Road, Sheffield, S3 9DN

Bus routes: 75, 76

Pitsmoor Adventure Playground

Contact Patrick Meleady 0114 2737121
lmeleady@btinternet.com
www.facebook.com/PitsmoorAdventures



Sunday 1st May

5am - 7:30am

Dawn Chorus walk - Hear the birds on Parkwood Springs at Dawn, with John and Anne Robinson from the RSPB. Join us for breakfast afterwards - bacon butties, veggie rolls, coffee and tea.

Meet at: car-park entrance, Cooks Wood Road/Shirecliffe Road Sheffield, S3 9AA

Friends of Parkwood Springs

Contact Neill Schofield on 0777 156 4883
parkwood.springs@googlemail/com
www.parkwood-springs.org.uk



9:30am - 4pm

Practical Conservation Project

Come and join us for a days practical .
See 24th April for details

Meet: City Hall Steps, Barkers Pool, S1
Sheffield Conservation Volunteers

Contact Dave Robson on 0114 2223701
d.j.robson@sheffield.ac.uk
www.sheffieldconservation.org



10am - 2pm

Plant Sale ,Walkley Bank Allotment Soc.

Surplus plants donated by members. Including a wide range of vegetables, flowers, herbs, perennials, annuals, cuttings all at competitive prices. Tea, coffee and cakes available. The shop will be open for general garden supplies to members. Membership £1 per annum Sat, Sun and bank holiday Monday

Meet at: Morley St. Allotment Hut, Morley St

(junction with Walkley Bank Rd) S6 2PL

Walkley Bank Allotment Society

Contact Dan on 07940965922

morleystreetallotments@gmail.com



11am - 3pm

FOBS Plant Sale - A great selection of beautiful plants, primarily perennials, propagated and raised by the FOBS team - all at reasonable prices.

Meet: Botanical Gardens, S10 2LN. Gardens classroom idue for demolition and a new Education Centre will be built. Please check the FOBS website for news of venue changes - may also affect access.

Bus routes: 81, 82, 83, 83a, 88

FOBS

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www.fobssheffield.co.uk



11am - 4:30pm

Wortley Top Forge Open Day

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See 24th April for further details.

Meet at: Wortley Top Forge, Forge Lane, Thurgoland, S35 7DN

South Yorkshire Trades Historical Trust

Contact G. Parkinson 0114 281 7991

www.topforge.co.uk



2pm - 3:30pm

Friends of Firth Park - May Day celebration.

Find out about Firth Park and the Friends Group, enjoy home made refreshments, stalls, join in with dancing around the maypole.

Meet at: The Pavilion: Firth Park (next to the Bowling Green) Firth Park Rd. S5 6HH

Bus routes: 75 and 76

Friends of Firth Park

Contact Maggie Hoyles 0114 2422067



Monday 2nd May

10am - 3pm

Volunteer Work Days - Crabtree Ponds First Monday of the month Regular volunteer days take place on several of Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trusts nature reserves. For details contact

Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust

nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com

www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



10:30am - 4pm

Meersbrook Walled Garden -

Volunteer and learn how to grow fruit and veg organically. See Monday 25th April,

Meet at: Meersbrook Walled Garden: Derbyshire Lane, Sheffield, S8 9EH

Bus routes: 24, 25

Heeley City Farm

Contact Nick Horne on 7941182028

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Wortley Top Forge Open Day

See 24th April for details.

Meet at: Wortley Top Forge, Forge Lane, Thurgoland, S35 7DN:

Contact G. Parkinson on 0114 281 7991

www.topforge.co.uk



Tuesday 3rd May

10am - 1pm

River Don Flood Defence Scheme River Clean

Up Volunteer day with the River Stewardship Company. Details from

The River Stewardship Company

Contact 0114 3540012 info@the-rsc.co.uk

www.the.rsc.co.uk



10am - 3pm

Volunteer Work Days

Wyming Brook & Fox Hagg first Tuesday of every month Regular volunteer days take place on several of Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trusts nature reserves.

Sheff. and Rotherham Wildlife Trust

nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com

www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



10:30am - 4pm

Wortley Hall Walled Kitchen Garden - Organic Growing Sessions

Volunteer and learn how to grow fruit and veg organically. See 26th April.

Meet: Pick up point at Heeley City Farm. **Bus routes:** 29

Heeley City Farm

Contact Darrell Maryon on 7768932613

darrell@heeleyfarm.org.uk



1:30pm -

Porter Valley Healthy Walking Group

Our group walks every Tuesday afternoon, meeting at 1.30pm at the cafe in Endcliffe Park. See 26th April for details.

Porter Valley Healthy Walking Group

Contact Carol Stevens on
carolfruitbatstevens@talktalk.net



Wednesday 4th May

10am - 12pm

Botanical Gardens

Wednesday Morning Volunteers - come and join the team who help to maintain these beautiful gardens. See 27th April

Bus routes: 81, 82, 83, 83a,88

FOBS

Contact Lynda Price 0114 273 0839

fobssheffield@yahoo.co.uk

www.fobssheffield.co.uk



10:30am - 1:30pm

Tinsley Canal with the Canal and Rivers Trust – Volunteer Day. Contact for confirmation and details.

The River Stewardship Company

Contact on 07767383736

lucy.dockray@canalrivertrust.org.uk

www.the.rsc.co.uk



11am – 3pm

Energy Saving Drop In Sessions

See Tuesday 27th April for details



10:30am - 4pm

Norfolk Park Community Garden - Organic Growing Sessions

Volunteer and learn how to grow fruit and veg organically. See Wednesday 27th April

Meet at: Norfolk Park Community Garden, off Guildford Ave, S2 2P

Bus:7, 8, 8a, 50, 50a, 71, 120 or get the tram to Norfolk Park Surgery.

Heeley City Farm

Contact Nick Horne on 7941182028

nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



2pm - 3pm

Street Detective - Investigating Sheffield's Historic Centre

Building new, old and vanished! Local historian Mike Spick gives an illustrated talk exploring the very heart of the city. Using images both new and old and examples from historical sources, it tells tales of some of our notable (and not so notable) buildings and the role they have played in the life of Sheffield. Places are FREE but must be booked

Meet: Central Library Carpenter Room
Sheffield Libraries

Contact Dan Marshall 0114 273 4712

information.library@sheffield.gov.uk

www.sheffieldlibraries.eventbrite.co.uk/



7:30pm - 10pm

"Derbyshire's Delights"

Talk by Irene Dougan - An illustrated talk about Derbyshire's wonderful NGS gardens by Irene who is the NGS Derbyshire County Organiser.

Meet: Shirley House, Psalter Lane, S11 8Y

S. Pennine Group Hardy Plant Society

Contact nije.gater@blueyonder.co.uk

www.southpenninehps.btck.co.uk



Thursday 5th May

9.30am - 12pm

Firth Park Allotment Volunteer Session. Come along and help to maintain the allotment plots, learn valuable skills at the same time. No experience necessary

Meet: Firth Park Community Allotment, Vickers Drive, Firth Park, S5 6TG

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 88

Heeley City Farm

Contact Dot Rodman on 07985421346

dotrodman@heeleyfarm.org.uk



10. am - 3pm

Volunteer Work Days - Moss Valley Nature Reserve - Regular volunteer days take place on several of Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trusts nature reserves. For details contact **Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust**

nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com
www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



10.30am - 4pm

Wortley Hall Walled Kitchen Garden -

Volunteer and learn how to grow fruit and veg organically See 26th April

Meet: Wortley Hall Walled Kitchen Garden,

Bus routes: 29

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Darrell Maryon 07768932613

darrell@heeleyfarm.org.uk



11am – 3pm

Heeley City Farm

Energy Saving Drop In Sessions

See Tuesday 27th April



11am - 2pm,

Grow Your Own at LEAF

LEAF and Drink Wise, Age Well invite you to come along, discover this site, be part of the exciting community's work, taking part in a free group activity! Sowing, planting a variety of crops in beds and containers, discovering what is already growing on site and discussing what we can grow through out the year to provide a supply of fresh seasonal produce, taking something to grow away with you. We'll finish the activity at 1pm to sit together and enjoy some freshly cooked and healthy soup.

Meet at: LEAF via pedestrian entrance to Norwood Allotments, Herries Road between Devonshire Arms and Northern General Hospital, S5 7HA

Buses 20, 32, 38, 83, 83a, 97, 98,

LEAF Community Allotments Project

Contact D. Cocker on 07799 851 888

diane@leafsheffield.org.uk

www.leafsheffield.org.uk



1pm - 3pm,

Toddler Time - Firth Park Allotment, - Specially designed with the under 5s in mind. See 28th April.

Meet at: Firth Park Community Allotment, Vickers Drive on Firth Park, S5 6TG

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 88

Heeley City Farm

Contact Dot Rodman 07985421346

dotrodman@heeleyfarm.org.uk



7pm - 8:30pm

Inglorious “ Conflict in the Uplands,

Dr Mark Avery is a writer about nature the environment and the politics of how to conserve the natural world. His latest book: Inglorious - conflict in the uplands, spells out the case against driven grouse shooting. He worked for the RSPB for 25 years as conservation director for 13 of them. Mark was recently listed as number 14 in BBC Wildlife's Power List. Places are FREE but must be booked

Meet: Central Library Carpenter Room

Sheffield Libraries

Contact D. Marshall 0114 273 4712

information.library@sheffield.gov.uk,

www.sheffieldlibraries.eventbrite.co.uk



7:30pm - 9:30pm

Birds of Costa Rica - Indoor Meeting.

Tonight we welcome back Steve Lovell from Lincolnshire. Steve has had a long association with the RSPB and is now a landscape gardener. The subject of tonight's talk is Costa Rica, a small country in Central America. It may be small but it boasts a huge number and diversity of birds. Be enthralled by some beautiful birds. Price: £2.50 for Group Members, £4 for Visitors

Meet at: Central United Reformed Church, situated at the corner of Norfolk Street and Chapel Walk (opposite the Stage Door of the Crucible Theatre), Sheffield, S1 2JB

Sheffield RSPB Local Group

Contact Helen Ensor on 7749932806

SheffieldRSPBlocalgroup@talktalk.net

www.rspb.org.uk/groups/sheffield



Friday 6th May

9.30am - 4pm

Introduction to Greenwood Craft

6th - 8th May - £225. Students will cleave harvested wood, and shape it with axes and drawknives to prepare billets for spindle turning. By using simple traditional tools, the materials can be transformed into a range of useful and decorative items. Book early to avoid disappointment as places are limited to ensure a high quality experience with our dedicated team of craft experts. Book online through PayPal.

