

# AIRE VALLEY MAG

COMMUNITY NEWS AND LOCAL BUSINESS DIRECTORY

October 2020

DISTRIBUTED FREE TO HOUSEHOLDS AND BUSINESSES  
IN FELL LANE, EXLEY HEAD, LAYCOCK, KEIGHLEY, UTLEY, LONG LEE,  
RIDDLESDEN, & EAST MORTON

[www.airevalleymag.co.uk](http://www.airevalleymag.co.uk)

# OUR SPACIOUS SHOWROOM IS OPEN!

Call for a VIP Appointment to view in comfort and safety.



## Bathroom & Fireplace Centre

Boilers • Fireplaces • Gas • Heating • Plumbing



- BOILER INSTALLATIONS
- BOILER REPAIRS
- CENTRAL HEATING INSTALLATIONS
- LANDLORD GAS SAFETY CHECKS
- GAS SERVICING
- RADIATORS INCLUDING CAST IRON & DESIGNER
- BATHROOMS
- FIRE & FIREPLACE INSTALLATIONS
- GENERAL PLUMBING WORK
- EMERGENCY CALL OUTS



Unit 4 Forward Mills, Goulbourn Street, Keighley BD21 1PG

Call us today for a fast quote or pop into our showroom 01535 663313

[www.dsmlumbingandheating.co.uk](http://www.dsmlumbingandheating.co.uk)



## Residential Letting Specialists

“Letting your House not Letting You Down!”

01535 980060

- Lettings
- Rent Collection
- Property Management
- Energy Performance Certificates
- Buy to Let & Investment Advice
- Landlord & Tenant Insurance

e: [lee@purepropertylettings.co.uk](mailto:lee@purepropertylettings.co.uk) e: [marie@purepropertylettings.co.uk](mailto:marie@purepropertylettings.co.uk)

[www.purepropertylettings.co.uk](http://www.purepropertylettings.co.uk)



*It's our family business to protect your family and your business*

- Burglar alarms
- CCTV
- Access control
- Smart systems
- Police monitoring
- COVID secure

*Book your free quote today*

01535 661197

[www.keybury.co.uk](http://www.keybury.co.uk)

October is here!

Dare we mention the 'C' word? Keighley and Worth Valley Railway have created a whole new magical experience called the Elf Express for Christmas. Be sure to book early to avoid disappointment (p19).

Enjoy autumnal activities out and about including Halloween Archery at Broughton Hall Estate and unique experiences 'Within the Wood' around Stanbury.

The Bronte Parsonage 'Let me in I'm Local' voucher from previous months is still valid but please refer to their website for Covid related instructions on how to book!

We hope you have enjoyed the gardening column written by local horticulturist and author Lee Senior. This month is the last in the series so be sure to glean the most from Lee's gardening tips for the winter.

Have a great October! Liz

Editor Liz Barker



working alongside



We are local manufacturers and installers of 'A' rated energy efficient windows, doors, bi-folds, conservatories, flushed sash windows, solid conservatory roofs and the latest range of high security composite doors. We work alongside our sister company, Cobbydale Construction, to solve all your building requirements from interior home improvements to full extensions and new builds.

**We will beat any genuine like for like quote by 10%**

Call for a free quote: 01535 958183

[www.bingleywindowsandglass.co.uk](http://www.bingleywindowsandglass.co.uk) [admin@bingleywindowsandglass.co.uk](mailto:admin@bingleywindowsandglass.co.uk)  
Unit 3E Aireworth Mills, Aireworth Road, Keighley BD21 4DH (Off Marley Roundabout)

**Please don't put it off any longer**

**Writing a Will gives you peace of mind, ensures your final wishes are carried out and that your loved ones are cared for, even after you're gone.**

**Has the Coronavirus (Covid-19) made you stop and think 'Do I have my affairs in order?'**

With more cases of Covid-19 being diagnosed every day, the country is implementing stricter social distancing measures. This may bring up thoughts about your family and friends and making sure that your affairs are in order if the worst was to happen. This isn't scaremongering, it is just taking stock of the current reality and being pro-active about your life; it is about having some control when other things take place that are out of your control.

**Having a valid Will in place is one of the most important steps you can take.** A valid Will can allow you to set out your wishes including naming who will look after any minor children, who is going to administer your estate and where it goes and even deciding who gets your vinyl record collection!

**What is a Lasting Power of Attorney?**

If you are unable to manage your own affairs, an LPA (Lasting Power of Attorney) enables someone of your choice to do it for you. There are two types of LPA: A Property and Financial Affairs LPA allows your chosen person to handle your bank accounts, investments, bills and property. A Health and Welfare LPA covers decisions about your health and care.

**Why should I have a LPA?**

Health conditions such as Dementia, Parkinson's disease, or a stroke can cause making decisions to become virtually



impossible. If you lose mental capacity without an LPA, it can cost your family time and thousands of pounds to be given permission to handle your affairs. Without an LPA, any joint bank accounts you hold with your partner could become severely restricted. This can be devastating, especially if the joint owner has their income or pension paid into this account, or they use it to pay critical bills such as a mortgage or utility costs.

