

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
18th August
15th September



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:

October/November.....17th September
December/January.....15th November

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 27th Sept 1.00—3.00pm

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Worth Valley Contact Point

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Saturday 2pm - 4pm

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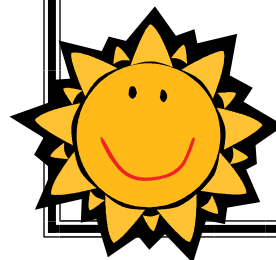
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Can you help? Please contact Hilary at the Contact Point on 644001.



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

ACTION EARTH

During the past few months the Haworth First School Gardening Club have received three CSV Action Earth grants which are supported by Morrisons Supermarkets and organised by CSV Environment. These are £50 grants that support practical environmental projects throughout England and Wales.

The first was called 'Stronger and healthier we grow' and helped us to double the number of wooden raised beds in our vegetable garden. This will enable us to have many more set days when the children's home grown produce can be taken into the school kitchen. The good thing about this project was that the children actually make the raised beds with adult supervision out of the wood that was purchased with the £50 .

The next project was organised to coincide with the Organic Gardens for Schools visit to present us with the 'How does your garden grow' 1st prize. This was called 'Spread the herb word' and involved the morning nursery children planting a raised herb garden in Lewis's garden with their parents. This will form a very important part of their new garden, using touch and smell and

finding out about different uses of herbs. The money paid for the soil to fill the bed and for the herbs.

Our last project was called 'Planting seeds in the community' and involved the Gardening Club visiting Lindisfarne Care Home and actually getting the residents planting with the children. This is an exciting new project that we hope to extend in their new day centre at Belle Isle Apartments. This money paid for bowls and plants.



These Action Earth grants have really enabled us to carry on developing our work throughout the school and local community.

Steve Thorpe, Haworth Primary School Gardening Club

Sponsored by :

Haworth, Cross Roads and Stanbury Parish Council

Parish Council Column

At the July meeting, the Parish Council considered the new Code of Conduct set out by the government. Although the code will become mandatory, the Council does have some choice as to which parts of the code it accepts.

Also back on the agenda is the Charter with Bradford. This has come back to consider the draft Planning Protocol that has been hammered out between the Parish and Town Councils and the Bradford Planning Department. The idea behind the whole Charter is to formalize in a non statutory document how we deal with each other. Bearing in mind that four or so years ago there was no meaningful dialogue between us and the City, this is a real step forward and means that your Parish Council will now be consulted beforehand on anything of major importance that Bradford wishes to do in the Parish.

Of course there will be hiccups and as this is a new document, it has a clause within it for revision at regular periods, so we can solve communication problems as we go along.

Any agreement between us and Bradford will of course be better than no agreement at all and having spent the last three years as the main negotiator between Bradford on one hand and the Parishes on the other I am looking forward to a steadily improving relationship with the District Council.

Peter H. Hill

Chairman, Haworth Cross Roads & Stanbury Parish Council

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The Book Exchange is changing its opening time!

Thursdays 9.30-12.00

(school holidays)

9.00-12.00

(term time)

The book exchange has a large number of books fiction, biographies, jigsaws and magazines.

They are free for anyone who wants to take some, return them when you are ready – no return dates or fees to pay, just call in.

Haworth Community Centre
Butt Lane Haworth
Further details from

Julia 642278



Little LadyBirds

Little Ladybirds is a *new* playgroup which is opening in the Community Centre on Butt Lane.

The group is a 'Stay and Play' group for carers and children under 5. Children get a chance to play with new toys hear stories and do craft work, whilst their carers have a cuppa meet friends.

We will be open all summer (except 9th Aug) and older siblings can join too, sharing stories and join in the craft and fun.



We're open **Thursdays 10-11.30am**, and in September you can even come in from 9am as soon as you've dropped the older ones off at school.

Call Denise 645604 or Julia 642278 or just call in for a great welcome.

Lighten Up



As autumn approaches, and dark nights return, the number of houses burgled often increases. Burglars like to 'work' unseen and prefer empty houses. A home without lights on and surrounded by darkness, signals that not only is the house empty, but a would be burglar can operate unseen. A house in this situation is a much more likely to become a target.

Take a few simple measures to reduce the likelihood of being burgled.

