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A thought from the Vicarage

From the Revd. Beverley Lock

What are you really passionate about?

It could be all sorts of things.

Sport – football, tennis, cricket, hockey, golf – what will glue you to the TV?

Or better still make you abandon the warmth of your home for the cold drizzle of a side line to cheer on the players?

Or perhaps it's music.... a particular group or singer / rapper / celebrity whose music moves and excites you.

It may be a hobby – something that brings an extra dimension to your life: anything from steam trains to motor bikes to rambling or even line dancing – it is as varied as the people reading this magazine. It can be the pressure cooker valve that grabs our imagination when the task of the day is boring, frustrating or stressful. It enriches our lives. It is different from something you 'quite like'; passion is about what grabs you – what can take your imagination into new areas and stir the blood. It is what puts a sparkle into the eye of the most stoic of characters. Occasionally very fortunate people get to make that passion the way they make their living.

For some people particular issues like conservation, poverty action, religious freedom, world peace really exercise them. Their passion is channelled into doing all they can to influence these issues. Often they may be pursuing their passion in the face of opposition. They will keep going tenaciously, forging ahead toward their goals.

These have been the people through history who have influenced our country from those who fought to bring women the vote to those who abolished slavery. It has often been personally costly; other things in their lives, relationships, health, personal well being were all subject to this great passion. However they have been driven to keep going because, to them, the cause was so important. Often these people have had a strong personal faith in a higher being that

fuelled their passion.

In the Christian tradition one of the followers of Jesus was a deeply, deeply passionate man. He gave up everything to do what he believed God had called him to do. He went from place to place telling people that there was a new and different way to live life – as a follower of Jesus Christ.

In writing to friends he put it this way:

"Brothers and sisters, I do not consider myself yet to have taken hold of it. But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus." *Philippians 3:13-14*

And he did. His story recorded in the book of Acts in the New Testament part of the Bible is a tale of adventure. shipwrecks, running away, then feted by the great and the good, then getting on the wrong side of authority and imprisoned – all for the sake of his passion. It led him to great sacrifices but he clearly would not have had it any other way. St. Paul is remembered today for his passion for Jesus and how he spread the Good News through the world. Today 1 in 3 human beings on this planet call themselves 'Christian' and Paul's passion for telling the world was instrumental in that. In this country the quest for a fairer more equal society has been influenced by this Christian heritage.

This month we vote. Whatever our party politics may be, let us pray, and vote, for people of integrity and passion – let us measure those who seek our support by how much they will keep striving beyond 7th May. Let us honour the passion of men and women of the past by participating in the election though our vote.

There are many things that are good about our country; but there are also things that need to change. That is something we all need to be passionate about.

NOTE - The management committee of the *Link* regret that it is unable to distribute literature for other organisations. Articles received after the 13th may be held over until the following month.

SUNDAY SERVICES IN OUR CHURCHES FOR MAY 2015

Sunday 3rd May

The Fifth Sunday of Easter

Liturgical colour White

Lessons Acts 8.26-40; 1 John 4.7-21

10.30am Joint Songs of Praise at Tebay

Beverley Lock

Prayers: Reg Capstick

Sunday 10th May

The Sixth Sunday of Easter

Liturgical colour White

Lessons Acts 10.44-48; 1 John 5.1-6

ORTON
Sidesman David Aspden

8.30am Holy Communion BCP Chris Jenkin

Readers
John Dunning

TEBAY

4.00pm 2@4 Beverley Lock

RAVENSTONEDALE

10.00am Rogation Service at Stud Fold
Beverley Lock & Archdeacon Kevin

Tom Reeves, Jane Parsler

Sunday 17th May

The Seventh Sunday of Easter

Liturgical colour White

Sunday after Ascension Day

Lessons Acts 1.15-17, 21-26; 1 John 5.9-13

ORTON
Sidesman Mary Jenkin

11am Family Service Chris Bland and Beverley Lock

TEBAY

11.15am Holy Communion Ian Elliott, Rose Campbell to assist

Readers

RAVENSTONEDALE

9.15am Morning Prayer Chris Jenkin

Fran Parkinson, Tim Parkinson

Sunday 24th May

Day of Pentecost (Whit Sunday)

Liturgical colour Red

Lessons Acts 2.1-21; Romans 8.22-27

10.30 Joint Holy Communion Service at Orton

Beverley Lock

Sidesmen

Brian Lock to assist

Readers

Jim Milburn, Chris Bland

Prayers Angela Milburn

Jackie Huck, Andy Glanville

Sunday 31st May

Trinity Sunday

Liturgical colour Gold or White

Lessons Isaiah 6.1-8; Romans 8.12-17

10.30am Joint Holy Communion Service at Ravenstonedale

Sandra Ward

Readers Hilary Law, Richard Best

SUNDAY SERVICES IN OUR CHAPELS FOR MAY 2015

		3 rd	10 th	17 th	24 th	31 st
Tebay	10.30 a.m.	S of Praise 6.30 pm Cnxxn LWPT Brough	P Dew HC	A Burton	LA	T Dent
Orton	10.00a.m. 6.30 p.m.	K Hewitson Cnxxn LWPT Brough	D Thackray D Marston	M Scott (LA) P Dew	US at PC T Longworth	C Wightman (LA) W Capstick
Newbiggin-on-Lune	10.30 a.m. 6.30 p.m.	LA Cnxxn LWPT Brough	I Ellershaw (LA) To R'dale CA	P Dew LA	T Dent *	G Ashworth *
Ravenstonedale	2.00 p.m. 6.30 p.m.	P Dew HC Cnxxn LWPT Brough	P Staley CA P Staley CA	T Taylor *	R Ewin *	P Dew B *

Vineleaf Fellowship: Every Sunday in Orton Market Hall, 10.30 a.m.

Notes from The Herald, May 1915

Fine but chilly; frosts in fourth week. Whitsun was 24th May.

Orton: 1915 – nowt! 1865: “Orton’s new Market House opened on 31st May, a dull, dry day. The Church bells rang merrily, the Kirkby Stephen Band played and over 300 people came and thronged the streets and sat down to tea and a speech by Mr. R. Burn of Orton Hall. All the carting for the builders was done free of charge. This was a red-letter day in the annals of the wonderful little town of Orton.”

1915: Greenholme’s Primitive Methodist Sunday School Anniversary on Sat/Sun, 15th/16th May (Service, concert etc) had fine weather.

Tebay: Tebay Methodists waited in vain on Sunday, 25th April for their preacher to arrive. As he was cycling from Kirkby Stephen his brakes failed on Ashfell Brow and he fell off (cuts etc) and walked to Gars Hill. Mrs. Metcalfe-Gibson’s car took him home. He was Mr. James Mason. Hospital Sunday raised £10.1s.0d in Tebay. (£1 then = £80 now). Tebay Primitive Methodist Band of Hope (Children’s Temperance) annual festival was on Whit Monday, a fine day. It was in Mr. C. Wells’ big field with games. Tea in Assembly Room. More games. Lecture and Supper for the adults. A big do.