Meet: Graves Woodland Dis. Centre, Ecclesall Woods, Abbey Lane, S7 2QZ

J G Graves Woodland Discovery Centre

0114 235 6348

contact@ecclesallwoodscraftcourses.co.uk

www.ecclesallwoodscraftcourses.co.uk



10.00 – 3.00 pm

Volunteer Work Days - Victoria Hall Garden.

Regular volunteer days take place on several of Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trusts nature reserves. For details **Contact:**

Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust

nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com

www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



10.30am – 12.30pm

Organic Growing Sessions

Volunteer and learn how to grow fruit and veg organically. See 6th May

Meet: Heeley Farm, Richards Rd, S2 3DT

Bus routes: 18, 56

Heeley City Farm

S. Peet or N.Horne 0114 250 5113

safeplaces@heeleyfarm.org.uk or

nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



12.30pm – 4.30pm

Bumblebee Workshop

Are you interested in Bumblebees? Would you like to help survey on Blacka Moor? Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust and Moors for the Future are currently offering a free Bumblebee Workshop. The Wildlife Trust are looking for

people to help survey Bumble Bees on Blacka Moor Nature Reserve as part of Moors for the Future Community Science Project to monitor key species throughout the Peak District.

Book your place on our What's On page of the website.

Meet at: SRWT Headquarters and Blacka Moor Reserves

Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust and the Moors Partnership

Contact: reserves@wildsheffield.com

www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



Saturday 7th May

9.30am – 2.30pm

Vegetable and Bedding Plant Sale

Surplus allotment society plant sale by members..Coffee and cake available.

Meet: Hagg Lane Allotment Trading Hut, Back Lane, S10

Bus routes: 51

Hagg Lane Allotment Society

P. Kettleborough 0114 266 4657

hagglaneallotments@hotmail.co.uk



10am

Sharrow Clean Up, Litter Pick

First Saturday of every month, See @FriendsofMPP on Twitter or Friends of Mount Pleasant Park on Facebook

Meet at: The Little Shop of Chocs, 144 Abbeydale Road, Sheffield,

Friends of Mount Pleasant Park

Contact: Phil

friendsofmppsheffield@gmail.com



10am – 1pm

Wortley Hall Walled Garden Organic Food Growing - HERBS & WILDLIFE: Tips for

growing useful herbs (for the kitchen, for medicine, for liquid feeds), attracting (the right kind of) wildlife, and companion planting. Introduces also the topic of organic approaches to pest & disease prevention & control. See 23rd April.

Meet: Wortley Hall Kitchen Garden, S35 7DB

Heeley City Farm

Contact: D. Maryon 07768 932613

darrell@heeleyfarm.org.uk

www.organickitchengarden.co.uk



10am – 3pm

Volunteer Work Days - Blacka Moor

Regular volunteer days take place on several of Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trusts nature reserves. Details and full programme of community work day dates is available on our website events page -

www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on.

Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust



10am – 4.30pm

Introduction to Permaculture

The Friends of Burngreave Cemetery will host a two day Introduction to Permaculture led by Saleema Imam, Terry Sculley and others. Cost to be confirmed.

Meet: Old Mortuary Chapel, Burngreave Cemetery, Melrose Rd, Pitsmoor, S3 9DN

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 20,75,76,88,265

Friends of Burngreave Chapel and Cemetery

Contact: Saleema 07950299073

saleema.imam141@googlemail.com

www.friendsofburngreavecemetery.btck.co.uk



10am – 12pm

Morning Song at the General Cemetery Learn about the Cemetery's bird life on this RSPB-led walk with volunteer P. Wingfield. The walk lasts for around 2 hours. There will be free light refreshments available at the end of the walk and a chance to find more about the Trust's work and have a look at some of our publications. No need to book, we suggest a minimum donation of £3 to support the work of the Trust.

Meet at: Anglican Chapel, Cemetery Road, S11 8FW, SK 34282 85870

Bus routes: 81, 82, 83, 83a, 84, 88

Sheffield General Cemetery Trust

Contact: Alex Quant 0114 2683486

sgct@gencem.org

www.gencem.org



10am

Bluebell Walk – Ecclesall Woods

Bluebell Walk, led by Sue Jackson.

Meet at: Meet outside Woodland Discovery Centre, Abbey Lane

Friends of Ecclesall Woods

Contact: Linda Evans

linda.evans2709@gmail.com



12pm

Environmental Exhibition - about the flora and fauna within Burngreave Cemetery curated by Christine Steers will be launched today by the Lord Mayor of Sheffield in the Old Mortuary Chapel near the Melrose Rd entrance to the cemetery.

Meet at: Old Mortuary Chapel, Melrose Road, S3 8DN

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 20,75,76,88,265

Burngreave Chapel and Cemetery

www.friendsofburngreavecemetery.btck.co.uk



1.30pm – 3pm

Guided walk - Burngreave Cemetery Christine Steers will lead a walk looking at some of the interesting graves and the flora and fauna within Cemetery.

Meet: Old Mortuary Chapel, Melrose Rd, S3 8DN

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 20,75,76,88,265

Burngreave Chapel and Cemetery

www.friendsofburngreavecemetery.btck.co.uk



2pm – 5pm

Westways Wildlife Garden Party

All welcome to join us for our annual garden party where we will have: A plant sale with a wide variety of plants, Cafe with homemade cakes, stalls selling a variety of goods (including garden related) All profits from the event go towards the school gardens and gardening activities for the children at school. There is a low step from the pavement into the playground. Toilets are accessed up one flight of stairs.

Meet at: Westways Primary School, Mona Avenue, Crookes, Sheffield, S10 1NE
westwaysgarden@yahoo.co.uk

www.westwaysprimary.co.uk/parents/wildlife-garden-group



8.30pm – 10pm

Bat Walk

Robert Croxton from the Sorby natural history society will give a short talk about bats followed by a bat walk in the grounds of Burngreave Cemetery.

Meet at: Old Mortuary Chapel, Melrose Rd,

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 20,75,76,88,265

Friends of Burngreave Chapel and Cemetery

Contact: Saleema

saleema.imam141@googlemail.com

www.friendsofburngreavecemetery.btck.co.uk



Sunday 8th May

9:30am - 2:30pm

Vegetable and Bedding Plant Sale

Surplus allotment society plant sale. Coffee and home-made cake available.

Meet at: Hagg Lane Allotment Trading Hut: Back Lane, S10

Hagg Lane Allotments Society

P. Kettleborough on 0114 266 4657

hagglaneallotments@hotmail.co.uk



9:30am - 4pm

Practical Conservation Project

Come and join us for a days practical conservation project..See 24th April.

Meet: City Hall Steps: Barkers Pool, S1

Sheffield Conservation Volunteers

Contact: Dave Robson on 0114 2223701

d.j.robson@sheffield.ac.uk

www.sheffieldconservation.org



10:30am - 12:30pm

Bluebell Walk - Our annual spring Bluebell walk will take us through some of the beautiful local woodland sites of this little known Sheffield valley. The walk is a good family event and we will be pointing out many

features of interest along the way. Please wear strong footwear

Meet at: The Premier Shop (junction of Leighton and Fleury Roads.)

Gleadless Valley Wildlife Trust

Contact: Jan Turner on 0114 2811327

jan137@blueyonder.co.uk

www.gleadlessvalley.wordpress.com



11am -

Moth identification - Richard Harris will help to identify species of moths found in Burngreave Cemetery overnight.

Meet: Old Mortuary Chapel, Melrose Road S3 8DN

Bus routes: 1,1a,3,20,75,76,88,265

Friends of Burngreave Chapel

saleema.imam141@googlemail.com

www.friendsofburngreavecemetery.btck.co.uk



11am - 3pm

Environment Exhibition - An exhibition about the flora and fauna within Burngreave Cemetery curated by Christine Steers will be on display.

Meet at: Old Mortuary Chapel, Burngreave Cemetery, near Melrose Road entrance, Pitsmoor, Sheffield S3 9DN

Bus routes: 1,1a,3,20,75,76,88,265:

Friends of Burngreave Chapel

burngreavecemetery@gmail.com

www.friendsofburngreavecemetery.btck.co.uk



11am - 4:30pm

Wortley Top Forge Open Day

See 24th April for details.

Meet at: Wortley Top Forge, Forge Lane, Thurgoland, S35 7DN

South Yorkshire Industrial History Soc.

Contact: G. Parkinson on 0114 281 7991

www.topforge.co.uk



Monday 9th May

10am - 12pm

Veg Patch Kids - Firth Park Community

Allotment - Specially designed with the under 5s in mind. No children on their own are allowed on site - all must be with a supervising adult. See 25th April.

Meet at: Firth Park Community Allotment: Vickers Drive, Firth Park S5 6TG

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 88:

Heeley City Farm:

Contact: Dot Rodman on 7985421346
dotrodman@heeleyfarm.org.uk



10am - 3pm

Volunteer Work Days Centenary Riverside
Second Monday of the month. Regular volunteer days take place on several of Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trusts nature reserves.

Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust

Contact for more information

nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com
www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



10:30am - 4pm

Meersbrook Walled Garden -

Volunteer and learn how to grow fruit and veg organically. See Monday 25th April.

Meet at: Meersbrook Walled Garden, Derbyshire Lane, Sheffield S8 9EH

Bus routes: 24, 25

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Nick Horne 07941182028
nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



7pm - 9pm

Much ado about nothing - Know the differences between a butterfly and a moth? Entomologist Ben Keywood is passionate about both butterflies and moths and will describe their importance as major environmental indicators

Meet at: Sheffield Botanical Gardens:

Clarkehouse Road, Sheffield S10 2LN Please check FOBS website for news of venue changes - may also affect access.

