

Can you help?

District Marketing, PR and Communication (MPRC)

Immediate past District Governor Robert Morphet is the MPRC officer for the District 1040 this Rotary year. After a slow start, he is now working to establish a link with all clubs that would like to develop the profile of their club and work to achieve and share best practice. If you or someone you know would like to help develop the MPRC role within your club, please [contact Robert by email](#).

Alternatively, do you have Marketing, PR or an effective working insight in to social media? Would you like to help Robert raise the profile of Rotary across Yorkshire and North Lincolnshire? Please contact Robert using the link above. Your CV showing your areas of expertise would be very useful.

Warmly
Julia

P.S If you have just a moment to sign up and [vote](#) for a project below, they can win funds to do good work all over the region. [Would you take a look?](#)

October

Find a four for a Charity Bridge Drive at Boothferry Golf Club with Howden Rotary **Wednesday 24th October**. Contact [Michael Merrett](#) or telephone 01430 431604 and click on the poster to see it larger. 10.30 for 11am. £12.50 pp including lunch.



Aireborough will be welcoming back to Yeadon Town Hall and his native Yorkshire the indomitable Frank Renton PHF and the Hepworth Band. **Friday 26 October** at 7.30 p.m. Enquiries to John Kitching 07753 434214 .

November




Rotary Club of Holmfirth [Fun Fair and Bonfire](#) will be at the Sands Recreation Ground **Saturday 3rd November**. Fair from 5.30pm Bonfire lit 6.30 pm Firework display 7.00pm Admission £5 adults Free for children under 14 .



Tuesday 13th November Curry Night with Bradford Bronte. The Club has supported the Gambian School Trust for a number of years because we know the brilliant job they do. We applied for a grant from Foundation and were awarded £1000. Now we need to match funds so the School Trust can build a solar well in Jamwelly, Gambia. We do hope you can come along and help. Contact anigriffin@gmail.com to reserve your place and click on the poster right for a larger view.

Curry night

Tuesday 13th November 7.00 for 7.30 £15.00
Deeva Restaurant 58 Town Street, Farsley, Pudsey, LS28 5LD

 The Rotary Club of Bradford Bronte are raising funds to help the Gambian School Trust buy and install a solar well at a school in the village of Jamwelly.

Join us for a delicious curry buffet, fun and friendship, stalls, raffles and activities
Street parking available, and behind the restaurant at the Old Hall Hotel car park.
Please email Anne to reserve your place – anigriffin@gmail.com

 **Rotary Club**
of Bradford Bronte 


Bradford Club **November 14th**; Quiz night. Contact [John Parker](#) for details.

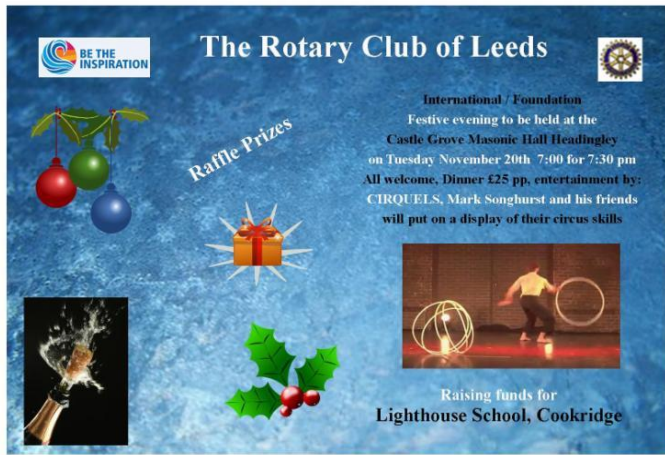


President Roger Carrington and Bingley Rotary Club invite your President and Members to our **PRESIDENT'S EVENING**, at the Mercure Bankfield Hotel. **Friday, 16th November** 7:15pm for 7:45pm Black Tie/Dark Suit. £28.50 pp. Elvis Presley direct from Nashville i.e. Nashville Terrace, Idle BD10. Please contact [Richard Hooper](#) to book.

