

East Lancashire & Clitheroe Line CRPs Activity Plan Update 19th July 2023



BOOKING OFFICE CLOSURES

Booking offices proposed for closure

Preston – AWC

Accrington – Northern

Burnley Manchester Rd – Northern

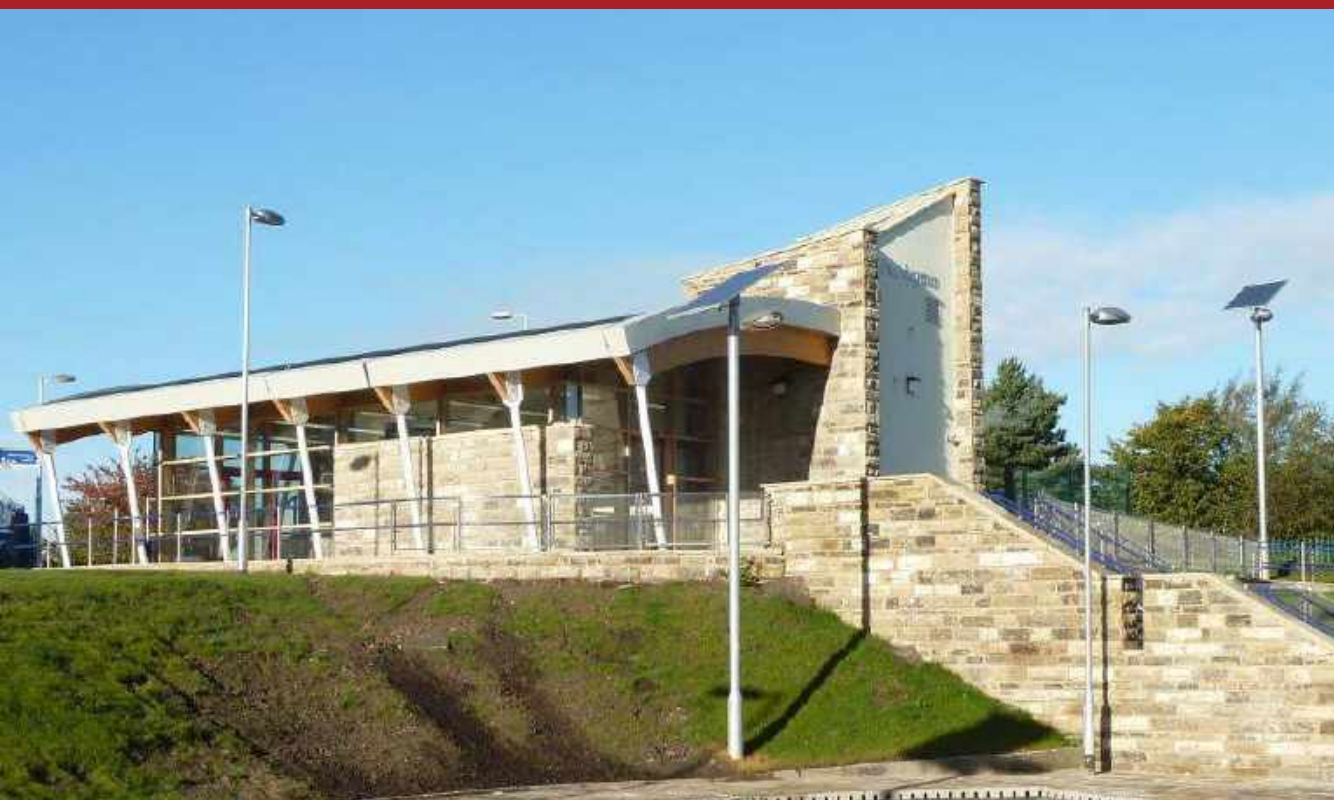
Burnley Central - Northern

Consultation period:

