

Exhibitions & Museums

There are so many museums to visit in our area, and the majority of them have free admission. Many hold special exhibitions and fun activities over the summer holidays. Please visit their websites to see 'What's On'.

Ilkley Toy Museum

<http://www.ilkleymuseum.co.uk/>



Beastly Machines at Bradford Industrial Museum

From now until 6th November

Free Admission

<http://www.bradfordmuseums.org/whats-on/beastly-machines-kinetic-sculptures-by-johnny-white>

East Riddlesden Hall, Keighley

<http://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/east-riddlesden-hall>

Alice's Adventures In Wonderland Exhibition

Cliffe Castle Museum, Keighley

From now till Sunday 30th October

Free Admission

<http://www.bradfordmuseums.org/whats-on/alices-adventures-in-wonderland>



Bronte Parsonage Museum, Haworth

<https://www.bronte.org.uk>

Inc. Wild Wednesdays - free artist-led craft workshops suitable for all the family

Keighley Bus Museum

<http://www.kbmt.org.uk/>



Bradford Media Museum

Free Admission

<http://www.nationalmediamuseum.org.uk/planavisit/families>

Leeds City Museum

Free Admission

<http://www.leeds.gov.uk/museumsandgalleries/Pages/default.aspx>

Royal Armouries, Leeds

Free Admission

<https://royalarmouries.org/learning/leeds-education>

National Railway Museum, York

Free Admission

<http://www.nrm.org.uk/>

Eureka!, Halifax

<https://www.eureka.org.uk/>

Railways

Keighley and Worth Valley Railway

<http://kwvr.co.uk/event/diesel-locomotive-service-2016/2016-06-25/>

Bolton & Embsay Railway

<https://www.facebook.com/embsayrailway/>

Parks, Woodland, Nature Reserves & Estates

Middleton Woods, Ilkley

<https://www.bradford.gov.uk/media/2067/mountcalverleyandmiddletonwoods.pdf>



Riverside Gardens, Ilkley

<http://www.bradforddistrictparks.org/sites/parks/parks.php?ID=75>

Ilkley Tarn, Ilkley Moor

<http://www.everytrail.com/guide/an-interesting-child-friendly-walk-on-ilkley-moor>

The Cow and Calf Rocks, Ilkley

<http://www.visitbradford.com/thedms.aspx?dms=3&venue=2182686>

Hebers Ghyll, Ilkley

<http://www.walk4life.info/walk/hebers-ghyll-ilkley>

Welly Walk Adventure Trail at Bolton Abbey Estate

From now until Sunday 30th October

FREE event - *the Estate's usual admission fee applies*

<http://boltonabbey.com/whats-on/welly-walk/>



Harlow Carr Gardens, Harrogate

<https://www.rhs.org.uk/gardens/harlow-carr>

Nidd Gorge, Bilton Banks, Harrogate

<https://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/get-involved/events/21-27-may-2016-family-trail-nidd-gorge/>

Skipton Castle Woods, Skipton

<https://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/get-involved/events/28-may-2016-family-trail-skipton-castle-woods/>

Northcliffe Woods

<http://www.visitbradford.com/thedms.aspx?dms=3&feature=1000&venue=2184480>

Denso Marston Nature Reserve, Baildon

<http://www.dm-naturereserve.org.uk/>

Harewood House Estate, Leeds

<http://harewood.org/>

Clumber Park, Worksop

<http://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/clumber-park>

Hardcastle Craggs

<http://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/hardcastle-craggs>

Local Attractions

Create Café, Ilkley

<http://www.createcafe.co.uk/>

Dan's Den (soft play), Ilkley

<http://www.dansdenilkley.co.uk/>

Clip'n'Climb, Ilkley

<http://clipnclimbilkley.co.uk/>

Billy Bob's Ice-cream Parlour, Bolton Abbey

<http://www.billybobsparlour.com/>

9am – 6pm - £1 per child for the play barn

Take the children for outdoors play and an ice-cream or stay for longer and have a meal in the diner.

Hesketh Farm Park, Bolton Abbey

<http://www.heskethfarmpark.co.uk/>

Skipton Castle

<http://www.skiptoncastle.co.uk/>

Shiplay Glen Tramway

<http://www.shiplayglentramway.co.uk/>



Mother Shipton's Cave, Knaresborough

<http://www.mothershipton.co.uk>

Yorkshire Wildlife Park

<https://yorkshirewildlifepark.com>

Cinema, Theatre & Performance

Ilkley Cinema

<http://www.ilkleycinema.co.uk/>

King's Hall, Ilkley

<http://www.bradford-theatres.co.uk/whats-on>

Otley Courthouse

<http://otleycourthouse.org.uk/>

Wind in the Willows at Bolton Abbey Estate,

<http://boltonabbey.com/wind-in-the-willows-bolton-abbey/>

Making Your Own Fun!

Give nature a home - <http://www.rspb.org.uk/discoverandenjoynature/>

Go wild - <http://www.mywildlife.org.uk/30dayswild/>

Skyride - <http://routes.goskyride.com/>

Go for a walk - <https://www.livingstreets.org.uk>

Feed the ducks (peas and seeds, not bread) - <https://canalrivertrust.org.uk>

More suggestions - <http://www.netmums.com/activities/101-ideas-for-free-family-fun>

Visit a forest - <http://www.forestry.gov.uk/visit>

Visit a local village for the day – Grassington, Hebden Bridge, Saltaire, Addingham

Swimming Pools



Ilkley Lido

From now until

<http://www.ilkleylido.co.uk/>

Keighley Swimming Pool

<https://www.bradford.gov.uk/sport-and-activities/sports-centres-and-pools/the-leisure-centre-keighley/>