Midnight ramblers step out to celebrate midsummer

By Tim Spiers

THE Engine House Visitor Centre at Kidderminster will be the hub of the action.

The 1940s Fashion Fair will be a turn-of-the-century fashion parade. The visitors will view the day's fashions and be able to ask about them. The fashion parade will be followed by a dance, and the GLEN MILLER swing band will be back.

The Severn Valley Railway will have its wartime nostalgia theme on the final weekend of June.

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Says the Severn Valley Railway's marketing manager, Roly Pickett: "We are turning back the clock and rolling out its wartime nostalgia theme from 1942 to 1945.

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### Legacy of Ruskin so inspiring even today

AFT enthusiasts will have a rare opportunity to view items from a collection created by John Ruskin at Bewdley Museum from next week.

Forty objects including watercolours, drawings, prints and books are on loan from the Collection of the Guild of St George, which is housed by Moira Hudd, in Bewdley, for four weeks from Saturday, July 2.

The works have been chosen to reflect different aspects of the collection, which Ruskin amassed to inspire creativity in foundry workers and craftsmen. It will include copies of renaissance art, medieval architecture and studies to celebrate the vibrancy of nature.

### Galleries

Ruskin was a writer and art critic who, in the 1890s, intended to move part of his collection to Bewdley. The project never came about because of a lack of funding and Ruskin's poor health, but the designs for his proposed museum will be on display.

Ruskin founded the Guild of St George to help create a better world, his aims were to turn wasteland into food-producing plots, to protect wildlife, to educate all people in arts and to open public libraries and galleries as a “national store” for all ages.

His vision continues through his charity, properties and woodland that the Guild owns, in Bewdley – Uollys Farm and Ruskinland.

### Magic for animals

VOLUNTEERS took to the streets as Kidderminster Chronicle, on June 4 and raised £113.63 for Conservation in World Farming.

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### Wigwam bang on trend with glamping fans

FORGET cramped, leaking tents, soggy sleeping bags and crawling over a temperamental gas flame trying to warm a cup of boils.

For the high-class camper there's a way to stay in the countryside of the Wyre Forest without leaving all creature comforts behind.

Glamorous camping – or glamping – is the latest stationary craze sweeping the country. Instead of huddling in understated canvas, people can now stretch out in spacious bedrooms with proper beds – including real pillows and duvets – and real bathrooms.

Some of these luxury tents even have heating and an electricity supply for such essentials as curling tongs and straighteners.

Less than five years ago, only a handful of places were offering luxury also, but now the number is steadily rising.

High Clow Camping, run by Chris and Kathy Jones, has a site at Haye Farm, near Bewdley, and will be opening a second at Astley next month.

As well as the sleeping chambers, they also offer fitted-up dining tepees or wigwams fully stocked with all the cooking equipment and utensils a family would need, as well as table and chairs.

Mr Jones, from Clopton, Mer- timber, Shropshire, opened his Haye Farm site in early 2009.

**Episode**

‘It’s really taken off and there is a big demand for those type of camping sites,’ says Mr Jones, aged 47.

‘They are popular with families who want to go camping, but don’t want to buy all the gear. “With the tepees, it’s all set up for them when they arrive and they don’t have to pack up again when they leave.”

The industry had a boost earlier this year when TV’s ‘The Only Way Is Essex showed its “stars” heading out on a glamping holiday, complete with leopard-print suitcases.

Glamour has also become a part of the summer festival scene and revellers at V Festival at Weston Park in Staffordshire will have the option of camping in luxury thanks to a range of tepees and yurts offering a range of home comforts.

V glampers can wave goodbye to wet wipes, washes and chemical toilets with access to warm showers and premium toilets, plus a boot room packed with mirrors, hairdry- ers and strippers.

A tepee holiday at Haye Farm costs £550 per an night or £110 per night for short breaks with a minimum two-night stay while the costs at Astley are £450 per seven nights or £50 per night for short breaks.

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Poppy field a beacon for airline passengers

A MEADOW of poppies at Bewdley is providing an unmistakable signpost this summer – even from thousands of feet in the air.

