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Thoughts from High Westmorland

By Rev Beverley Lock

In July and August many who read this magazine will be visitors to this beautiful part of the world. If this is you – welcome! If you have lived here for generations - then greetings to you too. If you have lived here only twenty years then, like me, we are the new comers.

We are so fortunate that so many people from different life experiences and different backgrounds come together in this part of the world. We have folk who have always dreamed of living here in these wide open spaces and have saved and saved to buy a house and those who have never known anything different, living side by side. I can only speak from my experience but I have found everyone very welcoming. I have been truly impressed by the way that folk work together and bowled over by their generosity.

This starts very young as we experienced on 2nd June. All the Year 5+6 pupils from all four schools in the Westmorland Parishes (we have been asked to call them that rather than the High Westmorland Mission Unit) came together for a day of Art, Drama, Music and Storytelling at the Shap Wells Hotel under the auspices of the Carlisle Young Diocese Project. It was a terrific day and the young people were a credit to themselves, their schools and their communities. They behaved wonderfully and the workshop leaders, all of whom gave up their time free of charge, tell me they enjoyed the day too. What was wonderful was the way they accepted each other and were willing to work in mixed groups and make friends. It was

a treat to see it.

During May we had two exhibitions one at Tebay and one at Orton. They were absolutely amazing! The amount of effort that so many different people put in and the quality and imagination that was evident was fantastic. Thank you to everyone who played their part in these community events. The money raised by the events in church will make a very helpful contribution to keeping these church buildings open, water proof and comfortable to be in. It also helps to pay for clergy to serve these areas and the pensions of clergy past to be paid. Ravenstonedale have various events planned and I am sure they will be equally well supported so THANK YOU!

At the end of August we have a real treat planned with the five churches of the High Westmorland Parishes coming together for a mega Activity Week end. We will start with a ceilidh on the Friday night at Shap then a Grand Garden Party opened by Mrs. Sarah Dunning on Saturday and then a Festival Songs of Praise on the Sunday morning with a brass band. See the adverts else where in the Link.

A reputation as an accepting community is a precious treasure. The Christian Faith teaches that in acceptance of the stranger we show ourselves to accept God himself. "I tell you whatever you did for the least of these, you did to me ..." said Jesus. So to everyone who reads this offcomer, local or visitor - may we say - we hope you feel happy and at home in High Westmorland.

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ORTON	9.30am	Morning Prayer BCP	Beverley Lock	2 Samuel 5 1-5, 9-10, Mark 6 1-13
Sidesman	Mary Jenkin	Prayers	Angela Milburn	Reader Sandra Ward & Jackie Huck
TEBAY	3.00pm	Songs of Praise	Reg Capstick	
RAVENSTONEDALE	9.15am	Morning Prayer	Carole Marsden	As above
Readers				Graham & Janet Paxman

<u>Sunday 12th July</u>	<u>5th Sunday after Trinity</u>	<u>Lessons</u>	<u>Liturgical colour</u>	Green
ORTON	8.30am	Holy Communion	Beverley Lock	2 Samuel, 6 1-5, 12b-19, Mark 6 14-29
Sidesman	Colin Wren			Reader Colin Wren
TEBAY	11.15am	Morning Prayer	Reg Capstick	
RAVENSTONEDALE	9.15am	Morning Prayer	Neil Hughes	As above
Reader				Clare Stafford & David Vigor

<u>Sunday 19th July</u>	<u>6th Sunday after Trinity</u>	<u>Lessons</u>	<u>Liturgical colour</u>	Green
				2 Samuel 7 1-14, Mark 6 30-34, 53-56
JOINT BENEFICE SERVICE AT TEBAY at 10.30am to celebrate SAINT JAMES DAY				

<u>Sunday 26th July</u>	<u>7th Sunday after Trinity</u>	<u>Lessons</u>	<u>Liturgical colour</u>	Green
ORTON	9.30am	Holy Communion	Beverley Lock	2 Samuel 11 1-15, John 6 1-21
Sidesman	Jim Milburn	Prayers	Sandra Ward	Reader Meryl & David Aspden
TEBAY	11.15am	Holy Communion	Beverley Lock	
RAVENSTONEDALE	6.30pm	Holy Communion	Beverley Lock	As above
Readers				Belinda Wood

Registers

The christening of Kara Mae Richardson took place on March 15th at St Oswald's Church, Ravenstonedale.
The christening of Suzanne May Olivia Nicole Nunn took place on May 24th at All Saints, Orton.
The wedding between Jody Hall and James Davis took place on 4th June at St James Church Tebay.

