



RUSLAND & SATTERTHWAITE

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There is no sponsor this month.

AUTUMN LEAVES

A SPORTING STAR IN THE VALLEY!

Congratulations to Lucie Galloway (now a pupil at Casterton School) who has gained a place in the U19's Yorkshire Lacrosse Squad, which is no mean feat as she is still only 15, and there was a lot of competition for places. The trials were held at Harrogate Ladies College on Saturday 25th Sept. Matches will be played throughout the Autumn & Winter at various different schools and colleges. Gaining a place for a county team can then lead to being offered a trial for the North of England squad (Hopefully!!)

VOLUNTEER AND COMMUNITY WORK PARTY

The Bethecar Moor Commoners' Association is organising a volunteer work party on Thursday 12 November 2009. This is in partnership with Natural England and the Lake District National Volunteers Service.

The task is to plant 500 juniper trees at Dodgson Wood, Site of Special Scientific Interest. Dodgson Wood is situated on the eastern slopes of Coniston Water, below Parkamoor. There are fantastic views of the lake and the Coniston Fells on a clear day. Members of the local community are very welcome to join the work party. However, places are limited so, if you are interested, please contact our local ranger, Tony Hill, on 07788 686 789 (m) or email: tonyhill@lakedistrict.gov.uk, for more details and to book your place for the day.

NORMANDY CAMPAIGN REMEMBERED

Many thanks to all the people from a wide area around Satterthwaite who gathered to enjoy Kevin Baverstock's excellent talk "Beyond the Beaches." Thanks also to the organisers. Approximately £220 was raised for Parish Room funds.

STALEMATE!

Due to lack of support the Chess Group will not meet again before Christmas. Past members will be contacted in the New Year to see if the Group can be re-convened.

THE EAGLES' SONG

Well, they've done it again...

Cragg Atak attracted yet another full house for their 1st anniversary gig at The Eagles Head on Saturday 10th October.

This time, with flashing lights and the addition of keyboards on some numbers, the band continued to please with their blend of popular hits from the 50's and 60's (with one or two newer numbers thrown in). The party atmosphere was fantastic and everyone sang and danced the night away. Elvis, in the guise of Bob Fletcher, made a show stopping appearance and the whole night got off to a great start when Rod and Sarah Demix opened with a virtuoso performance and well-earned encore. £80.00 was raised for the Parish Room fund.

Force Forge's Rock Band 'Mid Life Crisis' will be playing at the Eagle's Head Inn on Saturday 7th November at 9pm. Collection in aid of First Responders. This too promises to be a great night. See you there!

Also, advanced warning of two end of year events at the same venue:

Xmas Sing-along with the WI Choir and Cragg Atak on Thursday 17th December at 8pm with a collection for the Great North Air Ambulance, On 31st December Cragg Atak will be rocking in the New Year starting at 9pm.

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION

POPPY APPEAL COFFEE MORNING

Saturday November 7th - 10.30 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.

Market Hall, Hawkshead

CAKE STALL, RAFFLE, SECOND-HAND BOOKS AND BRIC-A-BRAC All proceeds will go to the Poppy Appeal, so please come along and support us. Donations of cakes, home produce, second-hand books and bric-a-brac would be much appreciated. Please bring them along at 9 am. Volunteers to help with setting up and manning stalls, please contact John Dewhurst (36340).

OXEN PARK CINEMA CLUB

Our children's film programme got off to a great start at Penny Bridge School with 60 children from Penny Bridge and Leven Valley watching Sinbad, Legend Of The Seven Seas. Children from any school are welcome so look out for the next film - Bolt - which will be shown at Leven Valley on 26th November.

If you have read the book of *The Reader*, it is well worth coming to the film this Tuesday (3rd) as it follows the story well with some outstanding acting. If you have an allotment or you are a keen gardener then put the 1st December in your diary when we show *Grow Your Own* at Lowick - a good chance to see the new community hall

COLTON PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

The Parish Council web page on Colton's 'Green Roads' now includes copies of correspondence between the Parish Council, Highways and the National Park on this topic. The Council's request for a temporary TRO (Traffic Regulation Order) on the Nibthwaite-to-Parkamoor track brought a fairly negative response from the Park, who are unwilling to impose one unless Highways have a definite intention to make repairs.

Our County Councillor, Rod Wilson, is lobbying hard in an attempt to get some agreement from Highways for the allocation funds.

At the High Furness Neighbourhood Forum meeting on 12 October, we heard about new private water supply regulations coming into force in December which will mean changes in practice and charging regimes. In particular, householders will be asked to complete risk assessments of their water supplies every 5 years, for which there will be a charge. There was concern at the late notification of these regulations and the lack of information available. We will try to find out more detail and keep you informed.

