

# Yorkshire Flood Appeal

As you will have seen in the media, both North and West Yorkshire have been badly hit by the latest round of flooding over the Christmas period. The Emergency services, Councils, Army personnel, RNLI and Mountain Rescue teams and local volunteers have been doing a fantastic job in clearing the immediate aftermath, but it is obvious that there is a huge amount still to do. It is still early days, and the full extent of the devastation has yet to be revealed.



If you would like to help with cash donations, Rotary in Yorkshire has opened an Appeal.

Donations will be distributed via the two charities named below or following specific requests from local Rotary clubs.

1. Calder Valley Community Fund, which was set up originally to deal with previous flooding disasters in the Calderdale area, and is an independent charity.
2. York Disaster Fund, which was also created to deal with previous flood relief work by the last Archbishop of York.

Please make payments to **RI District 1040**, and send them to our District Treasurer:

Rtn. Paul Brindle, The Chestnuts, Broomfield Avenue, Skircoat Green, Halifax, HX3 0JF

Alternatively, donations may be sent to our Charitable Trust using direct banking to Barclays Bank:

**Sortcode**        **20 48 46**

**Account**        **93619761**

Please use the Reference field to tell us who has sent the donation.

Individuals may like to give directly to the Calderdale Appeal using LocalGiving, where GiftAid may be reclaimed:

<https://localgiving.com/appeal/Flooding>

Thank you for your interest in our appeal and for your thoughtfulness for the needs of others.

District Governor Hazel Haas

01937 339306

hazelhaas@hotmail.com