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November is here and the nights are noticeably drawing in and the days are increasingly short. The mists in the valleys create beautiful vistas, especially on a morning before the sun warms the earth. The calm and stillness set up the day nicely before the mad rush for the school run, chores or appointments. The morning mist and freezing fog remind me to slow down and hurry less.

In addition to the atmospheric landscape, all this talk of spending reviews and austerity measures leave me thinking we are living in a Dickens novel. The bankers are the baddies and the man in the street is badly done to: it is a tale of two troubles. namely, debt and recovery.

I don't despair though, there are always new opportunities that are spawned from difficulties. And the great British sense of humour helps to lighten the mood along the way...

Of course, if we listen to the bankers, we should spend, spend, spend our way out of these harsh economic times! Enjoy the mists and frosty days of November and always remember to keep

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WORTH VALLEY DAD

As the darker nights draw in we've found ourselves spending more time indoors and addressing all those niggly little DIY jobs we've ignored through the summer. Another excuse for putting them off is the kids. As soon as the tool box comes out you can be sure that if we turn our backs for one second Luke will be chasing his sister around the

house with a saw or a hammer. It's not easy to do any jobs when he's constantly trying to "help" and although his heart's in the right place the health and safety genie pops up every time he stands forlornly at the foot of the ladder demanding

to assist me in securing a light fitting. The other week he wanted a go on the grass strimmer and he regularly scares me to death by following me around when I'm mowing the lawn. Sweeping, vaccing, drilling or sawing. He's willing, but unable.

I'm very lucky that my missus (the Worth Valley Mum) is a dab hand in the home improvement field. So much so that I once bought her a Black & Decker work bench for her birthday - and she was genuinely pleased. I'm pretty useless at anything other than computers and electrics. If there are shelves to put up or holes to be drilled I'd rather wash up or bake shortbread. She'll occasionally recruit my brute

strength to extract a stubborn screw, or my utter fearlessness to fight through the cobwebs in the attic, but generally she'll only trust me with a paintbrush, and even then I get told off for not cleaning them properly. In return I record programmes to the dvd recorder, download music for her ipod, change lightbulbs and generally act as an I.T

help desk. It's a good team and we know our positions well, so it can be a little annoying when the children get in the way. As the chef of the house I often think I should encourage my daughter Becky to help me in the kitchen,

but I must admit that I'd only ever let her use a spoon and even then her stirring skills are pretty woeful. After ten minutes and a couple of goes on the food processor she gets bored and I don't argue with her when she demands to be fired and sent to the tv room. I remember as a child being "encouraged" to partake in the household chores. Peeling spuds was my particular skill, so I'm beginning to look forward to the when the kids are old enough to help out properly with some of the more menial tasks, but for the time being I think we'll keep them out of harms way. Having said that I reckon the chimney needs a good clean...!













Open 12.30 – 6.00pm Thursday – Sunday

Starting in October, weekends only, No 10 will be offering (along with our usual range of homemade cakes and scones should that be all that you require) a wintertime treat of traditional English afternoon teas; the intention being that you may like to while away the cold winter afternoons in front of the fire enjoying a selection of hand prepared sweet and savoury morsels.





WINED & DINED

by Claire Smith of No.10 The Coffee House

"Come said the wind to the leaves one day, come o'er the meadows and we

will play, put on your dresses scarlet and gold, for summer is gone and the days grow cold".

We have reached that time of year again; a time of burnished gold's, the last few leaves scurrying along country lanes; glistening early morning frosts, chill winds and the warming glow of brightly

lit fires. This is not the first time that I have expressed my delight at the thought of winter afternoons spent in front of the fire taking tea. Summer teas are one thing, but to my mind it is in winter when the air grows cold and the landscape begins preparing for deep slumber that leisurely afternoons spent enjoying a variety of sweet and savoury morsels really come into their own. In

fact there is something rather decadent about allowing oneself to slow down with the season and enjoy the warmth and comfort of an English teatime.

