



North and East Halifax

Friday Flyer

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N&E Friday Flyer – 13 May 2022

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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

Mental Health Awareness Week 2022 : #IveBeenThere

Loneliness is affecting more and more of us in the UK and has had a huge impact on our physical and mental health during the pandemic. Our connection to other people and our community is fundamental to protecting our mental health and we need to find better ways of tackling the epidemic of loneliness. We can all play a part in this. [Find out more](#)

Northowram Scarecrow Event 2022. And the winners are...

The Northowram Scarecrow Event took place at its usual time, in the first bank holiday of May, back after two years of covid imposed lockdowns and the residents stepped up to impress! [View event pictures](#)

Police Appeal for information – road traffic collision May 10th

Police are appealing for information following a serious road traffic collision involving a motorbike and double decker bus in Halifax. [Can you help?](#)

Partnership encourages all to check in with their mates to prevent suicide

West Yorkshire Health and Care Partnership (WY HCP) is launching a new campaign on Monday 16 May to create awareness around male suicide across the area and is urging everyone to get involved. [Check-in with your mates](#)

VSI Alliance Update 13 May 2022

This newsletter provides the VSI Alliance full training programme of 2022/2023, offers links to several help and support sources, has links for consultations, events, funding, jobs and volunteering. [Read updates here](#)

Protecting Calderdale's countryside and communities

Calderdale Council's Public Space Protection Orders (PSPO) have been compiled in partnership with organisations including the Police and Fire Service, as we work together to keep communities safe and protect the environment. We are now reviewing these orders and are asking local people to have their say on the proposed changes. [Share your views](#)

5 day Remote/Online Digital Skills course – Android Tablet on Completion

This is a remote course where you will study from home, you will receive help and guidance from a tutor. [Course details](#)

easyfundraising Funding webinar – Wednesday 25th May, 12.30pm

Suitable for all non-profit organisations, CICs, social enterprises, sports clubs, schools, churches, charities, village halls and groups, come along to find out how it works and how to get set up. This is a friendly, informal session where you can ask questions and meet other fundraisers too. [Register here](#)

Platinum Jubilee Art Competition deadline June 6th

To celebrate how art can boost wellbeing, Calderdale Adult Learning are holding an art competition based around the theme of 'Platinum Jubilee.' Prizes include art supplies, shopping vouchers and CAL course discounts. [Find out more](#)

Mayor's Safer Communities Fund back apply by June 10th

Tracy Brabin, Mayor of West Yorkshire has opened the latest round of her Mayor's Safer Communities Fund with £270,000 in grants available to apply for. The fund is financed by money recovered from criminals under the Proceeds of Crime Act within the county by West Yorkshire Police's Economic Crime Unit and prosecutors. [Fund details](#)

Elim Church Jubilee Street Party on Sunday 5th June

[Halifax Elim Church](#) invite you to their Platinum Jubilee Street Party at Illingworth Children's Centre on Sunday the 5th of June. There will be Live Entertainment, Cream tea, dancing, lots of fun and games, including face painting and child friendly crafts. [Come along!](#)

Integrated Care Board (Shadow) meeting on Tuesday 17 May 11am

The NHS West Yorkshire Integrated Care Board (ICB) will meet as a 'shadow' board in public on Tuesday 17 May 2022, at 11am. The board, which is part of [West Yorkshire Health and Care Partnership](#) (WY HCP), works together to join up health and care services, to improve the health and wellbeing of 2.4million people living across the area and to reduce health inequalities. [More details](#)

Pension Credit top up to help with living Costs

Do you or a family member get a State Pension? An estimated £6.8 million of unclaimed Pension Credit is unclaimed in Calderdale. We want to encourage every one of State Pension age to check their eligibility, even if they don't think they need any additional support. [Find out more](#)

Halifax's Elsie Whiteley Innovation Centre bounces back from COVID stronger than ever

Elsie Whiteley Innovation Centre (EWIC) is looking to the future with optimism thanks to its refreshed communal and meeting spaces, as well as in-demand office spaces. As businesses begin to bounce back so is EWIC, which is seeing increasing demand for its office spaces from local organisations searching for a new work home. [See what EWIC can offer you!](#)

