



North and East Halifax

# Friday Flyer

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## N&E Friday Flyer – 10 September 2021

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The **Friday Flyer** is a weekly round-up of news and what's on in North and East Halifax. We hope you will find this informative and useful. **Let us know what you think!**



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## Latest News

### Trainers Wanted to deliver courses for our Sure Start families

Do you, or someone you know deliver courses and activities to families/parent/carers? We are looking to expand our database of trainers who would be willing to tender for some of these activities. [Express interest](#)

### New food delivery service in Halifax for people who are self-isolating

Fresh food deliveries from local shops, straight to people's doors by electric bike, are set to make life easier for Halifax residents who are isolating or at higher risk from COVID-19. [Further read](#)

### Walk In Vaccination clinic at Parkinson Lane Primary School September 16

A Walk In vaccination clinic will be held at Parkinson Lane Community Primary School on Thursday 16th September. The clinic is open to anyone over 16 years, offering the Pfizer-BionTech Vaccine. [Details](#)

### Brews and Grooves are back online!

A little thing like Covid cannot stop Curious Motion from having a good time, a dance and a proper chat. The online version of Brews and Grooves, a dance group for over 55 starts again every Thursday morning over Zoom. [Join us!](#)

### Volunteer with Sure Start Children's Centres

Here are Sure Start Children's Centres North Halifax Partnership we recognise that volunteers play an important part in helping us to provide a quality service, at the same time building a portfolio of work experience and qualifications. This can then help when applying for paid work. [How you can apply](#)

## **Become an Engagement Champion**

Do you enjoy listening and talking to people? Do you have an interest in health issues? Are you from a Calderdale voluntary or community group? Become a voice for your community [Join the Engagement Champions](#)

## **Asking tomorrow's questions today Virtual Question Time October 15th**

West Yorkshire and Harrogate Health and Care Partnership invite voluntary community social enterprise (VCSE) sector colleagues to a question time session. Join our panel members for a conversation about health and care developments across the area. [Join the panel](#)

## **Calderdale Forum 50 Plus Newsletter September 2021**

This month's newsletter covers current events, returning to school, the transformation of Halifax Bus Station along with activity options and discussions about health topics around Calderdale. [To the newsletter](#)

## **Vaccination Walk in Clinics around Calderdale 6th-12nd September**

These walk-in clinics are subject to change due to demand and vaccine availability. Please check the type of vaccines being administered at each site. [More information](#)

## **Tell Tracy – Police and Crime Plan Consultation**

The Mayor is urging everyone in West Yorkshire to get involved and #TellTracy about your policing and community safety priorities. [Share your views](#)

## **Calderdale Community Champions – Nominate a Local Hero!**

The Community Foundation for Calderdale are proud to announce that nominations are open for the Calderdale Community Spirit Awards which will be held at The Venue, Barkisland on 25<sup>th</sup> November 2021 celebrating the Not-for-profit sector in our borough.

[Nominate your hero!](#)

## **Ovenden Ward Forum Monday 13 September**

We want to hear your views about your neighbourhoods, We want to hear how you see work, shopping, education and leisure in the future. [Join the forum](#)

## **Holmfield Bowling Club Macmillan Coffee morning September 24th**

Holmfield Bowling Club and The Friends of Beechwood Park would like to invite you to their Macmillan Coffee Morning on Saturday the 24th of September, from 10am to 2pm. [Read further](#)

## **Rediscover Shelf Hall Park this Saturday 11th September**

Friends of Shelf Hall Park invite you to join them this Saturday 11th of September for a day of fun, family friendly activities that will remind you how awesome Shelf Hall Park can be! [Find out more](#)

## **Disability Partnership Calderdale newsletter 31 August 2021**

The latest Disability Partnership Calderdale offers a thorough cover of the plans for the upcoming redevelopment of Halifax Bus Station. It gives a comprehensive list of changes by bus routes and times that is really useful for all. [To the newsletter](#)

## **Halifax Bus Station to be transformed**

A new £17.7m state-of-the-art facility, delivered by the West Yorkshire Combined Authority in partnership with Calderdale Council is being built on the site of the current bus station. [Find out how this will affect your journeys.](#)

## **Help from Citizens Advice Bureau to keep warm during winter**

‘Want a warmer, cosier home? Want to waste less money on energy bills? [CAB can help you](#)

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## **40th Anniversary Overgate Hospice Midnight Walk September 18th**

The Overgate Hospice Midnight Walk will return on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> September, with both the 7 and 13 mile routes starting and finishing at North Bridge Leisure Centre, Halifax. [Take part](#)

## **Coronavirus Latest**

### **Choose Well to help the NHS during these difficult times**

Restrictions may have lifted but the COVID infection rates are still high in Calderdale. Calderdale and Ryburn PCN are encouraging you to choose wisely before reaching out to the NHS for help and for non emergencies, try different venues first. [Find out more](#)

### **Covid Self-isolation Checklist in English, Czech, Urdu, Bangla**

Any one of us might need to self isolate because we have (or could have) COVID-19. If you have to self-isolate make sure you’re prepared. If you are in need of support, the Council can help.

[View the checklist](#)

## **Get Involved / Have Your Say**

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### **New classes from Curious Motion and more...**

So far, 2021 has seen the launch of our second podcast series, the return of Brews & Grooves to Elland (hooray!), and we are delighted to announce some **new classes** are coming your way too!

[Read our news!](#)

### **Have you been affected by Hate Crime or Hate Incident?**

A hate crime is any criminal offence which is perceived by the victim or any other person, to be motivated by hostility or prejudice based on a person’s disability, race, religion, sexual orientation or gender identity. [Advice and support](#)

## **Advice for late applications to EU Settlement Scheme**

The Government has announced that individuals who have missed the 30 June deadline can resolve their immigration status by making late applications to the EU Settlement Scheme.

