



# BLACK HISTORY MONTH

BRADFORD  
**BHAC**  
Planning Group

RECLAIMING  
NARRATIVES

OCTOBER 2024

# Black History Month

## 'Reclaiming Narratives'

1<sup>st</sup> October – 31<sup>st</sup> October 2024



We warmly welcome your participation in this years Black History Month. There is no real history without true inclusion & recognition, which must be embedded in every facet of life and told with truth and peaceful actions.

The Bradford Black Heritage Arts & Culture planning group & supporting partners are proud to have collectively assembled a city wide and internationally linked BHM 2024 events programme. We are honoring the successes of the Black community by celebration of the achievements, developments, triumphs and the impact of its rich cultural heritage for the betterment of present and future generations. Our mission is to raise awareness, acknowledge the contributions and sacrifices made to increase understanding and belonging in Bradford and around the world.

Our programme of events have something for all generations and backgrounds. The events are hosted in accessible safe venues, online platforms and respectful to the environment. They range from; Civic Flag Raising Ceremonies, Educational activities for schools colleges and universities; Museum & Art Gallary tours; Cultural Heritage Talks & Walks; Guest Speakers and Historians; Book Clubs; Food sampling of Cultural Cuisines; Live Music shows ; Poetry ; Business, Health and Welfare advice ; Games and Entertainment Nights ; Pop Up Exhibitions, Dance & Theatre performances; National Independence celebrations; International Conferences; Black Tie & Traditional wear Dinner & Fund Raisers and much more.

We appreciate that Black History should be acknowledged and shared throughout every year. Our aim is to progress together. We welcome the opportunity for you to engage and be inspired to help build a stronger relation understanding between diverse cultures for a fairer unified future. We hope many will continue to join us.

Nigel S Guy MBE

For & On Behalf of Bradford BHAC Planning Group

For further details contact [nigel@wcob.co.uk](mailto:nigel@wcob.co.uk)

Join the  
**Black History Month**  
& Nigerian Independence Day  
civic flag raising ceremonies



Centenary Square  
Bradford BD1 1HY  
Tuesday  
1<sup>st</sup> October 2024  
10.45am- 11.15am  
A free event for all



For further details email : [nigel@wcob.co.uk](mailto:nigel@wcob.co.uk)

Join Us For  
**Black History Month**

Meet The Lord Mayor of Bradford  
Enjoy a Caribbean buffet  
& local entertainment

Tuesday  
1<sup>st</sup> October  
2024  
12.00pm  
- 1.30pm



Mary Seacole Court  
89 Park Road  
Bradford  
BD5 0SW



A free event  
limited tickets  
available  
to reserve a place  
contact Lynsay or Colin



# A Brief History of Historically Black Colleges & Universities: Before King and after Kamala

Dr Tiffany R Holloman  
University of Bradford

2nd October 2024  
3.00pm - 4.30pm BST



In the US, there exist around 100 unique higher education institutions called Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs). Most starting out as schools, these institutions had an early collective mission of educating the Black population in the US due to discriminatory regulations that demanded, 'separate but equal' facilities for educating the US population. Producing academic pillars such as W.E.B DuBois and Anna Julia Cooper, Civil Rights icons such as Pauli Murray and Dr Martin Luther King Jr, and global phenomenons such as Kwame Nkrumah, Oprah Winfrey, and Vice-President Kamala Harris, and Shaun King, HBCUs continue to resonate with students today who seek today a certain cultural acceptance alongside their academic pursuits. Representing only 3% of US higher education institutions yet graduating 13% of all Black undergraduates and 10% of Black PhDs, HBCUs continue, although sometimes precariously, to be force and a choice for students across the US. **Registration link:** <https://events.teams.microsoft.com/event/a6393931-062d-45f5-b6f6-57fa0e9ae314@245ea2d1-4365-4726-805a-631eb93d93aa>

# BLACK HISTORY MONTH

OCT  
2024

All events are FREE!

02/10  
1PM - 4PM  
UNIVERSITY OF  
BRADFORD

Black History Month Launch with  
University of Bradford Union of Students

10/10  
6PM - 8:30PM  
DOMINICA  
ASSOCIATION

Soirée on Canvas - Paint Class for adults only  
Food and drinks will be provided.