The competition is going to be hot in the kitchen at this year's Rotary Young Chef Leeds and Bradford Heat on **Saturday 17th November** at the Printworks Campus, Leeds City hosted by the Rotary Club of Leeds White Rose. They have invited some prestigious chefs to judge the competition. If you know any 11-17 year olds who are interested in participating please get in touch with us at rotaryyoungcheflb@gmail.com

ROTARY **YOUNG** **CHEF** **COMPETITION**

Sponsored by  **FILIPPO BERIO**



Tuesday November 20th, Leeds
 Rotary gets wonderfully Festive. Click on the poster to find out about the fun to be had!! Contact [Tony Cleminson](#) for more details.

Ever wanted to sing Handel's Messiah **Saturday 24th November** with outstanding soloists?

Of course you have! Now Hornsea and East Riding Rotary Club bring together Paul Dewhurst (Director of Music, Hull Choral Union), Matthew Collins (Organist Howden Minster,) great soloists and YOU to sing "Messiah" in a day. Choir rehearsal starts at 1.30pm. Singers register now (11th Nov latest) for full details. Cost to take part £10 (fish and chip supper inc.) Hire of score £2 Email [John Gosnold](#)



now or call 07817 106521 Unable to take part? Come along on the day to the amazing finale! Concert 6.30pm cost £5

Will there be 2018 runners for **25th...Santas at the ready,**

The 2018 [Great Skipton Santa](#) 1800 participants last year and charity. This year we are and finishing the Fun Run on encourage even more runners Suit and medal... What's not to image for a bigger version and



Have you got the Christmas spirit to join in the FUN?

People of all ages (over 6yrs) and ability can take part in this 5km circular route around Skipton. Run, jog or walk - all are welcome. The event objectives are to enable participants to have fun whilst contributing to charities and good causes.

Entry Donation:

£15 for Adults - £8 for Children 6-15yrs.

Includes a FREE Santa suit AND a commemorative medal on completion of the event.

2018? **November** set...

[Fun Run](#) attracted raised £37,000 for hoping that starting Skipton High St will to enter. Free Santa love?! Click on the more details. Contact [Colin Hargreaves](#) for details.



24th November - learn to play or watch blind fold Paralympic sport Goalball to tackle disability stigma in Ghana, with inclusive sports. York St John University Sports Centre- Lord Mayor's Walk. From 11a.m. to 4.00p.m with GB Paralympians. Click on the poster left for more details. Slots are limited and will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis, so register now before it's too late!

The ever-joyful and bright Christmas tree festival of Bridlington Club kicks off **30th November** - click on the poster right for details. It opens out a treat!



2018 Festival of Christmas Trees Weekend 1

Fri 30th November 2018 at 10.00 - Sun 2nd December 2018 - 16.00

Bridlington Rotary Club Annual Christmas Tree Festival An opportunity for local organisations to represent themselves by dressing a Christmas Tree to be placed in St Johns Burlington Church

Musical Programme

Fri 30th November

10-15am : Official Opening Pasture Lane School

11-15am:

1-15pm: Quay Academy Choir

2-15pm: Bempton School

7-00pm Gala Concert with Longcroft School Gospel Choir supported by Hilderthorpe School Choir Tickets £5

Sat 1st December

10-15am: John Murray and Friends

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1-00pm: Coastal Voices

2-00pm: Harmonia

December



Rotary Skipton Craven and Tesco Skipton, Age UK and Carers' Resource, are holding a celebration of companionship and friendship, with a 3-course Christmas meal, a joyful afternoon of entertainment and an appearance by a special seasonal visitor, at Ermysted's Grammar School, Skipton, on **Sunday 2nd December**. [David Squire](#) knows more.

