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N&E Friday Flyer – 14 September 2018

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The **Friday Flyer** is a weekly round-up of news and what's on in North and East Halifax.

Information about ward forum meetings and other ways to have your say will also be advertised here. Please click the links for further information on the [N&E Blog](#).

We hope you will find this informative and useful. **Let us know what you think!**



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Latest News

Ward Forum Grants Now Open to Applications for up to £500

The ever popular ward forum grants scheme for 2018/19 is back. If you have an idea for a project that is going to benefit your local community and need a small grant of up to £500 then please apply. The criteria for the grant is quite varied but it must benefit the community, it is preferred that your group has a constitution and bank account, but if you haven't you still may get funding.

If you have an idea for a project in your area and want some advice then please contact Tony King on **0300 555 0266** or email Tony.king@calderdale.gov.uk

One thing you must do is make sure you put as much information on the application form, many projects will not be funded due to poor application forms.

The deadline for the second round of grants is Friday **16 November 2018**.

However if you would like a grant before the deadlines please submit your application and include why you need the grant before the deadline.

Good Luck!

To apply for the grant please go to <https://halifaxnorhandeast.com/ward-forum-grants/>

Help With Universal Credit from Calderdale Council

Calderdale Council would like to remind people that they can offer support with applying for Universal Credit at **Customer First** offices. The Council can offer support with **Digital Skills, Budgeting Skills and** advice on Council Tax, Housing and rent arrears. [More...](#)

Calderdale Corridor Improvement Programmes

Calderdale Council and the West Yorkshire Combined Authority are developing a series of improvements to the road network along the A58 / A672 from Junction 22 of the M62 to King Cross in Halifax and the A646 / A6033 from Todmorden to Skircoat Moor. The consultation ends on **Friday 28 September** and there is one more drop in event at Sowerby Bridge Market on **Saturday 22 September**. [More...](#)

Have Your Say! Local Plan Consultation open until 24th September 2018

The Calderdale Local Plan consultation is open until **Monday 24 September 2018, 5pm.**

The Local Plan

- The Local Plan will set out a spatial planning and policy framework for how the District should grow over the next 15 years, to meet the need for new homes and jobs, and will also identify sites for proposed development, and areas that will be protected.
- The Local Plan is in two sections; firstly a document which contains the vision and strategic objectives, and policy framework for the future, including an Appendix giving specific details of the sites proposed for development; and secondly the Policies Map indicating sites and areas of specific designation.
- The Local Plan will replace the Replacement Unitary development when it is approved

Following this period of representation the Plan will be submitted formally to the government for Inspection. The Minister for Housing Communities and Local Government will appoint an independent Planning Inspector to hold an Examination.

The Local Plan will be submitted in January 2019, and it is anticipated that it will be adopted in the winter 2019/20. Find out more and [Have Your Say...](#)

Norland Moor Management Plan Consultation

Norland Moor is the largest outdoor resource owned by Calderdale Council, and like many natural and semi-natural places is confronted by a number of challenging issues. The 2018-2028 draft management plan explores these concerns, and sets out the management context and the proposed mechanisms for addressing them. This Management Plan is open for consultation from **Wednesday 1 August to Thursday 4 October.** [Find out more about the plan...](#)

Want to know what's going on in other parts of Calderdale?

Our N & E Blog covers the wards of Illingworth & Mixenden, Northowram & Shelf, Ovenden, and Warley (including Pellon). We link to lots of groups and services in your area and try to bring information about events and activities together in one place.

Did you know there are blogs covering the [Central Halifax](#), [Lower Valley](#) and [Upper Valley](#) areas too? And regular email newsletter updates!

