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PLAN YOUR SUMMER

RUSLAND SHOW – GET READY

This year's show will be held on 18th August at 12.30pm on Whitestock Meadow. Now is the time to start planning your entries for the many classes that aim to cater for all interests, with something for everyone. Pick up a schedule from the Secretary (see below), any of the Committee members, or view it online at <http://www.ruslandshow.org.uk/> Entries need to be delivered to the Secretary by noon on 11th August. There are classes which are for the show area only, and those for people from further afield, so don't forget to encourage friends and relations to enter so that we can put on a good display of flowers, vegetables, home produce and handicrafts. We are really looking forward to seeing lots of photographs under the themes of 'Shadows', 'Feathered Friends' and 'After the Storm', among others. There will be plenty to see and do with the sports events, fell races, hound trails, egg-throwing, Jester Circus Tricks, a bouncy castle and more activities for children from Rusland Horizons. There will also be a beer tent, ice cream stand and catering tent. Towards the end of the show there will be the popular tug of war, where we can all enjoy watching our friends and neighbours labouring in the heat of a lovely sunny day! For any queries about entering the show, please contact the Show Secretary, Maureen Boyren on 01229 885300 or email m.boyren@btinternet.com

SUMMER GARDEN COMPETITION

The closing date for entries to the RVHS Summer Garden Competition has been put back by two weeks to 14th July. Please get your entries to John Watson, New Close Barn, Oxen Park by that date. Judging will take place in late July.

HUGE SUM!

Joe Park and his many friends and helpers should be congratulated for raising over £6,000 for Air Ambulance at the recent Music Festival held in Oxen Park. It was a great event - well done to everyone concerned.

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR RUSLAND HORIZONS

- Save the date - Community Event – with food! High Dam/Bobbin Mill Trail launch and Community Forum - Friday 13 July from 5pm. Meet up and explore part of the new route, see what work has been done whilst mulling over the legacy that Rusland Horizons will leave. More details and booking information can be found on the website, or call the office on 015395 31932
- Practical Conservation Volunteer Days
Tue 3 July and Tue 7 August 9 - 4pm. Meet at LDNPA Southern Office, Lane Ends, Haverthwaite, LA12 8AB. Join our monthly volunteer day to help with woodland restoration and other conservation work. Booking essential via the website or the office 015395 31932
- Searching for the elusive Argent & Sable Moth
The Argent & Sable Moth was found for the first time on Bethacar Moor last year. Please let us know if you spot this beautiful Moth or it's food plant - the Bog Myrtle. See the website for more details.
- Coming soon:
Land to Hand workshops for your children's' Rusland Show entries - early August
Scything Workshops – 17 August and 2 September.
Keep an eye on the website for more details:
www.ruslandhorizons.org

GOOD CAUSE

Terry Peet of Force Mill will be running in this year's Great North Run on the 9th September to raise money for Prostate Cancer UK and in memory of a much missed work colleague at FGH who died of prostate cancer in 2015. If you feel you are able to contribute to his fund raising effort please visit his fund raising page: <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/terry-peat>.

RAINFALL IN MAY

Ulverston	Oxen Park	Dale Park	Brathay
1.18"	2.14"	1.67"	2.22"

It is interesting that Oxen Park had more rainfall than Dale Park and almost as much as Brathay!

SATTERTHWAITE PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Our newly elected District Councillor Tracy Coward attended the Parish Council meeting this month giving us a chance to meet her and find out about the ways in which she can support the Parish Council going forward. It was lovely to meet her and we are looking forward to working with her in the future.

Proposed Car Park - The Parish Council has had confirmation from James Lee, the Area Land Agent for the Forestry Commission, that he is lifting the covenant on the land owned by the Parish behind Satterthwaite Church, enabling us to proceed with plans for a car park to alleviate parking problems within the village. Gary Thomason is going to contact SLDC planning, to start the process.

Satterthwaite Village Sports & BBQ - The date for the village sports & BBQ has been set for Saturday 25th August and will be held at Bowkerstead Farm. More details to follow in due course.

RCI - We have finally received part of the funding for the ANPR Cameras. A meeting will be called for the Rural Crime Initiative now that we have funding available to get the cameras sited and up and running.

Satterthwaite Playground - After an inspection on the play area it has been identified that there are some areas that need urgent attention. Gary Thomason is to arrange repairs and removal of unsafe benches. We are also hoping to get a sign sited to point the way to the tennis courts and the playground at the end of Nursery Lane so that more people get the use of the facilities.