A Shropshire woman, Marston Wootton, spotted the poppies alongside the A46 at Blackstone Farm from an airplane taking her from Birmingham International Airport to visit her daughter in the US.

“The tomato red patch guided my view from Bewdley over the Wyre Forest and Catherine Common to my own tiny hamlet of Farlow, near Clowes Martines,” said Mrs Wootton.

Andy Harris, of Worcestershire Wildlife Trust, said the spectaculair display at Bewdley were down to soil and seeds being turned over.

At Blackstone, owned by the trust, packets of poppy seeds are available in exchange for a donation.

College axes 14 workers

FOURTEEN staff at Kidderminster College are facing the axe.

Bosse say they need to save £50,000 next year and are looking at reducing staff by September.

They are hoping to avoid compulsory redundancies, but say they cannot be ruled out.

Departments are being restructured and staff affected will first be offeredvoluntary redundancy or an alternative position.

Opposed

Principal of the college, Nick Verden said the range of courses would be expected to be affected.

“It is sad and, because of public sector cuts, we have to reduce staffing levels. This is in a good college with many excellent staff."

Art-filled weekend

DONK EYS, pigs, sheep, horses, donkeys, velvet carpet and a charity rock 'n' roll night are promised in an art-filled weekend in Kidderminster.

A PROJECTION of visual art awaits visitors to Bewdley Open Studios this Saturday and Sunday.

It claims to be the greatest celebration of art and artists in Wyre Forest district, with more than 50 participating artists and hundreds of works on display at the museum and other venues in Bewdley.

The Open Studios showcases the work of talent local artists many of whom exhibit in London and internationally in Europe and as far afield as New York.

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Driscoll care for survivors of accidents

PEOPLE with brain injuries caused by road accidents and assaults, or wounded soldiers, will soon be able to have specialist treatment at a new centre in the Wyre Forest countryside.

Recruitment of 50 full and part-time staff has now begun for the Park Attwood Clinic, in Trimpley, near Bewdley, which is due to open next month.

Entrepreneur Jim Driscoll has spent £2 million to buy the clinic and refit it as a brain injury rehabilitation centre, with 15 large bedrooms and a day centre. The large and a decked area has views as far as the Malvern Hills and across Kidderminster to Hagley Monument, and walkways in the grounds are wide enough for a wheelchair.

A house in the grounds will provide four suites for people with brain injuries needing respite care to give their families a break.

Beautiful! Rachael Skinner, aged 41, the clinical manager, said: “There is a huge gap in provision for the individuals that we will be providing care for with physical, occupational, speech and language and psychological therapies.”

“Many they are young men under 30, and the most common reasons for their brain injuries will be road accidents or assaults.

“People with brain injuries are often kept in hospital longer than they should, blocking beds, because there is nowhere for them to go, or they end up in nursing homes.”

Mr Driscoll, aged 63, of Chadwick Green, Kidderminster, shot to fame as a young man when he created the Show People cartoon series.

He set up Park Attwood Ltd to run the care business and director of the Herons Park rehabilitation centre, with 200 beds and a day centre and a 100-year-old loom used to create Wilton-style carpets.

For tickets at £35, or sponsorship or donations to an appeal, contact Rachael Skinner on 07932 627 083, or Rebecca Mattews at rebecca.mattews@theaa.com or call 0754 945 3220.

Old Land Rovers stolen for their parts

THE theft of an old Land Rover from Kidderminster has sparked a warning to owners from West Mercia Police.

Officers have appealed for information about a green 1992-95 Land Rover Defender, K44 DEG, which was taken from Decknall Lane, Kidderminster, at about 1.30am on Sunday and 3.55am last Friday, 17 June.

A spate of thefts of older Land Rovers, in particular Defenders, is being investigated and police have launched a series of Defend Your Defender posters to alert owners and promote crime prevention.

Garage

It is believed the Solihull-built 4 x 4 vehicles are being stripped down and the parts either sold in the UK or exported.

Owners are urged to be extra-vigilant and note any suspicious activity around their vehicles such as people hanging around or driving past slowly. They are advised to ensure immobillizers and other security devices are activated, and preferably to park the vehicle in a garage if they have one or out of sight of the road if possible.

