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Enjoy your Haworth Festival programme inside this month's Worth Valley Mag. The Festival has been re-branded and benefits from a fresh new look!

Ripples and waves of enthusiasm are building in preparation for welcoming thousands of visitors to the district for the Tour de France Grand Depart. It is our stunning landscape and creative community that are drawing the attention of the world's media. Read more about local preparations, Fields of Vision landart, exhibitions, and community happenings in the pages that follow. We hope the joy of the occasion will be the main thing you will

remember about this famous race passing our doors. Look out for our special 'Worth The Tour' souvenir publication produced in partnership with Crux Comunications and available locally to celebrate the Grand Depart. Allez Allez!

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While driving home along Shaw Lane, Oxenhope, one evening I couldn't help but notice a lady standing on the roadside photographing the now familiar 'Hollywood' sign.

Once a journalist, always a journalist - so I pulled over to have a chat.

"I'm taking pictures of all of them - every time the message changes," she explained.

I pointed out that the salutation was just in the process of being dismantled, with only 'Love' the first word of 'Love Life' left standing. It was waiting to be replaced with something new.

"Oh I know that." she said with a smile. "I'm sending this one to someone I love."

Gerry Crookes, Worth the Tour

As part of my Spread the Love project I will be planting lots of tiny ceramic hearts around this circular 5.5 mile off-road route (mapped by Pathways Pete). Meet at the church steps at the

top of Main st in Haworth...and we will have a lovely social run...searching for hearts and spreading the love as we go. Jane Sedowick

24th June 6:30pm St Michael & All Angels Church



OFFICIAL TOUR DE FRANCE GRAND DÉPART SPECTATOR HUB



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#### Christian Aid Week 2014

by Chris Upton, West Lane Baptist Church

Allow me to comment on two separate but related reflections on growth and change.

Over the last 13 years my front hedge has grown and grown, and every year I have trimmed and tidied it up. Gradually it has crept forward and made visibility worse and worse for those driving into and out of the church. A few weeks ago I butchered it good and proper taking nearly a foot off the width, leaving it gaunt and skeletal and I can see straight through it. I hope it will grow into its new shape... time will tell.

For the first time in my memory the Churches Together group did not take up a house-to-house collection for Christian Aid week. This meant that:

There was no phoning around trying to get collectors.

There were no miserable evenings spent door knocking in the rain and no embarrassed fumblings in purses for a few coppers just to show willing.

There were no buttons, euros, paperclips and fresh air found inside little red collection envelopes!

If that were the whole story one might be forgiven in thinking that Christian Aid week had failed, but as you know from last months Worth Valley Mag the



Churches Together group took a very different approach this year, and I am delighted to write that it was a great success. Donations of sellable goods came in thick and fast, and a shop from which to sell them was found.

A mighty 'hats off' and thank you to Rita from Sonia's Smile for allowing us to use her shop for the week. We raised £1721! £1200 more than last year... Thank you to everyone that brought stuff in and helped in the shop.

I am firmly convinced that the unconditional love of God can strengthen, enliven and nourish everything we do. As someone committed to the local church and community I have to respond to the changing needs and circumstances that arise. Doing things differently is scary and might be viewed as failure, but repeating the same pattern as before with increasingly diminishing returns is foolish. What might need to be changed in your life to enable something better to grow?





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#### Walk from Cliffe Castle to East Riddlesden Hall

This walk takes approximately 1 hour and starts in Cliffe Castle car park. Pass through the small entrance in the corner and follow the glass houses around to the archway beneath Tower House.

#### **Tower House**



Tower House was a gatehouse. It was connected to the main house by glasshouses. Cliffe Castle Park Café is now located next to Tower House.

Don't go through the archway but continue to walk down hill. On your left you will see Cliffe

Castle Play Area. On your right you will see Cliffe Castle Museum. Head towards the Museum.

#### Cliffe Castle Museum



Cliffe Hall, as it was then called, was built by lawyer Christopher Netherwood in 1833. In 1848 it became the home of the mill owning Butterfield family. It has been a museum since 1959.

