

events & news

Humber Wolds District
April - September 2022





We hope you can join us for our social events

Welcome to the latest edition of the Humber Wolds District Events Diary. Members of the District have organised a varied programme of events for you all.

This Events Diary is a handy guide for you to keep so that you know what is happening in our area. Remember to put the dates of interest in your personal diary. Alternatively, keep the Events Diary in a handy place – by the phone, fixed to the fridge or pinned to your notice board.

Everyone is welcome at Oddfellows events. Even if you are not a member, we want to extend an invitation to you and your friends to attend any of our events that take your fancy – we like to think that we can guarantee you a good time.

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A bit about us...

The Oddfellows is a not-for-profit friendly society that's been around for over 200 years. Our aim is to bring people together through our social events, as well as support our members with a range of benefits and services. For more information visit www.oddfellows.co.uk or call 0800 028 1810 to speak to one of our team.

Icons for events



Dining Out





Quiz

Social distancing regulations maybe in place. All events in this diary are subject to confirmation and members should contact the events organisers before booking.

April 2022



Tea Time Special



5.30pm





Meet up with friends at a local hostelry and enjoy a meal and a catch up. Venue to be confirmed. The Warton Arms, Hull Road, Woodmansey HU17 0TH. Contact Carole on 07792 382256 or Frank on 07973 155728 for further details.





Lunch and Chat





A chance to have a look around the Ellerker Garden Centre and a bite to eat and a chat with friends. Book by Monday 11 April. Ellerker Garden Centre, Ellerker HU15 2DD. Contact Howard on 07732 585186 for further details.

Howard's Way



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Join Howard and everyone else who enjoys a ramble in the countryside on a five mile walk around Huggate, High on the Wolds. Make sure you bring appropriate clothing and a packed lunch/drink. Park on street close to the Church in Huggate. Huggate Church, Huggate YO42 1YD. Contact Howard on 07732 585186 for further details.



Lunch and Chat







A chance to have a look around the aarden centre and have a bite to eat to suit your own pocket and a chat with friends. Book by Monday 9 May. Hornsea Garden Centre, Sigalesthorne, Hornseg HU11 5QL. Contact Howard on 07732 585186 for further details.

May



Howard's Way





Join Howard and everyone else who enjoys a ramble in the countryside on a five mile walk around Goathland on the North Yorkshire Moors, Make sure you bring appropriate clothing and a packed lunch/drink. Park in the main car park in Goathland. Main Car Park, Goathland YO22 5NF. Contact Howard on 07732 585186 for further details.

Quiz and Bingo







Come along and enjoy a general knowledge quiz and a couple of games of bingo. A small buffet is provided. The quiz is £1 per person and bingo is £2 for two games. When you enter the club, please ensure you enter your car registration number on the pad in the foyer to avoid a parking fine! Beverley Conservative Club, Wylies Road, Beverley HU17 7AP. Contact Howard on 07732 585186 for further details.

June



Tea Time Special



5.30pm





Meet up with friends at a local hostelry and enjoy a meal and a catch up. Venue to be confirmed. Red Sails, 2 Beacon Way, Hull HU3 4AE. Contact Carole on 07792 382256 or Frank on 07973 155728 for further details.





Lunch and Chat



12 noon





A chance to have a look around the Ellerker Garden Centre and a bite to eat and a chat with friends. Book by Monday 6 June. Ellerker Garden Centre, Ellerker HU15 2DD. Contact Howard on 07732 585186 for further details.





Howard's Way



10.30am



enjoys a ramble in the countryside

Bank and Nunnington. Make sure you bring appropriate clothing

and a packed lunch/drink. Park in

the Lay-By at the top of the bank.

Lay-By, Caulkley's Bank YO62 5UY.

Contact Howard on 07732 585186 for

on a 4.5 mile walk around Caulkley's

Join Howard and everyone else who

July

Howard's Way







Join Howard and everyone else who enjoys a ramble in the countryside on a 4.5 mile walk around Appletonle-Street, near Malton. Make sure you bring appropriate clothing and a packed lunch/drink. Park on the street close to the pub. Appleton-le-Street Pub, Appleton-le-Street YO17 6PE. Contact Howard on 07732 585186 for further details.

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Lunch and Chat



12 noon







A chance to have a look around the garden centre and have a bite to eat to suit your own pocket and a chat with friends. Book by Monday 11 July. Hornsea Garden Centre, Sigglesthorne, Hornsea HU11 5QL. Contact Howard on 07732 585186 for further details.



