



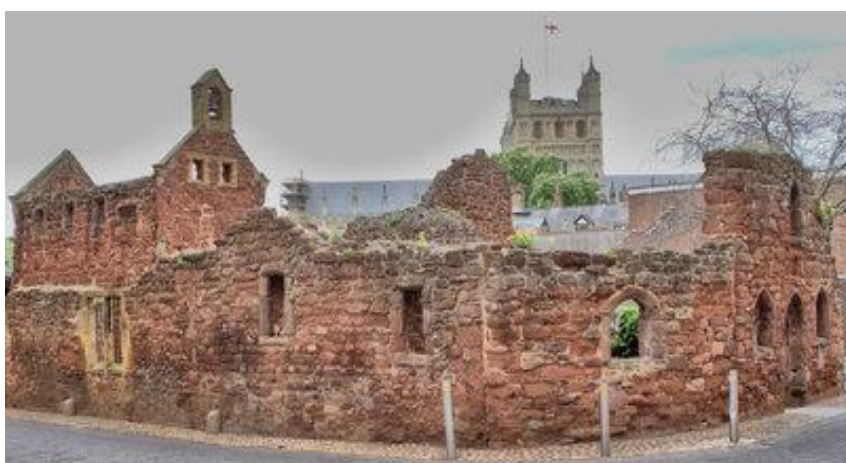
Theatre Locale –

The Heavitree Squilometre Update

Welcome to the Oct/Nov 2017 issue of *Theatre Locale*, the newsletter for Interwoven Productions and the [Heavitree Squilometre](#) update.

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– A brand new facebook page to do just that!



“RED CITY” TOUR – We’ve been incredibly blessed by the work of our [Community Surveyors](#) on the survey stage of the Heavitree Quarry Trails project. They’ve uncovered previously unrecognised, fascinating Mediaeval features in Heavitree such as the prospect of Tudor archery butts along Roseland Avenue(!) and have helped us understand some of the chronology of Heavitree building stone production.

We can’t leave the survey stage though without acknowledging the one of the most exciting aspects of this project and that is the fact that our own very Heavitree Stone is found in some of the most important Mediaeval architecture of the City Centre and on the Quay. In fact, because of our stone, Exeter must once have been an extraordinary City of red.

So, we’re stepping out one last time with Dr Jon Cinnamon from the University of Exeter on **Sunday 26th November 2017** and there’s still time to sign up! We’ll walk for around an hour and a half, exploring the best examples of Heavitree Stone in the City. We’ll be concentrating on the exterior of the buildings and examining the building fabric itself, rather than detailing their individual histories but if you’d like to join us then please do get in touch for your joining details, either using the email below or through the website: - <http://interwovenproductions.jojo-spinks.com/join-our-community-surveyors.html>

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MONT LE GRAND – “OPULENT HEAVITREE!”

Regular *Squilometre* followers will know that all of our projects are nominated and voted for locally. We have a [webpage](#) where anyone can vote, we provide voting cards and other opportunities at each of our events and we regularly invite feedback through our [facebook](#) page.

You can also use the contact details below at any time to lodge your nomination or vote for an existing one. You're in charge!



Bicton Place, Heavitree

So, as we come to the close of the year, we're very excited to announce the winner for 2018!!! The nomination was "Mont le Grand – Opulent Heavitree" and it has consistently topped the voting throughout most of 2017. It fought off a valiant effort from Ladysmith Road, boosted by several votes made at the Photography Exhibition in the park in February, but maintained its lead all year ending up with 18% of the total vote. For us the nomination is the chance to explore the Georgian and Early Victorian development that came as a response to the cholera epidemic in the City. Those who could afford it moved to Heavitree for its fine views and "salubrious air". The resultant villas can be seen in Mont le Grand, Bicton Place, Homefield Road and Salutary Mount.

We'll be creating our Heavitree Quarry Trails of course in the first part of 2018 but are looking forward to working in Mont le Grand in the latter part – with maybe a lovely little Christmas event on green this time next year?! If you're interested in getting involved in any way then you know the drill !



HEAVITREE – A PLACE WORTH CELEBRATING

Do you know what we think? We think that Heavitree, its landscape, its heritage and above all, its people, is a place worth celebrating!!

So we've set up a Facebook Open Group called **Heavitree – Place and People**, quite separate from the Heavitree *Squilometre* page, to do just that. Our [Squilometre page](#) will continue to give you all the latest news on the community nominated arts projects but the new Open Group is just that – open to you. You choose the discussion, make your own posts, share your memories, images and thoughts. It's all about you – come join us and let's celebrate! – [Heavitree - Place and People](#).

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