[Complete the application](#)

## **Raising awareness of Domestic Servitude in West Yorkshire**

The real-life story of a survivor of domestic servitude has become the inspiration behind a new online animation aimed at the communities of West Yorkshire. [Find out more](#)

## **Get help paying your bills with Yorkshire Water's special tariffs**

Yorkshire Water is working closely with Calderdale Forum 50 Plus to tell older people about the ways in which they can reduce their water consumption and save money on their water bills.

[Find out more](#)

## **Events and What's On**

### **The embers are glowing at the Phoenix Shed...**

Follow me as Ed Moss and Chris Freeman provide an exclusive look into the Phoenix Shed, a place for men over the age of 55 to meet, greet and find support from each other during what life has in store. [Take the virtual visit to the Shed](#)

### **Introducing the North Halifax Primary Care Network**

This award-winning PCN in West Yorkshire, proudly serves in excess of 40,000 patients. You can contact them for any aspects of your medical care needs, including but not limited to services offered and booking appointments through their Facebook presence. [Learn more](#)

### **Happy Days Homeless Charity Halifax Events**

Happy Days would like to invite you to their upcoming monthly events. More details on each event as the time comes closer. [View list of events](#)

### **Healthy Minds August Newsletter**

Find out about their fundraising news, the allotment developments, events with TimeOut and much more! [To the newsletter](#)

### **Park and Warley Project Weekly Digest 6.8.21**

With so much going on we couldn't wait for our next newsletter so here is a quick update of some of the latest opportunities in Park and Warley that you might be interested in. [Read latest](#)

### **Memory Lane Cafes are open once again**

The cafes are running on the same lines as last autumn, morning and afternoon sessions on each cafe day, socially-distanced tables, and mask-wearing encouraged when moving around the room. Our volunteer team are really looking forward to welcoming people back. [Come find us!](#)

### **Be the first to know the exciting new developments at OSCA!**

OSCA offer services that enhance and promote quality of life through sports and exercise for our local community. Their premises are newly refurbished, making them more accessible and boast state of the art football and rugby shower changing rooms. [See what's going on](#)

## **Roller Skating back at the YMCA!**

Roller Skating is back and running at the YMCA, every Friday, Saturday and Sunday, times are posted on the YMCA website. [Find out more](#)

## **Welcome to the Summer 2021 Edition of Grow Calderdale News!**

The latest Grow Calderdale Summer 2021 newsletter is out, packed with help and tips on gardening. Prepare your garden for spring and summer, what jobs you need to prioritise each month, not forgetting wildlife and tasty seasonal recipes. [Read it here](#)

## **Grants and Funding**

### **Grants of up to £5,000 for community groups from CFFC**

The Community Foundation for Calderdale (CFFC) have launched their general grants round for organisations and community groups to apply for up to £5,000 to make a difference in Calderdale. [Eligibility criteria](#)

### **£1 million Climate Emergency fund to combat climate change**

Calderdale Metropolitan Borough Council (CMBC) in partnership with Community Foundation for Calderdale (CFFC), have launched a £1million Climate Emergency fund to help combat the impact that climate change is having in the borough. [Find out more](#)

## **Children and Young People**

### **Players required for under 7 and under 10 teams in Ovenden**

Ovenden will shortly be commencing pre season football training for girls and boys of any ability. [More details](#)

### **YMCA School uniform exchange**

You are welcome to visit and find FREE, good quality school uniforms for Calderdale Primary and Secondary schools. [Further details](#)

## **Health and Wellbeing**

### **Virtual Dementia Carers Peer Support Group**

Do you care for someone with dementia? Get support from someone who understands. Carers benefit meeting experienced and very friendly carers and a Dementia Adviser. [Find out more](#)

### **Halifax Friendly Football Club would like you to join them!**

We're looking for male players to join our 6-7pm turn up and play session every Friday at Beech Hill school. Awesome, friendly fun atmosphere for all abilities who just want a fun game. [We have the game for you!](#)

### **Calderdale Staying Safe Domestic Abuse Support is here for you**

If you are 16 or over, female or male and have experienced any form of Domestic Abuse, Calderdale Staying Safe are here to help you. [Access the service](#)

## Employment, Training and Volunteering

### Leeds Citywide NHS Race Equality Network webinars (Next October 14)

You are invited to join these webinars on topics of positive networking and forming connections that promote better collaboration for improving outcomes. [Further read](#)

### Volunteer Football Coaches for St Augustine's Centre

If you are passionate about football and want to make a difference, then this is the perfect opportunity for you! [Interested?](#)

### NHP are looking for local people to join our trustee board

We would love to hear both from people who have no previous experience and those looking for a new trustee role on a friendly and dedicated board. [Could this be you?](#)

### New opportunities for a brighter future with Calderdale Adult Learning

The new Calderdale Adult Learning (CAL) prospectus is landing on the doorsteps of every household in Calderdale, with a new curriculum full of exciting, affordable courses to inspire and help people towards the jobs and lives they want. [Browse the courses](#)

**Latest Jobs** All the latest jobs and apprenticeships from our dedicated [Jobs page](#). For more information on the jobs below including how to apply, [Click here](#)

- [Project Officer – Newground Youth Team – Closing Sep 13](#)
- [Volunteer with Sure Start Children's Centres – Closing Sep 24](#)

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

The [Halifax North and East](#) blog is updated daily and can also be subscribed to for free.

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

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- ★ **Publicise an event** in the Friday Flyer
- ★ **Advertise** your service or community group

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