16/10  
5PM - 7PM  
UNIVERSITY OF  
BRADFORD  
STUDENTS' UNION

Policing, Nationalism and Violence: Black  
Resistance to British Racism  
Keynote Lecture by Dr. Adam Elliot-Cooper

24/10  
10AM - 5PM  
YORKSHIRE DALES

'Get Ready to Ramble - A Nature Walk with  
Black Group leaders in Bradford

26/10  
8:30AM - 6PM  
LIVERPOOL  
SLAVERY MUSEUM

Trip to Liverpool Slavery Museum with  
University of Bradford Union of Students

29/10  
6PM  
WATERSTONES

Black History Month Book Club at  
Waterstones with University of Bradford  
Union of Students

30/10  
6PM-8PM  
UNIVERSITY OF  
BRADFORD

Black History Month  
Fashion Show with University of  
Bradford Union of Students

## Policing, Nationalism and Violence: Black Resistance to British Racism

A lecture and Q&A with  
**Dr. Adam Elliot-Cooper**



Date: 16/10/2024

Location: University of Bradford  
Union of Students (UBU)

Time: 5pm - 7pm

5pm - 5:30pm: Registration  
and Refreshments

5:30pm - 6:30pm: Lecture by  
Dr. Adam Elliot-Cooper

6:30pm - 7pm: Q&A

Register for FREE via Eventbrite:  
<https://shorturl.at/GLJZI>



To book your place, contact  
[info@raceequalitynetwork.org.uk](mailto:info@raceequalitynetwork.org.uk)



**NIGERIAN COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION BRADFORD**

**OCTOBER 5, 2024  
2PM - 6PM**

*Theme:*  
**MY COMMUNITY  
MY STRENGTH  
MY PRIDE**

*Presents:*

# 64<sup>th</sup> NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE & CULTURAL DAY EVENT 2024

**SIDE ATTRACTIONS:**  
FACE OF NCAB 2024 | STAGE DRAMA  
MUSIC | GAMES | AFRICAN DELICACIES  
& MUCH MORE

**MEMBERS £15**  
**NON-MEMBERS £20**  
**KIDS AGE 1-15 £5**

Acc. Name: Nigerian Community Association, Bradford.  
Sort Code: **05-03-03**  
Acc. No: **68027745**

  
**THE EVENTS PLACE**  
1, Interchange, 5, Nelson Street BD5 5AX  
**07775 971424**

# BRING BACK THE LOVE AUTHENTIC REGGIE MUSIC

With Ras Tenda and the Roundbeat Rastafari family



*Roots and Culture*

*3 Sounds Under one Roof*



**NYAH SHANTI WID FARDA BEEFY  
JNR BEEF AND FARDA NUTS**

All Nationalities Welcome

**£10**

All Nights Entrance fee

**10pm - 4am**

5th of October 2024

**Jamyah night club**

(Under New Management)

Wakefield Rd, Bradford, BD4 7PE  
(Formerly Known as Railway Club)



# RAS AMHARIC



You and friends are invited to a night of



*“West Indian Style”*

## Ludo, Dominos and Pool

Trophies for winners & runners ups

Hosted by: Unity In The Community

Compère: Nigel Guy MBE

Friday 11th October 2024 6pm Sharp

held at the D.A.

A Night of fun, Live Entertainment, Laughter - Music  
- Hot West Indian Food and home made puddings for  
afters, drinks at the bar and games....

The evening is limited to 150 people but it's chilled  
affair... So confirm your place early to avoid  
disappointment.

“We are catering for you and there will be a minimum  
charge of £10.00”

Hot Food served from 6-7.30pm Puddings coffee teas  
straight after



Contact whatsapp 07958 905 242 to  
book early to avoid disappointment



Dominica Association | 10 Worthington St, Bradford BD8 8ET



## What to Expect



Book early to avoid disappointment on 07958095242  
for guest list and food & drinks.