Leave a light on:

Leave a light on inside the house (choose well-used rooms such as the lounge or bedroom – not a hallway or other largely unused area). The intention is to create the impression that someone is in – a significant deterrent. Illuminate the areas of your home which are most likely to achieve this. This will vary from house to house.

Use a timer switch to turn on lights inside the house:

Occupied houses will normally have more than one light on. Therefore, if possible, illuminate a second area that reinforces the impression that someone is in. At least one of the rooms, and preferably two, should be visible from the road.

Timer switches are an excellent way of triggering one or more lights. As daylight hours grow shorter, reset the timer to activate earlier. In the middle of winter a house with someone at home will often have lights on in the early afternoon and the timer needs to be set accordingly.

Use lighting outside the house:

Security lighting should operate either on a timer switch or permanently from dusk to dawn. For this to be economical and to avoid causing nuisance to neighbours, low energy lighting will be needed. This will normally be a Compact Fluorescent light, controlled by a photo-electric cell. (A light sensitive, dusk to dawn switch.) A 13 or 16 Watt unit with an opal cover, sited out of easy reach, will more than adequately illuminate the average rear garden with a gentle pleasant light – which has security, safety and social benefits. This form of lighting is very energy efficient and operates at an annual cost of around £6.

A permanent night time light such as this plays its part in deterring the burglar from selecting that particular house, costs next to nothing to run, and helps to create a more reassuring environment.

PRIVACY AND SECURITY

Be careful to strike a balance between privacy and security. Privacy for you is also privacy for the burglar to work in unseen. Wherever possible try to create the impression that neighbours and the public are able to see what is happening in the most vulnerable areas of your house, which are normally the rear and side. To maintain this impression at night lighting will be needed.

Burglars do not want to be caught and therefore do not want to be seen. A location where the criminal feels uncomfortable and exposed is less likely to be targeted. Remember it is the burglar's impression that he or she can be seen – or might be seen – that matters most, not whether someone is actually watching.

The views on lighting expressed in this report are supported by The Institution of Lighting Engineers and The Chartered Institute of Environmental Health Officers.

Please contact your local crime prevention/reduction officer on **0845 6060606** for any matters relating to your own security or that of your home.

STORYTIME SESSIONS

For Key Stage 1 children (ages 4 - 7 years) and their carers.

When?

Every Friday in August
from 2.00pm - 2.30pm

Where?

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Bridgehouse Lane, Haworth

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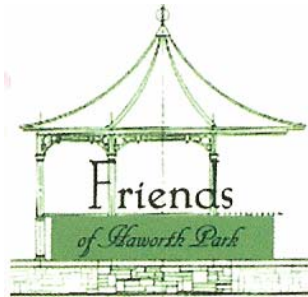
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Group Party Readings available

FRIENDS OF HAWORTH PARK APPEAL UPDATE

The Bandstand appeal boxes sited at various locations around the village have raised more than £100 in just one month. Well done everyone, but please keep popping bits of loose change into the boxes as although it doesn't seem much when you think how much a Bandstand will cost, it reassures the funding bodies we approach that the village is behind the project. The Bandstand working group is now in the process of making a DVD about the project to show to prospective funding bodies. If anyone has any stories about the old Bandstand or the Park they would like to share we would love to hear from you. You can reach us by leaving your name and telephone number at the Contact Point on 01535 644001.



COMPUTER CLASSES



The Contact Point is again organising Computer Classes for the Autumn. The classes will be held on Mondays and Tuesdays in West Lane Baptist Church from week commencing 10th September.

Classes are available for complete beginners, with higher levels available for those wishing to do CLAIT (Computer Literacy and Information Technology) or ECDL (European Computer Driving Licence). We are also hoping to run a course for those interested in digital photography.

The cost of the courses remains incredibly low! The tuition fee is just £35 for a ten week course, with a two hour lesson each week. There is a £5 registration fee, and both these amounts are payable "up-front" at the first session. In addition there is a charge of £1.50 each week towards the room hire, and this is payable weekly on attendance.

If you are interested in learning more, maybe to keep up with your grandchildren, then why not give it a go?

To register your interest or to book a place, please ring the Contact Point on 01535 644001.



Haworth West Lane Baptist Amateur Operatic Society



The Society have been invited by the National Trust to perform Ruddigore in the Airedale Barn at East Riddlesden Hall from 13th November to 17th November with a matinee on Saturday 17th.

