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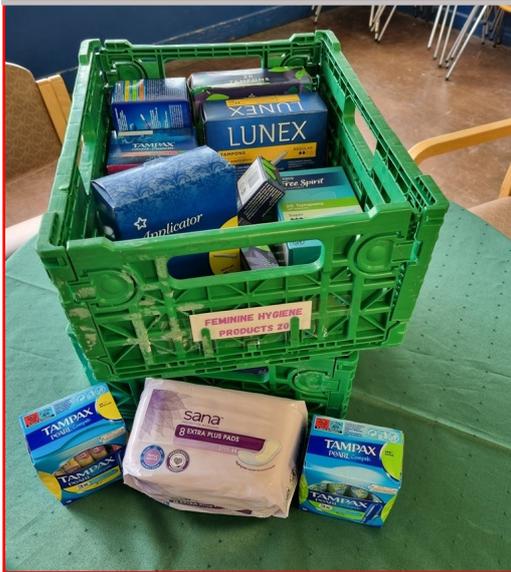
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#Big Thank You

**We are 21 (issues old)**  **25,000 + Views Online & Printed Copies**

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### Cost of Living Crisis



“Not Just Food Needed, Other Essentials too”  
at  
Wetherby Food Bank  
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### Delights of a Summer's Walk

- \* Relax on the new bench installed near the racecourse on the old railway line Harland Way
- \* Admire the wonderful blue tit artwork under the A1 by the river
- \* Enjoy nature, like a family of 9 stoats seen playing in an East Keswick lane (no photo)



### News / No News

Not clearly stated how MP voted in the Boris Confidence Vote whilst his Conservative colleague in Harrogate makes his position crystal clear. *See page 3*



### J D WETHERSPOON *Free House*

Things seem to be happening but the wait goes on for definite news. Our contact at 'Spoons keeps telling us to get back to him in a couple of weeks!



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# Wetherby Foodbank

Project Coordinator, Bryony Hudson provides an update of the vital work the charity does in these tough times, and tells us that sanitary protection and toiletries are in demand too.

**“We've had a busy few months** at Wetherby and District Foodbank, and are proud to have supported 379 people with emergency food in the last 6 months.

**The cost of living crisis** is forcing more and more people into making impossible decisions about how to support their families. One of the areas we are most concerned about is ensuring women in our community have access to period products.

**We don't just provide emergency food** - our parcels include pet food, toiletries and cleaning products to ensure those in crisis have the essentials for daily life. Safeguarding the dignity of women and girls is a priority for us, particularly during school holidays when we know there will be a gap in provision of these products for school-aged girls.

**We receive donations of toiletries** from the Beauty Bank collection point at Superdrug in the Horsefair Centre which includes sanitary protection. We are grateful to those who have donated these products, allowing us to continue to provide this vital support.

**If anyone in our community is in need of period products**, we are happy to help.

You can collect sanitary products without a voucher or you can request them as part of your food parcel when presenting with a voucher.”

*Please pop in to the Foodbank at the Barleyfields Centre, or contact them by phone 07840 455725*

