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**SAFFRON WALDEN
ROUND TABLE**

CARNIVAL

8TH-16TH JULY 2022



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A Carnival summer in Saffron Walden is always a special time and July 2022 will be extra exciting given the length of time since our last 8 Day Weekend in 2017. It feels great to confirm “CARNIVAL IS BACK” and we are confident it will be bigger and better than ever.

A lot has happened since 2017 - for those new to the town or not in-the-know, the 8 Day Weekend takes place every 3 years, is held on The Common and hosted by Saffron Walden Round Table. Our original plans to hold the event in 2020 were thwarted by lockdown and our attempts to reschedule for 2021 also proved impossible given covid restrictions. Despite these delays, our Round Table team have been working hard behind the scenes to put together a magnificent schedule of events including live music, family entertainment and community activities.

Saffron Walden Round Table is committed to putting on a fun and safe community extravaganza where all profits are donated back into local projects, groups, teams and to support a wide range of community causes.

So clear your calendar, dust off your dancing shoes, book your tickets at 8dayweekend.co.uk and join the rest of Saffron Walden for the best party in town – we look forward to seeing you there!



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MESSAGE FROM THE TOWN MAYOR



It is an absolute honour to be the serving Mayor during Saffron Walden Carnival 8 Day Weekend!

The Round Table have once again done a fantastic job making this happen, the amount of hard work and dedication that they put in is truly inspirational.

To all who have been involved and volunteered countless hours, thank you and well done!

You are such a credit to our community.

James de Vries, Saffron Walden Town Mayor

GRAHAM HARDING



This year we're dedicating the Blues Brothers X Miss Disco night to Graham Harding, who sadly died in 2020 at 64 years young. Graham was a lover of music through and through, a huge supporter of local causes, having been Chairman for both Carnival and Round Table, and fondly referred to as 'Mr Saffron Walden' for his discos and record shop days.

So raise a glass and have a boogie for Graham!

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The 8 Day Weekend is run and organised by Saffron Walden Round Table (SWRT).

Members of the SWRT are volunteers who devote some of their free time to help organise fundraising events such as the 8 Day Weekend, Food Bank Collections, Fireworks Display, Santa's Sleigh and Easter Egg Hunt.

Round Table is a local, national and international club for men aged 18 to 45 from all walks of life. We don't have a secret handshake but the one thing we all have in common is the goal to make a difference.

As well as our aim to support the local and surrounding communities we are also a social club which allows the opportunity to form new friendships and having fun with like-minded individuals.

If you are interested in making a difference and experiencing something new in the local community and making new friends visit swrt.org or email membership@swrt.org to join the team.



BENEFICIARIES

Saffron Walden Round Table has raised and donated over £250,000 to the local community over the past 10 years, of which an astonishing £80,000 was raised during the 2017 8 Day Weekend Carnival.

Our community involvement does not stop at fundraising alone, we provide support to those in need, such as volunteering for other charities to help them with their events.

The funds raised has enabled SWRT to support **almost 50 different community organisations** and good causes, plus **collecting 5.8 tonnes of food** for the Uttlesford Food Bank.