**What is a Living Trust?**

A Living Trust bypasses the time-consuming process of probate. You can place your assets in a Trust to make sure your beneficiaries receive them at a time that's right for you and for them. You have complete control – you decide on the trustees and what they can and cannot do. A Living Trust can protect your share of assets for your children in the event that your partner should marry or co-habit after you have gone.

Protecting your assets, including your home through Trusts is very important, especially to avoid things like carehome fees eroding your beneficiary's inheritance.

**If you would like to arrange an appointment to discuss your Will or to create a LPA or Living Trust, please contact Peter Raistrick at In Home Wills to confidentially discuss your needs. 0845 056 9049**

**[www.inhomewills.co.uk](http://www.inhomewills.co.uk) (See back cover)**

# IS YOUR CAR WINTER READY?

Use CJ Motors in Keighley to service and MOT your car ready for the winter months.

**CALL: 07807 836482 / 01535 680020**

**GET 10% OFF AT CJ MOTORS**

Please use this advert for 10% off labour costs for car repair or service work until Feb 2021. One discount per customer.

 CJMotors

Dalton Mills, Dalton Lane, Keighley, BD21 4JH



Proud sponsor of Steeton AFC!



# BOLTON ABBEY

THE  
**Welly Walk!**

Open until 1 November

Pre-book now for a fun and mud filled day out!

TO BOOK VISIT  
[boltonabbey.com](http://boltonabbey.com)



**G&M SERVICES** **No job too small**

FOR ALL ELECTRICAL SERVICES  
DOMESTIC & COMMERCIAL

**SPECIALISTS IN CCTV SECURITY**  
GUARANTEED FOR 3 YEARS

Grahame: 07887 790442  
Mark: 07429 354247

**Golden Acorn Roofing**

- Re-Roofs
- Roof Repairs
- Fascias & Soffits
- Guttering
- Leadwork
- Pointing
- Fibre Glass Roofing
- Velux

goldenacornroofing@gmail.com  
www.goldenacornroofing.co.uk  
Call Chris 07732022482.

**KEEP IT LOCAL!**  
Play. Shop. Dine.

**amanda crawshaw**

**Acupuncture & Reflexology**

W: amandacrawshaw.co.uk/home-keighley/  
T: 07927 042200 E: info@amandacrawshaw.co.uk  
Acupuncture & Complementary Healthcare Clinic  
10-12 Russell Street, Keighley, BD 21 2JP

Accountax

- Self Assessment returns
- Partnership returns
- VAT services
- Monthly Bookkeeping
- CT600 Returns

For an affordable accountant in your area

Call Laura on 07582 669144 or email laura.alderson@accountax-kly.co.uk

**Need an Electrician?** **JS Electrical**

**Jonathan Scott**

07732174201

**Oakworth**

js.electrical@outlook.com

**11+ Success**  
One to One Tuition

Qualified & Experienced Private Tutor

Skipton Girls', Ermysted's, North Halifax

**Carol Richmond**  
07775 888307

richmond208@btinternet.com  
Enhanced DBS

**Weekly online Art Classes**  
(with Ruth, an artist & experienced tutor)

Paint, draw & enjoy practical projects.  
Suitable for all levels.

Lessons in groups or one to one.  
Spacious artist studio also available for real time tuition.

Contact Ruth by phone or WhatsApp on 07725 869 711 or email ruth@art-star.co.uk

**Ask Andrina**  
Office Solutions

Sage 50  
VAT Returns  
Cash Flow  
Bank Reconciliations  
Bookkeeping  
Credit Control  
Office Duties

Tel: 07876 345422 Silsden  
Email: andrina@askandrina.co.uk  
Web: www.askandrina.co.uk  
Twitter: @askandrina

**ET ELECTRICAL** DOMESTIC & COMMERCIAL City Guilds NAPIT

- All electrical work undertaken
- Re-wires & sockets
- Showers & consumer units
- Inspection & testing
- Fault finding
- Alarms & CCTV
- Free quotes & expert advice
- All work fully guaranteed

**10% discount mention Aire Valley Mag**

**07971 510 807** etelectrical@yahoo.co.uk

KEIGHLEY & SURROUNDING AREAS

**MB ROOFING**

Local & Reliable, Over 10 Years Experience

Full Roof Replacements, Small Roof Repairs, Joinery, Soffits, Guttering, Sheds, Fencing & Much More

Warranty Available (Job Dependent)

Call Matthew Now & Get A Fast Free Quote  
Tel: 01535 608986 Mob: 07808 158588

**Computer Repairs**

Local Home or Office PC/Tablet Repairs  
Friendly service with over 20 Years experience

- PCs
- Laptops
- Macs
- Tablets
- Mobiles
- TV/DVD/Audio
- Broadband
- Security
- Responsive Web Design & Hosting

Call Damian or visit [cyberwink.co.uk](http://cyberwink.co.uk)  
**01535 654168 | 07946 596429**

**Adele's Ironing & Cleaning Services**

**£20 for 35 items**

Telephone: **01535- 646653**  
Mobile: 07837 452604

**Free Collection & Delivery**

**PROPER LOGS**  
Kiln Dried Hardwood Logs

Large dumpy bags (Nets available)  
Delivery at your convenience  
www.properlogs.com

