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AT

SATTERTHWAITE PARISH ROOM

7.00 pm Saturday 10th October

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GRIZEDALE VISITOR CENTRE OPENING

The wraps finally came off the new Visitor Centre development at Grizedale for the official opening ceremony on Friday 18th September, performed by Stephen Broomhead, Chief Executive of the North West Regional Development Agency, introduced by Lord Clark of Windermere, Chairman of the Forestry Commission. The revitalised centre and its facilities were duly christened by rock-climbing prodigy Leo Houlding, who performed a mini-triathlon, completing the Go-Ape course, a trail run and a section of the North Face Mountain Bike trail, all at break-neck speed. Visitors enjoyed tours of the new facilities, including a behind-the-scenes look at the innovative wood fuel power plant. After years in the planning and execution, we now have a world-class visitor facility in the Forest, of which the whole valley can be proud.

Remember the amazing Tups Night Out?
This year, Whitewood & Fleming present
TUPS NIGHT OUT 2!

Another extraordinary evening of music, fire, and tall tales - featuring the return of the legendary
Great Ram of Rusland!

In the Rusland Reading Rooms

on Saturday 24th October at 7.30 pm.

Tickets £7.50 to include hot food (BYO drink) all
proceeds to The Air Ambulance

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WALK WITH A RANGER

Tony Hill, our local National Park ranger, is repeating the guided walk he did earlier in the year on Wednesday 21 October 2009. Meet Tony at 10.15 am at High Dam car park, Finsthwaite (grid reference SD 368 882). We will be driven by minibus to Low Hay Bridge Reserve to start our walk across the Rusland Valley Mosses and up through the Rusland Woods, stopping off at Rusland Tannery en route. We will continue over Rusland Heights to finish back at High Dam. The guided walk is free. Grade is moderate. Distance 3.9 miles. Duration: 5½ hours approximately. Tony will be chatting about the current management of the area and his developing role as a ranger. You will require your normal walking clothing and equipment with a packed lunch and drinks.

Further details are in the national Park EVENTS 2009 guide. To book your place please ring 0845 272 0004.

CRAGG ATAK'S FIRST ANNIVERSARY CONCERT

With support: 'Pete & Carol'

Guest vocalists Sarah Demick and 'Elvis' Fletcher
The Eagle's Head Inn, Saturday 10th October, 9pm
Come along for a great rock 'n roll a bop a gogo night
Collection in aid of Satterthwaite Parish Room Funds
(and make a note in your diary for Saturday 7th
November, 9pm Force Forge's rock band Mid Life Crisis,
collection in aid of First Responders.)

SCOTTISH DANCING...

...has started, amid much hilarity, in Satterthwaite Parish Rooms, Monday evenings, 7-9pm, at a small charge of £2. Elizabeth Pollock attempts to keep order, and is immensely patient with our attempts to distinguish left from right, or indeed, 'men' from ladies! It is huge fun and we would love to see a few more folk come along, especially some more chaps. No talent needed - just enthusiasm and humour! If interested, please ring Elizabeth on 07800 639760, or just turn up.

YMCA Lakeside - **Bonfire & Fireworks** - Sat 31st October.
Floodlit Activities from 13:30 - Bonfire & Fireworks from
18:45 - £1 donation per person - u/5 free - Call 015395
39000 for more information - See posters for more
details.

EVENTS IN GRIZEDALE

New events for the autumn include walks on Sunday 11th October to explore the folklore of the trees and plants in the Forest, and for the children, various creative events at The Yan, during half-term week. More details available from the Centre on 860010.

W I NEWS

The September meeting of Rusland & District W I took place on the 15th in the Rusland Reading Room. Several visitors were welcomed. The stand at Rusland Show had been a success with lots of interest shown, and it was decided to enter a team in the Furness Area Quiz on 29th September. There was a lively and well supported sales table and a super cake was raffled. The Annual Carol Evening is to be on 8th December and the Great North Air Ambulance was chosen as the charity to benefit. The speaker was Mr. Stuart Lambert from Kitriding Farm Shop and cafe who gave a fascinating account of his diversification from farmer into Farm Shop and Cafe owner, all the while cooking tasty samples of his sausages. The next meeting is an open one at Satterthwaite on 20th October when Jim Whitworth of Hawkshead will speak about Antarctica. Everyone welcome.

OXEN PARK CINEMA CLUB

Satterthwaite is the venue for the next film, *In Bruges*, on October 6th. This is an '18' because of swearing and some violence but don't let that put you off. I think it is a really great British film with lots of laughter in an Irish sort of way! Now, if you live in Satterthwaite please do come and support the use of the Parish Room, if you don't come (& none of you came last year!) we will retreat.