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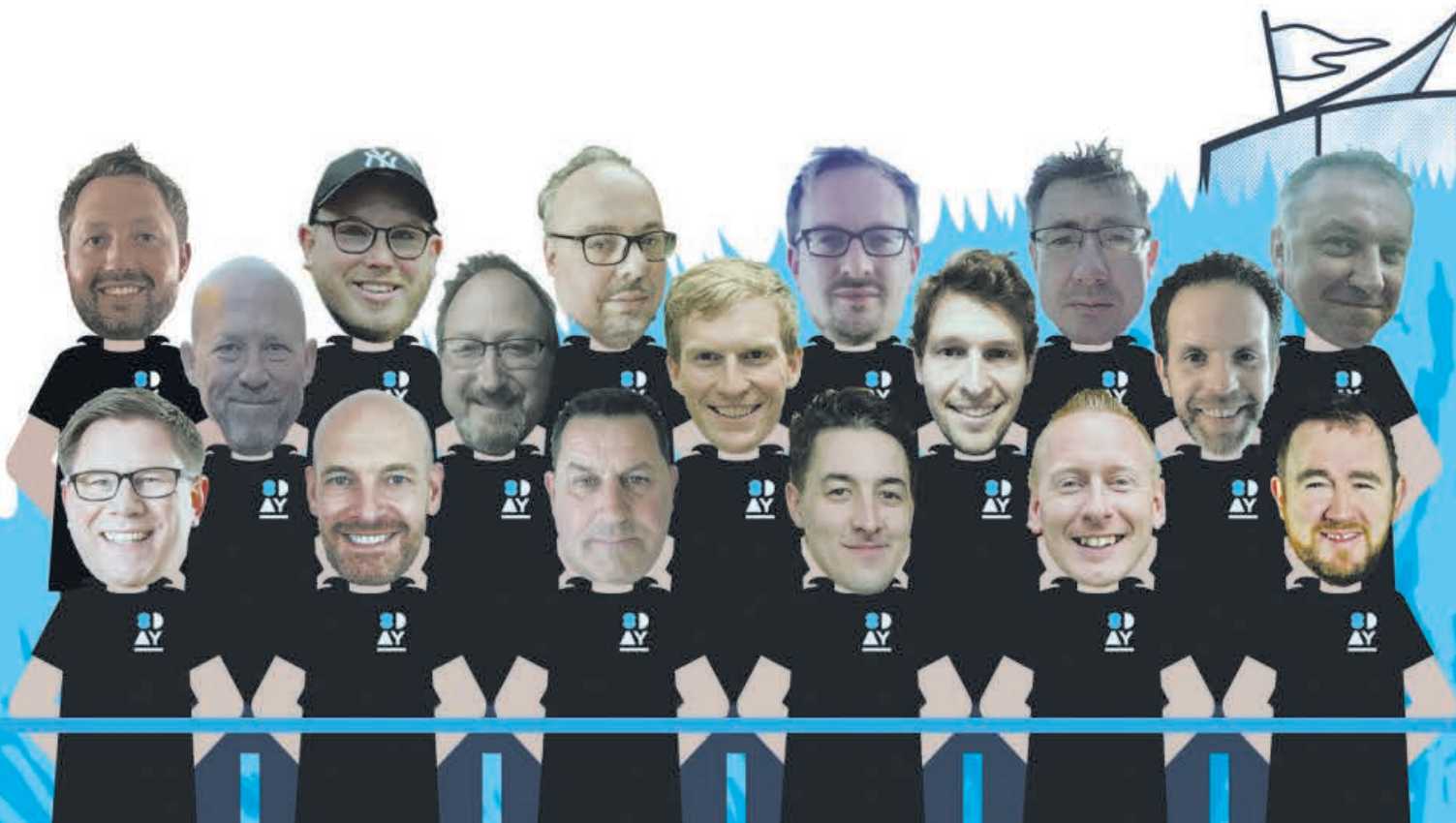