Historically the tradition of afternoon tea is said to have been introduced by the Duchess of Bedford in the 1830's, the intention behind this new ceremony being that it should allow the well appointed household to display porcelain or silver tea services, create new recipes, both sweet and savoury, and lay down the laws of etiquette, bringing into play rules such

as the correct way to hold ones tea cup or put down a spoon. Afternoon tea was taken at 5 O'clock, filling the gap between lunch, which was taken early, and dinner which was served late. The cafes and tea rooms of the first half of the 20th century soon became meeting places for society ladies who met for "five o'clock tea". Above all, teatime should be elegant and convey a sense of occasion. China tea cups and saucers play an essential role in this

when taking tea of any kind (or coffee for that matter) my maternal grandmother would hold her tea cup to the light and refuse to drink from it unless she could see through it. I tend to agree with her; heavy pottery just does not deliver the same experience. The tea should always be served in a pot and if you are in possession of a set of pastry forks this is the time to bring them out.

The perfect afternoon tea should begin with savouries followed by freshly baked scones after which come slivers of cake and pastries, with each delectable morsel consisting of just a mouthful or two enabling ones guests to enjoy an array of different flavours. I cannot think of a nicer way to end a winter walk or pass a chilly afternoon, than to close the door to the howling wind, turn up the fire and experience the joy of taking tea in an atmosphere of relaxed and refined elegance.

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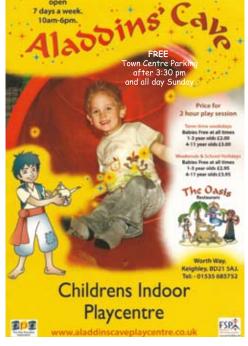
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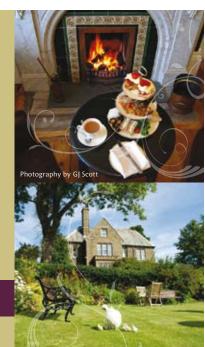
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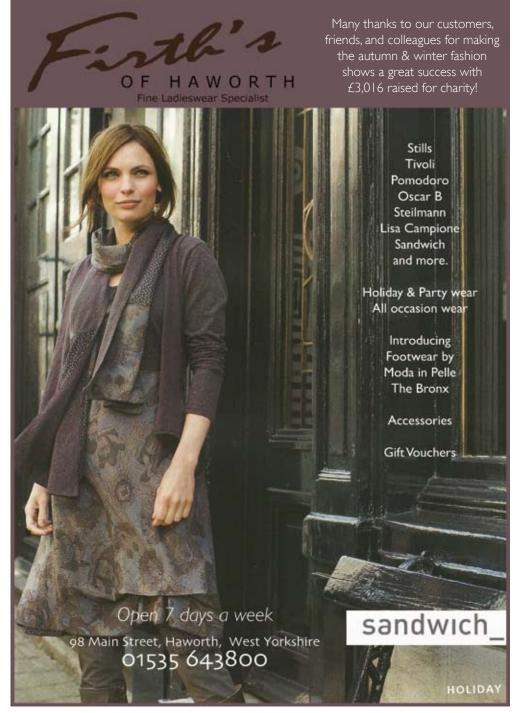


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(a £20 non refundable deposit is required at the time of booking)



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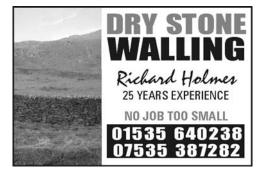




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Community Singing by Andy Wood

A new community singing project got off to a flying start in October with 16 people coming to the first meeting and over 20 to the second. Aimed at people who have little or no singing experience and for those who may have always thought they can't sing at all. It was quite common for schools to "reject" those children who did not sing well at first hearing (In my view this is like banning children from doing maths because they were not born knowing their 4 times table). So it was heartening to find so many people wanting to sing who had been told to mime as children

Another community music project is a new open mic session which is starting this month in the upstairs rooms at Cobbles and Clay. Again aimed at people who want



to have a go at performing as well as those established musicians of which Haworth has many. We are hoping to make this the second Sunday of every month but this could change - check the email below for the first open mic on 14th November.

The area has a lot of singing and music and we would like to hear from groups who are putting on events or have a music group of any sort.

Community music provides a chance to get involved. At one time everyone sang or played something, but recordings, radio and TV have made us all think that music is something other people do. We want to get away from the idea that you have to be a virtuoso to play music and recreate an environment where everyone does it. If you have a community music group or

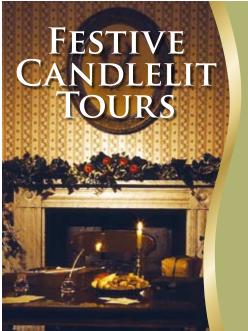
if you are a local musician wishing to be listed in a directory please



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Community Singing will take place on Thursday 4th November at West Lane Baptist Church 7pm.





