

## Bradford Councillor Surgeries at the Contact Point

Bradford Councillors for the Worth Valley, Peter Hill, Kris Hopkins and Glen Miller will hold regular drop in surgeries at the Worth Valley Police and Community Contact Point, Changegate Haworth from 2-3 pm

**Saturdays**  
**21st April**  
**19th May**



Worth Valley residents can also contact

Cllr. Hill on (01535) 646999

Cllr Hopkins on (01274) 432079

Cllr Miller on (01535) 600344

## Copy Dates for the Next Edition

Please send articles as you want them to be printed, or give us a brief outline and we will write them for you:

June/July.....14th May

August/September.....13th July

Free What's On entries for all community groups  
 Adverts for businesses 1/4 A4 Page – £20,  
 1/8 A4 Page – £10, Community Groups 1/2 price

Please come and help us fold newsletters at the Contact Point on

**Thursday 24th May 1.00—3.00pm**

28 Changegate, Haworth, BD22 8DY  
 (01535) 644001  
 wwcontactpoint@yahoo.co.uk

## Worth Valley Contact Point

28 Changegate, Haworth. 644001

**Tuesday 12pm - 2pm**  
**Wednesday 12pm - 4pm**  
**Thursday 1pm - 3pm**  
**Friday 12pm - 4pm**  
**Saturday 2pm - 4pm**

PLEASE NOTE THE CONTACT POINT WILL BE CLOSED FOR REFURBISHMENT ON:  
**GOOD FRIDAY 6TH APRIL, EASTER SATURDAY 7TH APRIL, AND WILL REOPEN AT THE USUAL TIME ON TUESDAY 10TH APRIL**

Photocopies from **4p**  
 Laminating from **30p**

Crime Prevention items on Sale  
 Planning applications on display  
 And MUCH MORE!



Do you have a couple of hours to spare every other month to help deliver this newsletter? If you don't have a newsletter delivered in your street, that means we need a deliverer in your area.

Can you help? Please contact Hilary at the Contact Point on 644001.



### REMEMBER TO RECYCLE

Don't forget you can bring your used stamps, computer ink cartridges and mobile phones to the Contact Point. We then pass them all on to Sue Ryder Care at Manorlands to help raise funds.



## HAWORTH . CROSS ROADS . STANBURY NEWSLETTER

*Local Information gathered by Local People*

### UWVHG HISTORY WALKS 2007

JOIN STEVEN WOOD AND THE UPPER WORTH VALLEY HISTORY GROUP FOR A SERIES OF FASCINATING WALKS EXPLORING THE HISTORY OF HAWORTH TOWNSHIP. WELL BEHAVED DOGS ON LEADS ARE ALLOWED ON ALL WALKS . ALL WELCOME – ALL WALKS HELD ON THURSDAYS AND ARE **FREE**.



These walks will visit many of the textile mills, old houses, quarries, ancient trackways, reservoirs, chapels and other features of Haworth, Oxenhope and Stanbury – and Stanbury's forgotten railway!

The walks vary from 4 to 8 miles in length. All are likely to be muddy and good footwear is essential. Take a packed lunch and hot drink. Wet weather is always likely – be prepared.

The shorter walks all start at Haworth Tourist Information Centre at the top of Main Street at 10 a.m. The Watersheddles walk starts at Stanbury bus terminus at 0945. (664 Stanbury bus from Rawdon Road, opposite park gates, at 0929.) The Sawood walk starts at Oxenhope Post Office at 1020. (663 Oxenhope bus from Sun Street, Haworth at 1009.) All walks finish in Haworth.

THURS:	WALK	LENGTH	START
17 <sup>th</sup> MAY	Hard Naze & Rag	6 miles	TIC 10.00
24 <sup>th</sup> MAY	Sladen Valley & the Railway	8 miles	TIC 10.00
31 <sup>st</sup> MAY	Mytholmes Mill & Oakworth	4 miles	TIC 10.00
7 <sup>th</sup> JUNE	Top of Stairs & Haworth Spa	7 miles	TIC 10.00
14 <sup>th</sup> JUNE	Ponden Clough & Watersheddles	8 miles	Stanbury 09.45
21 <sup>st</sup> JUNE	Sawood & Isle	4 miles	Oxenhope 10.20

Sponsored by :

Haworth, Cross Roads and Stanbury Parish Council

## Parish Council Column

It was brought home to me just how useful our Parish Newsletter is for letting you know what is happening in the village. We have not had a school crossing patrol at Haworth Primary for some years, despite efforts by Bradford to fill the position.

