



LV Friday Flyer – 20 July 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**.

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News

Is Someone Missing Their Friday Flyer?

The new General Data Protection Regulations came into force on **May 25 2018**. It may be that one of your friends or colleagues forgot to re-subscribe and is missing their Friday Flyer but no need to worry. They can easily see the Flyer on the **blog** or subscribe to our mailing list again by clicking to **stay in touch**.

Additional Free Parking Welcomed in Elland

Elland businesses have welcomed additional free parking in the town centre.

From Monday 2 July 2018, free parking will be available in Coronation Street car park, one of Elland's main parking areas, to encourage more people to pop into town – whether it's to have a quick coffee with friends, call into the shops and market, post a parcel or pick up a prescription. The trial was agreed by Calderdale Council's Cabinet on 11 June 2018, to help bring in more shoppers and boost business in the town after concerns were raised by local people.

The Council is looking to develop a longer-term solution to reviving Elland's retail economy through Elland Town Development Board. It continues to work with Elland town centre businesses and other members of the Board to promote the town and encourage people to shop there. This includes creating a new Council-funded 'shop local' guide, circulated earlier this year to showcase the town's great independent business offer.

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

Have Your Say! New Plans for North Bridge Leisure Centre

From **Monday 16 July to Monday 13 August** have your say on plans for the new Halifax leisure centre. A feasibility study concluded that a new combined pool and leisure facility at North Bridge site would provide the most cost effective solution. [Have your say...](#)

Last Chance to Have Your Say on Elland Station Plans!

The consultation between residents and businesses to have their say on plans for the proposed new rail station in Elland ends today! Have your say online about the planned station that will improve connections and provide opportunities for people to park and ride. [Use your voice...](#)

Consultation about Calderdale Young People's Service

Calderdale Young People's Service is reviewing their services and would like hear from young people. To improve the services they provide, they are asking young people to tell of their experiences and make suggestions for improvements in their area. [Take the survey...](#)

Events and what's on

This weekend! Halifax Police Station Open Day

Halifax Police Station will be holding an open day on **Saturday 21 July, 11:00am-3:00pm** at Richmond Close. Along with demonstrations by police and other emergency services there will be dance displays, family entertainment, children's rides and much more. [More...](#)

This weekend! Halifax Pretty Muddy 5k Race for Life 2018

The Halifax Pretty Muddy 5k Race for Life is this year on **Saturday 21 July**. Again it will be at Savile Park, Savile Park Road, Halifax. The entry fees are - **Girls: £10.00, Women: £19.99 and Young Women: £19.99**. [Register now and raise money for Cancer Research UK...](#)

Overgate Hospice – Midnight Walk 2018

Overgate Hospice's annual Midnight Walk, invites supporters to take on a 7 or 13 mile walk starting at, you guessed it, midnight! This year taking place on **Saturday 8 September**, the routes are different each year and remain a secret until the night. [Register now...](#)

Children & Young People

This weekend! Pretty Muddy Race for Kids

Bring the kids to Savile Park in Halifax on **Saturday 21 July, 9:45am** for the Race For Life Pretty Muddy Kids event taking place just before the adult event. It is a muddy course with plenty of obstacles and a mud pit, so the kids can get extra muddy while having fun with friends and helping to raise valuable funds for beating cancer. [Book a place...](#)

This weekend! Eureka! Big Summer Festival

From **Saturday 21 July to Sunday 2 September**, Eureka! Children's Museum will be holding a jam-packed festival of fun throughout the summer holidays. Explore virtual worlds, code an animated creature and interact with a huge digital waterfall. [Find out more...](#)

Storytots – The Tiger Who Came to Tea

There is a Storytots session, suitable for children aged 2-4, inspired by the well-loved book '*The Tiger Who Came to Tea*' by Judith Kerr at Brighthouse Library on **Monday 23 July, 10:30am-11:30am**. You will listen to the story and make your own tiger-themed crafts. You will even get to play the brilliant game, Pin the Tail on the Tiger! [Book your place...](#)

Do Something! in the Summer Holidays

The **Do Something!** guide helps you to plan an action packed holiday with your children in Calderdale. Whether you get out on your bike, stream dip for minibeasts, play games in the pool with Fish-tastic or dig up the past there's lots to explore. [Find an activity now...](#)

FREE Summer Holiday Activities at Orange Box

Orange Box young people's centre will be hosting **FREE** Summer Holiday activities over the school holiday for ages 13 – 19 years. Activities will run from **Wednesday 25 July to Friday 31 August, 2:00pm–4:00pm**, Monday – Friday (excluding August Bank Holiday). [More...](#)

'World Builder' – Summer Workshop with LEGO Bricks

On **Thursday 26 July, 1:00pm-2:30pm**, Bricks4Kidz will be holding a workshop at the Sun Country Inn, Lightcliffe using LEGO bricks. Suitable for children 5+ the "World Builder" workshop fuses the idea of Minecraft, alongside LEGO City and Friends, to allow the children to create buildings, communities, or the natural world around us. [Book a place now...](#)

Phoenix FM Calling for Young People with ASD

Phoenix Radio 96.7fm in Halifax wants to work with young people to create a regular radio show designed by and for young people aged 16-19 with a moderate learning disability or with an Autistic Spectrum Disorder diagnosis. [Get involved...](#)

New Poster for IDENTITY Group for LGBTQ Young People

IDENTITY is proud to announce that the new poster has been created 'in-house' by some of the members of the group. Identity is an LGBTQ group that offers confidential support and advice to all young people aged 12–18 years regarding sexual and gender identity. [More about IDENTITY...](#)

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

Survey on Cancer Recovery Package

Are you a cancer patient who has received treatment in West Yorkshire and Harrogate? West Yorkshire and Harrogate Cancer Alliance is keen to find out patients' experience of being offered any of the different parts of the 'Recovery Package'. [Take part in the survey...](#)

Staying Well Newsletter

The Staying Well Spring Newsletter **has** been published with details of social activities to help you Stay Well and access health and wellbeing related services in the community. [Read it now...](#)

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

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

Volunteer Opportunities

Volunteering, is it for you?

Bored? Need a new challenge? Meet new people – Gain work experience – Increase your confidence. A session at Creations Community Children's Centre on **Tuesday 4 September, 11:30am-1:30pm** will provide you with all the information you need about becoming a volunteer with North Halifax Partnership Sure Start Children's Centres. [Book now...](#)

Volunteering Opportunities with Citizens Advice Calderdale

Do you know of any young people aged 16-18 who may be wondering what to do over the Summer? Citizens Advice Calderdale is offering a range of activities and a chance to improve employment skills whilst making a difference to people living in Calderdale. [Get involved...](#)

Employment and Training

Work Club at Elland Children's Centre

FREE guidance & support with job searching & CV writing for families & young people looking for work, training, volunteering opportunities, apprenticeships or short courses. Held **every Monday – 1:00pm to 3:00pm** at Elland Children's Centre, go along for a cup of tea and a chat or call Elland Children's Centre on **01422 266197** for more information.

Latest Jobs

- [Linden Brook Short Break Respite Care for Children with Disabilities – Open Day](#)
- [Ever thought about a career in childminding?](#)
- [Production Operative – Halifax](#)
- [Cleaner – Halifax](#)
- [Social Action Work Opportunity – Green Future Building](#)
- [Community Programmes Director – Newground](#)
- [Various Vacancies – Halifax Opportunities Trust](#)
- [Sales Administrator, Halifax](#)
- [Scope Starting Line Employment Service for disabled customers](#)
- [Free work support at Beechwood and Mixenden Libraries](#)

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