SUNDAY SERVICES IN OUR CHAPELS FOR JULY 2009

Methodist Chapel		5th	12th	19th	26th	
Tebay	10.30am	R Fellows	C Staley	Open Air LA FS	P Dew	
	6.30pm	*	3.3pm NonL CS Wilf's Shed	*	*	
Orton	10.00am	WK Riley	T Dent	W Capstick	C Jenkin	
	6.30pm	P Dew	3.30pm NonL CS Wilf's Shed	P Dew	P Dunstan	
Newbiggin-on-Lune	10.30am	11.00 am	T Longworth	P Dew	K Hewitson	
	2.00pm	Open Air Svce	3.30pm NonL CS	* LA	* *	
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2 Samuel 11 26-12 13a, John 6 24-35				
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				Readers Dick & Janet Barlow

<u>Sunday 9th August</u>	<u>9th Sunday after Trinity</u>	<u>Lessons</u>	<u>Liturgical colour</u>	Green
ORTON	8.30am	Holy Communion Chris Jenkin	2 Samuel, 18 5-9, 15 31-33, John 6 35.	41-51
Sidesman	John Falshaw			
TEBAY	11.15am	Holy Communion Beverley Lock		
RAVENSTONEDALE	9.15am	Holy Communion BCP Beverley Lock	As above	
				Reader Richard & Joan Best

<u>Sunday 16th August</u>	<u>10th Sunday after Trinity</u>	<u>Lessons</u>	<u>Liturgical colour</u>	Green
ORTON	9.30am	Family Service Beverley Lock	1 Kings 2 10-12, 3 3-14 John 6 51-58	
Sidesman	Geoff Mawson	Prayers Thorp family		
TEBAY	11.15am	Morning Prayer Martin Dew		
RAVENSTONEDALE	9.15am	Morning Prayer BCP Martin Dew	As above	
				Reader John & Tosca Bull

<u>Sunday 23rd August</u>	<u>11th Sunday after Trinity</u>	<u>Lessons</u>	<u>Liturgical colour</u>	Green
ORTON	9.30am	Holy Communion Beverley Lock	1 Kings 8 {1, 6, 10-11} 23-30, 41-43 John 6 56-69	
Sidesman	Malcolm Coats	Prayers Meryl Aspden		
TEBAY	11.15am	Holy Communion Martin Dew		
RAVENSTONEDALE	6.30pm	Evensong Reg Capstick	As above	
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<u>Sunday 30th August</u>	<u>12th Sunday after Trinity</u>	<u>Lessons</u>	<u>Liturgical colour</u>	Green
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SUNDAY SERVICES IN OUR CHAPELS FOR AUGUST 2009

Methodist Chapel		2nd	9th	16th	23rd	30th
Tebay	10.30am 6.30pm	A Burton *	B Staley *	D Askew *	P Dew HC *	LA FS *
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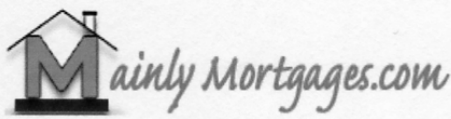
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A thought from Tebay

Elizabeth Crossley

This week in the paper it said that
the credit crisis was nearly over -
hmmmm

This week in the paper it said that
house prices had begun to rise -
hmmmm

This week in the paper it said that
more houses were being sold -
hmmmm

At this time I think that
communities need each other
more than ever before. We live in
either two types of communities -
either city or village. In a city
people very often do not know
each other but one of the
strengths of cities is where there
is a cross section of young and
old who do look out for one
another. I taught for over 30 years
in Chester. What a lovely old
Roman city with its complete set
of walls and many Roman
remains, a sandstone cathedral, a
river, mediaeval rows where you
could shop without getting wet,
many black and white houses and
the largest zoo in the north west
of England. Like many cities it
had its troublesome areas - one of
which I used to teach in. When a
new pupil came to be inducted I
used to dread when they told me
some of the roads they had been
given a house and I knew just
how hard it would be to settle in.
This area of North West Chester
was ruled by families where the
husband was more than all
powerful. A similar estate on the
south of Chester was ruled by the
matriarch of the extended
family. When the city schools
became comprehensive pupils
from both these tough estates
were placed in the same new
school for four years - so many
fights and arguments arose
between the two sets but behind
everything each group looked out
for themselves

In cities there are visible signs of
where people can turn to in times
of crisis - CAB, benefits agency,
credit unions, advice agencies
like Age Concern. All these
people are there with their free
advice to help in any type of
emergency.

What is there in a village
community - none of these visible
signs and people may not know
who to turn to in times of crisis.
Most villages have a church or a
community of people who attend
a neighbouring village church. Is
this one of the jobs the church
should be doing? If not 'the
church' should a small group of
people set themselves up as a
help group/advice centre/drop in
centre as I am sure there is a
great wealth of experience in our
parishes from people in work,
people retired from work or
people who can find their way
around a computer and the
internet and so find out the
answers to many of the questions
which are the most frequently
asked.

There is a further third type of
community - those who live in
scattered isolated areas who are
not near a main road or shop, who
may not have a neighbour or
extended family near by.

We are being told that the church

should be doing more than just
provide Sunday services. In
Tebay we are trying to bring in a
permanent exhibition into the
back of the church so that railway
enthusiasts can come and enjoy
the displays as well as other
people from the community.

Is this one of the challenges in
this group of churches when so
many people no longer live near
their immediate family?. We
know little about Jesus' family
and his siblings but what we do
know is that he built around him a
strong network of friends which
in times of crisis or doubt were
able to support and encourage
each other. That strength of
purpose built a platform that
enabled the early church to grow,
flourish and extend into their
communities.