Bus routes: 81, 82, 83, 83a, 88:

FOBS

Contact: Lynda Price on 0114 273 0839
fobssheffield@yahoo.co.uk
www.fobssheffield.co.uk



7:30pm -

Bradfield Historical Society

Monthly meeting of Bradfield Historical Society, in Low Bradfield village hall - illustrated talk by Michael Collins "Rising to the Challenge - Sheffield Hospitals in WWI" - non-members welcome - meetings/events are held through the year - contact organiser for details"

Meet at: Low Bradfield Village Hall: The Sands, Low Bradfield, Sheffield S6 6LB

Bradfield Historical Society

Contact: Malcolm Nunn 0114 2337463
bradfield.history@mypostoffice.co.uk



7:30pm - 9pm

Wadsley and Loxley Commoners Talk

'Sheffielders on Holiday from the 1920's to the present day' by S. Bingham. Small entry charge, free refreshments.

Meet at: Wadsley Church Hall, Worrall Road, Wadsley, Sheffield S6 4BB

Bus routes: 5

Wadsley and Loxley Commoners

Contact: H. Isherwood 0114 2335331
hish@pobroadband.co.uk
www.wadsley-loxley.org



Tuesday 10th May

10am - 1pm

River Don Flood Defence Scheme River Clean Up - Volunteer Day - River Don with

the River Stewardship Company. Please use contact details to find out more if you are interested.

The River Stewardship Company:

Contact: Hellen Hornby on 0114 3540012

info@the-rsc.co.uk

www.the.rsc.co.uk



10:30am - 3:30pm

Sheffield Greenway: Eastern Loop: Darnall to Frechville.

We follow the Sheffield Greenway from Darnall through Acres Hill, Bowden Housteads Wood, the Shirtcliffe Valley, Flockton Park, Beighton Marsh Nature Reserve, Linleybank Meadow, Shirebrook Valley, Birley Spa bath house and wood to Frechville Pond. 8.2 miles linear.

Meet at: Arundel Gate mini interchange at 10.30 to catch 52 bus to Darnall.

Bus routes: 52

Walking Out in Sheffield

Contact: Rob Haslam 0114 287 9466

roberthaslam0@gmail.com



10:30am - 4pm

Wortley Hall Walled Kitchen Garden -

Volunteer and learn how to grow fruit and veg organically. See 26th April

Meet: Pick up point at Heeley City Farm

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Darrell Maryon 07768932613

darrell@heeleyfarm.org.uk



1:30pm -

Porter Valley Healthy Walking Group

Our group walks every Tuesday afternoon, See 26th April for details.

Meet at: Cafe in Endcliffe Park

Porter Valley Healthy Walking Group

Contact: carolfruitbatstevens@talktalk.net



7pm - 9pm

Loxley Valley Round Walk

Local History/Evening Round Walk in The Loxley Valley - start from Loxley village green. Walks are held through the year - contact organiser for details

Meet at: Loxley village green, junction of Loxley Road/Rodney Hill

Bradfield Historical Society:

Contact: Malcolm Nunn on 0114-2337463

bradfield.history@mypostoffice.co.uk



Wednesday 11th May

10am - 12pm

Botanical Gardens

Wednesday Morning Volunteers – See 27th April for details

Meet: Botanical Gardens, S10 2LN

Bus routes: 81, 82, 83, 83a,88:

FOBS

Contact: Lynda Price 0114 273 0839

fobssheffield@yahoo.co.uk

www.fobssheffield.co.uk



10am - 1pm

Midweek Walk - Shirebrook Valley Leaders:

John & Helen Ensor - There is no charge for this event.

Meet at: Shirebrook Valley car park, Woodhouse, Exit A57 Mosborough Parkway at Coisley Hill roundabout onto Sheffield Road, then right into Stone Lane and car park is on the right.

Sheffield RSPB Local Group

Contact: Helen Ensor on 7749932806

SheffieldRSPBlocalgroup@talktalk.net

www.rspb.org.uk/groups/sheffield



10:30am - 1:30pm

River Don Clean up and invasives

Volunteer Day - Livesey Street

Contact H. Hornby for further details.

The River Stewardship Company

0114 3540012 mob. 07766 35 29 32

Hellen.Hornby@the-rsc.co.uk

www.the.rsc.co.uk



10:30am - 4pm

Norfolk Park Community Garden –

See 27th April

Meet at: Norfolk Park Community Garden, off Guildford Avenue, Sheffield S2 2P

Bus: 7, 8, 8a, 50, 50a, 71, 120 or the tram to Norfolk Park Surgery then walk

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Nick Horne on 7941182028

nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



Thursday 12th May

10.15am

Woodhouse Wander to Beighton Marsh Nature

Reserve Circular walk of 4 - 6 miles. Leader

Rob Haslam

Meet Opposite WH Smith in Pond Street

Interchange at 10.15am:

Walking Out in Sheffield



9:30am - 12pm

Firth Park Community Allotment Volunteer

Session. Come along and help to maintain the allotment plots and learn valuable skills at the same time.

Meet at: Firth Park Community Allotment: Vickers Drive, Firth Park S5 6TG

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 88

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Dot Rodman on 7985421346

dotrodman@heeleyfarm.org.uk



10am -

Work Day - Porter Valley

Regular work day until lunchtime. Tools, and teas, provided. Wear suitable clothing and footwear.

Contact Ann le Sage.

Friends of Porter Valley

Contact: Ann le Sage on 07790250087

ann@lesage.org.uk

www.fopv.org



10am - 3pm

Volunteer Work Days

Blackburn Meadows Second Thursday of the month Regular volunteer days take place on several of Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trusts nature reserves.

Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust

nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com

www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



10:30am - 4pm

Wortley Hall Walled Kitchen Garden -

Volunteer and learn how to grow fruit and veg organically.. See 26th April.

Meet: Pick up point at Heeley City Farm **Heeley City Farm**

Contact: Darrell Maryon on 7768932613

darrell@heeleyfarm.org.uk



11am - 2pm

Using Herbs at LEAF. LEAF and Drink Wise, Age Well invite you to come along, discover this site and be part of this communitys work by taking part in a free group activity! We will be learning about the power and beauty of herbs, looking at herbs growing on site and how to use them in our everyday lives. Meet new people, have fun, learn and take some herbs away with you! We'll finish about 1pm to enjoy some freshly cooked and healthy soup.

Meet:LEAF, pedestrian entrance Norwood Allots, Herries Rd entrance between Devonshire Arms / N.Gen. Hos. S5 7HA

Bus routes: 20, 32, 38, 83, 83a, 97, 98,

LEAF Community Allotments Project

Contact: Diane Cocker 07799 851 888

diane@leafsheffield.org.uk

www.leafsheffield.org.uk



1pm - 3pm

Toddler Time - Firth Park Allotment

Specially designed with the under 5s in mind. See 28th April.

Meet at: Firth Park Community Allot. Vickers Drive, Firth Park S5 6TG

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 88

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Dot Rodman on 7985421346
dotrodman@heeleyfarm.org.uk



7pm - 9pm

Local History Walk

Enjoy a walk round Parkwood Springs, Roe Wood and Crabtree Pond. learning a little of the local history. About 3-4 miles.

Meet: car-park entrance, Cooks Wood Rd/ Shirecliffe Road Sheffield S3 9AA

Bus: Many routes on Burngreave Road, to Pitsmoor Post Office.

Friends of Parkwood Springs

Contact: Neill Schofield 0777 156 4883
parkwood.springs@googlemail/com
www.parkwood-springs.org.uk



Friday 13th May

10:30am - 12:30pm

Organic Growing Sessions Heeley City Farm Kitchen Garden

Volunteer and learn how to grow fruit and veg organically. See 29th April.

Meet: Heeley Farm, Richards Rd, S2 3DT

Bus routes: 18, 56:

Heeley City Farm

Contact S.Peet/ N. Horne 0114 250 5113
safeplaces@heeleyfarm.org.uk or
nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



Saturday 14th May

8am - 11am

May Spring Bird Walk with Pete Brown

Meet at: Waterthorpe and Owlthorpe Beighton/ Drakehouse Lane tram stop

Bus routes: Blue route tram

Sheffield Landscape Trust

Contact: Karl Knight on 0114 2735804
karl.knight@sheffield.gov.uk



10am - 1pm

Wortley Hall Walled Garden Organic Food Growing Master Classes Spring 2016. FRUIT.

Exploring the range of fruit crops and their suitability to your garden. Planting, cultivation and pruning methods. Pest and disease prevention, harvesting and storage methods.

See 23rd April.

Meet at: Wortley Hall Kitchen Garden: Wortley, South Yorkshire S35 7DB

Heeley City Farm:

Contact: Darrell Maryon on 07768 932613
darrell@heeleyfarm.org.uk
www.organickitchengarden.co.uk



10am - 12:30pm

Work Day with Friends of Firth Park and North Sheffield Conservation Group

Join the Friends of Firth Park and the North Sheffield Conservation Group to help to tidy up the willow tunnel at the Ripples Project at Firth Park.

Meet: Clock Tower, Firth Park Rd S5 6WS

Bus routes: 75 and 76

Friends of Firth Park

Contact: H. Isherwood 0114 2335331
hish@pobroadband.co.uk



10am - 1pm

Creative writing workshop - Brincliffe Edge

Wood. Join S. Evans and the Friends of Brincliffe Edge Wood for a creative writing workshop inspired by the woods in spring and their wildlife, landscape and history. There will be time to write in the woods at intervals during a short walk. This is a wonderful opportunity to benefit from tuition from an expert who loves the woods and is acclaimed for her own work £10 (A wet weather alternative will be arranged). Numbers will be limited to 15 so e-mail Suzanna.

She is a poet-in-residence at Bank Street Arts

Meet at: contact Suzanna:

Friends of Brincliffe Edge Wood:

Contact: S. Evans on 0773 7766940
evans.suzie@googlemail.com



10am - 4:30am

Introduction to Permaculture

Day 2 of the Introduction to Permaculture Course begun on Saturday 7th May

Meet:The Old Mortuary Chapel Burngreave Cemetery S3 9DN

Bus routes: 1,1a,3,20,75,76,88,265:

Burngreave Chapel and Cemetery

Contact: Saleema on 07950 299 073

saleema.imam141@googlemail.com

www.friendsofburngreavecemetery.btck.co.uk



10:30am - 12pm

Tour of Wardsend Cemetery - A 90 min. walk through the history, living and dead, of the cemetery and the surrounding area. The cemetery is a living history of the St Philip's parish and beyond. We have stories of life and death in Victorian times intermingled with the equally interesting wildlife that today inhabits the cemetery. Join us on the tour and experience Wardsend for yourself. Car Parking Park after the bridge there is room for up to 7-8 cars, please park carefully so as to allow other vehicles to park. General Notes We advise that visitors wear casual outdoor clothing and strong footwear due to the uphill and uneven terrain of the ground. Visitors with mobility problems may find the tour difficult.