After a single mention in the newsletter we are delighted to welcome Tara Gibbons who has been appointed to the post. With the amount of traffic that uses Rawdon Road, a 'lollipop' crossing patrol is vital for the continuing safety of both the parents and their children who attend this school.

By the time you read this, the Parish Plan consultations will be well under way, with Stanbury completed, Cross Roads on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> of April at St James' Church Hall and Haworth on the 28th of April at the Community Centre. Your opinions on planning the future of our Parish are not just important – they are vital, so please try and attend, and do send in your completed questionnaires and add in anything you think we have forgotten.

On another tack, Cross Roads, Lees and Brow together have been chosen as one of the latest Urban Village Projects. This idea from Bradford Council brings grants to areas that previously never qualified for aid. The project is worth a total of £50,000 in grant money, so look out for consultation meetings in the coming months, where we will be coming to you for ideas on where best to spend this windfall for these areas.

Peter H. Hill  
Chairman

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## GREEN FINGERS

### GARDEN ORNAMENTS AND GIFTS



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Haworth  
West Yorkshire  
BD22 8QE

01535 648493

Wednesdays: Senior Citizen Discount

## HAWORTH WEST LANE AMATEUR OPERATIC SOCIETY



### A SPRING CONCERT

An evening of music and  
entertainment at  
West Lane Baptist  
Church, Haworth

On Friday and Saturday  
11th and 12th May at 7.30pm

Adults £6 Children £3  
including tea and biscuits.

Tickets available in April from  
Mrs Vera Waddington  
(tel: 01535 643425)

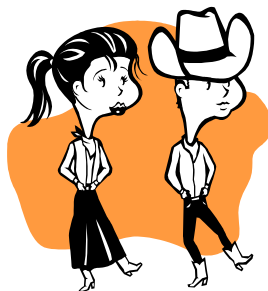
## LINE DANCING CLASS

When? Every Tuesday evening  
from 7.30pm to 8.30pm

Where? At Lees Methodist Church.

For more  
details on this  
established  
class, please  
contact

Wendy on  
07917  
390545.



## ELDERLY GENTLE FOLK - IS THIS FOR YOU???

Would you like a day a week away from  
home, to enjoy the benefits of making  
new friends, have lunch and be  
entertained - all for £3.50?

If the answer is 'Yes' - phone Wendy on  
**01535 272657 or 07917 390545**

The price of £3.50 also includes:

- \* Transport to and from home
- \* Tea/coffee and biscuits during the day
- \* Choice of hot lunch with pudding
- \* 3 trips out a year with lunch
- \* Christmas Concert Party
- \* Various entertainment

Come and join us at any of the following  
Centres:

**Lees Methodist Church** - every Monday

**Oxenhope Methodist Church** - every  
Monday

**West Lane Methodist Church,  
Haworth** - every Wednesday & Thursday

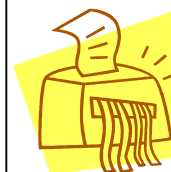
All this is provided by the Methodist Day Care  
Project but is open to everyone, regardless of  
faith, whether Church Members or not.

## YOUR CONTACT POINT

FIND US AT: 28 CHANGE GATE, HAWORTH, BD22 8DY (01535 644001)

email: [wvcontactpoint@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:wvcontactpoint@yahoo.co.uk)

See our opening times on the back page!



### IDENTITY THEFT

Worried about identity  
theft? Why not bring your  
old personal documents into  
the Contact Point to shred  
them?



### ROAD SAFETY

Junior Highway Codes,  
activity books and comics,  
reflective stickers, arm  
bands and Sam Browne  
Belts and more - all free!

### EVENTS

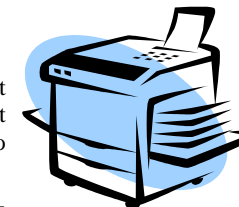
Organising an event? Why  
not put it into the Parish  
Newsletter? Entries into our  
"What's On" section are  
free, and small ads start at as  
little as £5 for Community  
Groups and a half page  
business ad is only £20. The  
Newsletter is distributed to  
approximately 3,000  
households  
in the  
Haworth,  
Cross  
Roads and  
Stanbury  
Parish.



Community Groups can also  
post notices in our window.

### PHOTOCOPIER AND LAMINATOR

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society.