Partnership appoints non-executive independent members for new way of working

West Yorkshire Health and Care Partnership (WY HCP), an integrated care system, has confirmed the appointments of non-executive independent members and local place committee chairs for the NHS West Yorkshire Integrated Care Board (ICB). [Read further](#)

CCG Calderdale COVID-19 Vaccination Programme Update – May 2022

Calderdale Clinical Commissioning group would like to encourage everyone eligible for a Covid vaccination to take the opportunity to protect themselves and others from coronavirus. [Read latest messages](#)

We're listening. Help shape plans in Mixenden.

We are consulting on the latest proposals for the [Community Streets Mixenden – Ash Green project](#), which is at the concept stage. There is a short survey to complete. Please take a moment to give us your feedback and any comments you would like to make on the proposals. [Take survey](#)

Calderdale Forum 50 Plus Newsletter May 2022

You will find information of upcoming Jubilee Celebrations in Calderdale and more events and activities for you to participate. There are also details of health and wellbeing support groups available as well as resources for help with finances and practical matters. [To the newsletter](#)

Vita Health Group on Combatting Loneliness and Mental Health Awareness Week

We know that our connection to other people and our community is paramount to protecting our mental health, and as such, we all need to work together to find better ways to tackle loneliness, both within ourselves and within others. Because reducing loneliness is a major step towards to more healthy society. [Find out more](#)

Get Involved / Have Your Say

Flavourfest – A taste of Local Market life in Calderdale

Try out your business idea this June in the low-risk space of a market with the support of the friendly and experienced markets team. Any Calderdale-based food business is able to apply for a market stall, including market stall holders. [Read more and apply](#)

Join Calderdale Forum 50+ and be the voice for older people in Calderdale

Thanks to funding from The Community Foundation for Calderdale and Calderdale Council, Calderdale Forum 50 Plus is expanding its information provision for older people and looking for new members and contributors who can help shape its direction. [Further details](#)

Northowram fly tipping incident April 2022

Here is another example of antisocial behaviour from people who don't care about the local community or the environment and think it is ok to dump waste anywhere they want. [Read more](#)

Become an Engagement Champion to benefit your organisation

In a nutshell, the Engagement Champions programme is about capturing the views of local people and communities, especially those who are seldom heard, specifically in relation to health. [Could this be you?](#)

West Yorkshire Fire and Rescue Service public consultation

Currently we are undergoing a public consultation on our new 3 year Community Risk Management Plan. is consultation which will assist us in shaping the future of West Yorkshire Fire and Rescue Service. [Your WYFRS, Have Your Say](#)

Calderdale Forum 50 Plus service survey

Our aim is to provide the over 50 population of Calderdale and their families and friends with information and advice to make their lives easier and now we'd like to hear what you think of our website and our newsletters. [Complete survey](#)

Events Newsletters and What's On

Calderdale Big Band Tea Dance Saturday May 14

You are invited to the Big Band Tea Dance in the Arden Road Social Club on Saturday May 14th. Afternoon tea will be provided. Admission is free but booking is essential. [Book now](#)

Phoenix Bowmen invite you to have a go at Archery! – May 14th

Ever wanted to try archery? The opportunity may be just a... stone's throw away! Halifax's own [Phoenix Bowmen](#), based at Halifax Rugby Club are holding an archery taster session. The session is open to adults and children over 6 years old. [Find out more](#)

OUR NEWS Neighbourhood Watch newsletter – May 2022 edition

Welcome to the May edition of OUR NEWS. This month it features articles on online safety, Neighbourhood Watch insights survey, Neighbourhood Watch Week, protecting your car, partner offers and more. [To the newsletter](#)

Memory Lane Gets Back to full-length afternoon cafe sessions

From the start of May 2022 we revert to our pre-COVID arrangement of afternoon-only sessions (1.30-4pm). We want to make the most of this extra half hour – so we're asking all of our members what they'd like to do. [View café times](#)

Warley Queen's Jubilee Event Saturday June 4th

Warley Community Association invite you to the Queen's Platinum Jubilee picnic at The Vandals Rugby Club. There will be lots of games to suit all ages such as a Coconut Shy, Tin Can Alley, Bat the rat, Hook a Duck, a Bran Tub and Face Painting for the little ones and lots more. [Take a look](#)

April News from Healthy Minds!