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Saturday Sept 5th

9.00am—1.00pm

Tebay Annual Duck Race

From The Iron Bridge

10.30am, Sunday 12th July 2009



1st Prize £25
2nd Prize £15
3rd Prize £10



8 Heat Prizes £5 Each

Tickets Available from Tebay British Legion Members

Tebay

Annual

'Wilf's Shed Service'

[High Lane Farm, Newbiggin-on-Lune]

For all the family



* 'Draw a Chicken' *

[picture competition]

Categories: 5-7 years & 8-11 years

[Bring your A4 sized picture with you]

* Various Poultry Competitions *

Including name the chicken & guess the breed

Sunday, 12 July

From 3:30pm

Bouncy Castle

Free BBQ and Buffet

Family Service at 5:30pm

Contact Phil Dew on 015396-24275 for more details

Tebay Soccer School 2009



Open to children 8-11 years old

20-22 July



Contact Phil Dew on 24275 for an application form

ST JAMES CHURCH TEBAY

Saturday 4 July Afternoon Tea

2.30 - 4pm in Tebay Social Centre

Cake & plant stall, raffle

(this is instead of the Annual Summer Fair)



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ADJ TO M6 ROUNDABOUT

Saturday 18th July 2009 10.00-12.00

COFFEE * RAFFLE * VARIOUS STALLS

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And the Day Centre

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Newbiggin-on-Lune

Newbiggin on Lune Methodist Chapel.

Come and join us for:-

- Sunday Services – weekly at 2.00 pm, until further notice.
- Sunday School – weekly at 10.30am

Youth Club – fortnightly on Thursdays; 6.30pm – 8pm (year 5 upwards). Snooker, pool, table tennis, playstation, football & hockey (term time only).

We are friendly and welcoming and would love you to come and spend time with us.

For more information **phone Andrea on 23477**

Newbiggin-on-Lune Public Hall

Contacts:

Chairman : Joyce Law Tel: 015396 23654

Secretary : Marion Law Tel: 015396 23409

Treasurer : Carl McLaughlin Tel: 015396 23674

Caretaker : George Boustead Tel: 015396 23608
Mob: 07967798902

All bookings should be placed with the Caretaker
All payments to the Treasurer.

Newbiggin-on-Lune Public Hall

Big All Day Breakfast



Saturday 19th Sept 2009

10am to 2pm

£5 / primary children £2.50

Due to unforeseen circumstances, the Desert Island Discs and Dinner on Friday 10th July has been postponed.

Claiming date for September:-
Sat 19th September 2009 ALL DAY
BREAKFAST at Newbiggin-on-Lune Public Hall

The Old School Tea Room, Tebay



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and to be followed by delicious cream teas.

Donations on the day or sponsor forms from Linda 015396 24502
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A great way to get out of doors and take in the beautiful Cumbria countryside

Ravenstonedale

Ravenstonedale Methodist Chapel -

would like to **THANK** all those who helped to raise **£295.00** at the Coffee Morning held to support **Methodist Homes**. A great result for a very good cause.

Ravenstonedale Show

Arrangements meeting
Monday 27th July 7.30 pm
NOL Public Hall.



St Oswald's
Church yard - Boon Day.
Wednesday 1st July (spare
day 2nd July). Many hands
required!



Open House -

Every Wednesday
morning, 10.30 - 12,

in

the upper room
at High Chapel, Rdale.

There is good chat,

Fairtrade coffee and tea,
biscuits and cakes, local
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CYCLE TREASURE HUNT- new date 11 July!!!

Find the clues along the way...



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Ravenstonedale

Newbiggin-on-Lune Parent & Toddler group.

We meet every Friday morning (term time)

9:30a.m. to 11:00a.m

in the methodist chapel school room.

Toys and activities for children under 5,

Children over 6mths £1.50 (includes refreshments)

For more details contact Joanne Boustead 015396 23322

or Dianne Boustead 015396 23416

Tebay

TEBAY METHODIST CHURCH

Harvest Festival

Potatoe Pie Supper

on

Sat Sept 19th

at

7.00pm

£6.00

Sunday Sept 20th

Family Service

led by

Mr Derek Law

with

Sunday School Children

at

10.30am

All are very welcome

CHAPEL ANNIVERSARY

on

Sunday Sept 6th

at

10.30am

Preacher

Rev Richard Teal
District Chairman

Bring and Share
Lunch afterwards

Everyone Welcome



Tebay Fell Pony and Coloured Horse

Show.

Sunday 12th July

Gates open 8.30

Judging starts 10.30

- at Howe Barn, Tebay.
No Entries can be taken on the
day

A fun day out for all the family
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Refreshments available

Any enquires to the Secretary

Mrs Hilda Winder, Phone (015396 23325)

Calling all elephant fans.

A group of hard core Elephant Paraders have decided
to display our elephants in tribute to all the hard work
Sue Pittock has put in over the years to give us an outlet
for our strange elephant obsession

. Would you like to join us?

Place your elephants, old and new, in a prominent position
on July 27th 2009 to coincide with Sports Day.

If you email the elephant's position to dunkinsste@aol.com
or phone Joanne or Steve on 24286 we will create a plan of their
location.

This will be available from The Old School on the day.

No prizes, just for fun.

Tebay Community Primary School

WOW

For nearly a year we have had wow weeks.
Which is walk on a Wednesday.
The 18th to 22nd of May is Walk to school week.
It keeps us healthy . I walk to school every day .
Reported by Myles Wharton

New Kit for Kids!

