

Ledbury Places

Thinking of joining Ledbury Places?

What is Ledbury Places?

Ledbury Places is a new charity set up to ensure a good future for some of the key heritage buildings in Ledbury. Some of these buildings, like the Barrett Browning Institute (the old library) and The Old Grammar School (The Heritage Centre) face uncertain futures, and we are seeking to find ways to keep these buildings in community control and use, as well as developing a sustainable future for them.

The charity was established through a collaboration of existing groups within the town, including the Civic Society, the Town Council, the BBI trustees, and Ledbury Area Development Trust. We now have the opportunity to invite individuals to join us as members so that they can help to shape the future plans for these buildings. Membership is open to anyone 16 years or older, who shares the ambition to protect the community use of these lovely buildings which store much history in their very fabric.

What are we planning to do?

Ledbury Places management board is currently securing the ownership of the Heritage Centre (Old Grammar School) and the Burgage Hall from Herefordshire Council. We will continue to run and manage the Heritage Centre, with the help of its dedicated team of volunteers. Ledbury Places is also in the process of taking over custodianship of the Barrett Browning Institute.

Capital funding is being sought to revitalise these buildings and to ensure that they continue to be used to the benefit of the local community, as well as being enjoyed and appreciated by visitors to the town.

Where can I get more information?

Please look at our website to find out more: www.ledburyplaces.org

Email us – hello@ledburyplaces.org or phone/text us on **07552 192912**

What can I do to help?

First and foremost, please become a Ledbury Places Member. Annual membership is only £12 (Jan-Dec). All membership applications received before 31st Dec 2016 will be given membership until 31st Dec 2017 inclusive

We are also looking for volunteers! Please let us know if you can help with events, planning, fundraising, stewarding or any other skills that you can offer. We would very much like to hear from you.

Each and every member has a vital part to play in the future of these buildings and of our thriving town. Please join today!

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