The story of Ruddigore is centred round a family of Bad Baronets based on the Murgatroyds of East Riddlesden Hall.

Tickets cost £10 for adults and £6 for children and for the matinee £8 for adults and £4 for children.

By kind permission of the National Trust, each ticket purchased will entitle you to **ONE FREE ADMISSION** to East Riddlesden Hall and Gardens until the Hall closes on November 4th.

Tickets and information are available now from Vera on 01535 643425



Every Night at 7.00pm
Until 24th August

THE MANORLANDS HOSPICE IN-CAR CELEBRITY MURDER MYSTERY HUNT.



Starts and ends at The Wuthering Heights, Stanbury

Cost £5.00 per car,
all proceeds to Sue Ryder Care - Manorlands Hospice.

A fun evening out for ages 8 to 80. For more information ring Andrew Wood at Manorlands on 01535 640432.

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Summer Activities

BRONTË
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MUSEUM
HAWORTH

TUESDAYS (7, 14, 21, 28 AUGUST)

A fun mix of walks, talks and performances

- 11.30am Guided Walk
- 12.30pm Branwell's About
- 1.30pm Tabby's Tour
- 2.30pm Guided Walk
- 3.30pm Branwell's About

WEDNESDAYS (8, 15, 22, 29 AUGUST)

'Hands on History'— discover history through artefacts

Dress up, write with a quill pen, or have a go at embroidery.

THURSDAYS (9, 16, 23, 30 AUGUST)

Art and Craft in the garden

11am-1pm and 2pm-4pm
A different activity each week.

All activities are included in the normal admission price and do not have to be booked ahead. For further information contact Sue Newby on 01535 640185 email susan.newby@bronte.org.uk **www.bronte.info**

Open October-March 11am-5pm daily, April-September 10am-5.30pm.
Last tickets sold half an hour before closing. Closed during January.

WEDNESDAY 8 AUGUST

at 11am, 2pm and 4pm

Jane Eyre – the Well Dressed Governess

Costumed performance.

ALSO THIS SUMMER

Explore round and about the Parsonage with our exciting Brontë Trail and listen to our new audio dramatisation celebrating Elizabeth Gaskell's writing of *The Life of Charlotte Brontë*.



HAWORTH RDA—WORKING FOR ALL THE COMMUNITY

HAWORTH RIDING FOR THE DISABLED

PRESS RELEASE JUNE 2007

The Haworth Riding for the Disabled Group started at the Vale Mill Stables in April 2001 with 1 pony and 3 people giving riding lessons to adults and children with physical and/or learning difficulties. The group currently has 24 volunteers, 6 horses and 80 riders, 75% of whom are under 25. Sessions take place twice per week between March and October when the weather becomes an issue in the outside arena.



Riders can work towards exams and everyone gains awards for knowledge and skills gained from structured lessons. These can include riding, horse management and stable care. Annually riders are presented with achievement certificates and rosettes and have their photograph in the local press.

Haworth RDA has no paid staff and is run entirely by volunteers who carry out a range of tasks such as regular feeding, exercising or mucking out of the horses, planning lessons or cleaning tack and stables.

The volunteers also plan fundraising events and take part in local galas and events like the Oxenhope Straw Race. In the Keighley Gala a number of horses, volunteers and riders usually go dressed up. All the volunteers undergo checks and training, at the end of which they receive a Certificate of Achievement for the time given.

Every month the group must raise enough money to feed and take care of the horses, maintain facilities and provide for improvements and training. Their funds come solely from fundraising, donations, gifts from local businesses for raffles and occasional grants.

The riders come from a variety of sources; some are referred, some come with their families or carers and others come from special schools and local organisations. All benefit from the activities, no matter how much or little they are able to do. It also provides an opportunity for families, carers and riders to make new friends and have social interaction whether this is at the weekly sessions or at one of the social events which take place.

Haworth RDA would welcome your support either for volunteering time, assistance with fundraising or other expertise. They would also like to thank all their volunteers, local people and organisations for their continued help and support.

For further information please contact:

Mrs Jackie Butterfield, Haworth RDA, Vale Mill Stables, Vale Mill Lane, Haworth, BD22 0EF

Tel: 01535 644375

Registered Charity No: 1086421

HAWORTH RDA—RUN ENTIRELY BY VOLUNTEERS

What's On ?



