



## QUIZ NIGHT

FRIDAY 6TH JUNE AT 8PM in the  
COMMUNITY ROOM

ENTRY £5

to include home made supper.  
Watch out for posters going up and put  
your name down in the shop

## REMINDER !

Village Clean up Sunday 8th June  
in preparation for Open Gardens the following weekend.



Please meet in the bus terminus at 10 am,  
bringing with you bin bags, rubber gloves,  
brushes and dustpans.

## OPEN GARDENS AND STUDIOS WEEKEND SATURDAY 14th and SUNDAY 15th JUNE

11am to 5pm both days

It's two years since we enjoyed Midgley's last Open Gardens weekend.

Those of us lucky enough to live here already know how wonderful Midgley's environment is,  
but does everybody know how many delightful and lovely gardens there are in the area?

Some tiny, some large, some hidden from view, but every one a treasure in its own right.

Around 20 lovingly tended gardens are being opened up by their proud and enthusiastic owners.  
A fantastic amount of hard work goes into these individual gardens and so please do get out there  
and support your friends and neighbours. Don't forget to ask family and other friends to join you.  
They'll be glad that you did.

Refreshments and plant sales are available over the weekend at several of the gardens  
as well as in the Community Room.

Ticket entry is £5 per adult and is valid for both days. Children are free.

Tickets to be purchased on the day from the shop or individual gardens.

**TICKETS WILL SHOW THE LOCATION OF ALL THE GARDENS AND OPEN STUDIOS.**



Please be aware that as these are private gardens, they are not designed with the visiting public in mind,  
and may have steps or uneven surfaces.

No gardening event is ever complete without plant sales and **CAKES**.

If you have **SPARE PLANTS** to donate for this event please contact  
Anne Holdsworth Tel 882901.



**HOME BAKERS** where would we be without you and all your scrummy cakes?

If you are able to help then please leave your donations in the Community Room  
during Friday or on Saturday morning for distribution around the different sales areas.

Contact Jennifer Vale Tel 885466 if you have any queries concerning your deliveries,  
and please make sure your containers are clearly labelled if you wish them to be returned to you.

**MANY THANKS.**

## Knit, Natter, Craft and Chatter

Is having a break for the Summer.

We will start again in September.

Watch the newsletter for dates and times.

For further details contact

Jean Tallis 01422 882394 Jean.tallis@gmail.com



## Bunting Bee!

Please come and help make  
bunting for the Cragg Vale

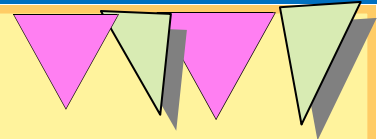
Tour de France - one last push to beat that record!

No skills needed - just cutting out (and sewing if you want).

Refreshments and good chat guaranteed.

Community Room

Sunday 18th May 1pm - 4.30pm.



## CASTLE CARR WALK - SUNDAY 22ND JUNE

Another opportunity, courtesy of Frank and Barbara Scholefield to visit the famous Castle Carr grounds and water gardens.

The fountain will be switched on at 1.30 pm

Rema will again lead a walk the whole way from the bus terminus to Castle Carr leaving at 11 am.

The bottom gate will be open from 12 noon and we ask that **ONLY** those of limited walking ability use the top gate.

Please do not park any vehicles on either Catherine House Lane, Saltenstall Lane, or at Lower Lodge itself.

Dogs must be kept on leads.

Entry payable on the gate. Adults £3 Children £1.

Bacon butties etc will be available.



## LA FETE MUSICALE DE VELO

SATURDAY 28TH JUNE



Only a few weeks now to Le Grand Depart arriving in our area, which means that it's almost time for an equally exciting cycling event to take place twixt Midgley School and Old Town village green.

A children's decorated bike competition at Midgley School will be followed by a mass bike ride from the school on to Old Town.

All residents from Midgley and Old Town are invited to join the cavalcade leaving Midgley at approximately 11 am

Those wanting to participate in the procession need to register at Midgley School from 9.30 onwards for a nominal sum. Refreshments will be available.

Prizes and medals will be handed out after arriving at Old Town.

This will then be followed by an afternoon of live music, along with a BBQ, beer and tea tents and other stalls.