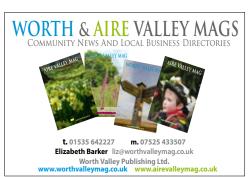
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Come and enjoy a very special evening at the Brontë Parsonage Museum as it opens its doors for two festive candlelit tours of the Brontës' home. Each evening will also include a 'behind the scenes' visit to the museum's Library and a special opportunity to see some of the treasures of the museum's collection. Mulled wine and other festive treats will be served.

Please note that numbers are strictly limited and early booking is strongly recommended. Tickets are £14. To book, please contact Sonia Boocock, Brontë Parsonage Museum, 01535 640192/sonia.boocock@bronte.org.uk

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Setting the Boundaries

KEEPING SAFE ON FACEBOOK by Elegnor Williams

Almost everyone has heard of facebook. even if you're not active online. Perhaps you have children, grandchildren, friends or family who use the social networking site for either business purposes or just purely to keep in touch with relatives or

associates all over the world.

The basis of the site, for those who aren't aware. are individual profiles connecting with each other. For example, your profile would contain selective personal information and shared photos from vourself or other people as vou choose. You can instantly message anyone on

your chosen "friends list" who are online (i.e. have a facebook account), privately message them in their inbox or publicly message them on their profile. The site is international and particularly popular with the younger generation, although people of all ages are involved.

Facebook has its many qualities but, digging deeper into how such a popular site manages to keep running completely free for its customers, you realise how unsafe it can really be if you are unaware of the dangers; how much of your information are you really sharing with the world?

It's especially important for those under the age of 18 to keep all their details private to everyone but the people on their friends list (facebook claims to clarify this

but it is very misleading).

To begin, first click "Account" in the top right hand corner of your facebook, on the list that appears click "Privacy Settings". Facebook automatically has your profile as the "Recommended" setting, which you

> would think to be the very safest fixture. However. the print-screen left shows the bia difference between "Recommended" and "Friends only":

Would vou Grev dots indicate "recommended" settings from facebook, red dots indicate safer settings for under 18s really want people vou've

> never met, even if your friends may know them, being able to view photos and updates you post, and your family relationships? The recommended setting is not appropriate for young people. Your friends list include selective people only you want to be in contact with: no one else needs to be able to view your information and therefore your privacy settings are best set as "friends only".

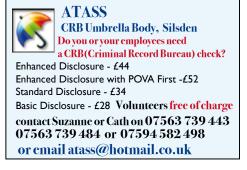
You will have noticed the many advertisements shown at the side of your facebook pages. This is how the company funds the site and makes profit. However, you may not have noticed that advertisements shown on your facebook are only particular to you. Underneath ads, it may say a certain number or your

friends have "liked" this, businesses that create these advertisements access your personal details to gain information about vou, then facebook chooses which ads you may be interested in and places them on your page. In one way, this is a good system since you don't view ads that have nothing to do with your interests: on the other hand this may be perceived as an invasion on your privacy.

Type this link in your website address bar to view all the details of Facebook's Privacy Policy: http://www.facebook. com/policy.php. It also describes here how you can opt out of businesses accessing your details. However, this does not stop advertisements appearing on your pages, only the ads will now be random services that you may not be interested in. At least now you know you have your own details under control.

A useful thing to know about your privacy settings is that you are able to view how your profile is seen to facebookers not on your friends list and check you are happy with what information is shown or hidden. Once on Account-Privacy Settings, click the link "customize your settings" in the bottom left hand corner of the "Sharing on Facebook" table. Then, in the top right corner, it says, "Preview my Profile". What information can strangers see about you? Is it safe?

Finally... keep your parents happy! Show them how safe your new settings are and reassure them that no one can access your details. There are enough headlines of the dangers online for your parents to worry about your activity on facebook, give them one less thing to nag you about and stay safe online.











Thursday 18th November
7.00pm
Midland Hotel
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Tickets £10

Join the Lady Mayoress, Mrs Gillian Hill for a fantastic winter fashion show by her favourite shop.

Nicky from Firths of Haworth has put together an evening of gorgeous outfits and some seasonal shopping to tempt us all.