Quiz and Bingo





See below





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August



Tea Time Special







Meet up with friends at a local hostelry and enjoy a meal and a catch up. Venue to be confirmed. Nag's Head, Hornsea Road, Routh HU17 9SL, Contact Carole on 07792 382256 or Frank on 07973 155728 for further details



Lunch and Chat







A chance to have a look around the Ellerker Garden Centre and a bite to eat and a chat with friends. Book by Monday 8 August. Ellerker Garden Centre, Ellerker HU15 2DD. Contact Howard on 07732 585186 for further details.



Howard's Way







Join Howard and everyone else who enjoys a ramble in the countryside on a 4.5 mile walk around Dalby and Scackleton. Make sure you bring appropriate clothing and a packed lunch/drink. Park outside St Peter's Church. Dalby. St Peter's Church, Dalby YO61 1NI. Contact Howard on 07732 585186 for further details.



Learn, have fun, and stay in touch from home

We've online events for all to enjoy. Give one a try.

To see what's coming up visit oddfellows.co.uk/events and enter 'Kelso' in the place name search box

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September - Friendship Month

ODDFELLOWS FRIENDSHIP MONTH

1-30 SEPTEMBER















Lunch and Chat







A chance to have a look around the aarden centre and have a bite to eat to suit your own pocket and a chat with friends. Book by Monday 5 September. Hornsea Garden Centre, Sigglesthorne, Hornsea HU11 5QL. Contact Howard on 07732 585186 for further details.



Friendship Month Walk Howard's Way



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Join Howard and everyone else who enjoys a ramble in the countryside on a four mile walk around Ravenscar. This is the Friendship Month event. Make sure you bring appropriate clothing, a pub lunch will be available at member's own cost. Park in the Ravenscar Hotel car park. Ravenscar Hotel, Ravenscar YO13 0ET. Contact Howard on 07732 585186 for further details.

Quiz and Bingo



7.30pm



See below



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Further events are being added, see: www.oddfellows.co.uk/events.

Society News



www.oddfellows.co.uk

A message from Jane Nelson, the Oddfellows CEO

Dear friends

For me, two things really stood out in 2021 – how resilient everyone has been, and how well we've adapted to so much change.

It's been a tough 12 months on top of a previous tough nine months, and who knows how many more? However, as Oddfellows, you've looked out for one another, stayed open to doing things differently, and it's getting us through. Your actions have made an amazing difference to so many of our members' lives.

Gratitude

I want to thank you all for everything you have done. When speaking with our members and volunteers, and working alongside our Branches and staff in Manchester and Liverpool, I have felt immense pride – about our Society, everyone involved, and in Oddfellowship. By working together, we've shown that Oddfellows do what we say we do, no matter what challenges are thrown at us.

Being there for our members continues to be our priority.



At the start of 2021, we had hoped that by the end of the year things would feel a little brighter. We've made huge strides in our understanding of Covid, but the landscape is still very unpredictable. And when faced with uncertainty over a sustained period, it can make us feel overwhelmed and anxious.

One thing I've been doing to try and manage these feelings is to focus on what I can control, and acknowledging what I cannot. It's not always easy, but it really has helped. Sitting with your thoughts or worries and working out what you can influence is time well spent. You can then identify the bits you can take action to change, which puts you in a more positive frame of mind. Covid is here to stay and the challenge for us all now is learning to live alongside it.

If you've needed support from us, I hope we've been able to help you where we can. Being there for our members continues to be our priority.

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Online events are here to stay for as long as there is a need to keep people in touch with others from the comfort of their home. And our local and national care and welfare teams, and advice lines, will always be there for anyone who needs help to work through a problem or worry.

We sadly lost many people we cared about in 2021. To those that passed, we will always remember you. Our condolences go out to family and friends, and rest assured they'll always be in our thoughts and forever in our hearts.

We are having to cope with higher levels of uncertainty and worry at the moment, so we must make sure we rest well, smile as often as we can and be kind to ourselves and others. These are all totally within our control.

On behalf of the Society and my family, I would like to wish you and your loved ones a happy and healthy 2022.

Stay safe and well. Yours always in friendship



Jane Nelson CEO, the Oddfellows

Lupus research team skills up for the future

In November we visited Guy's Hospital to see members of the Lupus Trust research team who have been the recipients of the Society's HA Andrews Memorial Fund since 2019. Lockdown had the unintended consequence of sending the research in a new direction.

The restrictions meant they had to abandon the laboratory to work from home but this gave them time to focus on learning how to analyse big data, a skill that will benefit the research well into the future.

