

DECEMBER



Merry Christmas

As 2025 draws to a close, we would like to thank everyone for their continued support throughout the year.

On behalf of all the staff & trustees we would like to wish you all the very best at Christmas & happiness & good health in 2026.

We look forward to seeing you all in the New Year.

UTASS OPENING TIMES



UTASS will close for Christmas from 5pm on **Friday 19th December.**

Please don't forget that if you need urgent support we are available 24 hours a day, any day by calling **07393 606410**

Agricultural support is still available too, BCMS & ARAMS movements can be posted through the door & will be dealt with on a daily basis.

UTASS will re open on **Monday 5th January 2026.**

DECEMBER



Monday

10am - 12 noon
CITIZENS ADVICE drop-in



11am - 12.30pm
FREE PIE & PEAS and
table games

1.30pm
WELLNESS WALKS with
Sue or Wendy. Meet at the
Sports & Social Club.

6pm- 8pm
YOUTH DROP-IN SESSION

Tuesday

9am - 5pm

9.45am - 12.45pm
POST OFFICE



10am - 12noon
CHAT AND CRAFT
Drop-in session with crafts
or activities to try. £1
There's always tea and cake!

5.30 pm - 6.45pm
HATHA YOGA & RELAXATION

Wednesday

9am - 10am
PILATES - call Laura on
01833 641202

(OFFICE CLOSED)

5pm - 6pm
RAINBOWS - Aged 4 - 7
years

7pm-9pm
BEGINNERS
WATERCOLOUR ART CLASS

Thursday

10am-11am
MOVE IT OR LOSE IT WITH
SIMON

1pm-3pm
FORTNIGHTLY MENS
PIE CLUB

3pm - 4pm
GENTLE YOGA &
MINDFULNESS

6pm-8pm
YOUTH DROP-IN
SESSION
(Not during school holidays)

Friday

9am - 5pm

10am
REGULAR FREE SHOPPING
TRIPS - Check for dates.

1.45pm - 3.30pm
POST OFFICE



2.30pm - 3.30pm
MONTHLY MUSIC &
MEMORIES

5.30pm-6.30pm
BEAVERS - Aged 6 - 8 years

6.45pm-7.45pm
CUBS - Aged 8 - 10½ years

8pm-9pm
SCOUTS - Aged 10 ½ years
to 14 years

Our Local Women in Farming Network

Upcoming Meetings...

Tuesday 9th December 2025, 7pm

Festive Social - Moorcock Inn, Eggleston

Join us for a fun and relaxed session - Christmas Crafts, a quiz and
chance to catch up with each other. Supper provided.

To book your place contact 01833 641010 or email
info@utass.org



MUSIC & MEMORIES

These monthly sessions are led by Mike
Bettison with his ukulele and provide a
welcoming setting for a sing-a-long.

2.30pm - 3.30pm

Upcoming Fridays

19th December 2025

30th January 2026

20th February 2026

13th March 2026

17th April 2026

29th May 2026

19th June 2026

No need to book
Transport may
be available!

For details of how to join online or by phone,
please contact UTASS on 01833 641010
or email info@utass.org

**Upper Teesdale
Agricultural Support
Services Barclays Local is
closing on 12 December
2025**

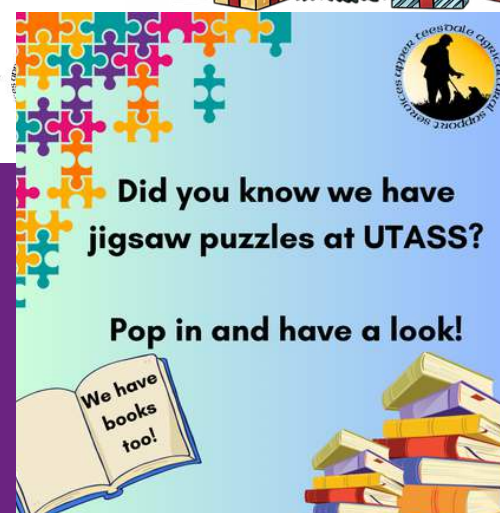
You can also use Online Banking and the
Barclays app³ for most of your banking any
time of day.

