

# Parkinson's Halifax

## NEWSLETTER

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**PLEASE REMEMBER:  
NO MEETING  
IN AUGUST**

### CALDER VALLEY WALK FOR PARKINSON'S

It was an early start for all concerned on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> June. For the volunteers who provided us with refreshments at both ends of the walk – bacon sandwiches beforehand and Afternoon Tea on our return. So many thanks to Ian Barraclough, Beverley Holroyd and her daughter, Lucy Denison, Ann Hodgson, Margaret Tyler, our Chair Sylvia Maudsley and Jenny Oleksewycz.

Although the walk started from Hollingworth Lake, we had to be transported from Mytholmroyd Community Centre by bus.

The walk began at 11am, led by Chrissie Fielden and her team who supported us throughout the walk. They were full of encouragement and kept us topped up with extra water – it was a hot day. David Baldwin swept up from the rear to ensure that everyone returned safely and received their medal. The Parkinson's UK official photographer popped up at regular intervals, to record our pink faces (did I mention it was a very hot day?), enthusiastic smiles and hearty waves.

Over 50 people registered for the walk, some were doing 8 miles and some were doing 15 miles. I completed the walk with my husband Keith, my contribution to the event will be in excess of £750 (before gift aid) due to the generosity of all my friends and family, therefore, I would like to thank everyone who sponsored me for this walk for Parkinson's UK.

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Need help? Call the  
Parkinson's UK confidential  
helpline for free on  
**0808 800 0303**

**Opening times:** Monday-Friday:  
9am-7pm, Saturday: 10am-2pm  
(Closed Sundays / Bank Holidays)

"Our trained advisers, can  
provide information and  
advice about all aspects of  
Parkinson's, such as:

- \*medical issues, including symptoms and treatments
- \*employment and benefits
- \*health and social care
- \*emotional support."

# Shay Annual Dinner and Comedy Evening



MC - Pete Emmett



Magic Bob



Comedian-  
Johnnie Casson

On Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2018  
At the Shay Stadium  
7pm for 7.30pm Formal Dress £35 per head  
3 course dinner and fabulous entertainment  
Tickets: Martin Uttley 07977 565 311

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This is a request for Poetry writers out there.  
Please send in your creations for a new  
feature... Poetry Corner.

Please send in your poems to Eileen at  
[lillybelly@hotmail.com](mailto:lillybelly@hotmail.com) Thanks

If you have something that you would like to see in the Newsletter,  
please, don't be shy... You can contact Eileen Kenny by telephone,  
who will then arrange a meeting if required or you could simply  
email your ideas directly (contact details; on page 1). Articles need  
to be submitted before the 27<sup>th</sup> of the month.

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[www.parkinsonshalifax.org.uk](http://www.parkinsonshalifax.org.uk)

## Dates For Your Diary

**AUGUST**  
**NO MEETING**

**September 8<sup>th</sup>**  
**Colin Whitaker**  
**Vocals, flute & guitar**

**September 29<sup>th</sup>**  
**Annual Dinner & Comedy**  
**Night**