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District Council Election Results 3 May 2012

The make up of the council following these elections is:

Labour - 52
Conservative - 11

The previous make-up was Labour 40, Conservative 20, Independents 3

- Labour: held 8 seats, gained 12 (9 from Conservatives, 3 from Independents)
- Conservatives: held 1 seat, lost 9
- Independents: lost 3

The results mean that Labour has retained its control and has an overall majority of 41 seats

- Electorate turnout: 28.94%

All results have been declared.

Ackworth, North Elmsall and Upton

Name	Party	Votes	%
WARD, Martyn Charles	The Labour Party Candidate	2,128	62.4
MARSHALL, Don	The Conservative Party Candidate	1,282	37.6
	Majority	846	24.8
	% turnout	26.9	
	Total Votes	3,410	

Airedale and Ferry Fryston

Name	Party	Votes	%
SHAW, Les	The Labour Party Candidate	1,997	73.3
CRAVEN, Arnie	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	556	20.4
WAN OMER, Mellisa	The Conservative Party Candidate	171	6.3
	Majority	1,441	52.9
	% turnout	23.5	
	Total Votes	2,724	

Altofts and Whitwood

Name	Party	Votes	%
BOX, Peter	The Labour Party Candidate	2,009	61.6
ARMITAGE, David Wilson	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	783	24.0
BEETON, Steven	The Conservative Party Candidate	470	14.4
	Majority	1,226	37.6

% turnout 25.8
Total Votes 3,262

Castleford Central and Glasshoughton

Name	Party	Votes	%
BURNS-WILLIAMSON, Mark	The Labour Party Candidate	2,306	76.3
BULLIVANT, Ali	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	482	15.9
MULLINS, Eamonn Malachy	The Conservative Party Candidate	235	7.8
	Majority	1,824	60.3
	% turnout	24.8	
	Total Votes	3,023	

Crofton, Ryhill and Walton

Name	Party	Votes	%
HEPTINSTALL, Faith	The Labour Party Candidate	2,582	67.3
COUCH, Allan	The Conservative Party Candidate	1,253	32.7
	Majority	1,329	34.7
	% turnout	31.6	
	Total Votes	3,835	

Featherstone

Name	Party	Votes	%
CLIFFE, June	The Labour Party Candidate	2,649	83.7
SCHOLES, Charles Rodney	The Conservative Party Candidate	516	16.3
	Majority	2,133	67.4
	% turnout	24.8	
	Total Votes	3,165	

Hemsworth

Name	Party	Votes	%
HODSON, Shaun Michael	The Labour Party Candidate	1,779	57.5
KENYON, Jim	Independent	1,075	34.8
DAVIES, Philip Maxwell	Conservative	238	7.7
	Majority	704	22.8
	% turnout	25.7	
	Total Votes	3,092	

Horbury and South Ossett

Name	Party	Votes	%
HEMINGWAY, Jack Spencer	The Labour Party Candidate	1,660	40.5

WAKEFIELD, Richard Martin	The Conservative Party Candidate	934	22.8
JESTY, Graham William		732	17.9
LUMB, Anthony Paul	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	429	10.5
GOODFAIR, Mark Andrew	Liberal Democrats	340	8.3
	Majority	726	17.7
	% turnout	33.9	
	Total Votes	4,095	

Knottingley

Name	Party	Votes	%
STOKES, Graham	The Labour Party Candidate	1,788	69.7
RHODES, Clinton	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	494	19.3
WADEY, Johnathan Peter	The Conservative Party Candidate	282	11.0
	Majority	1,294	50.5
	% turnout	23.8	
	Total Votes	2,564	

Normanton

Name	Party	Votes	%
WASSELL, Alan	The Labour Party Candidate	1,775	62.9
BARKLEY, Bryan William	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	712	25.2
LISLE, Emma-Jane	The Conservative Party Candidate	337	11.9
	Majority	1,063	37.6
	% turnout	22.3	
	Total Votes	2,824	

Ossett

Name	Party	Votes	%
RICHARDSON, Tony	The Labour Party Candidate	1,991	49.2
BROWN, Terry	The Conservative Party Candidate	1,453	35.9
SMITH, David Stewart	Liberal Democrats	606	15.0
	Majority	538	13.3
	% turnout	31.9	
	Total Votes	4,050	

