

The Supporter

Newsletter

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Wakefield Council is investing £1.5 million in parks and public open spaces in 2021. They are asking local residents to complete a short survey to understand the benefits of parks to you and what they need to do to deliver those. The survey takes approximately 9 minutes to complete. **Go to survey**

https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/wkfppos





Open Country are pleased to be running free *Yoga for Beginners* classes on a Tuesday at 6pm – 6.50pm. The weekly class will be run by a professional, fully trained Yoga Instructor called Davina. A few of you might remember she ran a free introductory class back at the beginning of the year for Open Country also. Please get in touch with Open Country directly on 01423 507227 if you would like to attend and they will send you the Zoom link and passcode. Please also let them know when signing up if you have any medical conditions Davina may need to know about.





Team Mate



TUESDAY 15TH JUNE Wellbeing at Work



TUESDAY 22ND JUNE Managing Anxiety & Worry



TUESDAY 29TH JUNE Loneliness & Isolation



TUESDAY 6TH JULY
Assertiveness



TUESDAY 13TH JULY Panic



TUESDAY 20TH JULY Managing Sleep

These workshops are delivered by **Turning Point Talking Therapies** and will focus on men's mental health with an open group discussion followed by physical activity. The workshops are for 18+ and will run from **6pm-8pm** at **Wakefield Trinity RLFC**, **The Mobile Rocket Stadium**, **Doncaster Road**, **Wakefield**, **WF1 5EY**









Wakefield Lateral Flow Testing service

Where can I collect tests from?

- Eastmoor Community Project
- St Mary's Community Centre (Pontefract)
- Havercroft & Ryhill Learning Community Centre
- Wakefield Market Hall
- Castleford Holywell Lane Day Centre
- Kinsley & Fitzwilliam Community Centre





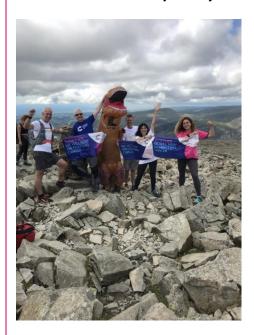








Our amazing colleagues at Spectrum CIC have just completed the #Carefor10, 10 peaks challenge across 10 days! We'd like to say a huge congratulations to them all and would like to thank Dr Linda Harris for her fab photos of their climbs. You can head to @SpectrumCIC to find out more about their journey!















Join the anti-racism movement

#WYHRootOutRacism

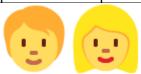
Are you a parent or carer?

Have your say on emotional wellbeing support for young people



Are you are a parent or carer?

Wakefield's Clinical Commissioning
Group (the Wakefield CCG) want
your views about how wellbeing
support for children and young
people should be provided.



Let them know your views by completing a short anonymous survey, which will help the local NHS create the right services



https://smartsurvey.co.uk/s/wellbeing parentcarer



Wakefield's Speciality Markets are back! Head down to Pontefract Town Centre for this month's market, celebrating high quality, handcrafted and unique products and crafts you won't find on the high street. The next date for your diary is Sunday 18 July 2021, 10am-4pm outside the Wakefield Cathedral. To find out all o the summer's dates ahead, visit the council's webpage

https://www.wakefield.gov.uk/markets/speciality
-markets. You can also find out more about
Wakefield's Festival Of The Earth, running
between July and October by following
@eventsinwakey on Twitter.





Help us thank our NHS heroes and celebrate the NHS birthday on Monday 5th July at 3pm (or whenever works best for you!)



Get the kettle on, host a partea and raise some brass for @EvUpCharity



Register your fundraising event here:

https://www.southwestyorkshire.nhs .uk/get-involved/eyup-charity/nhsctbig-tea-2021/

Any child could be exploited by criminals



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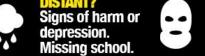
Disrespectful, secretive, change in attitude.



LOTS OF MONEY? Unexplained money, different phone, expensive clothes.



Frequent texts and calls at all hours. New friends, might be older.





UNUSUAL ITEMS?

Balaclava, debit cards, drugs, knives.



JOURNEYS? Frequent and repeat trips. Leaving without explanation.

The parent or child is never to blame. For help and advice visit: www.westyorkshire.police.uk/CCE









SPOT THE FIVE DIFFERENCES







Summer Quiz

- 1 When does the Summer Solstice happen every year in the UK?
- 2 Which month does the Summer Solstice happen in the southern hemisphere?
- 3 Which world-famous sporting event happens at SW19 5AE?
- event happens at SW19 5AE? 4 – What year was the UK's driest summer on record?
- 5 True or false It has been known to snow in June in the UK?
- 6 True or false The Eiffel Tower grows taller in the summer?
- 7 Which pop star featured in the film "Summer Holiday" in the 1960s?
- 8 Which TV soap is set in Summer Bay?
- 9 Name all three summer zodiac signs?
- 10 What vitamin do we get directly from sunlight?

Answers in next week's newsletter!

SOLSTICE OVER STONEHENGE

As the morning star fades from view The sun gradually creeps above the horizon

Changing the purple hue of night: Into the glowing brightness of day

The sun clips the edge of the monolithic stones:

They stand guard over the entrance to the circle

As they have for a millennia Who created them?

One of the greatest mysteries of all time

Allow yourself to be transported back in time

For a moment to a much simpler universe:

A moment for reflection.

Midsummer has now arrived.

The sun climbs much higher
The early shadows recede
The circle remains intact
After thousands of years
Still providing mysteries to be solved.

The stones stare back at us

Reflecting the pas
Awaiting the future
Faceless
Permanent

Civilizations have come and gone But the stones remain a focal point

Silent
Sentinels
Never revealing their secret
Grounded:
Despite changes

Hot Very hot Nothing moves on the horizon Time stands still

An eternity in passing

The sun approaches its zenith

The clouds like cotton wool drift
Across the sky
And wild flowers fill the air with
scent
A peace settles over all time.

Remain focused and grounded In the times ahead

Silently Contemplating

And waiting for the evening star to appear.

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Just turn up ... no need to book and it's free



Peer Support Group for those living with depression, anxiety and related conditions

EVERY WEDNESDAY 11.00am - 12.30pm

Jo Cox House 90 Commercial Street Batley WF17 5DS

The PeerTalk Charitable Foundation, registered charity no.1169830.

Facing Depression Together

PeerTalk

Find out more at:

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