



# Old Spot Trust News

## Frightmare on the farm

HALLOWE'EN hails a frightfully scary time at Over Farm Market with haunted hayrides and ghostly goings waiting in the shadows.

Frightmare at Over Farm will make it a favourite haunt for all the family.

The event runs at the farm, near Gloucester, from Saturday September 23 to Sunday October 31.

Owners Rob and Sue Keene are planning frightfully funny activities during the day and frightfully scary activities in the evening.

Frightfully funny attractions include trailer rides to the pumpkin patch, where visitors can choose their own pumpkin and children can join in a treasure hunt.

Spooky's Ghost Hunt is a treasure hunt for children in the Vampires' Castle. Other fun attractions include fair-ground rides, quad train rides, shows, entertainment and refreshments.

Turning to the dark side, frightfully scary attractions include the infamouse haunted hayride into Vampsylvania, where intrepid adventurers will be confronted by vampires and monsters.

Rob said: "As darkness falls, our attractions come alive and ghosts and ghouls come out to play.

"This year promises to be the wildest Frightmare ever as vampires descend on the farm looking for fresh victims.

"Feeling brave? Come and visit the Lair of the Vampire Haunted House, where an



oddball set of vampires live in this no-holds-barred horror walkthrough."

Rob and Sue have been running the haunted hayride for 10 years.

Sue said: "It's nice to have a variety of activities going on so that the whole family can get involved."

Rob and Sue are trustees of the Old Spot Trust. Set up in 2007 to help charities and good causes in Gloucestershire. Some of the profits from Frightmare will go to the trust.

Rob said: "The important thing about Frightmare is that people will be able to have fun knowing that some of the profits will go to Gloucestershire's people, animals, wildlife and environment."

People can also help out at the event because Rob and Sue need more volunteers.

For information about Frightmare and to book tickets, please log on to [www.frightmare.co.uk](http://www.frightmare.co.uk)

To offer to help, call into Over Farm Shop, ring 01452 521014, visit [www.overfarmmarket.co.uk](http://www.overfarmmarket.co.uk) or email

[Overfarmmaket@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:Overfarmmaket@hotmail.co.uk)

If you have any fundraising ideas please get in touch, we'd love to hear from you!

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# Gloucestershire Trust Breaks Open the Bank

Emma Furby, Cotswold Downs Syndrome Group with Yannick, Canine Partners



Representatives from the Mitcheldean & Forest of Dean Allotment Associations



Ellie & Bethany Hopkins, The Stable



CHARITIES all over Gloucestershire shared grants worth more than £10,000 from the Old Spot Trust.

Windfalls went to 25 local charities and community groups at the trust's second awards ceremony.

Representatives from the winning groups and Old Spot trustees attended the awards evening at Over Farm Market in Over, near Gloucester.

"The charities that received grants are extremely worthy causes," said Rob Ayland, Trustee and Managing Director of Completely Motoring.

The trust relies on people - individuals, groups or businesses getting involved in helping to raise money. If you would like to donate some money or if you would like to take part in some of the fundraising events we organise throughout the year please visit our website for details.

We will be holding our next awards evening in 2011, criteria and application details will be on our website soon.

## Eat, drink and raise money

A recipe book celebrating Gloucestershire and its sumptuous local produce was launched to raise money for the county's good causes.

The Old Spot Trust Cook Book – A celebration of Gloucestershire people and places - brings together recipes from some well-known local faces as well as people who work behind the scenes to help make Gloucestershire such a great place to live.

The book features more than 100 recipes – from snacks to grander culinary offerings and from drinks to desserts.

County-based celebrities such as Pam Ayres, Jilly Cooper, Julian Lloyd-Webber and Judith Hann have joined sporting greats such as Jack Russell, Sir Geoff Hurst, Willie Carson, Sharron Davies and Phil Vickery to contribute their favourite recipes. Gloucestershire stalwarts such as photographer Mike Charity, charity fundraiser Brian Chaplin, the Bishop of Gloucester, vet Joe Inglis and a host of business and civic leaders as well as people from the media have also sent starters, mains or desserts for the book.

All money from book's sale will go The Old Spot Trust. We are a non-profit-making organisation which aims to make Gloucestershire an even better place to live. We raise money for county charities, community groups and other non-profit-making organisations.

The idea for the book came from Vicky Harper who lives in the Forest of Dean. Working with designer Dave Thorp and with the support of Trustees and Tewksbury-based Cotteswold Dairy, she coordinated the book's production.

We are selling the book at £7.50 but if anyone would like to give us more that will be very welcome as it means more money for local good causes, the book is available in a variety of local stockists. For a full list of stockists, see the Trust's website at [www.oldspottrust.co.uk](http://www.oldspottrust.co.uk)

