

## North Craven Heritage Trust – Research Bursaries

### Criteria

1. To further its aim of encouraging the production and publication of high-quality research on the North Craven district, the North Craven Heritage Trust (NCHT) is able to offer students of history and archaeology a bursary to assist with original research relevant to the North Craven area.

2. Students studying for an MA or PhD in a relevant subject are eligible to apply. The bursaries, including approved expenses, will be in the region of £500 - £1000. Applications comprising a brief project outline and setting out details of any expenses such as travel costs, can be submitted to the Treasurer of NCHT (see “About Us / Contact” for the address of the current Treasurer) at any time for consideration by Trustees. We would also welcome an informal approach from students or supervisory academic staff for exploratory discussion.

3. Successful applicants will be required to prepare a paper on the research for publication in the Trust’s annual Journal. Support will be available from one or more experienced Trustees, who can assist with the scope and structure of the project. If the student wishes, an opportunity can be made to make a presentation to Trust members.

4. North Craven is defined as those parts of Craven District in the county of North Yorkshire falling within the modern civil parishes of Airton, Arncliffe, Austwick, Bentham, Burton-in-Lonsdale, Clapham cum Newby, Giggleswick, Halton Gill, Halton West, Hanlith, Hawkswick, Hellifield, Horton-in-Ribblesdale, Ingleton, Kirkby Malham, Langcliffe, Lawkland, Litton, Long Preston, Malham, Malham Moor, Nappa, Otterburn, Rathmell, Scosthrop, Settle, Stainforth, Swinden, Thornton-in-Lonsdale and Wigglesworth.

5. Several relevant archives can be found on this website:

<https://www.northcravenheritage.org/electronic-archive>

A valuable resource of archival material is also held at the Museum of North Craven Life, in The Folly, a Grade 1 listed building in Settle. For access, please contact the curator:

[curator@ncbpt.org.uk](mailto:curator@ncbpt.org.uk)

Other material can be found in on-line archives including:

Friends of the Dales [www.dalescommunityarchives.org.uk](http://www.dalescommunityarchives.org.uk)

Long Preston Heritage Group [www.longprestonheritage.org.uk](http://www.longprestonheritage.org.uk)

Malhamdale Local History Group <http://kirkbymalham.info>

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