Two poultry breeders in Kelleth have eggs for setting, Mr. Upsall (White Orpingtons) and Mr. J.A. Whitehead (Brown Leghorns).

Ravenstonedale George Beck, The Lane, sued L. Goodfellow for not coming to him in November though hired – L.G. had gone to a higher pay place. He lost and had to pay Mr. Beck £4.10s.0d. Hearing was at the County Court.

Mr. William Potter, Ravenstonedale, bought the late Mrs. Haygarth’s house, garden and paddock in Ravenstonedale at the Auction on 28th April, for £280 (few there but keen bidders). Ravenstonedale Wesleyan Chapel had its best

Anniversary Weekend for years on 15/16 May. It included a Lecture on “The Romance of Hymns”.

War News All aliens to be interned. Coalition Government to begin. Lusitania torpedoed. Troop train crash at Quintinshill. Dardanelles (Russia’s idea) not a walkover.

Thanks to Jeremy Godwin for the Notes.

ORTON MANOR COURT

Abridged Minutes of the Committee Meeting held on Monday 13th April

- 11 members were present and one visitor. There was one apology.
- Minutes**: Minutes of the Committee Meeting held on Monday 2nd February 2015 were accepted.
- Matters Arising** from the Minutes: Item 9b, Triennial Meeting: at least one existing committee member does not want to stand for re-election, but two new people are willing to stand. Nominations of new candidates for election should be received 14 days in advance.

4. Treasurer’s Report:

- The savings account held

£8,713.73; the current account £3,421.01.

- Winning bids for grazing at Howes Quarry and Park Lane End had been received and accepted.
- The claim deadline for the Single Farm Payment was 15th May.

4. Information Board:

- A sample section of the board was circulated. The complete print will be mounted on wood.
- A stone plinth is being constructed.
- Orton School will be asked if they would like to have the first, less sharp, print.

- Land Registration**: It was agreed it was not worth pursuing registration of two areas of land in the village as ownership is hard to prove, but registration of the land at the Dame School should be pursued as written evidence of OMC ownership exists.

6. Dates:

- Next committee meeting**: Monday 8th June
- Triennial General Meeting**: Monday 6th July. A new committee will be elected; nominations required by 22nd June. Full details in next issue of *Link*.

A Christian Alphabet—An occasional series.

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Man: There are two Bible accounts of the creation of man, in Genesis chapters 1 and 2; chapter 1 says God made man – male and female – “in his own image”, and chapter 2 has the story of God forming him “from the dust of the ground”. Though different accounts, they are not contradictory but rather complementary, and both have rich insights into the significance of humanity. The phrase “image of God” does not imply that God is man-shaped; rather that man is “God-shaped” – i.e. our highest destiny is to relate to God personally, in a way that none of the rest of creation can do. The “dust of the ground” description makes clear that we are formed from the materials of this planet; the simple, poetic words can surely be understood to describe how – over millions of years – slime at the bottom of a shallow sea evolved into *homo sapiens*.

Marriage: The earliest “marriage” in scripture is that of Adam and Eve (*Genesis* 2: 23,24) which was said from the start to involve a man “leaving his father and mother and being united to his wife” – even though, in the context of the Adam and Eve story, there was no father and mother! Throughout the Old Testament there are many instances of polygamy, which was not then condemned; but by New Testament times monogamy was the rule. Jesus was present at a wedding – and made it an even better party by turning water into wine (*John* 2: 1-11)! Some of the apostles were married, notably Peter – one of the miracles of Jesus was to heal Peter’s mother-in-law. It is generally thought that Paul was not married – though there is no reason why he should not have been a widower when embarking on his missionary journeys. Paul wrote strong words about the marital relationship. One such passage is headed, “Submit to one another out of reverence for Christ” (*Ephesians* 5: 21). The now controversial words that followed about wives submitting to husbands must be seen in the context of that mutual submission.

A VIEW FROM TEBAY

By Rosemary Campbell

Living in Tebay is such a handy place for taking off on the M6 north or south.

In December I had a big crash on the M6 after 11pm returning from Blue Jam Folk Group rehearsal and a cup of tea with friends in Penrith. As quite often happens on the stretch coming down from Shap the weather can be bad and true to form the advisory speed limit was 40 mph. I am usually a bit heavy on the foot but on this occasion I was actually going 40 mph! Suddenly out of nowhere I was hit from behind by a white Mercedes Sprinter van and pushed at great speed and out of control heading for the central reservation and ended up hitting the barrier and coming to rest in the fast lane with my bonnet facing the barrier. Scary stuff as my seat had broken and I was in the reclining position with feet tangled around the pedals. Lorries were thundering down the motorway and so I was in a very bad position as I was totally trapped in the car as the doors were jammed. I reached behind to try and find my handbag but no sign of it and then I noticed it had landed in the front so I could get my mobile out and ring 999. No one came so I had to ring again and Shap Fire Brigade landed and then a paramedic then a doctor and then the ambulance. Shap Fire Brigade were brilliant as they had to cut the roof off and the back door off to get me out on a spinal board in order to get me to Casualty at the Cumberland Infirmary by ambulance having been trapped for an hour

As I reflect on this dreadful night I do believe there were some angels knocking around as in reality I should not have survived. It's been 4th time lucky for me as I had already survived physical attacks in the past, a head on crash with a coach near Morrisons in Kendal, got over cancer and then this. There must be more for me to do. Thanks too to neighbours, friends and members of the church for visits and food, long term loan of a car etc.

And so where was God in all this? I believe He does not take bad things away from us but is with us in them if we ask Him. Our responses of pain, questions and anxiety may be tough to deal with as the months go by and we will need help for this but Jesus did say "Come unto me all you are heavy laden and I will give you rest".

Church of England, or Methodist - or both?

I heard of a new church built in Liverpool in the early '60s (St. Mary's, Halewood), which was designed to house not one congregation but two - an Anglican one and a Methodist one. Each Sunday morning there were two services: a Methodist service and a Church of England service. In the evening, there was just one service - in alternate weeks it took a C. of E. form or Methodist style, but members of both traditions went to both. This was fifty years ago; no doubt things have developed since then.

This kind of sharing arrangement became known as a "Local Ecumenical Partnership", or LEP. There are now over 850 LEPs nationwide, 22 of them in Cumbria.

That Liverpool church was purpose-built with that in mind; but I have heard of many instances when congregations which were struggling to keep their own show going have decided to start a similar sharing arrangement with a neighbouring church. In Kirkby Stephen, the Anglican building is also used by the Roman Catholics. It works very well and amicably.

