



On to the Trent & Mersey to look at

## THE LION SALT WORKS TRANSPORT WEEKEND



In addition to *Shad* and *Warbler* (pictured) *Saturn* and *Buckden* attended.  
Note the visiting traction engine crossing the bridge and departing  
and

So finally to The IWA Festival of Water at Ilkeston on the Erewash Canal  
Historic boats attending were:  
*Fulbourne, Kew, Pavo, Purton, Skylark* and *Stewarts & Lloyds Tug No 2*



Photo: Rupert Smedley

The Alfred Ritchie  
Cockerel  
for the best  
turned out  
working boat  
went to  
Alan and Angie Rose  
for  
*Purton*



Langley Bridge Lock - Cromford Canal during a previous rally

## **RALLY OF BOATS**

**Spring Bank Holiday 26-28 May 2018**  
to be held at Langley Mill by the

**Erewash Canal Preservation and Development Association**  
to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the Association and the  
45th Anniversary of the re-opening of the Great Northern Basin  
on the Nottingham Canal  
and Langley Bridge Lock on the Cromford Canal

The ECP&DA and our member, Dan Cauldwell, of Langley Mill Boatyard are keen to welcome historic boats. There is a separate booking form for historic boats on the Club website.

**Entry is free to historic craft with 2 crew. Additional crew £5 per head**

It is expected that historic boats will be moored together and two unconverted boats will be needed to carry the band in the well-established Langley Mill tradition as shown above to open the rally.

## **Sandiacre Lock Cottages - Erewash Canal**



The ECP&DA has leased the cottages from BW/CRT since the inception of the Association in 1968. They have been maintained by volunteers during this time. The cottages are used for meetings and are open to the public monthly, free of charge.

Unfortunately the lease is now coming to an end and the building is to be sold. The ECP&DA are working hard to raise the funds to purchase the cottages.