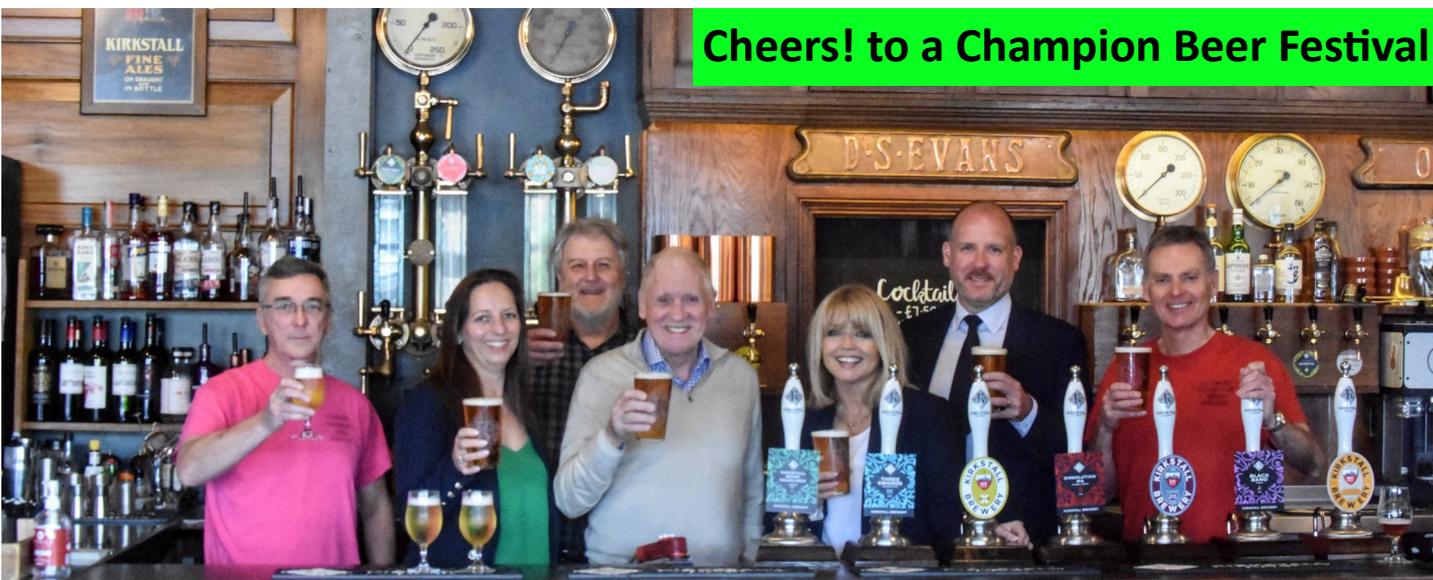
*or email: [info@Wetherbyanddistrict.foodbank.org.uk](mailto:info@Wetherbyanddistrict.foodbank.org.uk)*

*Sessions run from 9.30am until 11.30am on Tuesday and Friday mornings*

*Full information is available on their website at <https://wetherbyanddistrict.foodbank.org.uk/>*



Food Basics



**Popular former TV presenters, Harry Gration & Christine Talbot**, have joined forces for this year's fundraising Clifford Champion Beer Festival.

The local news personalities were joined at the Kirkstall Brewery launch in Leeds by Ben and Victoria Furnell from main sponsor Furnell Residential, the Bardsey based estate agent and brewery founder Steve Holt whose company is sponsoring the glasses.

Beers include a Pale Ale named 'Kirkstall News Headlines' from Kirkstall Brewery, in recognition of Harry and Christine.

In total over 30 real ales will be available including Festival and Champion beers, along with cider, wine and a prosecco and gin bar. There will also be food and live music throughout the day.

Tim said: “It was great to get the two main sponsors together and thank them personally for their generous support. We are also grateful to Harry and Christine for finding time in their busy diaries to attend the launch.”

He added “We have put together a fantastic assortment of beers to suit all palates and with Covid having prevented the festival taking place for the last two years we are determined to make this year's event the best ever.”

The event is now in its eleventh year and all proceeds will be shared between Clifford Amateur Football Club and the village hall.

**Raise a Glass on Sat 25 June, Midday to 11pm at Clifford Village Hall Entry £6.00**



Alec Shelbrooke, 46, has been our Conservative MP for more than 10 years. His basic salary is £84K (£2,200 rise in Apr '22) In the last election in 2019 he won 58% of our vote beating Labour by over 17,000 votes. He was a Remainer. From Dec '19 to May '22 he has voted 467 times out of 560 (83%) and has rebelled once, in Mar 22, against the party whip.

## Space for Alec to tell readers anything he wants, unedited (max 400 words)

**Cost of Living Crisis, Wetherby issues, his Priorities perhaps? Nothing received**



Boris Johnson has the confidence of 60% of his MPs. We do not know how Alec voted. In a statement he released on 1 June, he said the vote was the "Conservative Party's indulgence in a protracted leadership election at a time when the Prime Minister's leadership is being relied upon internationally. The Government must remain focussed on the issues that matter to families in Elmet & Rothwell." He did not state how he would vote or how much support he is giving to the PM. He has not clarified his position since.