**FREE DELIVERY 07468 431 978**

**AnchorLogs™**  
LOVE YOUR FIRE

KILN DRIED HARDWOOD LOGS | KINDLING  
LOG STORES | ORNAMENTAL BARK

Tel: 01756 748342

Mobile: 07977 011215 or 07801 595333  
Email: hello@anchorlogs.co.uk  
Web: [www.anchorlogs.co.uk](http://www.anchorlogs.co.uk) (order and pay online)

bsl woodsure READY TO BURN

**Broomhill Roofing**

Firestone Rubber Membrane Flat Roofing Systems  
20 year Guarantee

New Slate & Tiled Roofs, Roof Repairs, Fascia's, Guttering & Velux Windows

Telephone to arrange a free no obligation survey & quote  
Tel: 01535 628821 [www.broomhillroofing.com](http://www.broomhillroofing.com)

Firestone Rubber Membrane Cheekatrade

# Sudoku

	4		9					
6			7	3				5
	3				8		4	6
		8	9				6	
5								9
	9			7	3			
1	6		5				9	
	2			8	6			4
			1			7		

			8	4	5	6	7	
				5				
					1		3	
	8			7	6	4		
4	7	8	3	6	9		5	
	9	1	5		7			
3	9							
			7					
1	7	4	6	5				

9		1	6				3	4
				1				
8			3		2		1	
		3					5	
	9		5			7		
	2				1			
1		2		4				6
			2					
4	8				6	7		3

2	3			1				4
1		8			4		5	6
			3					
		3					2	
	9		7		5			
	6				7			
				2				
9	2		4			6		1
8				6			3	2

To solve a sudoku puzzle, each row of nine squares must contain the numbers 1 through 9. Each column must also contain the numbers 1 through 9, and each box must contain the numbers 1 through 9.

To advertise call Karen or Liz on 01535 642227

## Where in the Aire Valley? COMPETITION

Where is the red x located in the photo to the right?

This month's prize is donated by Sonia's Smile in Haworth £10 Voucher

Email your answer including your name & address to: mail@worthvalleymag.co.uk

The winner will be selected from all correct answers received by 20th October 2020..



Last month's location was Ingrow Station. And the winner was Barbara Dale from Silsden. @Google Earth

**Bob Beattie**  
**PVCU FENSA**  
 Registered Company  
*from a single window to a complete house*  
**REPLACEMENT WINDOWS & DOORS, FASCIAS, SOFFITS, GUTTERS**  
 Tel: 01535 646761  
 Mob: 07973 846825  
**PVCU REPAIR SPECIALIST**

**A. R. CARLING** Est. 1996  
**Plumbing & Heating Services**  
**Haworth**  
 With over 20 years experience  
**REPAIRS \* SERVICING \* INSTALLATIONS**  
 Central heating specialist \* Gas appliances  
 Unvented systems \* Power flushing Landlords  
 gas safety certificates  
 All general plumbing & heating work  
 Worcester Approved Installer  
**Tel: 01274 409789**  
**07900 941760**

Don't lose those precious moments!  
**VHS to DVD Conversion**  
  
 Photo slideshows  
 Audio tape to CD/MP3  
 DVD to MP4  
**Tel: 07944 023 597**  
 email: jlorrimer@icloud.com

**NEED A PLUMBER??**  
**CALL SEAN MIDDLETON**  
 For all your general plumbing needs  
 ▶ Tiling ◀  
 ▶ Bathroom Installations ◀  
 ▶ Local reliable business ◀  
 ▶ Friendly & Professional ◀  
**07854 591 960**  
 Midsplumb@hotmail.co.uk

October 2020

**Golden Autumnal Hues** by Lee Senior

Autumn arrives in our gardens this month and with it comes one of nature's finest displays. Very little in nature can beat this grand finale of stunning, fiery leaf colour just before the trees shed their foliage for winter.

The fallen, spent leaves are great for making leaf mould too. This very useful soil improver is created by simply gathering fallen deciduous leaves and leaving them for a year to rot down. They can be put in bags or simply left out in the open. Don't be tempted to add the leaves to a compost bin as they rot down much slower than normal garden material.

The so-called dormant period between now and the end of March is the ideal time to plant bare-rooted trees or fruit bushes. The advantage of trees in containers is they can be planted all year round. If you are ordering by mail



order it is important to unpack the trees straight away as they will have very little fibrous root. Give them a good soak before planting them in their final positions. Overwintered Onion sets and garlic can be planted this month. Garlic enjoys rather cold winter weather and the longer growing season given by Autumn planting. October and November are the busiest months of the year for bulb planting. No matter what the size of your garden there is a vast choice of both dwarf and larger daffodil varieties. Dwarf types will even grow in a deep window box, along with a smattering of crocus and snowdrops.

Indoors, specially prepared or 'forced' hyacinth bulbs can be planted now in a bowl for flowering in December. The heady scents of these fine bulbs are sure to brighten any room during the darker months.

The 'forced' bulbs have been heat treated to flower earlier than garden hyacinths which flower outdoors in April. To get a good root system it is a good idea to let the bulbs spend the first couple of weeks in the dark. Once roots form, they need a cool, well- light room or a frost-free unheated greenhouse. After

flowering the bulbs can be planted out in the garden and should flower outdoors in future years.