Lengthsman - The lengthsman will be concentrating on removing saplings and brambles from the verges and taking vegetation out from beside the bridge at Dale Park. If anyone knows of other jobs that need looking at, email Dawn Yoxall clerk.satterthwaitepc@gmail.com

Highways - To report any road problems directly to Cumbria County Council use the information below.

Highways Hotline - 0845 609 6609

The Highways Hotline should still be used to log defects - parishes shouldn't use their schedule to record defects.

To report a fault online:

<http://www.cumbria.gov.uk/roads-transport/highways-pavements/reporting-problem-on-highway/reportandtrackafaultonline.asp>

To email your area:

Betterhighways.southlakeland@cumbria.gov.uk

To track an existing fault:

<http://hims.cumbria.gov.uk/ofr/ofrTrackFault.aspx>

Please report any highways emergencies through the highways emergency telephone number - 0845 6096609 during office hours and via the police between 5pm and 8.30am

Full copies of the minutes for Parish Council meetings are available on the Parish website.

The next meeting will be held at the Forestry Commission Offices on 16th July 2018 at 7.30pm

THE MANOR, OXEN PARK

There will be live music on Saturday 28th July, in aid of charity.

A date for your diary: there will be an event to celebrate the first year under current management, to take place after the Rusland Show on August 18th. There will be more details in next month's newsletter.

COLTON PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

E: coltonpc@btinternet.com

W: www.coltonparishcouncil.org.uk

[The Editor has put together this report from recent minutes]

The Council met on Monday 11th June at Colton where Cllr David Hoyle was elected vice-chair for the year ahead. A report from Cumbria Police highlighted a reminder to lock vehicles, outbuildings and garages due to a spate of rural thefts across Cumbria. A 'Litter working group' had been formed but was yet to meet.

The Council was developing a response to the LDNPA's 'Your Local Plan Review'. Local residents expressed concerns over why Colton Parish has been dropped as a quiet area; not enough protection for our natural environment; vehicle access to the proposed hubs at Coniston and Grizedale; how can tourist money be guaranteed to stay within the local economy; the lack of reference to Community Plans; how traffic management can be considered by LDNPA when it is out of their control; and why is this plan so different to what was in the previous version? It was resolved to create a working group to complete a response on behalf of the council.

The Lengthsman has spent most of the previous month strimming. The dry weather and therefore lack of blocked drains has meant the grass cutting schedule can be followed.

Applications for funding under the Colton PC grant scheme should be returned to the clerk by Friday 7th Sept for consideration at the council meeting on Monday 17th Sept.

Councillors thanked David Oldham for his work on both the bench and the phone box at Oxen Park.

The next meeting was confirmed as a Parish Council Meeting on Monday 16th July 2018 in Rusland Reading Rooms starting at 7pm.

OXEN PARK READING ROOM

The Reading Room is looking good, inside and out. A fund-raiser Lanequest was organised from The Manor on 12th June and attracted 110 cyclists, including some locals. Around £400 was raised for the Room and over 50 enjoyed quality pie and peas at the Manor. There are still ping-pong (sorry!) sessions on Saturdays 10-12 and Mondays 7-9.

Carol

OXEN PARK CINEMA CLUB

The new programme is almost ready and should be out for the Rusland Show as usual. Sponsorship of a film or advert is £25 if you would like to support the film club.

Carol McNeill (01229 861507)

CHURCH NEWS

Dear Friends,

I love discovering new walks, and seeing new things. Even better when they are close to home. On a recent sunny Sunday afternoon, I reconnected with my bike (not ridden for over a year) and cycled from Hawkshead Hill to Wray Castle. I took a new bridle way, marked by twists and turns, and ups and downs, which travels through fields and trees, and eventually round Blelham Tarn, giving wonderful views across to Wansfell. It felt like a taste of heaven.

On another long sunny evening, my husband and I went up to Tarn Hows and discovered new paths – paths 'less trodden' but well worth exploring for the new views of the Tarn which they opened up.

We have now lived in the area for 26 years – and yet there are still new things to see and explore. They could be so easily missed if we were to confine ourselves to the familiar. And so in our relationship with God, and our relationship with the natural world, there are always new things to explore and experience, which will enrich us, expand us, and bring us joy and lightness of spirit. With Him by our side, we will be perfectly safe.

