

AUTUMN BULLETIN

Autumn colours on the ridge above Llyn Llgi and in the woodlands

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Autumn has well and truly arrived with its storms and strong winds, downpours heavy enough to turn the [waterfall](#) into a deafening torrent but enough calm days and sunshine to show up the changing colours of hill slopes and woodlands. It's been a bumper year for fruit, from summer bilberries, blackberries and wild crab apples to acorns and hazelnuts, rich pickings for wildlife and fruit-picking walkers alike.



It's been a bumper year for Nantmor too! After months of planning, major plumbing works finally got under way in late June leading to an almost complete overhaul of the water system. Starting at the dam, we now have a new intake pipe leading to the house, with new collection tanks, new storage tanks in the loft and another on the landing to boost hot water, which is now supplied to the showers by a pumped system. Cold water and hot taps are still gravity fed, but the power of the showers is now, according to our visitors, 'fantastic!' The work was urgent and needed to be completed during the dry season, before the inevitable surge in water from autumn storms.

To help pay for this dramatic improvement as well as future refinements, a **Crowd Funding webpage has been set up through 'JustGiving'**. It's up and running now, and ready for your contributions, so PLEASE donate generously. Please share the link with your friends, and leaders, please share with your group - if all of this year's visitors gave just £2, that would raise a lot of money!

[Nantmor Mountain Centre - JustGiving](#)



The new tanks and intake pipe

If you're an online shopper you can also help raise funds at no cost to yourself by taking part in 'Give as you Live'. For info please go to

[Shop Online with Give As You Live - Nantmor Mountain Centre](#)

To help raise funds and boost publicity, Nantmor T shirts bearing our logo have been suggested, but due to the initial outlay we really need to know what our members think before going ahead. Would you wear one? Leaders - would members of your group buy them? maybe a beanie or baseball cap? Or should we simply stick with woven badges, as sold for many years and still popular.



Please email us and have your say: chair@nantmormountaincentre.co.uk

Work Weekend 10th - 12th Oct. Help is always needed, please join us - a fun weekend with hard work, power showers, good cheer and of course no bednight fee. Contact the Warden warden@nantmormountaincentre.co.uk

Open Meeting Tuesday 14th October, 7.30pm Members look out for your Zoom invite coming soon..

Members Meet 3rd - 6th Oct, or book early for the Mincepie Meet 5th - 7th Dec. Hope to see you there!

Check out the Nantmor facebook page to see what our visitors say

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