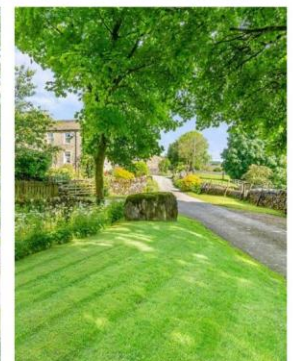


Welcome to Threshfield

A Handbook to Knowing Your Community



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WELCOME TO THRESHFIELD

Welcome to Threshfield with its friendly and active village community located in Upper Wharfedale, an area of outstanding natural beauty.

This guide contains up-to-date and relevant information about Threshfield and the area including Grassington, its principal town.

We hope that the information contained in this handbook will help you to settle into your new home and the community. Your neighbours will no doubt be welcoming and assist you as needed, but this handbook aims to help you find your way round services and activities to enable you to connect with our community when you first arrive.

A source of useful information is the Threshfield Parish Magazine which is delivered monthly (except January) to all homes in the parish. As well as Church information regarding St Michael and All Angels, and associated groups, it contains reports from the Primary Schools and advertisements with contact details for many tradesmen and organisations.

You will also find a great deal of information on the websites:

www.grassingtonhub.com and
www.discovergrassington.co.uk.

Please do get in touch if you have any additional suggestions, or if you find anything is incorrect or missing. Contact details are on the back page of this handbook.



LOCAL AMENITIES

Cash Machines

Located at the Spar supermarket, Kettlewell Road, Threshfield and at the Dales Market Square supermarket just off Grassington Square.

Cash can also be obtained from Grassington Post Office in Grassington Square

Gem Threshfield Garage

Kettlewell Road, BD23 5PL

Telephone: 01756 753578

Open Monday – Sunday 7am – 10pm

Fuels: Unleaded, Diesel and Truck Diesel

Threshfield Village Institute

Monkholme Lane, Threshfield

Available for Hire at attractive rates for small functions, and meetings by groups and individuals.

New kitchen facilities, disabled access

Telephone 01756 752013

Parcels

Post Office Drop and Collect.

Spar Supermarket. Kettlewell Road, Threshfield

BD23 5PL



Grassington Hub & Community Library

Manor Hill Barn, Garrs Lane, Grassington, BD23 5AT

Telephone: 01756 752222

www.grassingtonhub.com

Open Monday to Friday 10am – 4pm, Saturdays 9:30am – 12noon

North Yorkshire Council Adult and children's library with fiction and non-fiction. Free to join.

Second-hand book shop.

Car park passes for Wood Lane car park.

Helping Hands transport to medical appointments.

Photocopying, printing and office services.

Library computers for public use.

Free Wi-Fi.

Grassington Post Office

15 Main Street, Grassington, BD23 5AD

Open Monday – Friday 9am – 5:30pm, Saturdays 9am – 1pm

Telephone: 01756 753810

Services available:

All Royal Mail and Parcelforce Worldwide services. Drop and Go service.

Personal and business banking: cash withdrawals, cash deposits, cheque deposits. Bill payments and top ups. Vehicle Tax.

Foreign currency, travel insurance, travel money cards. MoneyGram.

Amazon counter – collection point for Amazon parcels. Greetings Cards and Gifts

Grassington Town Hall / Grassington Devonshire Institute (GDI).

48 Main Street, Grassington, BD23 5AA

General enquiries: info@grassdevinst.org

www.grassingtondevonshireinstitute.org

Grassington and Upper Wharfedale's largest venue which attracts many local groups and private individuals to stage their own events and activities each year. GDI, the charity that run the Town Hall, also stages several of its own events each year.



SHOPPING, EATING AND DRINKING

Spar Threshfield

Fresh fruit & vegetables, fresh meat, groceries, in-store bakery, off-licence, lottery, ATM. Takeaway hot drinks.

Petrol station. Tel: 01756753578

Kettlewell Road, Skipton, BD23 5PL. Open Monday – Sunday 7am – 10pm

The Hedgerow. Threshfield

Florist, Plants, Gifts and Coffee Shop.