### CRIME PREVENTION

We have a good range of crime prevention  
items, from UV property marker pens and  
personal alarms to extra security for your  
uPVC doors, and high quality steering wheel  
locks. Some items are  
free, others on sale at  
reduced prices. We also  
have lots of information  
cards from West  
Yorkshire Police on how  
to keep yourselves and  
your property safe.



### NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICE TEAM



The Contact Point is the  
base for your  
Neighbourhood Police  
Team, PC Graham Jessop  
and PCSOs Stuart Molyneaux and Martin  
Bell. You can call in to see them at their  
regular surgeries advertised on the centre  
pages, or at any time - but it may be a good  
idea to ring first to make sure they are in!  
Or ring 01535 644001 at any time to leave  
a message for them.

# Jobs@

Helping local people...

...into local jobs

## Do you want FREE help and advice about getting the right job for you?

**Jobs@** is Invest in Bradford's recruitment service, dedicated to providing a bespoke recruitment service benefiting investing companies and local people alike. As well as basic recruitment services we can also offer specialists in spoken and sign languages and advice on cultural and disability awareness.

Drawing people from a range of backgrounds, our team of specialist employment advisers have years of experience of working with companies and people looking for work. **Jobs@** is about helping local people to realise their career goals, ambitions and aspirations. A tailor made job search service is delivered by experienced and dedicated staff to people in the heart of their local communities. **Jobs@** is here to help break down barriers to unemployment and help local people in sustainable employment opportunities.

**Jobs@** understands the needs of the local community and not everyone can attend **Jobs@** offices due to various reasons. To ensure that everyone in the community has access to the service, we are able to provide a flexible job search service to meet the needs of those that are unable to attend an established venue by offering the service at outreach bases throughout the Bradford District.

**Jobs@** will be offering job search service from:-

**Worth Valley Contact Point**  
**28 Changegate**  
**Haworth**  
**West Yorkshire**  
**BD22 8DY**  
**Tel 01535 644001**

We offer friendly, impartial job search advice in local area  
Knowledge of local vacancies and contact with local employers  
Help with your CV, application forms and interview techniques  
Continued support once you get a job

**Whatever your goals**  
**Whatever your concerns**  
**Whatever is stopping you**

***We are here to help you!***

**For more information please contact **Jobs@** on 01274 431375  
or 07795 812473,  
E-mail:- [sajid.queshi@bradford.gov.uk](mailto:sajid.queshi@bradford.gov.uk)**



## PROTECT YOUR SHEDS

Many people take a great deal of trouble securing their house and the property within it whilst at the same time leaving valuable property in a shed, which is either unlocked or so old and run down as to prove no obstacle whatsoever to the thief.

Ensure that your shed is in a good condition to stand up to a security test. If not then take steps to improve it or don't leave valuable items, such as a lawn mower inside.

Once the fabric of the building is sound you can then improve physical security. Fit a good lock on the shed door. A little expense can be money well spent and may help with insurance claims if the worst does happen. The fittings should be bolted through the door of the shed and reinforced at the back with a steel plate. The hasp should have concealed screws.

The padlock itself should be not less than 65mm in width and made of hardened steel. The lock should have no less than five pins. A closed-shackle type will reduce the risk of the lock being forced.

Fit any windows with a grille fixed to steel plates inside the shed. Remember, it is no good securing the door if the windows are an easy target. At the very least consider fitting reinforced glass and a good lock if the window opens.

Not only should your property be secure but you can also make it difficult for the thief to get it.

Install external 'dusk til dawn' lighting to illuminate your garden. Criminals do not like entering well-lit property as they can easily be identified and so will choose a garden or property which is unlit.

Keep shrubs, hedges and large plants cut back, they can provide a screen for thieves to work behind. Check your boundary fences, walls and gates. Keep them in good repair as they do provide a useful barrier to the would-be thief. The harder it is for him to get in, the more suspicious his actions look to others.

Get your neighbours to always keep an eye on your garden at all times of the day and night. You can do the same for them.

**Report anything suspicious to the Police as soon as possible.** Remember - it's not being nousey, it's being sensible.

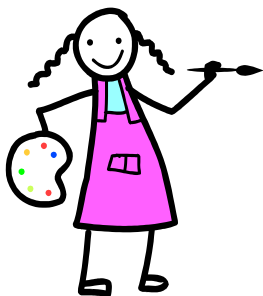
Contact Gary Smith (Neighbourhood Watch Officer) on 01535 617041 or by email at [gs766@westyorkshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:gs766@westyorkshire.pnn.police.uk)



## Fun & Activities for Pre-School Children & Adults Together

We will be telling stories, singing songs, with lots of craft activities together with games to bring stories alive and inspire a love of books in young children.

