

<u>The</u>

Community Hub





As Spring is officially here and we are heading towards summer, lets see what has been happening here at the Hall and the events we have coming up over the next few months.

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Village Hall News & Updates

* Afternoon Tea Party for the Volunteers of Wilsden

On 19th March we held a Wilsden Volunteers Afternoon Tea Party to thank people for all their hard work & support that they give in our village. As part of the National Village Halls week, we invited 145 people of which 83 people attended, representing 17 of the 22 groups we have in the village. After a slight hiccup with the food order in the morning, our hardworking team of 8, decorated the hall with bunting, laid the tables for afternoon tea and prepared and served all the food and drinks to our guests. There was a real buzz in the hall that afternoon with a lot of laughs, especially around Emma's Card Game which resulted in everyone chasing a wrapped bottle of wine around the room eager to win it. The afternoon was a huge success, thoroughly enjoyable and we had some fabulous feedback from those who came.







* Restored the Main Hall Floor

We are very pleased to have been successful in being awarded a grant from

Shipley Area Panel

This grant has enabled us to have the Hall floor repaired and restored. This meant that we had to ask the user groups who use the hall to move to other parts of the building or ask them to postpone their classes for the week whilst the work was being done.

We would like to thank the user groups again for their patience and understanding whilst this work was being done.



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* Coming Soon......



Are you over 30 and fancy something a little different?

Why not join us at the Village Hall for our

1st Afternoon Disco.

Grab your friends, put your dancing shoes on, bring a bottle if you fancy and dance the afternoon away or simply have a chat with friends.

Fun starts at 3pm

£3.00 per person

Pay on the door

* Fitness for Over Fifties

Rachel is starting a new fitness class for the over 50's on Friday 4th April at 2:00 pm.

If you are interested in joining please contact Rachel on 0781 2526646

or email rachel_waddington@btinternet.com



Community News & Updates

* Wilsden Photography Competition

We had some fabulous entries last year for the Wilsden Photography Competition.

As you know the winners photos were made into our 2025 Calendar and sold in the Post Office, Old Mill Antiques, and the Village Hall.

We are pleased to say that all the calendars, except four were sold.

Thank you to everyone who bought one or sold one,
your support means a lot.



The competition will be running again at the end of the year so start taking those photos now in preparation.

HAPPY SNAPPING

* Co-op Community Fund

We need your help!

We would like to replace lights in the building with LED lighting to save on the rising costs of electricity and be more environmentally friendly.

We hope to do this via a grant through Co-op Community Fund but we need Co-op members to vote for our cause. Please see our page by clicking on the link below and support us to achieve this.

https://membership.coop.co.uk/causes/90636





Special Thanks

Our Village Hall depends on volunteer Trustees to govern how the hall is financed and run for the benefit of Wilsdeners in general.

As a charity, Wilsden Village Hall relies heavily on donations from individuals, groups, organisations and businesses in the community.

We would like to express our sincere gratitude for support we have received to date and for any future donations of which we would be most grateful.

Wilsden Village Hall is pleased to be supported by the following groups and organisations:-

- * P&J Idle Stompers
- * BMDC
- * Leader
- * The Key Fund
- * Royd House Trust
- * Wilsden Good Neighbours
- * Wilsden Parish Council
- * Wilsden Walkers
- * Wilsden W.I.
- Wilsden Gala Committee
- * Wilsden Thursday AfternoonGroup
- * Mr & Mrs J. Bartle

Along with our regular supporters, we would like to thank the following groups and individuals for donations and also volunteering for the hall in recent months.

Shipley Area Panel for funding the repair of the Main Hall floor.

Co-op Community Fund for funding the upgrading of the lighting to LED in the lower hall.

Bingley Bubble for supporting our Afternoon Discos.

Matt Jackson from Lockfit - for coming out straight away to repair the double doors at the front of the building.

Emma Thomas, Susan Scott, Mary Dent, Duncan Thomas, and Sue Maddison who gave up their time to support the Volunteers Afternoon Tea Party.

Old Antiques Mill, Wilsden for selling our calendars to help raise money for Wilsden Community Post Office and the Village Hall.

Thank you as always to our wonderful volunteers who regularly help at the hall. We appreciate your support and we simply couldn't offer our community the variety of activities we run without your help.

Thank You!!

* Tell Us What You Think!

We'd really appreciate you spending a couple of minutes telling us what you think about the hall, its facilities, things we are doing well and areas you think we could improve on.

To do this please click on this link https://rb.gy/hzxbsl
Alternatively, paper copies of our short survey are available from the hall.