Ward Forums

- Illingworth Ward Forum – Tuesday 18 September
- Mixenden Ward Forum – Tuesday 25 September 2018

Get Involved / Have Your Say

Let Us Advertise Your Macmillan Coffee Morning

The World's Biggest Coffee Morning on **Friday 28 September** is Macmillan's biggest fundraising event for people facing cancer. People all over the UK are asked to host their own Coffee Mornings and donations on the day are made to Macmillan. Last year alone over £27 million was raised. Find out more and [host your own...](#)

Get Involved in Planning the Next Shroggs Party in the Park

Interested in helping with the next Shroggs Party in the Park? The AGM of the group organising Party in the Park will take place on **Tuesday 18 September, 7:30pm** in St Georges House. [Make a difference...](#)

Have Your Say! Calderdale Council Talkback Panel

Do you want to have a say on the issues facing Calderdale? Each month Calderdale Council ask the Talkback panel about a key issue, such as waste and recycling, littering, road safety, parks, budgets, vision, museums, libraries, air quality, social care and much more. [Have your say...](#)

Events and What's On

***This weekend!* Rock and Roll with the New Dementia Friendly Sowerby Bridge Group**

Dementia Friendly Sowerby Bridge is a newly-formed organisation which will be kicking things off on **Saturday 15 September, 7:00pm** at Sowerby Bridge Working Men's Club at Bolton Brow with '**GT and the Speedways**', inviting local people to attend for FREE to hear more about what they want to do. [Details...](#)

***This weekend!* Bradshaw Cricket Club Fundraising Match**

Bradshaw Cricket Club is holding a fundraising match on **Sunday 16 September, 12:00pm** at Bradshaw Lane, Halifax raising money for a community defibrillator on behalf of Bradshaw and Surrounding Area Community Group. There will be a barbecue and tombola. [More...](#)

Breaking Tradition QUEST at Victoria Theatre

The UK's leading folk and hip hop dance company, comes together with award-winning folk powerhouse 'The Demon Barbers' to invite families on an unforgettable adventure on Friday 21 September, 7:00pm at the Victoria Theatre. When Kai's sister disappears it's down to him to find her, but should he be looking in the real world? [But where else...](#)

Northowram Gin Festival

Northowram Primary School PTFA is pleased to announce that Northowram will be holding it's very own gin festival on **Friday 28 September, 8:00pm-11:30pm** at Northowram Community Centre. Live music will be from '**The Good Citizens**' and tickets are available at £10 which includes your first gin and a gin glass for you to keep! Ticket only - [book now...](#)

World's Biggest Coffee Morning for Macmillan with Better Lives at No. 42

Better Lives @ No 42 Market Street, Halifax (opposite Tesco supermarket) is holding a Macmillan Coffee Morning on **Friday 28 September, 10:00am onwards** taking part in Macmillan's biggest fundraising event for people facing cancer. [More...](#)

Macmillan Coffee Morning at Hebden Royd Methodist Church

The coffee morning this year at Hebden Royd Methodist Church, Market Street, Hebden Bridge (opposite Co-op supermarket) will be on **Saturday 29 September, 10:00am-12:00pm**. The volunteers look forward to seeing you with coffee, cake and a chat. [More...](#)

Halifax Steampunk Market Comes to Calderdale Industrial Museum

Halifax Steampunk Market will be held **Saturday 29 and Sunday 30 September 2018, 11:00am-5:00pm** at **Calderdale Industrial Museum**. A vintage tearoom will be there selling lovely homemade cake and cuppas. [Find out more...](#)

CREW Shorter Walks Summer 2018

CREW (Cardiac Rehabilitation through Exercise and Walking) have announced the led, shorter walks for Summer 2018. Suitable for all levels, all are welcome and there is no need to book. For further information call Sophie on **07982 728548**. [See the programme...](#)

Women's Table Tennis at Halifax Table Tennis Centre

Fancy trying something new? Played years ago and want to have another go? Then this is for you. Halifax Table Tennis Centre now has a session just for women. Every **Wednesday, 7:00pm-9:00pm**. £3.50 per session. First session free. [Find out more...](#)

The Phoenix Shed is Open for Walking Stick Making and Wood Carving

The Phoenix Shed at the Threeways Centre is primarily for men over 55 to come together in a constructive way. As well as gardening there are many other things such as Wood Carving on Fridays and Walking Stick Making on Wednesdays. [Find out more about Phoenix Shed....](#)