For current opening hours and our other
locations, search 'Find Barclays'



When life gets overwhelming it
can help to have someone to
talk to - our resilience team are
here for you.

To make a confidential initial
appointment contact UTASS on
01833 641010



**Did you know we have
jigsaw puzzles at UTASS?**

Pop in and have a look!



DECEMBER



TEESDALE DAY CLUBS VOLUNTEER RECRUITMENT

**Your Community Needs You
Start 2026 Making a Difference**



Can you give **JUST** one hour a week or month
Make a real difference in your community
support those who feel lonely or isolated.
A friendly chat A walk A coffee



**JOIN OUR AMAZING VOLUNTEER TEAM TODAY
FEEL AMAZING MEET NEW PEOPLE TOGETHER WE
CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE**

Your companionship can help someone feel more connected and valued.
Bring joy to others while enriching your own life!
Full training & Support provided
We also cover volunteers out of pocket expenses



For more information:

Call UTASS on 01833 641010 or Suzanne Wallace 07388121135
or email suzanne@utass.org / timetogetherteesdale@gmail.com



**citizens
advice**

**County
Durham**



Festive Opening Hours

**Our last session will be
Monday 15th December**

We will reopen on Monday 5th
January

Access information 24 hours a day at
citizensadvice.org.uk

Citizens Advice County Durham is a registered charity
Registered charity number 1151790

POST OFFICE

FESTIVE OPENING TIMES

The last Post Office session of 2025 will
be on **Friday 19th December 1.45pm** and
will be restarting on **Tuesday 6th January
2026 at 9.45am**

**Barnard Castle Post Office operates a satellite
branch at UTASS:**

9:45am until 12:45pm on Tuesdays
1:45pm until 3:30pm on Fridays



**CHAT AND CRAFT AT UTASS
TUESDAYS
10AM - 12PM**

**Please help us keep these events going with a £1 donation
per session**

2nd December - Christmas gift bag/box creation

Saturday 6th December - Christmas Celebration at the Bowes
Museum (time tbc)

9th December - Enamel Christmas decoration creation with
Claire Priestley

16th December - Christmas centre piece making with Julieanne
Brough

Merry Christmas Everyone!

Next chat and craft session is 13th January 2026

01833 641010
gina@utass.org for more information



DECEMBER



Tech Drop in Session at UTASS with

Thursday 11th December 1pm - 3pm

For all your tech needs! **NEW DATES COMING
FOR JANUARY 2026**



Weekly exercise class with Simon
Thursday 10am - 11am

Last session before Christmas will be Thursday
18th December 10am

Restarting on Thursday 8th January 2026 10am



For more
information contact
Simon 07949489763

MEN'S PIE CLUB

LOCAL GUYS, MAKING PIES

UPCOMING THURSDAYS
1pm-3pm at UTASS

4th December
18th December



Men's Pie Club is a weekly get
together for men to make a
pie, chat to other guys, make
new friends, laugh and maybe
learn a thing or two.

For more information call UTASS on
01833 641010 or email info@utass.org



Upcoming Training Dates

- 1 & 3 December-Rodenticide Training, UTASS
- 5 & 9 January - Rodenticide Training, UTASS
- 23 January - Emergency First Aid at Work, UTASS
- 27 February - Emergency First Aid at Work, UTASS
- 27 March - Emergency First Aid at Work, UTASS
- 24 April - Emergency First Aid at Work, UTASS
- 22 May - Emergency First Aid at Work, UTASS
- 6 June - Dry Stone Walling Taster Day
- 26 June - Emergency First Aid at Work, UTASS
- 11 July - Dry Stone Walling Taster Day

Contact jo@utass for all your
training needs or call 01833
641010



UTASS 2026 CALENDARS AVAILABLE NOW!



We are open to non-members and
visitor's and there is no obligation to
enter any club competition. Complete
novices who would like to have an
experience at clay target shooting,
please contact **Nigel Mitchell** on 07976
736439 or **Tony Brittain** on 07932
754101 to book that experience or visit
our website www.teesdalegunclub.co.uk



With support funding from,

The Teesdale Gun Club have been able to improve
access to all areas of the ground for wheel chair
users and having a designated parking area for 2
cars. This project is the final piece of the
infrastructure improvements that have been ongoing
for the past 7 years.

