



# THE ALTONIAN WEEKLY

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**WEEK 28 8th October**

## **Alton In Harmony With Nature - Calendar Competition 2020**

Next week sees the launch of "Alton - In Harmony with Nature" our charity fundraising calendar for the Mayor's charities (Bushy Leaze and the King's Arms.) We had so many stunning entries that we were unable to only pick 12 for the calendar and have ended up with 20 images, all of which reflect our beautiful urban green spaces, wildlife and surrounding countryside.

We have two calendars to choose from, produced by Treloar Print, a desktop calendar priced at £5.00 each and a wall calendar priced at £9.00 each. These are available to buy in a number of town centre

shops including Perfect Moments, Quirky Woman, St Michaels Hospice, Coffee Cherry, Alton Home Hardware, Mainly Framing, Howitts, Make My Day, Hair and Homes Estate Agents.

To celebrate the launch of the calendar we have organised an outdoor photography exhibition throughout the town centre, which will be available to view from Monday until the third week of November. We have 17 shops who have very kindly agreed to have a framed and mounted photograph from the calendar in their shop window, creating a trail through the High Street. The map can be downloaded from our website or found in the outlets selling the calendar.

We hope the calendar will raise much needed funds for the Mayor's charities as well as the exhibition providing an opportunity for residents and visitors to enjoy a free, outdoor, socially distanced, walking trail.

At the conclusion of the exhibition each of our chosen photographers will be presented with a framed version of their image as a thank you. We would also like to thank those who entered but unfortunately were not chosen; we would love to have used all of the images but had to put a limit somewhere, but you are all amazing photographers, so thank you! A full list of the photographers whose images feature in the calendar can be found alongside the map on our website.



## Bin Collections - EHDC

Bin calendars for waste, recycling and glass are now available to access online.



Your bin collection days and pattern stay the same and the only days your collections will change is the week following a bank holiday.

[www.easthants.gov.uk/bin-calendars](http://www.easthants.gov.uk/bin-calendars)

## Hampshire Perspectives

HCC are pleased to have had so many residents on board to help gather views to shape the delivery of essential services, and support Hampshire to get 'back on its feet' as we navigate through COVID-19. If you haven't already they are asking for feedback through short 5 min surveys on a wide range of topics to help drive changes and improvements. Join the conversation and be part of the forum here



[www.hants.gov.uk/.../havey.../hampshire-perspectives](http://www.hants.gov.uk/.../havey.../hampshire-perspectives)

## Keeping Up To Date

If you would like to receive the Altonian directly into your mailbox every week, please visit our website [www.alton.gov.uk](http://www.alton.gov.uk) and at the bottom of the homepage complete your details. Not only will we send you the weekly Altonian we would also like to contact you occasionally about your opinion on important matters in the town.

## Autumn Walking Week

To launch next weeks first Autumn Walking Week and to celebrate walking in Alton, Councillor Pam



Jones

presented Louise Parker and Charles Kaye the original artwork from the front of the Wey Walk leaflet which you can download from [www.walkalton.org.uk](http://www.walkalton.org.uk).

There are still places available on the following walks. Please visit [www.alton.gov.uk](http://www.alton.gov.uk) for more details.

### Monday 12th October

Northern Loop of Alton

### Tuesday 13th October

William Cobbett Walk

### Thursday 15th October

Shortheath and Binswood  
Six Hills of Alton

### Friday 16th October

Binsted, Bentley Station, Green Bridge and the Arboretum

### Saturday 17th October

Celebrating Alton's Public Open Spaces  
Alton to Beech

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