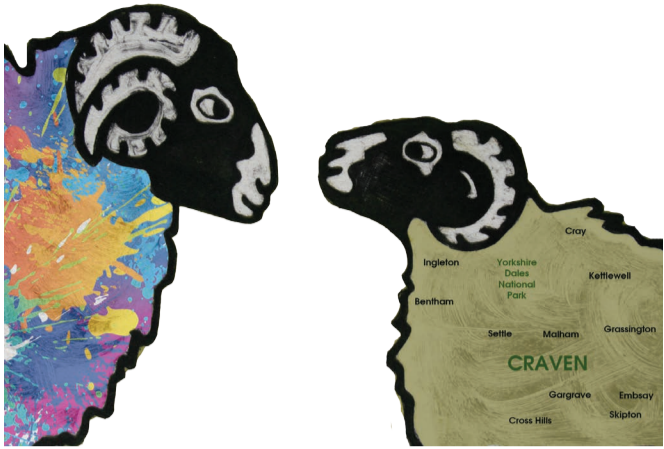


Celebrate Craven



Celebrating the **DIVERSITY** within Craven through conversations, animation, food, music & song

Tuesday 11th July 2017
in venues across Skipton

TASTES & TALENTS OF CRAVEN

7.30pm- 10.30pm at Skipton Town Hall

Come along to Skipton Town Hall for a relaxing, and entertaining evening, and find out more about some of the diverse community groups that meet regularly to sing and play music together.

Dales Jam, Sheeptown Songsters, Skipton Community Orchestra, St Mary's Embsay Band and Skipton Ukulele Club are amongst the acts who will be performing live!

Watch Virpi Kettu's 'Dogs Dales' animation and maybe meet one or two of the dogs.

Tastes of Yorkshire, Eastern Europe and Pakistan to tickle your taste buds.



Tickets are £5

Get your tickets early to avoid disappointment. Available from Skipton Tourist Information (9.30am to 4.00pm Mon to Sat), Town Hall, High Street, Skipton from 2nd June. Phone orders welcome 01756 792809.

Bar available.

INTRODUCTION

It's time to celebrate!

We have a lot to be proud of in Craven and as a regular visitor put it recently, "It never disappoints. The people we meet are always so helpful and friendly".

On the surface there doesn't seem to be much diversity in this most westerly district of North Yorkshire. Dig deeper though and you'll soon discover that there's much more diversity than meets the eye.

As human beings we are naturally curious about others, aren't we? However, often we don't get the chance to move out of our social circles and hear the life stories of people we wouldn't normally meet. Nor do we often get the opportunity to be entertained by a plethora of local musical talent.

As the saying goes, "Don't judge a book by its cover" so be prepared to have your perceptions challenged by some fascinating stories during the day, when some of Craven's interesting and diverse characters will be on loan as "living books", talking informally about their lives and reflecting on the impact their early experiences have had on them.

The daytime event from **10am to 3pm** is **FREE** and open to everyone.

For the evening's entertainment, tickets cost **£5** and include taster plates of food from Eastern Europe, Yorkshire and Pakistan.

CRAVEN DEC

Craven Development Education Centre (Craven DEC) aims to develop understanding of global issues and to encourage action for a more just society and world.

We work with teachers, school governors, students and the wider community promoting global awareness through various activities, e.g. supporting schools working towards Fairtrade School, Global Schools and Eco-schools awards and by supporting local events and campaigns. We provide training courses for teachers that are validated by national bodies, e.g. Global Learning Programme, England.

Diversity and Identity is one of the five recognised global themes and we are delighted to be organising this celebration of diversity within Craven through dialogue, animation, food, music and song.

Celebrate Craven has been made possible by a generous grant from the **Big Lottery Celebrate Fund**.

Help us to keep putting on events like this
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HUMAN LIBRARY

Where real people are on loan to listeners - 10am to 3pm

In four venues in Skipton:

- Holy Trinity Church
- Skipton Public Library
- The Amphitheatre in Albion Place (behind Chevin Cycles and Pizza Express)
- Skipton Town Hall.

The books are people and the reading is a conversation.

Choose one of the twenty 'living books' at 10am, 10.30am, 11am, 11.30am and 1pm, 1.30pm, 2pm and 2.30pm.

Have a picnic lunch in the grounds of Holy Trinity Church or wander down to the Canal Basin off Otley Street. Tastes of Pakistan - with a Yorkshire twist - are being provided by the Broughton Road Women's Group at Holy Trinity.

There will also be a preview of Virpi Kettu's stunning new animation 'Dogs Dales' in the Library.



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LOCATIONS

The Celebrate Craven **Human Library** event will be at four venues in Skipton, arranged in half-hour slots between 10am and 3pm, with a break for lunch between 12 noon and 1pm:

- Holy Trinity Church
- Skipton Public Library
- The Amphitheatre in Albion Place (behind Chevin Cycles and Pizza Express)
- Skipton Town Hall

INFORMATION POINTS:

Information points at:
Town Hall | Library | Holy Trinity Church.

The **Tastes & Talents** event will be held in Skipton Town Hall from 7.30pm to 10.30pm.

Admission for the evening event is by ticket only. These are available from Skipton Tourist Information (9.30am to 4.00pm Mon to Sat), Town Hall, High Street, Skipton from 2 June.

Phone orders are welcome on **01756 792809**.

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