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Pilton Green Man Day Committee

## PLEASE HELP KEEP THE GREEN MAN SAFE DON'T BRING GLASS OR BOTTLES!

#### PLEASE SUPPORT YOUR GREEN MAN DAY

Each year we need to raise around £8,000 to hold Green Man Day. This money pays for insurance, licences, road closures, toilets, waste and recycling, first aiders, entertainers, PAs and so on. Everything else is run by volunteers, for free.

## You can make sure we have enough money to fund Green Man day in 2019 by:

- Buying a drink at our Beer and Pimms Tents in Rotary Gardens
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#### **GREEN MAN DAY BEGINS...**

Up with the lark are the committee and their helpers to set up Pilton Street, Rotary Gardens and the stages. Bins to put out, marquees to erect and participants to be directed to their positions for the day.

Bacon butties and a cup of tea wouldn't go amiss!

#### THE PROCESSION

The Procession starts at 11.00am on The Square in Barnstaple and makes its way through the town centre entering Pilton at the bottom of the street. It will proceed up Pilton Street and turn right into Rotary Gardens ready for the first performance of The Pageant at 12.00noon. All are welcome to come and join in - Look for the large Green and Red masks leading the way!

#### THE PAGEANT

(12.00 noon & 3.00 pm in Rotary Gardens)
The Green Man is an ancient Pagan symbol of nature and fertility frequently depicted in carvings in old churches as a face sprouting foliage. A splendid green man carving can be seen in St Mary the Virgin Church in Pilton.

The Prior of the Benedictine Priory of Pilton lived in Bull House below the church until the Reformation. The ritual enacted on Green Man Day is believed to represent the initial antagonism of the two characters, The Prior and The Green Man, represented by red and green masks and the subsequent inclusion of the pagan figure within the church. It takes place in the arena at the top of Rotary Gardens.



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**BARUM BREWERY'S ANNUAL** 

## BEER FESTIVAL

AT THE REFORM INN, PILTON FRIDAY 20th JULY THRU SUNDAY 22nd

PILTON GREEN MAN DAY is committed to GREEN ISSUES. We would like to ENCOURAGE you to RECYCLE all your RUBBISH by USING the BINS and the RECYCLE AREAS provided. These can be FOUND in PILTON STREET, PILTON HOUSE GROUNDS and ROTARY GARDENS.

When YOU HAVE FINISHED with any PLASTICS, CANS, CUPS and CONTAINERS, PLEASE POP them INTO the CORRECT BINS provided to ENSURE the site is KEPT CLEAN and TIDY for all visitors to ENJOY. Please see the MAP on the CENTRE SPREAD to LOCATE bin areas. We hope YOU CAN HELP US.

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#### **New Trust Benefits Pilton Community**

Pilton Green Man Day is the principal fund-raising activity of the Pilton Green Man CIO\*, a charitable trust which aims to benefit the people of Pilton through the funding of community projects.

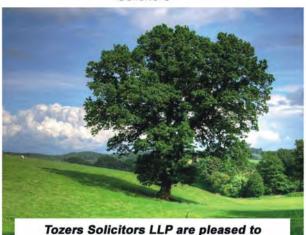
Grants have so far been made to **two members of the North Devon Sinfonia**, to allow them to travel to South Korea for the Seoul International Community Festival in September 2017, and to **The Committee of Pilton Church Hall**, to assist with the installation of a bar for soft and alcoholic drinks which should be built during 2018.

If you have a charitable idea which might qualify for a grant from the trust, please visit the CIO pages of the piltonfestival.co.uk website or talk to one of the trustees for more information.

The five trustees are Richard Stevens (Chair), Marc Brayley (Treasurer), Susan O'Grady, Siobhan Roissetter and Martin Haddrill.

\*CIO means Charitable Incorporated Organisation, a simple form of trust.





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## **Pilton Street &**

Central to Green Man Day is Pilton Street, with the hustle and bustle amongst the stalls, the arrival of the procession and a day of music from the three stages.

In recent years, festivities have expanded into Rotary Gardens, a fantastic setting for our family-based activities.



#### Play...

The hugely popular Entertainingly Different will be performing in the morning and from 12.30-1.30pm, and in the afternoon Jackie Clementine will present his juggling and clowning shows. Look out for Matt Lemon with his juggling, yoyos and balloon art, or DJ Magician pedalling around on his unicycle. Mrs Recycle will be creating beautiful crafts from single-use plastic, and you can also meet some owls and exotic animals. As if that's not enough, Uncle Tacko returns with his amazing flea circus and Dave Hendy has Punch & Judy shows at 2 and 3.30pm.

#### Eat...

There is space in Rotary Gardens for you to sit and chill out. Bring a picnic or buy something from one of the food stalls, including Monty's Caribbean



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Sri Lankan street food can be found in Pilton Street, where vegans can also find food to tempt at the Purity Petal and Green Party stalls.

Room for dessert? Try Cornish Crepes (with gluten free options), Dinky Donuts

or Iced Delights ice-cream tricycle.