Northern ends Friday 28th July

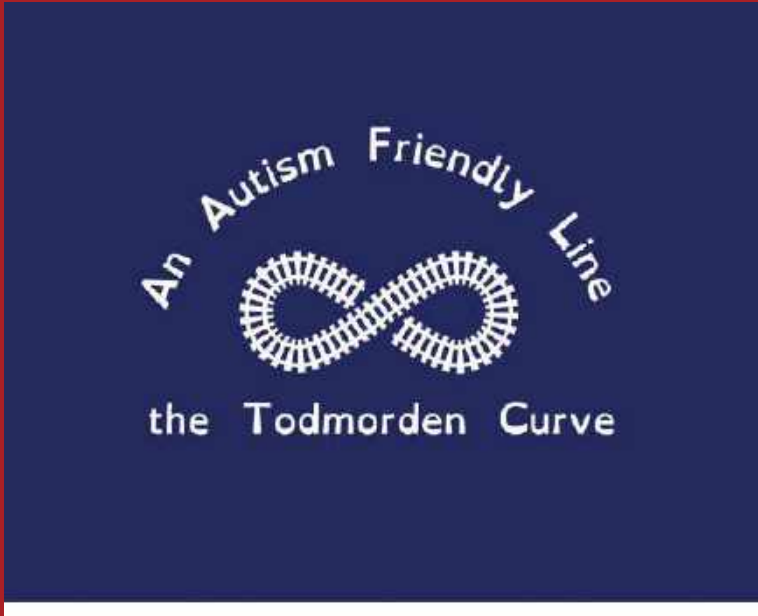
Avanti West Coast ends Weds 26th July (+ all other TOCs

Responses need to be sent to Transport Focus



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“To prepare autistic people for what they can expect a dedicated webpage includes photographs, videos and other visual resources is available and can be easily understood.”

<https://communityraillancashire.co.uk/autism-friendly-line/>

<https://trained.website/project/autism-friendly-stations/>



Focus on Blackburn | 11th May 2023

Making Connections celebration



Focus on Blackburn 11th May 2023

Making Connections celebration

Extract of poem by David Tebb

We've been on trips by rail
To places far and wide
We haven't lost a soul
As Katie was our guide

From all these great trips
From Community Rail Lancs
From all of us in Blackburn
We give you our thanks

A lady who escaped
from a life of despair
Was laughing having fun
And threw bird sees everywhere

Stories like the Gruffalo
Were very often read
But Banu didn't ever
Tuck us up in bed

We went to Christmas markets
The prices were insane
But in honour of our presence
It decided not to rain





