



# Community View

The Hesketh Bank Community Centre Newsletter

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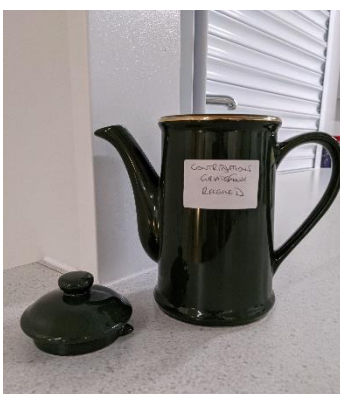
## We are now fully open!

What an amazing time we have had since opening on the 17<sup>th</sup> May. We have been so pleased to welcome back Slimming World, Gymzcool, Chair-Based Exercises, Beconsall U3A, Tai Chi, Dog Training, Table Tennis, Nippon UK and Hesketh with Beconsall Parish Council, plus hosting for the first time Circuits, Zumba, Burlesque, Tarleton WI and Blissful Bears, and Miss Olivia's Dance Workshop and Vintage Cash Cow had bumper one-off days with us in August - plus lots of private bookings. The Centre has been buzzing with chatter, music and laughter - it has been so lovely to have you back with us.

As Covid restrictions are lifted, we are now able to welcome people into our Birkby Lounge, which houses our library resurrected from that established by Brian and Joan Birkby back in 2000, for a catch up pre or post activity or whilst your children are in a class.

If that wasn't enough, September sees us ramp it up a gear with Marguerite Hughes' Gardening Made Easy and Jennifer Walters Theatre School - offering everything from Baby & Me, Ballet, Tap, Modern, Singing for all ages – and The Cellar Bar will be kitting out our licensed bar.

With all this going on, we are also putting in a gate and walkway for visitors to access overflow parking provided by the Centenary Sports Ground.



## Thank you!

Firstly, thank you to everyone who has supported us to get the Community Centre up and running and everyone who has visited us since we opened. Also, thank you to those who have donated and made contributions for teas/coffees and books. We have raised over £200.00 already and used this towards responding to the following requests: clocks in the Ellis Suite and Baldwin Room, sweeteners, decaffeinated tea & coffee, pigeon-holes to store items in the Ellis Suite, a dog bowl and baby changing mat. If you have any other suggestions, please let us know next time you visit or get in touch.

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## What's On?

**We have something for everyone – or you can do your own thing.**

Mondays	AM	U3A Local History (fortnightly) <a href="http://www.beconsallu3a.org">www.beconsallu3a.org</a> Gardening Made Easy – Call Marguerite on 01772 601376
	PM	Tai Chi with Freshfield Fitness <a href="http://www.freshfieldfitness.co.uk">www.freshfieldfitness.co.uk</a> U3A Creative Textiles (fortnightly) <a href="http://www.beconsallu3a.org">www.beconsallu3a.org</a> Zumba Gold with Kay B Music Fitness <a href="http://www.facebook.com/kayb.music.musicfitnessdance">www.facebook.com/kayb.music.musicfitnessdance</a> Jennifer Walters Theatre School <a href="http://www.jenniferwalterstheatreschool.com">www.jenniferwalterstheatreschool.com</a> U3A Book Club (monthly) <a href="http://www.beconsallu3a.org">www.beconsallu3a.org</a> Burlesque – Email <a href="mailto:stephanieculverston@icloud.com">stephanieculverston@icloud.com</a> Parish Council Meetings (monthly) <a href="http://www.heskethbankcouncil.uk">www.heskethbankcouncil.uk</a>
Tuesdays	AM	U3A Table Tennis <a href="http://www.beconsallu3a.org">www.beconsallu3a.org</a>
	PM	Chair-Based Exercises with Kay B Music Fitness <a href="http://www.facebook.com/kayb.music.musicfitnessdance">www.facebook.com/kayb.music.musicfitnessdance</a> Circuits with CW Fitness <a href="http://www.facebook.com/cwfitnessandhealth">www.facebook.com/cwfitnessandhealth</a> Dog Training with Mere Brow Gun Dogs <a href="http://www.merebrowgundogs.co.uk">www.merebrowgundogs.co.uk</a>
Wednesdays	AM	Slimming World <a href="http://www.slimmingworld.co.uk">www.slimmingworld.co.uk</a> U3A Art Workshop (fortnightly) <a href="http://www.beconsallu3a.org">www.beconsallu3a.org</a> Gardening Made Easy – Call Marguerite on 01772 601376
	PM	Gymzkool – Call Julie on 07577 273849 Jennifer Walters Theatre School <a href="http://www.jenniferwalterstheatreschool.com">www.jenniferwalterstheatreschool.com</a> Nippon UK <a href="http://www.nipponuk.com">www.nipponuk.com</a>
Thursdays	AM	U3A Coffee Morning <a href="http://www.beconsallu3a.org">www.beconsallu3a.org</a>
	PM	Gymzkool – Call Julie on 07577 273849 Table Tennis – Call Steve on 07766 367550
Fridays	AM	Circuits with CW Fitness <a href="http://www.facebook.com/cwfitnessandhealth">www.facebook.com/cwfitnessandhealth</a>
	PM	Nippon UK <a href="http://www.nipponuk.com">www.nipponuk.com</a>
Saturdays	AM	Jennifer Walters Theatre School <a href="http://www.jenniferwalterstheatreschool.com">www.jenniferwalterstheatreschool.com</a>

**We have two halls: the larger Ellis Suite and the smaller Baldwin Room to host a wide range of things with the support of our Birkby Lounge, kitchen, bar, sound system, state of the art heating/cooling and off-road parking.**



**Celebrate Lancashire Day with us**  
on the  
**28<sup>th</sup> November from 1pm,**  
with hot pot and entertainment from  
Sid Calderbank & friends. Tickets are £12 each,  
available from the Centre.