*Alec's Conservative colleague down the road was only too happy to be crystal clear on his position. Andrew Jones, MP said 'law-makers cannot be law-breakers'. Simple and straight-forward, he stated that he voted against Boris.*

*We would like our MP to say what he thinks, leaving his constituents in no doubt of his standpoint. Surely we deserve to know exactly what Alec's position is on important matters like this? If you disagree, please write to us.*



## Response from Wetherby Town Council to Our Questions

### Q1 Why does Wetherby Town Council have a company '.co.uk' address.

"The Council does not hold any items of information in relation to this question as the decision to register a .co.uk address was taken many years ago at the point of the Council first setting up a website and there are no items of information in relation to the rationale behind this decision. It is however, not compulsory for a Council to have a .gov.uk address."

*We say: See Reader's Letter on page 4 for more info on this. Looks like '.co.uk' is going to stay.*

### Q2 – Why is Wetherby's website 'not secure' on web browsers?

"This is because the Council hasn't applied to have an SSL certificate on its site.

This is not an item that has been formally considered by the Town Council as all the information on the website is for public consumption – there are no elements such as membership, e-commerce, or login areas. Guidance from our website provider states the following:

"Not everyone needs an SSL Certificate and that secure padlock at the top of their website. While it looks nice, it also costs money and time to implement and you only really need it if your website deals with sensitive information such as transactions or membership areas that require passwords." The full guidance note can be viewed at: [visionict.com/Not\\_Secure\\_doesnt\\_mean\\_not\\_secure](http://visionict.com/Not_Secure_doesnt_mean_not_secure)"

*We say: As we said in the article, having 'not secure' next to the web address does not inspire confidence and may put many off using it. Quick look at Otley, Ilkley & Harrogate and they are all secure websites. Even Parish council websites like Collingham, Boston Spa, Bardsey & East Keswick are secure!!*

*The front page of Wetherby's should reassure visitors it is a secure site.*

### Q3 – Who checks that they [Members' registers of interests] are up to date?

"It's a Councillor's duty to ensure that their registers of interests are kept up to date. It is not the Town Council's; however, in accordance with best practice a reminder to declare interests is included on the agenda of every meeting of Wetherby Town Council and routine reminders to update registers of interests are provided (usually at least at the annual meeting of the Council)."

*We say: Nobody is responsible for checking this important information. That means misleading and missing information could be in the Registers and nobody would know. We have already given one example of this. This is not good for transparency - too easy to hide links, relationships & self-interests.*

### Q4 How many have not undertaken this [Chairmanship] training if they need to be reminded?

"Three Councillors have attended the Chairmanship training provided by the Yorkshire Local Councils Associations."

*We say: A simple question NOT answered. This shows an unwillingness to be transparent and straight-forward with the public. Why? They should provide assurance that those who have not undertaken training will do so within a certain time period. We will ask them again.*

### Q5 Why was there no general comments about the year in the minutes?

Summary of response: The minutes are on the website and the public are welcome to attend meetings.

*We say: The public cannot expect any written opinion or statement from any councillor about the past year, just the basic facts. We can't expect any general comments comparing this year with last. You must read the whole report for anything that might be of interest. This is not very helpful and may be one of the reasons why nobody turned up at the Annual meeting.*



Wetherby Town Hall, May 22



Still on the website - the only available image of all our councillors together. It is 4 years old and doesn't reflect the current council. At least one cllr looks very different now

The Rhinos have climbed out of the bottom four in Super League after 4 wins in the last 6 games. The most surprising victory was at Warrington where they rarely come away with anything but bruised bodies & pride. A superb performance saw them dominate the Wolves and win 40 - 4. The following week the Rhinos were beaten 30 - 16 by the best side in Yorkshire, Huddersfield. An unpredictable season for them so far but next up is another match away from Headingley at the League Leaders.

St Helens v Rhinos on Thurs 23 June at 8pm



# A Reader Writes:



I share the frustrations with Wetherby Town Council. I cannot understand why councillors are generally not willing to provide input for the Wetherby Free Press. After all they are accountable to the public.



**Regarding declarations of political affiliation**, there does not appear to be any standard approach. Some councils have this information openly published, whilst some others require it to be included in the declarations of interest. Again, not all declarations of interest require this information thereby remaining "silent" on the matter. Surely this should have some standardisation.

**I personally do not feel that local councils should be politically influenced.** A few years ago I applied for co-option to fill a vacancy on the Council, and was asked at interview about my political affiliation. I answered that I was independently minded. I did not get selected, and whilst accepting the outcome, I still wonder if my "independence" had any impact on the decision.

