



Pannier Market Report, August/September

General

With our six weeks of Mondays now finished we look forward to the run in to Goose Fayre, footfall over the holiday period has been good with plenty of visitors around.

Some new initiatives have been discussed with some of the shops on the South side of the Market to help increase footfall.

Bedford Square

General Bedford Square Bookings

All Bedford Square bookings are subject to change.

Every Friday Bedford Square hosts our Charter Market regular traders, these include, Rising Sun Nurseries, Endsleigh Gardens, Lewcock clothing and Hungry Hog South West.

Farmers' Markets 2016

Farmers' Markets are every 2nd & 4th Saturday of the month throughout the year, they also trade on most month's that include 5 Saturdays.

Tavi Arts Market 2016 Dates

September 3rd and then every first Saturday of the month up to and including December.

Website and Advertising

We have had lots of new enquiries via the new website and will continue to monitor its content. Facebook continues to be a good source of free advertising.

Trip Advisor

"Great fun"

5 of 5 stars Reviewed 6 days ago NEW

Love going to the market, could wonder around for hours, lots to see, some good, some not so good, but the building is awesome.

"Brilliant undercover market"

5 of 5 stars Reviewed 6 days ago NEW via mobile

"This is a hidden treasure trove of stalls, we could have wandered around looking for ages but didn't have enough time left in our car park ticket. We are definitely going back!"

Takings

Takings 2015	Takings 2016
Week Ending - 25/07/2015 = £7,740.00	Week Ending - 24/07/2016 = £7,695.00
Week Ending - 02/08/2015 = £9,002.00	Week Ending - 31/07/2016 = £8,406.00
Week Ending - 09/08/2015 = £8,930.00	Week Ending - 07/08/2016 = £8,651.00
Week Ending - 16/08/2015 = £8,749.00	Week Ending - 14/08/2016 = £8,624.00
Week Ending - 23/08/2015 = £8,522.00	Week Ending - 21/08/2016 = £8,570.00
Week Ending - 30/08/2016 = £7,928.00	Week Ending - 28/08/2016 = £8,696.00
Total - £50,871.00	Total - £50,642.00

Bedford Square Takings (Daily Marquees)

Takings 2015	Takings 2016
Week Ending - 25/07/2015 =£162	Week Ending - 24/07/2016 =£216
Week Ending - 02/08/2015 =£270	Week Ending - 31/07/2016 =£144
Week Ending - 09/08/2015 =£180	Week Ending - 07/08/2016 =£126
Week Ending - 16/08/2015 =£126	Week Ending - 14/08/2016 =£180
Week Ending - 24/08/2015 =£162	Week Ending - 21/08/2016 =£212
Week Ending - 31/08/2015 =£162	Week Ending - 28/08/2016 =£162
Total - £1,062	Total - £1,040

Events

Sunday 28th August saw the Town Hall & Bedford Square host Miss Ivy's 'Great British Summer Fete' the event was a great success with wide mixture of Artisan & Vintage Exhibitors, there was entertainment throughout the day and was very well attended by the public.

Sunday 18th September sees the 2nd annual visit of the NCCPG Plant Fayre, this will be in addition to Tavistock's Heritage Weekend.

Coach Drivers Initiative

The distribution of our coach drivers' incentive pack has won an award for his services to the coach industry, he has asked to interview the Market Reeve for a national coach magazine.

A few new coach drivers have informed the Market Office that they found out about the incentive via the new website.

Christmas Opening Times

Christmas Eve – Open
Christmas Day – Closed
Boxing Day – Closed
Tuesday 27th – Closed
Wednesday 28th – Open
Thursday 29th – Open
Friday 30th – Open
Saturday 31st – Open
New Years Day – Closed
Monday 2nd – Closed
Tuesday 3rd – Back to normal opening

In addition to these will be open for the two Mondays leading up to Christmas, the dates for these will be 12th & 19th December. Traders and shops in the Pannier Market surround are being advised of these arrangements.

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