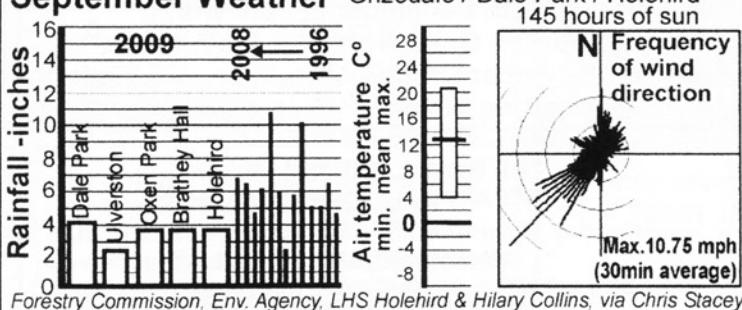
We are hoping that Elizabeth Bruce, a local sustainable energy consultant, will be coming to speak about suitable green energy initiatives for Colton at our meeting on 7th December at Rusland Reading Room, 7:30pm. All welcome, as ever.

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HIGH FURNESS NEIGHBOURHOOD FORUM

This will take place at Satterthwaite Parish Room on 7th December at 7pm. It is hoped that one of the items on the agenda will be a talk by Jonathan Ingram on the work of Macmillan Cancer Support. Do take this opportunity to find out what is happening in our area.

September Weather



THE EDITOR HAS A RANT!

Please do not grumble among yourselves if something you think should have been included in the Newsletter does not appear. I include everything I am sent and you can speak to any of the correspondents listed on page 4, about articles.

GRIZEDALE STAGES RALLY - 5TH DECEMBER!

SATTERTHWAITE PARISH ROOM APPEAL

Thank you a thousand times and more to all the people who have given so generously to the Satterthwaite Parish Room Appeal Fund.

£1,030 has been raised at the time of writing, and the fund is still open.

RUSLAND AND DISTRICT W.I. NEWS

At the October meeting, commiserations went to the team of four members who had been knocked out in the second round of the Furness Area Quiz and it was hoped better luck would go with the team who will take part in the Federation Pub Quiz on 2nd November.

A trip to the Theatre by the Lake, Keswick, to see "Summer Lightning" by P.G.Wodehouse had been greatly enjoyed. The treasurer reported that the state of our funds was satisfactory, thanks to the success of the Pudding Club, the recent sales table, which had raised £37 and the proceeds from the sales of the "Rusland Ramble" leaflets, which are now almost £100 in profit.

The A.G.M. will take place at 7.30pm on 17th November in Rusland Reading Rooms and the Annual Dinner at the White Hart, Bouth on 24th November.

The Carol Evening is on 8th December at 7.30pm in Satterthwaite Church followed by refreshments in the Parish Room.

Due to cancellation by the booked speaker, our old friend Ron Mein stepped in with a very interesting talk about the Iron Industry in Backbarrow. That gentleman is a mine of information and he was sincerely thanked. We look forward to his next visit, when he will talk to us about "Packhorse Trails" in the local area.

SATTERTHWAITE PARISH NEWS

Date of Next Meeting

Monday November 30th 2009

7.30pm in the Parish Room, Satterthwaite

All members of the public are welcome

Items for Consideration

Budget

Turbine at Farra Grain

Parking in Satterthwaite

Council Members:-

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REPORT ON 19TH OCTOBER MEETING

The feasibility study for the Hydro Project should be received by the end of October.

At the start of November we will be distributing a questionnaire to every individual who lives or works in the Parish. The questionnaire is vital to enable us to understand the views of the Parish about a variety of topics. The results will then be collated and built into actions for the Parish Plan. The Questionnaire will also be available for completion on line from the Parish website. At the meeting in early October the proposed planning development at Stricely Fell for two extra caravans was considered. The Council voted not to support the application on the basis that none of the reasons for refusal of permission the last time had been addressed.

CHURCH NEWS

Dear Friends,

As I write this, the Church of England is in the news again. This is rarely a good thing, and the news of the possible departure of some clergy to the Roman Catholic Church, seems to me to be rather sad. It is not that I have anything against the Roman Church; the sadness comes from a sense of what the Church of England might lose.

To coin a cliché, the Church of England has always been a 'broad church'. Indeed, slightly oddly, that phrase- 'broad church'- is used to describe anything with a rich and complicated diversity. My hope and prayer is that it will continue to apply to the Church of England.

A church needs to recognise that God works beyond its narrow boundaries, in mysterious ways beyond our understanding, working in places which are strange and alien to us. Traditionally, the Church of England has been rather good at that- being a broad and diverse church, recognising the value of having members with very different theologies and church traditions. It is rightly both catholic and reformed. My understanding of the Anglican tradition is that it celebrates diversity, enjoys being a body made up of very different parts. One of the important things about Anglican ministry is that it is available for all, no matter what they believe or what they have done with their lives. God has given us wonderful diversity, but human beings have a habit of turning diversity into division. But that ought not to be the Anglican way.

The beauty of Anglicanism is precisely that it is a broad, questioning, church of a forgiving, loving gospel. That is something to be preserved.