Station Road, Threshfield, BD23 5HB

Telephone 01756 752293

Gamekeepers Inn, Long Ashes Park

Bar, Restaurant and Function Room open to non-residents

Long Ashes Park, Threshfield, N. Yorkshire BD23 5PN

Telephone 01756 752261

www.longashespark.co.uk

Friday Pizza Van – (North Pizza)

Corner of Kettlewell Road and Station Road, Threshfield early Friday evenings.



COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

Whatever you want to do or would like to try out, there is sure to be a group or organisation in Grassington and Upper Wharfedale doing it!

Whether you enjoy art and crafts, walking, sports, music and drama, or a quieter activity like bridge, there is something for everyone to enjoy.

For information on local groups go to the Grassington Hub website community pages. www.grassingtonhub.com/ourcommunity

Walking

Many interesting walks start from Threshfield taking in such areas as the former Threshfield Quarries and lime kilns revealing the industrial heritage of the area. Those seeking higher things ascend Threshfield Moor with its standing stones and former coalmine.

There are various walking groups in the area, all of which would give a warm welcome to new members

Threshfield Village Institute

Coffee morning each first Wednesday of the month.

Monkholme Lane, Threshfield



Wharfedale RUFC

Part of the English League System.

Wharfeside Avenue, Threshfield, N Yorks BD23 5BS

Telephone. 01756752547

Upper Wharfedale School – Communihire

Upper Wharfedale School offers extensive use of its facilities including a swimming pool, sports hall (including badminton), tennis courts and community rooms to groups and teams. Managed by 'Communihire'

Telephone. 07984 373229



Long Ashes Park - Pure Spa and Leisure Centre

Spa Treatments, Swimming Pool, Gym and ancillary facilities all bookable by non-residents of the park.

Long Ashes Park, Threshfield, N. Yorkshire BD23 5PN

Telephone 01756 752261

www.longashespark.co.uk

Yorkshire Camps – Netherside Hall

Christian Residential Camp Centre. Action packed holidays for children and young people.

Netherside Hall, Threshfield, Skirethorns, N.Yorks BD23 5PP

Telephone 01756 753227



VOLUNTEERING

There are many volunteering opportunities in our community. Below are some of the main opportunities available but most local groups will appreciate help with their various activities.

Threshfield Village Institute

There are several ways to help particularly with Administration and Event organizing. Contact: 01756 752013

Grassington & District Helping Hands organise transport to medical or 'well-being' appointments for residents of Upper Wharfedale who might otherwise have difficulty getting to their appointment, using volunteer drivers.

Helping Hands are always looking for more drivers. If you would like to be a volunteer driver, please contact Secretary Babs Peacock on 01756 752064.

Grassington Folk Museum needs volunteers to help in several ways including opening the museum and looking after exhibits.

Email: uwmsoc@yahoo.com for more information.

Grassington Hub and Community Library have lots of different volunteering opportunities including:

- working in the library and reception area at the Hub
- cooking and serving meals at the monthly Lunch Club
- chatting to people at The Friday Hub well-being café
- helping out at the Community Cinema
- delivering books to housebound library users
- running day-time social activities

Tel: 01756 752222 Email: enquiries@grassingtonhub.com



Grassington in Bloom, Gold certificate winner of Yorkshire in Bloom 2024, create the wonderful displays in the many pots and planters around Grassington. To help with this, contact Chair Diane Mackridge on mackridgediane@gmail.com

Grassington Town Hall will happily find a role for anyone within their GDI family. If you can offer a welcoming smile, put up displays, help with fundraising, community events or have basic building/maintenance skills please get in touch with Hazel on 01756 753533 or hazel.drew@grasdevinst.org

Grassington 1940's Weekend and Christmas Markets need volunteers to make their events happen. Contact the organisers below for more information.

