



## Joseph Bazalgette and the Great Stink

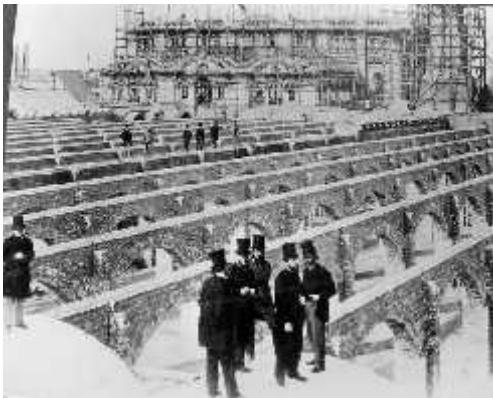
A talk by Barrie Yates

Date: Wednesday 4 February 2015  
Start time: 7.30 p.m.  
Location: Phoenix Service Solutions, Keighley (see address details overleaf)



Barry writes:

In London in the 1850's it became impossible for Parliament to work due to the smell from the open sewer that the Thames had become, known as the 'Great Stink'. Action was taken that London still benefits from today. Bazalgette (left) not only installed many miles of new sewerage pipes and infrastructure, he redesigned much of London, and thousands of deaths due to Cholera were saved as well. Oh, and did I mention that in between he sired eleven children? Truly, a Super Hero!



Dear members and guests,

The Keighley Association of Engineers is pleased to announce its next event in the 2014 - 15 syllabus, a talk by Barrie Yates of the Leeds Association of Engineers. I am very sorry that there has been such a delay in the second half syllabus. Further events will be notified shortly.

Phoenix Solutions are again happy to provide the venue so please ensure prompt arrival for refreshments before the talk begins at 7.30 p.m.

**Please support Barrie, who has very kindly stepped in to help me out following difficulties in the latter part of last year. I know the talk will be Barrie's own unique view of this famous engineer's achievements and I am sure there will be some fascinating and amusing twists.**

Bruce MacDougall  
Syllabus Secretary

## Talk venue address details:

Phoenix Service Solutions  
Cedar House  
Aire Valley Business Centre,  
Lawholme Lane  
Keighley  
BD21 3BB

## Location map:



Check out the Keighley Association of Engineers website for details of future events.

We have updated our website and shortened the address to [www.kaoe.org.uk](http://www.kaoe.org.uk) please visit the site to see the new look – you will see that we have added Face Book and Twitter links – hope some of you will use these.

One of the improvements to the site is much easier editing facilities. If you have any photographs of recent events which are of compact form and can be emailed to me please do that and I will make sure they go on the new site.

Contributions to forthcoming site visits and lecture opportunities may be posted on the website. We look forward to your feedback.