Over 50's Luncheon Club – Dates for July – September 2018

The **Halifax and District Irish Society** organise the "Over 50's Luncheon Club" which takes place at The Pellon Social Club. Meetings are usually held every 2 weeks but keep an eye out for the entertainment listings to confirm this. The Luncheon Club usually operates from **12 noon** to about **3pm**. (Open from **11.15am**). [Information and entertainment listings...](#)

The Illingworth Messenger – September 2018

There's a lot going on in and around Illingworth and the September edition of the Illingworth Messenger contains details of events, activities, local news and much more! The dates for the free flu jabs are shown as well as news of the Cafe at the Moor. [Read it now...](#)

CREW August Newsletter – The Pulse

CREW (Cardiac Rehabilitation through Exercise and Walking) Heart Support Group has published the **August 2018** newsletter '**The Pulse**'. It reports on Warren's walk in Sowerby Bridge on Tuesday 7 August as well as the CREW lotto results. [Read the newsletter...](#)

The Warley Calendar 2019 is Now Available

The **Warley Calendar 2019** is now available at a cost of £6.50 and can be obtained from June at Warley Community Association by calling **01422 833824**. [Get yours now...](#)

Monday Kitchen Lunch Club at St. Andrew's Church

The Lunch Club meets on **Mondays, 11:00am-1:30pm** (except public holidays) at St. Andrew's Methodist Church, Halifax. Coffee and tea are served until mid-day when there is a short 'God-spot'. After this there is a lunch of soup, sandwiches and cakes. [Find out more...](#)

Local Cinemas and Theatres

[Vue Halifax](#) – [The Rex Cinema](#) - [Hebden Bridge Picture House](#) – [The Victoria Theatre Square Chapel Centre for the Arts](#) – [Halifax Playhouse](#) – [King Cross Library Film Club](#)

Children and Young People...

Do Something! This Autumn

The **Do Something!** guide helps you to plan action packed fun for your children. Whether you want to get out on your bike, go swimming or go walking to celebrate 40 years of the Calderdale Way there's lots to explore. Find an activity in the [latest edition...](#)

Learn What Sure Start Children's Centres Can Do for You!

Sure Start Children's Centres North Halifax Partnership covers the areas of Illingworth, Mixenden, Ovenden, Northowram & Shelf and parts of Pellon, Holywell Green, Elland, Rastrick and Brighouse. There are 10 Children's Centres and a Core Services team based within these areas.

They are committed to providing a secure and supportive environment in which children can develop and grow; this includes embedding British Values into the curriculum and actively promoting these in line with the Early Years Foundation Stage. The following services are on offer:-

- Good quality learning combined with full day care provision for children 0-5
- Child and Family Health Services, including Antenatal Services
- Parental Outreach
- Family Support Services
- Support for Childminders
- Support for Children and Parents with Special Needs
- Effective links with Job Centre Plus to support parents and carers who wish to consider Training and Employment
- Drop in sessions and other activities for children and carers at all centres
- Termly Programme of Activities for Parents/Families
- Activities for Families during School Holidays
- Volunteering Opportunities

For more information on the services on offer visit the website

at <http://surestartchildrenscentresnhp.org.uk/> or contact the core services team on **01422 251090**. [Find your local children's centre on Facebook...](#)

Health and Staying Well

Launch of Dementia Friendly Daisy Chain Cafe at Ovenden Park

Get ready for the launch of the Daisy Chain Cafe on **Wednesday 10 October**, 1:00pm at Halifax Rugby Union Club. The café will run on the **2nd Wednesday of each month** and is part of the initiative to make the North Halifax region Dementia Friendly. [Details...](#)

Catch Up with the Latest from Staying Well

The latest Staying Well newsletter has been published with news of Café Culture, Dementia Friendly Rock and Roll evening and the new Daisy Chain Café in Ovenden. Click [here](#) to see the full newsletter.

