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N&E Friday Flyer – 23 September 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

An apology from the editor

Due to unforeseen circumstances over the past couple of weeks, some of your submissions have not been published in a timely manner or missed altogether. We pride ourselves in bringing news and updates to you quickly and accurately. We hope to keep receiving your messages with events, announcements and requests. [Thank you for your understanding](#)

Life Qi are looking for Tai Chi instructors

Train to become one of our amazing instructors with the new CalmX programme – learning the basic skills and principles of T'ai Chi & Qigong exercise. [Find out more](#)

Only a few tickets left for The Business for Calderdale Awards 2022

This is a great opportunity to celebrate and recognise the achievements of businesses in Calderdale over the last year. If you would like to join us to celebrate the brilliant businesses and their determination, innovation, and resilience, please book your tickets now. [Booking details](#)

Level 3 Certificate in Cyber Security Practices (Evening Course)

We are delighted to be recruiting for this fantastic opportunity starting on Monday 26th September. You will gain valuable experience from experts in the field, who will guide you through and teach you a range of topics including: understanding intelligence threats, vulnerabilities, controls and professional behaviours required within the industry. [Apply now](#)

Message from WY Police : Clashes between Hindu and Muslim groups in Leicester

There can never be any excuse for hate crime and this criminality will not be tolerated. We want those who are victims of hate crime to feel confident in the belief that we'll take your reports seriously, protect you and make sure you get all the support you need. [Read on](#)

Free school uniforms at Morrisons supermarket in Illingworth

Morrisons supermarket in Illingworth has teamed up with the YMCA Free uniform service, and have set up a free uniform rail in their store to help out struggling families in need of school uniform. [Take a look](#)

Partnership backs World Suicide Prevention Day 2022 and urges all those struggling to reach out

West Yorkshire Health and Care Partnership (WY HCP) have once again pledged their support to World Suicide Prevention Day 2022 and urged anyone who is struggling with their mental health to reach out for help. [Full read](#)

VSI Alliance Volunteer Hub for short term projects

The VSI Alliance Volunteer Hub can help if you need extra volunteers for one off events or short term projects. From stewarding to administration, from distribution to gardening we have volunteers who want to help Calderdale and our wonderful, vibrant, creative community through micro-volunteering. [Find out more](#)

Next Up at the OSCA foundation: Live Music and car boot sales! Next Sep 25th

Find information about the car boot sales and live gigs as well as the regular activities taking place at the OSCA foundation. [Read on](#)

Calderdale Creates Launch Event November 1 and Events schedule

After delivering Calderdale's new Cultural Strategy, 'Where Creativity Flows', it's now time to start developing detailed plans to strengthen, energise and grow our cultural sector so we can maximise our impact and deliver on the strategy. [Find out more](#)

The Better Living Service can help you lead a healthier life

Would you like to improve your health and wellbeing? Do you feel you need some support to get started? The Better Living Service are here to do just that! We support the residents of Calderdale (aged 18+) to lose weight, become more active and reduce alcohol consumption. [Get in touch!](#)

Illingworth Ward Forum Monday 26th September at 6pm

We want to hear your views about your neighbourhoods, we want to hear how you see work, shopping, education and leisure in the future. All your thoughts will inform the planning that the Council is starting with businesses, health services, educational establishments and all our key partners, but most of all local people. [Join Illingworth Ward Forum](#)

Next Mixenden Ward Forum September 27th

Come tell us what matters to you in Ovenden! We will discuss community updates, police updates and Ward Forum Grants. [Join Mixenden Ward Forum](#)

Next Ovenden Ward Forum October 5th

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Shelf Wellbeing Community MacMillan Coffee Morning September 29th

This month the Caritas coffee morning, run by the Shelf Wellbeing Community is being held in conjunction with Witchfield Grange Residents at Witchfield Grange on Brow Lane, Shelf HX37QL to support Macmillan. We will be holding a raffle and all are welcome to come and join us. [Join the coffee morning!](#)

RSPCA calling all local detectives! Who dunnit?

The tour is a murder mystery trail taking in clues from around Halifax Town Centre that will finally reveal the answer to 'whodunnit'. The walk is accessible to all and can be done at your own pace. It may even introduce you to sights of Halifax you've not seen before! [Magnifying lenses at the ready!](#)

Have you booked your place on the CFFC Membership Event?

