

Wharfedale Cross Country - Nell Bank Relays – Parking, walking routes/entrance and facilities available

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The Wharfedale Cross Country Relays for Key Stage 2 pupils will be held at Nell Bank on Saturday 19th March. We are very much looking forwards to being able to hold the event this year and recognise all those who have completed the league for the 2021-2022 season with their individual league certificates (plus Easter Eggs for those who've managed the majority of league races in their time in KS2).

Nell Bank café will be open on a cash-only basis so please bring enough money to buy yourself a hot drink and some cake!

Toilet facilities are available at Nell Bank, but all activity areas are strictly out of bounds.

Since the event was last held, double yellow lines have been painted down Denton Road (on which Nell Bank is situated) and we ask that you please respect this and do not park on Denton Road itself. The local PCSO team and traffic wardens have been notified of the event and are likely to be in attendance.

The map below shows parking options (in yellow), most of which are free, and walking routes from each location to Nell Bank (in blue). We request that you use the walking route recommended; this enters Nell Bank from their field to the west of the centre. This is the safest route and avoids having to cross over the runners' circuit to get to the starting flags to register. Enter Middleton Woods and exit the woods into the corner of the field just east of the suspension bridge across the river (see the red dot). Wellies or walking boots are recommended!

If parking at Ilkley Lido please use the grass areas to the left and right of the entrance or the grass area to the back of the Lido rather than the car park, this leaves the car park free for regular users of the facility.

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