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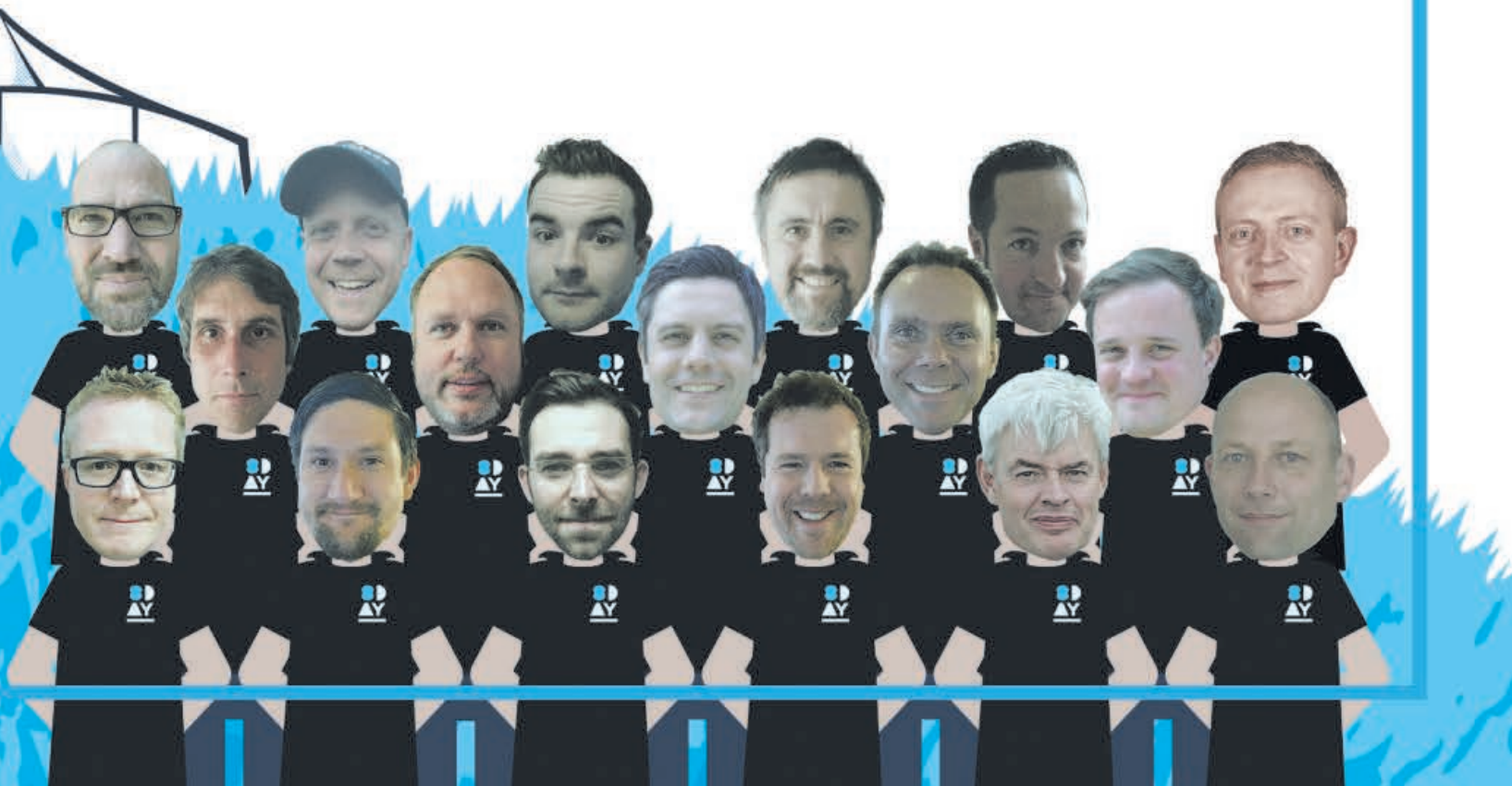