What it all depends on is relationships - trust and love between groups of Christian believers of different traditions, who see that the Mission of Christ in their local community is better fulfilled together than separately. It is not a question of giving up their denominational identity, but of learning to worship together, pray together, and share in whatever ways they can.

In November 2011 the church leaders of Cumbria - Anglican, Methodist and United Reformed - published a formal Declaration of Intent:

We commit ourselves and our churches:

- **to seek out every possible opportunity for joint initiatives at Local and County Level in mission to all the people of Cumbria.**
- **to work together to equip both lay and ordained ministry whenever possible, and to share that ministry wherever appropriate.**
- **to continue the work of developing strategies whereby we optimise the use of our church buildings for the benefit of communities throughout the county.**

Whenever two local congregations of different churches decide to seek to solve some of their problems by strengthening their links with each other, they are working in accordance with that solemn commitment - and also working towards fulfilling the desire of our Lord Jesus Christ, who prayed for his followers "that all of them may be one! That they may be brought to complete unity! Then the world will know that you sent me." (*John 17: 21,23*)

Tebay Community Primary School News!

We hope everyone had an enjoyable couple of weeks off! Everyone has come back to school with a great attitude.

Before half term KS2 children took part in a Dance Platform at the Brewery Arts Centre in Kendal. They practised very hard on the run up to this event due to having to learn a 3 minute dance!

The theme for the dance was the Rainforest and the dance portrayed the struggle of deforestation, not only for the animals but also for the Yanomami tribe. The children spent the whole afternoon watching other schools rehearse and showing off their own dance also. The children were very well behaved and their performance was of high quality! Well done to all who took part.



We were lucky enough to have a visit from some very unusual visitors in school!



The Silver Band Falconry came along with lots of mini-beasts and some reptiles. Both KS1 and KS2 had the opportunity to learn all about the creatures and even experience some of the creatures outside of their tanks. We thoroughly enjoyed our visit!

Year 5 and 6 had an afternoon visit from Poet John Rice. They took part in lots of activities to do with writing poems and playing around with words, eventually writing their own! They produced some interesting work and enjoyed John performing some of his own songs and poem. He was very entertaining!

Well done to everyone who took part in the decorated egg competition ... they all looked really great! We had some very unusual entries, from lambs to an ocean scene! Congratulations to the winners. I believe it was a tough decision.

Also congratulations to the 'Deforestation poster' competition winner. Again there was some fantastic entries.

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Tebay

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Sunday 10th May, 4 pm
St James' Church



Calling all children -
with your parents,
grandparents, aunties,
uncles or friends –
everyone!

PRAYER TIME AGAIN !



Calling all members of Tebay
Methodist and Anglican Churches to
another month of praying for our
community and its needs.
We'll be meeting in The Hub at St
James' Church on Tuesdays in June,
7.30 to 8.30 pm. All welcome.

Tebay Senior Citizens Lunch & Trip

Tuesday 19th May

Invitations to Tebay Parish
residents age 60 and over
will be released at the
beginning of May. If you
are new to the Parish and/
or you have turned 60
before this date, please let
us know before
Friday 8th May

If you would like more
information and/or would like to
join us,
Tel: Ann Walker on 24371

'Twinkles'

Tue 9.30—11.30 a.m. at Tebay
Methodist Hall
All welcome with or without
children

Voluntary run playgroup—
Activities changed on a weekly
basis including Painting,
playdough, drawing, cutting,
dressing up, slides, bikes,
music, reading.

For more information contact
Amanda James - 07733 180305

Public Meeting in St. James' Church *to discuss the future of that church*

Wed. 13th May
7.30 p.m.

Come and say what you think!

TEBAY METHODIST CHURCH

COFFEE MORNING & TABLE TOP SALE

JUNE 20th 10 am
£ 6 per Table

To book a Table contact
BERNARD on
015396 24272

Tebay Methodist Church

DROP IN 2 TILL 4

Every Tuesday

Games, crafts &
refreshments

For information ring Dennis
015396 24445

Tebay Community Library and Drop In—in the Hub, St. James' Church

Every Monday morning,
10.00am - 12.00pm

Refreshments—
Books to borrow and buy.

All ages welcome

Tebay Methodist Church

An All Day Breakfast was held on
Easter Saturday from 8 a.m. to 1
p.m. The members and friends
of the church served over 120
breakfasts.

The church very much
appreciates the support given by
the community.

The total raised for church funds
was **£750.**

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Orton

Orton Farmers' Markets

The next three of these popular markets will be:

9th May
11th June
11th July

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

In April we raised

£526.28

to help us continue God's work at All Saints.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Orton Mothers' Union

Tuesday 5th May, 2pm
in All Saints' Church

St. Brigid

Anyone who would like to join us will be very welcome.

If you would like information please phone Laura on
015396 24654

Mothers' UNION
Christian care for families

Orton "Drop-In"

Every Wednesday
from 10.30-noon in the cosy schoolroom at Orton Chapel.
Coffee/cakes and a chat with friends. Everyone welcome!

Seen on a Church Notice Board



Ascension Day

Thursday 14th May
Appleby Deanery
Ascension Day Service
at St. Lawrence's Church,
Appleby
7.30 p.m.

President: Revd Sarah Lunn
Preacher: Revd. Stewart Fyfe

RSCM Cumbria

MEET, EAT AND SING!

Wednesday 20th May
St. Patrick's Church, Patterdale
With George Appleton
7.30 - 9.30 p.m.
Singing fee: £7.50
To include finger buffet



To register, contact Joan Gordon,
017683 52980
geoffandjoangordon@btinternet.com
preferably before 2nd May

Come and Sing
Choral Evensong
for Trinity Sunday

31st May, 6.30 p.m.

St Lawrence's Church,
Appleby

Full rehearsal at 3.30pm with a break at about 5.30pm.

Please indicate whether you would like to come and sing in the choir.
Geoff Gordon, 017683 52980

Mobile Library Van
The Library Van will visit Orton
from 9.30 to 10.30 a.m. on
Tuesday 19th May
Tuesday 16th June

Church Schools Spring Conference

Wed. 20th May, Newton Rigg
9.30 a.m. - 4.0 p.m.

"Church Schools – a unique past, an influential present and a powerful future"
with Nigel Genders

This conference is open to headteachers, clergy and governors
For details e-mail
sue.emery@carlisle-diocese.org.uk

Shap Mothers Union Open Meeting

Living Matters: Suicide is Everyone's Business

Thursday 21st May 7:00pm

The Green Room, Shap Memorial Hall
Speaker: Juliet Gray, Training Officer,
Carlisle Eden Mind

WORSHIP FOR EVERYONE at SHAP MEMORIAL HALL

Informal service organised jointly by the churches in Shap
Pentecost Praise –
Sunday 24th May 6pm
with Appleby Town Band

Come and join us to celebrate the birthday of the worldwide church!

