# LABOUR NEWS SPRING 2025 YEADON

# **New NHS Hub brings** care closer to Yeadon



Katie White MP opens the new Elective Care Hub at Wharfedale Hospital

The last Labour Government rebuilt Wharfedale Hospital and built Yeadon Health Centre. Today Labour is re-investing again in the NHS. It will take time but we have so far delivered:

- The new Elective Care Hub at Wharfedale Hospital bringing hospital care closer to Yeadon residents, providing surgery for general conditions, minor cancers, urology and benign gynaecology. It will treat an extra 3,500 patients to reduce waiting times.
- 2 million more appointments a year.
- An end to the junior doctors' dispute.

#### Labour will give the NHS:

- Over £25 billion more funding.
- £1.5 billion for more scanners and radiography machines to speed up diagnostic tests.
  - £126 million for hospices.



Thomson and MP Katie White

clir Eleanor Use this QR code to sign the petition started by Labour councillor Eleanor Thomson (Guiseley and Rawdon) calling for an on-time, half-hourly 27 bus service.



#### **27 BUS SERVICE**

First Bus has cut the 27 bus service through Yeadon to every 40 minutes.



- Local Labour councillors are demanding the 30minute service returns. They're actively campaigning for better services across the area.
- West Yorkshire's Labour Mayor, Tracy Brabin, is bringing bus services under public control.
- From Spring next year contracts will mean bus services will be run based on need, not profit.
- Tracy's "Mayor's Fares" initiative has pegged individual journeys at £2.50

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#### Yeadon's New Banking Hub

Yeadon's new Banking Hub at Yeadon Town Hall Theatre has been warmly welcomed by Katie White MP. It's part of Labour's pledge to open 350 banking hubs nationally.



The Hub opens Monday to Friday, 9am-5pm, offering a range of services including cash deposits, bill payments, and face-toface banking support.

Katie is working with Cash Access UK to find a permanent location for the Yeadon Hub.

#### **Update for Henshaw Play Area**

Local parents have welcomed the new play equipment installed at Henshaw Play Area, just off Henshaw Avenue. Leeds City Council Playground Team have been busy over winter making improvements. The work has replaced some of the old equipment and refurbished the rest.



### PROTECTING YEADON'S WORKERS

The average worker is £700 worse off than they were in 2010, thanks to the Tories' reckless actions.

Labour has given the biggest ever cash boost to the National Minimum and National Living wages. Labour's new employment laws will also:

- Crack down on fire and rehire
- End exploitative zero-hour contracts
- Make work family-friendly, with employment rights from day one – including parental leave, strengthened pregnancy rights and protection from unfair dismissal

## Supporting businesses

Labour MP Katie White supports local businesses every week on her social media.

To nominate a Yeadon business for Katie's Small Business "Saturday Shout Out", please email katie.whitelnw@gmail.com

A message from Guiseley and Rawdon Labour Councillors Oliver Edwards, Sonia Leighton and Eleanor Thomson



We represent residents in the west of Yeadon and Westfield. But many issues affect all of Yeadon - like antisocial behaviour, housing need, buses, schools, and working with our police, youth service and AVSED. With just one Labour Councillor for Otley and Yeadon we could create a joined-up approach and deliver more for the town.

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