The new sports kit was made by Prostar. it has Tebay on the front, numbers and stars on the back, it is green...the school colour. It includes shin pads, socks, shorts, t-shirts with a special designs and it is not just used for football it is used for hockey like in the picture. It is fantastic! Many thanks to all organisers, sponsors and people who made the cool kit happen!
Russell Hunter Y5



Jobs around School.

I have been helping Bernard our 'Handy man' to do jobs around our School. I helped to put up some shelves in the new store cupboard. Bernard did lot's of work in here.



Our handy man Bernard does lot's and lot's of jobs around school. He works so hard and does a fantastic job to keep our school looking good.
He put this new fence around the garden area.



Gardening clubs new shed.
Gardening club staff, parents and Bernard helped to put it together.

Our poly tunnel is full of plants that gardening club have planted.
Reported by Myles Wharton

Hockey

On the afternoon of Thursday 30th April, 6 children from year 3+4 went to a Quicksticks Hockey tournament at Kirkby Stephen Grammar School.

We travelled there by parent power! We wore our wonderful new sports kit that is green. The first two matches we played on pitch 1. The First match we played was against Appleby. On that game we won 4-0. On the second match we were against Kirkby Thore. Again we won 4-0. The next matches were played on pitch 2. The third match was played against Milburn. We won 3-0. On that match a girl said when we hit her in the shin, by mistake, "Tebay hurts!" The final match we played was against Warcop. On this match we won 6-0. We won all the matches this means that we are going to the finals at Penrith Leisure Centre on the 2nd July.
By Megan Allen YR 4

The Garden of Dreams

One Friday, Year 1 and 2 went to Kirkby Stephen Grammar School to see a musical named Garden Of Dreams. Garden of Dreams is a modern day fairy tale that the children loved to watch. Although it was a fairy tale, it also had a bit of comedy in it. Even the teachers loved it!! All the children were really thrilled and excited to go and see the movie. As soon as they came back, they were all laughing with smiles on their faces. I wish I would of gone now!
Reported by Adele Graham and Megan Campbell

Cycle club

After school we have been doing cycle club on the field behind the park. All the people that come to cycle club have been going down the hill and found if you are going down a hill and you want to stop you should use both brakes. Everyone can go through two rows of cones. Year 4 were challenged by orienteering and Y5+6 go up the fell. Healthy good fun and huge thanks to all involved.
Reported Deanne Dunkinson

The Friends of Tebay school (F.O.T.S) are FANTASTIC... they donate money for us to go places, but we need more people to come to the meetings. Without your help we can't enrich our education!
Reported by Natalie Kipling and Nikki Keir.

Ravenstonedale

Masterclass venue:

**Barrow: Sat 12th
September**

**9.30 – 5pm (Refreshments
throughout the day and lunch will be
provided)**

The Custom House, 1 Abbey Road,
Barrow-in-Furness, Cumbria

For a place on the course:

**To request an application form
please contact Anna on 01229
839983 or email
signalfilms@gmail.com**

**In your application please
include your short film script(s)
and if possible a current C.V.**

**Deadline for applications for
course: Thursday 25th June 2009**

For a place on the masterclass:

**To register for the masterclass
only call Anna on 01229 839983
or email signalfilms@gmail.com**

**Deadline for registration for a
masterclass place: Fri 4th
September 2009**

***Course and masterclass costs are
fully subsidised – applicants must be
aged over 16 and living in Cumbria
or Lancashire. Places are limited so
be quick to register!***

This project is supported by Northwest
Vision and Media, West Lakes
Renaissance, Northern Rock
Foundation, Barrow Borough Council
and Furness Enterprise

Upper Eden Community Plan

Upper Eden Community Plan

Community News
June 2009

Town Twinning

Kirkby Stephen has been approached by an Italian town called Castelfiorentino with the possibility of becoming a twin town with Kirkby Stephen and the surrounding Upper Eden area. Although Castelfiorentino has a much larger town, there are many similarities with the Upper Eden area and some local groups have already made contact with the Italian Community there.

The development of a twinning process could enhance the Upper Eden area through cultural exchanges, education, social cohesion, economic vitality and the sharing of common practices.

The next step in this process would be to form a Twinning Committee. If you have an interest in this kind of work and would like to be involved please contact Andrew Forsyth at Weasdale Nurseries on 015396 23246 Andrew@weasdale.com, or Libby Bateman on 07759665233 projectofficer@uecp.org.uk.

Community First Responders

The Upper Eden Community Plan has been working along side the North West Ambulance Service to investigate the possibility of developing a Community First Responders Team in the Upper Eden Area.

Community First Responders are groups of volunteers who live and work in the local community. They are trained and activated by North West Ambulance Service to attend certain emergency calls where time can make the difference between life and death. The responder provides care until the Ambulance arrives. Each volunteer takes it in turn to be 'on call'. They carry basic First Aid equipment and a simple to use Automated External Defibrillator (AED).

Very often the role they play is one of reassurance. In instances where someone has chest pains, simply giving them oxygen can make a big difference. In extreme cases they can perform CPR (cardio-pulmonary resuscitation) or in extreme cases use the defibrillator to restart someone's heart.

The scheme can be incredibly rewarding as responders could well end up saving someone's life. Many villages where schemes exist show great community spirit knowing that there are people there who could be lifesavers.