Witnesses or anyone with information are urged to call West Mercia Police on 0300 11 12345, quoting 68-8-20061.

Workers flee blaze

WORKERS evacuated a factory in Kidderminster after a blaze broke out.

Crews were called to Southwick Deep Forge, Stourport Road, when the plant’s fire alarm went offarket on June 14 at 10.28am.
Stop ‘monstrous’ burner says Tory

By Sarah Hazelwood
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PETER Luff MP has urged the people of Worcestershire to dig deep in the battle against a “monstrous” incinerator in Hartlebury.

The plea came after an eight-day public inquiry as ordered in Worcester from November 12.

The Tory MP for Mid-Worcestershire turned Waal protestors and more than 100 villagers at a meeting last Friday to discuss how to raise money for an expert report on the inquiry.

“I still worry that the rest of Worcestershire hasn’t woken up to the long-term consequences of this monstrous incineration,” said Ms. Hazelwood.

“This is not just Hartlebury’s battle, it is a battle that the whole country should join. We must dig deep into our time and money to fight this.”

Waal chairman Ray Kirby, chairman of Waal - Worcestershire Residents Against Incineration and Landfill printed....” said: “With everyone’s continued assistance it will help us in our case.”

Vandalised Envirocube’s plans for a £120 million waste burner on Hatherleigh Trading Estate have sparked protests since they were announced in 2009.

A villager, who did not wish to be named, also voiced concerns over the vandalism of Waal posters.

She said: “The posters have been up for months without any problem and there is a lot of anger as to why they should suddenly be damaged.”

Vandalised

A M A N w as taken to hospital after a crash on a Kidderminster road. A Vauxhall Vectra and a Ford Fiesta collided in Franche Road in the town shortly after 1.30pm on Sunday, June 19.

Carnival queen Jessica Homan, 15, celebrates on Saturday

Carnival is a cracker

KIDDERMINSTER Carnival’s first just parade has been hailed a success by its chair and expert representative at the inquiry.

“We were very pleased with our first walking parade on Saturday and are very grateful to those who entered,” said Steve Wallace.

Rescue

“A lot of thought and effort went into their fantastic costumes,” he said. “The forecast was poor, but we were lucky, escaping with just two heavy showers on Saturday and were nothing and the rest of the day was beautifull sunny.”

We hope to build on its success next year.

Thousands of people packed the carnival field, enjoying the entertainment.

Proceeds are still being counted and are going to Noah’s Ark for bereaved children, the Odell Trust, for people with learning difficulties, Kidderminster Ex-Services Association and Severn Area Rescue Association.

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RUBBISH PILES UP FOR FORTUNE FOR DAVID

A KIDDERMINSTER firm which has invested more than £10 million in premises and machinery in two years is planning to expand by building on its record with rubbish.

Lawrence Recycling & Waste Management has more than doubled its workforce to 70 since moving to Stourport Road.

Annual turnover has grown from £2.7 million to £7 million at the 16-acre site, which is claimed to be the largest in Europe.

It is so vast it could house five Titanic-sized ocean liners in its bowels and can process 500,000 tons of waste a year from construction, demolition, commercial and industrial sources in the Black Country, Birmingham and Worcestershire.

For Recycling Week from June 20-28 the company has announced that it is hoping to turn even more rubbish into usable products – and cash – by installing new technology.

It would process small pieces of paper, plastic and wood into “refuse derived fuel” (RDF).

Once that happens, the company will need to recruit more technical engineers to produce the dry, solid fuel, although the amount of extra staff that will be needed has not yet been calculated.

Shredded

David Lawrence, managing director of the family business, in which his two brothers, Mark, aged 40, and Kevin, 38 – also work, said: “At the moment we recycle over 100pc of the construction waste that comes to us, crushing the bricks and rubble into aggregates that can be used to make roads or go to building sites.

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A BEAUTIFUL brick carving in a cafe at the Sainsbury's store in Kidderminster has been allowed in 1996 after well-known sculptor Richard Kindersley won a competition to produce the piece, funded by the Arts Council. Kindersley’s work also includes sculpture commissions for British Telecom, Easter University and Chertsey Fine Art.