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FASHION, FUN, & CHARITY

It began in September 2007 when Nikki Carroll, proprietor of Firths of Haworth, the ladieswear specialist, staged her first fashion show to benefit Marie Curie Cancer Care. Success has followed in each subsequent year, culminating in just under £12,000 in total raised for a number of worthy charities including Sue Ryder, Manorlands Hospice, RNLI, Breast Cancer, Alzheimer's, to name just a few. Nikki's customers, friends and family have all been involved with the fashion shows and contributed greatly to their success; from modelling, building catwalks & signs, taking photos, providing accessories and offering heaps of encouragement and moral support along the way...it has been a real team achievement. Congratulations on the success of this important work and valued community contribution: Hats off to Nikki and her team for all their efforts!

WEBSITE OF THE MONTH

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Community Security by Jonathan Darnbrook of Tesla Security

Dark Nights Are Here!

Whilst halloween, plot night and the festive season are all traditionally happy and fun times of year, they can also attract a darker element and with it some accompanying security concerns. Halloween for example is a time when unsavoury characters can use the "trick or treat" activities as an excuse to venture in to vour grounds unquestioned; while plot night (bonfire night) can match sounds associated with burglary like alarms going off or loud noises in the streets and gardens of your neighbourhood. Of course Christmas is traditionally an active time for burglars for obvious reasons.

To avoid being the victim of a burglary here







Source: Aha! Jokes, http://www.AhaJokes.com/

are some basic tips to bear in mind over the following months:

Make sure the exterior of your home is well lit, and that motion-sensor lights work properly, to deter criminals from hiding in your garden.

If strangers are asking for access to your home, to use the loo or telephone for example, be wary and do not accommodate them. If they are trick-or-treaters or carol singers from the neighbourhood (as they should be technically), they can return to their own homes for these needs.

Secure loose items you want to keep like bikes. While you should secure these anyway year-round, you wouldn't want to lose these items to theft on halloween or plot night. And you wouldn't want someone to come back later to collect these items because they notice you don't secure them.

If you have a Christmas tree on show in the window then don't keep your presents beneath it. By doing so you are effectively advertising the gifts to the neighbourhood.

Carefully dispose of the packaging for any expensive presents. We have known burglars take your new things in the originals boxes that they have found left in your bins outside.

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After a delayed starting date, the Green Trail is now up and running! (From Ocother 30th)

Passers by can experience Graffiti Art, Metal Work, Illustration, Fashion Design, Photography and Installations amongst others. The artists are working closely with local environmental organisations to make sure the green messages we're promoting are appropriate, correct, informative, and clear.

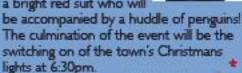
Go to www.greentrail.org.uk or www.lovekeighley.com for the letest deteils of events end happenings. On Saturday, November 27th, 1-6pm, Jem on Top is running JUNK BAND DAY, a workshop for families that will involve the creation of instruments from junk! By producing eco-friendly insruments via recycled methods the group aims to educate, inspire and challenge the participants...all whilst making music and having fun. Contact Jem on Top Music Studios for more information. 01535 600133 or email info@jamontop.com

lovekeighley

Round up the family and head to Keighley to join in the fun_Beginning with Thursday, November 25th at

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5pm when Becky Holmes from The Pulse Breakfast Show hosts The Pulse Roadshow on Church Green in the town centre_including music, dance, and the important appearance of one very special guest in a bright red suit who will



The evening also marks the first late night opening of the season for the Airedale shopping centre.