Grassington 1940's Weekend

This is a very popular weekend usually held on the third weekend in September each year.

www.grassington1940sweekend.co.uk

Email: events@discovergrassington.co.uk

Grassington Christmas Markets

Grassington is a magical place to be at Christmas. With its twinkly lights, independent shops, firelit pubs and cosy cafes, accommodation from self-catering to guest houses and hotels. Usually held on the last Saturday in November and first Saturday in

December. www.discovergrassington.co.uk/grassingtons-christmas-festivities/

Email: events@discovergrassington.co.uk



CARE & SUPPORT

Grassington Hub

Manor Hill Barn, Garrs Lane, Grassington, BD23 5AT. Tel: 01756 752222
Community Anchor Organisation for Grassington and Upper Wharfedale. An independent community-led organisation, working to provide solutions to local problems and challenges.

The Hub provides advice, support and signposting to other services. Current services provided include a wellbeing café, lunch club, men's shed, befriending service, digital support, and practical help such as shopping and prescription delivery. The Hub provides many other activities and services so pop-in and talk to their friendly volunteers to find out more.

Gills Top Care Home

Scar Street, Grassington, BD23 5AF. Tel: 0800 085 4318
24-hour care for elderly people. Offering support for older people who have residential care and dementia care needs within a warm and homely setting

Threshfield Court Care Home

Station Road, Threshfield, Skipton, BD23 5ET. Tel: 01756 752200
24-hour nursing care for older people in need of support, alongside specialist dementia support.

TRANSPORT TO MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS

Grassington and District Helping Hands charity was established to relieve people in need because of illness, age, social isolation or being housebound.

The charity provides a volunteer transport service taking people to hospitals, doctors' appointments, and dentists. The service also provides prescription collection and shopping where needed.

The service is administered by Grassington Hub. Please call Hub reception to book an appointment or to find out more about the service: 01756 752222



LOCAL COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVES

Threshfield Parish Council

- Cllr Cathy Bradley – Chair
- Cllr Paul Biddulph – Vice Chair
- Cllr Angus Dean
- Cllr John Dean
- Cllr David Phillips
- Cllr Michael Thompson

Website: www.threshfieldparishcouncil.gov.uk

North Yorkshire Council – Wharfedale Division

Councillor Richard Foster - Conservative

Telephone: 07843 054653

Email: Cllr.Richard.Foster@northyorks.gov.uk

MP for Skipton & Ripon

The Rt Hon Julian Smith KBE CBE, Conservative MP for Skipton & Ripon.

Constituency office. Tel: 01756 795898

Parliamentary office: House of Commons, London, SW1A 0AA

Telephone: 020 7219 7145

Email: julian.smith.mp@parliament.uk

Website: www.juliansmith.org.uk

X: <https://x.com/JulianSmithuk>



LOCAL SERVICES

North Yorkshire Council. Council tax, waste collection and all the usual county council services. www.northyorks.gov.uk

Household waste and recycling is collected once every two weeks alternately .

A Spring to Autumn Garden Waste collection is available on application to North Yorkshire Council . To check your collection dates, go online:

www.northyorks.gov.uk/bin-calendar/lookup

Emergency Services

North Yorkshire Police

Grassington Police Station, Wood Lane, Grassington BD23 5LU.

Tel: 101

Public Safety Officer Robbie Kirkbride Tel: 07557 066366

Medical

IG Medical, Grassington Medical Centre 9 Station Road, Grassington, BD23 5LS, Tel: 01756 752313

Grassington Dental Care 9 Station Road, Grassington, BD23 5LS, Tel: 01756 753782

Grassington Pharmacy 9 Station Road Grassington, BD23 5LS, Tel: 01756 752338 Open 9am – 6pm Monday – Friday. Please check with pharmacy as opening hours are subject to change.



SCHOOLS

Grassington VC C of E Primary School

Acre Lane, Grassington, BD23 5LB,

Tel: 01756 752365 Email: grassingtonadmin@uwpf.n-yorks.sch.uk

Threshfield Primary School

Low Road, Threshfield, BD23 5PN, Tel: 01756 752348

Email: admin@threshfield.n-yorks.sch.uk

Upper Wharfedale Co-educational Secondary School

‘Outstanding’ in January 2025 Ofsted Report

Wharfeside Avenue, Threshfield, BD23 5BA.

