

Peak District Local Access Forum

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Title: Fundraising update

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Mend Our Mountains

Cut Gate Moors for the Future recently secured some additional European funding and has reached its £70k target. Work will start later this year after bird breeding season, possibly October.

Great Ridge – We've secured around £100k for the Great Ridge. Moors for the Future are working on the tender documents and land owner consultation, work will start in the Autumn.

Peak District National Park Foundation

The Peak District National Park Foundation is a registered charity, set up to grow support and raise funds to care for the Peak District National Park for everyone to enjoy forever. We want our National Park to be in a better condition for future generations to continue to enjoy and champion.

www.peakdistrictfoundation.org.uk

The Foundation's first campaign is £70k for 70

2019 is the 70th anniversary of the campaigning and Act of parliament which led to the Peak District becoming the UK's first National Park and we're passionate about keeping the spirit of access and enjoyment of our National Parks going into the future.

The Foundation is working to raise £70k to celebrate 70 years of National Parks

The £70k will be raised from trusts and foundation, corporate support and individual giving. It will support existing management plan priorities.

1. Restore damaged moorland
2. Caring for important cultural heritage
3. Help people access the National Park
4. Protect habitats

Trustees have agreed a range of projects that will benefit from the £70k this includes Miles Without Stiles and the Fundraising team are working with Sue on a project to fund benches on Miles Without Stiles routes, as part of £70kfor70.

Lorna Fisher our Engagement Manager cycled over 1,600 miles from the Cairngorms via all 15 UK National Parks finishing in the Broads raising over £2,000 for the Foundation. There's

still time to sponsor her follow the link on the Foundation's webpage
www.peakdistrictfoundation.org.uk

We've also launched Visitor Giving in Authority Visitor Centre and Cycle Hire Centres in support of £70kfor70 campaign. Customers are asked if they want to make a 70p donation at the till. We've raised over £600 in the first 6 weeks and are looking to roll this out to other businesses in the Park.

The LAFs support in making £70k for 70 campaign a success would be appreciated. Like and share our social media posts (twitter @pdnp_foundation Instagram @peakdistrictfoundation), tell your friends, take on a fundraising challenge or donate! For more information email Sarah Slowther or Claire Barlow @peakdistrictfoundation.org.uk

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Recommendation

That the report be noted.