



# Theatre Locale –

## Your Heavitree Squilometre Update

Welcome to the Feb/Mar issue of *Theatre Locale* 2018. *Theatre Locale* is your [Heavitree Squilometre Update](#).

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A chance to pay-it-forward to the Heavitree Community

### ■ The Quarry Trails Update

As with all our *Squilometre* projects, the Heavitree Quarry Trails is a community nomination that came to the top of the voting list in 2017. Since then a group of local volunteers, enthusiasts and experts - **The Quarry Pod** - have been conducting City-wide surveys and liaising with the University and the Cathedral archaeologist and stonemasons to bring you the Heavitree Quarry Trails!



To cover all preferences and to be as inclusive as possible the **Quarry Pod** have come up with three different ways to engage with the extraordinary range of Heavitree stone-built structures in the City. Firstly, you can pick up a leaflet and follow a suggested trail – making your own fun day out with friends and family. We'll provide details of where to get your leaflets soon.

Or, you can go digital! One of the team is creating a digital trail using the *Placeify* app leading you through an Alphabet of 26 sites! The *Q is for Quarry* trail will be ready for use, along with a supporting website of extra information, soon!

Finally, in usual Interwoven style we're planning some street performance, so that you can follow the trails together as part of a fun, interactive experience – available this summer – watch this space for details !!!

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## ■ Fore Street

Work continues apace on the Fore Street project. This work has been commissioned by Exeter City Council but is being designed and driven by the community. The funding comes from the Section 106 monies submitted by the Waitrose and Rydon Lane Retail developments.



So far we've worked with 60 children from St Michael's Yr4 to design Heavitree emblems for Fore Street's flags. Thanks to the happy participation of 30 Fore Street traders, they're now installed and bringing colour and movement to the street. The children have done an incredible job!

The next stage is being run by Heavitree's very own **Green Pod**, that is a group of local residents who have stepped up to find a workable solution for bringing greenery to Fore Street. The group remains open and all are welcome. They are currently sorting through the required permissions and logistics but you should see troughs and planters on Fore Street by the beginning of June!

For the final stage we are working with the extraordinarily dynamic Ladysmith Junior's Y5 teachers who have created a learning project around the trading history of Fore Street that will generate Heritage Plaques for proud street display – again designed by the children of Heavitree. **And all of this great work will be assessed as part of an Its Your Neighbourhood, SW in Bloom community Award in early July 2018. Wish us luck!! Better still, come join us!!**

### **An Appeal – Please become a Heavitree Patron - the Heavitree *Squilometre* needs you!**

The Heavitree *Squilometre* has always operated on a circular, pay-it-forward model. All events, exhibitions, performances etc are **open access** (often open-air!), inclusive and **free of charge**. We asked you to pop something in the hat – to pay-it-forward to the next street – and you did! It was wonderful to be able to say to the people of South Lawn Terrace – “this is a Gift to you from your neighbours in Sweetbrier Lane!” Lovely! And we completely believe in that model -

#### **What goes around a *Squilometre*, goes right on around again!**

Now we want to make it easier for you to do this. Easy for you to become a Patron of Heavitree, so that you'll know that the *Squilometre* will always be here running projects [nominated by you](#) and created with you. Right here inside your own community. Please take a look .... it's quick and easy to do!

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