When you reach the portico entrance to the Museum stay on the driveway with the castellated wall on your right until you reach one of the Park's smaller entrances. Turn left and pass the band stand

#### **Bandstand**



In 1960 concerts were held in the Park every Sunday at 3 p.m. and 7.15 pm. The present bandstand was built in 1962 and is still a popular venue for concerts in the summer months.

Stay on this path for the entire length of the Park and pass through the gateway onto busy Skipton Road.

#### Castle Walls /Skipton Road.

The walls that give the grounds a castle like appearance were built in 1878. Skipton Road was built in 1825. Trams would have once run along it.

A pelican crossing to the right of the gateway makes crossing the road easier. After crossing the road continue right then turn left down Pattie Street. Next turn left along Arctic Street. After passing the children's play area turn right down Royd Lane and go under the railway bridge.

#### Keighley Railway.

The railway first came to Keighley on March 16th 1847. In September 1847 the line was extended to Skipton.

After the railway bridge you will see the new cycle path on the right. Walk along the path through the woodland. This will take you under the Aire Valley Trunk Road (A629) and into Royd Ings Avenue.

A public footpath sign directs you to an easily missed footpath that runs beside the entrance to the recycling centre on your left. A yellow arrow points you through a copse which leads you to a gate. Pass through the gate into field then take a right diagonal to a stile. Another yellow arrow reassures you that you are going the right way. Follow the path which runs along side the River Aire.

#### **River Aire**

The River Aire starts at Malham Tarn. It is 71 miles (114 km) in length. Part of the river is canalised, and is known as the Aire and Calder Navigation. The mouth of the River is in the River Ouse.

The path leads you to steps that take you onto Bradford Road. Turn left and take the bridge across the Aire. You are now in Riddlesden.

#### Riddlesden.

Turn left up Bar Lane and continue until you reach the Leeds and Liverpool Canal.

#### **Leeds and Liverpool Canal.**

At 127 miles long (204 km), the Leeds and Liverpool Canal is the longest canal in the North of England. The stretch from Skipton to Bingley was the first part to open in 1773.



Turn right along the towpath. Just before the next bridge you pass a chandlery. Turn right across the bridge.

Back on Bradford Road, a pelican crossing allows you to cross the road to East Riddlesden Hall.

#### East Riddlesden Hall.

East Riddlesden Hall is a 17th-century manor house, built in 1642 by a wealthy Halifax clothier, James Murgatroyd. It is now owned by the National Trust.

## Cycle route from Cliffe Castle to East Riddlesden Hall

Go out of the Beechcliffe entrance of Cliffe Castle Park and cross the Skipton Road near to the pedestrian lights.

Take the cycle lane right, then turn left down Pattie Street. Turn left along Arctic Street and then right down Royd Lane.

Go under the railway bridge and you will see the new cycle path on the right.

Cycle along the path through the woodland. This will take you under the Aire Valley Trunk Road [A629] and into Royd Ings Avenue.

Follow the cycle lane along Royd Ings Avenue Here the cycle rout and the walk separate. The cycle route continues along Royd Ings Avenue passing the police station and shopping area on the right.

At the T junction turn left into Bradford Road and go over the River Aire by Stock Bridge. Here the cycle route meets up with the walk again.

Turn left up Bar Lane and then right along the Leeds Liverpool Canal towpath.

Turn right down Granby Road and cross the Bradford Road to East Riddlesden Hall.

## EVENTS AT CLIFFE CASTLE:

**JUNE** 15th June – Jolly Jivers 2p.m -4p.m A free concert at the bandstand. Come and dance along!

Sat 28 June. Armed Forces DayThis will be organised by the Keighley Branch Of The Royal British Legion

**JULY** 27th July – Milestone 2p.m - 4p.m A free concert at the bandstand

**AUGUST** Saturday 2nd and Sunday 3rd August Airedo, Keighley's biggest music event. Admission on Saturday is by ticket only. Sunday is free. This event is organised by Keighley Town Council.

5th 11a.m to 3pm. Free fun for Teddy Bears and their friends. Did you know that the Butterfields were relatives of the American president who gave the Teddy Bear its name?

This event is organised by Cliffe Castle Museum,

Keighley Library and Cliffe Castle
Park Conservation Group.