*Friday 11th October 2024*

*6pm Sharp*

### THIS EVENINGS | Compere & Tributes



Opening Prayer by  
Pastor James King



Nigel Guy MBE



Poet Writer / Performer  
Mycall Isrell



Professional Saxophonist Player  
D\_Natrel



DJ  
Hutchy



DJ  
Master G



Soul R & B  
Amanda Graham



Soul  
Thomas Joseph

## Ludo, Dominos and Pool Trophy presentation

X-Plosion Cultural Arts presents as part of  
Black History Month



# This Is How We Do It

Saturday 19 October 2024  
The Little Theatre  
Malt Street YD  
2 Malt Street YD  
Idle BD10 8QB

Tickets are £4 for children (to 16 yrs) and  
concession £6 Adults. £16 groups of 4 people

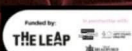


Doors open 5.30pm show starts 6pm

Contact Linda 07946608935 or Brooke 07853379734



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AFRICAN BUSINESS  
ASSOCIATION, YORKSHIRE

## ABA LinkedIn MASTERCLASS: ENHANCE YOUR BUSINESS VISIBILITY WITH LINKEDIN SKILLS



📅 12TH OCT. 2024  
🕒 6:00PM  
📍 ONLINE

**BOOK HERE**

[bit.ly/abalinkedin](https://bit.ly/abalinkedin)

🌐 [www.abfb.co.uk](http://www.abfb.co.uk)  
📧 [info@abfb.co.uk](mailto:info@abfb.co.uk)

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**LARA  
OYEDELE**  
*facilitator*



*Former president of the Chartered Institute of Housing  
Lara Oyedele is the lead Director of Black On Board  
with a mission in life to see more ethnic diversity in UK  
boardrooms @BlackOn Board. Join this worthwhile  
LinkedIn training event.*





# Free Caribbean Cuisine Taster Session

4-6pm Tuesday 8th October

Gateway Centre, Ravenscliffe, BD10 0JR

To book email

[info@swirlededucation.co.uk](mailto:info@swirlededucation.co.uk)

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## Black History Month 2024 Reclaiming Narratives

RADIO PROGRAMMES ON BCB 106.6FM

for more info contact

[www.bcbradio.co.uk](http://www.bcbradio.co.uk)

[hello@bcbradio.co.uk](mailto:hello@bcbradio.co.uk)