**As for the town's website address, I carried out some research** and virtually every council that I checked had a .gov.uk suffix. Examples are:

Pateley Bridge, Ripon, Beverley, Easingwold, Horsforth, Skipton, Driffield, Leyburn, Tadcaster, Hebden Bridge, Bingley and many Parish Councils, like Collingham.

Only Hemsworth near Wakefield also had a .co.uk suffix, like Wetherby. It does therefore appear that Wetherby is out of step with the approach adopted by the majority.

**I personally believe that Alec Shelbrooke is a career politician** who supports party lines as directed. I understand that he did appear in the Independent newspaper recently speaking as a NATO UK envoy. On local issues, I only wish he would be as independent as his colleague Kevin Hollinrake supporting local residents against the Home Office intended use of Linton-on-Ouse ex airbase. Also I find it strange that the MP's Secretary is a Wetherby Councillor, albeit apologising for not attending recent meetings.

**Unfortunately there does appear to be an amount of public apathy** regarding the Council and I am not sure how to this can be overcome. I am frustrated that my advancing years and other commitments inhibit me from doing more when the status quo appears to be accepted. I believe that the whole UK political system is broken and requires radical reform.



**I also note your information on Wetherby petrol prices** which clearly shows that for some considerable period they are always higher than elsewhere. I always make a point of refuelling at cheaper cost when passing elsewhere. Whilst I genuinely wish to support local businesses, I cannot remember the last time that I used Wetherby fuel stations due to the excess costs.

**On your suggestions to raise the profile of Wetherby**, I am wondering if you have made contact with the "Better Wetherby Partnership Ltd" organisation, which may possibly be interested in pursuing such an initiative?

**Finally, regarding wrong bus timetable information provided by Metro.** Whilst at Leeds Bus Station recently, the printed times shown for buses to Halifax were incorrect, disagreeing with that shown on the internet. Fortunately the departure information agreed with the internet and was correct! Closer to home; the photo is of a southbound bus stop flag in Deighton Road. This is the wrong direction for buses to Knaresborough, and a copy has been sent to Metro.



**Within the last few days my wife had extreme difficulty** in establishing the pick up point for the X98/X99 service in Boar Lane, Leeds as all she could find was blank bus stop flags at the designated stops. A friendly First Bus driver operating on a different route tried to help without success. Another passing member of First Bus staff had the same difficulty in trying to assist. Eventually she was fortunate in stopping the X98 at a random bus stop and was able to board. These instances certainly do not encourage the use of local buses.

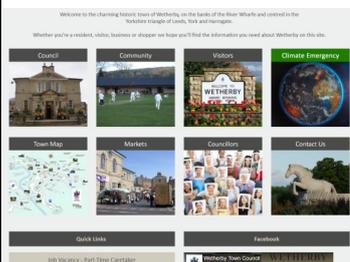
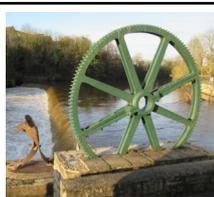
*The resident preferred to remain anonymous and we respect that. We thank him for his views and interesting research. Regarding the Better Wetherby Partnership Ltd, they have made it clear they want nothing to do with the WFP. They have not contacted us about the A1 sign campaign, nor have the Wetherby Business Association. Please see pages 5 & 7 about our friends at Metro and the missing and wrong information at bus stops; like your wife, I too searched in vain for signs of the X98/99 stop in Leeds recently.*

## Comparisons with Otley

In the last Issue we compared the Wetherby website with Otley's. We thought Otley's was far superior in many ways, including format, attractiveness, user-friendliness and ease of access to, and inclusion of, important information. Nobody has disagreed with us.

We await a response to our constructive criticism from the Council and Cllr Victor Hawkins, Chair of *Welcome to Wetherby*. Are they going to prioritise the website as we think it's a barrier to accountability and attracting more visitors?

In Issue 19 we showed that Wetherby leaflets are generally inferior in quality and quantity to Otley's. Again, we hope Cllr Hawkins and *Welcome to Wetherby* will respond and take positive action to improve the marketing of our market town.