Orton Youth Club

John Bainbridge and Elaine Ewin have decided that after 20+ years it is time to retire from running the Youth Club on Friday evenings. There is equipment in the Market Hall which could be used by anyone else who might like to take this on. It has been lots of fun and a privilege to get to know so many young people in the village. Thank you!

What on earth is the Church?

This is the title of a little book in which Chris Jenkin has had printed his recent course of five sermons on "The Church". £4 - 015396 24410

Orton Surgery

Week commencing 25th May we will be having an Orton surgery on Thursday 28th May from 11.15am to 12.15am and will be closed on Tuesday 26th May.
We will also be closed on Thursday 18th June.

Swing and Song comes to Orton



Swing and song arrived at Orton Church on Saturday 21st March in the form of the Kendal Big Band and Tebay Community Choir. The evening got off to a rousing start with mix of standards and jazz classics from the members of the Kendal Big

Band, all familiar pieces from the 1920's to the 1960's for you to sing along to or tap your toes.

The Kendal Big Band played for the first third of the evening, the music helpfully introduced by the conductor who explained the origin of the music and reminded the audience of the famous singers or musicians who found fame playing or singing the songs. They raised the roof with a number of jazz classics with soloists taking centre stage on some of the numbers, plus the super singer.

While the band took a rest, Tebay Community Choir provided the middle section under the expert direction of Alison Mott. They sang a mixture of songs from spirituals to music from musicals and the movies. The choir clearly enjoy singing, and their lively and well-crafted performance was accompanied by Laura Wren on the keyboard.



The last third of the evening was taken by Kendal Big Band who played a number of more recent hits, that is from the last part of the 20th century! I was taken back to my dancing days with the playing of Little Eva's Locomotion, though with the passage of time I had forgotten the hand moves!

The evening was topped off with a terrific supper. "Just bring some food", we were told. Well, the spread was incredible - from sandwiches to pizza to pies to cheese, with lots of mouth-watering puddings to follow. What can be better on a winter's evening than good music, excellent food and company? Well done to the organizers of the evening; it was fun and very enjoyable.

Jan Anning

Saturday 23rd May - Quiet Gardens Day

led by Susan Holmes and Alison Newcome
at Bishop's House, Keswick - 10am to 2.30/3pm
No charge

Jesus said, "Come with me by yourselves to a quiet place and get some rest." *Mark 6:31*. A quiet garden is such a place, somewhere beautiful where people can take time out from busy lives to relax, pray and find God through the beauty of his creation. So you are invited to come and enjoy a quiet time, a day for refreshment and space. Coffee and lunch will be provided. To book please contact **Susan Holmes at Woodside, Great Corby, Carlisle, CA4 8LL (tel: 01228 560617) or email susan@gtcorby.plus.com**

(Donations will be welcome on the day)

Don't forget

Orton Quiz night for CHRISTIAN AID

There will be a
FUN QUIZ EVENING

on **FRIDAY 15th MAY**

(with light refreshments) to be held
in **Orton Market Hall.**

7.00 p.m... music by local musicians

7.30 p.m. ... "finger food buffet".

8.00 p.m. ... Quiz

Most important ... we need quiz teams of approx 4 people in each. Please contact Olive/Chris 24258 regarding your team. No entry charge.

Donations on the night to Christian Aid would be welcome

highlights

community touring scheme

Owen O'Neill presents

Red Noise

Shap Memorial Hall
Saturday 9th May at 8.00pm

Owen O'Neill is an award winning performance poet, stand up comedian and actor and his show combines all three in an evening of funny and touching stories, comedy and bitter sweet poetry from his latest collection.

O'Neill is a great storyteller and has a warm audience rapport. In his funny and poignant show, he will have you in stitches one minute and with tears in your eyes the next. His vividly imagined stories - many from his childhood in rural co Tyrone - 'draw out the bigger picture through small detail'. He makes his audience feel welcomed and entertained.

The show contains some strong language. It is suitable for those aged 16 and upwards.

Soft drinks will be available or 'Bring your own Booze'.

'To call what he does 'stand-up' doesn't do him justice. This is genuine comedy from the gut, a true original.'

THE SCOTSMAN

Tickets: Adults: £10 Conc: £9
Bookings: Tel. 01931 716273
or online at www.highlightsnorth.co.uk

Classes for Greenholme show

13th June 2015

[closing date for entries 11.5.15]

Adult classes now open- ring Jackie 015396 24414

greenholmeshowsecretary@gmail.com

Entry fees - Sheep £1, Produce & Confectionery, Handicrafts, Photographs 50p,

Stick classes 50p, Dog classes £1, Children free

Full Schedule available in local shops

ROUGH FELL SHEEP CLASSES

1. Ewe with lamb at foot
2. Gimmer Shearling with Lamb at foot
3. Gimmer Hogg
4. Tup Hogg
5. Shearling Tup
6. Aged Tup
7. Best female that has not won a prize in classes 1-6
8. Best male that has not won a prize in classes 1-6
9. Best pair of Gimmer Hogg, to be held for one year.
10. Best legged in Bone and Colour, Male
11. Best legged in Bone and Colour, Female
12. Best overall in Bone and Colour (N.B. no entry fee class 12)
13. Prize for Best pair, 1 Male, 1 Female.
14. Society prize for best collection of 3 sheep: 1 Aged Ram, 1 Shearling Ram, 1 Tup Hogg.
15. Society prize for the Best Ewe, Best Gimmer Shearling, Best Gimmer Hogg.
16. Society prize for Best Male or Best Female shown in the Breeders hands

TEXEL SHEEP CLASSES

(All Texel classes are for Non-Accredited Sheep only)

17. Ewe or Shearling that has reared a lamb this season
18. Gimmer Hogg
19. Tup Hogg
20. Aged Tup
21. Shearling Texel Tup
22. Texel Tup Lamb
23. Texel Gimmer Lamb
24. Pair: 1 Male and 1 Female.
25. Pair Females
26. Pair Males

ANY OTHER BREED OF SHEEP

27. A.O.B not listed. Female. Ewe or Shearling
28. A.O.B not listed. Male. Aged Tup or Shearling
29. A.O.B not listed. Gimmer Hogg.

