

Water safety message at Lake

WATER safety and lifesaving tips will be on offer at a public event at a Dearne Valley beauty spot next week.

Manvers Life Saving is hosting the event in support of the National RLSS Drowning Prevention Week at Manvers Lake next Saturday.

A range of workshops are available to book at various times throughout the day, including baby and child CPR; children's water safety and lifesaving and rescue swimming.

There will also be demonstrations by South Yorkshire Fire and Rescue and the Newfoundland Dog Rescue team during the event, which runs from noon to 4pm.

Jo Hudson, from Manvers Waterfront Boat Club, said: "It promises to be a great afternoon for the children — having fun whilst learning how to be safe around water.

"Drowning Prevention Week is one of the largest summer water safety campaigns across the UK and Ireland.

"The campaign is designed to raise awareness of water safety ahead of a summer outdoors."

Visit the Manvers Life Saving Facebook page to book onto any of the workshops.