Anyone who lives or works in the North West can get involved with the scheme, whether it's to be a First Responder, or to help with other vital tasks such as fund-raising, support or administration. Volunteers do not need previous first aid experience to join their local group, as full training will be provided.

If you are interested in becoming a Community First Responder or would like to help with the setting up and running of the team please contact Libby Bateman on 07759665233 or projectofficer@uecp.org.uk.



Ravenstonedale Endowed Primary School

OPEN DAY



***Wednesday 1st July 2009
1.30pm – 3pm***

***Come along and see our
school in action***

Refreshments in the library

How to Get Ahead in Screenwriting

Summer Course & Masterclass

PRESS RELEASE

Signal Films is offering aspiring **screenwriters in Lancashire and Cumbria** the opportunity to take part in **free scriptwriting training led by an industry expert** this summer.

Tutor Rob Ritchie, former **Head of Screenwriting at the National Film and Television School** will guide trainees through the process of developing a short film script to industry standard during this special one-off course taking place in **Barrow-in-Furness** and in **Lancaster**, with **15 places available** at each venue.

The **3 day course** will be followed by a **1 day intensive masterclass** for all trainees on the principles of pitching and securing commissions which will be held in Barrow-in-Furness.

Additional places are available to **attend the 1 day masterclass only** simply by registering with Signal Films.

Course venues:

Lancaster: Sat 11th, Sun 12th July, Sat 5th September 2009
10am – 5pm (Refreshments throughout the day and lunch will be provided)
*The Storey Creative Industries Centre,
Meeting House Lane, Lancaster, LA1 1TH*

Barrow-in-Furness: Sat 25th, Sun 26th July, Fri 11th September 2009
10am – 5pm (Refreshments throughout the day and lunch will be provided)
The Dock Museum, North Road, Barrow-in-Furness, Cumbria, LA14 2PW

TEBAY COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS.

Shap Wells Hotel.

On Tuesday 2nd June Y5+6 went to Shap Wells Hotel, for a “Journeys Day”. Four schools came together and we made lots of new friends. We had four lessons they were Art, Music, Drama and Story Telling. In Art we were doing about journeys and places to visit, both at home and around the world. In Music we sang a song and explored some new instruments, Adele and Jack were the conductors so it was really fun. After we had our dinner we did Drama and Story Telling. At the end all the groups gathered to show work. However our school didn’t go home straight away because we went to paddle in the beck. Thank you to Reverend Lock who organised it.

Climbing.

On Wednesdays, the Juniors go climbing with Mr Coleman and Steve Dunkinson. On our first session we went to a place called Hoff near Appleby. It was really good! At first we got in to two’s and whilst one person was walking along the rock-wall with no ropes their partner had to keep an eye on them so then if they fall their partner would push them back on the rock. After that we put all our kit on and got attached to a rope. Some people held on the rope and pull the person that was going up, so they did not fall down all the way. This is called “belay”. After we all had a go climbing, we went to different challenges....before snacks, drinks and home.

Nikki Keir Year 5

Djembe Drummers.

On the 1st of June Tebay School listened to some professional drummers who played in assembly they were amazingly quick and loud. They taught us to play drums: we played a game called call and response and it was really easy at first then got difficult! We did some drumming with them and it was really fast and tricky with certain pitches and signals which were fast and hard to pick up.

Russell Year 5.

Visit to Queen Katherine School.

On the 21st May Yr 5 went to Queen Katherine School to do Science. We had acid, alkali and water we mixed them together to make a rainbow test tube rack. We also made goo with irritant chemicals. Some people didn’t mix long enough and it was all over their gloves. Mrs Bell the science teacher brought in some liquid nitrogen and tipped it on to the floor, out came little ice cubes, and then she tipped it over a balloon and out came water. She also put in a flower and smashed it to pieces she also put in to the liquid nitrogen a rubber tube and used it as a nail she hammered it into polystyrene. It was exciting!

On the 3rd of June Y5 went to QKS again to do art, craft and drama. A few people from different schools went to make little buggies powered by air when it was time to race them at least two of them had punctures. While the rest of us were making news paper costumes we did a ballerina and Lisa Simpson with a saxophone too. It was interesting to be in a school with other teachers.

Lilly Hudson Year 5

The Roman Army and Vindolanda.

In school we were studying Invaders. On the last Thursday of the half term, KS2 went to the Roman Army Museum to find out about the soldiers armour and how they used it. In the afternoon we went to Vindolanda, where there are ruins of a fort and village. We listened to an archaeologist and he said they dug up a lot of Roman sandals and some jewellery, they even found a horse mask and they made a model of it, it was made of gold and black. We played in a replica of a Mile Castle and went in a replica shop and temple. Finally we went to Hadrians Wall itself.

