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## Beale Arboretum News

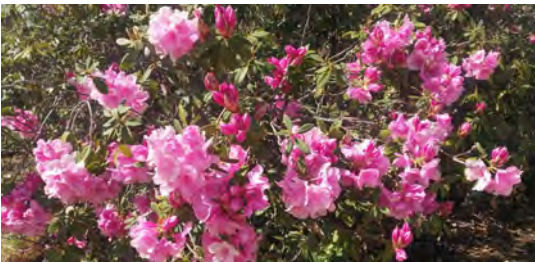
### Spring 2021



**Azaleas**

Even though we are seeing the wettest spring since 1957, the arboretum has come to life.

Dodging the showers, one can see the beautiful colours that are abound **azaleas**, **acers**, **rhododendrons** and the **crab apple** (malus).



**Rhododendrons**



**Acers**



**Daffodils**



**Crab apple (malus)**



**Korean fir**

As I walk around through a sea of **daffodils** I spot the flowers of the **Korean fir (abies koreana)**, abundant, never seen before with so many.



Spring being the breeding season, we have a mandarin duck in an owl box, along with our resident foxes and blue tits, which have now fledged.



**Dandelion clock**

Clock the time you can walk around once more. Our impressive **new terrace** has now been completed where one can sit in all weathers to enjoy an afternoon tea.

With the onset of summer take a look at our beautiful vista of open countryside across the Enfield Chase to please the eye.



**New Terrace**

We have arboretum tours with Managing Director, Andrew Beale, going out regularly, and the spring NGS Garden Open Day was a great success with 143 visitors.



**Paul Beatty ~ Gardener**

If you are interested in putting together a group for a **guided tour** of the Beale Arboretum, please contact Jane Gray - [headoffice@bealeshotels.co.uk](mailto:headoffice@bealeshotels.co.uk) or 020 8216 3904 - Tours are free of charge midweek and £3.50 per person at the weekend.

**The Beale Arboretum**

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