Sunday 17th August – Horsforth Leeds City Band 2p.m -4p.m A free concert at the bandstand

#### BRONTE COUNTRY GRAND HERITAGE TOUR BUS 822

Every Saturday, Sunday and bank holiday from Sat 26th July to Sun 31st August. Cliffe Castle main gate and East Riddlesden Hall are just two of the places where the bus stops.

More details about Cliffe Castle are on the Cliffe Castle Park Conservation Group website www.www.cliffecastlepark.org.uk



A real buzz is building up around Summer Jam – the major music festival taking place in Silsden over the August Bank Holiday – with a packed programme of bands and entertainment to suit all tastes.

Saturday's headliners have been announced as Sheffield-based Indie pop band Reverend and The Makers, fronted by Jon McClure - AKA The Reverend. They grew out of the indie rock renaissance of 2005 and were at the forefront of the Sheffield scene, along with friends the Arctic Monkeys.

The Rev prides himself on staying close to his roots saying: "I'm really into the idea of playing in places that don't usually get a look-in" and Summer Jam organiser John Beaumont added: "Our festival certainly fits the bill, as this will be the first time Silsden has seen a musical event on this scale.

"The northern dates of the Reverends' have tour sold out months in advance, so if you want to see them in Silsden, do please get your tickets now – especially if you intend to camp, as pitches are limited."

Reverend and the Makers join Sunday headliner Bruce Foxton, former bassist with mod icons The Jam and his aptly-named band From the Jam. Tom Hingley, former vocalist with Manchester indie band Inspiral Carpets tops the bill on Friday and the festival will also showcase local talent and up-and-coming unsigned bands.

A popular attraction among locals is proving to be the dance marquee starring top house, funk, soul and northern soul DJs like Mick Tole, Mark Wilkie, Danny Bond, Rob Tissera, Dave Longy, Tim Charlton and Sean Coy.

Summer Jam, on Riverside Fields, Silsden from Friday August 22 to Sunday August 24, is supporting Teenage Cancer Trust and is family-friendly, with a fun programme of daytime activities.

Festival-goers (kids and big kids of all ages) can have a go on the largest inflatable slide in Europe – courtesy of Steeton-based Royal Inflatables. This 55ft high monster is not for the faint hearted!

The brave will also relish the chance to try the Quasar Arena – an inflatable tent where players battle it out with laser guns, in the dark, to the beat of heart-pumping spooky soundtracks.

In keeping with the sci-fi theme, watch out for some mysterious Star Wars characters beaming in to mingle with the crowd and support the charity effort. There will be fairground rides and a range of stalls and refreshments.

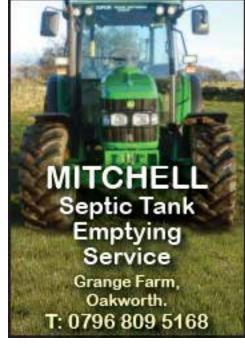
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Worth the Tour is publishing a fullcolour glossy magazine to inform residents & visitors of all the areat things going on in our local area - and also to provide them with a souvenir of this event-of-a-lifetime. The magazine will be on sale at Keighley & Haworth hubs, Victoria

WORTH THE TOU

Hall, the Manorlands Campsites, Riverside Le Tour Campsite in Silsden and Oxenhope Straw

Race, with a proportion of the proceeds

going to Manorlands,

Teenage Cancer Trust and other good causes. For more details 01535 642227

Hollywood project - the iconic sign on the

It's almost upon us! We are now into the last leg of the runup to the Grand Depart and the excitement is really building.

fields of vision

Our valley has been a media hot spot in recent weeks with visits from Look North. ITV news. BBC Countryfile and The Times to name but a few. And Team Worth the Tour hooked up with Keighley's Tour de France Frank (Frank O'Dwyer) for Radio Leeds' Keighley Library broadcast around the preparations.

The spotlight has fallen on our own

hillside above Shaw Lane in Oxenhope. The salutation has taken on a few more incarnations, including **READ THE BOOK**, LOVE LIFE. DRINK MILK. and now LOVE YORKSHIRE.... then it's nearly time for the final message we've all been waiting for.