If you know anyone with an allotment, tell them to put 1st December in their diary - we are showing *Grow Your Own Carol* (861507)

SAINT MARY'S HOSPICE

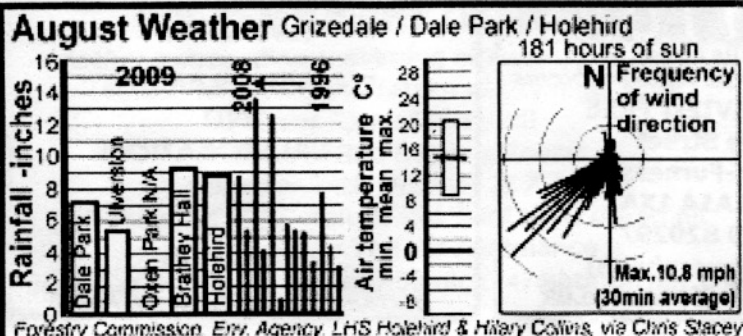
Leven Valley Support Group will present the Barrow Male Voice Choir on Wednesday 25th November 2009 at Greenodd Village Hall. Tickets £5 from: Sylvia Chadwick (015395 31685); Marian Wilson (015395 31779) or Eileen Wilkinson (015395 31040). More details next month.

OXEN PARK READING ROOM

If you are interested in the future of the 'green hut', then come to a meeting called by the Room Committee on Tuesday 13th October, at 'Borran', starting at 7.30 pm.

STEAMY WINDOWS?

You may wish to know that ACW Window Cleaners are back in our area. Ring Adam on 015395 30560 if you want to be on the rota (ACW will be advertising here when space permits).



AVAILABLE NOW ...

The Satterthwaite Parish Calendar 2010 would make an ideal Xmas stocking filler at £5.00. Also, for those interested in local history, a 20 page A5 booklet detailing the History of Satterthwaite Parish Room, £2.50. Both on sale at the Eagle's Head Inn, all proceeds to Satterthwaite Parish Room Funds.

SATTERTHWAITE PCC

At the September meeting of the Satterthwaite Parochial Church Council the resignation from Commander R.N. Buckley was regretfully accepted in respect of the positions he held as Church Warden and Treasurer. A letter of thanks for his many years of devoted service was sent to him. Mrs Caroline Peet was appointed Treasurer and a new Church Warden will be appointed at the 2010 Annual Vestry Meeting.

The recent Coffee Morning held jointly with St. Paul's, Rusland, at the Coronation Hall raised £246 for each Church. Many thanks to all who contributed in any way.

The Satterthwaite & Rusland Harvest Supper will be held at 7 p.m. on Saturday, 10th October. Tickets (£9.50) are on sale now (see front page).

The appeal to help the funds of Satterthwaite Parish Room is still open and to date £635 has been gratefully received. A big thank you goes to all who have so generously set this vital venue on the road to financial recovery. The total amount is made up of £340 in donations and £295 in standing orders, which will benefit the funds each October. Thank you, again. J.M. Stoker

COLTON PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Concern about speeding motorists in Bouth, especially adjacent to the playground, prompted the Council to reconsider the introduction of a speed limit. Local opinion was again canvassed and the response was overwhelmingly in favour of 20 mph, unanimously supported by the Council who will write to Cumbria Highways.

The Council has discussed an application for an extended season at Black Beck Caravan Site, Bouth, currently closed from November to March inclusive. The Council had objected on policy grounds: i) that the extension would allow the occupation of caravans for all but 6-weeks of the year, with the potential that this very large site could become (semi-) permanent accommodation, and ii) that the site was within a 'Quieter Area' of the National Park and an extension of season would lead to increase in traffic, recreational use and disturbance which the policy (NE5) was designed to restrict. The Council reconsidered the application in the light of new information about the possible restriction of use to holiday accommodation only, but upheld its decision to object on the basis of the 'Quieter Area' policy and the need for Bouth residents to have a break from associated tourist pressure.

Colton & Satterthwaite Councils' negotiations with Highways has resulted in agreement for the road (C5022) from Penny Bridge through to Hawkshead, to included on the 'Priority 2 pre-salting list'. We are sending Highways a map of bins and salt heaps to try to ensure that salt/grit is properly provided this winter.

Our next meeting is on Monday 26th October, 7.30 pm at Bouth Village Hall. Mandy Lane (Clerk) 01229 861408 coltonpc@btinternet.com www.coltonparishcouncil.org.uk

Church News

Dear Friends,

I thought I would take this opportunity to mention the new arrangement for burying cremated remains in Rusland Churchyard. In accordance with diocesan regulations, ashes may now only be buried in existing family graves, or in the area of the graveyard which has been set aside for the purpose. In this area there is a memorial stone, a large gravestone, on which the names, and years of birth and death, of anyone whose ashes are buried there can be recorded.

Thanks to a very generous donation we have also been able to provide an extremely attractive slate bench, which helps to mark out the area for burying ashes.

The Parish Church Council believes that this initiative will allow Rusland churchyard to be used for generations to come, and preserve it as a place of very special beauty. As you probably know, Arthur Ransome thought the green and isolated churchyard to be one of the most beautiful places on earth, and I think maybe he was right.