The Sainsbury’s store in Carpet Town Way is currently being extended, with work including the relocation of the cafe to a new mezzanine floor.

The store sales area is also being extended by more than 13,000 sq ft. Sainsbury’s contractor has preserved the wall and is currently determining the most suitable place to revalue it. Dave Parnell, Sainsbury’s project manager, said: “The carved wall is a beautiful sculpture and represents the heritage of Kidderminster, as we were always looking to preserve it for future generations.”

“We have decided that a new location in the town would be better to show off the carving and we are currently discussing the most suitable spot.” Mr Parnell added that the store remodelling was on course to complete later in the summer.

For further information regarding the wall or the store extension, call Richard Harris on Sainsbury’s freephone (0800 975 5259.

A PENSIONER who has battled to stay in her home near Stourport with her rescue dogs for four years has been landed with a £2,735 court bill.

Eileen James, aged 71, refused to move from her caravan at Bethington View, Astonbury, despite having paid her planning permission, because she feared she would lose her animals to move into council housing.

She was found in breach of a council enforcement notice and fined £1,300. She must also pay costs and a victim surcharge totalling £1,255.

Worcester magistrates were told she bought land in June 2006 as somewhere to walk her animals where they could run free.

A few months later she moved into the caravan on the site where she could live there after receiving a form about council housing.

The previous owner had planning permission to live there but this expired after his death.

Summer evening of music at castle

A MUSIC event is being held to boost a campaign to save a historic castle near Kidderminster this weekend.

An evening of Moseley Mount Mans in the Castle will be held at Hartley Castle on July 21, starting at 7pm.

The event is being organised by Kidderminster Castle Preservation Society in aid of its appeal to raise £2.2 million to buy the castle and run it as a tourist attraction.

Tickets are on sale at £11 (or £10 for concessions) or £3.50 per car to the castle grounds open at 5pm.

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CYCLISTS ready for a challenge are being invited to join the second Severn Valley bike ride event in aid of a Midland charity.

Acorns Children’s Hospice is appealing for riders to take part in the fundraiser on August 21.

There will be a 20 mile route starting from Bridgnorth, or a 10 mile route from Severn Valley Country Park pasting Arley Arboretum, Acorns Memorial Wood and the Wyre Forest, finishing in Bewdley.

**Demanding**

Participants can then celebrate their achievement with an atmospheric train ride on the Severn Valley Railway. Acorns tracks and challenges officer Lucy Shepherd said: “We are aiming for 150 participants and to raise more than £15,000. “It’s a demanding, hilly route, and they can choose 10 or 20 miles.”

The event is following in the tracks of last year's successful ride, which raised more than £13,000. To join the ride call 01944 984046 or visit www.acorns.org.uk/ride.

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**Three closed gardens**

TWO fascinating gardens open in the Wyre Forest area this Sunday under the National Gardens Scheme (NGS).

High Bank, in Cleobury Road, Bewdley was the winner of the Bewdley in Bloom large garden section competition last year after being runner-up in 2009 and 2008.

High Bank, which will be open from 11 am until 5 pm, is a restored and mature one third acre garden in keeping with the Edegbaston house.

It has old and protected trees, a large collection of herbaceous borders, roses, conifers, a large vegetable garden and tomato greenhouses.

Another garden is also in development – a new woodland garden is also in develop-

**Stuart and Ann McKie** who own High Bank, also welcome private visits by prior appointment – see the www.npg.org.uk or the NGS/Wyler Bank website.

The Woodlands, in Dunclent, Stone, near Kidderminster, will be open from 11.30 am to 4.30 pm on Sunday.

**Waterfall**

This is Pat and Phil Gaskin’s intriguing three level, with secret garden, waterfall, per- sonal walk, pond and swimming pool garden.

A new garden opening for the first time tomorrow (Friday), from 12 until 5 pm, is Brook Farm, Harrington, Tom, Sarah and William Winst on on Friday 24th.

This is a new small family garden and has been described variously as a country garden, a wildlife garden and a chaotic garden.