The Countryfile crew were keen on the Fields of Vision project - so how appropriate that a sheepdog trial on Simon Manfield's 'One Man and His Dog' artwork in Stanbury was one of the star attractions for the project's official launch on Saturday, June 7. (Countryfile feature will air June 22) Despite driving rain, a brave crowd turned

out to the viewpoint on Cemetery Road, representing the Fields of Vision team, Worth Valley Young Farmers, Worth the

Tour and the local community. Keelham Farm Shop owner Victoria Robertshaw presented competition winners James Ingham and Poppy Batch with their prize hampers. Of course the bad weather was no barrier for hardy farmer lan lbbotson and his sheep dog, who were able to bring Simon's artistic vision to life and successfully drive their sheep into the outstretched hand of the shepherd figure. Woody (Andrew Wood) and the Young Farmers have been hard at work preparing the Fields for the artists working on this high-profile land art which will animate the route as part of Yorkshire Festival 2014. Meanwhile, the Worth the Tour team have been beavering away behind the scenes on videography, photography, guide maps and

interpretation boards.

The Worth Valley site (best viewed from The Three Acres Inn) with Razwan Ul-Hag's Finite Cycle of Time looks stunning, 9-year-old Poppy Batch's Big Bad Wolf in Haworth is already blowing people away and Simon Manfield's One Man and His Dog is getting spruced up with new a paint job at fortnightly intervals. When we went to press, Steve Messam's Ravens were nesting in nicely at Stanbury while Louise Lockhart's Leaping Lady at Oxenhope and 9 -year-old James Ingham's Farm Friends at Hainworth were nearing completion.

#### **Hub happenings**

Arrangements are in place for Haworth's Grand Départ Spectator Hub in Central Park. Facilities and entertainment, running over Saturday and Sunday are looking like this:

- Big screen viewing of the Grand Départ
- Children's activities and workshops
- Children's rides
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Friends of Holden Park and
Oakworth Primary school have
been rallying after bikes donated
for the Grand Depart were stolen
just weeks before being displayed
as part of Yorkshire In Bloom.

School children have been painting containers and helping with the planting.

The remaining bikes will be displayed on the school fence and around Holden Park Oakworth bowling green. To deter anymore bikes going missing, Friends of Holden Park will be marking them with smart water.

The hope is that the remaining bikes and planters can be sold for donations to Holden Park, at this years Fairy Fest on the 9th August to help with funding to update the old tennis courts.





#### The Adventures of **Andy Kershaw**

Old School Rooms, Church Street Thursday June 19 • 7:30pm • £12

An evening with legendary BBC radio presenter, author of No Off Switch and world music fan. This is one show not to be missed!



#### Festival Film 12 Years A Slave

West Lane Baptist Church Friday June 20 • 7:30pm • £4

#### **Festival Play** Friller

West Lane Baptist Church Saturday June 21 • 7:30pm • £5





#### The Haley Sisters

Old School Rooms, Church Street Friday June 20 • 8pm • £7

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#### Folk Day

Old School Rooms, Church Street Sunday June 22 £7 Per Session • £12 For Both

**Afternoon -** 3.00pm to 6.00pm Plumhall, Kath Reade & Rum Doodle. **Evening -** 7.30pm to 10.30pm The John Palmer Band, Eddy O'Dwyer & Keystone Acoustic.

#### **Haworth Bandstand Opening Concert**

The New Bandstand, Haworth Park Sunday June 22 • All Day • Free

Foxes Faux, Box Jellys, Betsy & The Writer, Asian Arts Dancers, Haworth Band, Song Birds, Poetry and more. Official opening by the Lord Mayor.



#### The Marvellous, Magnificent, Storytelling Machine

The Old Hall. Sun Street Monday June 23 • 7:30pm • Free Stories for adults, suitable for children.

#### **Black Horse Fairy & Mesa**

Parkside Social Club, Butt Lane Tuesday June 24 • 8pm • £6



#### **Patrick Monahan Cake Charmer**

Old School Rooms, Church Street Wednesday June 25 • 8pm • £7

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#### **Waiting For Wednesday** and Emily Sargant

Old School Rooms, Church Street Thursday June 26 • 8pm • £6

Heartfelt contemporary folk songs of love, loss, standing strong and the importance of beer drinking women. Emily is a fabulous singer/songwriter from Haworth.

