



LV Friday Flyer – 14 September 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?

With the new General Data Protection Regulations 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**.

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!

Help With Universal Credit from Calderdale Council

Calderdale Council would like to remind people that they can offer support with applying for Universal Credit by visiting **Customer First** offices. The Council can offer support with Digital Skills, Budgeting Skills and advice on Council Tax, Housing and rent arrears. [More...](#)

Get Involved / Have Your Say

Let Us Advertise Your Macmillan Coffee Morning

The World's Biggest Coffee Morning on **Friday 28 September** is Macmillan's biggest fundraising event for people facing cancer. People all over the UK are asked to host their own Coffee Mornings and donations on the day are made to Macmillan. Last year alone over £27 million was raised. Find out more and [host your own...](#)

Norland Moor Management Plan Consultation

Norland Moor is the largest outdoor resource owned by Calderdale Council, and like many natural and semi-natural places is confronted by a number of challenging issues. The 2018-2028 draft management plan explores these concerns, and sets out the management context and the proposed mechanisms for addressing them. This Management Plan is open for consultation from **Wednesday 1 August to Thursday 4 October**. [Find out more about the plan...](#)

Calderdale Corridor Improvement Programmes

Calderdale Council and the West Yorkshire Combined Authority are developing a series of improvements to the road network along the A58 / A672 from Junction 22 of the M62 to King Cross in Halifax and the A646 / A6033 from Todmorden to Skircoat Moor. The consultation ends on **Friday 28 September** and there is one more drop in event at Sowerby Bridge Market on **Saturday 22 September**. [More...](#)

Let us Promote Your 2018 Halloween and Bonfire Events

Are you holding a public Halloween or Bonfire event this year? Let us know and we will advertise it for you. Last year we received thousands of blog views in October and November as people looked for local Halloween and Bonfire Night events. [More...](#)

Events and what's on

***This weekend!* Rock and Roll with the New Dementia Friendly Sowerby Bridge Group**

Dementia Friendly Sowerby Bridge is a newly-formed organisation which will be kicking things off on **Saturday 15 September, 7:00pm** at Sowerby Bridge Working Men's Club at Bolton Brow with *'GT and the Speedways'*, inviting local people to attend for FREE to hear more about what they want to do.

[Details...](#)

Breaking Tradition – QUEST at the Victoria Theatre

The UK's leading folk and hip hop dance company, comes together with award-winning folk powerhouse 'The Demon Barbers' to invite families on an unforgettable adventure on **Friday 21 September, 7:00pm** at the Victoria Theatre. When Kai's sister disappears it's down to him to find her, but should he be looking in the real world? [But where else...](#)

World's Biggest Coffee Morning for Macmillan at All Saints Church

This year, there will be a coffee morning in the **Canon Winter Centre, All Saints Church, Elland** on **Friday 28 September, 10:00am-1:00pm**. More about [Macmillan coffee mornings...](#)

World's Biggest Coffee Morning for Macmillan at Elland Christian Centre

There will be a coffee morning in the **Elland Christian Centre, Newcombe Street, Elland** on **Friday 28 September, 9:00am-6:00pm**. In addition to all donations, all profit from other sales at the Centre Cafe on that day will also be donated to Macmillan. [Find out more...](#)

World's Biggest Coffee Morning for Macmillan With Better Lives at No. 42

This year, there will be a coffee morning at Better Lives @ No 42 Market Street, Halifax (opposite Tesco supermarket) on **Friday 28 September, 10:00am onwards**. For further information call **01422 393276** or email rachelle.gordon@calderdale.gov.uk.

Northowram Gin Festival

Northowram Primary School PTFA is pleased to announce that Northowram will be holding its very own gin festival on **Friday 28 September, 8:00pm-11:30pm** at Northowram Community Centre. Live music will be from 'The Good Citizens' and tickets are available at £10 which includes your first gin and a gin glass for you to keep! [Book now...](#)

Halifax Steampunk Market Comes to Calderdale Industrial Museum

Halifax Steampunk Market will be held **Saturday 29 and Sunday 30 September 2018, 11:00am-5:00pm** at **Calderdale Industrial Museum**. A vintage tearoom will be there selling lovely homemade cake and cuppas. Captain Cumberpatch's Curious Creations will be donating medals including for the Coffee Jousting Beanmaster. [Find out more...](#)

Next Shoppers Lunch at Southgate Methodist Church

The next Shopper's Lunch at Southgate Christian Centre will be on **Friday 5 October, 12:00pm**. Enjoy a meal and a good chat. Meal served at 12 noon at Southgate Christian Centre, Elland. All areas are accessible for people with disabilities. [Find out more...](#)

