

Camp House News

BOOKINGS: Great news, we have received many bookings for throughout 2018. Please get in touch with the Booking Secretary if you are interested in staying at Camp House.

WOODLAND: With only road management and cherry picker costs incurred... £700, our last dangerous BEECH Tree was felled in September thanks to the tutors and students at Houghall College. Woodpeckers had caused a lot of damage to the tree which was dying and branches hung over Stanners Lane.

CAMP HOUSE: The building looks very smart



after the exterior was painted with preservative during August.

FUNDING—THE LODGE: A big thank you to Mark Dixon and Colleagues who cycled the off road 'Coast to Coast', to raise funds for the Lodge, and a big thank you to all who supported them.



£359 was raised and was matched funded by Barclays, a tremendous help for us. Unfortunately they did not enjoy the ride- 'It was awful', and at the end were exhausted...

Thank you to everyone who voted and shared our

Application for up to £25,000 funding

with Aviva. Unfortunately our 1770 votes was not sufficient to become a finalist. Aviva have apologised for the problems with the site and in recognition of all our hard work, will pay £100 to Camp House in 2018.



Our first Christmas Fayre was a great success and we had a marvellous time. So much so we will be repeating the event next year - I know many of you asked.

Thank you for your support, and also with the raffle and tombola prizes.....

Most people came along in the morning but there was actually a steady stream of people throughout the day. This worked very well as there was no problem with parking. Those staying all

day parked their cars on the grass, leaving the remaining space for visitors.

Most people were Guiding friends and their families, it was especially lovely to see the little ones, but there were also members of the public; some who had attended our Bluebell Day earlier this year!

Profit was £755 - yippee and with funding from Barclays thanks to Mary Hardy from Trefoil, we raised over £1100.



The Ultimate pudding sales are going very well this year. Many thanks to everyone for their support with sales and taking them around the county. We had great success at The Bridges Shopping Mall, Sunderland, taking over £700 in two days. We will let you know the profit made ASAP. As at the end of November the total funds raised for the Lodge was £10,000!

We have a collection at 'The Stadium of Light' on New Years Day! The team is not doing well is it... but they have fantastic fans, so we are hoping we have a good turn out of volunteers and girls / parents with neckers, Brownie caps and anything else that tells the fans who we are. All Funds for the Lodge of course.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Service days: Saturday 27th January & Saturday 10th February
Bluebell Day: Thursday 10th May 10am—3pm (see below)
Strawberry Tea: Tuesday 19th June Between 6pm & 9pm
£5 per person

Bluebell Woods - Open Day

*Also open to
members of
the Public*

**At Church Woods
Camp House, Whitworth Park, DL16 7QX**

Thursday 10th May 2018 10am—3pm

'Refreshments available at Camp House'

Scones and Cakes Home preserves Tombola Raffle

