

Railway celebrations – thank you

It was tremendous to have so many people turn out on the 9th of July to celebrate our rail station birthdays. Thank you very much for supporting the event.

Hopefully, if you came along, you managed to see the displays of historic photographs at Foxton and Meldreth, or find a copy of Shepreth's local history *Distant Voices*, which is still on sale. And hopefully you also enjoyed some of the free ice cream provided by Gocold at all three stations, or a free samosa served up by the Spice Hut at Meldreth.

You will have noticed the lovely oak tubs on all of our station platforms, and the wildlife and flower and veg gardens at Shepreth and Meldreth respectively. Watering rotas have been set up though we are on the look-out for anyone who can help with a bit of holiday cover – please get in touch if you can help even just once or twice.

All the local schools in our area have been involved: Foxton, Meldreth and Barrington Primary Schools, Meldreth Manor School, and Melbourn Village College. We have many plans to maintain and develop our gardens further in the coming year, and can't wait to get started. A special theme of biodiversity is being developed with the help of Shepreth Wildlife Park.

Local people and local businesses have been so generous. Everyone has done something to contribute and it has come together beautifully. Thank you again!

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