MIDGLEY COMMUNITY FORUM NEWSLETTER

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September 2023

Thank you

We are grateful to Sandra Scott who has diligently edited the Midgley Newsletter for over 10 years now and we welcome Abbie-Lee, into that role, who has given our newsletter a new look.



Midgley village fete 10th June 2023

It was lovely to see the whole community, and many more from further afield, enjoying the spectacle that is Midgley Fete, way back in June. Can you believe now that the weather was so hot that many found relief from the sun under the shade of the trees?!

There was plenty to eat and drink (the lager did run out and supplies had to be brought in from local supermarkets) and entertainment for all the family. From the wonderful Maypole dancers from Midgley school who opened the event, to the straw bale racers and welly wangers, marvellous stall holders, and not to forget the bar and music bands—it all goes to make Midgley fete the special event that it is.

organising and physical effort for many weeks before but especially the Friday to Sunday of the fete weekend. So, a heartfelt, very big THANK YOU to all the volunteers whatever you did to make it such a memorable and successful event. The profit from the Fete was about £4500 which will be used to enhance and maintain the community building and provide activities and events for the community over the coming year.

Community call-out





Looking for stall holders interested in selling food, bric-a-brac, crafts, artists work etc. (N.B. no alcohol)

Cost of stall £5

Potential venues - community room, side passageway, garages & in front of houses on the road.

If you are interested in participating in any way please contact Bracken by text on - 07943 880104 before 22nd September 2023.

MacMillan coffee morning



Thursday 28th September - 10:30 to 12:30am Midgley Community Room

Why don't you come and join in the Fun and raise money for a very worthwhile cause at the Macmillan coffee morning, held in the Midgley Community Room, Towngate, Midgley on Thursday 28th September between 10.30 and 12.30am.

There will be homemade cakes, (including gluten free), scones, raffles and games

Donations of cakes and prizes for a raffle would be appreciated.

Midgley Saturday breakfasts are back!

9th September & 11th November - 10am to 1pm Midgley Community Room



You may have noticed there isn't a Saturday breakfast planned for October. That's because we haven't enough helpers to cook, prepare and serve food on that day.

If you think you could help on a Saturday once every month or two for a few hours, contact Anne Holdsworth on 07985 128737, it would be greatly appreciated.



Sunday 1- 4pm

17th September 2023 26th November 2023 28th January 2024 31st March 2024

Mytholmroyd Community Centre

Cost: A voluntary donation

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Friday 15th September Friday 13th October Friday 17th November



£5 to include homemade supper (meat and vegetarian options) 7.30pm for an 8pm start. The bar will be open and supper will be served half way through the evening.

You don't need a pre-arranged team - just come along!

Sign up and pay in the Shop, to book your place by Wednesday of that week, so we know we have enough people to make it viable.

Make sure you write your contact details on the booking sheet in case we have to cancel, for any reason.

Craft, coffee, chat and cake

Every 2nd Tuesday of the month - 2 to 4pm Midgley Community Room - cost £1.50



Craft, coffee (or tea), chat and cake is starting again after a Summer break! If you like crafting, knitting, sewing, drawing or painting and convivial company then come along – you would be most welcome.

We bring along our own craft or art projects and learn new ones from

For further details please contact Jean Tallis on 01422 882394 or jean.tallis@gmail.com.

Thinking ahead to 2025



2025 will be the centenary of the Recreation Ground being donated to the village by the Murgatroyd family who owned the local Oats Royd Mill.

We would like ideas for something special we can do to recognise and celebrate this, so get your thinking caps on!

Save the date - wine tasting



Join us on Saturday 11th November for wine tasting. Put it in your diaries, sign up and pay in the shop nearer the time.