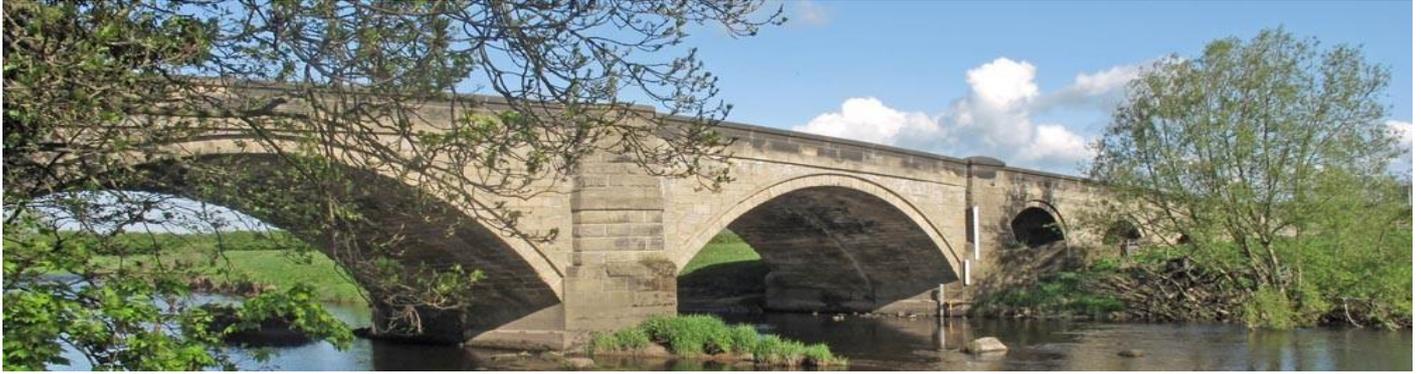


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## **Pool in Wharfedale News**

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### **St Wilfrid's Christmas Fair**

Thank you to all who supported St Wilfrid's Christmas Fair by baking, donating items, helping or coming to buy. It was a busy, happy time and over £1,000 was raised. The luxury food hamper was won by pink ticket 234 and the pamper hamper by pink ticket 181, both prizes have been claimed.

### **Shell Garage Licensing Application Hearing**

On November 28th, there was a Licensing application hearing for the newly altered Shell Garage in Pool. It was agreed and recommended by the committee at the end of the day that the hours of operation for selling of alcohol will be:

07:00 to 22:00 Monday to Saturday

08:00 to 22:00 on a Sunday

This means it is in line with the hours of opening and operation agreed at the Planning Application stage.

### **Legal Advice**

It appears that Councillors are being asked where to find legal advice. Specific recommendations can't be given by the Law Society. They have sent a useful pdf which outlines how to go about finding certain legal services. You can read this pdf on the Pool news website.

### **Pool Sports and Social Club**

Please visit the Pool news website to view the latest newsletter, tables and raffle results from Pool Sports and Social Club.

### **Tour de Yorkshire**

Having been in more of a supporting role last year, Leeds will once again feature heavily in this year's race culminating with the Stage 4 finish in Leeds City Centre on Sunday 6th May. A significant part of the route will also pass through Leeds during Stage 2 on Friday 4th May. The details of each stage are below:

Stage 1 (Thursday 3rd May) will run from Beverley to Doncaster – route does NOT pass through LCC area.

Stage 2 (Friday 4th May) starts in Barnsley and will pass through Kippax, Garforth, Barwick-in-Elmet, Scholes, Thorner, East Rigton/Bardsey, East Keswick, Harewood, Pool and Otley before finishing in Ilkley for both the women's and men's races. This stage includes a sprint in Scholes and a 'King of the Mountain' element on Old Pool Bank.

Stage 3 (Saturday 5th May) runs from Richmond to Scarborough – route does NOT pass through LCC area.

Stage 4 (Sunday 6th May) starts at the Piece Hall in Halifax and will enter the Leeds boundary at Otley passing through Pool, Arthington, Adel, West Park, Kirkstall, Armley, and Burley before reaching the city centre and finishing on the Headrow outside Leeds Art Gallery. This stage includes a 'King of the Mountain' element on East Chevin Road and a sprint on Black Hill Road in Arthington. The annual 'Sportive' amateur ride will also take place on this day with an early start anticipated from Woodhouse Moor (tbc) with all riders crossing the official race finish line on the Headrow.

### **December Safer newsletter**

Please visit the Pool news website to view the December Safer newsletter.

### **Lining on Pool Bank Road/Pool Bank New Road- Downhill Side**

Barry Anderson has been chasing up the following issue since August:

"The cycle lane and line hashing are now almost invisible, negating their impact."

He has now received the response in the email below

Dear Cllr Anderson

The contractor has agreed that the affected lining is covered by the contract maintenance period and they will undertake all necessary remedial work. However to try and avoid another failure they need to carry out the work in reasonable weather conditions. They will provisionally programme the work in January but it may be delayed depending on the weather.

Regards

Senior Engineer Service Delivery

The Pool news team would like to wish you all a very Happy New Year.

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**Thank you**