You're invited to the official launch of our membership club. This is a monthly networking event for like minded people who support CFFC so we can connect people who care with local causes that matter. There will be open networking and a buffet lunch provided. [Book your place!](#)

Get Involved / Have Your Say

HALIFAX STARS – A celebration of the proud tradition of boxing clubs in Calderdale

verd de gris arts have been awarded funding to create an innovative intergenerational project with the aim of celebrating the working class culture of boxing clubs around Halifax, West Yorkshire. [Find out more](#)

Announcing the Finalists of The Business for Calderdale Awards 2022

The Business for Calderdale Awards will take place on Thursday 13th October 2022 at The Venue, Barkisland celebrating the achievements of businesses in the borough over the last year. Congratulations to All of the Finalists! [Read more](#)

Events and What's On

Weekly activities at the OSCA Foundation Community Sports Hub

The OSCA foundation at Forest Cottage in Ovenden has a choice of fitness and exercise activities to suit all ages and abilities. The facilities at the OSCA can be rented for training sessions, functions and birthday parties. With ample parking space, spacious rooms and even plenty of outdoor grounds, they have a lot to offer for many event needs. [Information](#)

New Daisy Chain Café starting at St Columba's in Pellon this September

For all the residents of Pellon, a new Daisy Chain Café will be taking place near you from September 2022 and everyone is welcome. Come along, meet our friendly team and join in with our activities and games. [Café details](#)

Memory Lane Cafe Halifax – Change of Venue

All of our cafes have been getting much busier this year so we have decided to relocate to the Maurice Jagger Centre from the start of September. Please come join us in our new venue!

[Venue details](#)

OSCA Foundation updates!

The OSCA Foundation is your community hub for weekly activities and events, sports related and much more! [View what's available](#)

West Yorkshire Partnership Shortlisted for the 2022 HSJ Awards

West Yorkshire Health and Care Partnership (WY HCP) is proud to reveal that they have been shortlisted for several awards at this year's HSJ Awards, recognising outstanding contribution to healthcare and earning the opportunity to showcase their achievements on a national platform.

[Read full story](#)

Shelf Village Hall Community Association Business Plan : A brief overview

The Committee would take on a long-term lease – a Community Asset Transfer, from Calderdale Council. Find out their exciting ideas of how they would like to bring Shelf Village Hall back to life!

[Find out more](#)

St Matthew's Church coffee morning: Where spirituality meets life

Join me as I spend a too short time getting to know more about the Church of St Matthews in Northowram, about the amazing things they do, the coffee morning being just one of these then find out how to become part of this! [Read feature](#)

Climate change toolkit launched across West Yorkshire

In May the WY HCP asked over 100,000 staff and volunteers to be 'All hands in for a better future' when they launched their first climate change campaign. The toolkit is an extension to this work and provides West Yorkshire healthcare providers to address climate change. [Find out more](#)

Shelf Wellbeing Community Caritas Coffee Mornings last Thursday of every month

Our once a month coffee mornings are held at 10 am on the last Thursday of every month and are part of the Shelf Wellbeing Community. All are welcome to join us.

We hold our coffee mornings at the Shelf Health Centre. [Further details](#)

Newsletters

Shelf wellbeing community September Newsletter

The Shelf Wellbeing Community Newsletter is here with information about the group, their wellbeing walking group, coffee mornings, with focus on this month's special, the MacMillan Coffee Morning, held together with Witchfield Grange in Shelf. [To the newsletter](#)

Memory Lane Cafe Summer Newsletter

See what has happened over the Spring and Summer at the Memory Lane Cafe. Read about past events, find out what is available to you and get the dates for the next Cafe dates at Halifax and Sowerby Bridge. [To the newsletter](#)

VSI Alliance Update 23 September 2022

Read the latest updates from the VSI alliance. You will find information on local events and available training, job opportunities and volunteering options. The newsletter also highlights current campaigns and consultations. [Read the updates here](#)

August News from Healthy Minds!