30. A.O.B not listed. Tup Hogg
31. A.O.B not listed. Pair of Females
32. A.O.B. not listed. Pair of Males
33. A.O.B not listed. Tup Lamb
34. A.O.B not listed. Gimmer Lamb
35. Young handler [up to and including aged 16] – To be entered on the day. 50p entry Stanley Guy Cup and rosettes awarded for best handlers

Stick competition

Class A - Horned Shepherds Crook
Class B - All wood Shepherds Crook
Class C - Horned Walking Stick
Class D - Wood Walking Stick
Class E - Ornamental Horned Stick
Class F - Ornamental Wood Stick
Class G - Ladies Stick
Class H - Thumb Stick

Dog classes

Large Dog
Small Dog

HOME PRODUCE and CONFECTIONERY

36. 3 Brown Eggs
37. 3 White eggs
38. Best 3 sticks of Rhubarb
39. Jar of Lemon curd
40. 4 Seeded Rolls
41. Loaf of brown Bread
42. Loaf of white bread made in a bread making machine
43. Rich fruit cake
44. Ginger bread
45. 3 Wholemeal scones
46. Favourite Mary Berry cake
47. Quiche - own choice of filling 6-8 inches
48. 3 pieces tray bake [not cooked]
49. 3 slices Bakewell tart
50. 3 Ginger biscuits - not rolled
51. Lemon drizzle cake
52. 3 Slices Tray bake (cooked)
53. Best Chocolate cake [unfilled, undecorated and made in one tin]
54. Best Chocolate cake [filled, undecorated and made in one tin]
55. Victoria sponge [jam filling, topped

with sieved icing sugar, made in one tin]

56. 1 individual vegetable pasty
57. 3 Cup Cakes
58. Best jar of Marmalade
59. Jar rhubarb jam
60. Banana loaf
61. Best Dish of rum butter
62. Swiss roll filled with raspberry jam
63. Damson/Sloe Gin or any Liqueur [in clear glass bottle, labelled]
64. Individual dessert
65. 3 Chocolate Brownies
66. Coffee cake – to set recipe see end of schedule
67. 3 Shortbread biscuits
68. 3 Pieces of fruit Flapjack
69. 3 Chocolate chip cookies

SPECIAL CLASS – MEN'S BAKING

70 Lemon drizzle cake

HANDICRAFTS

Made since the 2014 show

71. Edible Jewellery
72. Homemade candlestick
73. Item of Crochet
74. Homemade - something spotty
75. Painting - any medium
76. Homemade dog - any medium
77. Drawing
78. Novelty Salt and Pepper pots
79. Article - hand or machine sewn
80. Needlecraft - inc cross stitch
81. Any other handicraft - Ladies/Gents
82. Best pot plant – flowering
83. Best pot plant – foliage
84. Flower arrangement in an unusual container
85. Homemade felt article
86. Scarecrow made by Adult and child
87. Decorated Lemon
88. Something made from a coat hanger
89. Homemade scarf
90. Poem
91. Gift wrapped bottle
92. Garden on a plate
93. Planted container

PHOTOGRAPHS

Unmounted

Taken since the 2014 show, 7x5inch or less

- 94 Any Photo – 'Seaside'
- 95 Any View
- 96 Any Photo of Child/Children
- 97 Any Photo of Animal/Animals
- 98 Any Photo of a Cat
- 99 Any other Photo
- 100 Any other Photo - with a caption
- 101 A Collection of 2 Photographs 'old and new'
- 102 Any Photo of a local landmark
- 103. Best Action Photo
- 104. Best Photo - 'Happiness'

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

- 105. PRE-SCHOOL - A Picture - any medium
- 106. Edible sheep
- 107. Homemade phone case
- 108. Gingerbread family of three
- 109. 3 Decorated Sponge Buns
- 110. Homemade show trophy
- 111. Photo - Animal/s (primary school age)
- 112. Animal made from fruit/veg
- 113. Funniest 'Knock Knock' joke
- 114. Planted container [judged with class 127-combined class]

CLASSES 115-122 divided into.

- E.G Nursery,
 - Reception,
 - Year 1,
 - Year 2,
 - Year 3,
 - Year 4,
 - Year 5,
 - Year 6
- Please state which group

- 115. Picture - Any medium
- 116. Homemade dream catcher
- 117. Decorated plant pot
- 118. Handwriting - Poem
- 119. Any Handicraft - Girl/Boy
- 120. Decorated boiled egg
- 121. Paper aeroplane
- 122. Pebble pet

Secondary school age: Young adults can enter in classes numbered 123 - 127 or in main adult classes

Secondary classes

- 123. Animal made from fruit/veg
- 124. 3 Choc chip cookies
- 125. Decorated sponge cake
- 126. Any other handicraft
- 127. Planted container [judged with class 114-combined class]
- 128. Photo -Selfie

New Trees for the Future

Could you help us to plant new field trees for the future?

The Woodland Trust is a charity that has been working for the benefit of trees and woodlands since 1972. In that time it has acquired over 1100 sites covering some 50,000 acres of woodland and other land which it manages for public access, woodland and nature conservation.

In response to wide concerns over continuing wildlife loss and increasing levels of trees' disease, about ten years ago the Trust decided to begin work outside of its own estate to encourage others to conserve woodland and old trees on their land, and to plant new young woods and trees. Since then this "outreach project" has worked with over 4000 landowners across the UK and planted many hundreds of thousands of trees.

In Cumbria the Trust's representative, Pete Leeson, has been working to achieve a range of objectives relating to trees. In particular Pete has been focussing on the commons – the work on Tebay Common is an example of this – to bring about a restoration of more wooded habitat with benefits to wildlife, but also to help with soil protection, water quality, flooding and climate change adaptation. A focus of his work has been around rivers where salmon and trout populations have been under increased stress as average water temperatures have increased and spawning beds have become silted – trees help by providing shade, by reducing sediment entering water courses, and by providing leaf litter for insects to eat.

The arrival of Ash Die-back has given renewed impetus to our concern for trees outside of woods – our field trees. Sadly some estimates suggest that of the UK's 20,000,000 ash trees some 15,000,000 could be lost to ash die-back. This is a scale beyond the devastation of Dutch Elm disease and one that could hit Cumbria and the Orton / Ravenstonedale / Tebay area very hard indeed. Large field trees – often referred to as 'open grown' – have peculiar traits which are of huge value to wildlife. Notably these old trees often have holes for bats and owls to roost in, they are lichen and moss covered providing useful vertical habitat for threatened species, and food sources for birds such as nuthatch and tree creeper. They often contain dead wood with very high value for beetles and fungi. Groups of wide spaced trees are

essential for cuckoo and redpoll and our fabulous woodpeckers float from isolated tree to isolated tree to feed. They are veritable zoos and without them many of our wildlife species would be lost.