Wetherby's Grey Website

## You're having a larf!

"Two fish in a tank. One says: 'How do you drive this thing?'" – Peter Kay  
*Before crowbars were invented, I guess they just drank at home*



### Cheap Petrol Shock at Wetherby Services



Radio 1 Quiz Who was the first man on the moon? Contestant: "Louis Armstrong"

### Cost of Unleaded:

Correct on Thurs 16 June to nearest penny



Tesco Seacroft £1.81 Morrisons £1.90  
 Shell £1.95 Services £2.03  
 Difference b/w Services & Morrisons  
 to fill average tank of 55 litres is £7.15



The Single Evening Fare on First buses is now a permanent feature at a new price of £1.40 for any journey across West Yorkshire after 7pm. This ticket will also be added into their Tap on Tap off system to give greater flexibility with payment.



Route X98/99	Mon - Fri	Sat	Sun
W'by Bus Sta to Lds	19.04, 20.10 ...	19.07, 20.09 ...	19.16, 20.16 ...
Leeds to W'by	21.03, 22.03, 23.03	21.03, 22.03, 23.03	21.08, 22.08

Hard to believe, the starting point in Leeds is so hard to find. The Metro website says unhelpfully 'City Square' (it's a big place) and First's says 'Boar Lane' (with 8 stops on it). The stop it used to be has disappeared and there is nothing saying X98/99 on the stop next to it.



Issue 16 detailed a similar example of Metro failing to get basic communication right. First Bus should be ensuring passengers are not put through this unnecessary frustration time after time.

**\*\* THE STOP HAS BEEN CONFIRMED AS STAND L on BOAR LANE \*\***

Assurances have been made that this info will be made clearer.

## BUS CUTS

Due to a lack of drivers Connexions buses are unable to run routes 923 to Otley and 412 to York on Saturdays. Since 16 May these services have operated Monday to Friday only.

Company owner Craig Temple says "The 923 will return once the driver situation improves. However, the 412 has operated as a loss maker or at best break even for the couple of years pre-

COVID, Now, with our costs having increased so significantly (fuel is up by 40%), with concessionary passes still being only worth about £1.00 per pass to us, it can't continue to operate how it is. Couple this with the loadings only being 50% of pre-COVID, and you can see it can't continue like it does."

Craig says he has approached all 3 councils for funding and an increase in concessionary fares compensation, but to no avail. He wants to continue the service, and suggests writing to the MPs on the route to see if they can help.



412 to York Mon - Fri only. Horsefair

The York route has had many operators over the years - from the big national companies to the local independents, proving it is a difficult route to run and make pay. It is a great shame as we are lucky to have such a fantastic city on our doorstep but cannot get there by bus at a reasonable cost or in the evenings or Sundays.

As Craig suggests, it is time to put pressure on our local representatives to help more. Please write to Cllr Alan Lamb & MP Alec Shelbrooke and ask why some of the £3bn their party and Boris promised cannot be spent on routes like this, instead of cheaper fares in West Yorkshire where generally fares are already reasonable and services are better.



Arriva drivers are on strike throughout West Yorkshire and parts of North Yorkshire. This affects the 174 to Aberford, Garforth & Wakefield which has not run since 6 June. All Arriva pre-paid tickets will be accepted on First & Transdev buses.



a country where:

- ... a large number of the population of all ages have bicycles and use them
- ... there are red cycle lanes in most towns and cities
- ... cyclists (and pedestrians) have always been given respect and priority as a matter of course by motorists
- ... many places treat you as honest citizens with no need to show tickets to drivers or go through barriers, thus speeding up journeys (big fines if caught though)
- ... most places have excellent infrastructure eg bus shelters with maps and all the info you could need
- ... **you can travel anywhere country-wide on tram, bus and local train for only £7.70 for a whole month - in Summer! (June, July and August 2022)**
- ... tourists can buy this ticket very easily on an app



It is a generous nationwide ticketing initiative to get people back on public transport. It needs extensive coordination, technical expertise and political will. Could it happen here?



All rail services on Transpennine, Northern & LNER will be affected by the national strike. They all advise not to travel on any day from:

**Tues 21 June to Sun 26 June**

Pity the commuters who have no (Arriva) buses either.

# My Story - Abs Green

Abs lives in Newton Kyme and has been moved to help the distressed cats in Ukraine. Here is her story.



