

# Yeovil Western Corridor Improvements

## Project Bulletin: 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018

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### Progress

Work along the A3088 Western Relief Road is progressing on schedule. Night time closures for surfacing work are due to be completed on this phase by 2nd November. A diversion route is in place each weekday evening from 8pm until 6am whilst work takes place. Pedestrian and cycle access are maintained during these works.

Footways near the Bluebell roundabout and the cycle/footpath through Abbey Manor have been surfaced.

Work on the retaining wall in Western Avenue is nearing completion. The southbound lane closure will remain in Western Avenue whilst additional drainage and kerbing works are undertaken. We anticipate that the one-way system in operation in Western Avenue will remain until Monday 5th November.

### Upcoming Works

On Monday 5th November night time closures will be implemented from 8pm to 6am weekdays to undertake surfacing work between the Westlands and Bluebell Roundabouts. A signed diversion route will be in place and provision for pedestrians and cyclists will be maintained.

Also on Monday 5th November, a one-way system will be re-instated in Lufton Way and a signed diversion route will be in place. Traffic will be able to access Lufton Way from the Preston Road Roundabout but not exit from Lufton Way to the Roundabout. We anticipate that work in Lufton Way will be completed by 21st December.

### Community Engagement

Griffiths staff from the 'Yeovil Western Corridor Improvement Scheme', visited Butleigh Primary School on 22<sup>nd</sup> October to facilitate an Institution of Civil Engineers event 'The ICE Bridge'. Pupils at the school got hands-on in one of three sessions to build the scale model cable stayed bridge.



*Griffiths Apprentices Dominic Baggs (L rear) and James Morris (R rear) and civil engineer Alex Fear (Centre rear) with Butleigh Primary School children after successfully constructing the model cable stayed bridge.*



### Want to get in touch?

Your dedicated Public Liaison Officer for the Yeovil Western Corridor Improvements works is Rosemarie Harrod. She can be contacted by

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Children of all ages at Butleigh Primary, including the nurse children, got involved with the ICE Bridge event staged at their school. The youngest children delighted us and their fellow pupils with their version of the Billy Goats Gruff – complete with troll under the bridge.



*Griffiths Apprentice Engineer, James Morris with one of the many budding civil engineers from Butleigh Primary School.*



*The Troll under the bridge*

### Congratulations!

Liam Derrick a member of the Griffiths site team in Yeovil, received the award for the Most Promising Trainee Quantity Surveyor at the South West Civil Engineering Contractors Association (CECA) Annual Awards held at the Grand Hotel Torquay, earlier this month.



*Liam Derrick (left) of Griffiths' Yeovil Western Corridor Improvement Scheme receives his award from CECA (SW) Chairman Jon Benton*

We would be pleased to hear your comments. You can get in touch via our web site [community.alungriffiths.co.uk](http://community.alungriffiths.co.uk) or by contacting Rosemarie Harrod on 0330 041 2184\* or [Yeovil@alungriffiths.co.uk](mailto:Yeovil@alungriffiths.co.uk)

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