Pete launched an initiative last year to get landowners behind the idea of planting single trees in field edges across the county, to provide a whole new crop of trees which one day would become these vertical zoos. So far the project has planted over 3000 such trees from Muncaster Castle to Kirkby Stephen and from Brampton to Ulverston. Although woods contain many more trees we want each tree planted by this project to have a lot of space around it – we want it to spread a large crown, be well rooted and to provide a future stepping stone in the landscape. Each tree will need to be looked after and there are a range of options available. The most secure of the protection options is a large wooded cage – the ones we make are 2m square and just under 2m high. These are expensive of course, but we want to make them highly visible so that people can see action being taken and will talk about the project. Of course not every tree needs such a large cage – and cheaper options are useful.

The idea is that we create a large number of locations across the county and try to create a network of interested people – above all we want people engaged. The loss of 500,000 ash trees in Cumbria would be sad indeed. We aim to plant a wide range of tree species in the hope that we can broaden the species mix and secure a future for our field trees. Trees such as alder, aspen, sweet chestnut, hornbeam, cherry, crab apple, oak, elm, scots pine will all have their place.

The costs of the project will be large but so far the Trust has managed to raise sufficient funds to cover its activity and we hope to do so again in 2015. **We are calling on people to come forward with potential locations for single field trees** – ideally on land they own or manage so that we know they will get looked after – and we will see what we can do to provide the resources.

Simply put, **we can help with costs and provide labour** in the right circumstances. Ideally construction of cages should be done over the summer and planting over the winter, this or next year!

Pete's telephone number is 017687 75060 – or e-mail him on peterleeson@woodlandtrust.org.uk

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, ORTON
GIFT DAYS & ANNUAL EXHIBITION
23rd 24th & 25th MAY

Our Theme this year is

LOCAL
TALENTS

Saturday & Monday, 10am. to 6pm.
Sunday, 1pm. to 6pm.

Morning Coffee & Cream Teas
served each day

Exhibition Service, SUNDAY 10.30 a.m.

For further information please
tel. 015396 24382 or contact any PCC member

SCARECROW COMPETITION
over the weekend in the village



REMINDER: SCARECROW COMPETITION 2015 'TALENTED PEOPLE'

By now many of you will have received an entry form for the Scarecrow Competition; any who haven't got one can pick up a form in the Shop or from me.

Remember:- Anyone living or owning property in Orton Parish can enter.

Scarecrows must be displayed within the perimeter of the village (i.e. within the 30 mph signs.) Anyone from outside the village, or who doesn't have a suitable place for their scarecrow, can display it on one of the grass verges. Scarecrows displayed outside this area will not be put on the map or judged.

Closing date for entries
MONDAY 11TH MAY.

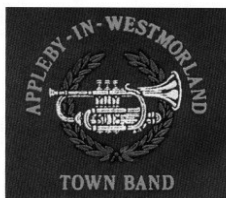
PLEASE NOTE THAT LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

Completed entries can be left at the Shop or given to any sub-committee member - Jackie, Marion, Wendy, Dot. Scarecrows to be displayed sometime on Friday evening 22nd or early Saturday 23rd. Judging will take place over the weekend, and finish by 5pm on Monday 25th. Completed forms to be returned to the church.

Prize winners will be announced, prizes given out and lists posted on Tuesday 26th.

COME ON, LET' HAVE LOTS OF ENTRIES, AND PUT ON A REALLY GOOD SHOW.

Best wishes. Jackie Huck. (015396 24266)



APPLEBY TOWN BAND

Brass Band Concert

Appleby Public Hall
7.30 p.m. Saturday 9th May

*Songs from the Shows and
Music Lively and Lyrical*

Also featuring Guest Musicians

**Wine and fruit juice
- Raffle -**

Admission £8.00 (Concessions £6.00)

For more information phone 01931 715395 or 01768 892464

Or email linda_bainbridge@hotmail.co.uk

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH ANNUAL GIFT DAY AND EXHIBITION 23rd, 24th and 25th May.

The theme chosen for this year's Exhibition is
"LOCAL TALENTS"

Can you

- create out of wood, metal or stone?
- paint or draw pictures?
- take interesting and beautiful photographs?
- make models?
- do needlework, knit or crochet?
- do embroidery or patchwork?
- Perhaps you can arrange flowers,
- or grow trees, shrubs, vegetables or flowers in tubs?
- Can you write songs, stories or poetry?
- play a musical instrument?
- read stories?
- or sing songs?

Can you demonstrate your particular skill?

We want there to be many displays around the church – each with items lovingly created by many people, children as well as adults. Maybe each person will only have offered one item – one photograph, one bit of embroidery, one model – which could be displayed on a stand with several others by different people. ***There is something YOU can do, and share with us!***

It is hoped that over the three days there will be live demonstrations and performances.

A huge amount of baking is needed over the weekend - is this your particular skill?

Whatever your talent is - it is interesting and should be in the Exhibition. You are all invited to SHARE YOUR TALENTS - SHOW THEM OFF.

A great deal of help is needed over the time of the Exhibition, not only during the three days, but setting up, staging etc., beforehand and taking it all down afterwards. Morning coffee and cream teas are available over the three days - these have to be made and served. There is a stall selling cards, cakes, bread and preserves. Can you help by supplying goods or take a turn in manning the stall?

If you feel you would like to take part, whether it is a small or large exhibit, or time and effort, please get in touch.

Telephone Angela Milburn on 015396 24382 or speak to any PCC member.

**Orton
May
Day**



**Family
Fun
Day**

Monday 4th May, 2 p.m.
on the School Playing Field, Orton
Join in with some good old fashioned games!
Bring a picnic!

Orton School News

Mrs Woodmass is Back

After a whole term of being ill, Mrs Woodmass is now back to look after and teach the children in Class 1. Mrs Woodmass loved the welcome she had. It included a lot of hugs, some huge smiles and showing of amazing work the children had done. We are all happy to see Mrs Woodmass back in school and she's happy to see us too!

By Molly & Madeleine

The Easter Service

On Monday 25th March, the whole of Orton School went to Church for our Easter service. The year 6s led the service by telling the Easter Story while in between the readings, year 5s read prayers. As well as class 4, the other classes did some Easter based dances, drawings and music playing. We all enjoyed showing people the things we'd learnt about Easter. We hope the people who came to watch enjoyed it too.

By Harriet, Megan and Sarah

The Return of Miss Cooper

Unfortunately Mrs Green is still poorly so Miss Cooper has come back to school in her Mini Cooper. Miss Cooper first taught class 2 and then she went on to teaching class 3 and class 4.

By Angelique and Oliver

Class 2 visited Raisgill Hall

On Monday the 23th of March Class 2 went to Raisgill Hall, on a farm visit. They looked at how to hold a lamb right and how to feed a baby lamb. Then they looked at the ewes and saw a new lamb being born.

