## Warm Spaces over Christmas

Warm Spaces across Leeds offer a welcoming and safe warm place for anyone to use for free, particularly if you’re struggling with the cost of heating your home during cold weather.

Some Warm Spaces will close or reduce opening hours over the Christmas holiday. Please check with the venue directly for details. To find your nearest Warm Spaces visit [www.leeds.gov.uk/warmspaces](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDUsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjEyMTYuNjgzNzY3MzEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwOi8vd3d3LmxlZWRzLmdvdi51ay93YXJtc3BhY2VzP3V0bV9tZWRpdW09ZW1haWwmdXRtX3NvdXJjZT1nb3ZkZWxpdmVyeSJ9.09EDOfUj6Vk5gmtbPXgme5EMqs_otP0ByczAAkZ6KM4/s/958468536/br/150713995563-l)

## Winter coat appeal extended

An appeal for second-hand winter coats to help those struggling with the cost of living is being extended.

The appeal was launched by the council and Zero Waste Leeds in October and has seen more than 3,500 coats dropped in at community hubs and designated warm spaces around Leeds. This has saved families an estimated £70,000 and helped to reduce waste.

The appeal is now seeking more coats along with much-needed fleeces and hoodies. More information about where to donate or collect can be found at: [https://www.zerowasteleeds.org.uk/projects/leeds-winter-coat-appeal](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDQsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjEyMTYuNjgzNzY3MzEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy56ZXJvd2FzdGVsZWVkcy5vcmcudWsvcHJvamVjdHMvbGVlZHMtd2ludGVyLWNvYXQtYXBwZWFsP3V0bV9tZWRpdW09ZW1haWwmdXRtX3NvdXJjZT1nb3ZkZWxpdmVyeSJ9.7p-Zv4uVOQrl7mVrReBH37UR3PBCAtxHWUoSnt4-WEU/s/958468536/br/150713995563-l)

**Dear resident,**

As the severe cold weather continues and we approach Christmas, please remember that there is support available to help you with the cost of living and staying well over winter.

Our [Cost of Living](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDIsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjEyMTYuNjgzNzY3MzEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL3d3dy5sZWVkcy5nb3YudWsvY2FtcGFpZ24vY29zdC1vZi1saXZpbmc_dXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPWdvdmRlbGl2ZXJ5In0.n11SA8tMW_q5ps4Jr1RwrAaL1K0IFvUkSwmwXOWpu7A/s/958468536/br/150713995563-l) website offers support and advice on a range of financial issues including housing, food and fuel, as well as information and tips on how to keep warm and well.

Please take care of yourself during the cold weather and Christmas period, and if you are able to, help others who may be more vulnerable.

**Leeds City Council**

## Stay safe and well this winter

With the current cold and icy weather, it’s worth remembering that there are some simple steps we can all take to stay well this winter.

Visit [https://bit.ly/LCCwinterwellbeing](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDMsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMjEyMTYuNjgzNzY3MzEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwczovL2JpdC5seS9MQ0N3aW50ZXJ3ZWxsYmVpbmc_dXRtX21lZGl1bT1lbWFpbCZ1dG1fc291cmNlPWdvdmRlbGl2ZXJ5In0.HdbplOpnT4WW8VS28WtiLK6o2kbsmWgKaGHi2Cy08a0/s/958468536/br/150713995563-l)