If you have any questions about this, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

John Dixon,

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Sunday	Colton	Rusland	Satterthwaite
October			
4 th	10.30 Morning Worship	6 pm Evensong	9.45 Holy Communion
11 th	10.30 Benefice C + Harvest	11.15 Holy Communion	6 pm Harvest Festival
18 th	9.30 Communion	6 pm Evensong	9.45 Service for All Ages
25 th	9.30 Communion	11.15 No Service - (see Satt)	11.15 HC joint with Rusland
November			
1 st	10.30 Morning Worship	14.45 British Legion Remembrance	9.45 Holy Communion
8 th	10.30 Service of Remembrance	11.15 Service of Remembrance	6 pm Service of Remembrance

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October		
4 th	8.00 Holy Communion, 1662	9.30 Service for All Ages
11 th	9.30 H C with Sunday School	6 pm Evensong
18 th	9.30 H C with Sunday School	6 pm Evensong
25 th	9.30 H C with Sunday School	6 pm Evensong
November		
1 st	8.00 Holy Communion, 1662	9.30 Service for All Ages
8 th	10.50 At the War Memorial	11.15 Holy Communion, CW
	11.00 Service of Remembrance	6 pm Evensong
	1 st Sunday in month - Healing Service, Hawkshead Methodist Chapel - 6 pm	
	Normally, Wed 10.00 weekly - Holy Communion at Hawkshead	

COMMANDER NIGEL BUCKLEY

This Newsletter is not the place to describe Nigel Buckley's distinguished Naval career, his work at Charlotte Mason College, as a magistrate, or for SAFFA. However, this brief note records, with gratitude, the great contribution which Nigel made to the local community, especially, the village of Satterthwaite. He gave faithful and devoted service to the Church where he was Churchwarden and Treasurer for well over 20 years. He worked tirelessly to keep the fabric and finances of the church in excellent condition. In other ways also he served the village with unflinching energy and diligence; he was for many years Chairman of the Parish Council, the Playground Committee and the Parish Room Committee. In the heart of the village he and Julia created a beautiful garden which they opened from time to time in aid of the church and other charities. Always hospitable, Nigel and Julia attained their Golden Wedding in May this year and with great generosity involved the village and their many friends, in a weekend of celebration. We hope the fact that Nigel will be missed by so many people will give some comfort to those who will miss him most, Julia, Anthony and Richard and their families.

DIARY DATES

(details elsewhere)

OCTOBER

- Thu 1st Chess Club – Satterthwaite Parish Room - 7.30pm
 Tue 6th OPCC Film: *In Bruges* (18) - Satterthwaite - 7.30
 Fri 9th Decorating Satterthwaite Church for Harvest - 2 pm
 Sat 10th Satt & Rusland Churches Harvest Supper a Satterthwaite - 7.00
 also Cragg Atak at the Eagles Head - 9 pm
 Sun 11th Walks in Grizedale.
 Tue 13th Oxen Park Reading Room mtg at *Borran* - 7.30
 Wed 14th Satterthwaite Parish Room Committee - 7.30
 Mon 19th Satterthwaite Parish Council Meeting - 7.30
 Tue 20th Rusland & District W.I. at Satterthwaite - 7.30
 Wed 21st Walk with a Ranger - High Dam - 10.15 am

DIARY DATES (CONT.)

(details elsewhere)

OCTOBER (CONT.)

- Sat 24th Normandy Landings talk/film. Satterthwaite Parish Room - 7.30
 also Tups Night Out 2! - Rusland Reading Room - 7.30
 Mon 26th Colton Parish Council mtg at Bouth Village Hall - 7.30
 Sat 31st YMCA Lakeside Bonfire & Fireworks

NOVEMBER

- Tue 3rd Rusland & District W.I. Annual Dinner
 also OPCC *The Reader* at Rusland with the RVHS winning over-16 film *'Rough Stuff In The Rusland Valley'*
 Sat 7th Force Forge's rock band Mid Life Crisis, Eagles Head collection in aid of First Responders. - 9pm

PERSONAL**THE SAMARITANS**

Whatever you're going through, we'll go through it with you. Phone 01229 825656 or 08457 909090

- Condolences to Bernie Galloway and family on the recent death of Betty Galloway, who was such a character for many years in Satterthwaite.
- We are sad to report the unexpected and untimely death of Nigel Buckley, after a short illness. We send heartfelt condolences to Julia, sons Anthony and Richard and their families (see also previous page)
- We are sorry to hear about the sudden death of Wils Procter of Bandrake Head and send our sincerest condolences to Ken, Pete, and Mike and their families.

Last date for items for November Newsletter is 27th October. Send to: THE EDITOR, Liz Cringle Low Dale Park Tel: 01229 860274, e-mail: liggerc@hotmail.com, or C Barr Oxen Park Tel: 01229 861408, email: cjb@barrecol.co.uk, E Wilkinson Crosslands Tel: 01229 860253, F Townsend Pepper House Tel: 01229 860206, frances.townsend@virgin.net, S Chadwick Monks Cottage Tel: 015395 31685

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