Meet at: Cooper's car spares. Junction of Livesey Street and Club Mill Road:

Bus routes: numbers 7 & 86 Stagecoach and number 8 First Mainline, from city centre the buses stop at B&Q and St John's the Evangelist church/Swann Morton along Penistone Rd. At the junction of Penistone Road and Bradfield Rd turn right cross over road and walk down Livesey St following it around the Greyhound Track and past Hillsborough College, carry on over the River Bridge and we meet by the steps at Cooper's car spares. For visitors coming towards Sheffield the same bus stops apply but turn left down Livesey St.

Friends of Wardsend Cemetery

Contact: wardsend@gmail.com

www.friendsofwardsendcemetery.btck.co.uk/



10:30am - 12:30pm

Bug Hunt and meet the Green Man in

Chapelton Park - Free event, all welcome.

Refreshments available.

Meet at: Chapelton Park

Friends of Chapelton Park

Contact: Doris Denton 07985 175 268

roydoris@sky.co

www.chapeltonpark.co.uk



10:30am - 1:30pm

Volunteer Day - River Don, Leveson Street, Norfolk Bridge (Upstream) with the Friends of the Blue Loop.

The River Stewardship Company

Contact: 07503654724

theblueloop@gmail.com

www.the.rsc.co.uk



11am - 1pm

Low Edges Fire Station Community Growing Project – See 30th April.

Meet:Low Edges Fire Station, S8 7JN

Bus routes: 75, 76

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Craig Barnett on 7955342152

craig.barnett@heeleyfarm.org.uk



11am - 3pm

Environmental Exhibition - about the flora and fauna within Burngreave Cemetery. See 7th May.

Old Mortuary Chapel, Melrose Rd S3 8DN

Bus routes: 1,1a,3,20,75,76,88,265

Burngreave Chapel and Cemetery

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1pm - 3pm

Craft Session - PitsmoorAdventure

Playground - Environmental Craft Session for Children aged 8-13. Craft session will have an environmental theme and utilise salvaged materials to upcycle into new playground parts. Children encouraged to follow their creative instincts and play will be used as a vehicle to

develop additional equipment for the adventure playground. Children under 8 must be supervised by a parent/carer and should wear clothes they don't mind getting messy in. Supported by Sheffield Green Spaces Forum

Meet at: Pitsmoor Adventure Playground Melrose Road, Sheffield S3 9DN

Bus routes: 75, 76

Pitsmoor Adventure Playground

Contact: P. Meleady 0114 2737121

lmeleady@btinternet.com

www.facebook.com/PitsmoorAdventures



1:30pm - 3:30pm

Introduction to Nature Journaling

Join Charlie Hill for an interactive nature spotting walk near Ecclesall Library. Gather natural materials, spot signs of summer and learn how to sound map. Using your collection, design and create a number of journal pages using a variety of documentation such as collage, words, drawing and sampling. Your journal can be taken away with you to build and develop throughout the changing seasons. Tickets cost £3.00, to be purchased in advance.

Meet at: Ecclesall Library

Sheffield Libraries

Contact: Dan Marshall on 0114 203 7222

ecclesall.library@sheffield.gov.uk

www.sheffieldlibraries.eventbrite.co.uk



Sunday 15th May

9:30am - 4pm

Make your own 'Besome' Broom & Carve a Spatula - £85. Besom brooms are made from the twiggy growth of the birch tree, and so the craft was particularly strong in areas where birch coppices abounded. Book early as places are limited to ensure a high quality personal experience with our dedicated team of craft experts. Book online through PayPal.

Meet: J. G. Graves Woodland Discovery Centre, Ecclesall Woods Abbey Lane, Sheffield S7 2QZ

Ecclesall Woods Craft Courses

Contact: 0114 2356348

contact@ecclesallwoodcraftcourses.co.uk

www.ecclesallwoodcraftcourses.co.uk



9:30am - 4pm

Practical Conservation Project

See 24th April.

Meet: City Hall Steps, Barkers Pool, S1
Sheffield Conservation Volunteers

Contact: Dave Robson on 0114 2223701

d.j.robson@sheffield.ac.uk

www.sheffieldconservation.org



10am - 3pm

Volunteer Work Days - Wyming Brook & Fox Hagg. For details contact -

Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust

nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com

www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



11am - 3pm

What's happening at Wharnccliffe? - An opportunity to join some of the trustees on a casual walk around Wharnccliffe Heath nature reserve, observing and discussing aspects of management of the site. There should be lots of interesting wildlife to observe too! Please bring your own lunch and wear a pair of sturdy boots

Meet at: River Don bridge, Station Road, Deepcar SK291981 S36 2SQ

Bus routes: Supertram Link 57

Wharnccliffe Heathlands Trust

Contact: Dave Buttle 07515106966

d.j.buttle@sheffield.ac.uk

www.wharnccliffeheathlandstrust.org.uk/



11am - 4:30pm

Wortley Top Forge Open Day

See 24th April

Meet at: Wortley Top Forge, Forge Lane, Thurgoland, S35 7DN

S. Yorkshire Trades Historical Trust

Contact: G. Parkinson 0114 281 7991

www.topforge.co.uk



Monday 16 May

10am - 12pm

Veg Patch Kids - Firth Park Community Allotment

Specially designed with the under 5s in mind. Come and join us, have fun and learn about nature and the plants we grow and eat. See 25th April.

Meet at: Firth Park Community Allotment: Vickers Drive, Firth Park S5 6TG

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 88:

Heeley City Farm:

Contact: Dot Rodman on 7985421346
dotrodman@heeleyfarm.org.uk



10:30am - 4pm

Meersbrook Walled Garden - Organic Growing Sessions

Volunteer and learn how to grow fruit and veg organically. See Monday 25th April

Meet at: Meersbrook Walled Garden: Derbyshire Lane, Sheffield S8 9EH

Bus routes: 24, 25:

Heeley City Farm:

Contact: Nick Horne on 7941182028
nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



7:30pm - 9pm

The Future of Historic Weirs

A lecture by James Thomson who has recently written a report for Historic England on the current threats to historic weirs in Sheffield and elsewhere.

Meet at: Kelham Island Museum: Alma Street Sheffield S3 8RY

Bus routes: Tram to Shalesmoor:

South Yorkshire Industrial History Society:

Contact: Derek Bayliss on 0114 230 7693
v.bayliss@btinternet.com



7:30pm - 9:30pm

Climate Change Whose Responsibility?

Panel: S. Croft, Bishop of Sheffield (TBC)
N. Nuttgens (Carbon Conversations Facilitator)
Andy Atkins (new CEO of A Rocha) Jo Musker-Sherwood (Hope for the Future). Talks and discussion on why caring about climate change

and the planet is important for Christians, how senior church leaders are stressing the importance of this, practical information on how Christians and others can and do take action to help the planet. Followed by a panel discussion and questions from the floor, and a small-group session

Meet at: St Andrew's Psalter Lane Church: 31 Psalter Lane Sheffield S11 8YL

Bus routes: 4, 4A

St. Andrews Psalter Lane Church

Contact: J. Loughridge, 0114 2678289
office@standrewspsalterlane.org.uk
www.standrewspsalterlane.org.uk



Tuesday 17th May

10am - 1pm

River Don - Flood Defence Scheme River Clean Up.

Volunteer Day - with the River

Stewardship Company. Contact -

The River Stewardship Company

0114 3540012 info@the-rsc.co.uk

www.the.rsc.co.uk



10:30am - 1pm

Little Don Valley Walk - Local History/Morning

Round Walk in the Little Don Valley - walks are held through the year - contact organiser for details

Meet at: Langsett Barn car park, A616 road north of Stocksbridge

Bradfield Historical Society

Contact: Malcolm Nunn on 0114-2337463

bradfield.history@mypostoffice.co.uk



10:30am - 4pm

Wortley Hall Walled Kitchen Garden -

Volunteer - See 26th April

Meet: Pick up point at Heeley City Farm. **Heeley City Farm**

Contact: Darrell Maryon on 7768932613

darrell@heeleyfarm.org.uk



1:30pm -

Porter Valley Healthy Walking Group

Our group walks every Tuesday afternoon, See 26th April.

Meet at: Cafe in Endcliffe Park

Porter Valley Healthy Walking Group

carolfruitbatstevens@talktalk.net



6:30pm - 9pm

Why We Need Economic Justice for Climate

Justice... How do we make the leap? Come and hear from provocative speakers, including Sarah-Jayne Clifton from Jubilee Debt Campaign, about the connections between equity, economy and climate change - and join our debate about making the big changes needed. Free but registration is helpful to give us an idea of numbers - www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/why-we-need-economic-justice-for-climate-justice-tickets-22163551780

Meet: Quaker Meeting House, S1 2EW



Wednesday 18th May

10am - 12pm

Botanical Gardens - Wednesday Morning
Volunteers - See 27th April.

Meet: Botanical Gardens, S10 2LN

Bus routes: 81, 82, 83, 83a, 88:

FOBS

Contact: Lynda Price on 0114 273 0839

fobssheffield@yahoo.co.uk

www.fobssheffield.co.uk



10am - 3pm

Pyrography for Adults [the Art of Writing with Fire]- £85 Would you like to have a go at a traditional folk art? Book online through PayPal.

