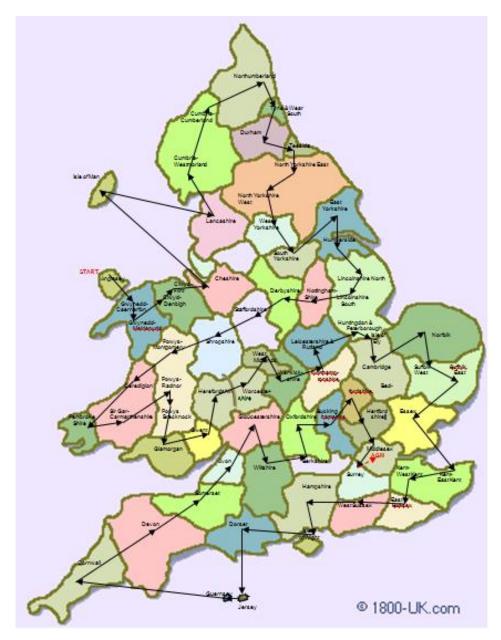




#### North Yorks West will receive the Baton from North Yorks East on Wednesday 23rd April 2014



North Yorkshire to West Yorkshire Wednesday 30th



West will handover on April 2014

Centenary celebrations begin for WI members everywhere as the specially designed centenary baton officially begins its journey around the UK. The baton, launched in Anglesey where the first WI meeting was held in the UK in 1915, will now travel throughout the 69 federations in England, Wales and the Islands to celebrate the links of friendship and community developed through the WI, and will finish its trip at the Annual Meeting in June 2015 at the Royal Albert Hall.



# We Need Your Help

We have to provide 12 photographs to be put on to a memory stick and loaded into the Baton.

The photos should give an overview of our Federation, a mixture of members, landmarks, buildings, scenery, people, work, etc. whatever you feel really depicts the heart of your area, e.g. Betty's Tea Rooms, Ribblehead Viaduct, Fountains Abbey, Wallace and Gromit or WI Event - the sky's the limit!

So come on submit your photographs to Alma House before

**Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2014** then they can be put on display at Spring Council and you can then vote for your favourite 12.

## **Baton Events**

# Events where you can see the chosen photographs, Baton and hear about the Baton's experiences so far

Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2014 – Receiving the Baton from NY East 2pm Sutton Bank Gliding Club – More Information please see Next Months "Enclosed in this Mailing" (waiting for confirmation from NYE)

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2014** at Harmby Village Hall, 2pm – 4pm Come and See the Baton and be entertained by Phillip Holden MBE – experiences of working in the farm industry for 45 years and being a member of the Singing Farmers Group **Afternoon Tea** - £4.50

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2014 at Alma House, 12pm for 12.30pm Baton Lunch

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Cost £10

Menu:

Chicken and Tomato Casserole Potatoe and Onion Bake Green Beans Rhubarb Pie with Wensleydale Ice Cream Tea or Coffee



After lunch speaker – Mary Clarke – NFWI Trustee

Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2014 at Cow and Calf Rocks, Ilkley, 2pm – Handover between NYW and West Yorkshire where better to celebrate than the Cow and Calf Rocks. Come and join us in a sing-along and

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### Afternoon Tea

Cost £4.50

## **Baton Events Booking Form**

Name:			 
Address:			 
	Po	st Code:	 
Telephone :	. Email:		 
Name of WI:			 

Please indicate preferred means of contact: Post Email

(Please remember to send a Stamped Address Envelope for confirmation if you wish to receive this by post)

Date	Venue	Cost	No of Places	Total Cost
23rd April 2014	Sutton Bank Gliding Club			
24th April 2014	Harmby Village Hall	£4.50		
28th April 2014	Alma House	£10.00		
30th April 2014	Cow and Calf Rocks, Ilkley	£4.50		

#### PLEASE LIST NAMES OF ANYONE WHO HAS ANY DIETARY REQUIREMENTS AND ANY SPECIAL NEEDS

Names:-	Dietary Requirements: (Diabetics, Coeliacs, Vegetarians)	Special Needs: (visual impairment, wheelchair users etc)

Please make cheques made payable to NYWFWI and send to Alma House, Low St Agnesgate, Ripon, North Yorkshire, HG4 2NA

Any Queries Please Do Not Hesitate To Contact Michelle On 01765 606339 Or Email: <u>Nywfwi@Btconnect.Com</u>

Please return this form to Alma House by Friday 11th April 2014