



QUIZ NIGHT Friday 3rd May

8pm in the Community Room



Entry £5 to include supper

Put your name down in the shop in good time - by the Wednesday of that week.

MIDGLEY BREAKFAST

Saturday 13th April

Sunday 12th May - Spaw Sunday

Community Room 10am to 1pm

Take away available.



FRIDAY TALK

A walk through Midgley village - a local history - by Peggy Horsfield.

Friday May 10th at 7.30 in the Community Room.

Peggie has lived in the village all her life and has a wealth of knowledge and a huge collection of local photos in her personal archive.

This will be a really interesting evening - one not to be missed.

£3.50 to include refreshments - Bar Open.

PENNINE PERSPECTIVES

Aspects of the History of Midgley

On the same evening, a few copies of this book will be available to purchase, together with maps of Midgley as it used to be.

The proceeds will go to Overgate Hospice in memory of Ian Bailey who lived in the village and was so instrumental in the compilation and publication of this book.

SPA WALK MAY 12th Once again Midgley will celebrate the importance of water by dressing the village wells. The theme this year is The History of Midgley.

Meet at The Pinfold at 11am to join a guided walk around all the decorated wells.

As we stop to admire each well, an adult or child will read a poem or short piece - often their own composition. The walk is approximately 1.5 miles and involves some hill walking, climbing over stiles and a short stretch of moor.



Appropriate footwear and clothing is recommended.



The Community Room will be open from 10.00am for a hot Breakfast Butty and Rema's famous Dock Pudding. Dock Pudding is traditionally made in this area of Yorkshire from Sweet Dock Rema Sim kindly picks, prepares and cooks it for us.

Please come along.

MIDGLEY VILLAGE FETE - Saturday 8th June - Put it in your diary!

Recreation Ground Green Lane Starts at 1pm FREE ENTRY



A brilliantly old fashioned fun filled day out for all ages. Stalls, Games, Fell Race, Terrier Races, Village Sports, Tea Tent, Beer Tent, Brass Band, Maypole Dancing, Tug'o'War and lots more besides until 5pm. The beer tent will stay open into the evening and there will be live bands to provide entertainment.

Please start saving for the Tombola Stalls - bottles (in date) washed soft toys, edible chocolate items. We also need clean plastic carrier bags. We will let you know the arrangements for collecting them for the fete in the next newsletter.



MIDGLEY SHOP NEWS



As regulars to the shop will know, on the retirement of our previous bread suppliers, Asa Nicholson, we have taken the opportunity to change to Warburtons. We can now offer an extended range of bread products including thin bagels, fruit loaves, potato cakes, muffins, sandwich thins, and crumpets. If you have a favourite Warburtons product you would like to see in the shop, please let our shop volunteers know.

MIDGLEY RECREATION GROUND – UPDATE

Those of you who visit the rec will know that the first part of the renovation of the playground for the youngest children has been finished. In order to fund the Hip-Hop equipment for older children, we have applied to the Tesco Bags of Help Scheme and from 1st May until 30th June we will be included in the **Blue Token Draw**

that will be run in the following stores:

Halifax Achen Way Halifax Metro
Hipperholme Express Greetland Express
Sowerby Bridge Ovenden Express
Halifax School Lane Express.



If you or your friends or family shop in these stores, please support our bid by picking up your blue discs from the checkout and putting them in our collection box by the exit.

THANK YOU

CALDERDALE IAPT Team

(Improving Access to Psychological Therapies) specialises in helping people with common mental health problems such as Sleep and Stress.

They are offering 60min '**Taster Sessions'**

The next one is about **Stress**

Tuesday 14th May at 2pm

in the Community Room, Midgley.

These are carried out by qualified and experienced clinicians trained in Cognitive Behavioural Therapy (CBT).

These aren't therapeutic groups and as such, people will be under no obligation to share personal information with other attendees.

The emphasis is on identifying unhelpful behaviours and learning more adaptive ways of coping with the stresses and pressure of everyday life.

For more information about these workshops, or the IAPT service in general

Telephone 01484 343700 or email
IAPT.Admin@swyt.nhs.uk

TELEPHONE BOX UPDATE

We are looking for volunteers to help renovate the telephone box. If you can spare an hour or two to help to clean and prepare the telephone box for painting, or can help with painting it, please leave your details with Pat on 885284. We are hoping to make a start shortly as the weather improves. Thank you.



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OBITUARY

We are very sorry to learn that Pat Wragg has died recently. She was one of the founder volunteers of the shop and gave us sterling service for over 13 years until ill health forced her to give up. Her retail experience proved invaluable and she kept a constant watch on stock control during the 6 – 8 hours she covered every week. Her contribution was enormous and she is very much missed.

She particularly liked it when small children came into the shop and always had a penny sweet and a kind word for them.

Her contribution will not be forgotten.

Midgley Shop.

VILLAGE WHIST DRIVE 1st and 3rd Monday 2pm - 4pm in the Community Room £1.50 including refreshments.

Come and enjoy an afternoon in good company whilst exercising your grey cells. No previous experience necessary – just be prepared to have fun. For further details contact Jennifer Crossley Telephone 883365

Knit Craft and Art Group

2nd Tuesday each month 2pm-4pm
This is a small friendly group of folk who are interested in all kinds of crafts and art.

We bring along our own projects and share ideas and skills with each other. If you haven't got a project, just come along for a chat. People of all ages, interests and abilities are welcome. For further details ring Jean Tallis on 882394 or email jean.tallis@gmail.com

