

# Bradford at Leisure - the delights of Saltaire



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- 6 Shipley Glen Tramway
- 7 Former 'Japanese Gardens'
- 8 Tea Rooms and public house
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## World Heritage WEEKENDER

16 - 17 April 2016



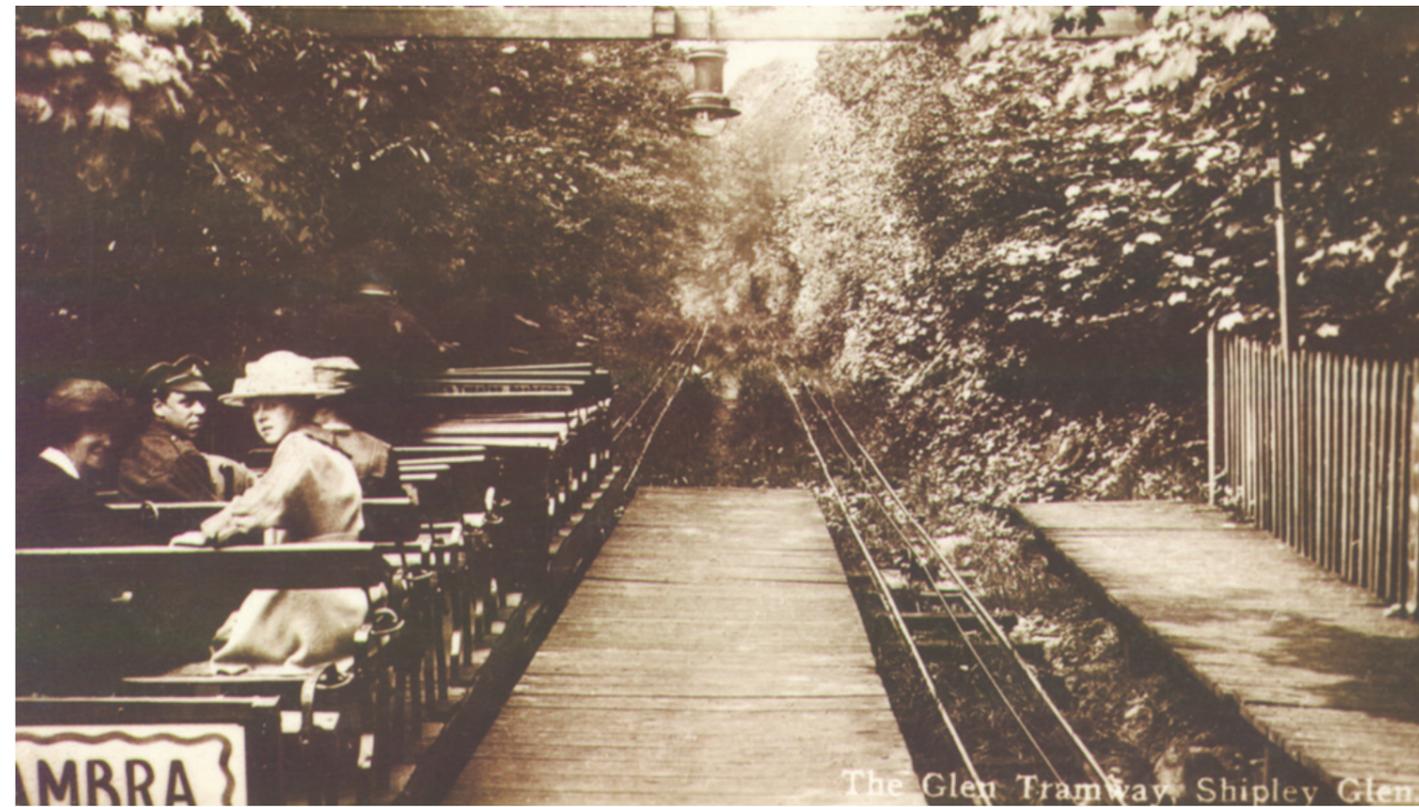
**SALTAIRE UNITED REFORMED CHURCH**  
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**BRACKEN HALL COUNTRYSIDE CENTRE**  
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**CANALSIDE**  
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## Saltaire Stories Past, Present and Future