2018 Festival of Christmas Trees Weekend 2

Fri 7th December 2018 at 10.00 - Sun 9th December 2018 - 16.00

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Fri 7th December

10-15am: Martongate School

11-15am : Burlington School

1-15pm : Bay School

2-15pm : Our Lady & St Peter's

Sat 8th December:

10-30am: U3A "The Entertainers"

11-30am: Ad Hoc Choir

1-00pm:

2-00pm: Cadenza

Sun 9th December

4-30pm Final celebration with Chantons Choir and "Churches Together" Choir and plus carols for all.



And if you'd like another go, or missed the first weekend - here's a second merry and bright festive

bite, with music and more.

Deck the halls... tra la la....

And at Bradford Club **December 5th**; Carol Service and **December 27th**. Christmas walk.. Contact [John Parker](#) for details of both.

Can you Spare A Minute and a Half?



AVIVA INSURANCE HAS approved two projects to apply for funds (created by your editor) and all they have to do is gather votes... lots of votes!! The first one is to train up two young folk dance teachers to teach classes to people of all faiths, and none.

1) It's a First-Past-The-Post system so please **VOTE HERE as soon as you possibly can. It's a race** and only the first 30 projects get funded. There is no cost at

all to you, and the process is very quick.

2) We also have an interfaith scheme with Christian, Muslim and Jewish dancers taking place over several months next year over the whole of Yorkshire & the Humber, and the North of England. Would you help us with this, if Project One is complete by the time you vote and **look here instead?**

If you'd like Julia to give you a demo of the Leeds International Dance Organisation's work or talk to your club about the projects, please [contact her here!](#)

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!

Project Video



A Tribute to a Hero



To commemorate the end of WW1 in 1918, details of Rotarians who served in the Great War are being compiled and we have been contacted about Rotarian Cptn Frederick William Hedges holder of the Victoria Cross who was a member of RC Leeds during the 1940s and early 50s.

His three tours of duty and his heroic story are outlined [here](#).

Our freedom was won by men like this. Do take a look.

For 2019: Ripon Rotary Bike Ride is on **May 11th** raising money for Dementia Forward, Scleroderma Research and Rotary Club charities. Start is at Bishop Monkton Village Hall with the same 100k circular route. [Peter Race](#) knows more and the website details are [here](#).

Caring Summer.. !

The Rotary Club of Scarborough is, once again, arranging the annual Carers' Holiday for 2019 and wants to offer 6 singles on a dinner, bed & breakfast basis on **9-15 July** (6 nights). The stay will include local excursions and entertainment. This event is very popular and we continue to get great feedback from those who attend. It is aimed at Clubs who are aware of worthy people who spend their days looking after dependent family members and who would benefit from a well earned break Please put forward your earliest application to reserve a place. The weather is, as always, predicted to be warm and sunny ☀☀ and will show Scarborough at its best. All enquiries to [John Riby](#).

Summer 2019



The image contains two promotional posters for the Pickering Rotary Club. The left poster is for a 'GOLF DAY' sponsored by the Pickering Rotary Club, held on Wednesday 10th July 2019 at Kirkbymoorside Golf Club. It features a golfer in mid-swing and lists an entry fee of £100 per team, a 18-hole golf competition with breakfast and refreshments, and prizes of £200, £100, and £60. The right poster is for an 'Exhibition of local ART' held at the Macmillan Cancer Support Memorial Hall in Pickering from 12th to 21st July 2019. It features a colorful abstract painting and lists free admission from 10.00am to 5.00pm. Both posters include the Pickering Rotary Club logo and contact information for Chris Pearson.

Golfing or being arty, Pickering gets ahead of the game. Click on the posters for larger versions.

NEXT DEADLINE

Please send your events for any future dates - deadline of **FRIDAY 23rd November** for the next edition - to Julia@bjmediaco.uk.

If you would like to contribute to the national Rotary Today newsletter, do get in touch. Looking for an old edition of this newsletter? Try [here](#)