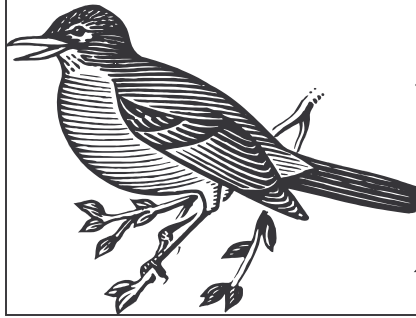


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Bottle of wine....?



A deer has been spotted on the park a few times this spring – jumping up from the undergrowth and scaring the life out of the Addisons as it ran away. The challenge from 2004 still stands – a bottle of wine for the first photo of a deer on the park (or taken from the park of a deer in the next field)

The David Bellamy Conservation Award application time is with us again so some postcards are attached to allow you to make comments, if you wish to.

Winter work on the park....

When we wrote the winter newsletter we weren't sure if we would need to cancel the planned winter work as time was slipping away. We went ahead with a big re-organisation of the car parking area and it isn't quite complete.....Sorry about the mess!

We are looking forward so work being finished so we can get all the machines off the park and get on with keeping the park smart and tidy.

Please remember, with the new layout of roads, it is still 5mph speed limit on the park.



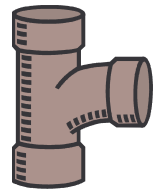
Contractor, Dan, and one of his diggers

Did you know?

Over the winter a small brewery has opened in the old smelting mill across the river a few hundred metres away. There are also plans for some craft units and a heritage centre, where people will be able to find out more about the lead mining industry in this area over 100 years ago. The beer is already for sale in local pubs. Brewery tours are to start in the spring.

The Drains...

Like many parks, we have many hundred metres of private drain pipes and about half the park is also pumped to the drains, with a long pipe we own over the fields until it reaches the sewage treatment plant. So, please, toilet paper only, down the pan! No sanitary towels, tampons, nappies, or the dinky wads of paper on a stick they advertise on television to clean the toilet.



New Walks Leaflets

Don't forget to pick up a copy of our Allendale Caravan Park walks leaflets. These give some short walks directly from the park. Pick them up from us at the house and you should also be able to find them soon at local Tourist Information Centres .

Welcome

Welcome to Mr & Mrs Waugh on pitch 20 who have moved their Willerby Bermuda from another park. Welcome also to Mr & Mrs Wilson who have bought the Willerby Salisbury on pitch 9.

Regards, Mike and Verona