Our activities are designed to be undertaken by children with an adult's help, so we ask for only two children per adult please.



**Haworth Community Centre.**  
Tuesdays 1.45 - 2.45pm. £2 per child.

Your first session is free so you've nothing to lose, just come along and try it out. However, numbers are strictly limited so reserve a place by calling Denise on (01535) 645604. First session Tues 17<sup>th</sup> April.

Book Time is run by the Book Exchange at the Community Centre which is open for you to browse through our books and have a cuppa from 1.30 - 4pm every Tuesday. Ample parking is available at the Centre on Butt Lane.

### STANBURY PARK AND STRIDE

Some of the parents of Stanbury School pupils have started a walk to school scheme.



There are presently up to 25 children taking part each day and it's good for them, the parents who walk with them and the environment, so everyone's a winner.

If your child goes to Stanbury School, and would like to join them, they leave the Haworth end of village at 8.35am. You do not have to accompany your child but would be welcome to do so.

### NEW HOME WANTED



Do you have a one-bedroomed or studio home for sale? A little cottage or cosy flat?

Want to avoid estate agents' fees and sell quickly to a chain-free cash buyer?

Then drop me a note at Haworth Post Office on Main Street.

## HALL GREEN BOOKPOINT

At Hall Green Bookpoint, Bridgehouse Lane, we continue to welcome new customers who come in to see what is available. For those who have not been in yet, we can tell you that you will find for sale a good range of Christian books, an increasing stock of local books and lovely greeting cards which customers say are very reasonably priced. You will also find for sale posters, stationery, booklets and gifts as well as the offer of free leaflets and refreshments.



In the library, which is free to join and allows you to take out 3 books for up to 4 weeks, you will find over 1800 books from biographies and commentaries to local history and children's books.

Why not cross over from the park or the bottom of Main Street and come inside?

We are open Fridays and Saturdays 1.00pm to 4.00pm and we would love to see you.

Phone 07715 383856 or 01535 649154 for more details.

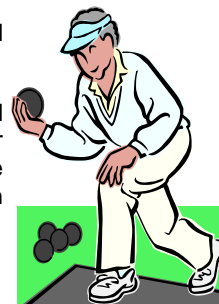
### HAWORTH BOWLING CLUB

Haworth Bowling Club will be holding a pre-season meeting on Sunday 1st April at 11.00am in the Bowling Pavilion in Haworth Central Park, and would welcome any members old or new to join us.

During the summer we shall be holding coaching sessions on a Sunday afternoon from 2.00pm onwards for anybody who would like to come along and try their hand at this ancient sport, which goes back a long way before Francis Drake.

Why not come and join us?

Anybody who would like any further information please contact Alan on 01535 645159.



### IN IT TO WIN IT!



If you receive a letter telling you that you have won a vast amount of money in a lottery, and asking you for a payment in order for the funds to be released, then remember that to win a lottery you have to have bought a ticket and that this is almost certainly a scam.

A new variation on this theme is that instead of asking for money up front, they simply ask for your bank and passport details so that they can "transfer the cash to your account". Some letters even ask you not to tell anyone about this until your cheque has cleared! This is almost certainly an attempt at identity theft.

So beware; if it sounds too good to be true then it probably is! If you have any doubts you can seek advice from West Yorkshire Trading Standards Service on 0845 404 0506.

# What's On ?



## April 2007

### 2nd April, Monday

Haworth, Cross Roads and Stanbury Parish Council  
Planning Committee Meeting

7.30pm, West Lane Baptist Church, Haworth

### 3rd April, Tuesday

Cross Roads & Lees Church and Chapel Ladies Group

Reading Her Own Poetry - Dorothy Nixon

7.30pm Lees Methodist Chapel

### 5th April Thursday

Upper Worth Valley History Group

Open Archive

1.00pm - 3.00pm, Contact Point, 28 Changegate

### 5th April Thursday

Bronte Parsonage Museum

Hat-tricks: hat making art and craft workshops for children aged 5 - 11. For further information or to book contact susan.newby@bronte.org.uk or call 01535 640185

### 10th April, Tuesday

Community Policing Surgery

Contact Point, 28 Changegate

1.00pm—3.00pm

### 16th April, Monday

Stanbury & District WI

"Life in the Dark - the life and work of pit ponies in England" - Mr Duncan Jagger

7.30pm, West Lane Baptist Church, Haworth

### 18th April Wednesday

Bronte Parsonage Museum

Andrew Motion: An Evening with the Poet Laureate.