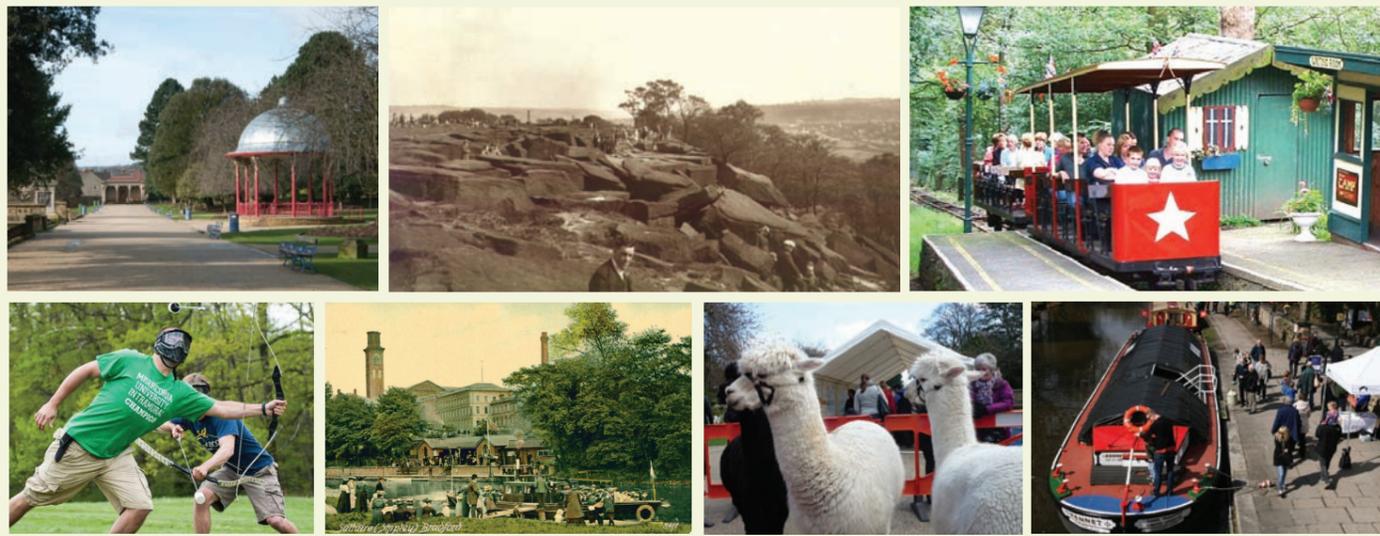
The theme of World Heritage Weekend 2016 is the leisure facilities in Saltaire and Shipley Glen. From the park created by Titus Salt for his workers to Sam Wilson's Shipley Glen fairground rides at the top of the Tramway, Saltaire became part of Bradford's leisure and holiday tradition.

Come and have a 'grand day out' in Saltaire!

- Alpacas • Countryside craft activities • Archive exhibition
- Music • Guided walks • Canal boats • Workshops and demonstrations • Ride on the tramway • Archery ...and much, much more!



Have a look inside to find out what's going on over the weekend. Most activities are FREE!



SATURDAY 16 APRIL 2016

The World Heritage Weekender APRIL 2016

**MOST ACTIVITIES ARE FREE!**

Saltaire United Reformed Church	Times and how to take part
Take part in the Saltaire Stories ' <b>Bradford at Leisure</b> ' Guided Walk	11am and 1pm. FREE (a small charge for tram ride). Book up to 15 minutes before start by putting your name on the list at the venue.
Visit the Saltaire Stories ' <b>Bradford at Leisure</b> ' themed Archive Exhibition. Display of material reproduced from the Saltaire Archive on this year's theme of ' <i>Bradford at Leisure - the delights of Saltaire</i> '.	11am – 4pm. FREE
Enjoy homemade cream teas.	11am – 4pm. In aid of Church funds.
' <b>Welcome to Our Airedale Home</b> '. An informal, interactive concert of songs and stories, including a new song created during the day from participants' input.	4pm – 5pm. FREE

Bracken Hall Countryside Centre	Times and how to take part
Take part in the Saltaire Stories ' <b>Bradford at Leisure</b> ' Guided Walk.	11am and 1pm. FREE (a small charge for tram ride). Book up to 15 minutes before start by putting your name on the list at the venue.
Photo competition – upload your photos of the weekend for on-screen display in the classroom (bring any necessary cables).	10am – 4pm. FREE
Watch the 1912 archive film of the Easter crowds.	10am – 4pm. FREE
Investigate the creatures living in the garden and the pond.	10am – 4pm. FREE
Check out our digital bird ID activity.	10am – 4pm. FREE

Leeds and Liverpool Canal	Times and how to take part
Explore the historic <b>Kennet</b> canal boat floating museum and learn about what life was like on the canal.	10am – 4pm. FREE
Music – local buskers will entertain with local songs	Throughout the day. FREE

