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# Newsletter



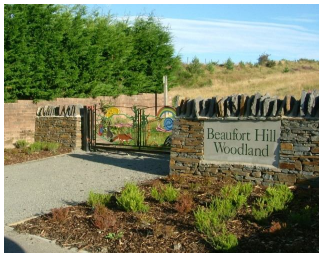
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### Development of the Woodlands Site

What has happened to the Woodlands site since our first Newsletter was published a year ago ?

- \* *An 'all ability' path has been built around the Upper Boat pond, connected by a new bridge - see photo below.*
- \* *A new path has been laid along the south bank of the Lower Boat pond.*
- \* *Several thousand trees have now been planted on the site, the last two hundred were planted by the local schoolchildren.*
- \* *New site entrances have been designed and are now in place - An example of this can be seen on the photo to the left.*
- \* *Parking areas for disabled visitors have been built at the Highlands Road and Little Lane entrances, also an Information Board has been erected at the Little Lane car park - See Page 2.*
- \* *The network of pathways around the Woodlands have been upgraded and the new pathways give good access to pushchairs and wheelchairs in most areas.*
- \* *There are a few benches on the site and more will be provided in the near future.*
- \* *An Angling Club has been formed - Details will be known shortly.*

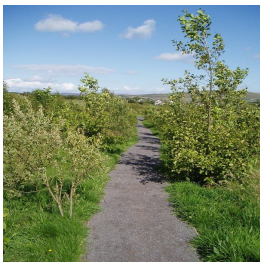


The above picture is of the new site entrance at Blaen Cendl. This is just one of the entrances constructed by the artistic metal worker Suraj Guha from designs created by our three local schools.



### What might have been !!

The picture opposite was taken in September and shows the Waun-y-Pound pond being filled in. This WOULD have happened to us if the local residents hadn't started the campaign to save the Boat Ponds and the subsequent formation of our Society?



A new pathway through the Woodlands



### Please help keep the Woodlands tidy.

Now that the work on the site has been completed, it's there for everybody to enjoy. All we ask is that visitors help keep it clean. Bins for litter and dog mess will be provided soon, in the meantime we request that all litter be taken home.





### Society Website

A year ago we launched our website, which contains news and photographs of the development of the Woodlands site and is regularly updated. You can contact us via our ' ENQUIRY ' page.

Please visit us at :- [www.beauforthillwoodlands.btik.com](http://www.beauforthillwoodlands.btik.com)

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### Information Board

The Information Board has been erected at the side of the Car Park near the bottom end of Little Lane.

It was designed by BGCBC Environmental department and is the first Council produced board to be erected on an open space to promote the interest and value of the site. The board clearly shows all the entrance gates and pathways on the Woodlands site.

### Information Day

*We intend to hold an Information Day at Beaufort Hill Welfare Hall on Saturday November 24th, from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm, and invite people to join us and help maintain this excellent facility which has been developed for all the community to benefit.*

*Information & photographs of the Woodlands development will be displayed. We intend to hold an ' OPENING EVENT ' early next summer.*

### Society Membership

Why not join our Society ?? The cost of membership is ONLY a 'one-off' payment of £1.00p per Adult and 50p for a child under 18 years of age.

Bring the form to our Information Day or contact one of the Directors listed above.

Name : ..... Name : .....

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