Meet: Graves Woodland Discovery Centre, Ecclesall Woods, Abbey Lane, S7 2QZ

Ecclesall Woods Craft Courses

Contact: 0114 2356348

contact@ecclesallwoodcraftcourses.co.uk

www.ecclesallwoodcraftcourses



10:30am - 1:30pm

Volunteer Day - Tinsley Canal

Please use contact details for confirmation and for more details

The River Stewardship Company:

07767383736

www.the.rsc.co.uk

lucy.dockray@canalrivertrust.org.uk



10:30am - 4pm

Norfolk Park Community Garden –

See 27th April

Meet: Norfolk Park Community Garden

Bus: 7, 8, 8a, 50, 50a, 71, 120 or tram

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Nick Horne 07941182028

nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



6:30pm - 8:30pm

A Walk Round Historic Broomhall

A look at Broomhall, now rather run-down in parts but still with some very interesting buildings - and an interesting history. Walk led by Graham Hague

Meet at: The Francis Newton pub: Clarkehouse Road Sheffield S10 2LA

Bus 120 [alight at Hallamshire Hospital]:

S. Yorkshire Group, The Victorian Soc.

Contact: G. Hague 0114 268 6729

j.hague123@btinternet.com or

v.bayliss@btinternet.com



Thursday 19th May

9:30am - 12pm

Firth Park Community Allotment Volunteer Session Come along and help to maintain the allotment plots and learn valuable skills at the same time.

Meet at: Firth Park Community Allotment: Vickers Drive, Firth Park S5 6TG

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 88

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Dot Rodman 07985421346

dotrodman@heeleyfarm.org.uk



10am - 3pm

Volunteer Work Days. Blacka Moor -

For more information contact

Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust

nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com

www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



10:30am - 4pm

Wortley Hall Walled Kitchen Garden - See

26th April for further details.

Meet: Pick up point at Heeley City Farm.

Bus routes: 29

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Darrell Maryon 07768932613

darrell@heeleyfarm.org.uk



11am - 2pm

Food & Mood at LEAF

LEAF and Drink Wise, Age Well invite you to take part in a free group activity! Investigate into Mood and how Food can affect and assist. Looking at our mental and physical health, share recipe ideas that are low cost and healthy to take away and try out at home. At 1pm we will sit together and freshly cooked, healthy soup.

Meet: LEAF, pedestrian entrance to Norwood Allots, Herries Rd between Devonshire Arms and Northern General Hospital S5 7HA

Bus routes: 20, 32, 38, 83, 83a, 97, 98,;

LEAF Community Allotments Project:

Contact: Diane Cocker 07799 851 888

diane@leafsheffield.org.uk

www.leafsheffield.org.uk



1pm - 3pm

Toddler Time - Firth Park Allotment

Specially designed with the under 5s in mind. See Thursday 28th April. No children on their own are allowed on site.

Meet at: Firth Park Community Allotment:

Vickers Drive, Firth Park S5 6TG

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 88

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Dot Rodman 07985421346

dotrodman@heeleyfarm.org.uk



6pm - 7:30pm

Joseph Hunter's Sheffield in 1800

A walk around Sheffield city centre of c1800, seeing the buildings connected with antiquarian Joseph Hunter's life.

Meet at: front of Sheffield Town Hall, Pinstone Street, Sheffield S1 2HH

Hunter Archaeological Society

Contact: Ruth Morgan on 1142882640

ruthmorgan755@hotmail.com

<https://sites.google.com/site/hunterarchaeologicalsociety/>



7:30pm -

A Short History of Steel Making

A Short History of Steel Making, speaker John Quick. Non Members £2.00

Meet at: Hillsborough Sports Arena, Middlewood Road, Hillsborough, Sheffield S6 4HA

Bus: Yellow Tram to Hillsborough Park:

Hillsborough and Owlerton local history

Contact: J. Morton on 0114 2863017

jmorton2014@talktalk.net



Friday 20th May

10:30am - 12:30pm

Organic Growing Sessions Heeley City Farm Kitchen Garden See 29th April.

Meet: Heeley City Farm, S2 3DT

Bus routes: 18, 56

Heeley City Farm

Contact: S. Peet/N. Horne 0114 250 5113

safeplaces@heeleyfarm.org.uk or

nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



Saturday 21st May

8am -

Bird Identification Walk - led by Paul Medforth.

This walk often offers a chance to learn about migrants.

Meet: Outside Woodland Discovery Centre, Abbey Lane

Friends of Ecclesall Woods

Contact: linda.evans2709@gmail.com

www.friendsofecclesallwoods.org.uk



From 8.30 am

Magnificent Walk 2016

The Friends of the Peak District annual walk event will take place in 2016 from Hayfield, taking in the 18 mile Hayfield Skyline. A lovely 11 mile circuit and a gentle 5 mile family walk are also available. 18 mile walk £12 per person starts at 8.30am. 11 mile walk £12 per person starts at 9am. 5 mile walk £7 per person starts at 9.30am Under 16s FREE

You can send a cheque made payable to 'CPRE South Yorkshire' to us at 37 Stafford Road, Sheffield, S2 2SF

Meet at: Hayfield

CPRE South Yorkshire

www.cpresouthyorks.org.uk



9:30am - 2:30pm

Vegetable and Bedding Plant Sale

Surplus plant sale by members. Coffee and home-made cake available.

Meet: Hagg Lane Allot. Back Lane, S10

Bus routes: 51

Hagg Lane & District Allot. Soc

Contact: P.Kettleborough 0114 266 4657

hagglaneallotments@hotmail.co.uk



10.15am

Worrall Circular Walk of 4 to 6 miles, Leader Lynn Oxlade

Meet at: Opposite WH Smith in Pond Street Interchange at 10.15am:

Walking Out in Sheffield



10am - 12pm

Go Wild! Junior Wildlife Activity Session - Pond Dipping. Join Heeley City Farms nature detectives in the Wildlife Garden and find out more about the under- water world of our nature pond. Build your own net to take home. Family activity for children up to 12 years old, under 8s must be supervised by an adult. Accompanying adults are welcome to stay £2.50 per child, adults free, 10 Places, book in advance. Come dressed for the weather, outside activity, boots

and clothes to get messy in. Supported by Sheff. Green Spaces Forum

Meet at: the Energy Centre at the far end of the Farm site, Alexandra Road, S2 3DT

Bus routes: 18, 56

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Saskia Peet on 0114 250 5113

s.hardy@heeleyfarm.org.uk.



10:30am - 4:30pm

Create Natural Artworks at LEAF

Join natural artist and stone balancer

J. Brunt for a day of creativity. Using the unique surroundings at LEAF allotments, James will be showing you how simple, easy and fun it is to use the natural environment and materials foraged on site to create temporary works of art and instigate playful investigation. Stones, sticks and all things found will be given an artistic make-over during the day, so come along and discover your creative side. Lunch at 1pm bring a picnic!

Meet: LEAF via pedestrian entrance to Norwood Allots, Herries Rd between Devonshire Arms/ N. Gen. Hos. S5 7HA

Bus routes: 20, 32, 38, 83, 83a, 97, 98,

LEAF Community Allotments Project

Contact: Diane Cocker on 07799 851 888

diane@leafsheffield.org.uk

www.leafsheffield.org.uk



11am - 2:30pm

Hardy Plant Society Plant Sale

Spring Plant Sale to be held in Botanical Gardens by the South Pennine Group of the Hardy Plant Society We are once again holding our popular two-day Spring Plant Sale in the Botanical Gardens on Free admission, refreshments available and our experienced and friendly members will be on hand to advise and welcome you. A wide and varied selection of hardy plants, both familiar and the more unusual, at very reasonable prices are available, all grown locally by our members, to withstand our Sheffield climate and conditions. If you would like further information about the South Pennine Group of the Hardy Plant Society please visit our website **Meet at:** Botanical Gardens: nearest entrance Thompson Road

Bus routes: 81, 82, 83, 88. To Berkley Precinct, (Tesco) opposite Thompson Rd:

S. Pennine Group the Hardy Plant Soc.

Contact: Jean Gater on 0114 230 6133

nije.gater@blueyonder.co.uk

www.southpenninehps.btck.co.uk



11am - 3pm

Environment Exhibition

See 7th May.

Meet: Old Mortuary Chapel: Melrose Road S3 8DN

Bus routes: 1,1a,3,20,75,76,88,265

Friends Burngreave Chapel & Cemetery

hwww.friendsofburngreavecemetery.btck.co.uk



12:30pm - 4pm

Make a 3-Legged Rustic Stool

Make a 3-Legged Rustic Stool in green wood £85. Book early as places are limited. Book online through PayPal.

Meet: Graves Woodland Discovery Centre, Ecclesall Woods, Abbey Lane, S7 2QZ

Ecclesall Woods Craft Courses

Contact: 0114 2356348

contact@ecclesallwoodcraftcourses.co.uk

www.ecclesallwoodcraftcourses



2pm - 5pm

The Loxley Valley Revisited: Water Power and Fireclay. Walk from Rowel Bridge downstream to Malin Bridge, looking at remains of water-powered industry. Walking shoes or boots essential.

Meet at: Malin Bridge tram terminus for bus to Stanington:

Bus routes: Blue route tram, 81, 82

South Yorks Industrial History Society

Contact: Graham Hague 0114 268 6729



Sunday 22nd May

4:30am - 8:30am

Dawn Chorus Walk

Join Andrew Hill and friends on an early morning stroll in the woods and on the heath at Wharnccliffe Heath nature reserve. As well as the commoner birds we have a good chance of hearing and maybe seeing Wood Warbler, Redstart, Cuckoo, Spotted and Pied Flycatcher. Andrew will identify the birds and describe the distinguishing features of their song and plumage. Please wear suitable clothing (it can be cold in the early morning in May) and sturdy footwear.

Meet at: River Don bridge: Station Road, Deepcar SK291981 S36 2SQ

Bus routes: Supertram Link/57

Wharnccliffe Heathlands Trust

Contact: Dave Buttle 07515106966

d.j.buttle@sheffield.ac.uk

www.wharnccliffeheathlandstrust.org.uk/index.html



9:30am - 2:30pm

Vegetable and Bedding Plant Sale

Surplus allotment society plant sale. Coffee and home-made cake available.

Meet: Hagg Lane Allotment Trading Hut, Back Lane, Sheffield S10

Bus routes: 51

Hagg Lane Allotments Society

Contact: P. Kettleborough 0114 266 4657

hagglaneallotments@hotmail.co.uk



9:30am - 4pm

Practical Conservation Project

See 24th April

Meet: City Hall Steps, Barkers Pool, S1

Sheffield Conservation Volunteers

Contact: Dave Robson 0114 2223701

d.j.robson@sheffield.ac.uk

www.sheffieldconservation.org



10am - 1:30pm

Hardy Plant Society Plant Sale

Spring Plant Sale to be held in Botanical Gardens. See Saturday 21st May

Meet at: Botanical Gardens: nearest entrance Thompson Road

Bus: 81, 82, 83, 88.