Roberts Park	Times and how to take part
Try your hand at traditional boaters' games and watch a demonstration of blacksmith skills.	11am – 4pm. FREE
Try your hand at a game of croquet.	11am – 4pm. FREE
Meet live alpacas – the creatures which provided Titus Salt with his wool and made his fortune.	11am – 4pm. FREE
Get crafty with the kids craft workshop - 'Colouring in the Bandstand'.	11am – 4pm. FREE
Enjoy clog dancing demonstrations	11am – 3pm. FREE
Be amazed by a demonstration of wood carving with a chain saw.	11am – 4pm. FREE

ShIPLEY GLEN TRAMWAY	Times and how to take part
To commemorate Sam Wilson who built the tramway in 1895, tramway volunteers will enter the spirit of the WHW weekend by wearing Victorian clothes.	11am – 4:30pm. Charges apply. Passengers with pre decimal 1d and 1/2d coins can ride for the original fares of 1d up and 1/2d down (the passengers can keep the coins) and receive a commemorative ticket. So have a look down the back of your sofa!

Thompson Field (playing fields near Tramway Museum)	Times and how to take part
Compete in <b>Archery Tag</b> - an awesome new sport using bows and safe foam tipped arrows to eliminate the other team.	10am – 4pm. £3 per game.

Village wide and other localities	Times and how to take part
Salts Walks - costumed guided walk.	11am and 2pm from the Visitor Information Centre (small charge). For information take a look at the website: <a href="http://www.saltairevillageexperience">www.saltairevillageexperience</a> or call 07801449105.
Take part in the ' <b>Canal Heritage Walk</b> ' - Saltaire to Bingley. 'Walkers are Welcome' event. Join a gentle 3 mile canal heritage walk from Saltaire to the Bingley Five Rise café.	10:15am for a 10:30am start. FREE. Meet at The Half Moon Café. On the way we will take lunch orders and ring them through to the Five Rise Café or bring your own picnic. Accompanied children are welcome, sorry no dogs. The route is accessible for wheelchair users if you don't mind short sections of rough ground. More info at: <a href="http://www.bingleywalkersarewelcome.org.uk">www.bingleywalkersarewelcome.org.uk</a>
<b>Welcome to Our Airedale Home.</b> An interactive performance celebrating the valley's natural heritage. Includes songs, stories and a demonstration of the ancient art of 'wood bodging'.	Find us by the riverbank, in the field west of Roberts Park (up past the cricket pavilion). 3pm – 4pm. FREE.

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Learn from the displays in the East Shelter about the Park and its history. Become a Friend of Roberts Park.	11am – 4pm. FREE

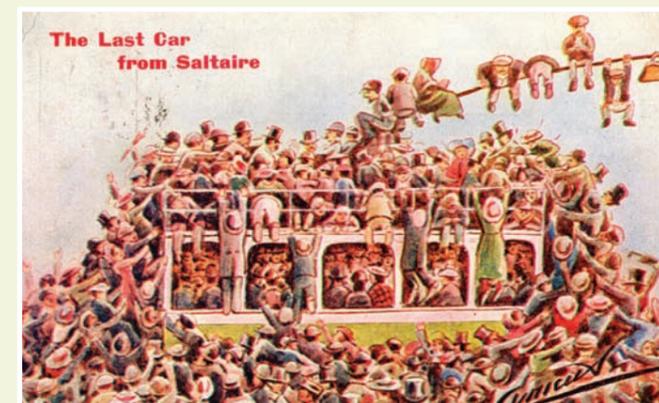
Leeds and Liverpool Canal	Times and how to take part
Music busking sessions from the stern of the <b>Kennet</b> and/or the CRT marquee on the canal side.	'As and when' the music takes them. FREE. Come and sing along!
Explore the historic <b>Kennet</b> canal boat floating museum and learn about what life was like on the canal.	10am – 4pm. FREE
Learn from the Canal and River Trust display. Volunteers and Friends of CRT recruitment stand.	11am – 4pm. FREE

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Take a short walk out on the glen to discover what remains of the fairground rides.	10am – 4pm. FREE
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Take part in the Northcliffe Circular <b>Historical Walk</b> . 5.5 miles. Bradford Council event.	11am. FREE. Meet Colin Pitts at the footbridge across to Roberts Park. Bring a packed lunch.



PLEASE NOTE: Most of this year's exciting events are outdoors and therefore may be subject to change or cancellation due to very inclement weather. Please wear appropriate clothing as we will carry on if only a bit wet!

*"In the early part of the last century a 'grand day out' in Saltaire and Shipley Glen was concluded with a crowded journey home on the last tram to Bradford – hope you have enjoyed the Weekend and have a good trip home!"*