



Why become a Friend?

You'll play a part in the development of our town by supporting a charity that aims to provide great facilities for local people and businesses.

As a member, you can have your say by electing the trustees that will manage the building.

You'll receive one of our lovely mugs and have your 'mug shot' included in the grand collage at the Town Hall in 2009.

A Mug in Every Kitchen. To act as a little thank you (and as a reminder every time you make a cup of coffee), all Friends will be entitled to one of our celebratory pottery mugs.

Send in your Mug photo. It's not obligatory, but we'd like you to send in a digital photo of you or family members in your kitchen, with your mug. We'll display all the photos received in a giant collage in the Town Hall in 2009. Send the photos to hebdenbridgetownhall@gmail.com.

More information about the Town Hall project and HB Community Association is available at www.hebdenbridgetownhall.org.uk



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Be a Friend of Hebden Bridge's best building...



...and help us get our
mug in every Hebden
Bridge kitchen!

Great things are being planned for Hebden Bridge's beautiful but neglected Town Hall (the 'council offices').

A new community-run charity, Hebden Bridge Community Association Ltd, is negotiating with Calderdale to take over management of this key building in our town.

During 2009, we hope to convert empty offices at the rear into a new public hall and function room, *The Waterfront*. Meeting space will also be available.

More ambitiously, we are fund-raising for major development on the site to create a proper hub for the Hebden Bridge community, where there will be access to services from Calderdale and the town/parish councils, facilities for community groups and a base for small enterprises.

Be a Friend! The transformation of such a landmark building in Hebden Bridge has to be embraced by all in our community. Please show your support by becoming a Friend.

Friends are Members, too. As a Friend, you will automatically become a member of Hebden Bridge Community Association Ltd. You will be invited to AGMs and special meetings, and will have the chance to elect the Trustees who will manage the building. (Applies to 18+ age group only; liability of members is limited to £1).

Young people and children welcome, too. Children and young people are an important part of our community, and are also welcome as Friends. (For legal reasons, under 18s do not become members of HB Community Association Ltd).

Email, please. If at all possible, please give us an email address. To save money, we intend to use email rather than post where possible to contact all Friends/Members. Remember, though, that you must tell us if your email address changes, otherwise you won't get information and invites to meetings.

Gift Aid. If you pay UK income tax, please tick the Gift Aid box on the membership form. As a charity, we can reclaim the standard rate tax you've paid on your donation, at no cost to you.

Data Protection. Your personal data will be looked after by us in accordance with the principles of the Data Protection Act, and will not be passed to any third parties.

How much? The standard membership rate for Friends is £10. If you receive means-tested benefits or are on low income, the rate is £5. Children/young people pay £2.50. Membership lasts initially until Dec 2010 (you keep the mug for ever!).

We also are looking for individuals and organisations who want to demonstrate particular support, and are prepared to be our first Gold Members (£100).

Organisations can be Friends too. Local clubs, organisations and voluntary groups are positively welcome as Friends (£10). Please give us the name and contact details of the person who will represent your organisation and add, in the white space at the very top of the form, the name of your group.

Patrons sought. If you, your organisation or your business would like to discuss becoming a Founder Patron, please contact us directly. In the first instance, please ring Andrew Bibby, on HB 844026 or write to him at 2 Hebble End, Hebden Bridge, HX7 6HJ.

How to join. It's easy, you can become a Friend (and pick up your mug) at a number of local businesses, who have very kindly agreed voluntarily to support us in this way. Look for posters in shop windows.

Alternatively, you can return this form and cheque by post to 2 Hebble End, Hebden Bridge, HX7 6HJ. (Your mug will be delivered later by a volunteer).

Become a friend of HB Town Hall project

one form per individual please

Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms first name: _____

last name: _____

address: _____

postcode _____

phone: _____

mobile: _____

email: _____

Please make sure this is legible; where possible, we will use email rather than post to contact you.

age: | under 18 | 18-29 | 30-45 | 45-60 | 60-75 | 75+
Please circle as appropriate.

I enclose a donation of: £100 (Gold member)
| £10 (standard) | £5 (low income) | £2.50 (under 18)

Make cheques payable to Hebden Bridge Community Association Ltd

Gift Aid Declaration: *I am a UK tax payer, and confirm that I wish to make this and any future donations to Hebden Bridge Community Association through the Gift Aid scheme. Tick this box to confirm*

I wish to be enrolled as a Friend of Hebden Bridge Town Hall project. I understand that, provided I am 18, I will also become a member of Hebden Bridge Community Association Ltd.

signature: _____

(Parent's/guardian's signature for children and young people under 18)

For official use

Form fully completed?

Payment received: £ _____

Payment in form of cash or cheque

Mug and membership certificate issued

Number on membership certificate: _____