Spring is officially here! A time of new beginnings and fast growth, our teams have been working hard to bring the people of Calderdale quality mental health support. [To the newsletter](#)

Illingworth Messenger May 2022

This issue of the Illingworth Messenger brings spring messages, adverts of local businesses, features local history, activities and clubs, interesting trivia, the service schedule for the churches of Holy Nativity, St Malachy's and Illingworth Moor Methodist Church and as always the entertainment section with sudoku and amusing lines. [Find it here](#)

Time Out's April newsletter

Find out how their Easter Holiday activities went in ***An Eggcellent Easter Holiday!*** and more information about the ***Underlands Exhibition*** showcasing the artwork of the children attending. [To the newsletter](#)

17 Bags Full picked by the Junior Wardens of Moorside Community Primary School

The Wardens were very proud of collecting so many bags of rubbish and waste. Some items were even taken to a special museum of old items, collected by Natalie Ratner from The North Halifax Partnership. [Further read](#)

New beginnings for the blog and Friday Flyer...

A new layout and structure are being considered. We will shortly be bringing out a questionnaire for your feedback. [See what else there is](#)

Last Tango in Northowram dance fitness for over 60 starting April 29

This is a gentle way to exercise and socialise, experiencing a variety of dance styles from a chair or standing. Refreshments will be available and donations are welcome. [Book a place](#)

Keep up to date with what is happening at CFFC

There is a lot happening at CFFC, we are welcoming new donors, we are giving out lots of grants, and we are recruiting. We've been busy building on our existing Committees and supporters and are back out there in the community connecting people. It's great to be feeling a sense of getting back to 'normal' whilst still being careful. [Read more](#)

Weekly activities at the OSCA Foundation Community Sports Hub

The OSCA foundation, based at Forest Cottage in Ovenden has a choice of fitness and exercise activities to suit all ages and abilities. As well as that, every Sunday the grounds host matches for the Halifax Panthers Women! [See what's on](#)

65th Halifax Charity Gala on Saturday 11th June announced

Preparations are well underway for the 65th Halifax Charity Gala, happening on 11th of June at Manor Heath Park. Halifax Charity Gala is a great opportunity for local organisations, services and charities to showcase their work to the public. [Book your tickets](#)

Local fundraising can get national coverage!

BBC Radio 2 Presenter Scott Mills gave a shout out and thanked local fundraiser Christine Gow who made over 250 cream teas for friends and family raising over £3,500 for children's charity Mothershare. [Read more](#)

Communities affected by the conflict in Ukraine in Yorkshire and Humber

We have updated our briefing on 'Communities affected by the conflict in Ukraine in Yorkshire and Humber', extending the original list of selected countries of birth to include Hungary, Romania and Slovakia. [View the Report here](#)

Maurice Jagger 2022 events for your diary

Please find the list of events from the Maurice Jagger centre to celebrate their 40th Anniversary.

[View schedule](#)

easyfundraising pledges support to the British-Ukrainian Aid

Funding platform **easyfundraising** has pledged to **#StandWithUkraine** and double every donation raised through their site for **British-Ukrainian Aid** for the next 6 months. [Further read](#)

Grants and Funding

Ward Forum Grants available in North and East Halifax by June 24th

Are you thinking of having a Queens jubilee celebration? Do you need funding for this or another project? A £500 Ward forum grant may be helpful. [Application info](#)

Official Launch of the Staying Well Community Fund

We are keen to work with community groups, small community associations, organisations, projects and initiatives that reduce social isolation and loneliness, help individuals and communities to get moving more... [Get in touch with us](#)

Calderdale VSI Alliance Specialist Support Grants

Grants of up to £2,000 are now available for voluntary organisations in Calderdale for technical professional support to address a skills or knowledge gap in the organisation or address an immediate need for technical input to advance a project or service. [Read more](#)