**Who Knew?** - Game Show with Tina Rowe

The impact of social media – going viral  
- With Tina Rowe

**The History of Carnival**

with Rachael Dennis

**Throughout October**

Greetings in different languages

Positive words in different languages

with Rosemary Mupunga

**Dance through radio**

Laura Liddon / Tricia Swirl

**Young Leaders**

with Shamarley

**Black people on the music scene**

with Wale Aroy

**History of MAPA**

Local voices on Black History Month

Sound system exhibition history

Discussion themes from personal story-

Shamarley Fontaine

**Changing World** -

with Dorcus Amusan-Fagborun

**Reggae, Roots & Culture show**

with Robert Dunn & Nigel Guy

**Black Icons**

with Nigel Guy & Guests

**Roundtable** - with Maureen Grant

Review Young Ambassadors - Themed

Discussion

**1:1 programmes** - with Carol Moss

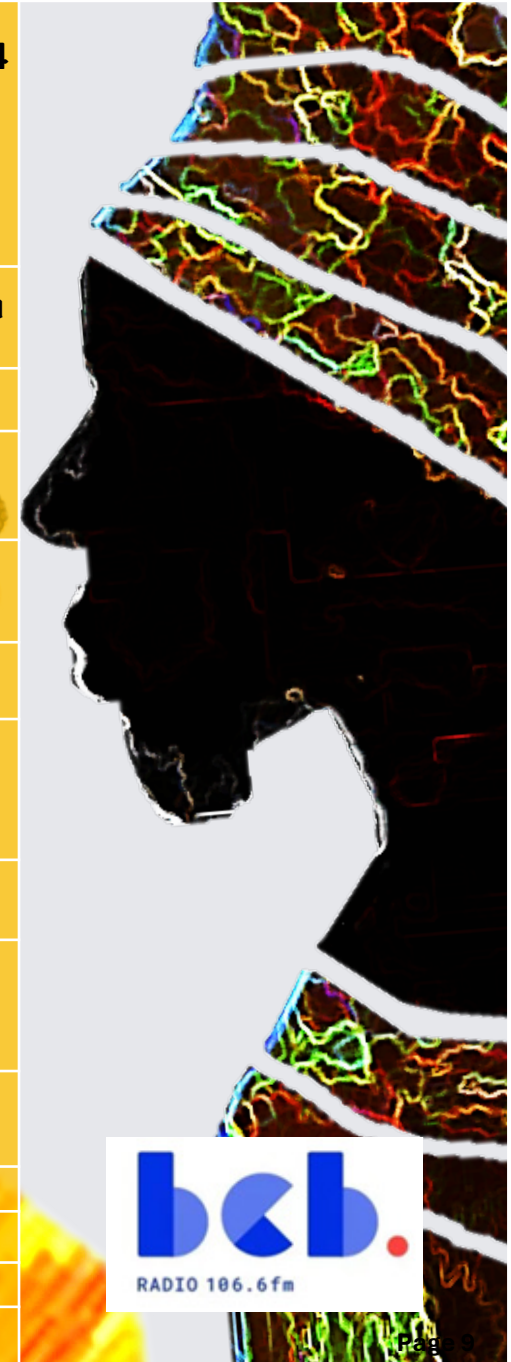
**The Angie Carrington Show**

- with Angie Carrington

**About Hair: Curl Talk** - with Amelia George

**Life of foreign students at Bradford Uni**

with Yaa Adjem



**bcbradio**  
RADIO 106.6fm



# Swing Low Big Sing

10.00am & 1.00pm

Monday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2024

St George's Hall

Bradford BD1 1JT

A Black musical heritage learning project for Bradford primary schools leading to a schools Swing Low Big Sing event

Celebrations gospel choir on stage led by Colin Williams, compere historian Joe Williams and invited guests from Bradford's African and Caribbean community.



Pupils will learn various songs – 1 *Wimmoweh*, (Solomon Lindo), 2 *Stand by Me* (Ben E King) 3 *Something Inside So Strong* (Labbi Siffre) 4 *Three Little Birds* (Bob Marley and the Wailers) 5 *We are Family* (Sister Sledge), *Proud* (Heather Small) and about local and international Black history through this musical heritage project which is a collaboration between Bradford's Music & Arts service and Bradford Theatres.



# INTERCULTURED FEST'24

21 OCT ————— 2 NOV



THE UNITED COLOURS OF BRADFORD

BOOK TICKETS AT  
[WWW.INTERCULTURED.CO.UK](http://WWW.INTERCULTURED.CO.UK)



Welcome to the 4th year of Bradford's Intercultural Festival. Our mission is to unite communities in our city by providing a creative home for everybody to enjoy, as one. Regardless of your heritage, here you will find a heartfelt welcome.



# NATIONAL SCIENCE & MEDIA MUSEUM

• **BHM FILM  
SHOWINGS  
PICTUREVILLE  
CINEMA  
BD1 1NQ**

**THE  
REAL  
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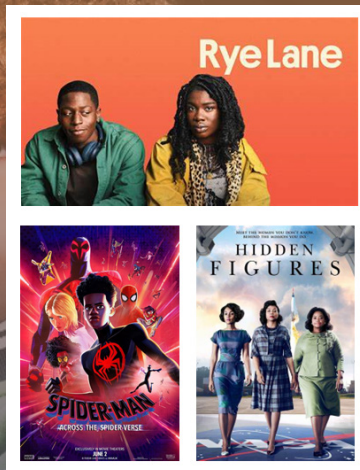
SCIENCE+  
MEDIA  
MUSEUM

MAPA

**FREE  
FAMILY  
DAY**

£3.00 cinema tickets using the discount code **BHM3**  
<https://www.scienceandmediamuseum.org.uk/cinema>

- **Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October**  
*RYE LANE* (15) at 18:15
- **Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> October**  
*ACROSS THE SPIDERVERSE* 13:15  
*HIDDEN FIGURES* 16:00
- **Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> – Thurs 31<sup>st</sup> October**  
An Introduction to Black Inventors  
Chris Peltier's exhibition at The Broadway shopping centre  
(open 8:00-19:00)
- **Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> October**  
An Introduction to Black Inventors  
Chris Peltier's exhibition at The Broadway shopping centre  
Accompanied by free family activities 10:00-16:00  
(open 8:00-19:00)
- **Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> October**  
To celebrate Black History Month, Culture and Photography  
MAPA, 1 Coates St, Bradford BD5 7DL, 13:00-17:00