We hope you are keeping well and have had a nice summer! We have so much to share with you about all the wonderful things happening at Healthy Minds. Join us for Suicide Prevention Day this Saturday at Morrisons Elland, for our celebration of Recovery & Support in the Upper Valley on Saturday 25 Sept, or for our Marathon finish line party at Woolshops on Sunday 2 October. [Access newsletter here](#)

Calderdale Forum 50 Plus Newsletter September 2022

Calderdale Forum 50+ newsletter has current, useful information for the over 50s population of Calderdale and more. You will find a list of activities, helpful resources and coverage of current events. [To the newsletter](#)

Illingworth Messenger September 2022

Welcome to the September issue of the Illingworth Messenger with Back to School and Harvest Greetings. You will find the usual wealth of information on local events, activities, businesses and more. The messenger lists the church service schedules for Holy Nativity, St Malachy's and Illingworth Moor Methodist Church. Don't miss the entertainment and puzzles section. [View Latest Illingworth Messenger](#)

Time Out Calderdale news and information for summer

You will find information on emotional and psychological help and support available to children and young adults, job and volunteering opportunities, the sessions of the Hive Hub free summer school and minutes of the June 15th network meeting. [To the newsletter](#)

Grants and Funding

Grants of up to £5,000 to eligible Voluntary Sector organisations

Grants of up to £5,000 to eligible Voluntary Sector organisations who are looking to trial a new idea or project or continue existing projects especially around homelessness and housing, poverty and disadvantage, mental health and wellbeing and community cohesion. [Full details](#)

Active Calderdale VCSE Charter – When we move, we're stronger

Are you interested in being 1 of the 8 organisations to pilot this approach and receive a grant of £250 to implement your ideas? If so, we would love to hear from you! [Learn more](#)

Next Ward Forum Grant round North and East Halifax by October 28th

The next round of Ward Forum Grants for the North and East of Halifax is open. Do you need funding for a project or to carry out repairs work? If you are planning a community celebration or an experience, a £500 Ward forum grant may be helpful. [Continue reading](#)

Second round of CFFC General Grants for community groups

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

Children and Young People

Weekly football sessions at Calderdale College with Crossley Juniors girls AFC

Crossley Juniors AFC girls section have teamed up with Calderdale College to provide weekly football sessions at the college to further promote girls participation in football. The sessions are weekly and last one hour. [Find out more](#)

Innovations and Kevin Pearce Children's Centre embark on project with Octopus Energy Group

Octopus Energy visited Innovations Children's Centre to complete a workshop with the children. We created drawings relating to wind turbines and renewable energy, which Octopus Energy will use as projections on the turbines! [Read full story](#)

New Players wanted for Ovenden West Riding AFC Under 14 Boys team

OVENDEN WEST RIDING under 14 Boys are looking to recruit new players for next season. The intention is for the team to play in the Huddersfield Junior League from September 2022. [Join the team](#)

Join the Cougars under 9 football team of Ovenden West Riding Juniors!

OVENDEN West Riding Juniors AFC are looking for players for Cougars, their under 9 team for next season. [Join at the OSCA](#)

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](#)

Health and Wellbeing

Northowram : Look for your invitation for your Breast Screening appointment

Registered females aged 51-70 will be receiving invitations through the post to attend the Pennine Breast Screening Unit in Tesco Brighthouse for a free breast screening. Please wait to receive your letter in the post before contacting the unit. [More details](#)

Andy's Man Club now at the OSCA every Monday evening

Andy's Man Club now hold meetings every Monday evening at the OSCA Foundation Sports Club. Just turn up and have a conversation about what concerns you, or simply have a friendly chat. This is your space. [#ITSOKAYTOTALK](#)

NHS Heathy Start Scheme prepaid card – apply online

The NHS Healthy Start scheme aims to help those who are pregnant or have responsibility for at least one child under the age of 4, who are on a qualifying benefit and a low income. There is now an online application process with a prepaid card to be used. [More details](#)

CCG Calderdale COVID-19 Vaccination Programme Update – June 30th 2022

On 1 July 2022, NHS Calderdale Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) will become part of NHS West Yorkshire Integrated Care Board (ICB). This will be the last programme update issued by the CCG. These will start again later in the year from the ICB. Key contacts and useful links have been updated at the end of this update. [Read update here](#)

Employment, Training and Volunteering

NHP and Sure Start Children's Centres recruiting now – September 28th

North Halifax Partnership (NHP) Sure Start Children's Centres are excited to be recruiting for qualified and unqualified early years practitioners to work in our Children's Centres in Calderdale. We have a variety of roles available. [View available roles](#)

Could you become a Staying Well Telephone Befriender?

Sometimes you want a brew and someone to talk to. Volunteering with us requires no more than 30 minutes of your time every week for you to put your feet up, have a brew at the ready and have a light hearted conversation with our clients. [Could this be you?](#)

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](#)

- [Refugee, Asylum Seeking and Trafficked Women's Caseworker – Sep 26](#)
- [NHP and Sure Start Children's Centres recruiting – Sep 28](#)
- [Engagement of Self Employed Development worker with DPC – Oct 01](#)

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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