

CAMPAIGN UPDATE

The National Memorial Arboretum commemorates the armed forces who have died. This year is 100 years since the start of the First World War and 75 years the start of the Second World War. In its busiest month last year, 40,000 people came to the NMA — all by road. Visitor numbers will be much higher this year.

We are delighted that our campaign for a station at the NMA has been taken up by Nick Piggott, Editor of The Railway Magazine, featuring it and acknowledging Campaign for Rail in his 'Editor's Comment' last month. More than 37,000 people read the magazine, including some with the power to get things moving. Our suggestion is a platform alongside the single track section at Alrewas, possibly using the concrete panels of the unused Ramsline Halt, just south of Derby.



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PENDOLINO OR VOYAGER?

Now that the Birmingham to Glasgow or Edinburgh service is combined with the Euston to Wolverhampton service, Voyagers are being used for some services between Birmingham and London. To help rail users choose their train, here are the trains expected to be **Voyagers**. Note that there are likely to be changes on any day, but especially at weekends.

From New Street: 09.50, 10.10, 11.10, 13.10, 14.10, 14.30, 16.10, 18.30

From Euston: 08.03, 11.43, 12.23, 12.43, 13.43, 16.43, 18.03, 20.23

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