

Barges on Beverley Beck,

Cranehill Wharf, Scaife Mews, Beckside, Beverley HU17 0GG



IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Heritage Open Day magazine 2022 has **incorrectly** printed that we will be open on Beverley Beck on 9th and 11th September this year. This is not the case and below are our correct opening dates and times.

2022 Heritage Days-our real opening times will be:

Friday 16th September and Sunday 18th September from 10.30am to 3pm.

Boat trips on *Mermaid* each day weather permitting. No booking necessary. Join our Facebook group 'Beverley Barges'. Our YouTube channel 'Beverley Barge Preservation Society' has local history links. Members will be on hand to act as guides and answer your questions.

Moored on Beverley Beck are three boats restored by the Beverley Barge Preservation Society which will be open to the public. The largest is the 'Sheffield' size barge *Syntan*, built by the Hepworth shipyard at Paull in 1949 for Richard Hodgsons Tannery and used for transporting tanning materials from Hull docks to the wharf on Beverley Beck. *Sun* is a former maintenance vessel built in 1960 by Camplings of Goole and is used for charters and public day trips upstream on the River Hull. *Mermaid* is an ex-Trinity House tender built in Korea in 1986 used for training and trips along Beverley Beck.

Since the middle of the 14th Century Beverley Beck has been navigable providing the town's access to the River Hull and beyond. See a Victorian wharf crane alongside where *Syntan* is moored as a reminder of Beverley's Industrial past. It's a ¾ mile walk to the Beverley lock and if you cross over via the lock gates you can return on the opposite bank.