UCL Centre for the Study of the Legacies of British Slavery



Elsa V. Goveia Speaker Series

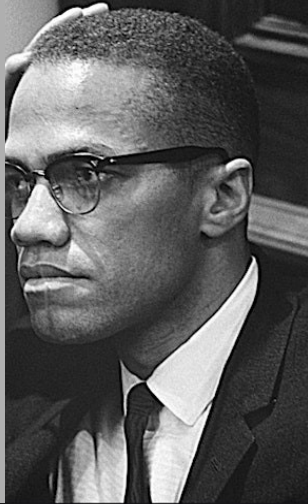
*Distinguished writer Merle Collins*

# CARIBBEAN JOURNEYS AND COLONIAL LEGACIES:

A reading of *Ocean Stirrings*, a novel written in tribute to Louise Little, Grenadian mother of Malcolm X and his siblings



The event will take place at **5.00pm-6.30pm on Monday 14 October** in the IAS Common Ground (Room G11) on the ground floor of UCL's South Wing. The space is step-free / wheelchair accessible. The event is free and open to the public, though advance booking is required via [Eventbrite](https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/caribbean-journeys-and-colonial-legacies-a-reading-of-ocean-stirrings-by-merle-collins-tickets-1013558720417). If you have questions or access needs, please contact [cslbs@ucl.ac.uk](mailto:cslbs@ucl.ac.uk). Register here:- <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/caribbean-journeys-and-colonial-legacies-a-reading-of-ocean-stirrings-by-merle-collins-tickets-1013558720417>



Monday 14 October 2024, 5pm-6.30pm  
IAS Common Ground (G11),  
South Wing, UCL



The Centre for the study of the Legacies of British Slavery  
[ucl.ac.uk/lbs](http://ucl.ac.uk/lbs)



Merle Collins

This event is free and open to the public.  
For more information, please contact [cslbs@ucl.ac.uk](mailto:cslbs@ucl.ac.uk).



# AFRICA4U AWARDS FOR AFRICANS & CARIBBEANS IN WEST YORKSHIRE

**TONY  
TOKUNBO  
FERNANDEZ**

Africa 4 u

FRIDAY THE 18<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2024  
AT 5.00 PM ON THE DOT

BANQUETING HALL, CITY HALL,  
BRADFORD BD1 1HY

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT  
+ 44788280900



# WINDRUSH

National Organisation

## International Conference

Friday 25th October 2024

9.00 am - 4.15 pm

(Registration from 8.00 am - 8.45 am)

Edgbaston Park Hotel  
& Conference Centre,  
Birmingham B15 2RS

Join us to discuss the progress made so far between the Home Office, Windrush Advocates, Campaigners and those impacted by the Hostile Environment.

Delegate fee only £20.00 each  
Includes refreshments & buffet lunch  
Accommodation can be booked at the venue

To register your booking or for more information visit :  
[www.windrushnationalorganisation.com](http://www.windrushnationalorganisation.com)  
Telephone : 07947 355974





# Windrush



## National Organisation

**SUSAN CADOGAN**

'Hurt so good'

**VIVIAN 'SUGARLOVE' JONES**

'Strong love'