Megan Rhianna Campbell Year 5

Orton

SCARECROW COMPETITION

A big thank you to everyone who took part in the Scarecrow competition. We had a good spread and selection of entries, and I know they were enjoyed and appreciated by the many visitors who walked around the village. The Scarecrow competition certainly adds to the atmosphere during the Church Exhibition weekend, and keeps visitors in the village much longer. We were grateful for the £100 donated by the Parish Council for prizes. We gave a £20 M & S Voucher to the Senior Scarecrow Winner and the Window Scarecrow, and £10 M & S vouchers for the 2nd prizes. The children had the same amounts but in cash, and all third prizes were a box of celebration chocolates. Winners were situated at:- Main Scarecrow Competition:- 1st. Holes Farm 2nd. Smithymire. 3rd. Beckside Window Scarecrow:- 1st. Redmayne House 2nd. Chapel Beck Close. 3rd. The Cottage Front St. Primary School Age Scarecrow 1st. The Coach House 2nd. Orton School. 3rd. Orton Post Office.

Tebay Womens Cooperative

Don't forget to pop into the Market Hall kitchen each Farmers Market, to enjoy the hot bacon and sausage butties, homemade cakes, scones, tea and coffee from Tebay Women's Co-operative. Tebay W.I. were happy to be able to give a donation to Rev. Beverly Lock, of £150 towards A Children's Workshop Day involving both Tebay, Orton, Ravenstonedale and Shap children. Also last month £200 was given to Mary Jenkin towards the work being done in Uganda to aid street children. This money was raised by Tebay Women's co-operative by catering at Orton Farmers Market.

'CELEBRATIONS' QUIZ ~ Answers~

1. 1st November/All Saints Day
2. Emeralds
3. Prince Charles
4. Church Exhibition
5. The birth of Jesus
6. 1964
7. Sir Henry Wood
8. Golden Wedding
9. Beatles
10. 1934
11. 20th
12. Farmers Market
13. Concorde
14. Shropshire
15. Tower Bridge
16. Lewis Hamilton
17. 1974 – 24th August
18. 1st March
19. Battle of the Boyne
20. 10th June
21. Election of 1st black President
22. Trooping the Colour
23. Armistice Day /Martinmas
24. George Cross
25. Easter Day
26. Prince William
27. Westminster Abbey
28. Robert Burns
29. England
30. Summit of Mt. Everest
31. 21st April 2011
32. 2013
33. 4th Thursday in November
34. 1940
35. Duke of Wellington
36. Opening of Channel Tunnel
37. Enid Blyton
38. England (Rugby Union)
39. St Andrews Day
40. Bounty, Caramel, Glaaxy, Mars, Milky Way, Snickers, Teasers, Truffle
41. 1st August
42. 1951
43. Alfred Wainwright
44. 3 wickets in 3 successive balls
45. Scafell Pike
46. End of World War I
47. Haggis
48. York
49. 60th
50. Queen Mother

Orton Manor Court

The Triennial Meeting when a new Committee will be elected is on **Tuesday 22nd July.** The names of any nominations or volunteers to serve on the Committee for the next three years should be sent in writing to the Steward, Mrs. Wendy Higgins, West End Cottage, Orton by Sunday 19th July. The Rules of Orton Manor Court state that both voters and candidates for election to the Committee must be “freeholders of the said Parish whose names are on the Eden District Register of Electors”. " Under the rules of the constitution existing members of the Committee must all resign, but all are eligible for re-election. The present committee are all willing to stand again. A maximum of 14 members can be elected to the Committee; if there are more than fourteen candidates an election will be held.

Womens Institute

Your Local W.I. wants YOU.' How many of you ladies reading this spend the third Wednesday in every month watching TV or doing nothing at all. How many of you would like to listen to interesting speakers, have a go at a new craft, polish your cooking skills, try your hand at flower arranging, enjoy a walk with a group of friends, go to shows and concerts, enjoy trips out, be part of a County writing group, enter competitions - or just have a friendly, relaxed evening with a chat, cuppa and supper - well all this, and more is open to you as a member of Tebay W.I. We can guarantee a warm welcome. We meet in Tebay Club, 7.30 - 10pm, the third Wednesday in each month. You can come along to your first meeting as a visitor, with no charge and no obligation - how do you know you won't enjoy something unless you try it? Interested? We do hope so. Why not pop in, and give us a try? Further details from President Jackie Huck. 24266.

Ravenstonedale

Cobweb Orchestra are going to provide a day of classical music in Ravenstonedale culminating in a Grand Promenade Concert. The event is being hosted by Alan and Louise at the Black Swan in the village.

Members of the six Cobweb Orchestras from all over the north of England and other musicians will be travelling to Ravenstonedale to perform a range of classical music . There is a varied program and will include performances by wind ensembles, string quartets and soloists.

The school children of Ravenstonedale have also been invited to participate, with a family concert from 12.30 to 2.00 pm for children of all ages .

The Cobweb ethos is that all musicians of any ability and any age are welcome . So if anybody wants to dust the cobwebs off their musical instrument please come and join us.All we ask is that any one wishing to join in contacts Liz Carlile on 01642873973 or e-mails her via the Cobweborchestra web site www.cobweborchestra.org.uk. Or contacts any of our local members.



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The Ravenstonedale Proms....

a whole day of classical music hosted by The Black Swan, Ravenstonedale

Saturday July 25th 2009

12.30 - 2.00pm **Family concert with children from Ravenstonedale Primary School**

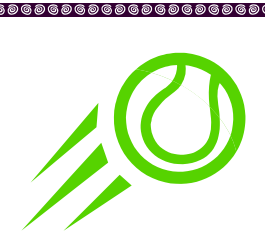
3.30pm **Ensemble performances**

3.30 - 5.00pm **Open orchestral rehearsal (observers welcome!)**

5.00 - 7.00pm **Chamber groups entertain**

7.30 - 9.30pm **Grand Promenade Concert**

Tickets: none required. Collection on behalf of the orchestra. Refreshments available from The Black Swan. Open air performances – **bring your own seats and blankets** - but performances in St. Oswald’s Church if weather inclement.



