



LV Friday Flyer – 18 May 2018

Covering the wards of Brighouse, Elland, Greetland and Stainland, Hipperholme & Lightcliffe and Rastrick

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The **Friday Flyer** is a weekly round-up of news and what's on in the Lower Valley.

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 **Lower Valley Blog**.

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



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News

May Spring Bank Holiday Waste and Recycling Collection Dates

Please remember your Waste and Recycling Collections will be a day later through bank holiday week

Usual collection day:

Monday 28 May

Tuesday 29 May

Wednesday 30 May

Thursday 31 May

Friday 1 June

Collection will be on:

Tuesday 29 May

Wednesday 30 May

Thursday 31 May

Friday 1 June

Saturday 2 June

Collections should be back to your usual scheduled day by **Monday 4 June**.

We prefer flat plastic!

Please remember also to squash your cans and plastics before placing them in the white bag; they will take up less room so you can fit more in the sack and it will help the items to stay more securely inside the sack on a windy day.

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

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](#), [Halifax North & East](#) and [Upper Valley](#) areas too? And regular updates!

Get Involved / Have Your Say

Withinfields and Victoria School Reunion

Following the success over the last 2 years at Southowram Cricket Club with a summer venue, there will be the 34th reunion on **Friday 1 June, 7.30pm** onwards. For more information contact Barry on **01422 256653 / 07765 307123** or Peter on **01484 985107 / 07522 450064**. [Further information...](#)

Rastrick Big Local – Voice Your Choice 2018

Residents of Rastrick will receive a voting form to decide which project they would like to win up to £65,000 in Rastrick Big Local's 'Voice Your Choice'. The theme chosen by the Community for 2018 is "Children and Young People". [Choose your project now...](#)

The 2018 Great Get Together

Please let us know how this year you will be celebrating **all we have in common** starting on Jo Cox's birthday, **Friday 22 June** and through the weekend to **Sunday 24 June**. Let us know how you are going to bring your community together this summer and email us to advertise your event. [Sign up now...](#)

Check on Crime Statistics in Your Area

Following a comment made at recent Neighbourhood Watch meeting, we can now share the link required to check crime figures in your area. The data is updated as regularly as possible but may be a couple of months behind. [Check your area...](#)

Events and what's on

The Big Sing at The Piece Hall

On **25 May 2018** The Piece Hall will recreate the magnificent Whitsuntide tradition bringing 1,000 children from over 20 Calderdale primary schools together to perform a selection of songs, some specially commissioned and written by the schools involved. [More...](#)

The Halifax Charity Gala Saturday 9 June 2018

Don't forget it's the **2018 Halifax Charity Gala** on, **Saturday 9 June** at Manor Heath Park. See the procession snake through the town centre before heading to Manor Heath Park for a fun packed day with entertainments in the arena and many local charities bringing their fun ideas to the park to raise money and entertain the family. [Buy tickets at half-price!...](#)

Elland Walk and Talk with Warren

Meet Warren on **Wednesdays** at **10:15am** for a free short walk in the Elland area supported by CREW Heart Support Group. Meet new friends and take some gentle exercise whilst seeing some parts of Elland you may not go to very often. No special clothing needed, come as you are. [Learn more...](#)

Family Fun Day at West View Park

There will be a free **Family Fun Day at West View Park** on **Saturday 14 July, 12:00pm-4:00pm**. There will be lots of activities for you and your family with a Mobile Cave, Face-painting and a Children's Entertainer. [Details or book a stall...](#)

Children & Young People

FREE Fun Swim Sessions at Brighthouse Pool

Calderdale Sports Services deliver monthly fun swim sessions for disabled children & young people aged 5 – 18 years. The sessions promote positive experiences, enable children to gain confidence in the water and assist in developing friendships. [Dates and contacts...](#)

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](#)

Health and Staying Well

Have a Chat with the Staying Well Team at Heywood Church

In Northowram Staying Well are starting a meeting point at **Heywood Church**, on **Tuesday 22 May** and every **Tuesday** from **10.30am to 12.00pm**. Join them for a coffee, bun and a chat and talk about what you would like to do to stay well. [More information...](#)

Give Walking a Go and Pledge to Try20 this Month

Did you know that May is National Walking Month? Living Streets is asking the nation to give walking a go and pledge to #Try20. They're challenging you to see if you can walk 20 minutes every day throughout the month. [Get healthier now...](#)

Line Dancing and More with SOFA!

Have you got an inner John Wayne or Calamity Jane? SOFA (Southowram Over Fifties Activities) runs Line Dancing sessions in St. Anne's church hall on **Thursdays, 2:30pm-3:30pm**. You don't need a partner and the first 2 sessions are FREE. [Check out other activities...](#)

Elland Working Men's Club Over 60s Club

The Over 60's Club runs each **Tuesday** at Elland Working Men's Club and is a great way to socialise with like-minded people. Starting at **2pm** and finishing around 4pm, there is Bingo, Raffle a tea break during the afternoon a great chance to get to know people. [More...](#)

One You – Couch to 5K Re-launch

Public Health England Partnerships are re-launching their famous One You – Couch to 5K app in partnership with BBC Get Inspired. The **One You – Couch to 5k app** has been designed to get you off the couch and running in just nine weeks. [Download the app...](#)

Young at Heart Club for the Over 50s

Join the **Young @ Heart Club** at the Shay Stadium on **Thursdays, 2pm-4pm** for varied light activities in a friendly atmosphere. The group caters to anyone over 50 who loves to have a good time and get involved in something fun with a bit of competition. [Read more...](#)

Do you know someone who's feeling lonely?

Talk to the Staying Well Hub – call us on **01422 392767**

Local Sports Centres

- [Brighthouse Swimming Pool and Fitness Centre](#) – Tel. 01422 28806
- [Halifax Swimming Pool](#) - Tel. 01422 366624

Employment and Training

Young Leaders Course with Lead the Way

Lead the Way currently has spaces on the Young Leaders Course July/August for people aged 16/17 years who have a learning disability, autism or both. This is a great opportunity to be involved and find out about what is happening in Calderdale. [Learn more...](#)

My Way Forward – Help for Young People from C & K Careers

My Way Forward is a new programme offered by C&K Careers to young people who want to get into learning or work. You decide what areas you want help with and with your adviser you'll create an action plan for success. [Get on the programme...](#)

Volunteer Opportunities at Happy Days Cycles and Cafe

Happy Days Cycles and Cafe in Sowerby Bridge welcome volunteers who can help with the bicycle shop, cafe and workshop in a variety of roles including shop floor assistants, Barristas, bike mechanics and general assistants. [Contact them now...](#)

Work Club at Elland Children's Centre

FREE support every Monday for families & young people looking for work, training, volunteer opportunities, apprenticeships and more at Elland Children's Centre... [Details...](#)

Latest Jobs

- [Job Opportunities at VAC -_Improving Local Lives](#)
- [School Crossing Patrol – Greetland Academy](#)
- [Administration Assistant – Ravenscliffe High School and Sports College](#)
- [School Cook – Copley Primary School and New Road Primary School Federation](#)
- [Telephonist / Receptionist – West Yorkshire Fire & Rescue](#)
- [Employment support that works for you!](#)
- [Casual Publicity Assistant – Victoria Theatre Marketing Department](#)
- [Cleaning Operative – Halifax Academy](#)
- [Learning Disability Support Worker – Service Care Solutions](#)

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- ★ **Recommend a friend** to get the Friday Flyer
- ★ **Publicise an event** in the Friday Flyer
- ★ **Advertise** your service or community group

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