



# RUSLAND & SATTERTHWAITE NEWSLETTER

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## SPRING INTO SUMMER!

**ST MARY'S HOSPICE LEVEN VALLEY SUPPORT GROUP  
Annual Summer Fair and Super Car Boot Sale**  
Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> June 2010 – Haverthwaite Playing Fields  
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with**

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### MAY DAY REVELS

Craggatak played to an appreciative and participative crowd at the Eagle's Head on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> May, raising over £100 for the Great North Air Ambulance. Their next gig is on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> June, at 9.00pm. There will be a collection in aid of Satterthwaite Parish Room funds.

### SATTERTHWAITE PLAYGROUND BBQ SATURDAY 17TH JULY AT 6.00PM.

Put the date on your calendar now and please come along and support this village event. Donations of raffle prizes and offers of help will be most welcome. Contact Paul Townsend (860206).

### FOOD WASTE COMPOSTER

Tania Crockett is working on a Composting project for Grizedale, primarily for the cafe food waste. The thinking is, that it might be possible for the local community to use the composter. It will be a sealed- in vessel, that takes all types of food waste - uncooked / cooked including meat. It may be located within the walled garden area, so that it is visible and raises its profile to the general public. It won't smell! The output – excellent for gardens – would be available to the community, especially to any contributors. if you would be interested to find out more, Tania would be very pleased to hear from you on: 01229 862023 or [Tania.crockett@forestry.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:Tania.crockett@forestry.gsi.gov.uk).

### HAPPENINGS IN THE FOREST

Throughout half term week there are forest-based activities organised at Grizedale, designed to inspire curiosity about our forest life- the Tremendous Tree Trail and See the Wood for the Trees. Quiz sheets and details all available at the Forest Shop, open 10 – 5 daily. Telephone: 01229 860010.

**Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> June:** Den Building for Dads. Build simple shelters and learn survival tips in the Forest. Booking essential, contact as above.

### DON'T WORRY, HELP IS AT HAND!

Do you need a child sitter or dog walker during the summer holidays? If so contact Lucie Galloway on 01229 860327.

### LOVE IS IN THE AIR!

It's a romantic time at the Forestry Commission. Nigel Foster and Carol are getting married on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May at the Netherwood Hotel, and Katie Jarvis and Dave Shuttleworth tie the knot at St Peter's, Sawrey on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> June. Congratulations and best wishes to both couples.

"Escape to Summer Time" a concert given by Hawkshead Wind Band on 14th May in Satterthwaite Parish Room, raised £165 for Parish Room funds. Refreshments were served and a raffle was held. Grateful thanks to all who worked so hard, and gave so freely.



## SATTERTHWAITE HYDRO SCHEME PUBLIC MEETING

At the recent Parish Council meeting it was decided that a public meeting would be held to allow the residents of Satterthwaite Civil Parish to vote on whether they wish the hydro scheme to proceed. The meeting will be held on Wednesday June 30<sup>th</sup> 2010 at 7.30 pm in the Satterthwaite Parish Room. This is one of the most important meetings that this community has held. It provides an opportunity for you to have your questions answered and to vote as to how you want the project to proceed. The project has the potential to benefit the whole community but for it to succeed we need your support. The meeting will:

- Explain how the scheme can work
- Explain how the scheme can be financed
- Indicate the potential community benefits
- Seek to answer your questions
- Provide you with an opportunity to vote on whether the project should proceed and how

The meeting will be independently chaired and voting will be by secret ballot.

In order that the community can fully understand the site that is involved in the project a guided tour will be available at 11.00am on Saturday June 26<sup>th</sup>.

Anybody who wishes to attend is asked to meet at the Parish Room, Satterthwaite.

