

To 'Save the Pool' shareholders, supporters and friends.

Hello again, things are really moving now. Our formal application to re-open the pool in Hornby and take it into community ownership has been favourably received and we await further development and clarification.

Bob McGachie has a regular weekly call booked to County Offices to monitor progress and we are optimistic that all will come good for this essential Lune Valley facility and allow us to progress with our community ownership bid and creative management strategies.

We are actively seeking matched funding, grants, donations and sponsorship of course and our sincere gratitude to everyone who so generously applied for over £20,000 of share pledges received to date. In view of this superb support we are hoping to introduce specific shareholder benefits to reward your investment and trust. Details of which will be published shortly.

But, it's not all about money, this is a Lune Valley community project and we are keen to recruit volunteers to help in all kinds of ways, both now and in the future, e.g. fund raising sub-committee, admin, organisation etc. We will also need renovation work parties when we get access to the site and a grand re-branding launch programme will create further opportunities when the pool re-opens for business.

Still lots of hoops to jump through and boxes to tick but further information will be available in the coming weeks. It really is very exciting and thank you all once again for the enthusiastic support you have clearly demonstrated for 'your' pool.


Apologies for the few technical problems we recently experienced with E newsletters, now hopefully resolved, but just in case you missed it here's a reminder of our next fund raising event.. –

Maelstrom Concert: The Three Choirs concert takes place on Saturday 16th September at 7 for 7.30pm, at The Hornby Institute (015242 22227) Tickets £7.00. This promises to be a wonderful night of music for all with proceeds for the Save the Pool fighting fund. Thank you so much to all those taking part in this event and for actively supporting the campaign.

Do hope you can join us, we would love to see you there and if you have any ideas, suggestions, requests or offers of help for the future we certainly would be very pleased to hear from you at any time.

Kind regards and grateful thanks once again.

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