Pictured is the Oddfellows' CEO Jane Nelson and Grand Master David Ogden handing over a cheque of £29,000



to Professor Jo Spencer and PHD student Bekki Velounias.

The donation marks the final instalment of a major three-year funding partnership, which totalled £85,000.

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Oddfellows Travel – travel with confidence and in great company in 2022

We can't wait to get members and guests together for an exciting range of holidays in 2022. There's such a selection, something is sure to float your boat. Here's what's on offer...

London Theatre Weekend
17–19 June 2022
(2 nights. Bed and breakfast)
£245 per person



For further information and to book contact Oddfellows Travel's Mike Hall on 0161 832 9361 or email mike.hall@oddfellows.co.uk

We kick off the season with a trip to London to enjoy restaurants, shopping and musical theatre. We couldn't get closer to the buzzing West End than the 3* St Giles Hotel, located just yards from Oxford Street and Leicester Square. Join us for welcome drinks on Friday with our host, member Debra Haley. On Saturday, we head to the Victoria Apollo Theatre to see highly acclaimed musical, Wicked. On Sunday, we will make the most of the location with a shopping trip, ending our weekend with lunch before the journey home.

An unforgettable cruise exploring Norway and the Arctic Circle
22 June–7 July 2022
(15 nights. Full board)
From £2,899 per person

All aboard the Fred. Olsen cruise ship Balmoral on this exploration of Norway's northernmost reaches – an unforgettable journey of a lifetime. Setting off from Newcastle, join Oddfellows host Wendy Atkins as we journey to the Arctic Circle to the famous island of Spitsbergen, just 700 nautical miles from the North Pole. We will experience the remote beauty and eerie silence of distant towns situated in the stunning Arctic landscape. Our magical journey continues to the Norwegian mainland, to the 'top of Europe', the North Cape plateau and Tromsø, taking in stunning sights of lakes, mountains and glaciers on a journey that's unforgettable.



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Oddfellows Summer Holiday 4–8 July 2022

(4 nights. Half board)
Warner Leisure Hotel's Nidd
Hall, Harrogate. From £351
per person for a Standard
room or £381 per person
for a Signature room

Treat yourself to a break in a Grade II listed Georgian mansion in the Yorkshire countryside on our annual hosted summer getaway. Oddfellows Travel summer holidays are legendary and this year promises to be no exception. Set in 45 acres of award-winning gardens in the North Yorkshire countryside, we will be staying at Nidd Hall Hotel – where rumour has it Edward VIII met Wallis Simpson at a party.

For further information and to book contact Oddfellows Travel's Mike Hall on 0161 832 9361 or email mike.hall@oddfellows.co.uk

Unwind with friends

The group holiday, which will be hosted by David Ogden, our Grand Master, is open to any members and their guests from across the UK. Together we'll be enjoying drinks, mouth-watering meals and superb live evening entertainment. You'll be free to choose how to spend your day – exploring the stunning location, sharing a game of bowls in the glorious gardens or relaxing in the swimming pool and spa. There's a host of activities to entertain you. Join us – bring a friend – and enjoy this beautiful 18th century mansion near Harrogate.





The spectacular grounds at Nidd Hall, Harrogate

Business Meetings

Every Oddfellows Branch is run independently by a committee of members. Regular meetings are held to discuss matters such as Branch finances, membership and member support. Social distancing regulations maybe in place. All meetings are subject to confirmation, please contact the Branch Secretaries to confirm. See below for further meeting details.

District Management Committee Meeting

A business meeting for the members of the District Management Committee to discuss and plan the administration of the District. Visitors are welcome, but please contact the Secretary Neil on 01482 325742 to advise of your intention to attend.

Humber Wolds District Committee of Management Meeting, 7.15pm Wednesday 4 May Wednesday 3 August Beverley Conservative Club, Wylies Road, Beverley HU17 7AP.

Yearly Meeting
Saturday 3 September, 1.30pm
Beverley Conservative Club, Wylies
Road, Beverley HU17 7AP.

Hull Branch Meeting

Humber Wolds District Half

All members are welcome to our monthly meeting at the 7 Jarratt Street, Hull at 7pm. Contact Neil on 01482 325742 for more information.

Wednesday 20 April Wednesday 18 May Wednesday 15 June Wednesday 20 July Wednesday 17 August Wednesday 21 September

Beaver Branch Meeting

A meeting to determine matters relating to the financial and business side of the Branch. All members are welcome to our meetings at Harvest Court, St Marys Lane, Beverley HU17 7AS at 7.30pm. Contact Steve on 01482 860537. Member meetings focus on membership.

