

LAUNCH EVENT - KOKOO FOOTPRINTS

Friday 5 June, 12 - 2:30 pm
Kokoo and Chocolate Heritage Repair Museum, HX1 1UR

Ahead of Refugee Week, join the launch event for the Chocolate Has A Name project. Participants are invited to bring one everyday item connected to the Global South as part of a community-led social experiment exploring movement, connection and sanctuary.

The launch also marks the beginning of a specially tailored 54-mile relay around the Calderdale Way, taking place from 6-7 June.

Organised by *Chocolate Has A Name project & Kokoo and Chocolate Heritage Repair Museum*

CHARITY CRICKET TOURNAMENT

Saturday 13 June, 11am onwards
Hebden Bridge Cricket Club, HX7 8LR

Join us for a friendly Refugee Week cricket match between St. Augustine's Centre and Hebden Bridge Cricket Club.

Organised by *St. Augustine's Centre & Hebden Bridge Cricket Club*

CALDERDALE COLLEGE EVENT

Wednesday 17 June, Time TBC
Calderdale College, Halifax, HX1 3UZ

A Refugee Week community event hosted by Calderdale College. Open to the public. Booking information coming soon.

Organised by *Calderdale College*

POETRY COMPETITION PRIZE-GIVING

Thursday 18 June, 3:30 - 5:00
Central Library, Halifax

Prize-giving ceremony for the children's and young people's poetry and short story competition.

Organised by *Calderdale Council & Calderdale Libraries*



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PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBITION LAUNCH

Thursday 18 June, Afternoon (Time TBC)
Everybody Arts, Halifax, HX3 9ET

Join us for the launch of a special photography exhibition exploring themes of community, identity and belonging.

Organised by *St. Augustine's Centre & Everybody Arts*

REFUGEE WEEK & ROMA HISTORY MONTH CELEBRATION

Friday 19 June, 9:30 - 1:30
Everybody Arts, Halifax, HX3 9ET

A celebration of Refugee Week and Roma History Month featuring music, food, art exhibitions and more.

Organised by *Calderdale Council, Everybody Arts, and artists collaborating with St. Augustine's Centre*

THE ANNUAL SANCTUARY SHIELD FOOTBALL MATCH

Friday 19 June, Time TBC
Todmorden Central Methodist Church, OL14 5AW

Come and cheer on the St. Augustine's Centre team in the annual Refugee Week football match.

Organised by *St. Augustine's Centre*

COURAGE!



Courage isn't always loud or bold.
It can be found in simple acts:
Opening your door to a neighbor,
Trying new food, reading a new book
Or watching a film
that changes your view of the world
It can be speaking up, asking for help,
sharing your story -
or simply having
the courage to be yourself

INVITATION ONLY TOGETHER IN MOTION

Friday 19 June

A special evening of dance, film and community with Curious Motion. Together in Motion celebrates creativity and connection, bringing together Curious Motion's community in the Elland area to enjoy dance, live music, poetry and the premiere screening of a new collaborative film with Matt Radcliffe.

This event is invitation only. For more information, please contact Curious Motion at: hello@curiousmotion.org.uk

Organised by *Curious Motion*

FREE SCREENING - "THE LONG AWAY GAME" & "HOME GROUND" FOLLOWED BY Q&A

Saturday 20 June, 4 - 7 pm
Hebden Bridge Picture House, HX7 8AD

Join us for a special screening of two short films. The Long Away Home follows a former Afghan woman footballer as she finds home and community through a Yorkshire football club. Alongside this, Home Ground returns to Hebden Bridge Picture House.

A special guest will join the post-screening Q&A session.

Calderdale Valley of Sanctuary & Hebden Bridge Picture House

PANEL DISCUSSION: THE INTERSECTION OF REFUGEE EXPERIENCES AND SEND

Monday 22 June, 10:30 - 12:00
Central Library, Halifax

A panel discussion exploring the intersection between refugee experiences and special educational needs and disabilities (SEND).

Organised by *Wayfinder Calderdale*

ALL EVENTS ARE FREE TO JOIN



Find out more by scanning the QR code, or visit bit.ly/refugeeweek2026