Finally, why not plant out a few winter bedding plants in key areas. Favourites such as polyanthus, primroses and

winter flowering pansies will not fail to disappoint. They will flower throughout the milder spells of winter and early next spring. Something we can all look forward to!

Lee Senior is a horticultural consultant. Lee is also an RHS Regional judge and 'Yorkshire In Bloom' specialist. Lee has written the local walking book 'Walking in the Aire' which is available to purchase via Facebook.

Email Lee at: [allotmentsguru@gmail.com](mailto:allotmentsguru@gmail.com)  
or for more information his website is:  
<https://allotmentsandgreenspaces.wordpress.com/>

# Worth Valley Fencing

Fencing manufacturers & suppliers

- Palin Panels
- Overlap Panels
- Feather Edge
- Decking
- Bespoke Panels
- Met Posts

Full fitting service available

**Tel: 01535 665040**

**email: [newfabs@btconnect.com](mailto:newfabs@btconnect.com)**

**Unit 3, Crown Works, Worth Way, Keighley BD21 5LR**

## S.A.S LANDSCAPE & GARDENING SERVICES



Fencing, Flagging,  
Decking, Turfing,  
Grass & Hedge  
Cutting, Weeding  
& General Tidy-ups.

**07766 564676**

[stevesmith31@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:stevesmith31@tiscali.co.uk)



SPECIALISING IN ALL ASPECTS OF GROUNDWORKS & LANDSCAPING

### SPECIALISTS IN RESIN DRIVEWAYS

- LANDSCAPING •
- TARMAC •
- DRIVEWAYS •
- BLOCK PAVING •
- FLAGGING •
- ARTIFICIAL GRASS •
- PATIO'S •
- TURFING •
- FENCING •
- DRAINAGE •

### FULL GARDEN REDESIGNS



CALL TODAY FOR A FRIENDLY, NO OBLIGATION QUOTE

T. 01274 710521 - M. 07521 303679 - E. [mullen96@sjgresin.co.uk](mailto:mullen96@sjgresin.co.uk)



**07775503195**

[worthvalleytrees@gmail.com](mailto:worthvalleytrees@gmail.com)

All aspects of tree work undertaken

**GAROLLA**  
**ROLLER SHUTTER DOORS**

Great For:  
 Space Saving  
 Kerb Appeal  
 Ease of Use  
 0800 468 1982

**THERMALLY INSULATED ELECTRIC GARAGE DOORS**

CE Approved

Acoustic & Thermal Insulation

Brush Sealed Rails

Pay on Completion

Two Remote Controls

18 Colours Available

Free Disposal of your Old Door!

Garolla can save a lot of space inside your garage. Rolls up vertically into a box. Takes only 8 inches of headroom! Opens vertically so you can park up close to the door. Remotely open/close the garage even from inside your car.

LIMITED OFFER - was £1354  
**NOW ONLY £895**  
 INC. VAT & FULL FITTING  
 MADE TO MEASURE, CALL US TODAY

Save £459

01274 456 025  
 Phone Lines Open 7 Days a Week  
 07537 149 128

- Offer valid for openings up to 2.6m wide & inc. 2 Remote Keys, 55mm White slats, Internal manual Override -

# OPEN HOUSE

## "We're sold on service"

In a world where everything seems to be changing at breakneck speed, it is reassuring to be in safe hands. Local man, Martin Kounnas, is an experienced realtor with 15 years in the buying, selling and letting space. He formerly owned and operated a major traditional highstreet estate agency office in town. "I am very familiar with the way the industry works and what pitfalls, drawbacks, and loopholes can trip up unsuspecting buyers and sellers." Your home is one of the largest financial commitments you will ever make; having a trusted support team is beneficial to getting ahead and making sound

decisions for your future. "The internet is a fantastic tool and online services have created a whole new way to work. But there is still great value in using a seasoned agent to help navigate the way," Martin asserts. His new franchise, Open House, a hybrid agency, enables clients to get the best of both worlds. Traditional service and support like a high street estate agency, with additional bells and whistles that include tech solutions and a more modern approach, unlock real savings for clients. Open House is easy to access online and includes a no obligation online valuation tool for prospective sellers.

[info@OpenHouseKeighley.co.uk](mailto:info@OpenHouseKeighley.co.uk)

**Open House**  
 local agent internet prices

Here are just a few things you will get from Open House Keighley

- A personal one-to-one estate agency service from your local property expert
- Online exposure of your property through the biggest property websites including Rightmove, Zoopla, Prime Location and over 20 others
- For Sale boards
- 3D Models and virtual tours available
- Accompanied viewings & prompt feedback
- Regular up dates once sale agreed
- Sell your home from just £895

**sold**  
 subject to contract  
 01535 289 123  
[www.OpenHouseKeighley.co.uk](http://www.OpenHouseKeighley.co.uk)

We also do LETTINGS!  
 We offer Tenant Find & Fully Managed

**It's not just our boards that are eyecatching**

Call now on : 01535 289 123  
 email: [info@OpenHouseKeighley.co.uk](mailto:info@OpenHouseKeighley.co.uk)  
[www.OpenHouseKeighley.co.uk](http://www.OpenHouseKeighley.co.uk)



@openhousekeighley

For buyers, properties can be viewed remotely featuring 3D Tours and high definition virtual walk-through experiences.