Business Meetings Wednesday 11 May Wednesday 14 September

Open Member Meetings Wednesday 13 April Wednesday 8 June Wednesday 10 August

Neptune Branch of Past Grands

The Oddfellows has a long and rich history and this meeting celebrates some of our traditions. For more information contact John on 01482 569030. This meeting of past Noble Grands/Chairman is open to all qualifying members of the Society. 7 Jarratt Street, Hull HU1 3HB at 7.30pm.

Thursday 7 April Thursday 2 June Thursday 4 August

London Theatre Break

Come along and join us for the sights and sounds of London.

We'll be staying at the 3* St Giles Hotel, located in central London. Friday 17 June 2022 2 nights

£245 per person[†] includes breakfast and theatre ticket to see **Wicked**, at the Victoria Apollo Theatre.

[†]Based on 2 people sharing.



For further information and to book contact Mike Hall 0161 832 9361 (Ext 2224) travel@oddfellows.co.uk



At a glance

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April 2022

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Tues 5	Tea Time Special	5.30pm
Wed 13	Beaver Branch Members' Meeting	7.30pm
Thurs 14	Lunch and Chat	12 noon
Wed 20	Hull Branch Meeting	7pm
Mon 25	Howard's Way	10.30am
May		
Wed 11	Branch Management Committee Meeting	7.30pm
Thurs 12	Lunch and Chat	12 noon
Mon 16	Howard's Way	10.30am
Wed 18	Hull Branch Meeting	7pm
Fri 20	Quiz and Bingo	7.30pm
June		
Tues 7	Tea Time Special	5.30pm
Wed 8	Beaver Branch Members' Meeting	7.30pm
Thurs 9	Lunch and Chat	12 noon
Wed 15	Hull Branch Meeting	7pm
Mon 20	Howard's Way	10.30am
July		
Thurs 14	Lunch and Chat	12 noon
Mon 18	Howard's Way	10.30am

At a glance

July

Wed 20	Hull Branch Meeting	7pm
Fri 29	Quiz and Bingo	7.30pm

August

Tues 2	Tea Time Special	5.30pm
Wed 10	Beaver Branch Members' Meeting	7.30pm
Thurs 11	Lunch and Chat	12 noon
Mon 15	Howard's Way	10.30am
Wed 17	Hull Branch Meeting	7pm

September - Friendship Month

Thurs 8	Lunch and Chat	12 noon
Wed 14	Branch Management Committee Meeting	7.30pm
Mon 19	Friendship Month Walk - Howard's Way	10.30am
Wed 21	Branch Meeting	<i>7</i> pm
Fri 30	Quiz and Bingo	7.30pm

Join the conversation @OddfellowsUK

Share your news, start a conversation or simply stay up-to-date! If you're on Facebook or Twitter, make sure you've liked and followed our Oddfellows social media pages.

"We've a really friendly and supportive online network of thousands of Oddfellows members from across the UK and the world," explained the Society Social Media team. "Our official Twitter and Facebook pages are regularly updated, often daily, with topical national Oddfellows and Branch news. We also love reading your comments and posts!"

Find us at







None of us know what is around the corner...

Local Care and Welfare Support

To request contact from a Welfare Visitor and for local help and information about Branch benefits and benevolence contact your Branch Secretary on page 2.

Oddfellows Citizens Advice Line Call 0800 0149 821*

(free to callers from any landline or mobile number) Monday - Friday, 9.30am - 4.30pm

Email: oddfellows@manchestercab.org



Run by Citizens Advice for Oddfellows members, you can access free, confidential, independent advice on welfare benefits, money and debt issues, consumer problems, housing, fuel bills, employment issues and many other issues.

*The Oddfellows cannot provide legal advice and accepts no liability whatsoever for advice provided by Citizens Advice, which is an independent advice agency. If you have any queries about the advice you have received or wish to make a complaint then you should contact Citizens Advice directly. Citizens Advice operate a formal complaints process.

Care and Welfare Helpline Call 0800 0149 822

(free to callers from any landline or mobile number) Monday to Thursday, 9.30am - 4.30pm, Friday, 9.30am - 4pm

Email: care@oddfellows.co.uk

Run by the Oddfellows Care and Welfare Department, you can access information and guidance on issues such as accessing health and care services, supported housing, support for carers, and planning for later life. The helpline will try and identify any Oddfellows benefits or services in the community which may be of help to you.

Visit our website page at www.oddfellows.co.uk/benefits/care for care and welfare information