By William and Kayleigh -Anne

Easter Egg Competition

On the 25th of March 2015 Orton school had an Easter egg decorating competition and the winners were:
Roman Watson—N, Eden Watson- Reception

Caitlyn Garcia—yr.1 Cristina Jenkin- yr.2

Phoebe Pickersgill -yr.3, Jenny Mounsey-yr.4

Eilidh Arkle-yr.5, Thomas Mawson-yr.6

Martha Kelly-yr.6

Harriet Wigley-yr.6

Madeline Beck-yr. 6

Molly Woodmass-yr. 6

By Eilidh and Martha.

Class 3 Residential

Before Easter class 3 went on a residential visit to Langdale YHA. They had a great time learning to work together and co-operate whilst doing lots of outdoor activities. They took turns at leading their expedition, did some scrambling, built shelters, did archery, learned how to light and cook on an open fire and did some orienteering. There was also some time for playing and exploring in the hostel grounds.

Student teachers

Student teachers Mr Knight and Miss Bristow left on the 29th March. Class 4 made a card for Mr Knight, Class 2 made a card for Miss Bristow as well. They liked it here and we enjoyed having them. Miss Bristow had a party with class 2 and Mr Knight put Easter eggs out for class 4 to go and find. Class 3 have a new student teacher, called Miss Haslam, working with them this term.

By Josh and Alex

The Music Concert

Every Tuesday Mrs Bainbridge (our music teacher) comes in to teach us a musical instrument of our choice. We have a music concert in spring so we can show people what we have been learning through the year. There were lots of different instruments playing including guitars, flutes, recorders, clarinets, a cornet and a violin. Everyone did really well and we hoped we entertained everyone who came to watch and want to give a big thank you to Mrs Bainbridge and Mrs Simpson.

By Thomas and Seb

Newbiggin-on-Lune Defibrillator Fund

"You never know when you might need one!"

3 Course Meal & Drinks

With locally sourced foods

Saturday 30th May

7.30pm

Newbiggin-on-Lune Public Hall

Raffle

Bar

Disco

Tickets only £15

Why not book a table for 4, 8 or 10 people?

Contact: Brenda Boustead 015396 23227

Or Marion Law 015396 23409



Spring/Summer 2015

Fun Fitness

Every Thursday

7.30pm-8.30pm

Landscape Photography

Saturday 16th May

1 Day Art Workshop—

Pastels - Tuesday 12th May

Dip-Dyed Scarves - Saturday 16th May

1 day Holiday French Workshop - Saturday 23rd May

Art for Improvers - Starts Tuesday 2nd June for 6 weeks

Exploring Photography Intermediate DSLR

Starts Wednesday 3rd June for 6 weeks

What courses would you like us to run?

Let us know!!

Website: shapcdc.org.uk Tel: 01931 716447

Email: cdc@shap.cumbria.sch.uk

DEFIBRILATOR

As a community the villagers of Newbiggin-on-Lune are holding a fundraiser on

Saturday 30th May

to raise money for a community defibrillator to be positioned at the Village Hall. *(Please see separate advert)*

This will be a public access defibrillator which can be accessed by anyone who calls the ambulance service, when someone is in cardiac arrest.

These are vitally important especially in a rural area where ambulance response times may be longer. They can and do save lives and we never know when we might need one.

If you would like to be part of this, or if you would like to make a donation towards the Defib; please contact Marion Law 015396 23409 for more information.

Magna Carta

The Cumbria County History Trust is hosting a lecture by David Starkey entitled

The Magna Carta 800 Years On

at the Rheged Centre on Thursday 11th June at 7 pm. The lecture will be followed by a buffet supper.

This will be a timely opportunity to discover more about the history and legacy of Magna Carta and its local connection.

David Starkey is an eminent historian whose new book about Magna Carta will be published in April.

Tickets for the lecture and supper cost £25 and are available from the Rheged Centre, Redhills, Penrith CA11 0DQ. Tel 01768 868000.

Email address: enquiries@rheged.com

Orton & Tebay Local History Society

Thursday 21st May: "The Black Settlers of Cumbria" with Susan Dench

Orton Methodist Church at 7.30 pm

Thursday 18th June: Outing to Yanworth Hall.

Meet at 7.30 p.m. at Yanworth Hall. Numbers limited; priority given to OTLHS members. Cost: donation in advance - minimum £5 per head.

Apply Mary Jenkin: 015396 24410 or

marypienkin@aol.com

Upper Eden First Responders

April Lottery results

First prize: Ken and Angela Wells, Barras

Second prize: Jane Scott, Kirkby Stephen

Third prize: Jean Leeson, Kirkby Stephen

For information contact mtyoung@btopenworld.com

Ravenstonedale

Forthcoming events Spring/Summer 2015

Saturday 2nd May

**Friends of Tarn Gill Bridge
Bonfire, Bakes and BBQ
Bangers by Tarn Gill Bridge
6pm - 9pm**

Wednesday, 6th May

**Ravenstonedale Parish
History Group AGM
High Chapel 7.30pm**

Rogation Sunday, 10th May

**Rogation Service,
Studfold, Ravenstonedale
10am (the Archdeacon
preaching)**

Monday, 18th May

**Bible Discussion Group
Manor House, Ravenstonedale
7.30pm All welcome**

Sunday, 28th June

**Friends of St Oswald's
Barbecue at Lytheside
12 noon.**

Saturday, 18th July

**Church Fete at Elm Lodge
(details to follow)**

Sunday, 29th November

**Kirkby Stephen
Silver Band Concert
St Oswald's Church
7.30pm**

RAVENSTONEDALE PARISH HISTORY GROUP

**WEDNESDAY 6th MAY
7.30 PM**

Ravenstonedale High Chapel
Community & Heritage Centre

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING NEW COMMITTEE TO BE ELECTED

All members welcome
For more information contact Val
Ferner on 01539 623693 or e-mail
history@ravenstonedale.org

Ravenstonedale Methodist Chapel Anniversary

Saturday May 9th at 7.30pm

Cousins in Common

followed by supper

Sunday May 10th

at 2.00pm and 6.30pm
Preacher Mrs Pat Staley of
Carlisle

Singing in the afternoon by
Victoria, Amy, Bethany and Leah
and in the evening Mr James Law

Please come and join us - you
will be very welcome

The Ravenstonedale Fellowship

Meetings have been held
during the winter months and
have been well attended.

In November we had Mr John
Nelson and daughter Ruth from
the Clapham area who spoke on
their work in prisons and the
outreach they offer to the
families involved.

In January the meeting was led
by Mr & Mrs W Ousby, Newbiggin
on Lune, when a varied
programme included testimonies
and a Bible quiz were shared.

For the February meeting Mr
Cecil Capstick, Kirkby Stephen
gave an interesting talk on his 60
years as a local preacher and
mentioned all the highlights
through the years.

In March we concluded with
another interesting programme
led by Mr & Mrs Preece and
family from Wray.