#### **Annie Drury & Spence**

Old School Rooms, Church Street Friday June 27 • 8pm • £6

Annie's song writing has been influenced by timeless, classic female artists such as Joni Mitchel, Carol King and Kate Bush. Support comes from Spence - a talented and well known Haworth musician.



#### Haworth Ukulele Group Extravaganza

Old School Rooms, Church Street & Main Street Pubs • Free Saturday June 28 & Sunday June 29

#### **Blues & Roots Night**

The Old Sun Hotel
Saturday June 28 • 7:30pm • Free







#### **Zombie Run 3!**

Parkside Social Club Saturday June 28 • 1pm • £5

The 3rd Haworth Zombie Run is happening! Participants will have a set time to run and hide within the boundaries before the zombies are released! Once they have been released it's everyone for themselves!



## Folk at the Wuthering Heights with Strid & Open Mic Session

Wuthering Heights Pub, Stanbury Sunday June 29 • 4pm • Free

#### Jacobean Ruff & Rosa Sargent

Cobbles & Clay, Main Street
Sunday June 29 • 8pm • £6

Compelling alternative folk. Must see.

## CHANGES TO FAMILY LAW

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- To introduce a single specialist family court replacing the current three tiers of family court;
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- Effecting new processes to improve timescales in children proceedings
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- Improving transparency whilst protecting children's identities still.

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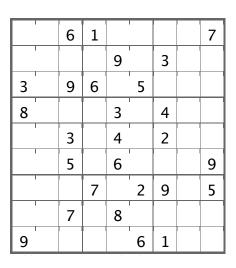
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The objective of sudoku is to enter a digit from 1 through 9 in each cell, in such a way that:

Each horizontal row contains each digit exactly once Each vertical column contains each digit exactly once Each subgrid or region contains each digit exactly once













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Years ago I realised that Murphy's Law is in charge here. If I ignore updates today, tomorrow I might find my PC crawling along as a result of being riddled with malware and/or sending out spam email to everyone in my contacts list, so I grit my teeth and wait. If there's one thing I have learned in all my years in IT, it's 'don't tempt fate'! So why is software released with more holes in it than a colander? Today's products are complex in order to meet diverse needs and be compatible with as many hardware and software configurations as possible. They're designed by humans. Humans mess up. Competition in the marketplace means the pressure's always on to get that new product onto as many devices as possible before

In some cases developers might fix a problem only to create a new problem elsewhere in the product. We 'end-users' are the final 'guinea pigs' in a never ending chain of testing, refining and re-testing. Software updates, service packs, or 'patches', close up flaws or vulnerabilities found after public release, sometimes several years after the original product made its debut. There will still be flaws in Windows XP, which will never be fixed now Microsoft has ceased support.

your rivals beat you to it.

It's impossible to test products against every possible hardware & software configuration in the world, so occasionally an update may cause problems, or may even stop your computer functioning altogether. Thankfully the probability of your PC getting mangled by an 'update gone bad' is actually pretty small.

You should install all operating system updates labelled 'Urgent', 'Important' or 'Critical'. Anything labelled 'Optional' is just that. It is advisable to allow updates to install automatically unless you have a particularly complex or unusual configuration. If you prefer to review and install updates manually you should be checking at least once a week.

#### What's the risk of ignoring critical updates?

- Security vulnerabilities remain open to exploitation if not patched. 'Cyber-Criminals' love an unpatched computer (or millions of them) to do their evil bidding (mwahahaha!)
- 2. Unpatched software may be unstable and prone to crashing.
- **3.** Don't expect full support from the software vendor if you have not applied updates
  - 4. Personal data may be at risk (the most important bit, in my view)

#### Are there any good reasons not to install critical updates?

There's only one really. Where a particular update has been reported widely as causing a problem in

similar circumstances to yours (e.g. same version of software and/or hardware as yours) you might hold off applying that update, but only that one, until a revised update is released.