#### Relax...

For the first time this year we've included an area in the Gardens to support your health and well-being, with stalls from Purple Haze healing Reiki, Mandeja angel card readings, Lesley Tucker reflexology and Earth & Heaven Crystals

#### Keep...

We need to make about £8,000 to cover the costs of Green Man Day. Remember to keep us going by buying a pint at the Green Man Pub or a Pimm's from our Pimm's tent - all profits go to future Green Man Days!

On a more practical level, along the North Road side of the gardens will be the portaloos, a facility not to be sniffed at.



#### PILTON TREASURE HUNT



Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> July

Walking Treasure Hunt for all the family around Pilton. Start at St Mary's Church at 2.00pm and finish with tea and cakes in the Church Hall.

Free to enter

Contribution to tea requested

#### **INFORMATION &** LOST CHILDREN

Please visit us opposite The Pilton Fryer to collect your lost children or purchase bottles of water, T-shirts & wristbands.

Our compere, Gary Kennedy, can announce any information whilst walking up and down the street.

#### **TOILETS**

Can be found at Pilton Hall along with urinals and disabled facilities. Portaloos are along the North Road side of Rotary Gardens, Pilton House grounds and in the car park through alleyway above 8/9 on key.

For the safety of others, we would appreciate if no glass bottles or glasses are used outside. Thank you.

### PILTON - JULY 21st



TO BARNSTAPLE

## **STAGES 2018**

Pilton Green Man Day has evolved over the years and we have been lucky to have some amazing bands to entertain the crowds. This year we have again sourced our acts for the bottom (main) stage from the mucical support we receive locally. It gives us a chance to showcase some of our rich local talent whilst giving the performers an opportunity to play in their own community.

#### **BOTTOM STAGE**

Hosted by Simon Darling and Neil Rolfe from The Reform Inn's amazing Open Mic Nights

10.00 - 11.15 Acts from Pilton Community College

11.15 - 11.45 PARADE

11.45 - 12.15 Rob Craig

12.30 - 13.15 Flamin' Ratrods

13.30 - 14.30 Boogiewax

15.00 - 16.00 Bicycle Repair Man



#### **OPEN MIC STAGE**

Situated in the grounds of Pilton House, next to the Beer Tent. Thank you to Mark Wonnacott and Paul Butterworth for hosting.

Open all day! Just turn up and play!

#### MIDDLE STAGE

Many thanks to Jennie Tomlinson from Red Shoes Music for organising yet another great day of music.

11.00 - 11.25 Aaron

11.30 - 12.00 PARADE

12.10 - 12.35 Ella & Finn

12.40 - 13.05 Johnny Button

13.10 - 13.35 Luke Brown

13.40 - 14.05 Clay Moon

14.10 - 14.35 Gracie

14.40 - 15.05 The Mazzards

15.10 - 15.35 Retro Mates

15.40 - 16.05 Black Anchors Acoustic

THE MAZZARDS

#### TOP STAGE

Thank you to Ricky Knight for running the Top Stage - A Green Man Day favourite!



11.00 - 11.40 Dave Smale & Ryan Snow + Tamsin Higgs & Zahra

11.40 - 12.00 PARADE

**12.00 - 12.45** Elderly Brothers

13.00 - 13.30 Stellar Fox

13.40 - 14.20 Amy Newton

14.30 - 15.20 Off The Wagon

15.35 - 16.30 Malarkey

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#### PILTON CHURCH HALL



The Church Hall is run by a committee of representatives from the community and used by various groups. These include the Scouts, Cubs, Beavers, Pre-School Playgroup, Brownies, Rainbows, Parent & Toddlers, Senior Citizens, Dance School, Whist Drives, Memory Café, artistic productions and keep fit.

It is the home of the Pilton Cinema, the Parish Office and The Pilton Story. The Church Hall is available for occasional bookings, for example children's parties and wedding receptions. We have a fitted kitchen, one upstairs and one downstairs meeting rooms for hire as well as the main hall.

Contact Helen on piltonparish@gmail.com or tel: 01271 345649. For information of what is going on in the hall look at our Facebook site "Pilton Church Hall".



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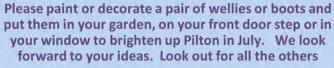
each month

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#### St Mary's Church, Pilton - Saturday 21st July

#### Music in an Ancient Setting

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#### 11.00 Martin Trayhorne

Experience Martin's beautiful and moving piano playing from the classical repertoire. Martin is a regular member of our music team.

#### 12.15 Pilton Community Choir

Come and hear the Pilton Community Choir sing their hearts out! Members of the choir include children, parents and staff from Pilton Infants School, Pathfield School and Pilton Bluecoat Academy.

#### 1.00 Vocal Accord

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#### 2.00 Tim Steer

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#### 3.00 The Voice Community Choir

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2<sup>nd</sup> Pilton Brownies (7-11 yrs) Wednesday 6.15pm 7.45pm 2<sup>nd</sup> Pilton Rainbows (5-7 yrs) Thursday 5.00pm 6.00pm 7<sup>th</sup> Pilton Brownies (7-11 yrs) Thursday 6.00pm 7.30pm

If you would like more information please contact Liz on 01271 327956.

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Our advertisers, stallholders, marshals and to all those involved in procession, pageant, bunting and costume making, music stages and, of course, our amazing team of helpers leading up to, and on, the day and clearing up after the event.

To all the residents of Pilton Street and Pilton Parish,

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