Drop-in Sessions for Domestic Abuse Support Services

Staying Safe Calderdale offer Drop-in Sessions in Calderdale to offer domestic abuse support. These are currently at Todmorden Community College, Innovations Children's Centre and Queen's Road Neighbourhood Centre. Call **01422 323339** or [check times...](#)

Avoid Investment and Pension Scams

The Financial Conduct Authority (FCA) has some guidance in the ScamSmart section of the website. In conjunction with the recent TV advertising, there is advice and guidance on avoiding scams. Pension scams can be hard to spot. Scammers can be articulate and financially knowledgeable, with credible-looking websites, testimonials and materials that are hard to distinguish from the real thing. [Find out more about avoiding scams...](#)

Blood in Pee Campaign Launched by Public Health England

Public Health England (PHE) has recently launched a campaign to raise awareness of 'blood in pee' as a symptom of bladder and kidney cancers. The main message is: If you notice blood in your pee, even if it's *'just the once'*, tell your doctor. [Learn more...](#)

CREW and Heartbeat Walks Summer and Autumn 2018

CREW (Cardiac Rehabilitation through Exercise and Walking) Heart Support Group has published their programme for walks in the summer and autumn 2018. Dogs are not allowed on these walks. [See the programme...](#)

Bored or lonely? Looking for something to do but need some help?

Talk to the Staying Well Hub today – call us on **01422 255402** or [self-refer here...](#)

Local Sports Centres

- [Threeways Sports Centre](#) – Tel. 01422 321155
- [OSCA Sports Complex](#) – Tel. 07974 077143
- [Northbridge Leisure Centre](#) - Tel. 01422 341527
- [Sowerby Bridge Pool](#) - Tel. 01422 288078
- [Halifax Swimming Pool](#) - Tel. 01422 366624

Volunteering Opportunities

Volunteer for Service Delivery in Victim Support

Are you looking to make a difference in your community? **Victim Support** is looking for Service Delivery Volunteers to support people who have been affected by crime within the Bradford and Calderdale areas providing emotional and practical support. [Learn more...](#)

Befriending Volunteer Opportunity with Age UK

Are you looking for a way to share your time and give something back to the community? Age UK Calderdale and Kirklees are currently recruiting volunteer befrienders. Join them in helping older people love later life through personalised activities, friendship and getting out and about. [Give a little time...](#)

Lead the Way Volunteering: Cook Together – Share Together

Lead the Way is looking for volunteers to work in North Halifax. Do you enjoy cooking healthy meals and would like to share your skills with an adult who lives independently and has a learning disability? Make a difference to someone's life today! [Volunteer now...](#)

NHP Work Support

It doesn't matter if you've never used a computer, or you're not confident about writing and you don't know where to start. We have time to talk to you in confidence and to help you with your job search and other things you want help with. Drop in to one of our Work Clubs or ring 0300 555 0266 or **check out our website** – <https://nhpworksupport.com>

Work Clubs in North and East Halifax

- **Mondays** - 3pm- 5pm - at Beechwood Road Library
- **Tuesdays** – 2pm – 4pm - at Mixenden Library
- **Wednesdays** - 10am – 12pm at St Augustine's Family Centre, Hanson Lane
- **Wednesdays** - 10am – 12pm at King Cross Library
- **Thursdays** - 1.30-3.30pm - at Beechwood Road Library

Latest Jobs

- Short-term Temporary Cleaners – Hebden Bridge Beer Festival
- Enablement Team Supervisor – Pennine Magpie
- Social Care Worker – William Henry Smith School
- Projects Administrator – Ovenden and Mixenden Initiative and Staying Well
- Independent Domestic Violence Advisor (IDVA)
- Casual Visitor Services Assistants – Calderdale Libraries
- Cleaner – All Saints Junior and Infants School, Halifax
- Administrator – Halifax
- Right Steps to Work
- Employment support that works for you!
- Scope Starting Line Employment Service for disabled customers

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- ★ **Recommend a friend** to get the Friday Flyer by emailing us
- ★ **Publicise an event** in the Friday Flyer
- ★ **Submit an event** to an online calendar
- ★ **Advertise** your service or community group

North & East Halifax Neighbourhood Team

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