Mrs N Balmer

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RAVENSTONEDALE PARISH HISTORY GROUP

Come along on Thursdays—2.00pm
– 4.00pm

to High Chapel Community & Heritage Centre

(other times by arrangement)
to view

Transcribed Parish Registers
from 1650 – 1826

Poor Relief Returns for 1780,
1856, 1867, 1869 & 1871

showing occupiers and owners of
properties

Transcripts of British Newspaper
Archives reports

which mention Ravenstonedale
plus old locally collected
newspaper cuttings

Many old photos including
school photos with pupils named
AND MUCH, MUCH MORE!

For more information
Contact: Chris Elphick on 01539 620605
or Val Ferner on 01539 623693 or
e-mail history@ravenstonedale.org

Newbiggin-on-Lune

Newbiggin on Lune Methodist Chapel.

Come and join us for:-

- Sunday Services – weekly at 10.30am 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 **23033**

Coffee and Chat

The church will be open every Tuesday morning. You are welcome to pop in between 10 and 12 for coffee, cake and chat. We would love to see you every week or just once in a while. It's good to get together.

Lunch Club

The monthly lunch clubs will run through to April.

You are welcome to join us for soup, sweet and coffee at a cost of £5. A warm room, good food and plenty of chat.

LUNE SPRINGS LUNCH CLUB

Newbiggin on Lune

continues to meet on the second Monday of each month at 12.30pm, and you are welcome to join us.

Please contact Sally 23230 or
speak to Norman Ousby

Ravenstonedale Folk Dance Club

Newbiggin on Lune Village Hall

on Thursdays at 7.45pm

No experience necessary,

everyone made very welcome. £2 per night.

For more details 015396 24258.

Are you interested in
**sewing / knitting / quilting / sharing
skills and chat ?**

We meet every Tuesday 7-9pm at
Ravenstonedale High Chapel Community
Centre

Just come along
or ring Ann on 015396 23565

Newbiggin-On-Lune Public Hall AGM

Followed by general meeting
Monday 11th May 7.30pm
All welcome

Newbiggin On Lune Parent and Toddler Group

Every Friday morning (term time) 9.30am - 11.00am
in the Methodist Chapel Schoolroom

Toys and Activities for children under 5

Children over 6 months £1.50 (includes refreshments)

For more details contact

Chairperson : Frances on 01568 371669

Treasurer : Gill on 015396 26055

LUNE LADIES PLANNED PROGRAMME

6th May - Visit to Barton Grange Garden Centre
Meet at Village Hall 10.30am

3rd June - Visit Tulchan seconds shop at Cowen Bridge,
learn how to mix and match, sneaky peep at next
seasons collection; Refreshments and discount on items
purchased. Meet at village hall 1pm

1st July - Visit to Anthony Kilvington's garden at
Kirkby Stephen. admission £6 (for charity) followed by
supper at The Inn at Borough. Meet at the gardens at
4.30pm.

*Please let Carole know if you wish to come along on any
of the summer visits - Tel. 015396 23226*

Indoor Bowls evenings

Friday night is bowls night

at Newbiggin-on-Lune Village Hall

You don't need a partner.....

7.30pm start - £2.00p per night.

Why don't you join us? For any further information
please ring Joyce Allison on 017683 72990

Newbiggin-on-Lune Public Hall

Contacts:

Chairman : Anne Capstick

Tel: 015396 23447

Secretary : Marion Law

Tel: 015396 23409

Treasurer : Carl McLaughlin

Tel: 015396 23674

The Vicarage, Newbiggin-on-Lune, Kirkby Stephen

Caretaker : Anne Brownrigg

Tel: 015396 23594

**All bookings should be made with the Caretaker
All payments to the Treasurer.**



My family have stopped using the river

Dear fellow Toilet Twinner, I would like to say a huge **thank you** for being part of our mission to help flush away poverty. And I'd like to share a story from our local partner in Bangladesh.

For 60 years, Arobindu used the local pond or river whenever he needed to go to the toilet. Waterborne diseases such as diarrhoea and cholera were rife in his village, and at least three children would die every year.

One day, Toilet Twinning's local partner held a meeting in

the village to explain the link between sanitation and health. Arobindu says, 'We were taught about how we needed a latrine in order to protect river water from being contaminated.

'We realised for the first time that the community had been suffering because of going to the toilet in the open. I went home and sat with my children, and explained this to them.

'Today, I am happy to say that I have built a latrine. My family have stopped going to the toilet outside, and have begun to wash their hands with soap.'

I'm really inspired by this story, and I hope you're encouraged

too, as you see the impact of your giving.

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(St. Oswald's, Ravenstonedale, and All Saints, Orton, have both joined the **Toilet Twinning** scheme, and their church toilets are each twinned with toilets in Africa. When you use their facilities, you will see a photo of their twinned toilet!)

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Our mailing address is:

Toilet Twinning, 96 Purewell, Christchurch, Dorset BH23 1EU



Friends of Tarn Gill Bridge

This 19th century (or possibly 18th century – research ongoing...) bridge at the southern end of Ravenstonedale village (also known as Chantry Bridge) has been reprieved from demolition by the County Council as it is deemed safe for the moment, but it will be in need of repair if it is to survive for another 200 years or more.

The "Friends of Tarn Gill Bridge" have the aim of conserving the bridge for future

generations to enjoy as part of the typical scenery of our village and dale. A firm of structural engineers surveyed the bridge for us in March and we are now awaiting their report on possible methods of repair and the associated costs. We would like to thank everyone who has made a donation towards the cost of this survey.

We are now planning our first fund-raising event when, for one evening only, Tarn Gill Bridge becomes **Tarn Gill Toll Bridge**...buying a raffle ticket to cross the bridge will give you a chance of winning a raffle prize, as well as allowing you access to the refreshment area!

Bonfire, Bakes and BBQ Bangers by the Bridge is on Saturday 2nd May from 6pm till 9pm.

Please come and support us, as we celebrate the anniversary of

the first time the bridge was saved from demolition in spring 1973 and we start raising funds to conserve the bridge.

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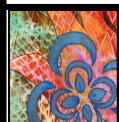
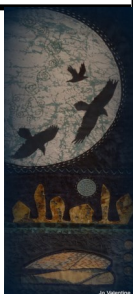
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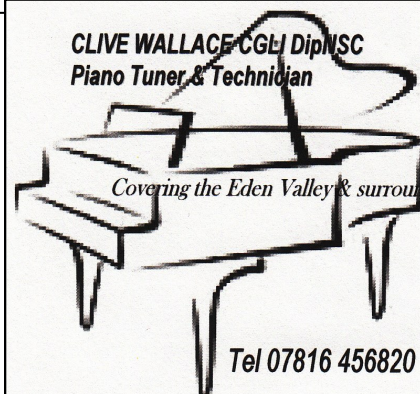
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