Ravenstonedale Tennis Club

American Tournament

Saturday August 8th

Ravenstonedale

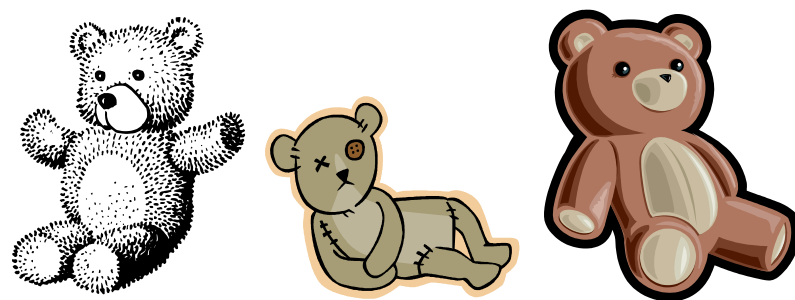


High Chapel, Caretakers Notes –

The voluntary activity is certainly working well this summer at High Chapel – since the seasonal shut down in November 2008, Robin has scarcely stopped painting. He has now completed the Vestry redecoration and has started on the uplifting window bay colour change in the main chapel. This really catches the light and uplifts the imagination. Barbara and Roy are making good the garden with their pots and their now established herbaceous bed. Alan and Marylyn have again kindly donated two trays of mature Asters that will give colour to the front borders. Open Housers continue to donate on a weekly basis, whilst enjoying the Open Café that attracts visitors and genealogists (increasingly from Australia). Steve beavers away at the archive database; adding to the scanned information and making it

even more accessible and easy to search for your “keyword”. Val has also joined in and is developing an interesting different searchable database that offers more information aboutwell you will need to come and see the finished product to find out! The fabric of the chapel is being cared for and various repairs and maintenance activities are underway such as unblocking the soakaway/ gutter system

at the north end gable. All of this is an example of the way volunteers can support each others activities and the overall objective of preserving High Chapel. The aims of the URC are also met as we promote public access, and offer “hospitality” and it some ways “celebration” through the enjoyment of people meeting together and sharing not just cakes but news and views. FC



.....if you go down to the woods
today...you'll find a

teddy bear picnic

Whether you are young or old, bring your favourite teddy to Ravenstonedale church on Sunday 2nd August, starting at 10.30am. Afterwards there will be a picnic in the village playground and story reading for all to enjoy. Plus a chocolate teddy bear hunt!!!

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Live singing from local
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At

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On 18th July 7 p.m.

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Meg on:
01539732906
or contact Colin Wren.

A BIG THANK YOU

Orton PCC wishes to thank everyone who helped in any way with our 2009 exhibition “Celebrations”.

Your enthusiasm and ingenuity again fascinated our many visitors who appreciated the warm welcome you gave to them. The generosity of our parishioners and friends is becoming legendary and certainly gives the treasurer cause for celebration! We raised a staggering £5,760 to help us to continue God's work at All Saints. The winner of the balloon race was John Blue and it was discovered in Longhurst near Morpeth

Pram Service



A warm invitation to all pre-school children and their parents to join the nursery children

**Monday 13th July, 2pm
in Orton School**

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detached two bed roomed cottage to let unfurnished, with private parking for two cars. Sorry no pets or smokers. References required.
Tel. 015396 24258

All Saints' Holiday Club for children



Join us
in Orton Church
for
five mornings of fun
crafts, games, snacks
and much more.

August 3rd - 7th
10am - 12 noon

Orton Mothers' Union

Our next meeting will be
in
All Saints' church on
Tuesday 7th July, 2pm
followed by
Strawberry Tea.

A warm welcome to
anyone
who would like to join us.

Orton Farmers' Markets

The next three of these
popular markets will be:
July 11th
August 8th
September 12th

Join us in All Saints for
refreshments and a chat
in a friendly atmosphere.

In June we raised £482.
Many thanks for your
continued support.

ORTON SCHOOL NEWS

YR5,6 visit to Shap Wells.

On Tuesday 2nd June Y5&6 went to Shap Wells to have a Journey day. We were split into 4 groups to do different activities, there was music, art and craft, drama, story telling. Also there were Shap Primary, Tebay, Ravenstonedale and of course Orton; we all had a great time getting to know all the different people. We did music in the games room, drama in the Green Room, art and craft in the Court Room and storytelling in the woods just up the road next to the river. It was very hot that day and very pleasant. We had our lunch down by the river sitting on the rocks. The staff had put our lunch in the fridge to keep it cool in the hot weather. We liked the day and would like to go again to have more fun.

By Jenny Coates and Heather Bland.

The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe On Friday Y1 Y2 Y3 Y4 Y5 Y6 went to see the Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe at Orton Market Hall. Tebay school came too. It lasted just over an hour it was really good the best bit was the fight when the wolf died.

