

Lancaster Canal Trust

Monthly *Bulletin* – September 2024

We won't be holding a work day this month – too great a call on volunteers with the Westmorland Show on the 11th & 12th needing bodies to help setup on the 10th and 'man' the stand and nb Waterwitch over the two day event.

The boat crew will be in charge of getting all the kit from Millness but help setting up is always appreciated.

If you've never been to the show it is well worth a visit. An enormous array of craft stalls, organisations, non-stop events, food stalls – every palate



catered for from Mexican to Thai, hog roasts and even fish 'n chips. Lots for children too.

A couple of hours on our stand would be a great help so do come along.

The next *Bulletin* will out at the end of September and carry details of our work plans for October.

A call for volunteers to help with the upcoming 'Crooklands Canalathon' event on the 31st of August.

The **Crooklands Canalathon** will see participants paddle board, run and cycle parts of the Towpath Trail. To learn more and register go to www.lancastercanaltowpathtrail.co.uk

The Crooklands Canalathon event is looking for volunteers to support the event's Safety Co-ordinators and encourage participants to keep going! If you are interested in volunteering please contact helen@lancastercanaltowpathtrail.co.uk

Please find attached and below the route map to share with your family - this is the link to book directly - <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/crooklands-canalathon-2024-tickets-918746685067?utm-campaign=social&utm-content=attendeeshare&utm-medium=discovery&utm-term=listing&utm-source=cp&aff=ebdsshcopyurl>



[Crooklands Canalathon 2024](#)

A fun-filled day of paddle boarding, running and walking along the beautiful Lancaster Canal Towpath Trail at Crooklands, South Lakes

www.eventbrite.co.uk



Towpath Trail project -

The car park at Millness, together with our compound, are being used as a base for the contractors laying the new multi-user surface to improve the towpath.

They have started work and initially are going south from Millness so as not to coincide with the Westmorland Show and our ever-popular trips on Waterwitch which run from the back of the showground.

There appears to be enough money in the budget to get as far as just north of Holme village

but effort will be put into finding more funding to allow the path to go through the village itself.

If you have an article, story, observations or photo you'd like to share with fellow members in this monthly Bulletin please email to chair@lctrust.co.uk

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