COMMUNITY RAIL WEEK 22nd TO 26th MAY 2023

13 events over 5 days



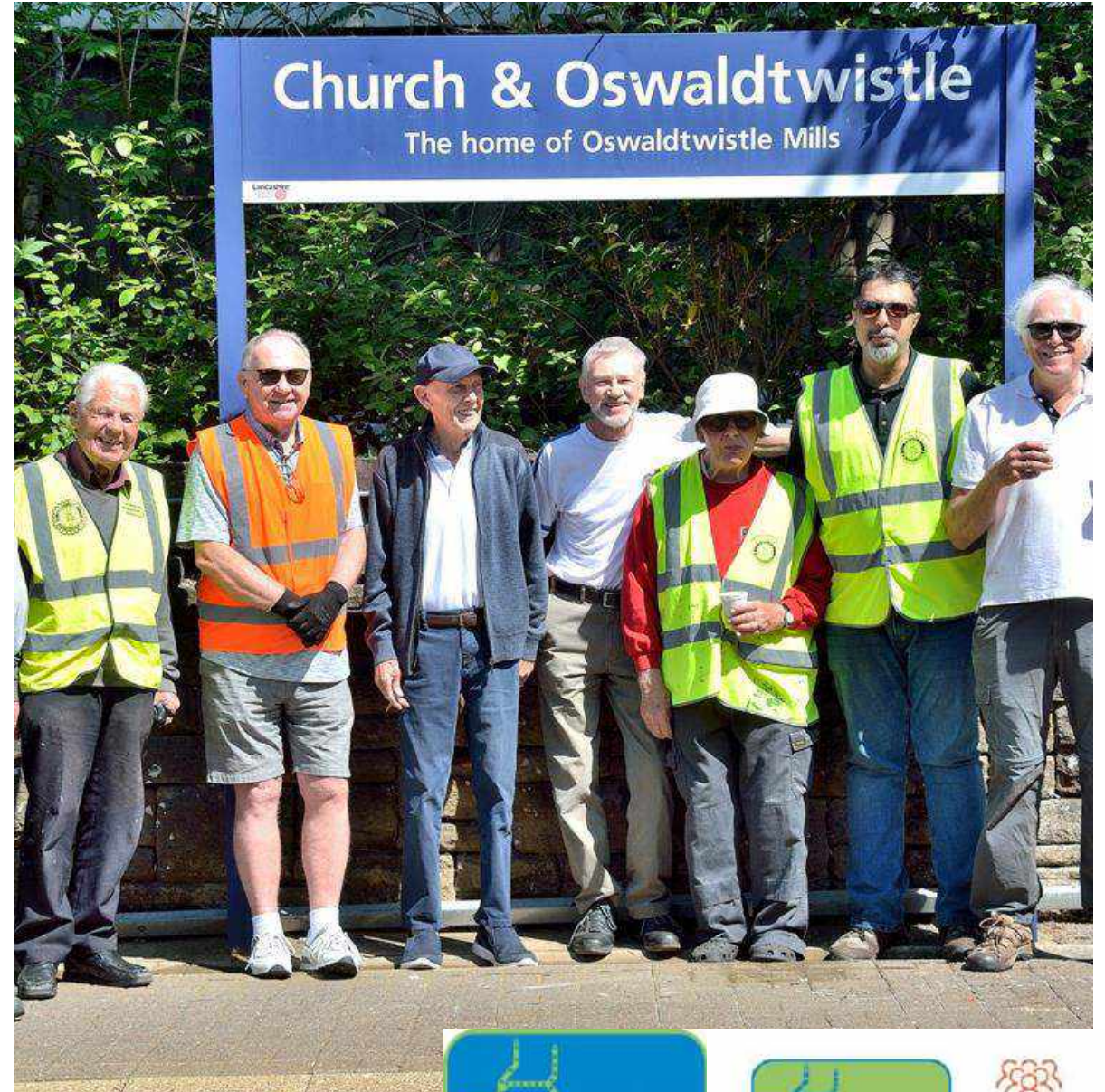
PRESTON STATION

27th June



FOCUS ON CHURCH & OSWALDTWISTLE 'THIS IS US'





FOCUS ON ACCRINGTON



FOCUS ON CLITHEROE





Let's promote the Clitheroe Line

Proposal is to develop a new line guide possibly called 'Discover the Clitheroe Line'

Can you help?

- Ideas for what to include
- Photos
- Text
- Links
- AONB



Lancashire Rail Studies

- East Lancashire Studies:
 - **Blackpool – York**
 - **Manchester – Clitheroe**
 - **Blackburn – Manchester Victoria via Todmorden**

 - **DalesRail**
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Let's Connect Communities
supporting 7 community projects
With funding from LCC, CRL and CRDF

Chattering Chimmers at Thompson Park, Burnley



Project funding 1st April to 30th June 2023

	Cost £	Grant £
Eid Express	730	730 (SGF)
From East to West (2)	300	300 (SGF)
This is Us (Rotakids)	13,680	6,840 (CRDF)
Guided walk leaflet	1,800	1,800 (CRDF - TBC)
Blackburn Subway	6,436	£3500 SAF & £6240 CRDF
DalesRail study	760	
Mini Timetable	722	
Let's Connect Communities	19,000	£9,000 LCC, CRL & £2,728 CRDF
Steam to Green	9,950	£9,950 Seed Corn
Total to 30 06 2023		

Notes

1. Balance funding from Heritage Lottery
 2. Part of Community Rail Week
- TBC – to be confirmed



Coming up:

19th July ComREG on the agenda is Stations as a Place and accessibility Funding.

27th July National Community Rail Steering Group

29th July WIMIN Festival Bootle