If you want a more personal experience, rather than heading to a high street office for a meeting, the Open House mobile office can come to you! With Covid-19 protocols to keep you safe, a socially distanced meeting can be arranged and you can even be escorted to a number of properties to view them safely and then discuss them in more detail in the mobile unit on site with a virtual 3 D walk through.



Martin & Tom Kounnas

"It is a real privilege to have my son, Tom, join me at Open House as an approved Apprentice Trainee Manger. His enthusiasm is helping us shape a new way forward," Martin adds. "Ultimately, it comes down to relationships and looking after people. We care about our community and want to be able to add value. We think we can do that with Open House." Look out for the mobile office on wheels and contact MARTIN or TOM if you want to learn more about Open House .

**01535 289 123**

[www.OpenHouseKeighley.co.uk](http://www.OpenHouseKeighley.co.uk)

## Riddlesden Rugby League

Rugby's great split of 1895 saw many professional Yorkshire and Lancashire teams break away from the Rugby Union and form their own competition, the Northern Union – which is now known as Rugby League.

The professional Keighley club didn't make the switch until 1900. However, several local teams had already done so, one year earlier, and these teams included the long, gone Riddlesden club.

Formed prior to 1895-96 season, Riddlesden joined the Bradford-based Horton & District League for the 1896-97 season, and played in the Keighley League the following season, followed by a two

season spell. in the Bradford & District League between 1898-1900, the second season in which they, along with the rest of the league, moved en-masse to the Northern Union. With the top teams in the

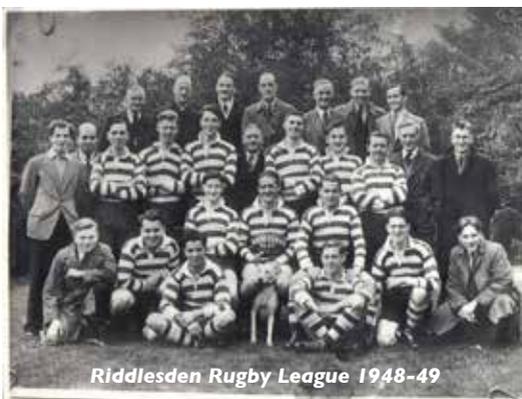
county having done so due to a power struggle with the Rugby Union which was based in London (which included payments for broken-time), the smaller, junior clubs

such as Riddlesden felt that they had little choice but to make that jump as well, in order not to miss out on possible prestigious fixtures against higher class teams. However, such benefits never came Riddlesden's way as the club did not survive

beyond 1900, folding due a lack of players. A new, reformed club appeared for the 1948-49 season, playing on the fields which are now part of the St. Marys school site at the end of Grange Road.

The team play its fixtures in the Bradford / Keighley League between 1948-53, and from 1953-55 in an independent Keighley & District League before once again folding up. Riddlesden's one major success came in the Keighley Cup final during the 1950-51 season, when Keighley Albion were defeated 9-7 in a tight

final. One year later, Riddlesden won through to their second successive final at Lawkholme Lane, but went down 25-6 to Silsden in the deciding tie. ~ Rob Grillo



Riddlesden Rugby League 1948-49



Riddlesden Rugby League 1950-51

To advertise call Karen or Liz on 01535 642227

## Promoting Wellbeing through nature



[withinthewooduk@gmail.com](mailto:withinthewooduk@gmail.com) [www.withinthewood.co.uk](http://www.withinthewood.co.uk)



Unique woodland parties  
Forest School \* Special events  
Individual or group bookings

COVID 19 Safe practices /risk assessed  
DBS checked, First Aid trained, Fully insured

Contact Joe Drury 07508 181 406   @withinthewooduk



# WELCOME BACK TO THE BRONTË PARSONAGE MUSEUM

We were delighted to throw open the doors of the Parsonage once more on Friday 28 August and welcome back our first visitors. Being able to do so was the result of weeks of intensive work: poring over Government guidelines and risk assessments; commissioning and installing protective screens, hand sanitising stations and new signage; implementing online booking and timed ticketing and then sharing all of this with our staff and volunteers through a series of training days.

So what can you expect when you visit? Some things have changed, but other things, such as a warm welcome and informative and inspiring displays, haven't. **The biggest change is that admission is now by pre-booked timed ticket only – even for those who live nearby!**

Those of you familiar with the Museum will know that it is an intimate, historic building with our collections displayed in a number of small rooms. It's therefore very important that we control numbers and facilitate social distancing. Our online booking system also supports the NHS Test and Trace service by collecting the names and details of visitors. Booking is via the Visit Us page of our website. You will be directed to Art Tickets and will be asked to select a date and time and type of ticket. **If you still have a Aire Valley Mag 'Let me in, I'm local!' voucher to redeem,**



Photo by John Sargent

**you will find these in the Free and Promotional Tickets list.** Your ticket is then emailed to you and you can print it out before your visit or download it to a mobile device.

Our staff are all wearing visors or facemasks and visitors are also required to wear face coverings. We have set up a one-way route through the museum and surfaces are cleaned at regular intervals during the day.

