

A Month in Pétanque





What's on at Huddersfield Pétanque Club and in the local area in July 2023



Tuesday, Thursday & Sunday at 1pm continue as usual. There are many special events in July listed below.



Regional events have online entry for YP members. Club Events are free to HPC members.

Sunday 2nd July 1300	Monthly Club Mêlée (1 of 6). 3 rounds where we keep scores for 6 months & after 6 events there's a winner for the season. Robin & Rita are organisers.
Sunday 2nd July 0930	 Stockton Fox Pairs. Open to all. 5 rounds, £5 per person. All day event
Tuesday 4th July 1300	Normal social play with an informal visit to the Junction afterwards
Thursday 13th July 1000	Greenhead College staff taster session. Finishes about 1200
Saturday 15th July 0930	 Brandsburton Open Triples. £10 per team. 5 rounds. All day event.
Sunday 16th July 0915	TOG24 Heckmondwike Open Mixed Triples. Entry is £10 per player and there are prizes for the Gold, Silver & Bronze winners and runners up. Play starts at 10am and every team plays at least 4 games. Registration from 9.15am. Bacon Sandwiches from 9.00am. Entry at www.heckmondwikepetanqueclub.co.uk
Wednesday 19th July 1030	Melee at Stockton Fox. 5 rounds. £5 pp. An event with fewer "top" players and more "normal" club players. Turn up on the day. No booking required. Only 50 minutes from HPC. Nell is hoping to take a group there. Talk to her.
Sunday 23rd July 0930	 Wetherby Open Pairs. Open to all. 5 rounds, £10 a team. All day event
Sunday 23rd July 1300	Club Singles competition. 3 rounds.
Thursday 27th July 1300	Shotgun doubles. (3 round snake with random partners drawn from a hat).
Sunday 30th July 0930	 Yorkshire Club event at Heckmondwike. 3 competitions simultaneously so we need a squad of 7 players. Open Pairs, Mixed Pairs and Mixed Triples. Scores combined to produce Yorkshire's top club. Huddersfield has done well in this competition previously. In 2022 we were 4 th out of 8 clubs and in 2021 we were 3 rd out of 8 clubs. We were joint 2 nd with Hollicarrs with same number of wins but moved down a place due to our loss against them in an earlier round.
To be arranged	West Yorkshire Cup v Heckmondwike. This competition has a unique format. Two same sex triples followed by 3 mixed pairs. Last year we lost in the final.

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West Yorkshire League Final Table

West Yorks League 2023

	Home Matches	Games Won	Away Matches	Games Won	Total Matches	Games Won	Points diff
Wetherby	5	21	5	13	10	34	96
Huddersfield	5	14	5	12	10	26	12
Heckmondwike	5	13	5	12	10	25	12
Leeds	5	15	5	9	10	24	64
Harrogate Montpellier	5	12	5	9	10	21	-89
Mirfield	5	9	5	11	10	20	-95

A good result for the squad who moved from 5th place last year up to 2nd place. Wetherby had greater strength in depth but we had some bad days when nothing went right. The next event of this style is the West Yorkshire Cup. The squad this year was Nell, Roy, Brendan, Moira, Phil, Paul, Robin, Christine, Jan, Margaret, Mike & Pete.

West Yorkshire League in an afternoon.

Pairs													
Team	Round 1			Round 2			Round 3			Wins	Diff	Pts For	Position
A Ilkley	B	13	4	C	13	7	D	5	13	2	7	31	2
B Kirkburton	A	4	13	D	11	13	C	6	13	0	-18	21	4
C Ripponden	D	13	7	A	7	13	B	13	6	2	7	33	1
D Shelley	C	7	13	B	13	11	A	13	5	2	4	33	3
Triples													
Team	Round 1			Round 2			Round 3			Wins	Diff	Pts For	Position
A Ripponden	B	13	7	C	7	13	D	13	9	2	4	33	2
B Ilkley	A	7	13	D	13	10	C	13	11	2	-1	33	3
C Shelley	D	13	6	A	13	7	B	11	13	2	11	37	1
D Kirkburton	C	6	13	B	10	13	A	9	13	0	-14	25	4

4 teams played in this event on 13th June. A pairs league and a triples league.

	Pair	Triple	Total
Ripponden	4	3	7
Ilkley	3	2	5
Shelley	2	4	6
Kirkburton	1	1	2

Points were combined and Ripponden were the winners.

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