Ouseburn Valley News Update July 2020

We're 'Back to the Future'

Join our guided walk to discover more of Ouseburn. Re-starting this week our Back to the Future walks will take you out on Wednesday and Friday mornings through July and August Our guides are leading small groups on an adapted route to allow for safe distancing. **Book your date with us here.**



Victoria Tunnel Tours re-open

We are ready to re-open the Victoria Tunnel from **24th July**, with adapted tours which follow the latest government guidance. Throughout July and August, we are offering one-hour Victoria Tunnel tours for single households (or social bubbles) at a flat fee of £30 per tour. This new offer will help keep visitors and Tour Guides safe, adhering to social distancing and COVID-19 guidance.



Book your Victoria Tunnel tour here

Photography in the Victoria Tunnel

Fancy testing out your photographic skills in one of Newcastle's most unusual locations? The Victoria Tunnel is a fascinating place to take photographs. We have special evening tours for keen and curious photographers on Wednesdays 15 and 29 July. Find out more about our **Photography tours here.**



Coming soon - virtual tours underground

We're preparing to launch virtual Victoria Tunnel tours and thinking about how to make the experience accessible to all. If you have a disability/additional need, we'd really appreciate your input to help us create the best experience possible: there's a very quick survey to **tell us what you think here**

Our AGM and Annual Report

We are holding our AGM online this year. If you'd like to join us at 6.30pm on Tuesday 21 July let us know here and we will get you connected. It is open to anyone interested in our work but you can find out about becoming a member here.



Meanwhile enjoy reading what we did last year in our **Annual Report for 2019-20**

Thank you

A big **THANK YOU** to everyone - residents, businesses, volunteers and individuals - who has been helping to pick up Ouseburn's litter recently. It's been a challenging experience and it's working together that is going to get us through.



Opening in Ouseburn

It's great to see so many places in Ouseburn opening this month - from Ouseburn Farm to the Cook House, with The Cluny and The Tyne Bar opening from today as well. Please do check out your Ouseburn favourite places for guidelines, bookings and opening hours.

Meanwhile a warm welcome to **Northern Rye**Bakery opening recently on the Riverside Walkway, and **Maude's market stall** selling fruit, veg, eggs and plants in the car park at Test House 5, Albion Row, every Saturday from 12 - 4.

And if you are staying in look out for The Cumberland Arms Summer Festival at Home 16-19 July.