John

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Sunday	Colton	Rusland	Satterthwaite
Nov 1 st	10.30 Morning Worship	2.45 British Legion Service of Remembrance	9.45 Holy Communion
8 th	10.30 Remembrance Service	11.15 Parish Service of Remembrance	6pm Service of Remembrance
15 th	9.30 Communion	5pm Evensong	9.45 Service for All Ages
22 nd	9.30 Communion	11.15 Holy Communion	No Service
29 th	10.30 Confirmation Service, Penny Bridge		10.00 Joint Benefice Service

Sunday	Hawkshead	Sawrey
Nov 1 st	8.00 Holy Communion 1662 9.30 Service for All Ages	6pm Healing Service Hawkshead Methodist Chapel
8 th	10.50 At the War Memorial 11.00 Service of Remembrance	6pm Evensong
15 th	9.30 H.C. with Sunday School	6pm Evensong
22	9.30 H.C. with Sunday School	6pm Evensong
29 th	10.00 Joint Benefice Service at Satterthwaite	11.15 Holy Communion 3pm Evensong

BETTY GALLOWAY 1923 – 2009

Betty arrived in Satterthwaite with husband Arthur and their family in 1954. They moved into Hawkrigg House (which Betty declared to be haunted) and eventually Hill Top. Betty quickly endeared herself to the community as a friend and the very best of neighbours. A lady of many parts, Betty was a founder member of the Deerskin Society, a school dinner lady for 12 years during which she taught the children basic cooking skills and helped them to produce a booklet "Galloping Galloway's Gourmet Dishes", Clerk to Satterthwaite Parish Council for 31 years; and a WI member, also singing in the WI choir. Studies with the Open University were done in her spare time, the Church linen was never so immaculate as when Betty was the laundress and when she finally had to leave the village everyone missed her quietly done, kind deeds, too numerous to mention. Those of us who knew Betty treasure the memory of her on her bike or running to the post box. We all loved and miss her, no one more than Frances, John and Bernie, her six grandchildren, and four great grandchildren.

MOTHERS' UNION

The speaker at our last meeting, Mr. Stanley Walmsley, gave us a most interesting talk on Hand Bells following which our members, who did not know one end of a hand bell from another, created a joyful if not harmonious noise. We thanked him for a most enjoyable afternoon.

Our A G M brought about changes, in that, in the New Year the Branch Leader will be Christine Holden, Secretary, Judy Redhead whilst Julia Crowe will continue as Treasurer. All our thanks are due to Wendy Smith and Barbara Watson, who have now retired and Julia who continues her stalwart work, for their sterling efforts over the years

Our next meeting will be held on 10 November, Haverthwaite Church Hall, 2:00pm, when Mrs. Brenda Cole will speak on 'Diocesan and Deanery Membership'

A GOOD HARVEST

The Harvest Supper made a profit of £300 and the Grand Draw £600, the proceeds to be divided between Satterthwaite and Rusland Churches. Thanks to all those who worked to make the supper such a success, those who sold draw tickets and the donors of the splendid prizes.

Satterthwaite Church was beautifully decorated for the Harvest Service. Thanks to Hilary Collins, Sue Brooke, the Pollock sisters and Judith Shaw.

DIARY DATES

Nov. Mon 2 nd	Satterthwaite P.C.C. - Well Cottage, Satterthwaite - 7.30pm
Tues 3 rd	Oxen Park Cinema Club - <i>The Reader and Rough Stuff in the Rusland Valley (over 16)</i> - Rusland - 7.30pm
Sat 7 th	Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal Coffee Morning - Market Hall, Hawkshead - 10.30am to 12 noon
	Memorial Service for Dr Catherine Wynn - Rusland Church - 2pm
	<i>Midlife Crisis</i> - Eagles Head - 9pm
Tues 10 th	Mothers' Union - Haverthwaite Church - 2pm
Thurs 12 th	Volunteer and Community Work Party - Dodgson Wood.
Tues 17 th	Rusland and District WI AGM - Rusland Reading Room - 7.30pm
Thurs 19 th	Hawkshead Bowling Club AGM - The Club House - 7.30pm
Tues 24 th	Rusland and District WI Annual Dinner - The White Hart, Bouth - 7.30pm
Wed 25 th	Barrow Male Voice Choir in aid of St Mary's Hospice - Greenodd Village Hall - 7.30pm
Mon 30 th	Satterthwaite Parish Council - Satterthwaite Parish Room - 7.30pm

PERSONAL

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

- Our heartfelt condolences to Giles, Rupert and Lucinda Wingate-Saul, and their family, on the death of Catherine.
- Our sincerest condolences also, to Robert Straughton on the death of Leslie
- A warm welcome to the valley, to Mr and Mrs Meanwell, Oscar, Hector and Fergus, who are now installed at the Syke, and to Wendy and Carl at Beckside Cottage.

Last date for items for December Newsletter is 23rd November. 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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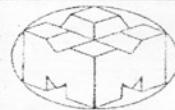


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