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## Welcome to issue 64

What a hot summer we are having, the warning about "Fire" is an important issue. It was good to see the Rector found a good way to keep cool and raising some money for the Church at the same time. We would welcome your views on the art in the Leat. Finally for those off on Holiday have a good time and come back safely.

## The Weir & Leat Conservation

This Trust has been busy finalizing its Lottery application so that the projects goals can be met, the goals are:

- (1) The restoration and conservation of Dulverton's historic weir and leat structures,
- (2) To use the opportunity presented by restoration to improve surrounding habitats, wildlife, flora and fauna,

(3) Recognition of the ancient structures of the weir and leat as a heritage assets and ensuring their future protection,

(4) To tell the story of Dulverton's Urban Watermill Landscape, its 700+ year heritage and its place in the history of the town,

(5) To create the potential for future significant contributions to the local tourism and sporting economies.

July was a busy month for the Trustees, with a fund raising Garden Party and Auction of Pledges at Pixton House by kind permission of the Bell Family.

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The weather was perfect, as were the refreshments. It was well attended as you can see from our photo and enjoyed by all.

The generosity of those who attend helped increase the fund raising.

The 2nd event in July was the art in the leat, either side of the road by Town Mills, this provoked much comment some positive and some not so positive.

Our photo shows the view from someone's front room, the first thing they saw every morning.

I am not going to comment but all items have created much comment.



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## Are we bottom of the pile?

There are a number of outstanding problems and the more our council follow up the less happens

Light in Jury Road the street light opposite number 4 has been out for months, this is dangerous, it is very dark in that part of Jury Road, it's on a bend and the road narrows. The repair has been chased very hard and it was promised it would be fixed by the end of June as at now it is still out.

## Good News Light fixed at last on 26th July

Monmouth Terrace (the path down the side of the library) How long have the stones been uneven and a trip hazard? They have just been in part relaid but they are still not right.

Another problem that has been chased with the County Council as with the light!

We understand that at next Farmers market on the 25th August, that the Town Council will be having their next Surgery, when the Council will be pleased to deal with any queries, comments, complaints, praise or suggestions.