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Pilton Green Man Day Committee

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OLD AND NEW WELCOME

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, marguees to erect. 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 begins at Barnstaple Square at 11.00am and makes its way along the High Street and Pilton Causeway to arrive at the bottom of Pilton Street by 11.30am. Processing up the street and turning into Pilton House grounds. Look out for the large Green and Red Masks leading the way.

THE PAGEANT (Rotary Gardens 12 noon and 3pm)

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 at The Bull House below the church until the reformation. The ritual enacted at Green Man Day is believed to represent the initial antagonism of the two characters, Prior and Green Man, represented by Red and Green masks and the subsequent inclusion of the Pagan figure within the church. Under the direction of Bev Neighbour and Pip Cartmell, it takes place in the arena at the top of Rotary Gardens.

Contribution to tea requested





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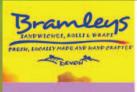






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The day could not take place without the skill and dedication of a hardworking Committee. This band of unpaid volunteers gives its time for all our enjoyment.

The event is non-profit making and we are eternally grateful to the generosity of everyone who has sponsored and supported the committees fundraising.

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If you feel you are able to help with next year's Green Man Day in anyway please contact us via our email piltonfestival@googlemail.com. The Green Man committee needs new members.



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New Trust to Benefit Pilton Community

Pilton Green Man Day is now overseen by a new charitable trust, the PILTON GREEN MAN CIO* (Registered Charity Number 1170742). Its aims can be summarised as:

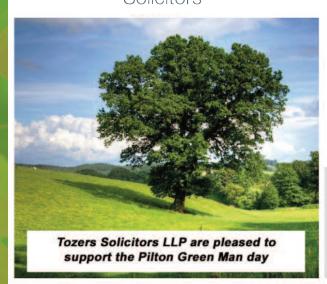
'to promote good citizenship and advance charitable purposes in the arts, history and other areas for the benefit of the people of Pilton, funded through the annual Green Man Day'.

It has already supported the Pilton Panto, to help re-establish this event in the Church Hall, and The Pilton Story. Individuals and community groups are invited to apply for funding for projects from the accumulated profit of recent Green Man Days. Initial ideas include creating a community allotment or composting, support to the schools and community groups, and organising volunteers to combat loneliness and isolation in all ages and tea parties for the elderly. Would you like to help? Talk to one of the trustees or email them through the website www.piltonfestival.co.uk.

The eight trustees are Richard Stevens (Chair), Marc Brayley (Treasurer), Susan O'Grady, Siobhan Roissetter, Warwick Neighbour, Liz Davies, Louise Thomas and Martin Haddrill.

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

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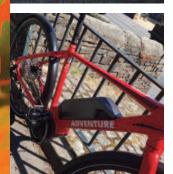
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Pilton Street & Rotary Gardens

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 the comfort of Rotary Gardens, a splendid setting for family-based activities with children's soft-play and free-play areas and a hand-cranked Victorian merry-go-round.





Dotted amongst the trees, arts and craftsmen will demonstrate their skills and local interest groups and charities will 'set out their stalls'. The hugely entertaining Wyvern Tales will be performing

throughout the day with story-telling and interactive workshops. Look out for Matt Lemon with his juggling, yoyos and balloon art. You might chance upon DJ Magician pedalling around on his unicycle. As if that's not enough for a cracking day out, Uncle Tacko is returning with his amazing flea circus and Dave Hendy will perform his Punch & Judy at 2.00pm and 3.30pm



Should you wish to simply chill out, just pick your spot, and stretch out. You might even want to bring a picnic along, or if Mum or Dad want a break, there's a huge range of street food outlets, Monty's Caribbean Kitchen, Seasonal Samosas, Lola's wings, Andrew Gratton's locally sourced Hog Roast and many more. Don't forget the Pimms tent.

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



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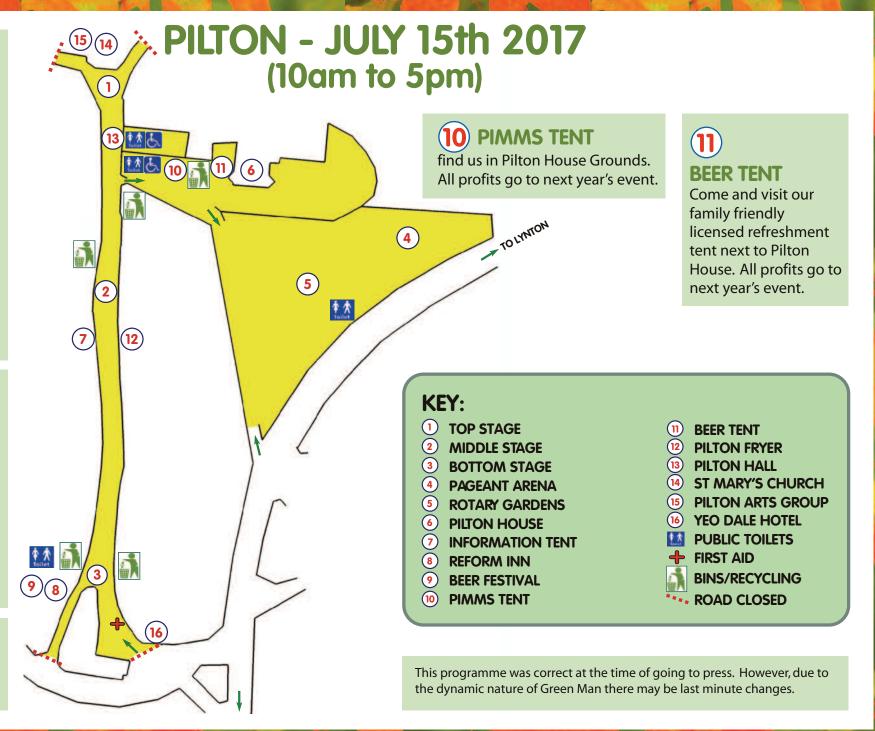
Tom & Crispin are your compères for the day and can announce any information whilst walking up and down the street.

TOILETS

Can be found at Pilton Church Hall along with urinals and disabled facilities. Portaloos are along the North Road side of Rotary Gardens, Pilton House Grounds and in Pilton Street Lower Car park (through the alleyway above 8/9 on key).

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

Thank you



STAGES 2017

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 musical support we enjoy 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. There will also be some local buskers playing throughout the day in Rotary Gardens.

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	Green Man Parade
11.45 – 12.15	Hang in D
12.15 – 1.00	Luke Brown
1.00 – 1.30	Break
1.30 – 2.15	Bicycle Repair Man
2.15 – 3.00	Child
3.00 – 4.00	Soulcraft



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!

PILTON HOUSE GROUNDS

3.30pm AngleTwitch Morris

MIDDLE STAGE

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

11.30 - 12.10	Mark Wonnacott (Allowing Break for Green Man Parade)
12.10 – 12.40	Ella & Ewan
12.45 – 1.15	Aaron & Marta
1.30 – 1.50	Mike & lan
2.00 – 2.30	Rough Justice
2.35 – 3.05	Joy Machine
3.10 – 3.40	Sam Dowden
3.45 – 4.15	Charlie Charlesworth



TOP STAGE

Thank you to Ricky Knight for running the top stage – A Green Man Day Favourite!

11.00 – 11.30	Jenna Witts	1.30 – 2.30	Chloe Bix
11.30 – 12.00	Green Man Parade	2.30 – 3.30	Oggle Band
12.00 – 12.20	Wren Frost	3.30 – 4.30	Malarkey
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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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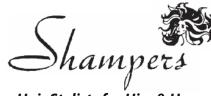
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