Kath Dodd

Joint minister of Hawkshead Hill Baptist Church

John

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CHURCH SERVICES FOR JULY

Sunday	Colton	Rusland	Satterthwaite
July 1 st	9.30 Morning Worship	6pm Celtic Evening Prayer	9.45 Holy Communion
8 th	10.30 Holy Communion	11.15 Holy Communion	6pm Evensong
15 th	9.30 Morning Worship	6pm Evensong	6pm Celtic Evening Prayer
22 nd	9.30 Holy Communion	11.15 HC joint with Satterthw'	11.15 at Rusland
29 th	10.30 Holy Communion	10.00 Joint Benefice	

Sunday	Hawkshead	Sawrey
July 1 st	9.30 Morning Worship with Sunday School	6pm Churches Together H.C. Methodist Chapel
8 th	9.30 Holy Communion*	6pm Celtic Evening Prayer
15 th	9.30 H.C. with S School	6pm Taizé Style Service
22 nd	9.30 Holy Communion	6pm Celtic Evening Prayer
		11.15 Patronal Festival with Baptism
		11.15 Matins
		11.15 Holy Communion
		11.15 Morning Worship

*With laying up of the British Legion Standard

COME FOR A WALK

The July Benefice Walk will be on Monday 16th July. We will meet at 10.30 a.m. at the National Trust car park in Elterwater village. (If you are not a NT member, there is plenty of free parking on 'common' land nearby.) The walk is five to six miles into the Greater Langdale valley, and back via Chapel Stile where we plan to visit Holy Trinity Church. Please bring a picnic lunch. For more information contact Sue or Mike Maxwell – 015394 36972.

MUSIC FOR A SUMMER'S EVENING AT HAWKSHEAD PARISH CHURCH

The programme continues with events on Tuesdays throughout July: 3rd Gilbert and Sullivan Masterpieces of musical comedy; 10th Leah Nicholson. Cumbrian piano prodigy; 17th The Lancaster Klezmer Trio. Celebrational music to get feet tapping; 24th Strings Attached. A concert using about 244 strings (piano and violin)!; 31st Emily Robinson. Soprano performing Winterreise by Schubert.

RUSLAND AND DISTRICT WI

Rusland & District WI have been having a very busy and enjoyable month. They entered 3 teams in the Furness area quiz and two of our teams came second and third - a splendid result as the team which wins has to set next year's quiz! 17 members and friends enjoyed a wonderful lunch at Forest Side. Our June meeting took place at Rusland Reading Room when Bob Cartwright of Westmorland Red Squirrels came to talk to us about the project in the Rusland Valley to try to control grey squirrels which should encourage the reds to come back. It is very important that all sightings of grey and red squirrels are reported to enable an accurate picture to be built up of the squirrel populations. He was thanked by Chris Hill for his excellent talk. [Your WI correspondent was so inspired by the talk that she went out and set a trap and caught a grey immediately!]

The July meeting will be held on Tuesday, 17th July at 7.30 p.m. in the garden of Marion Martindale in Finsthwaite when we shall have a Jacob's Join supper [roast squirrel anyone? – Ed]

DIARY DATES

July	Fri	13 th	Rusland Horizons Community Event & Trail launch – Stott Park Bobbin Mill – 5pm
	Sat	14 th	Summer Garden Competition entries to John Watson
	Mon	16 th	Benefice Walk starting at the National Trust car park in Elterwater at 10.30 Colton Parish Council meeting at Rusland Reading Room at 7.00 pm Satterthwaite Parish Council meeting at Forestry Commission Offices at 7.30pm
	Tue	17 th	WI meeting at 7.30 p.m. in the garden of Marion Martindale in Finsthwaite
	Sat	28 th	Live Music at The Manor in aid of charity
Aug	Sat	11 th	Rusland Show entries to Maureen Boyren (by 12 noon)
	Sat	18 th	Rusland Show
	Sat	25 th	Satterthwaite Village Sports & BBQ - Bowkerstead Farm.

PERSONAL

- We are very sad to have to report that John Rotherham, long-term resident of Bandrake Head, died suddenly on Saturday 16th June. John was a lovely man and a major contributor to the refurbishment of the Oxen Park Reading Room as well as being a stalwart of the table-tennis club. Our thoughts are with Sheila and the family.

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