The museum shop is open when the Museum is and screens have been installed at the cash desk and in the shop. Contactless payments are preferred, but we will accept cash where this is not possible.

Sarah Goodenough was one of our first visitors of our reopening weekend and shared this with us: "It was so good to be back at the Museum. I felt very welcomed and safe and the museum staff did a wonderful job of making me feel at ease. I felt like I had the Parsonage to myself due to the small groups allowed in at allocated times. Thank you to everyone involved for making the experience truly great despite such difficult times."

So whether you have been many times or have never quite got round to visiting the jewel on your doorstep, we hope Sarah's words will inspire you to come and see us when the time is right for you. We look forward to giving you a warm, but safe welcome. ~ Rebecca Yorke, Brontë Parsonage



## Welcome back to the Brontë Parsonage Museum!

Open 10am to 5pm Wednesday to Sunday from Friday 4 September.  
Entry by pre-booked ticket only. Please visit [www.bronte.org.uk/visit-us](http://www.bronte.org.uk/visit-us).  
We look forward to seeing you soon.

Brontë Parsonage  
MUSEUM

Haworth, Keighley, West Yorkshire BD22 8DR  
01535 642323 [www.bronte.org.uk](http://www.bronte.org.uk)  
Reg Charity: 529952 Reg Company: 73855



## Halloween Archery

Help us stop the Zombie Invasion  
at Broughton Hall Estate

2 hr family archery sessions  
22th Oct - 1st Nov

5 yrs + £17.50 per person

Book online at

[www.myexpeditionrocks.com](http://www.myexpeditionrocks.com)

# All aboard the Elf Express!



When we closed the shed doors in mid-March, we weren't sure that we would be able to reopen them before 2021, so it gives me great pleasure to announce that it's time for me to wish you a very **Merry Christmas!** We started running trains in mid-August and continue to evolve the service as the rules and guidance changes, so we have been releasing blocks of tickets to allow us to be flexible, but we are now nearly ready to open the bookings for our Christmas Specials, this year called the "Elf Express". Yes, they will be different to previous years, but we have worked very hard to ensure that they do not lose their special magic festive sparkle that so many of us have enjoyed over many decades. Tickets can be booked on the railway's website, and please do book soon to avoid disappointment. Like our regular services, we are selling

tickets for seats in carriages with compartments to maintain social distancing, and we must ensure that we comply with the latest regulations, so you will find the ticket options a little different to previous years as a result. Whilst we are thinking about Christmas, we continue to maintain the Railway and the fleet, and it was great to see the steam crane in operation in Haworth Yard earlier in

September lifting back onto the frames the boiler of a Lancashire & Yorkshire Railway steam locomotive that dates back to 1887. If you have passed the Yard recently, then you might have seen the wheels of the locomotive painted a very fine shade of green, and perhaps recognised it as the locomotive that featured in **'The Railway Children'** film as the **"Green Dragon"**. It is 50 years this year since the filming at Oakworth station and Mytholmes, but



sadly we had to cancel the planned anniversary celebrations, and so are looking forward to marking the half-century next year. It continues to be a very challenging time for the Railway, and we are very grateful to so many of you that have helped either by donating to the on-going appeal and/or by joining us on board since we recommenced services.

- Matt Stroh Chairman KWVR

WORTH VALLEY

TICKETS ON SALE NOW

The **ELF** Express

OUR BRAND NEW CHRISTMAS ADVENTURE IS COMING TO THE KEIGHLEY & WORTH VALLEY RAILWAY.

Board The Elf Express, and prepare to be amazed on a magical journey! Festive fun awaits on your ride to Kringle Town Station to meet Santa and his friends in your own private compartment. Be mesmerised as you pass through an enchanting tunnel of lights, there'll be singing, laughter, and goodies galore!

Special Christmas family memories are waiting for you, **BOOK NOW!**  
Dates: 28-29 November 5-6, 12-13, 19-24 December

JOIN US FOR A *magical* JOURNEY

For full information on our new Christmas event at KWVR head to our website: [KWVR.CO.UK](http://KWVR.CO.UK)

f t i y

**Adrian King JOINER**  
 Garden Joinery ■ Decking ■ Sheds ■ Fences  
 Property Repairs ■ Internal Joinery ■ Doors  
**Garden Furniture repaired & restored**  
 No Job too Small  
 01535 500699 ■ 07905 517782

**KINGFISHER**   
*Build & Design*  
 New Builds, Extensions & Conversions  
 Property Maintenance & Repairs  
*Over 30yrs experience*  
*NO JOB TOO BIG OR SMALL*  
 Call for a FREE quote: **07504 093703**  
**01535 431508**

**Digi-Man Aerials**   
 Digital Aerials & Satellites  
 Fully Qualified Installer of  
**Freeview**  **freesat**   
**OAP DISCOUNT**  
**ALL WORK GUARANTEED**  
**LOCAL MAN**  
 ALL satellite & aerial problems solved!  
 For a FREE Quote & Advice Call Digi-Man Aerials  
 Mention this magazine & Get 10% Off  
 Friendly Professional service  
 Freephone: 0800 0377011  
**call now 01535 646141**