Brighouse Arts Festival 2018

Brighouse Arts Festival 2018 features a selection of the highest quality cultural events taking place in the centre of Brighouse from **Friday 5 October to Sunday 14 October**. The sixth-annual combined arts festival brings together: Music, Literature, Art, Theatre, Comedy, Film, and an array of cultural talks, workshops and activities. [See what's on...](#)

'Over the Rainbow' at St. Michael's, Lightcliffe

On **Saturday 20 October 2018, 7:30pm** at **St. Matthew's**, Lightcliffe there will be once again be a feast of outstanding music when Royal Northern College of Music graduates, Aidan Edwards and Juliet Montgomery, return to sing '*Over The Rainbow*', an evening of well-known songs from films. [Book now...](#)

Wine and Cheese Evening at Elland Christian Centre

Elland Christian Centre on Newcombe Street is holding a Wine and Cheese evening on **Saturday 10 November, 7:00pm** with a range of wines and cheeses. There will also be a Body Shop stall and a stall selling occasional wear. [Find out more...](#)

Monday Kitchen Lunch Club at St. Andrew's Church

The Lunch Club meets on **Mondays, 11:00am-1:30pm** (except public holidays) at St. Andrew's Methodist Church, Halifax. Coffee and tea are served until mid-day when there is a short 'God-spot'. After this there is a lunch of soup, sandwiches and cakes. [Find out more...](#)

Children & Young People

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

Brews and Grooves – New Informal Dance Class for Over 55s

Brews and Grooves is a new informal dance class that helps to develop balance, mobility and posture. The 8 week course starts on **Tuesday 2 October**, 10:00am-11:30am at Wainwright Hall, Elland. There is time for 45 minutes of dancing followed by a hot drink and a biscuit – and a good chat. [Find out more...](#)

Healthy Minds Exploring Wellness at Brighouse Library

Healthy Minds Calderdale is inviting you to explore your wellness on **Thursday 11 October, 11:00am-1:00pm** at Brighouse Library. It is a chance to explore what wellness means to you using images and collage making and through open discussion. [Book now...](#)

Latest Staying Well Newsletter

The latest Staying Well newsletter has been published with news of Café Culture, Dementia Friendly Rock and Roll evening and the new Daisy Chain Café in Ovenden. Click [here](#) to see the full newsletter.

Drop-in Sessions for Domestic Abuse Support Services

Staying Safe Calderdale offer Drop-in Sessions in Calderdale to offer domestic abuse support. These are currently at **Todmorden Community College**, **Innovations Children's Centre** and **Queen's Road Neighbourhood Centre**. Call **01422 323339** or [check times...](#)

Avoid Investment and Pension Scams

The Financial Conduct Authority (FCA) has some guidance in the ScamSmart section of the website. In conjunction with the recent TV advertising, there is advice and guidance on avoiding scams. Pension scams can be hard to spot. Scammers can be articulate and financially knowledgeable, with credible-looking websites, testimonials and materials that are hard to distinguish from the real thing. [Find out more about avoiding scams..](#)

Shoppers Lunch Returns to Southgate Methodist Church

The Shopper's Lunch has returned after the summer break on **Fridays, 12:00pm**. Where else can you be served a freshly cooked 2 course meal and drink for £4.50 – bargain! Enjoy a meal and a good chat. Meal served at 12 noon at Southgate Christian Centre. [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

Volunteer Opportunities

Volunteer for Forget Me Not Children's Hospice

Forget Me Not Children's Hospice is looking for volunteers to hold a bucket collection at Sainsburys in Sowerby Bridge. Whether you can donate 1 hour or 5 hours, you'll be making a huge difference! You will have all the support you need. [Find out more...](#)

Volunteer for Service Delivery in Victim Support

Victim Support is looking for Service Delivery Volunteers to support people who have been affected by crime within the Bradford and Calderdale areas. The role will involve providing emotional and practical support to people who have been affected by crime by speaking to them over the phone, in their own homes or at other mutually agreed locations. [Find out more...](#)

Funding Opportunities

Funding Opportunities from the Postcode Lottery

A number of different grant opportunities have been made available from the Postcode Lottery. **Community Project Small Grants, grants for local projects which support improve biodiversity and outdoor spaces** and **Community Grants**. [How to apply...](#)

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

- Short-term Temporary Cleaners – Hebden Bridge Beer Festival
- Enablement Team Supervisor – Pennine Magpie
- Social Care Worker – William Henry Smith School
- Projects Administrator – Ovenden and Mixenden Initiative and Staying Well
- Independent Domestic Violence Advisor (IDVA)
- Casual Visitor Services Assistants – Calderdale Libraries
- Cleaner – All Saints Junior and Infants School, Halifax
- Administrator – Halifax
- Right Steps to Work
- Employment support that works for you!
- Scope Starting Line Employment Service for disabled customers

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- ★ **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

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