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Saffron Walden Round Table are committed to providing safe quality entertainment for the community, and we feel compelled to take responsibility for our waste. We know that actions speak louder than words, and the Carnival team are delighted to have Widdington Recycling's support to enable us to recycle as much waste as possible.

As you can imagine, the Carnival requires a huge number of plastic cups and other items, which could end up in landfill for the next 300 years - well not on Widdington Recycling's watch!

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FAQs

Q What happens to the tickets I bought for 8DW 2020?

A All 2020 tickets have been voided – they will NOT work! You have been re-issued 2022 tickets for events carried over. You would have received these via email at the start of this year. If you have not received them, then please contact us at info@8dayweekend.co.uk

Q Where can I buy tickets from?

A We are only selling tickets online this year, from www.8dayweekend.co.uk

Q Can I buy tickets from the Carnival Caravan?

A No as we are only selling tickets online from www.8dayweekend.co.uk

Q Do I need a PayPal account to buy tickets online?

A No, but the online process walks you through creating an account. PayPal is an online payment system that makes paying for things online safe and secure.



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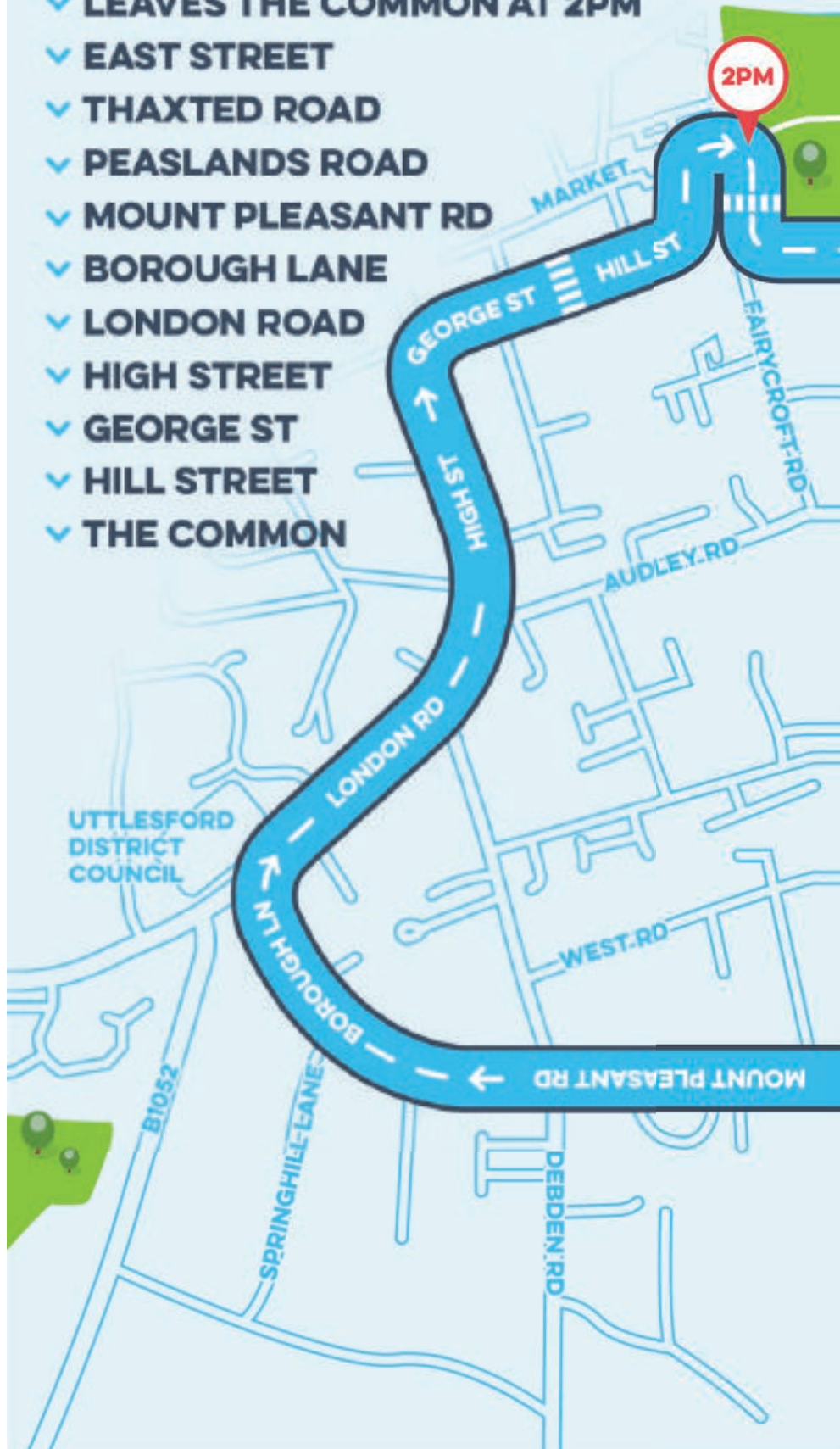
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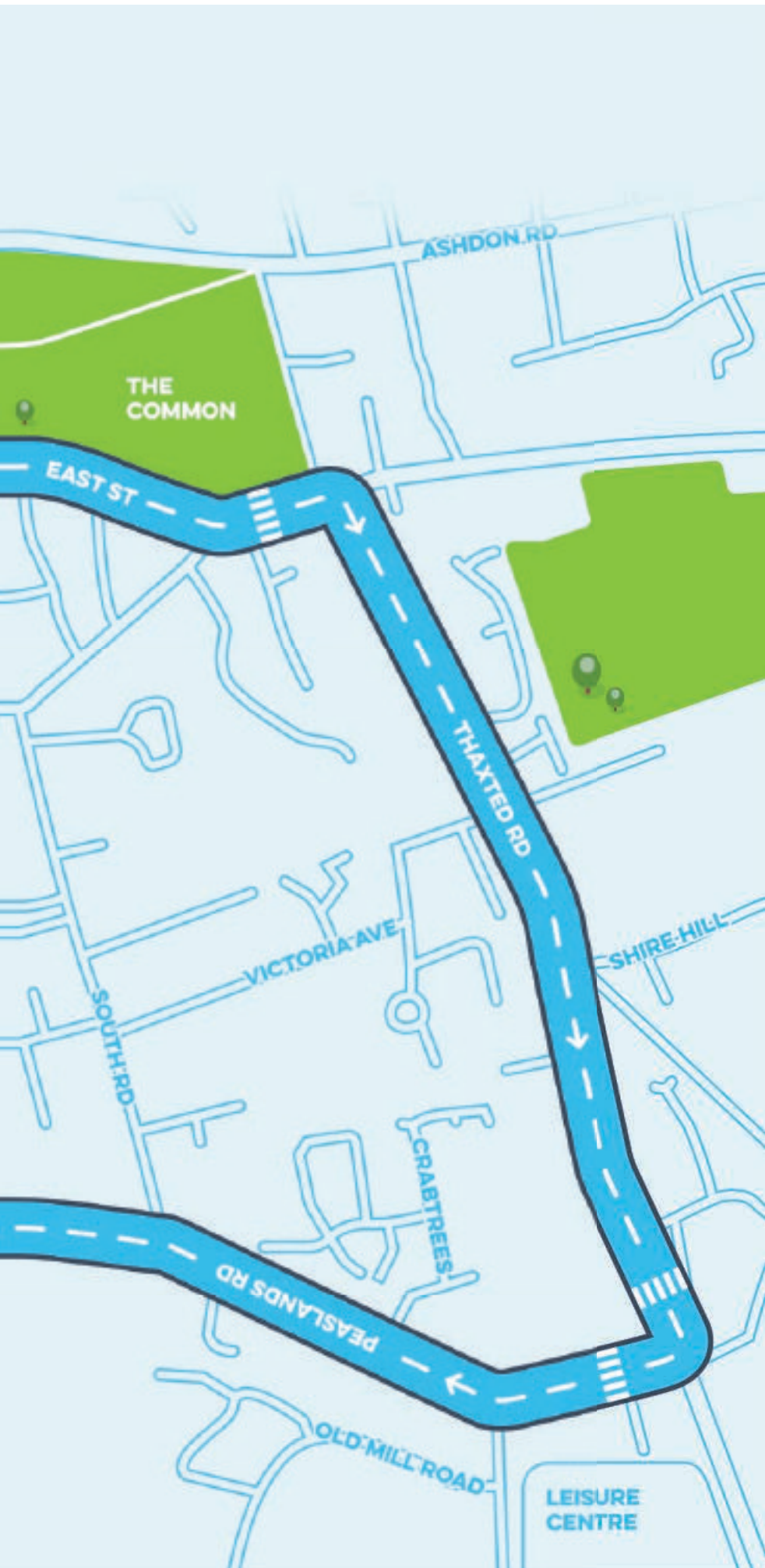
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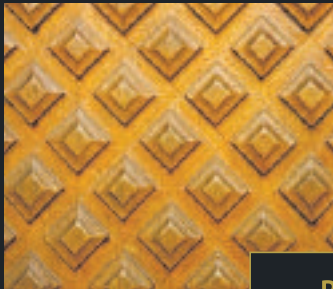
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An advanced thanks to the army of volunteers turning out throughout the 8 Day Weekend - without you the events simply could not happen. If you would like to volunteer it's not too late to sign up online. Go to www.8dayweekend.co.uk/volunteer

Our sincere thanks to

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