

Keeping our European friendship links alive!

Join Hebden Bridge Twinning Society



Hebden Bridge and Mytholmroyd have long
been officially twinned with the towns of

St Pol sur Ternoise

(in northern France, an hour south of Calais) and

Warstein

(in Nord Rheinland-Westfalia, east of Dortmund).

You may have seen the commemorative stones
in Hebden Bridge, in Bridge Gate and the Marina.

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Richard Stead from BBC Radio Leeds broadcasting on twinning in St Pol



Carnival in Warstein



Scout Leaders from Warstein with local Rangers in Heptonstall

Over the years strong friendship links have developed between many people from the Calder valley and those living in our twin towns. Regular exchanges are arranged, usually over long weekends, staying in people's homes and sharing in a cultural and social programme of events.

More than ever in these challenging times, it is important to maintain international links and understanding. Hebden Bridge Twinning Society invites all who share our commitment to this aim to join us as members.

Members are able, if they wish, to participate in visits to St Pol and Warstein and to host visitors on their reciprocal visits to the Calder valley. Regular social events are also arranged locally throughout the year.

We are also keen to develop further bilateral links between local organisations and similar organisations in St Pol and Warstein. We already have links, for example, between walking and running groups and between scout groups. We've a long history of arranging cultural, sporting and youth exchanges. If you are involved in a local organisation interested in exploring this possibility, please get in touch with our secretary Jane Jackson, janeson79@gmail.com.

Under 21? We invite you to join us as a Junior Member. (For young people work experience in our twin towns can sometimes be arranged.)



The HB Junior Band in St Pol



Young people from Hebden Bridge and St Pol share their hopes for the future



The 'unknown soldier' commemoration stone in St Pol



A group photo in Hebden Bridge Town Hall courtyard after a successful visit from St Pol and Warstein

2023 Membership Form

Name(s)*	Address (use more than one line)	Telephone

*Associations or organisations may also become affiliated on the payment of a membership fee of £10.

The current annual membership fee is £12 per person. There is a youth membership category for those between 16 & 23 at an annual fee of £6 per person.

☐ Please tick the box if you are applying for Youth Membership

Annual membership expires on the 31st December each year. Please complete:

I/we enclose my/our remittance of
for my/our membership of the Hebden Bridge Twinning Society.

The completed form should be sent to Andrew Bibby (Treasurer),
andrew@andrewbibby.com, 2 Hebble End, Hebden Bridge HX7 6HJ.

Cheques can be sent to Andrew at the above address. For a BACS payment or a standing order, the following payment details should be used:

Account Name: Hebden Bridge Twinning Society
Sort Code: 30-93-76 Account Number: 02175303.

Please use your own name/names as a reference and also email Andrew.

Privacy notice

We use the personal information you give us solely for the purposes of administering the society. (More details on our website).

I/we wish to join the Society and agree to the Society holding my/our personal data.

Signed (Applicants signature)	
Name (Print Applicants Name)	
Date	