PLEASE TRY AND ATTEND – YOUR INPUT IS VITAL

## RUSLAND & DISTRICT W.I.

At the meeting in Satterthwaite Parish Room on 18th May, final plans were made for the Teddy Bears' Picnic to be held on Spring Bank Holiday, Monday, 31st May behind Rusland Reading Room from 11.30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Come along to a happy family day out. No entry fee. The resolution for the N.F.W.I's A.G.M. to be held in Cardiff in June was discussed and the meeting was unanimously in favour of "Urging H.M. Government to introduce clear and mandatory country of origin labelling on all meat, fish and poultry products sold in this country." As this was "Members' Night" we provided the entertainment by relating events and experiences that had entertained us. An enjoyable quiz was held during supper. The next meeting will be on 15th June in Rusland Reading Room when the speaker will be Joan Hobbs "My life in Rhodesia." On 22nd June members will gather at Linthwaite Fell Hotel for afternoon tea and we are all looking forward to the Strawberry Social on 26th June. See Advert on Page One for details.

**ST MARY'S HOSPICE, LEVEN VALLEY SUPPORT GROUP**  
For the second year running we were treated to a sell-out Fashion Show at Greenodd Village Hall, arranged by Janet Benefield and her daughter Rachel Weaver, of *Two by Two Fashion Boutique* in Ulverston, to show us their fantastic "Holiday Fashions" accompanied by "Fabulous Accessories" by *Rushforths* and "Divine Swimwear" by *Boudoir Pink*. Supporting the Fashion Show were a variety of stalls all representing the classy and thriving fashion businesses in Ulverston, including Nail Art by Sarah & Rachel, Massage & Skincare advice by Sandra, the Herbalist, Spring & Summer Shoes from *Nouschka*, Colours by Caroline & Michelle, and *Gates Travel Experts*.

Geoff Wilkinson, Chairman, presented Janet and Rachel with bouquets to express our thanks for such a wonderful evening and £770 was presented to Dora Greenway, fundraiser for the Hospice.

## COLTON PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Bouth residents may have noticed that part of the playground has been cordoned off. This is because the safety surface in that area has lifted badly and the whole area is to be re-surfaced. Bouth Village Green Chairman, John Osborn, is arranging a meeting with Abacus playgrounds and our Parish Lengthsman, Mr Chris Slater, to decide how to solve the drainage problem and then re-lay the surface. The work will be funded through the Parish Council, voluntary contributions from the box on the green and in the pub, and with the £1000 grant from the County Council's Neighbourhood Forum.

On 12<sup>th</sup> May, Councillor Chris Potts attended a hearing meeting for the National Park's 'Core Strategy Development Plan'. He expressed the Council's concern about the exclusion of Lakeside from the lakeshore protection policy. The National Park officers clarified that development plans were not for the whole of Lakeside, but specifically for the area immediately around the station, quayside and hotel. They agreed to define the area in the next version of the Strategy. Cllr Potts emphasised again concerns about the safety of the road from Newby Bridge to Lakeside, if more visitors were to be encouraged along this route. The National Park are consulting on three more development plan documents: 'Allocations of Land', 'General Development Policies' and 'Housing Provision'. The closing date for the first two is 1<sup>st</sup> June, and for the last one, 15<sup>th</sup> June. See the LDNPA website: [www.lakedistrict.gov.uk/ldf](http://www.lakedistrict.gov.uk/ldf) for details and to submit comments.

**Footnote:** Your Chairman is half-way through his 'sabbatical' tour of the Western Isles! To follow his progress, see [www.60islandtops.com](http://www.60islandtops.com). This includes a link to the 'just giving' website if you would like to sponsor him in aid of the RNLI.