S. Pennine Group of Hardy Plant Soc.

Contact: Jean Gater 0114 230 6133

nije.gater@blueyonder.co.uk
www.southpenninehps.btck.co.uk



10am - 3pm

Plant Sale Hangingwater Allotment

Association - We are holding a spring plant sale in support of Friends of the Porter Valley at Shepherd Wheel.

Meet at: Shepherd Wheel

Hangingwater Allotment Association

Contact: Rob Hawkins 0114 2309293
rabhawkins@hotmail.com



11am - 3pm

Environment Exhibition – Burngreave

Cemetery. An exhibition about the flora and fauna. See 8th May.

Meet: Old Mortuary Chapel, Burngreave Cemetery, near Melrose Road entrance, Pitsmoor Sheffield S3 9DN

Bus routes: 1,1a,3,20,75,76,88,265:

Friends of Burngreave Chapel

burngreavecemetery@gmail.com
www.friendsofburngreavecemetery.btck.co.uk



11am - 4:30pm

Wortley Top Forge Open Day

See 24th April.

Meet at: Wortley Top Forge, Forge Lane, Thurgoland, S35 7DN

S. Yorkshire Trades Historical Trust

Contact: G. Parkinson on 0114 281 7991



Monday 22nd May

10am - 12pm

Veg Patch Kids - Firth Park Community

Allotment. See 25th April.

Meet at: Firth Park Community Allotment, Vickers Drive, Firth Park S5 6TG

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 88:

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Dot Rodman on 7985421346
dotrodman@heeleyfarm.org.uk



10:30am - 4pm

Meersbrook Walled Garden - Volunteer See Monday 25th April,

Meet at: Meersbrook Walled Garden, Derbyshire Lane, Sheffield S8 9EH

Bus routes: 24, 25

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Nick Horne on 7941182028
nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



Tuesday 24th May

10am -

Work Day - Porter Valley

Regular work day. Meeting at 10am, working until lunchtime. Tools, and teas, provided. Wear suitable clothing and footwear. Contact Ann le Sage for details.

Friends of Porter Valley

Contact: Ann le Sage 07790250087
ann@lesage.org.uk www.fopv.org.uk



10am - 12pm

Habitat creation

The speaker, Douglas Fraser, is an environmental scientist, Senior Lecturer and course leader for BSc Honours Degree in Env. Management, Sheffield Hallam University. Note: Gardens classroom is due for demolition and a new Education Centre will be built. Please check FOBS website for news of venue changes - this may also affect access.

Meet at: Sheffield Botanical Gardens
Clarkehouse Road, Sheffield S10 2LN

Bus routes: 81, 82, 83, 83a, 88

FOBS

Contact: Lynda Price 0114 273 0839
fobssheffield@yahoo.co.uk
www.fobssheffield.co.uk



10am - 1pm

River Don Flood Defence Scheme River Clean

Up Volunteer Day - with the River Stewardship Company. Please use contact

details for confirmation and to find out more if you are interested.

The River Stewardship Company

Contact: 0114 3540012

info@the-rsc.co.uk

www.the.rsc.co.uk



10:30am - 4pm

Wortley Hall Walled Kitchen Garden

Volunteer sessions - See 26th April

Meet: Pick up point at Heeley City Farm. **Bus routes:** 29

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Darrell Maryon on 7768932613

darrell@heeleyfarm.org.uk



1:30pm -

Porter Valley Healthy Walking Group

Our group walks every Tuesday afternoon, **Meet at:** Cafe in Endcliffe Park

Porter Valley Healthy Walking Group:

Contact: carolfruitbatstevens@talktalk.net



Wednesday 25th May

10am - 12pm

Volunteer Work Days - Sunnybank - Fourth

Wednesday of the month Regular volunteer days take place on several of Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trusts nature reserves. Contact for details

Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust

nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com

www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



10am - 12pm

Botanical Gardens

Wednesday Morning Volunteers - come and join the team who help to maintain these beautiful gardens. See 27th April.

Meet at: Sheffield Botanical Gardens, Clarkehouse Road, Sheffield S10 2LN

Bus routes: 81, 82, 83, 83a, 88

FOBS

Contact: Lynda Price 0114 273 0839

fobssheffield@yahoo.co.uk

www.fobssheffield.co.uk



10:30am - 4pm

Norfolk Park Community Garden

See 27th April.

Meet at: Norfolk Park Community Garden, Off Guildford Avenue, Sheffield S2 2P

Bus: 7, 8, 8a, 50, 50a 71, 120 or tram

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Nick Horne 07941182028

nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



10:30am - 1:30pm

Balsam bashing - Ha'penny Br.

(Downstream) River Don with Friends of the Blue Loop. Contact for details

The River Stewardship Company

07503654724 theblueloop@gmail.com

www.the.rsc.co.uk



6:30pm - 8:30pm

Down Behind the Cathedral - A look at the area down the hill behind Sheffield Cathedral, full of history, interesting buildings and odd corners - many people don't know it. There is always lots to find. Led by V. Bayliss. Please note some short sections on very steep streets and some on cobbles [or both].

Meet at: Anglican Cathedral forecourt, Church Street S1 1HA

S. Yorkshire Group, The Victorian Soc.

Contact: Valerie Bayliss 0114 239 7693

v.bayliss@btinternet.com



7pm - 8:30pm

Wild Flower Walk with the Wadsley and Loxley Commoners - Round walk return to car park at any time.

Meet at: Rural Lane Car Park, Wadsley, off Rural Lane/Worrall Road S6 4BL

Bus routes: 57

Wadsley and Loxley Commoners

Contact: H. Isherwood on 0114 2335331

hish@pobroadband.co.uk

www.wadsley-loxley.org



Thursday 26th May

9:30am - 12pm

Firth Park Community Allotment Volunteer Session - Come along and help to maintain the allotment plots.

Meet at: Firth Park Community Allotment, Vickers Drive, Firth Park S5 6TG

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 88

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Dot Rodman 07985421346
dotrodman@heeleyfarm.org.uk



10:30am - 4pm

Wortley Hall Walled Kitchen Garden - Organic Growing - See 26th April.

Meet: Pick up point at Heeley City Farm.

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Darrell Maryon on 7768932613
darrell@heeleyfarm.org.uk



11am - 2pm

Open Day at HOPE Community Allotment Project - Wincobank Allotment Site, - Plot 80

come along and see what we do, all will be given a warm welcome.

Meet: Plot 80 entrance opposite no 343 Windmill Lane, Wincobank Allot. Site, Windmill Lane, Sheffield S5 6FX

Bus routes: First bus 76 takes visitors to Bracken Road, by the junction with Wincobank Avenue, leaving only a short walk to the entrance on Windmill Lane

H.O.P.E. Community Allotment Project

philwebster@blueyonder.co.uk
tradebaseallotment.btck.co.uk



11am - 2pm

Pin-hole Photography at LEAF

LEAF and Drink Wise, Age Well invite you to come along, discover this beautiful site and be part of this exciting community work by taking

part in a free group activity! Ever tried pinhole photography? Want to? We will explore the LEAF site to discover its secrets and through the power of creativity, make our own cameras using pinhole techniques, exposing the image, staging a mini gallery and then taking home your own image all as a group and in the fresh air. Perfect! We'll finish the activity at 1pm to sit together and enjoy some freshly cooked and healthy soup.

Meet at: LEAF via pedestrian entrance to Norwood Allotments, Herries Road between Devonshire Arms and Northern General Hospital S5 7HA

Bus routes: 20, 32, 38, 83, 83a, 97, 98,:

LEAF Community Allotments Project:

Contact: Diane Cocker on 07799 851 888
diane@leafsheffield.org.uk
www.leafsheffield.org.uk



1pm - 3pm

Toddler Time - Firth Park Community Allotment - Specially designed with the under 5s

in mind. See Thursday 28th April.

Meet at: Firth Park Community Allotment, Vickers Drive, Firth Park S5 6TG

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 88

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Dot Rodman on 7985421346
dotrodman@heeleyfarm.org.uk



Friday 27th May

10am - 3pm

Volunteer Work Days

Greno Woods Fourth Friday of the month. Regular volunteer days take place on several of Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trusts nature reserves. For more information contact - **Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust** nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com
www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



10:30am - 12:30pm

Organic Growing Sessions - Farm Kitchen Garden - See 29th April.

Meet: Heeley Farm, Richards Rd, S2 3DT

Bus routes: 18, 56

Heeley City Farm

Contact: S. Peet/N.Horne 0114 250 5113

safeplaces@heeleyfarm.org.uk or

nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



Saturday 28th May

10am - 12:30pm

Workday - Help to maintain the footpaths on Parkwood Springs. Fresh air and exercise with a friendly group of people, and a cuppa break in the middle.

Meet at: car-park entrance Cooks Wood Road/Shirecliffe Road Sheffield S3 9AA

Bus: 32, or numerous o Burngreave Road

Friends of Parkwood Springs

Contact: Neill Schofield on 0777 156 4883

parkwood.springs@googlemail.com

www.parkwood-springs.org.uk



10am - 2pm

Plant Sale - Walkley Bank Allotment Society -

See 30th April.

Tea, coffee and cakes available. The shop will be open for general garden supplies to members. Membership £1 per annum Sat Sun and Bank Holiday Monday

Meet: Allotment Hut, Morley Street, S6 2PL

Walkley Bank Allotment Society

Contact: Dan 07940965922

morleystreetallotments@gmail.com



10am - 4pm

Repair Cafe at Heeley City Farm

(last repair at 3.30pm) Got any broken household items that need fixing but you don't know how? Or gifts that have come unstuck? Don't throw them away and contribute to landfill, bring it along to Repair Sheffield's Repair Cafe and volunteer fixers will take a look at it and see if they can work their magic on it. Small electrical items, shoes, scales, toys, tools and wooden furniture are just some of the items that can be brought along, and that have been successfully fixed at previous cafes. Fixers will show you how to mend and pass

on valuable knowledge which will enable you to do things for yourself, or go into a repair shop with enough know how to feel confident of getting the job done properly. This event is free but we gratefully welcome donations if people are able as the project has no funding. Partnership with Repair Sheffield

Meet at: Community Room by the pond at Heeley City Farm, Richards Rd, S2 3DT

Bus routes: 18, 56

Heeley City Farm



11am - 1pm

Low Edges Fire Station Community Growing Project – See 14th May.

