



Friends of Kennet Update

June 2011

- ***The Kennet Project is starting in earnest!***

With the 24th June just round the corner (when we hear whether we have the HLF Grant) there has been a meeting of the **Project Kennet Working Group** to create a programme of events including the starting of work on Kennet - on the optimistic basis that we will achieve the Lottery Funding (even if it is on re-applying).

Below is the timetable of the Events/Works and it goes without saying that your help would be welcome no matter how small.

Timetable:-

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| 14 th – 17 th June (Tuesday – Friday) | Move Kennet from Greenberfield to Burscough |
| 20 th -26 th June (Monday – Sunday) | Burscough Heritage Week |
| 25 th – 26 th (Saturday – Sunday) | Kennet open to the public at Burscough |
| 26 th (Sunday Evening) | Move Kennet from Burscough to Crooke |
| 2 nd – 3 rd July (Saturday – Sunday) | Crooke Weekend |
| 7 th – 14 th July (one day to be arranged) | Moving Kennet from Crooke to Bedford Basin, Leigh, Bridgewater Canal |
| 14 th July – 20 th July (Thursday – Wednesday) | Stripping out the Hold at Bedford Basin. |
| 31 st July (Sunday) | Move Kennet from Bedford Basin into Worsley Dry Dock |
| 31 st July (Sunday) | Pressure Wash Hull ready for Survey |
| 1 st August (Monday) | Survey carried out |
| 2 nd – 20 th August | Clean, de-rust and protective coatings to Ballast Tank, inside Hold and the exterior of the Hull |

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