

Places to Stay and Things to do on Dartmoor

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The launch of the Dartmoor Business Network

Visit Dartmoor in partnership with Bovey Castle has established a new Networking group for local Dartmoor businesses. The purpose of this new venture is to connect local Dartmoor businesses with businesses in the surrounding towns and cities. Within its first few months it has already highlighted the need for a platform for local businesses on the moor to engage with others and share best practice. The bi monthly meetings are held at the Miniature Pony Centre on Dartmoor from 8am -9.30 every other first Wednesday of the month.

Jo Butler – Business Development Manager at Bovey Castle stated " I am delighted to be involved in this new venture with Visit Dartmoor and it is great to see the attendance at these meetings grow after just two meetings. The feedback we have received from the businesses attending is very positive already."

A twitter account (@DartmoorDBN) has also been established over the past few months and now attracts over 300 followers to date. This networking group was set up by Visit Dartmoor and Jo Butler from Bovey Castle as a way of connecting local Dartmoor Businesses. The group is also heavily supported by @Dartmoorhour and @visitdartmoor on Twitter

The next meeting will be on the <u>2nd December</u> with Guest Speaker Hannah Flemming - General Manager of Plymouth Tea . Timings <u>8am -9.30am</u> at the Miniature Pony Centre

Cost is just £5 per person and includes tea/coffee and bacon roll.

To register to attend please email <u>Jo.Butler@edenhotelcollection</u>ENDS.

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Notes to Editors

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