Skipton Civic Society Events programme for summer 2026 to May 2027
Speaker meetings are held on the first Wednesday, October to May, 7.30pm in The Craven Arts House, Otley Street

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4th Nov	**Louise Close** **'The work of Skipton Town Council's Chief Officer'**	Civic Society members have worked closely with the Town Council over many years. The Council was created as part of the 1972 Local Government Act, a major milestone in the history of local government. Our Town Council's Chief Officer will talk about her work and its challenges.
2nd Dec	**Jane Lunnon** **'Researches in Embsay'**	A well-known local historian will speak about her current area of interest.
6th Jan 2027	**Social evening**	A buildings quiz, refreshments and [hopefully] raffle prizes supplied by our members..!
3rd Feb	**Michelle Whitfield** **'Waste prevention and recycling in North Yorkshire'**	We asked for a talk after receiving the 'Don't let your recycling go to waste!' letter from NYC in April 2026. Michelle is the Waste prevention and recycling officer for North Yorkshire
3rd Mar	**Chris Lunnon** **'Bridges of Upper Wharfedale'**	Chris has researched the history and archaeology of bridges in one of the most picturesque parts of the Dales National Park.
7th April	**Sarah Howsen,** **'Skipton's Business Investment District'**	Sarah gave us an excellent talk in February 2024 and will update us on her work to help our town to thrive.
5th May AGM	**The Annual meeting with reports, followed by a short talk**	Prof. Chris Nash will speak on public transport in Skipton

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