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Yes, I want to Gift Aid any donations or subscriptions I make today and in the future to the Yorkshire Dales Society. I confirm I have paid or will pay an amount of income tax and/or capital gains tax for that tax year that is at least equal to the total tax that all the charities I donate to will reclaim for that year. I understand the Yorkshire Dales Society will reclaim 25p of tax on every £1 I give.

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The Yorkshire Dales Society is the only membership charity dedicated to protecting and enhancing the Dales and encouraging people to value and enjoy this special area. We have a good track record in campaigning, in monitoring and intervening on planning matters, and in facilitating awareness and enjoyment of the landscape, biodiversity and cultural heritage of the Dales.



We **Campaign** to **Protect** the Dales so that all can continue to **Enjoy** this special place.

We offer an independent voice, and can challenge unbalanced or inappropriate policies or plans. For example, we review hundreds of proposals for new developments in the Yorkshire Dales every year, and submit supportive comments or constructive objections on the most significant ones.

We have over 1,000 members, both individuals and businesses/groups. The more members we have, the more impact we can make with other organisations and authorities in protecting the place we all love. We rely entirely on voluntary subscriptions, donations and legacies to cover our running costs. The bulk of our charitable work is carried out by unpaid volunteers, with a small office staff to provide support.

The Yorkshire Dales Society was established as a registered charity in 1981 (Charity Number 515384) and is also a company limited by guarantee (Company Number 1822908). We are honoured to have Sir Gary Verity as our President. Friends of the Dales is the brand name for the Yorkshire Dales Society. © 2017.

We like to thank our Friends...

- A fantastic magazine (quarterly) with campaign news, Dales features and reviews
- Cotswold Outdoors Discount Code and other business discounts on the way
- Free events, walks, talks, village and farm visits in the Dales
- Free 50 page full colour booklet "The Yorkshire Dales Guide to Health & Happiness" by Susan Briggs (whilst stocks last)



"There isn't a more glorious and beguiling landscape anywhere, or one more deserving of our support. It really is as simple as that."

Bill Bryson, acclaimed author who spent many years living in the heart of the Yorkshire Dales



"It's more beautiful than you realise; the people are open and friendly and have time for you; your phone might not work which is a positive as you'll have more time – slow down and enjoy the silence."

Our Patron, Alastair Humphreys, adventurer and author



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**amazing
inspiring
but fragile**



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Please join us to help keep the Dales special and vibrant for years to come

We really need your support to keep the Dales special and vibrant – here are just some of our current campaigns...

Dales Bus



Fundraising to keep vital rural bus services running for residents and visitors

Protecting historic traditional barns, drystone walls and hay meadows



Pushing for affordable housing, for local people



Encouraging the use of rail links to take stone out of Dales quarries



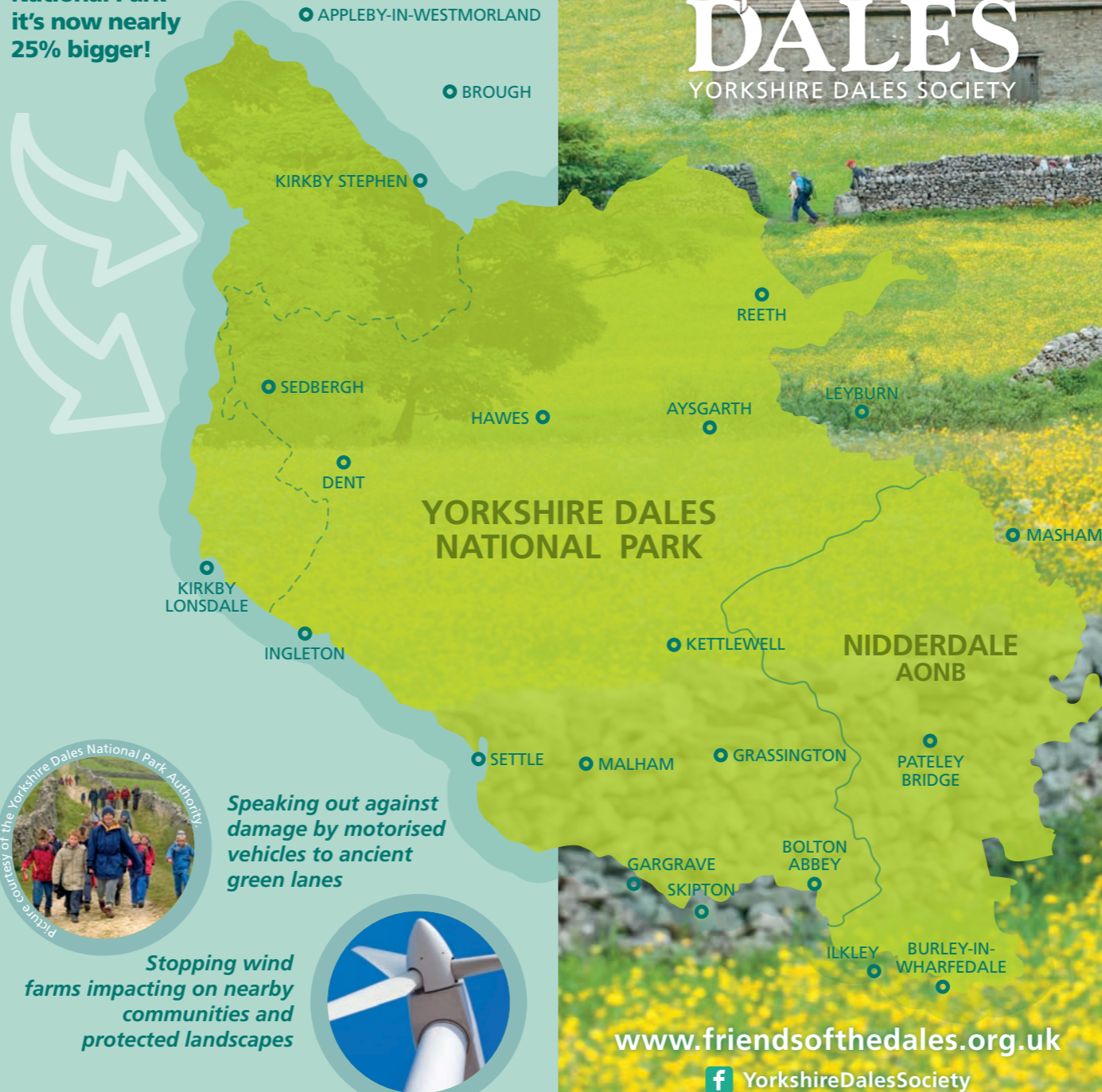
Saving precious Dales community archives and historic photos



Lobbying for sufficient funds for the National Park and Dales farmers



We campaigned to protect more of the Dales as a National Park – it's now nearly 25% bigger!



Speaking out against damage by motorised vehicles to ancient green lanes



Stopping wind farms impacting on nearby communities and protected landscapes



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Friends of the Dales - Direct Debit



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