**Footage of a shopper released after a laptop was stolen at Comet in Kidderminster**

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Police have released CCTV images of a man they would like to speak to in connection with the theft of a laptop from a Kidderminster store.

A £500 burgundy red Acer, model number A57542, was stolen shortly before 1pm on Friday, May 30, from a display at Comet, in Carpet Trades Way, Crawley Retail Park.

**Personal**

PC Ian Hoekse said: “The CCTV images we have are quite clear and we hope someone will recognise the man who was quite distinctively and smartly dressed in an overcoat, shirt and tie, and a flat cap. “If you know or think you know who this man is then please call us with any informa-

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**Prodigal son returns to solve dark mystery in compelling thriller**

**Exile (15)**

This three-part series by Danny Brocklehurst, shown earlier this year on BBC1 TV, is a compelling blend of family drama and conspiracy thriller.

John Simm is in excellent form as washed-up magazine hack Tom Rickett, who leaves his luxury flat in London to return to his roots in the grim northern town where he grew up, where his self-sacrificing spinster sister has been caring for his former local journalist father, who is suffering from Alzheimer’s disease.

Following the death of his father, attending a memorial above the River Severn, Tom receives a letter, a cry for help from his estranged father, who is in a remote monastery on a island near one of the Severn’s many treacherous river breaks, where a nun who is blamed for a plague some 30 years before is now a council bigwig. Tom finds that his aloof and controlling father has left his luxury flat in London to return to his roots in the grim northern town where he grew up, where his self-sacrificing spinster sister has been caring for his former local journalist father, who is suffering from Alzheimer’s disease.

Father and son divided – Jim Broadbent (left) and John Simm in powerful drama-thriller *Exile*.

Tom begins to investigate his father’s involvement, decades earlier, in an investigation his father was involved in decades earlier, which also has a bearing on the shooting incident which drove father and son apart when Tom was still a teenager.

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**Season of the Witch (15)**

Nicolas Cage and Ron Perlman play two tough medieval knights pitted against the forces of evil in this entertaining, if silly, fantasy-horror romp.

After deserting from the Crusades because they are sickened by the wanton destruction of which they seem the most capable protagonists, the pair are captured by the authorities but the church gives them one last chance to redeem themselves by escorting a caged young witch – who is blamed for the pestilence – to a remote monastery where the monks are equipped to deal with her magic.

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**Brighton Rock (15)**

The idea of updating the story of small time Brighton gangsters from the 1930s to the Mods versus Rockers era of the early 60s sounded a good idea on paper but really adds nothing to Rowan Joffe’s remake of the 1947 original, in which Richard Attenborough gave a career-best performance as the psychotic young thug Pinkie. Sam Riley has an air of menace as the juvenile delinquent but is a pale shadow of Attenborough’s portrait of evil. Andrea Riseborough as the awkward young waitress he befriends purely to silence, tries too hard, to the point where she started to put me in mind of the “It’s chotel maid Pegg”. The mods and rockers bits seemed tagged on, like leftovers from *Quadrophenia*, though Eastbourne makes a decent mock Brighton. And the one True Brighton Rock is black and white and made 60 years ago but it remains the far superior movie. Check it out instead.

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Terry's story

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The event runs from 11am - 5pm, with the castle itself opening an hour earlier at 10am. Admission, which includes entry to the site, the Elizabethan Garden and the Grand Medieval Joust to £10 for adults, £5 for concessions and £3 for children, with a family ticket (two adults and up to three children) for just £25. For more information, visit www.english-heritage.org.uk/kenilworth or call 01926 852078.

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Hiho! Couple happy to be back in city for pantomime

For the third consecutive year Ian Dickens Productions return to Wolverhampton Grand Theatre this month to start a four-week summer season.

Similar faces from television will be among the actors presenting a mixed bill of comedy, drama and a pantomime. This year they have the chance to see all five shows, a big discount on the total for any individual tickets per show.

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Further rain reduced the Harborne innings to 40 overs and a revised winning total of 128.

Support will look to get their own back on the weekend as they entertain Chadsey Cobbt on this weekend.