Cycle Club

Tom Bainbridge has just started doing cycle club for year 5 & 6. Even though we've only had two lessons we are already wishing that there was more time! So far the weather has been OK for us but it could all change. A big thanks to Tom and we hope he can come next year, please...By David



Cricket

On Tuesday 2nd of June, we went to a Cricket festival in Penrith. We played against Penruddock and Lowther and lost both. So we played a friendly match against Calthwaite and won. YIPPEE!!!!

.By Mark and Adam

Athletics

On the 10th of June Yr 5 and 6 went to an Athletics Festival at Kirkby Stephen Grammar School and did loads of activities with other schools there was Warcop, Kirkby Primary, Brough. We were split into teams and each had a group leader, they were all nice. There was hurdles, the long jump, the high jump, shot put, discus, javelin, 80m, 150m and 600m run. We were tired by the end of the day! By Louise and Ethan



The whole of the school took part in an African Drumming Workshop. We all worked very hard and it was great fun. At the end of the workshop each class performed their drumming rhythms for the rest of the school they were good to listen to. African Drumming is GREAT!

YR 5 AND 6 RESIDENTIAL

On Monday 18th of May Yr 5 and 6 went on their residential by Derwentwater. We stayed in a Youth Hostel called Barrow House it was great fun. Our residential was full of excitement and laughter. These are all the activities we did Canoeing, problem solving, walking Cat Bells, beck scrambling, Ghyll scrambling at Honister Ghyll, rounders with Borrowdale School, (who were camping nearby!), raft building, abseiling, camp fire, shopping, we went to a park to eat our lunch, and we went to Keswick Spa and that's our residential! By Emily and Lizzie



On Thursdays we go to the field to play Tri golf. We had a Tri golf teacher with us it was absolutely fantastic. (His name was Mr. Castle) he taught us how to putt properly and next week he is teaching us how to wedge. By Michael & Nathan.



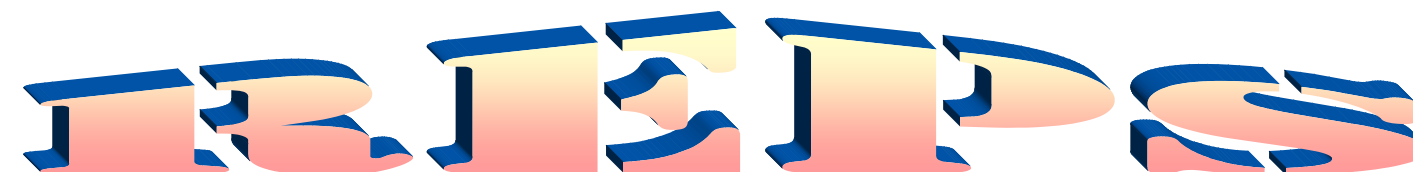
Y6 leavers

This year in Y6 there will be 5 leavers: Jenny Coates, Heather Bland, Emily Pinder, Mark Potter and George Mason and which they will all be going to Kirkby Stephen Grammar school. We are all looking forward to going as well. By Heather

The Staff and all the Children at Orton School wish them all well in their secondary education. See you all around don't forget to say HELLO!

Dilston Castle

Nursery, Reception, Y1 and 2 plus lots of adults visited Dilston Castle near Hexham! We went on a bus, we looked around the castle, there were lots of rooms, and we all took part in a fairytale story. In the chapel we made masks, crowns shields and did some colouring in. We got a piece of treasure because we helped to find clues and solve the fairy godmothers magic riddle. We had a fantastic day and got a rocket lolly on the way back YUM!



July 2009

Ravenstonedale Endowed Primary

African Drumming

For the first time (I think) we have had some people called Jamie, Simon and John who came all the way from Manchester just to teach us some African Drumming.

First we had fifteen minutes of Simon, Jamie and John (Not the Jamie, Simon and John in our school) drumming and talking to us. Then Class Two went down stairs to do some science while Class One did some drumming with them. Then we had playtime and after play Class 2 went upstairs to do some African Drumming.

By Carla Boustead and Niamh-Marshall-Brownrigg Yr 4

Drumming

We went up to the public room to see some drummers. They played the djembe which is an African drum. There were three people, called Simon, Jamie and John; they were all the way from Manchester.

They did some drumming (of course) and after that Class Two went downstairs while Class One did some drumming themselves. Then they went down and came out to play with Class Two.

After play it was Class Two's turn to do some African drumming. This is what we did: Simon did a little bit of drumming and then we tried to do the same. Then we did 'Simon said', Simon did something on his drum then we copied what he did.

By Leanne Huck Year 4

Football with Graham.

Every Tuesday Class 1 and Class 2 do football with Graham. We have competitions. On the first Tuesday we had two competitions, they were: passing through cones with a partner, and the last one was passing around the cones: one person passes round the right side of the cones, and then the other person runs to the other side and passes back. The first pair to do it twenty times won. Me and Matthew won both of them. (The Y 5/6's were at Shap Wells, otherwise one of them probably would have won).

By Jack Boustead, Year 4.

This is what some people thought of the drumming:

Kodi	Quite loud
Leah	Awesome!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
Georgia	Wicked!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
Stephen	All right!
Niamh	Loud
Carla	Loud and magnificent!!!!
Jack B	Ace!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!