

## **Appendix 1: Proposed Gedling Borough Council Events Programme 2017/18**

### **High Profile Events**

**Arnold Carnival** – Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> June  
Arnot Hill Park, Arnold, Nottingham

**Gedling Country Park Visitor Centre Opening:** Date to be confirmed

Opening event of the new visitor centre and café, Gedling Country Park.

### **Themed Arts and Craft Events**

Gedling Play Forum and Gedling Borough Council deliver a series of themed arts and craft afternoons for children aged under 14. Parents must be in attendance at all times and a SEN Chill Out Zone is available to serve children with special needs.

**Spring Themed Children's Event** – Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> April  
The Civic Centre, Arnot Hill Park, Arnold, Nottingham

**Halloween Arts & Craft Event** – Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> October  
Civic Centre Foyer, Arnot Hill Park, Arnold, Nottingham

**Christmas Arts & Craft Event** – Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> December  
Civic Centre Foyer, Arnot Hill Park, Arnold, Nottingham

**Chinese Dragons and Lanterns** – January/February 2018  
The Civic Centre, Arnot Hill Park, Arnold, Nottingham

### **Play Days**

Gedling Play Forum and Gedling Borough Council present a chance for the under 14s to express themselves through creative and imaginative play. Something for all ages and abilities, again parents must be in attendance at all times and a SEN Chill Out Zone is provided.

**Calverton Play Day** – Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> July  
William Lee Memorial Park, Park Road, Calverton

**Papplewick Play Day** – Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> July  
Linby Lane, Papplewick, Nottingham

**Arnold (Gedling) Play Day** – Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> August  
Arnot Hill Park, Arnold, Nottingham

**Gedling and Carlton Play Day** – Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> August  
Burton Road Recreation Ground, Burton Road, Gedling, Nottingham

### **Arts and Performance**

**Evolution Dance Festival** – date and venue to be confirmed

Local dance groups from around the Borough come together in a showcase of local dance performance.

## **Localities led events**

**Newstead Cleaner and Greener Day:** date to be confirmed

**Netherfield Gala:** date to be confirmed

**Killisick Fun Day:** date to be confirmed

## **Assisted Events**

**International Women's Day Celebrations:** 8<sup>th</sup> March to end of March

This event is led by a cross party group of elected members and representatives of key local community organisations. Activities commence 8<sup>th</sup> March and community led events are supported throughout the month, culminating in a recognition and celebration event hosted by the Mayor of Gedling at the end of March.

**Gedling Arts Festival:** 17<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> July

Led by New Writers UK and delivered in partnership with Arnold Methodist Church and other local community and business partners.

**Up to eight 'Skate – Jam' events at various GBC Parks around the Borough:** July – August, dates to be confirmed

This event is led by Friends of Arnot Hill Park. The Skate – Jam events are possible due to a successful 'Awards for All' bid submitted by Friends of Arnot Hill Park, assisted by the Events and Play Officer. Timing and content of each event are subject to a consultation with local schools led by the Gedling Youth Council during Feb/March.

**Arnold Christmas Craft Fair and Market to coincide with the Lights Switch on:** Date to be confirmed

This event is led by a consortium of local business and community partners in Arnold.