Ref: 035  
**Local 24 Hour Locksmith**  
 No Call Out Charge - 1 Hour Response  
**POLICE APPROVED ALL WORK GUARANTEED**  
 UPVc Specialists • Burglary Repairs  
 All Locks Supplied & Fitted  
 Car Opening • Family Run Business  
  
**Call Craig on:**  
**01535 628313**  
**07868 786966**

  
**NICHOLSON**  
 Plumbing, Gas Central Heating & Repairs  
  
  
 Call Rye Bailey  
**01535 523747** or  
**07392 616 290**

  
**SAN** Free Quotations  
 23 years exp.  
**Plumbing & Heating**  
 ✓ Boiler installations  
 ✓ Bathrooms and tiling  
 ✓ All plumbing work undertaken  
**07983 246571** 

**Peter Garrad**  
 Quality Painter & Decorator  
 • Domestic & Commercial  
 • Free Estimates  
 • Competitive Rates  
 Find us on Facebook  
 Ring: Peter on **07710 297058**  
 or on: **01535 210 165**  
 petergarradpainteranddecorator@garrad.org 

**Steel's of Addingham**  
 EST. SINCE 1940  
 STILL FAMILY OWNED & OPERATED.  
 TRAVEL SAFELY IN COMFORT AND STYLE WITH OUR MODERN FLEET OF COACHES.  
  
 12 up to 75 seat coaches available for private hire, corporate & group travel. Ideal for weddings, Airport, School Groups, Special Occasions.  
**2020 Tours**  
**October** Scottish Autumn Tints  
**November** Winter Warmer Weekend - Country & Coast Cracker  
**December** Cumbrian Christmas  
**2021 Tours Out Soon...**  
 Local en-route pickups within 20 miles of Addingham  
**TEL: (01943) 830206 / 830720**  
 www.steelscoaches.co.uk info@steelscoaches.co.uk

**sudoku solutions**

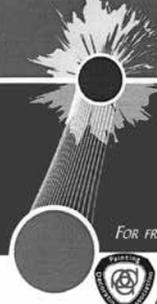
2	4	5	6	9	1	7	3	8
6	8	9	7	3	4	2	5	1
7	3	1	2	5	8	9	4	6
3	1	8	9	2	5	4	6	7
5	7	6	8	4	3	1	2	9
4	9	2	1	6	7	3	8	5
1	6	4	5	7	2	8	9	3
9	2	7	3	8	6	5	1	4
8	5	3	4	1	9	6	7	2

9	1	2	3	8	4	5	6	7
8	6	3	1	7	5	2	9	4
7	4	5	2	6	9	1	8	3
5	3	8	9	1	7	6	4	2
4	2	7	8	3	6	9	1	5
6	9	1	5	4	2	7	3	8
3	5	9	4	2	1	8	7	6
2	8	6	7	9	3	4	5	1
1	7	4	6	5	8	3	2	9

9	5	1	6	2	7	8	3	4
2	3	6	4	8	1	5	9	7
8	4	7	5	3	9	2	6	1
7	1	3	8	9	4	6	5	2
6	9	4	1	5	2	3	7	8
5	2	8	7	6	3	1	4	9
1	7	2	3	4	5	9	8	6
3	6	9	2	7	8	4	1	5
4	8	5	9	1	6	7	2	3

2	3	5	6	1	7	8	9	4
1	7	8	9	2	4	3	5	6
6	9	4	3	5	8	2	1	7
7	8	3	5	4	6	1	2	9
4	1	9	2	7	3	5	6	8
5	6	2	8	9	1	7	4	3
3	4	6	1	8	2	9	7	5
9	2	7	4	3	5	6	8	1
8	5	1	7	6	9	4	3	2

**I.L.R Aerials**  
 Digital Aerials & Freesat Systems Supplied and Fitted  
  
**Freeview**  
 For Prompt Reliable Service Guaranteed  
**07916 144709**

**R.P. DECORATING**  
 All Aspects of Decorating  
 Interior & Exterior  
 Domestic & Commercial  
 City & Guilds Qualified  
 Over 20 Years Experience  
 FOR FREE PROFESSIONAL ADVICE AND QUOTATIONS CALL  
  
 T: 01535 642 864 M: 07989 560 206  
 MEMBER OF THE PAINTING & DECORATING ASSN.

**Red Dog Pest Control**  
 Moles Wasps Rats Mice Ants ...etc!  
 Fully qualified & Insured based in Keighley.  
 Book with 24 hour call outs  
**07805 371 101**  
 @reddogpestcontrol  
 RDPestcontrol@hotmail.com 

**Andy Beattie**  
**PAINTER & DECORATOR**  
 Quality Interior & Exterior work  
 Competitive Rates  
 Prompt & Efficient Service  
**01535 681292**  
**m: 07817 132784**

# BUSINESS DIRECTORY Local Services

## Accountancy/ Business Services

Accountax p6  
Ask Andrina 61

## Acupuncture & Reflexology

Amanda Crawshaw p7

## Aerials/Audio/TV

Digi Man p21  
ILR p21

## Attractions/Community/ Courses/Events

Botlon Abbey p5  
Bronte Parsonage p16/17  
KWVR p18/19  
My Expedition Rocks p17  
Within The Woods p15