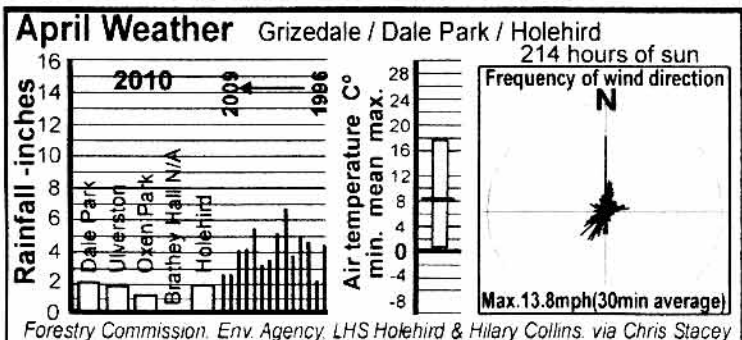
Our next Parish Council meeting is on: Monday 21 June, 7:30 pm. Colton Church Hall.

## OXEN PARK CINEMA CLUB

We are now all gearing up for our Strawberry Tea on Sunday 20 June at Rusland Reading Rooms (it will be totally different to any other strawberry tea!).

Come anytime between 2:00pm & 5:00pm and bring the family to enjoy a woodland map walk (or run) with a woodland quiz.

If you would like a shot at making a film then we have a parent and child workshop at Rusland on Saturday 29 May (10:00am – 4:00pm.) and 3 days for under 13's at Leven Valley at the end of term. Contact Carol for details, Tel: 01229 861 507.





# CHURCH NEWS

Dear Friends,

A little story about a man called Yates. Yates was an American who lived during the great depression. He owned a sheep ranch in Texas, but he had hardly enough money to pay his mortgage. Each day as he tended his sheep he worried about how he was going to pay his bills.

One day some people arrived on his land and said that there might be oil there and could they test drill. After a lease was signed they went ahead.

At 1115 feet a huge oil reserve was struck - subsequent wells revealed even more oil than the first well revealed. Mr Yates owned it all. He had the oil and mineral rights. He was a millionaire.

I sometimes think that most of us are a bit like Mr Yates. We consider ourselves poor and helpless, all the while unaware of the extraordinary riches we have. The very fact that we exist is the greatest miracle of them all. It doesn't matter how much money we have, we are still rich beyond our wildest dreams.

John

The Vicarage, Hawkshead, 015394 36301. [jjcedixon@btinternet.com](mailto:jjcedixon@btinternet.com)

Sunday	Colton	Rusland	Satterthwaite
June 6 <sup>th</sup>	10.30 Morning Worship	6pm Evensong	9.45 Holy Communion
13 <sup>th</sup>	10.30 Benefice Communion, Lowick	11.15 Holy Communion	6pm Evensong
20 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 Communion	6pm Evensong	9.45 Service for All Ages
27 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 Communion	No service	11.15 Holy Communion

Sunday		Hawkshead		Sawrey	
June 6 <sup>th</sup>	8am	Holy Communion, 1662	9.30	Service for All Ages & Centenary Guides Service	11.15 Holy Communion
			6pm	Healing Service, Methodist Chapel	
13 <sup>th</sup>	9.30	H.C. with Sunday School	6pm	Evensong	11.15 Matins
20 <sup>th</sup>	9.30	H.C. with Sunday School	6pm	Evensong	11.15 H.C. with Baptism
27 <sup>th</sup>	9.30	H.C. with Sunday School	6pm	Evensong	6pm Evensong

## MOTHERS UNION

At our meeting in May, Sarah & Mark Callaghan gave a wonderful talk on Christian care with children in schools. They told us how they encourage the children to enjoy 'Christian Teaching' both in school, Holiday Clubs and Christian three-day events. We all enjoyed the children's stories and even a magic show, all in the name of Jesus.

Our next meeting is our Annual Outing, which this year is visit to Conishead Priory on Tuesday 8 June. For further details contact Judy Redhead, Tel: 588 684.

## A TASTE OF GREECE

There was no dancing or smashing of crockery, but nevertheless fifty-two people enjoyed a very good evening at Satterthwaite Parish Room on 8<sup>th</sup> May! The food was delicious and the Greek wine, sourced by Edward Collins was excellent - definitely not to be found on the tourist wine lists! Terry Peet, a Graecophile, entertained us with a challenging quiz and an amusing account of his family's Greek holidays (dressed in appropriate holiday wear). £440 was raised, to be divided between Satterthwaite and Rusland Churches. Thank you to all the cooks and helpers who worked so hard to make the evening a success and to those who gave raffle prizes.