August 2007

Various dates in August

Bronte Parsonage Museum
See advert on pages 7 and 8 for details.

2nd August, Thursday

Upper Worth Valley History Group

Open Archive

1.00pm - 3.00pm, Contact Point, 28 Changegate

3rd August, Friday

Haworth and Stanbury Moors, a 4½ mile circular walk over rough moorland passing sights associated with Emily Bronte's novel "Wuthering Heights". This walk is not suitable for wheelchairs or pushchairs and people with limited mobility. Meet David Parsons at 11.00am at Back Lane, Stanbury (300yds up from Stanbury bus terminus). Packed lunch required.

6th August, Monday

Haworth, Cross Roads and Stanbury Parish Council
Planning Committee Meeting
7.30pm, St. James Church Hall, Cross Roads

9th August, Thursday

Community Policing Surgery
Contact Point, 28 Changegate
1.00pm—2.00pm

13th August, Monday

Stanbury & District WI
"Kill or Cure—Old remedies" Mrs C Tweedale
7.30pm, West Lane Baptist Church, Haworth

16th August, Thursday

Haworth and Stanbury Moors, a 4½ mile circular walk
For details see walk on August 3rd. Meet David Parsons at 11.00am at Back Lane, Stanbury (300yds up from Stanbury bus terminus). Packed lunch required.

23rd August, Thursday

Community Policing Surgery
Contact Point, 28 Changegate
1.00pm—2.00pm

HALL GREEN BOOKPOINT

In September we celebrate our 3rd anniversary and we think there may still be people in Haworth who have not been in yet! We want to tell you that we offer friendly service; free refreshments; a wide range of Christian books, cards and gifts; books and information of local interest, and a free library with almost 2000 books in stock.

Why not come and see?

Open Fridays and Saturdays 1.00pm to 4.00pm.

You will find us on the corner of Bridgehouse Lane and Sun Street, underneath Hall Green Chapel in Haworth.

Phone 07715 383856 or 01535 649154 for more information.

Haworth, Cross Roads & Stanbury Parish Council

In accordance with Section 51(7) of the Local Government Act 2000
Local Authorities (Model Code of Conduct) Order 2007 No.1159

The Model Code of Conduct for Parish & Town Councils

At its meeting on Monday 16th July 2007 the Parish Council adopted the above Code of Conduct, copies of which are available from:

The Clerk to the Council, 86 West Lane, Haworth. BD22 8EN

Tel. 01535 647839, or Email glyn@gdbroomhead.wanadoo.co.uk

September 2007

3rd September, Monday

Haworth, Cross Roads and Stanbury Parish Council
Full Parish Council
7.30pm, West Lane Baptist Church, Haworth

4th September, Tuesday

Cross Roads and Lees Church & Chapel Ladies Group,
"A Mock Court" by David Hanson
7.30pm St. James Church Hall, Cross Roads

6th September, Thursday

Upper Worth Valley History Group
Open Archive
1.00pm - 3.00pm, Contact Point, 28 Changegate

6th September, Thursday

Community Policing Surgery
1.00pm - 2.00pm, Contact Point, 28 Changegate

10th September, Monday

Stanbury & District WI
Annual Meeting 7.30pm,
West Lane Baptist Church, Haworth

20th September, Thursday

Community Policing Surgery
1.00pm - 2.00pm, Contact Point, 28 Changegate

24th September, Monday

Haworth, Cross Roads and Stanbury Parish Council
Planning Committee Meeting
7.30pm, West Lane Baptist Church, Haworth

WILD WORKSHOPS AT THE BRONTE PARSONAGE MUSEUM-

Brontes at Your Fingertips

10th August

Listen to some of the amazingly strange stories told about the Bronte family and decide for yourself what they were really like.

Bring the Brontes to life and shape their personalities with our fabulous finger puppets and theatre.



Secret Self

31st August

A seriously fun workshop for all young artists responding to the work of best selling painter Victoria Brookland, on show at the Bronte Parsonage Museum.

Let's create our own piece, exploring the artist's techniques, to be exhibited to the public.



These workshops are for children aged between 5 and 11 years.

Workshop times : 10.00am - 12.00 noon & 1.30pm - 3.30pm.

Places must be booked in advance. The cost is £4.25 per child.

For further information and bookings please contact:

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