In addition to operating system updates you should also ensure that Java. Adobe Flash & Reader (where installed) and your anti-virus/ internet security products are all kept up to date. If you get update notifications for software products you don't recognise (or that look a bit 'dodgy'), or updates repeatedly fail to install, do seek advice - it could be a sign of malware

Remember, malware can be far more timeconsuming to sort out than waiting for a few updates or even a full Windows Service Pack to download and install!

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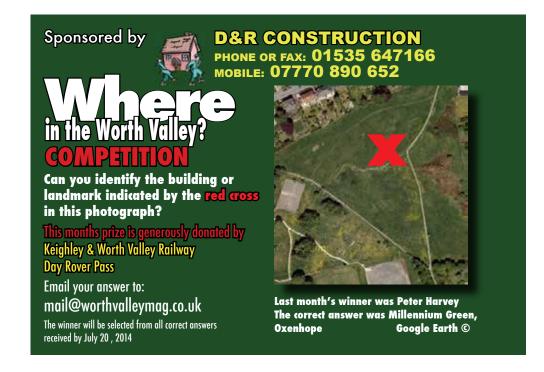


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## LEES METHODIST CHURCH CRAFT and CHAT GROUP NEWS

The "Crafty", "Chatty" ladies of Lees and Cross Roads have been busy again, keeping fingers and minds active by knitting, crocheting etc, enjoying a time of socialisation and sharing of ideas and resources at the Craft and Chat group which meets every Monday at Lees Methodist Church hall from 1.00 to 3.00 p.m. Worth Reading Group Meet every first Wednesday in a month at 7.30 pm in the function room at the Old White Lion Hotel, Haworth, New members very welcome. More info call Jo 01535 645275.

Children go FREE this Summer on the Keighley & Worth Valley Railway.
Children travel for free every day through June, July and August with the purchase of an Adult Rover ticket.
Sat 14th June Snake Davis is coming back to Cobbles & Clay, Haworth for another fantastic evening! Get your tickets booked now before they sell out. Food will be served from 6:15 before the entertainment starts at 8pm Please call 01535 644653 to get your tickets.

Sun June 15 at Cliffe Castle Park, Keighley - Jolly Jivers 2pm-4pm A free concert at the bandstand. Come and dance along.

Sun 15th June East Riddlesden Hall 10.30am - 4pm Craven Old Wheels Classic Car Rally Pop down to our lower field and check out some some classic beauties. Craven Old Wheels is an "any make" car club, with most models and marques represented. Free admission to the event.

Sun 15th June Sunday Stroll at Bronte Parsonage Museum Guided Walk, free entry Bronte Parsonage Museum 01535 642323 bronte@ bronte.org.uk www.bronte.org.uk There will be two walk options in and around Haworth leaving from the Parsonage Museum. Waterproof clothing and walking shoes or boots strongly advised. Please check with Membership secretary for further details. Meet in car park by Parsonage Museum. Take a packed lunch. For further details see www.bronte.org. uk

Sun 15th June The Worth Way at Oxenhope Village Guided Walk, free entry. A6033 Hebden Bridge Road 01274 432666 This is a Circular - 11 miles (17.6km) - Bring a Packed lunch. Meet Kenneth John Allen at 10am at Oxenhope Station for a good walk along the Worth Valley. Some hills with great views at the top. A good mix of footpaths, road and tracks.

Thurs 19th -Sun 29th June Haworth Festival of Music, Art & Comedy more info visit www.haworthfestival.org.uk Sat 21st June 60s THEME NIGHT IN HAWORTH pop music to rock n roll with D. J. RAY at Parkside Social Club, Butt lane, Haworth from 7pm, admission £2 on the door over 18s only, Tel 01535-646234. Sat 21st June Gin Festival at The Bronte School Rooms from 5pm – 11.30pm (last pour 11pm!) .For more info on the Gin Festival or to buy tickets visit www.ginfestival.co.uk or email Ali

on jym@ginfestival.co.uk or telephone Jym on 07811 961545 Twitter: @ GinFestival Facebook: www.facebook. com/GinFestival.

Sun 22nd June at 2.45pm Official Opening of the Bandstand in Haworth in Cetral Park. Free Entertainment.