Windrush International

# GALA DINNER & DANCE FUNDRAISER

**EDGBASTON PARK HOTEL & CONFERENCE CENTRE**

EDGBASTON PARK ROAD, EDGBASTON, BIRMINGHAM, B15 2RS

**FRIDAY 25 OCTOBER 2024**

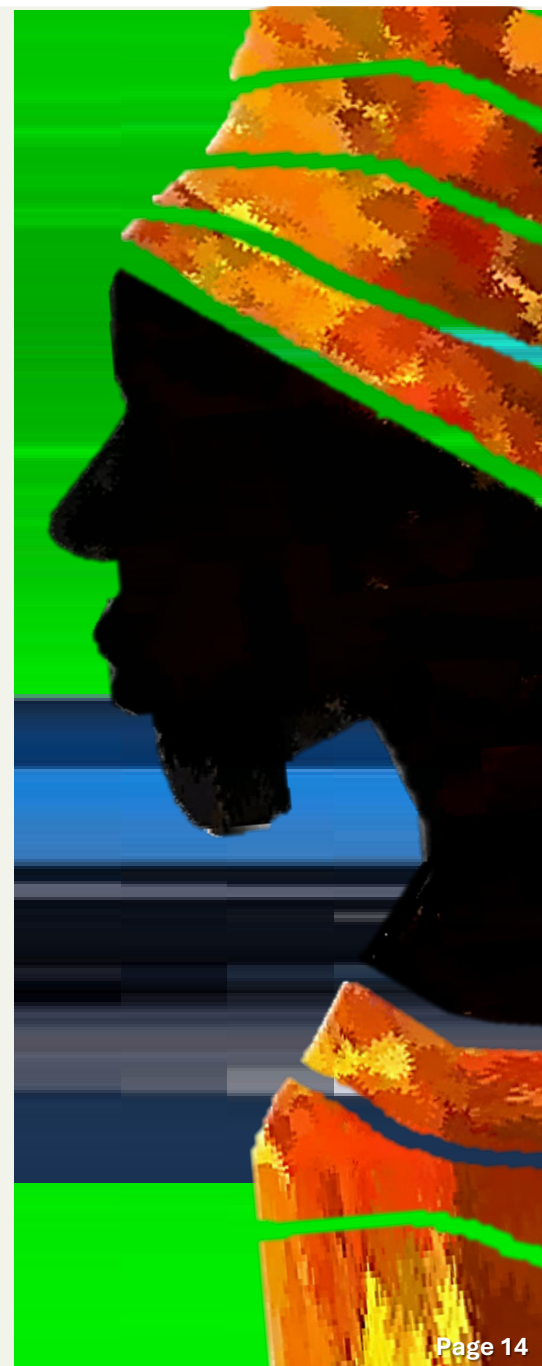


**YOUR HOST  
JOHN SIMMIT**

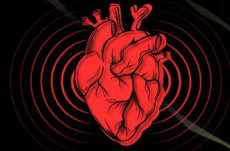
Drinks reception 6.15pm, 3 Course dinner 7pm, Carriages 1am  
Music by Jus I Road Show & Magic Sounds



Tickets £70 or £630 for a table of 10 at Eventbrite  
or 07947 355 974 [windrushnationalorganisation.com](http://windrushnationalorganisation.com)



26TH  
OCTOBER  
2024



BEATING HEART  
ENTERTAINMENT  
PRESENTS

LETTERIS  
COFFEE &  
TEAROOM  
9 TYRREL ST,  
BRADFORD,  
BD1 1RU

# A NIGHT *of* HARMONY

RNB - SOUL - AFROBEATS - HIPHOP

*Intimate live  
performances by*

DOORS  
OPEN  
6PM  
6:45PM START

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# NHS

Black History Month menu' at  
The Lifestyle Restaurant, main concourse,  
Bradford Royal Infirmary (BRI) – delivered  
every Thursday on the following dates  
throughout October: 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, 31<sup>st</sup>  
Including a Black History Month – staff and  
visitors event on the main concourse of BRI on  
24<sup>th</sup> October 2024 from 12pm until 2pm

# BLACK HISTORY MONTH

AT  
THE  
LIFESTYLE  
RESTAURANT

## MAIN MEALS

Caribbean Beef Stew	£5.35
Jerk Chicken Leg	£5.35
Jerk Spiced Pulled Pork Burger with Slaw	£5.35
Reggae Reggae Vegetable Patties	£5.35
Jamaican Jerk Haddock with Mango Salsa	£5.45
Ghanian Prawn Curry	£5.35

## SIDES:

Creole Spiced Squash	£1.10
Jerk Rice 'N' Peas	£1.50
Sweet Potato Wedges	£1.50

Partners for Black History Month  
1st – 31<sup>st</sup> October 2024



Bradford District  
Museums & Galleries



The Linking  
Network



Bradford  
Producing  
Hub



BRADFORD 2025  
UK City of Culture

THE LEAP



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BRADFORD  
METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COUNCIL



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