## PARISH CHURCH OF ST. MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS, HAWKSHEAD

### MUSIC FOR A SUMMER EVENING - 43<sup>rd</sup> SEASON

July	August
Tuesday, 6th Barry Sharkey & Wendy Nicholas - piano duo	Tuesday, 3rd Michael Broadway - pianola
Saturday, 10th The Manchester Chorale	Tuesday, 10th Lake District Summer Music Concert
Tuesday, 13th Adam Smith - tenor Ditliv Rindom - piano	Tuesday, 17th Steve Wilkie - violin Kathleen Uren - piano
Tuesday, 20th Tracey Penwarden - soprano David Edmonds - flute Charles Edmondson - piano	Tuesday, 24th The Schrober Trio Sylvia Barry - violin John Williams - cello Rosalind Hall - piano
Tuesday, 27th Robert Douglas - piano	Tuesday, 31st K Shoes Male Voice Choir

All performances begin at 8.00 p.m.

Retiring collection for Christian Aid and other charities

No charge for admission  
Free parking courtesy of LDNP

In 2009 £4,000 was donated to charity and towards the maintenance of the Parish Church



# DIARY DATES.

May	Sat	29 <sup>th</sup>	Tremendous Tree Trail ( to 6 <sup>th</sup> June ) - Grizedale
	Mon	31 <sup>st</sup>	Oxen Park Cinema Club Parent and Child Film- Making Workshop - Rusland Reading Rooms - 10am to 4pm Teddy Bears' Picnic - Rusland Reading Rooms - 11.30am to 3pm See the Wood for the Trees (to 4 <sup>th</sup> June ) - Grizedale
June	Tues	8 <sup>th</sup>	Mothers' Union Annual Outing
	Sat	12 <sup>th</sup>	Craggatak at the Eagles - 9pm
	Tues	15 <sup>th</sup>	Rusland and District WI - Rusland Reading Rooms - 7.30pm
	Sun	20 <sup>th</sup>	Oxen Park Cinema Club Strawberry Tea and Woodland Map Walk and Quiz - Rusland Reading Rooms - 2pm to 5pm St Mary's Hospice Leven Valley Support Group Summer Fair and Car Boot Sale - Haverthwaite Playing Fields - From 9am Den Building for Dads - Grizedale
	Mon	21 <sup>st</sup>	Colton Parish Council - Colton Church Hall - 7.30pm
	Sat	26 <sup>th</sup>	Satterthwaite Parish Council Hydro Electricity Scheme Guided Tour- Satterthwaite Parish Room - 11am Rusland and District WI - Strawberry Social - Rusland Reading Rooms - 7.30pm
	Wed	30 <sup>th</sup>	Satterthwaite Hydro Scheme Public Meeting - Satterthwaite Parish Room - 7.30pm

## PERSONAL

- Our sincere condolences to John Walton and his father Charles on the death of Ena.
- Best wishes to Elsie Wilkinson as she convalesces after her recent surgery.
- Best wishes also, for a speedy return to form, to Jennifer Stoker, hospitalised with a cracked hip.
- Elsie and Gordon would like to thank all family and friends for the lovely cards, flowers, messages and offers of help, during Elsie's stay in hospital.

Last date for items July Newsletter is 25<sup>th</sup> June. Send to: Liz Cringle Tel: 01229 860274, email: liggerc@hotmail.com, Colin Barr- Oxen Park Tel: 01229 861408, email: cjb@barrecol.co.uk, Elsie Wilkinson- Crosslands Tel: 01229 860253, Frances Townsend- Pepper House Tel: 01229 860206, frances.townsend@virgin.net, Sylvia Chadwick- Monks Cottage Tel: 015395 31685

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