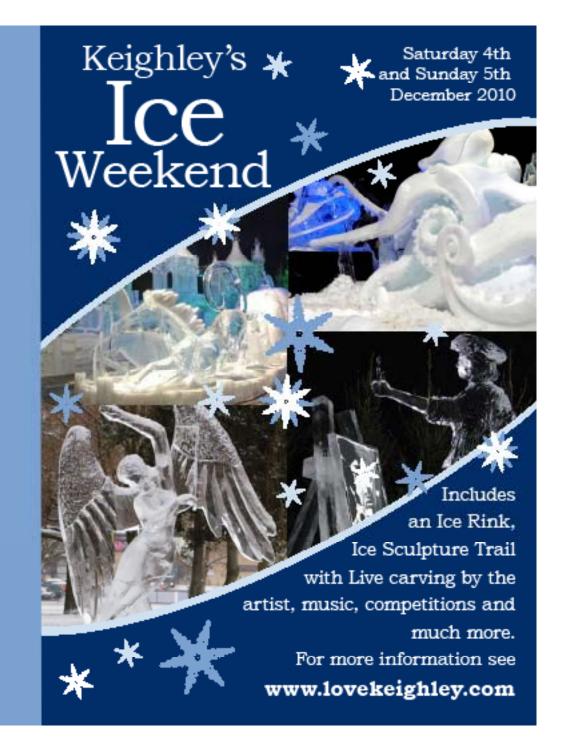
Saturday & Sunday,

Dec 4th & 5th be prepared for enchantment when the Ice

Weekend transforms the town in to a winter wonderland of ice and snow, complete with a skating

rink (for all those daring souls who fancy a go) and a fascinating ice sculpture trail including live demonstations with ice sculptor Jamie Wardley to keep young and old alike entertained.

Saturdays line up will include Mascots on Ice with Mr.Bean for guaranteed laughter and fun. Why not make a day of it and combine your excursion with a spot of lunch and Christmas shopping? You will find plenty of parking and a host of offers from local shops & traders.



1st Cross Roads Brownies

A new Unit is opening this November and will meet in Cross Roads on a Thursday evening for girls aged between 7-10 years. For further information, please contact Zoe 07920 840326 or Emma 07833 724916.

Tues 2nd Nov - Oakworth Village Society meeting, Holden Hall, 7.45pm.

Tues 2nd Nov - Selecting of the Holly Queen, the two lvy princes and the boys and girls for their escorts will take place at the Apothercary Tea rooms.

Contact Jackie at Yorkshire Relics on 01535 642218.

Tues 2nd Nov - 7.30pm, Cross Roads & Lees church & chapel Ladies group. 'A stroll on the canal'(slides) by Ronald Thompson

Wed 3rd Nov - Worth Valley book group 7.30pm, Old White Lion Hotel Contact: Heather 01535 649095 for details.

Fri 5th Nov - Community Bonfire at the Parkside Social Club

Bonfire, fireworks, bar open. All welcome. Family disco upstairs. Pie and peas on sale.

Sat 6th Nov - Oakworth Methodist Church: Autumn Fayre. 10:00 to 13:00 Lots of stalls to buy from, have a coffee and a chat, stay for a meat & potato pie and pea lunch (please book beforehand when the list goes up in mid-October). Goods welcomed to sell on the stalls.

Mon 8th Nov - Stanbury & District W.I, St James Church Hall, Crossroads 7.30pm. Batrik fabric - Mr & Mrs R. Chandra Law, comp: Far Eastern memento.

Sat & Sun 13th &14th Nov -

COMMUNITY PAGES

Scroggling the Holly Weekend in Haworth. A procession of local children in traditional Victorian dress welcome Santa and the Christmas spirit to the Village.

Sun 14th Nov - Oakworth Methodist Church: Rembrance Sunday Parade Service. 10:00 to 11:00 All are welcome to join us for this all-age Parade Service.

Sun 14th Nov - Rembrance Day Service at Oakworth Cenotaph 10:45 to 11:30 Our annual service of remembrance for Oakworth's war dead. The events starts at 10.45 am sharp with the last post being played and two minutes silence for reflection starting at precisely 11.00 am. We have a reading and a hymn, followed by the laying of the wreaths and an extract from the Kohima Epitaph. Everyone is most welcome to attend. Sun 14th Nov - Remembrance service is at St Michael & All Angels Church, 10:45 Main St followed by wreath laying ceremony at the Cenotaph. 12pm

Sun 14th Nov - The newly crowned Holly Queen unlocks the church gates and invites Christmas into Haworth. Procession starts 3pm.

15th - 20th Nov - Haworth West Lane Baptist Amateur operatic Society presents: IOLANTHE 7.30pm with a matinee at 2.15pm on Sat 20th. Tickets £8 adults £5 children with over 60's £6 on Monday night and matinee. Available from Haworth T.I.C or call 01535 643425

Tues 16th Nov - Oakworth Forward:

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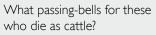








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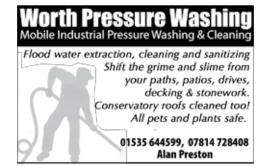
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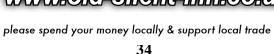
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