**"Hi, yes, you will soon realise, I LOVE CATS!** It started when I was 12 and had a normal moggy called Sooty. It was pure black, hence the name, and it was beautiful to me. From black to white, another dear cat I had was called Snowy. She had big blue eyes but my heart sank when I was forced to give my baby up after a few years.

**But my grandmother came to the rescue** and took

her in. It gave her so much comfort following the death of my Grandad. Three years later my grandma also passed and a few weeks later Snowy too. She followed my grandmother everywhere and was at her side night and day. I was around 26 and it broke my heart, though I know she had lived a good cat life. I miss them both so much even with many years down the line.

**After that I decided to raise money for charities** - not just for animals but others too. The RSPCA was my first favourite and then Macmillan cancer and Make a Wish raising over £3,000 over the years.

I have a good heart and love helping. My home would be full of cats if it was possible but I think it best stick to just two ... my beautiful Bengal girls. They are very spoilt and have their own pet passports required for my trips between Lanzarote and the UK. I bought



Natalie and Katie from Sandbeck Vets and Jacob

them from different breeders in Devon and are 10 years old. Isabella (blue-eyed) is the youngest and very vocal. Tibitha is my tiger.

**After seeing the devastation and animals suffering** in Ukraine I decided to do what I could to help and raise as much funds to help there. I set up some funding pages through Facebook which has raised over £200 so far! I also make Ukraine pins which have raised £70 so far. I then thought I needed to do more.

**When I saw an advert calling for**

**volunteers**, I jumped at the chance. A lady called Susie sent me details and I took it from there! I asked my awesome local vets (Sandbeck Vets with Julian Norton) who looked after my Isabella a few months ago when she went in to have a nasty abscess removed. The team there are great and so welcoming.

**They were so willing to help out** when I asked for food and medicine to "Fill My Car". I am soooo grateful to them. I drove to the Shropshire Cat Rescue Centre where the supplies were transferred to a lorry heading for Ukraine. It was a tiring 2.5 hour drive but it was well worth it. Whilst I was there they gave me a tour of the cattery where they even have an area for OAP cats. Their website is: [www.shropshirecatrescue.org.uk/post/let-s-fill-another-lorry-with-animal-aid](http://www.shropshirecatrescue.org.uk/post/let-s-fill-another-lorry-with-animal-aid)

*Special thanks to David Fry, Liz Bagley, Pamela Lee, Lorna Graham, Stephanie Spaargaren, Sam Tebbutt, Raymond Parsons, Mark Dixon & all my pin-purchasers.*

**My next planned trip is on Tuesday 21st June.** Despite the high fuel costs, I am determined to help some more. I am hoping a larger local business may help out. I was in Harrogate Sainsburys the other day and they kindly donated some food.

**My dream would be to own my own cat sanctuary** but I am very happy being a cat-sitter. Looking after other people's cats while they are away is an enjoyable and responsible job. I love it ... sitting, playing and talking to them. Some new clients can be very shy and I'm lucky if I get cuddles, but the treats usually break the ice.

**I set up my business website in March.** Cat-owners can register and we arrange a meeting where I go through the process and what they can expect from the service. I leave them a cat folder with all the details (and a free key ring). I am fully insured and have two diplomas: Cat Anxiety and Feline First Aid. My great reviews and all info can be found on my website [www.kittieststaycation.co.uk](http://www.kittieststaycation.co.uk)

*Thanks for reading about my love for our feline friends.*

*Please get in touch if you want to help the poor animals in war-torn Ukraine*

*My email is [info@kittieststaycation.co.uk](mailto:info@kittieststaycation.co.uk) or message me from my Facebook page (Abs Green)*



Another full lorry heading for the Ukraine from Shrewsbury

# We are 21 and Proud of What We Do for Our Community

## We Say When Silence is Not Appropriate

Our first issue featured the bus crash into the newsagents in which miraculously no one was hurt. The Paper Shop was closed for 8 months. Harrogate Bus Company made no comment at the time and has not explained what happened since.



Issue 1

This story did not make the front page of the local paper!

## We Follow Up & Won't Forget an Issue



Issues 7, 8 & 13

Vehicles blocking the bus station exit.

