

Roads

1. Finger Posts

Works have begun on the Finger Post at the bottom of Bath Street. All others Finger Post will refurbished in due course.

2. Scotmid – Road Defect

A temporary steel plate has been placed to cover the sunken gully adjacent to the toilet entrance.

3. John Street & Pittville Street - Dropped Kerbs

We will be dropping kerbs and making pavement repairs in John Street & Pittville Street in Late July/ August.

4. Brighton Bridge – Pigeon Proofing

The Council has a Basic Asset Protection Agreement (BAPA) in place for carrying out anti-pigeon measures at the above bridge. The mess on the footways below is very bad and a public hazard, the area is also washed down when resources are available (approximately twice a month). The Council has been in contact with Network Rail as they were planning an inspection of the bridge and the Council wouldn't want to install a permanent solution if it has to come down soon after fixing for their inspection.



Network Rail plans on carrying out their inspection in November 2015 – so in the interim, the Council will be placing a temporary anti-pigeon mesh above the pavements in late July/early August.

Parks and Greenspaces

5. Fingers Crossed for Rosefield Park!

Rosefield Park was recently assessed for a Green Flag. Results will hopefully be known at in the Autumn.

6. Figgate Burn

Our Park Rangers have recently cleared several large dumped items in the the Figgate Burn and gave its banks the benefit of a good litter picking. We hope its effect will last!

Street Cleaning, Grounds Maintenance, and Environmental Wardens

7. Dog Fouling Initiative

The East Environmental Wardens and Task Force Team are proactively using their complaints/service requests data to determine trends and better target hot spot locations for increased patrolling and cleaning. 'No Dog Fouling' stencils and lamppost labels are also be used to discourage offenders. When replying to street cleaning requests/complaints from customers, we are using this engagement opportunity to ask for 'intelligent' dog fouling reports – time of day, dog breed, etc. We hope this will assist the Environmental Wardens' ability to combat environmental crimes.