

What's occurin' in Hailey Park & beyond at the moment

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Keep a lookout for wildlife on the park as spring begins to emerge. As the Beebank is now complete it will begin to help populations of solitary bees find homes in the area. Many thanks to everyone who helped last year to provide homes not only for solitary bees but reptiles too (we put in a habitat area for them above the beebank). We still do some maintenance to it so it continues to provide homes for bees. For more information [HERE](#)



In other news

Benches in bowling

green: The local councillors are aware these still haven't been put back into the Bowling Green so hopefully we will have them back

Wheel tracks on the park

Many have been commenting on social media and reporting to the councillors and council about various wheel tracks either damaging the edge of the path on the Taff Trail and other paths or through the fields on the park.

While some are council vehicles – the council are currently trialling the idea of using narrower gauge vehicles on the park (and in other parks as similar problem there too) so we wait to see if that problem will be solved soon.

However, some are unauthorised vehicles on the park either 2 or 4 wheel.

It is important that if anyone sees any unauthorised vehicles on the park to report it to 101 (and C2C/local councillors). These services will log your calls and the more calls they get the more that can be done.

Railway gate & damage to bridge: If you go across the Loop Bridge from the park you meet up with the City Line, which is fenced off. However, recently it was noticed that the gate there was unlocked and open. This was a safety issue but thankfully was rectified quite quickly with a phone call to the local councillors bearing in mind it was a serious hazard. The bridge towards the Radyr side has also been damaged, which has also been reported.



In 2018, voluntary help needed on the park at following dates & times:

Next day out on the park is this Sunday 25 March, 2–5pm.

DON'T FORGET though that the clocks change this weekend too

Other dates

- 22 Apr 2–5pm 19 Aug 2–5pm
- 27 May 2–5pm 9 Sep 2–5pm
- 24 Jun 2–5pm 28 Oct 1–4pm
- 29 Jul 2–5pm 11 Nov 1–4pm

ALL WELCOME (children need to be accompanied by an adult)

Your park needs you for an hour or so (making a difference throughout Hailey Park)!

Just pop along any time – meet up in the car park Radyr Road before we're due to start or ring to find where we are. Free refreshments (hot & cold drinks, biscuits & cake).

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Broken glass in play area: Update from council officers (in correspondence with Councillor Burke-Davies) that the children's play area in Hailey Park has been inspected and the broken glass removed "Thank you for your correspondence on the 14th March 2018 regarding broken glass in the wood chippings around the slide at Hailey Park play area. The Cleansing Team Attended on the 15th March and cleansed the wood chipping area of glass. I have asked the Cleansing Supervisor to inspect this area to ensure a satisfactory standard of cleansing is being achieved through the scheduled cleansing activities."

To keep up with all events or notices for Hailey Park and beyond, and further information on some of the events here, please head off to our website and the [News page](#) and enjoy spending time out and about this year. Also, why not head off to our '[Minutes](#)' page where you can found out what the Friends group has been doing or talking about over the past 10 years.

Don't forget to follow us on [Twitter](#) & [Instagram](#) Why not join in the conversation or add your own pix of the park for everyone to see



Don't forget its time to renew membership. FoHP has now been going for 10 years and the only way we can do the work we do is if we have members. We try to keep the membership payments affordable at £3/year but do accept donations if you want to give more.

Dates for your Diary

- **Cardiff Walking Festival** in conjunction with National Walking Month, May 2018
- **Saturday 26 May, 10am–4pm: Summer Wildlife Festival.** Forest Farm, including FREE Fun Dog Show (from 12.30pm)
- **Saturday 30 June, 11–4.30pm: Llandaff North Summer Fair Ideas & applications for stalls welcome,** in particular community/not for profit/charity groups. Keep a lookout for notices and organisational meetings. Volunteers always wanted.

Find out more about Cardiff's Parks & Open Spaces by calling at their main office on 029 20445 903 or visit www.cardiff.gov.uk/parks

School & group visits to all parks. Tailor-made, curriculum-linked educational visits can be arranged by calling 029 20445 903

Bereavement Services, including memorial benches & trees 029 20544 820

If anyone wants to **organise/book an event for Hailey Park** (or any other park or open space in Cardiff) please get in touch with parksandsportsevents@cardiff.gov.uk

- **Friends of Hailey Park** [Website](#) **Email:** friendsofhaileypark@gmail.com
Tel: 07836532258
- **Cardiff Council contact centre at 'Connect to Cardiff' (C2C)**
Tel: 029 20872087 **Email:** c2c@cardiff.gov.uk [Website](#)
- **Dog Warden** (all lost or found dogs) **Tel:** 029 2071 1243
- **South Wales Police** (24h)
Tel (non-emergency): 101
Tel (emergencies only): 999 [Website](#)
- **Crimestoppers** **Tel:** 0800 555 111 [Website](#)
- **Llandaff North and Whitchurch Daily Life** Facebook group [Website](#)
- **Wild about Cardiff** (all the goings on around the various sites that come under the Ranger Service) [Website](#)
- **Bute Park Education Centre** 029 2087 2730 or visit [Website](#) or find the team next to the Secret Garden Café.
- **Llandaff North Community Choir** [@Incommchoir](#) [Facebook](#)
- **Outdoor Cardiff** Explore Cardiff's outdoors [Website](#)
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