Sun 22nd June - Mon 30th June Class Art Exhibition at Embers Restaurant, 81 Main Stree, Haworth and H&L Fashions 100 Main Street, Haworth During Opening hours - part of the Haworth Festival. www.judysale. com

Tues 24th June Haworth & Oxenhope Bridleways Group Meet at the White Lion in Haworth 7.45pm & 6.45pm for Juniors.

Weds 25th June 10.30-11.30 am
East Riddlesden Hall Fun day for Child
Safety week. Fancy learning about
road and fire safety and then playing a
few games? You can enjoy a ride on
miniature fire engine, learn about fire
and road safety, look at displays, play
games, complete and activity trail and
even get your face painted. Why not
bring a picnic and make a real day out
of it.

Thurs 26th June Oxenhope Antique & Collectors Society Day visit to Sledmere House & Gardens, Nr Driffield. More info call Jo 01535 645275.

Sat 28th June Haworth Car Boot Sale at All Weather Sports Pitch, Acre Lane, Haworth, BD22 8DX 8am-1pm Sat 28th June Armed Forces Day at Cliffe Castle, Keighley 10am - 5pm.. Organised by Keighley branch of the Royal British Legion.

Sun 29th June Haworth Railway Children Walk and Fun Day at Central Park, Haworth Contact Events Team 0300 373 1100 Cystic Fibrosis our challenge! Setting off from Haworth, we'll walk the seven-mile route visiting some of the famous locations from the film The Railway Children.For further details see www.cysticfibrosis.org.uk Thurs 3rd - Sun 6th July Haworth

Thurs 3rd - Sun 6th July Haworth Summer Beers & Musical Festival at the Old School Rooms, Haworth. www. haworthbeerfestival.co.uk.

Sat 5th July Groovy Happenings at Parkside Social Club, Haworth at 7.30pm.

Sun 6th July Coffee morning "Le Tour at Lees". Lees Methodist Church Morning worship at 9.00 a.m. led by Maurice Baren and provision of refreshments throughout the day whilst Le Tour comes through the village.

Sun 6th July Tour de France Grand Depart events with Sue Ryder. Park and Ride at Cullingworth and take our free bus to Haworth or Oxenhope. More details at www.sueryder.org/ tdfparkandride.

Sat 12th July Oakworth Gala
Oakworth is gearing up for its annual
summer gala from Windsor Road
at 2pm. It features the Gala Queen
procession, stalls, entertainment and



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children's races.

Sun 13th July Manorlands Hospice Garden Party – Enjoy a day full of entertainment at this annual Garden Party situated in Manorlands Hospice grounds. The day includes many different stalls, free parking and admission all with a 1940's theme. If you'd like to know more please call the Manorlands fundraising team on 01525 640430

Mon July 14th:- Stanbury & District W.I. Anywhere Nice by Robert WaddingtonCompetition:- Photo of favourite place. .7:30pm at West Lane Baptist Church. New members welcome.

Sun 20th July Bronte Sportive – The Bronte Sportive is a well-established and challenging cycling event in Bronte Country. Changed for 2014 it takes in over 30 miles of the tour route. It has routes ranging from 23 mile up to the 88 mile Bronte Monster. Registration fee is £20, for more information visit www. brontesportive.org.uk or call 01535 640176.

Fri 25 & Sat 26th July Woodfest – This 2 day local music festival returns to the farm with 2 days of great bands, camping and a licensed bar. It takes place at Lees Moor, Crossroads and tickets are priced between £7 and £15. You can visit www.woodfest. org.uk or call 01535 640176 to find out more.

Thurs 24th July Oxenhope Antique & Collectors Society 7.30pm at Oxenhope Community Centre Mrs

Jane McKeown will give a talk on the History of Nursery Rhymes. Visitors are very welcome. More info call Jo 01535 645275.

Fri 25 July - Upstream: Exploring the Aquatic Landscape with local artist Trudi Entwistle. The walk leaves Hebden Bridge Railway Station at 10am for a 6 mile walk to see Trudi's exhibition at Gibson Mill. Please bring lunch. Free walk and exhibition entry.

Sat 26th July Haworth Car Boot Sale at All Weather Sports Pitch, Acre Lane, Haworth, BD22 8DX 8am-1pm

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