## Building Services/Repairs

Adrian King p20  
Broomhill Roofing p7  
Kingfisher Build & Design p13  
MB Roofing p7  
Golden Acorn Roofing p6  
SJG p11  
Yorkshire Loft Ladders p23

## Care/Cleaning / Domestic

Adele's Ironing p6

## Cars

CJ Motors p5

## Computer/Web Related

Computer Repairs p7

## Electrician

ET Electrical p6  
G & M p6  
JS Electrical p6

## Fencing

Worth Valley Fencing p11

## Fire & Security

G & M p6  
Keybury p3

## Fuel /Heating

Anchor Logs p7  
Nicholson Heating p20  
Proper Logs p6

## Garage Doors

Garolla p12

## Gardening/Trees

SAS Landscape & Gardening p11  
Worth Valley Trees p11

## Holidays

Steels p20

## Kitchens

Queensbury Kitchens p24

## Locksmiths

In House Securities p21

## Loft Conversions

Yorkshire Loft Ladders p23

## Painting & Decorating

Andy Beattie p21  
Peter Garrad p21  
RP Decorating p21

## Pest Control

Red Dog p21

## Plumbing

AR Carling p9  
DSM p2  
Nicholson Heating p20  
SAN Plumbing & Heating p20  
Sean Middleton p9

## Property Related

Open House p12/13  
Pure p2

## Resin Driveways

SJG p11

## Retail

DSM Bathroom & Fireplace Centre p2  
Queensbury Kitchens, Bedrooms & Bathrooms p24

## Roofing

Broomhill Roofing p7  
Golden Acorn p6  
MB Roofing p7

## Tuition

11+ Success p7  
Art Classes p7

## Wills

In Home Wills p4 & p24

## Windows

Bingley Windows p3  
Bob Beattie p9

Here's a great way  
to make more  
storage space...

Install a loft ladder  
and make more use  
of your loft!

Loft ladder, Light & Switch plus 50 sqft of  
flooring from as little as £277 +VAT which  
includes FREE fitting in less than a day.

Our customers choose us to fit their loft ladders,  
because we offer:

- A FREE home visit
- Fully guaranteed
- A FREE written quotation
- A large selection of ladders

Call now! Freephone 0800 612 8359  
[www.yorkshireloftladders.co.uk](http://www.yorkshireloftladders.co.uk)



YORKSHIRE  
LOFT LADDERS

## Yorkshire Loft Ladders, Quality You Can Trust

These days most homeowners suffer from a lack of storage space. So many precious items that need to be kept - but where to store it all? That's where Yorkshire Loft Ladders come in. The company, based locally, offers homeowners the opportunity to maximise their storage space with a loft ladder, 50 sq ft of boarding and a light all fully fitted in less than a day from just £277 + VAT. But it's not just the affordability of the package the company offers that makes Yorkshire Loft Ladders stand out as manager Mark Hodson explains: 'Our watchwords are Quality, Integrity and Value. Quality in the materials that we use for all our installations and the fact that all our loft packages are fitted by time served tradesman so our customers are assured of the best job. Integrity in that we will turn up at the time we say and make sure the house is spotless when we leave, and Value in that we offer our services at a price people can afford. Our business relies on referrals and we get a huge

amount of our calls from people who have been referred to us by our existing customers - that simply wouldn't happen if we didn't adhere to our overriding principles.

At the end of the day the old adage that happy customers lead to more happy customers is true and we work hard to make that happen for every installation we carry out!

So, if you want to make use of your loft space, however big or small, call Warren on 0800 612 8359 and he'll be happy to pop round and give you a no obligation quote so you too can make use of your loft.



Would you like to advertise your products  
or services in this magazine? Contact Jo or Liz:  
01535 642227 [mail@worthvalleymag.co.uk](mailto:mail@worthvalleymag.co.uk)





**In Home Wills**  
 Will writing specialists  
 Will writers and estate planners



**Don't delay make your Will today in the comfort of your own home starting from as little as £99.95**



**SPECIAL OFFER**  
 Lasting Powers of Attorney  
 £295.95 or 2 for £499.95

- Covid-19 safe: Instructions can be taken by video call or safe distanced home visits
- **FREE Safe Hands Funeral Plan** with every consultation

**Receive a FREE WILL with every Lasting Power of Attorney**

**For more information call Peter on 0845 056 9049** Locally based.  
 email: [info@inhomewills.co.uk](mailto:info@inhomewills.co.uk) • [www.inhomewills.co.uk](http://www.inhomewills.co.uk)  
 (appointments made at your convenience including Evenings and Weekends).

In Home Wills is a member of The Society of Will Writers and Estate Planning Practitioners. Specialists in all types of Wills, Trusts & Probate.



Complimentary design consultation

**QUALITY KITCHENS, BEDROOMS AND BATHROOMS**

We will beat any genuine quote



Fully fitted or supply only

**Queensbury Kitchens**  
 Trading since 1992

18A Black Dyke Mills, Brighouse Rd, Queensbury, BD13 1QA • 01274 882349 • [info@queensburykitchens.com](mailto:info@queensburykitchens.com)

Front cover photo by John Sargent @jackharrybill