Meet at: Low Edges Fire Station, Low Edges Road, Sheffield S8 7JN

Bus routes: 75, 76:

Heeley City Farm:

Contact: Craig Barnett on 7955342152

craig.barnett@heeleyfarm.org.uk



11am - 5pm

Meet the RSPB Local Group in the Botanical Gardens - Come along and he Local RSPB and find out what we get up to. Display and Information on Giving Nature a Home. Plant and Book sale

Meet at: Sheffield Botanical Gardens , Thompson Road end

Sheffield RSPB Local Group

Contact: Helen Ensor 07749932806

SheffieldRSPBlocalgroup@talktalk.net

www.rspb.org.uk/groups/sheffield



Sunday 29th May

9:30am - 4pm

Introduction to Pole Lathe Turning

Introduction to Pole Lathe Turning - £85 A Course to introduce you to Green wood craft and using a Pole Lathe. Book early as places are limited, online through PayPal.

Meet: Graves Woodland Discovery Centre, Ecclesall Woods, Abbey Ln S7 2QZ

Ecclesall Woods Craft Courses

Contact: 0114 2356348

contact@ecclesallwoodcraftcourses.co.uk
www.ecclesallwoodcraftcourses.co.uk



10am - 12pm

Field meeting at Bolehill Recreation Ground, Crookes. This popular park is well known for its impressive views across the Rivelin Valley to Stannington and beyond. Part of the park has been designated as a Local Wildlife Site". A mosaic of heathland

Meet: Entrance to Bolehill Recreation Ground on Northfield Ave, Crookes (SK32808816). S10 1QN

Bus routes: 52/52a

Sorby Natural History Society

Contact: R. Butterfield 07771957530

membership@sorby.org.uk

http://www.sorby.org.uk/



10am - 2pm

Plant Sale - Walkley Bank Allotment Society.
See 30th April.

Surplus plants donated by members.

Meet at: Morley St, allotment hut, Morley st
(Junction with Walkley Bank Rd end) Sheffield S6 2PL

Walkley Bank Allotment Society

Contact: Dan 07940965922

morleystreetallotments@gmail.com



10:30am - 1pm

Bounds of Bradway walk

A free Walk of the Bounds of Bradway. This is a fairly recent annual tradition started by local amateur historian and long time resident T.Smith. Part of the walk is on potentially muddy footpaths and is hilly in places. It will take about 2 to 2.5 hours, may be about 3 miles. Walkers will learn about the history of this small suburb of Sheffield, formerly part of rural Derbyshire. They may find corners they hadn't realised were there. They may hear explanations of things theyd passed many times without noticing their significance. The walk is suitable for active people of all ages, including children with enquiring minds.

Meet at: Outside Select Convenience Store:
Twentywell Lane, S17 4QH

Bus routes: 24 or 25

Bradway Action Group

Contact: Chris Morgan on 0114 2369273

chair@bradwayactiongroup.org

http://bradwayactiongroup.weebly.com/



11am - 4:30pm

Wortley Top Forge Open Day

See 24th April.

Meet at: Wortley Top Forge, Forge Lane,
Thurgoland, S35 7DN:

S. Yorkshire Trades Historical Trust:

Contact: G. Parkinson 0114 281 7991

www.topforge.co.uk



11am - 3pm

Environment Exhibition - about the flora and fauna within Burngreave Cemetery

Meet:Old Mortuary Chapel, Burngreave Cemetery
Melrose Road , S3 9DN

Bus routes: 1,1a,3,20,75,76,88,26

Friends of Burngreave Chapel and Cemetery

burngreavecemetery@gmail.com

www.friendsofburngreavecemetery.btck.co.uk



11am - 5pm

Meet the RSPB Local Group in the Botanical Gardens – see 28th May

Meet:Botanical GardensThompson Rd end
Sheffield RSPB Local Group

Contact: Helen Ensor on 7749932806

SheffieldRSPBlocalgroup@talktalk.net

www.rspb.org.uk/groups/sheffield



Monday 30th May

10:30am - 4pm

Meersbrook Walled Garden –

See Monday 25th April, for further details.

Meet at: Meersbrook Walled Garden Derbyshire
Lane, Sheffield S8 9EH

Bus routes: 24, 25

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Nick Horne on 07941182028

nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



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2am - 4:30am

Nether Edge Historical Walk - historical environmental walk around Nether Edge and Brincliffe. We'll explore the history of some of the gardens, houses and former residents of the area as we walk finishing at the old Nether Edge Hos. site.

Meet: Nether Edge number 3 bus terminus, Union Rd, Nether Edge. S11 9EF

Bus routes: 3

Nether Edge Neighbourhood Group

Contact: C. Venables 07950 432487

chrisvenables@blueyonder.co.uk

www.netheredge.org.uk



Tuesday 31st May

10:30am - 2:30pm

Half Term Holiday Crafts - £3 per child. Make a rain chain catcher, a recycled mosaic, a hanging floral dec.

Meet at: Sheffield Manor Lodge Discovery Centre, 197 Manor Lane, S2 1UJ

Bus routes: 10 (once an hour)

Sheffield Manor Lodge

Contact: K Hughes 0114 276 2828ext 647

K.Hughes@greenestate.org

www.sheffieldmanorlodge.org



10:30am - 4pm

Wortley Hall Walled Kitchen Garden

See 26th April

Meet at: Pick up point at Heeley City Farm.

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Darrell Maryon 07768932613

darrell@heeleyfarm.org.uk



1:30pm -

Porter Valley Healthy Walking Group

See 26th April.

Meet at: Cafe in Endcliffe Park

Porter Valley Healthy Walking Group

carolfruitbatstevens@talktalk.net



Wednesday 1st June

10am - 12pm

Botanical Gardens - Wednesday Morning

Volunteers. See 27th April.

Meet at: Sheffield Botanical Gardens, Clarkehouse Road, Sheffield S10 2LN

Bus routes: 81, 82, 83, 83a,88

FOBS

Contact: Lynda Price 0114 273 0839

fobssheffield@yahoo.co.uk

www.fobssheffield.co.uk



10am - 12:30pm

Make Your Own Stick Monster –

Discover Abbeydale as part of Sheffield Environment Weeks! Families can join us for a make and take activity during the Spring Bank Holiday. Learn how to make a stick monster to plant in our garden or take home with you. Free

activity, normal admission applies (adults £4, concessions £3, children U16 FREE)

Meet at: Abbeydale Industrial Hamlet, Abbeydale Road South, Sheffield S7 2QW

Sheffield Industrial Museums

Contact: Gemma Holden 0114 2010610

g.holden@simt.co.uk

www.simt.co.uk



10am - 3pm

Basic bushcraft for kids (aged 8+.)

Basic bushcraft for kids (aged 8+.) - £35

Could you survive in the woods on your own!

Book early as places are limited to Book online through PayPal.

Meet: Graves Woodland Discovery Centre, Ecclesall Woods, Abbey Lane, S7 2QZ

Ecclesall Woods Craft Courses:

Contact: on 0114 2356348

contact@ecclesallwoodcraftcourses.co.uk

www.ecclesallwoodcraftcourses.co.uk



10:30am - 2:30pm

Half Term Holiday Crafts – See 31st May

Meet at: Sheffield Manor Lodge Discovery Centre, 197 Manor Lane, Sheffield S2 1UJ

Bus routes: 10 (once an hour):

Sheffield Manor Lodge

Contact: K. Hughes 276 2828 ext.647

K.Hughes@greenestate.org

www.sheffieldmanorlodge.org



10:30am - 4pm

Norfolk Park Community Garden - Organic Growing Sessions

See 27th April

Meet at: Norfolk Park Community Garden, off Guildford Avenue, Sheffield S2 2P

Bus routes: 7, 8, 8a, 50, 50a, 71, 120

Alternatively get the tram to Norfolk Park Surgery from the city centre and walk past the school to Norfolk Heritage Park:

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Nick Horne on 07941182028

nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



6pm - 9pm

Open Evening at LEAF - Tour LEAFs amazing plots! Check out the unique pallet privy! Discover the makers marks in the Anderson Shelter! Make and eat your own stone-baked pizza! Sample local honey! Chat to volunteers and plot-holders! Be inspired to grow your own Find out about LEAFs activities and have fun!

Meet at: LEAF via pedestrian entrance to Norwood Allotments, : Herries Road between Devonshire Arms and Northern General Hospital S5 7HA

Bus routes: 20, 32, 38, 83, 83a, 97, 98,

LEAF Community Allotments Project

Contact: Diane Cocker on 07799 851 888

diane@leafsheffield.org.uk

www.leafsheffield.org.uk



7:30pm - 9:30pm

Annual seedling exchange - Our annual seedling exchange where members bring along surplus seedlings to swap. Bring spare plant pots, compost and labels to take home new seedlings to try out.

Meet: Shirley House: Psalter Ln S11 8YL

S. Pennine Group of Hardy Plant Soc.

nije.gater@blueyonder.co.uk

www.southpenninehps.btck.co.uk



Thursday 2nd June

10am - 3pm

Volunteer Work Days - Moss Valley Nature Reserve. For information contact **Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust** nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



10:30am - 12:30pm

Wildside bushcraft skills – bookable event. Wildside bushcraft skills for 8 - 13yr olds at Greno Woods. Survive in the wild. Please wear old, warm outdoor clothing and stout footwear. £5 for non members and £3 for members. Please book on our Whats On page of web site.

Meet at: Greno Woods

Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust

nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com

www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



10:30am - 4pm

Wortley Hall Walled Kitchen Garden -

See 26th April.