Tel: 01756 752215 Email admin@uws.n-yorks.sch.uk

FAITH GROUPS

Grassington Congregational Church

6-10 Garrs Lane, Grassington

www.grassingtonchurch.org

Grassington Methodist Church

Tel: 01756 752607

www.skiptonandgrassingtonmethodist.org.uk

St Michael and All Angels Church, Linton Falls

Rev'd Matthew Wood, Tel: 01756 648 199

www.linton-burnsall-rylstone.com

St Margaret Clitherow, Threshfield

Mgr. Andrew Summersgill.

www.stmargaretclitherow.org.uk



GETTING ABOUT

Travelling around the Yorkshire Dales.

For the latest bus and train timetables, and travel information, the Dales Bus website is the place to go. The website is designed to help you get around the Yorkshire Dales area (including the Yorkshire Dales National Park and Nidderdale National Landscape) using public transport.

www.dalesbus.org

BUSES RUN THROUGH THRESHFIELD TO SKIPTON, GRASSINGTON AND UPPER WHARFEDALE AS FOLLOWS:

- Keighley Bus Company service 72 runs between Skipton and Grassington seven days a week.
- Upper Wharfedale Venturer minibus service 72B: links to the 72 bus and runs between Hebden, Grassington and Buckden, Monday to Saturday

There are also seasonal Sunday buses from Grassington to Aysgarth, Hawes and other destinations. **www.dalesbus.org**

RAILWAYS SERVICES

Skipton Railway Station, Broughton Road, Skipton, BD23 1RT. Approximately 9 miles from Threshfield, and reachable by the 72 bus from Threshfield. The station provides links to national rail services.

TAXI SERVICES

A taxi from Grassington to Skipton costs around £25 each way. Taxis to Leeds are about £80.

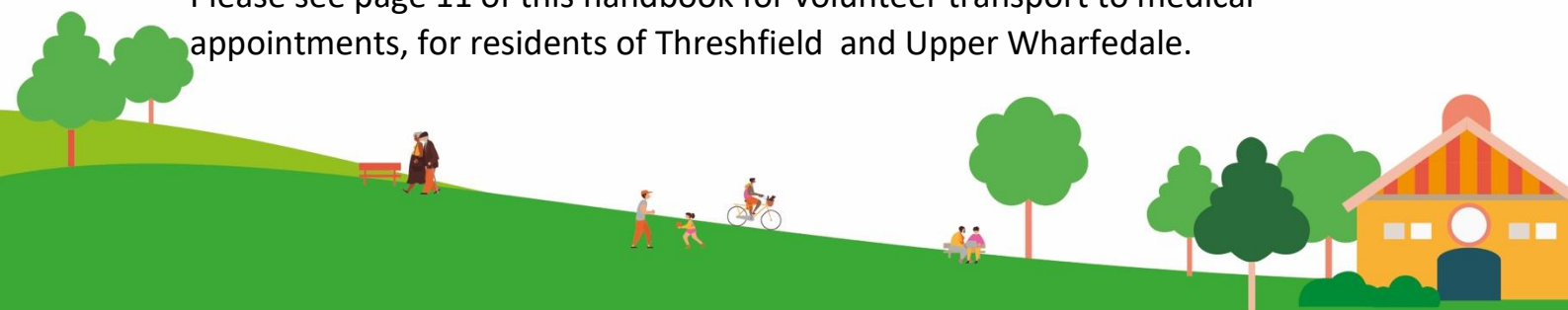
Skipton and Craven Taxis

Local and long distance, stations and airport runs.

Contact: 01756 701122

TRANSPORT TO MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS

Please see page 11 of this handbook for volunteer transport to medical appointments, for residents of Threshfield and Upper Wharfedale.



WHO TO CONTACT

If you have any suggestions for this handbook, please contact Grassington Hub.

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Garrs Lane
Grassington
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Tel: 01756 752222

Email: enquiries@grassingtonhub.com

www.grassingtonhub.com