Pontefract North

Name	Party	Votes	%
SHERRIFF, Paula Michelle	The Labour Party Candidate	1,649	47.9
KERSHAW, Jack		769	22.3

CROWTHER, Hannah Georgina	The Conservative Party Candidate	481	14.0
GARBUTT, Nathan	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	368	10.7
SMITH, Rennie	Green Party Candidate	103	3.0
DEARDEN, Daniel Krstan	Trade Unionists and Socialists Against Cuts	76	2.2
Majority		880	25.5
% turnout		28.1	
Total Votes		3,446	

Pontefract South

Name	Party	Votes	%
LOUGHRAN, Celia	The Labour Party Candidate	2,222	50.4
CROWTHER, Andrew Mark	The Conservative Party Candidate	1,617	36.7
UTTLEY, Tez	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	446	10.1
DALE, Douglas	Liberal Democrats	122	2.8
Majority		605	13.7
% turnout		36.6	
Total Votes		4,407	

South Elmsall and South Kirkby

Name	Party	Votes	%
COLLINS, Michelle Louise	The Labour Party Candidate	2,071	56.1
BENSON, Wilf	Independent	1,425	38.6
I'ANSON, Christian Charles	The Conservative Party Candidate	197	5.3
Majority		646	17.5
% turnout		27.4	
Total Votes		3,693	

Stanley and Outwood East

Name	Party	Votes	%
MORLEY, Matthew	The Labour Party Candidate	2,135	61.4
KILDEA, James Andrew Bloomfield	The Conservative Party Candidate	971	27.9
DODD, Margaret	Liberal Democrats	370	10.6
Majority		1,164	33.5
% turnout		28.4	
Total Votes		3,476	

Wakefield East

Name	Party	Votes	%
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LUND, Ros	The Labour Party Candidate	1,741	50.9
IKRAM, Choudry Mohammed		659	19.3
BRACEWELL, Anthony Mark	The Conservative Party Candidate	596	17.4
GRIFFITHS, Michael	Trade Unionists and Socialists Against Cuts	337	9.9
ILYAS, Safia		86	2.5
	Majority	1,082	31.6
	% turnout	28.6	
	Total Votes	3,419	

Wakefield North

Name	Party	Votes	%
RHODES, Elizabeth	The Labour Party Candidate	1,901	61.0
WELLS, Keith Frank	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	594	19.1
PRESHA, Dianne Elizabeth	The Conservative Party Candidate	451	14.5
BELL, Rob	Liberal Democrats	170	5.5
	Majority	1,307	41.9
	% turnout	27.6	
	Total Votes	3,116	

Wakefield Rural

Name	Party	Votes	%
KIRKPATRICK, Lawrence	The Labour Party Candidate	2,003	43.5
FLETCHER, Tom	The Conservative Party Candidate	1,778	38.6
HAWKINS, Miriam	Green Party Candidate	472	10.2
CRONIN, Denis Finbarr	Liberal Democrats	354	7.7
	Majority	225	4.9
	% turnout	34	
	Total Votes	4,607	

Wakefield South

Name	Party	Votes	%
HOPKINS, David John	The Conservative Party Candidate	1,851	47.8
IQBAL, Javed	The Labour Party Candidate	1,562	40.3
NUTHALL, Stephen John	Liberal Democrats	462	11.9
	Majority	289	7.5
	% turnout	36.1	
	Total Votes	3,875	

Wakefield West

Name	Party	Votes	%
MITCHELL, Hilary Gail	The Labour Party Candidate	1,456	43.1
BOOTH, Philip Lewis	The Conservative Party Candidate	1,101	32.6
TATE, Norman	English Democrats `Putting England First`	594	17.6
ELSE, Brian	Green Party Candidate	226	6.7
	Majority	355	10.5
	% turnout	29.5	
	Total Votes	3,377	

Wrenthorpe and Outwood West

Name	Party	Votes	%
JOHNSON, Martyn	The Labour Party Candidate	1,743	46.9
GLOVER, Annemarie	The Conservative Party Candidate	1,037	27.9
DEWS, David Alan	UK Independence Party (UKIP)	940	25.3
	Majority	706	19.0
	% turnout	31.8	
	Total Votes	3,720	