Meet: Pick up point at Heeley City Farm

Bus routes: 29

Heeley City Farm

Contact: Darrell Maryon n 07768932613

darrell@heeleyfarm.org.uk



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197 Manor Lane, Sheffield S2 1UJ

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Sheffield Manor Lodge

Contact: K. Hughes 276 2828 ext 647

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www.sheffieldmanorlodge.org



1pm - 3pm

Big Lunch Open Day Firth Park Community

Allotment - The annual volunteers get together so come and help us celebrate the projects growing success! We'll have a big thank you picnic lunch for all those who have helped with making the project a big success. Bring a dish with you for the picnic lunch. There will be growing themed games and activities for children. Child minders are welcome to bring groups along as are nurseries and individual parent/carers No children on their own are allowed on site - all must be with a supervising adult. Make sure Children should wear clothes that they don't mind getting messy in!

Meet at: Firth Park Community Allotment, Vickers Drive, Firth Park S5 6TG

Bus routes: 1, 1a, 3, 88:

Contact: Dot Rodman on 07985421346

dotrodman@heeleyfarm.org.uk



1:30pm - 3:30pm

Wildplay at Greno Woods - Bookable Event

Fun activities in the woods for the under 8's. Please wear old, warm outdoor clothing and stout footwear. £5 for non members and £3 for members. Under 2's accompanying a paying sibling are free.

Meet at: Greno Woods

Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust

nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com

www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



Friday 3rd June

9am - 11am

Moths for Breakfast at the General Cemetery -

Hawk moth special! Come and see the results of the night's moth trappings (9am - open to all) along with winged inspired crafts (10am - suitable for families and children only). The event and lasts for 2 hours. There will be free light refreshments available at the end of the walk and a chance to find more about the Trust's work and have a look at some of our publications. There is no need to book, and we suggest a minimum donation of £3 to support the work of the Trust

Meet at: The Gatehouse, Cemetery Avenue
Sheffield S11 8NT

Bus routes: 81, 82, 83, 83a, 84, 88

Contact: Alex Quant 0114 2683486

sgct@gencem.org

www.gencem.org



10am - 3pm

Volunteer Work Days

Victoria Hall Garden - Regular volunteer days take place on several of Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trusts nature reserves.

Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust:

nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com

www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



10:30am - 12:30pm

Organic Growing Sessions Heeley City Farm Kitchen Garden. See 29th April

Meet: Heeley City Farm: Richards Road,
Sheffield S2 3DT

Bus routes: 18, 56

Heeley City Farm:

Contact: S Peet/NHorne 0114 250 5113
safeplaces@heeleyfarm.org.uk or
nhorne@heeleyfarm.org.uk



10:30am - 2:30pm

Half Term Holiday Crafts See 31st May

Meet at: Sheffield Manor Lodge Discovery
Centre: 197 Manor Lane, Sheffield S2 1UJ

Bus routes: 10 (once an hour)

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7:30pm - 11pm

Folk Night - Wadsley Festival Event

with pie/pea supper (tickets required) at Wadsley
Church. Full details and programme of the
Wadsley Festival go to Wadsley Festival on
facebook or www.wadsleychurch.com/wadsley-festival-2016

Meet:Wadsley Church,Worrall Rd, S6 4BB

Wadsley Festival 2016

Contact: Nic on 07766005160

nicridgemusician@gmail.com



Saturday 4th June

10am - 3pm

Volunteer Work Days - Blacka Moor The full
programme of community work day dates is
available on our website

Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust

nature.reserves@wildsheffield.com

www.wildsheffield.com/whats-on



10am - 4pm

Beginners Beekeeping

Beginners Beekeeping: Come and spend a
fascinating hands on day learning about bee
colonies, setting up hives, doing inspections and
what to look for, what equipment you need and
what support there is for new bee keepers. There
may also be an opportunity to extract your own jar

of honey. Bee suits provided. £50 per person
including simple homemade lunch.

Meet at: Greave House Farm, New Hall Lane,
Stocksbridge S36 4GH

Bus routes: 57 from City Centre to Stocksbridge
Leisure Centre, Supertram Link from Middlewood
Park and Ride

Greave House Farm Trust

Contact: Barbara 07724505911

greavehouse@yahoo.co.uk.

www.greavehousefarmtrust



10am - 5pm

Wadsley Festival

Wadsley Church & Church Hall. - Free entry -
Music, arts, craft, local history, dance, exhibition,
demonstration

Meet:Wadsley Church,Worrall Rd, S6 4BB

Wadsley Festival 2016

Contact: Nic on 07766005160

nicridgemusician@gmail.com

www.wadsleychurch.com/wadsley-festival-2016



10am -

Sharrow Clean Up, Litter Pick

First Saturday of every month, See
@FriendsofMPP on Twitter

Meet at: Outside the the Little Shop of Chocs:
144 Abbeydale Road, Sheffield

Friends of Mount Pleasant Park

Contact: Phil on

friendsofmppsheffield@gmail.com



2pm - 4pm

Wadsley Graveyard Guided Tour

Free guided tour of this Victorian 6 acre
graveyard which has been considerably improved
over the last 6 years and opened up as a
community space. Graves from the Great
Sheffield flood, 53 war graves
and over 2,500 pauper burials from the S Y
Asylum and many other interesting graves will be
shown and talked about. Suitable footwear
please. Tour will take about 2 hours including
refreshments. This guided walk is part of the
Wadsley Arts Festival

Meet at: Front of Wadsley Parish Church, Worrall Road, Sheffield S6 4BB

Bus routes: 57; S6a

Wadsley Church Community Graveyard

Contact: T.Jordan 07976641047

0114 2962122 tonyvjordan@yahoo.co.uk



7:30pm - 11pm

Jazz Night

Jazz night with meal (tickets required)

Meet:Wadsley Church,Worrall Rd, S6 4BB

Wadsley Festival 2016

Contact: Nic on 07766005160

nicridgemusician@gmail.com

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Sunday 5th June

9:30am - 4pm

Practical Conservation Project

See 24th April.

Meet: City Hall Steps,Barkers Pool, S1

d.j.robson@sheffield.ac.uk

www.sheffieldconservation.org



10:30am - 4pm

Wadsley Festival - Wadsley Church and Hall, free entry, music, local history, arts, crafts, dance, exhibition, demonstrations.

Meet:Wadsley Church,Worrall Rd S6 4BB

Wadsley Festival 2016

Contact: Nic on 07766005160

nicridgemusician@gmail.com

www.wadsleychurch.com/wadsley-festival-2016



11am - 3pm

Environment Exhibition - See 7th May

Meet: Old Mortuary Chapel, Burngreave Cemetery, Melrose Road, S3 9DN

Bus routes: 1,1a,3,20,75,76,88,265

Burngreave Chapel and Cemetery

burngreavecemetery@gmail.com

www.friendsofburngreavecemetery.btck.co.uk



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We hope you have enjoyed Sheffield Environment Weeks 2016. All of these and many similar events are promoted year round on our website.

Take a look at :

[http://www.sheffieldenvironment.org/ev
ents](http://www.sheffieldenvironment.org/events)

THE VICTORIAN SOCIETY

Campaigning for Victorian and Edwardian architecture

The South Yorkshire Regional Group is pleased to support

Sheffield Environment Weeks

We run a regular winter programme of talks on topics connected with architecture, arts and literature 1837-1914, and in the summer a programme of walks and visits to view and appreciate the Victorian and Edwardian built environment.

You can find our programme at

<http://www.victoriansociety.org.uk/south-yorkshire/>

or email v.bayliss@btinternet.com for details

Walkley Bank Allotment Society

Morley Street (Walkley Bank Road end)

morleystreetallotments@gmail.com

Probably the best/cheapest allotment society in Sheffield!

Membership fees on £1 per annum

Plant Sales May Bank Holidays Sat, Sun, Monday 10-2pm

Allotment and Garden provisions Shop Opening hours 10-12 Sat & Sunday

Linked to the Lower Walkley Community Garden (directly behind our shop)

The Nether Edge Neighbourhood Group

NENG was founded in 1973 to improve the conditions of life of those living or working in the areas of Brincliffe, Nether Edge and Sharrow in Sheffield, working with local authorities, voluntary organisations and residents in a common effort to advance education, improve the environment and to provide facilities in the interest of social welfare for recreation and leisure



South Yorkshire's Community Foundation

South Yorkshire Industrial History Society

Are you interested in the industrial past of Sheffield and South Yorkshire?
- iron and steel, cutlery and tools, water and steam power, coal....

Join the Society!

It offers programmes of talks in the winter, and walks and visits in the summer

It owns four historic industrial sites in South Yorkshire,
including Wortley Top Forge, which welcomes visitors and volunteers,
and it keeps an eye on threats to similar places

It encourages research, and provides a forum for members to discuss their interests

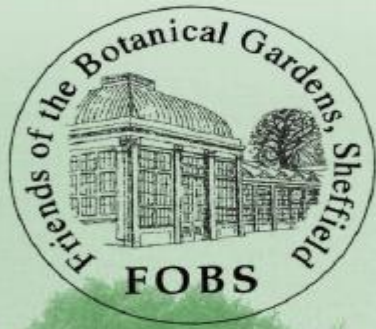
Enquiries: Margaret Tylee, Hon. Secretary, 1 Ivy Cottages, Well Hill, Green Moor, Sheffield
S35 7DP Tel. (0114) 283 0056



HUNTER ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY

The Society is over a century old and was established to preserve and share the precious heritage of South Yorkshire and north-east Derbyshire. It is named after antiquarian Joseph Hunter (1783-1861) who was born and raised in Sheffield; he was the founder of our present archiving system and a prolific writer.

Society members enjoy talks and social events through the winter months, held in the Humanities Research Institute on Gell Street in Sheffield. We also organise a range of walks and visits to excavations and sites, as well as opportunities for practical work



Friends of the Botanical Gardens, Sheffield (FOBS)

Fresh air, fun, exercise
and helping the community

FOBS was formed in 1984 to promote interest in gardening in Sheffield. Members have the benefit of talks and demonstrations in the Gardens, organised visits to other gardens—from local to national tours, a six-monthly newsletter and discounts from local suppliers.

FOBS raise funds through plant and craft sales to support the Botanical Gardens.

Garden Volunteers work every Wednesday morning with the Gardens staff to help maintain this beautiful asset for Sheffield. Come and join us!

www.fobssheffield.co.uk



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