## **Wychwood Forest Fair**

The residents of Witney and West Oxfordshire will have their first opportunity to visit the site of their next Community Wood when the 11<sup>th</sup> Forest Fair is held on land owned by the Friends of Wychwood, at Southdown Farm, Crawley Road, Witney on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> September.

An 'Aunt Sally' competition and a photographic

competition featuring Wychwood People, Places and Nature are new for this year to add to the usual mix of Fun Fair, Morris Dancers, an Archery display, a large Secondhand Book Stall, Tombola, Grand draw, Plant and Produce stall and lots more



The Friends of Wychwood will be launching a Public Appeal for funds to Plant-a-Tree on the site. as well as encouraging other local Conservation and Community Groups to promote their own activities and Rural Craft workers will be demonstrating their particular skills. Trade Stands, and an Arts and Crafts tent bring the total exhibitors to over 160.

Local food producers and suppliers, locally made ice cream, refreshments, a tea tent and beer tent selling Wychwood Brewery's beer will all be in attendance. For further info visit: www.wychwoodproject.org or contact

Michael Drew on: 01993 702624.

## **Community Leisure Card**

A Community Leisure Card has been introduced by West Oxfordshire District Council and its leisure contractor Nexus Community and can be used at Councilowned leisure facilities, including leisure centres in Carterton, Chipping Norton, Eynsham and Witney.

The card provides choices for all age groups to suit different lifestyles and requirements, including a free loyalty card, a pay-as-you-go card for casual leisure centre users and a pre-paid card for regular users. There are a range of perks with each card option. For example, the free loyalty card gives a free or

discounted first visit to any of the leisure centres, online bookings and includes a reward scheme for people to collect points and redeem them against an activity of their choice.

More information about the leisure card is available at www.westoxon.gov.uk, www.nexuscommunity.org or from your local leisure centre: Bartholomew Sports Centre, Eynsham: 01993 861830, Carterton Leisure Centre: 01993 861981, Chipping Norton Leisure Centre: 01993 861951.

Windrush Leisure Centre, Witney: 01993 202020.