7.30pm Haworth Parish Church - cost £10 (under 16s

£6). For further information or to book contact

andrew.mccarthy@bronte.org.uk or call

01535 640194

### 21st April, Saturday

Stanbury & District WI

Group Show

7.30pm, West Lane Baptist Church, Haworth

### 21st April, Saturday

Haworth & Worth Valley Rotary Club

Free Blood Pressure Testing - by qualified staff

10.30am - 4.30pm St Michael's Church Vestry, Haworth

### 23rd April, Monday

Haworth, Cross Roads and Stanbury Parish Council

Full Parish Council & Annual Parish Meeting

7.00pm, St James Church Hall, Cross Roads

### 24th April, Tuesday

Community Policing Surgery

Contact Point, 28 Changegate

1.00pm—3.00pm

### 25th April Wednesday

"Your Very Devoted Pupil" - talk focusing on Charlotte

Bronte

2.00pm West Lane Baptist Centre.

Cost £2.50. For further information contact

andrew.mccarthy@bronte.org.uk or call

01535 640194

### 27th April Friday

Bronte Parsonage Museum

Making Myths—new special exhibition focusing on myths that surround the Brontes. Free on entrance to the museum.

For further information contact bronte@bronte.org.uk or call 01535 642323

## NEW COMPUTER CLASSES

Following the success of the Computer Classes for Beginners organised by the Contact Point in the Autumn and Spring terms, we are now arranging a new class to run in the Summer Term, commencing Monday April 16th. The classes are held in West Lane Baptist Church on Mondays afternoons from 2.30pm - 4.30pm. The cost is just £35 to be paid at the start of term, plus a further weekly payment of £1.50.

Places are limited so to register your interest please call the Contact Point on 01535 644001 and leave your name, address and telephone number.



## May 2007

### 1st May, Tuesday

Cross Roads and Lees Church & Chapel Ladies Group,

"This Little Piggy" by Ann Drake

7.30pm St. James Church Hall, Cross Roads

### 3rd May Thursday

Upper Worth Valley History Group

Open Archive

1.00pm - 3.00pm, Contact Point, 28 Changegate

### 8th May, Tuesday

Community Policing Surgery

1.00pm - 3.00pm, Contact Point, 28 Changegate

### 14th May, Tuesday

Haworth, Cross Roads and Stanbury Parish Council

Annual Meeting of the Parish Council

7.00pm, West Lane Baptist Church, Haworth

### 14th May, Monday

Stanbury & District WI

Rug Making—Mrs Diane West

7.30pm, West Lane Baptist Church, Haworth

### 17th May, Thursday

Upper Worth Valley History Group Walk

Hard Naze & Rag, 6 miles, start

10.00am, Tourist Information Centre, Main Street

### 19th & 20th May, Saturday & Sunday

Haworth 1940s Weekend

Various events in Main Street, Haworth

### 22nd May, Tuesday

Community Policing Surgery

1.00pm - 3.00pm, Contact Point, 28 Changegate

### 24th May, Thursday

Upper Worth Valley History Group Walk

Sladen Valley & the Railway, 8 miles, start

10.00am, Tourist Information Centre, Main Street

### 31st May, Thursday

Upper Worth Valley History Group Walk

Mytholmes Mill & Oakworth, 4 miles, start

10.00am, Tourist Information Centre, Main Street

## NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICE TEAM SURGERIES



If you need to speak to our local Police Team, PC Graham Jessop, PCSO Stewart Molyneux and PCSO Martin Bell, and the times shown in "What's On" above are not convenient for you, then please call the Contact Point on 644001 to leave a message for them.

Alternatively, they also hold fortnightly surgeries at the Oakworth Contact Point in Holden Hall, Colne Road, Oakworth, and will be there from 1.00pm - 3.00pm on Monday of 2nd April, 16th April, 30th April, 14th May and 28th May. Why not call to see them there if it suits you better?

## ANNUAL OXENHOPE BOUNDARY WALK

Are you taking part in the Upper Worth Valley History Group Walks, detailed on the front page and above? Then you might be interested in joining Reg Hindley's annual Oxenhope Boundary Walk on Sunday June 3rd.



Meet at Howarth Saw Works, Hebden Road (A6033) at 09.30.

11 miles of rough moorland, packed lunch required and sorry, no dogs!.

Further details from Reg Hindley: 01535-643087