Fair play to the Town lads

BEWLED Town under-14s have been presented with the Ron Lewis Shield for their fair play in the Mercurian Under-14s competition.

The awards are based on marks given by opponents in the 2010-11 season.

The new season begins on Saturday, September 11 and entries for boys and girls are accepted up until the end of June 2011.

Asbestos in the garden

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Over 40 kitchens to choose from

We all know that the kitchen is the hub of the home and finding the one that’s perfect for you and how you’ll use it is one of our areas of expertise.

Our Kitchen Studio showcases a carefully selected range of over 40 kitchens from leading designers including Sheraton, Rotpunkt, Cusina and Charles Rennie Mackintosh. The options are almost limitless - hand crafted, classic oak, contemporary high gloss – and there’s a whole host of work surfaces, appliances and accessories to complete the look too.

Once you’ve made your choice, our kitchen experts will guide you through our 360° Complete Service to create an affordable kitchen that’s as individual as you are.

FREE expert bathroom design and installation...

With over 50 bathrooms and showers on display, you’ll be forgiven for feeling spoilt for choice! It comes as no surprise to find that each model combines practical design with functional style as our bathrooms and showers are designed by some of the biggest and best in the market – Jacuzzi, Heritage, Daryl, Roman and Utopia – to name just a few.

As with our kitchens, our experts in the Bathroom Studio will take you through our 360° Complete Service – planning, design and an installation service all comes as standard – so we take care of everything for you.

Hundreds of sofas, beds and dining suites

More than any other room in your home, your lounge says the most about your personality. Whether you’re looking for a contemporary corner group, sophisticated chaise longue or classic three seater sofa, quality and value for money comes as standard.

If you’re looking for the perfect dining set, then you’ll find an abundance of choice, from glass topped tables and elegant chairs to rustic oak dining sets and high-gloss designs too.

And not forgetting the choice we have in store if it’s a bed you’re after. All the big brands are here including Silentnight, Rest Assured, Gainsborough and more. Sweet dreams are guaranteed – whatever you choose!

*Offer applies to doored kitchen cabinets only, excluding plumbing and electrics. Ex-display and clearance products are also excluded. Discounts vary according to range. Minimum spend £3000.
10 years peace of mind guaranteed with every conservatory

If you’re considering adding space or improving the exterior of your home, then our Conservatory and Glazing experts here at Leekes are full of great ideas to help.

Using the finest materials, the latest technology and traditional craftsmanship, you’ll find the most up to the minute innovations available – from conservatories with tiled roofs to garden rooms and orangeries.

And it’s not just about conservatories. Installing replacement windows and doors, garage doors and soffits and fascias is something we’re experienced in too.

Whatever home improvement project you’re considering investing in, there’s free design as well as a planning and installation service and a 10 year guarantee for total peace of mind - from a company with over 100 years of experience.

ASK ABOUT OUR FANTASTIC SALE OFFERS ON WINDOWS, DOORS AND MUCH MORE!

The finishing touches make all the difference

You’ll find carpets, wallpaper, cushions, lighting, cookware, mirrors, bedding, pictures and so much more – so it’s easy to see why we’re the one stop destination store for the perfect finishing touches.

And if you need a helping hand, then speak to our Interior Design team. Their speciality is knowing everything there is to know about designer fabrics from Harlequin, Romo, Blendworth and Designers Guild and how best to use them to create gorgeous bespoke window treatments, cushions and throws which will make a statement or simply make you feel at home. And what’s more, their advice is free so it’s well worth paying the team a visit when you pop into store.

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OVER £500 OF EXTRAS FREE†

Come and join us in our new café

Take some time out in our new café. It’s a great addition to our new look store and lets you refresh yourself and take the weight off your feet after all that shopping!

free tea or filter coffee with any food purchase of £3 or more from our café

Price is based on a white 3m x 3m conservatory and includes all building work, electrics, installation, insulated base, centy walls (800mm height), toughened glass where required and 25mm polycarbonate roof. Price assumes a level site with no obstructions. Conditions subject to site survey. Conditions apply, see in store for details.

Angie Preece
Retail Assistant

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