**IMPORTANT REMINDER** that to facilitate this event there will be a **ROAD CLOSURE** between 10.30am and 1pm from Solomon Hill, onwards through Midgley, all along Height Road and on to Old Town village green.

[www.midgley-village.co.uk](http://www.midgley-village.co.uk) We are delighted to report that the village website is now up and running and containing up to date information.

Please use it and continue to send in your photos to [lain@hairydog.co.uk](mailto:lain@hairydog.co.uk)

A big thank you to Gil and Iain Harrison for all their work setting it up.

## VILLAGE WHITBY COACH TRIP



**SATURDAY 12TH JULY**

**Leaving Midgley bus terminus at 8am prompt  
and Whitby at 5pm.**

**Stopping en route at the HighwayMan  
for bacon butties and drinks. On board quizzes and bingo.  
An old fashioned day out at the seaside.**

**Tickets: Adults £14 Children £7**

**Put your name down in the shop now.**

Thanks to everyone who contributed to the success of this year's Spaw Sunday.

Bravo to the well dressers, the performers at the individual wells, and all those in the Community Room who cooked and served up food and drink.

An especial thank you to Rema Sim for leading the walk and also for gathering, preparing and making the dock pudding.

## Rhythm Time

Rebecca runs Rhythm Time - Bradford and Calderdale. She is a mum of two and discovered Rhythm Time with her second baby.

Research has shown that babies need to have all their senses stimulated, and Rhythm Time is passionate about the benefits that music can bring to a young child, helping their social, emotional and neurological development.

Rhythm Time's multi sensory, fun and educational music classes are enjoyed by everyone and the activities will help to build a child's creativity, co-ordination and confidence.

If you'd be interested in classes in Midgley, please let Rebecca know, or if you'd like to come to a FREE TRIAL class in Luddenden, please just get in touch.

Contact Rebecca Bull 07938 752005

Email [RebeccaB@rtfg.co.uk](mailto:RebeccaB@rtfg.co.uk)

Website: [www.rhythmtime.net](http://www.rhythmtime.net)



## MIDGLEY COMMUNITY ROOM

**for hire**

**Private functions, fundraising and  
community events**

**For bookings and enquiries**

**Please contact**

**Jean Tallis 882394**

**email: [jean.tallis@gmail.com](mailto:jean.tallis@gmail.com)**

**Or**

**Alistair Grant 886339**

## MIDGLEY GARDENING GROUP

We are a group of people, interested in gardening, who meet approximately monthly for discussion of gardening topics. We arrange visits to gardens and nurseries as well as visiting each others gardens, and also swap plants and seeds.

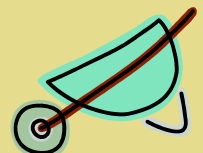
All are welcome to join us. There is no entrance fee or subscription, only a small charge made at meetings held in the Community Room to cover hire of the room.

If you are interested in attending meetings or garden visits, please contact

Eileen Furey on 01422 885284 [Eileen.furey@talktalk.net](mailto:Eileen.furey@talktalk.net)

Or Andrew Sutcliffe on 01422 883388 [samsut211@gmail.com](mailto:samsut211@gmail.com)

You will be most welcome





**YOUR VILLAGE SHOP NEEDS**

**YOU**

Safe to say that none of them have worked in shops in the past but with some simple training all are very competent behind the counter!

A typical 'shift' is one or two hours. Some volunteers prefer a regular slot and others like to fill in when they wish.

You could choose to serve behind the counter or you may prefer to help behind the scenes.

**Tel: Elaine 886339**  
**Jane 883817**  
**Jude 885166**  
**Jackie 883563**  
**Mandy 885432**

**Have you thought of becoming a volunteer?**

**Whilst we have a terrific band of volunteers, we do need more as there are times when it is hard to cover our long opening hours.**

**The shop is run by volunteers of all ages.**

**They enjoy meeting people within the village and spending their time doing something worth while.**



**So if you think you could spare the odd hour every week or so, please get in touch.**

**You will be made very WELCOME**

Please note that the deadline for entries in the next newsletter is Friday 27th June. Contact Sandra 883388 or email sandyscott21@ymail.com.