This is still a problem as the Editor can personally testify. It is 6 months since we first highlighted this problem. Bizarrely, road lines were painted at the end of the road, but not near Mojis where

it is needed. The situation remains. We will continue to ask Cllr Alan Lamb, Chair of Wetherby Transport Group, what progress is being made.

## We are Happy to Promote the Best Things in Our Town

**Local Organisations.** We publicise the good work of organisations and charities that improve our community. The volunteers who spend their time without payment or ulterior motive are the real heroes of Wetherby. We salute them. Groups that selflessly benefit the town include **Wetherby Foodbank, Wetherby in Bloom, the local Community Green Group, Wetherby Men's Forum, Wetherby Civic Society, Friends of Sandringham Park, Wetherby Wombles, Wetherby Festival and many more.**



Issue 3

*Sadly, a few of the town's organisations do not want to engage with us. That's up to them, of course. There must be a good reason for not wanting free publicity in a community newsletter.*

*If someone or something has deterred them, then we should be told and given the chance to explain or make amends.*

*There are individuals with roles in, or links to, more than one organisation in this town. It is hard not to believe that word has got round and the shutters have gone up.*

The offer is always there. If you are an open, transparent and accountable organisation, we will promote you in the same way as the Groups above. Just send us the info and images.



Issues 4 & 5

**Local People.** We promote local people who do great work, like Mark Barrow underwater film-maker and campaigner for cleaner rivers. Talented artist and cartoonist Bob Cooper has also featured. He has written 2 best-selling books on his adventures sailing abroad. Ruth Goodwin, left, organised local walks for people to improve their mental health over Lockdown. Another inspirational person we have highlighted is Claire Wiggins and the amazing work she does to improve access for people with disabilities.



Issue 12



Issues 6 & 15

## We Expose Publicly-Funded Poor Performance



1 - No Route Numbers

2 - Wrong Info Twice

3 - Final Effort Better Than 1?

**Last year over half of Metro's new X98/99 bus stops had errors.** Some of the 'corrections' were wrong too! The new ones are worse than the old ones in terms of font size and colour. Nine months on, half of the stops in Wetherby are still of the old type. A couple of stops have new digital displays which are not as easy to read as digital displays in cities like Nottingham.

We wrote to Metro weeks ago asking what their plans are in Wetherby and they say they will respond. We will continue to ask Cllr Alan Lamb, Chair of Wetherby Transport Group, what he and his group are doing about this. The Mayor of West Yorkshire responsible for transport is not interested. Not a word about this incompetence and waste of our money in any of our local papers.

**Local Businesses.** We promote local businesses like our independent shops, restaurants and gem of a cinema. With our A1 Sign Campaign, we want to help all of them attract the thousands of customers that pass by every day. If it results in more diverse shops to the town, then we all benefit.

We offer the cheapest advertising in the local printed media, too.



## Encouraging Green & Cheaper Travel.

We encourage readers to use the bus by promoting reasonable fares and day tickets, as well as DalesBus services. We praise Metro on things they do well (Issue 15) like bus route maps. We publish local petrol prices so you can work out whether it's worth travelling to a cheaper petrol station.

**In a Free Society we should not fear anybody. Publicly-funded bodies, like the police and charities, are not perfect and not above criticism. We raise legitimate issues involving West Yorkshire Police, the BBC and others for low standards or poor practice. We provide reasons & examples. But things only improve if there are enough good people who care and are also willing to say 'No, that's not right'.**



# Every Sunday at Wetherby Racecourse

Opens 7am

£1 entry for buyers over 16s

Sellers from 6am

No booking necessary

£12 cars, £16 vans, +£3 trailers

Please have exact money

Dogs welcome on a lead

Ample parking, refreshments & toilets

Postcode is LS22 5EJ



Amazing Variety of Old & New Items to Buy Every Week!



## Wetherby Bandstand Brass Band Concerts

2.30 - 4.30

Sat 18 June - Thurlstone Sun 19 Jun - Unite the Union  
Sun 26 Jun - Dronfield

Why not feed the ducks whilst you're there?

Over £500 raised for charity last year

**Lucky Duck Food**  
at **CANCER RESEARCH shop**  
**on Sundays** **£1**



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Issue 23 - Fri 15 July 1000 Print

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Contact details on page 1



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Evening Service: 5pm till late (last booking at 8:30pm).



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