

BANCROFT

MILL ENGINE MUSEUM

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May 11th 2014

STEAMING on 18th May

We open at 11.00

The engine starts at 1.00pm

We close down at 4.30

**Free Parking,
Concessionary entry,
Bradley engine build,
Cafeteria.**

THIS WEEK'S STEAMING

Alas, our tame weaver, Ian Mc, my able successor, is unable to be with us on this occasion so it is unlikely that we can demonstrate the loom making tea towels. All should be back to normal for June 8th's steaming and we apologise for this.

VINTAGE MOTOR CYCLISTS

We expect a group from Cumbria visiting the mill for this steaming.

OTHER NEWS

NEWCOMEN BEAM ENGINE



We are fortunate to have a working model of a Newcomen engine coming to (and running in) the mill on 27th July it was built and will be operated by Richard Lamb from Beverley. Richard has experience of working at the Wortley Museum site and at Elsecar.

ZOE RUNS THE MARATHON

It's quite unusual for we sedentary characters to even get a glance at a finisher's medal but Zoe Renshaw has got one all of her own. As we wrote last week, she ran the London Marathon to raise support for sufferers of Crohns Disease and here you see her in volunteering mode at Ellenroad's cafeteria and proudly showing her medal.

FIRE ALARM

Your scribe had attributed the press clip published after the last steaming to a visitor, in fact it was provided by member David Steele. He must have been wearing his Santa outfit at the time for me not to recognise him. My apologies to David and the Barlick History Society.

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