Children and Young People

Nursery spaces for 3-4 year olds at Dean Field Nursery

If you want to attend Dean Field Reception class, now is the time to join our Nursery and allow your child to adapt to the school surroundings and get to know their future class friends. [Find out more](#)

YMCA School uniform exchange

You can find good quality free, second hand school uniforms for Calderdale primary and secondary schools through the YMCA school uniform exchange. [Opening hours and details](#)

Sure Start Summer Term courses and activities

Our Summer term courses and activities are live on the website for booking. This term we have some new courses – Art and Creative Play, Healthy Cooking on a Budget, Smashing Parenting (aimed at the early years) and Budget Like a Boss as well as the popular favourites. [See what's on](#)

Crossley Belles U11 forming a new team players wanted!

Our girl's section is continuing to increase, and we will have another team starting next year but are recruiting now so they can hit the ground running next season. [More information](#)

Health and Wellbeing

Calderdale Covid Vaccine Engagement Report March 2022

We wanted to give people the opportunity to help influence how we shape the operational delivery of the vaccine delivery model in Calderdale and the messages we share; through understanding and learning what the public views are of the COVID vaccine and understanding any concerns or misinformation that people may have heard. [Read report](#)

Looking after your boobs and pecks – mobile breast screening unit

The Pennine Breast screening team will arrive with their mobile unit at the B&Q car park, towards the end of April and will be there over the summer. [Find out more](#)

Future NHS provide translated materials and vaccination consent forms

The Future NHS website now provides translated materials page for the Covid Vaccine. This includes UKHSA consent forms for vaccinating minors. To access these you need to be registered with NHS futures. [Access the resources](#)

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 can be of assistance. Our service is free and confidential, regardless of sexual orientation, gender, disability, religion or ethnic origin... [more...](#)

Walk in vaccination clinics around Calderdale

To encourage more people to get vaccinated, there will be several pop up vaccination clinics across Calderdale. These clinics offer the Pfizer/BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine for anyone over 18 years old. [Find one near you](#)

Employment, Training and Volunteering

Do Your Own Thing May/June start your own business course

Are you female, unemployed, living in West Yorkshire and have the right to live and work in the UK? If you have an idea for a business and need some guidance on how to get it off the ground, this 14 week online course may be just the place to start. [Register your interest](#)

Remote/Online courses for Residents of West Yorkshire with Jobskilla

Please see the remote/online courses details we have available for residents of West Yorkshire. Referrals can be done online via completing the enquiry for form or alternatively by emailing us. [View courses](#)

NHP and Sure Start Children's Centres recruiting now – May 18

Our Children's centres are exciting places to work. All the staff are committed to supporting their local communities to provide high quality learning for children. We provide an excellent working environment where children and staff thrive. [Be part of the team!](#)

Take a virtual walk to Aachen and support Happy Days homeless charity

It is 520 miles to Aachen, Halifax's twin town and we think that together we are up for the challenge! Everyone is welcome to join. [Walk with us!](#)

Spring Update from Jill Webb Training

Take a look at the spring update from Jill Web Training who offers a number of courses including Safeguarding, Food Safety, First Aid and a range of courses tailored to parents and families. There are limited places remaining on a First Aid course in June 2022 of which details can be found within this update... [more...](#)

New courses available from Calderdale LAB Project

The LAB project will be running two Employability courses between April and May. For the upcoming April course there is an enrolment day on the 14th of April, at The Wellington Rooms. [Further details](#)

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](#)

- [NHP and Sure Start Children's Centres recruiting – May 18](#)
- [Senior Early Years Practitioner – Room Leader – May 23](#)
- [Making Space are looking for Volunteers](#)
- [Care staff with Bluebird Care – Ongoing](#)

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?

Friday Flyer - Contact Us:

- ★ **Recommend a friend** to get the Friday Flyer by asking them to [email](#) us
- ★ **Publicise an event** in the Friday Flyer
- ★ **Advertise** your service or community group

*The deadline for posting on the Friday Flyer is **Thursday 12pm**. Depending on workload, posts arriving at that time may still have to go on the following week's flyer.*

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