Please see the last page for our up to date weekly Timetable.

The majority of these groups and classes are run by independent instructors. Please contact the village hall if you are interested in joining any of these groups and we will provide you with contact details to register.

GROUP NAME	LOCATION	TIME	CONTACT DETAILS
MONDAY			
Wilsden Walkers	Albion Room	09:15-11:30	Village Hall - 01535 272 786
Pilates	Main Hall	09:45-10:45	Liz - 07989 378 757
Adult Tap Dancing	Lower Hall	10:45-11:45	Sharron - 07817 143 105
KFA Adult Laban Dance Fitness	Main Hall	12:00-13:00	Sharron - 07817 143 105
Wilsden Indoor Bowls	Main Hall	13:30-15:30	Village Hall - 01535 272 786
Wilsden Art Group	Albion Room	14:00-16:15	Chris - 07801 051 168
Cubs	Lower Hall	17:45-19:00	cubs@wilsdenscouts.org.uk
Annie's Fun Fitness - Zumba	Main Hall	19:00-19:45	Annabelle - 07375 550 042
Senior Youth Club	Youth Centre	18:30-20:30	june.tavernier@bradford.gov.uk
TUESDAY			
Library	Albion Room	10:30-17:30	wilsdenlibrary@gmail.com
Luncheon Club	Main Hall	12:30-14:10	Val - 07950 122 796
Vanessa's Dance School (3-6yrs)	Main Hall	17:00-17:45	vanessa.zumba@live.co.uk
Vanessa's Dance School (7-9yrs)	Main Hall	17:45-18:30	vanessa.zumba@live.co.uk
Vanessa's Dance School (Competition)	Youth Centre	18:30-19:15	vanessa.zumba@live.co.uk
Beavers	Lower Hall	18:00-19:00	beavers@wilsdenscouts.org.uk
P&J Stompers Line-dancing	Main Hall	19:00-21:00	Phil - 07468 612 424
Scouts	Lower Hall	19:30-21:15	scouts@wilsdenscouts.org.uk
WEDNESDAY			
Learning Together	Lower Hall	09:15-11:15	Village Hall - 01535 272 786
Tai Chi (advanced)	Main Hall	10:00-11:00	bradfordmartialarts@gmail.com
Tai Chi	Main Hall	11:30-12:30	bradfordmartialarts@gmail.com
Table Tennis (Adults)	Youth Centre	14:00-15:00	Village Hall - 01535 272 786
Yoga with Nick Toehill	Main Hall	19:00-20:00	Nick - 07738 123 125
Spiritual Development	Youth Centre	19:00-20:30	Stacey - 07541 214 867
THURSDAY			
Toddler Group	Main Hall	09:15-11:15	Village Hall - 01535 272 786
Wilsden Craft Group	Albion Room	10:30-13:00	Beth - 07967 556 916
Bingley Art Society	Albion Room	14:00-16:00	Aileen - 07904 324 951
Wilsden Thursday afternoon Group	Main Hall	14:00-16:00	Village Hall - 01535 272 786
Vanessa's Dance School (Acro)	Main Hall	17:15-18:00	vanessa.zumba@live.co.uk
Vanessa's Dance School (10-13yrs)	Main Hall	18:00-18:45	vanessa.zumba@live.co.uk
Vanessa's Dance School (14-18yrs)	Main Hall	18:45-19:30	vanessa.zumba@live.co.uk
Martial Arts	Lower Hall	18:30-19:30	bradfordmartialarts@gmail.com
Tai Chi	Main Hall	20:00-21:00	bradfordmartialarts@gmail.com
Senior Youth Club (12-18 yrs)	Youth Centre	18:30-20:30	june.tavernier@bradford.gov.uk
FRIDAY			
Pilates	Main Hall	09:45-10:45	Liz - 07989 378 757
The Albion Tearoom	Albion Room	10:00-12:00	Village Hall - 01535 272 786
Fitness for over 50's	Youth Centre	14:00 - 15:00	Rachel -0781 2526646
Junior Youth Club	Youth Centre/Main Hall	18:00-20:00	Village Hall - 01535 272 786
SATURDAY			
Little Bear Feet Ballet (18 months +)	Main Hall	09:30-10:00	vanessa.zumba@live.co.uk
Melody Movement Ballet (3 yrs +)	Main Hall	10:15-10:45	vanessa.zumba@live.co.uk
Junior Ballet (6 yrs +)	Main Hall	10:45-11:15	vanessa.zumba@live.co.uk