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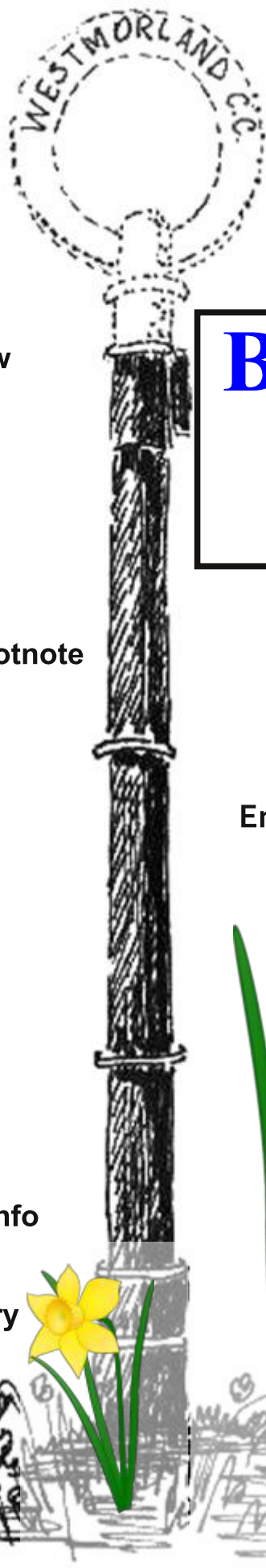
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## BURTON NEWS

**Annual Public Meeting**  
**Tuesday 17 April at 7.30pm**  
**Burton Memorial Hall**

All welcome!

# BURTON NEWS

THE VILLAGE NEWSLETTER

April 2018 Issue 279

## Annual Daffodil Show

### Sunday 15 April

Entries: 10.30am-12noon Auction: 1.30pm

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on page 11

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## Readers'

# LETTERS



Dear BN,

RE - BURTON MOREWOOD SCHOOL

May I differ about the above school celebrating 50 years. Well yes, the new building is celebrating 50 years, but Morewood School is 150 years old. Take a look at the two books written on Burton in Kendal: *Burton and Holme - In Times Past* by Anne Hyleman & Kath Hayhurst, also *Burton in Kendal, Clawthorpe and Dalton Photographic Memories*, by Kath Hayhurst.

*"According to the records The Morewood Memorial School was erected by the inhabitants of Burton in memory of Rev. Robert Morewood, vicar of Burton for 23 years."*

*"The land at BOON WALL (not Boon Walks) was bought for £50 on June 22<sup>nd</sup> 1867, the school cost £586 9s 2d to build. This school was demolished & the new one built in 1967."*

Also from Roger K Bingham's *Historical Footnote* - July 2002, just a Snippet from - *Our Old Schools*

*"Burton's current school was inaugurated on 24<sup>th</sup> September 1867 when "all that plot of land called Boon Wall (not "BOON WALKS") now in the occupation of Edward Rooks being 29 yards in breadth and 47 in length was conveyed with all appurtenances and discharged from all copyhold or customary tenure as parcels of the manor of Burton - for purposes to be applied as a site for a school for poor persons of Burton and neighbourhood."*

*The managers were required "to erect a neat comely house with out offices, conveniences and appendages as they think fit, to perpetuate the memory of Reverend Robert Morewood, M. A., late vicar of the said parish of Burton."*

Also I am sure that many Burtonians like my husband were educated there in the 1950s!! As probably did their ancestors before them.

So yes the new school building is celebrating 50 years but Burton Morewood School is celebrating 150 years.

Maybe the teachers could get the children to do some research on the school and put on a display of their finds in the school later in the year?

So which is the more important celebration?

Elaine Hindson,  
Garth House, Burton

*Editors' Note: See page 9 where an appeal is made for school memorabilia and memories for their Celebration Day in May.*



## **Dementia Friends**

**Information Session  
Speaker: Fran Stokes**

**Wednesday 25 April  
from 2pm. - 4.00pm**

**Burton Memorial Hall**

**All Welcome!**

Dear BN,

Well done Parish Council!

I understand that the Parish Council has recently agreed to support parishioners who wish to make an anonymous objection to a planning application.

I applaud the PC for this; planning applications rarely affect groups of people like Church Bank Gardens who can work together and support each other through the objection process; indeed, I remember Alyson Yates spearheading the unsuccessful application to the estate built on top of the old school field, but most applications massively impact a few households only and it is very difficult for most people to navigate their way through the alien objection process. I remember being really confused about which objections are published and which are not for example; and, although reasonably literate, found myself actually unable to understand the long and involved verbal explanations given to me when I requested the principles and rationales for such decisions.

Whatever peoples' reasons, living through this process can cause great stress and if the PC can help those who are fearful of possible repercussions when making an objection and in making the objection fit the guiding principles from SLDC then parishioners have more chance of making their views heard and not to feel they are silenced by bureaucracy and worry.

Once again, well done PC.

Hilary King  
Burton

## PC Observations...

Reporting from the  
Parish Council meeting

The 15 March meeting was a two-parter with the Annual Parish Meeting followed by the normal monthly Parish Council. Chairman Alan Wren presented an up-beat summary of the past year highlighting many good developments in the village. These included the positive response to a funding application to brighten up the centre of the village with Heritage England financial support, the expansion of the village school, the forthcoming development of the Royal Hotel site, progress at last with Cumbria Council Highways Department to clean out blocked culverts causing flooding, a revitalised Burton Recreation Trust, and the possibility of B4RN high speed broadband coming to Burton if there is local support.

The positive vibes continued into the regular PC meeting. Two representatives of the WI asked for and got council support for a new notice board to publicise Memorial Hall events. Another resident introduced the Rapid Relief Team's recent litter pick and this was warmly welcomed by councillors who advised about the village boundaries where litter is often found. Burton needs brightening up and

councillors backed an initiative to enter a Cumbria in Bloom initiative with support from the school and village societies.

Several red tape requirements failed to dampen the positive mood. Data protection requirements are getting more demanding. It is a hassle but has to be done. A risk assessment for council procedures has to be carried out and new arrangements for external auditing have to be attended to.

Finally, amongst councillors' individual reports, issues of safety of pedestrians continue to be raised. Double parking at school times, speeding cars at narrow points through the village, narrow pavements, uneven kerb stones and village lighting issues were raised. Perhaps with the new spirit of optimism amongst councillors, effective action might be taken soon? With a new spirit of local community spirit, anything is possible!

J.M.

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## The Word From

### BURTON MEMORIAL HALL

It's been a busy month at the Memorial Hall one way and another! Since the start of March we have had a most enjoyable fashion show, with outfits by Kitty Brown Boutique of Carnforth, where our four fabulous models strutted their stuff like professionals on the catwalk. They all said they'd enjoyed the experience and would do it again for us, which is great news! Along with the bar and the raffle, the show raised much-needed funds to keep the Hall going, so a huge thank you goes to everyone who helped organise and run it, and of course to Caroline and Truman at Kitty Brown for a fun evening. The following week a keen audience enjoyed another in our Nature Talks at the Hall series: a fascinating talk on limestone landscapes given by Peter Standing. Peter is a geologist and as he talked about clints and grykes, karst and karren, moraines and dolines, and the fascinatingly named kamenitzas (small water-holding holes in the limestone surface!) he kept his audience enthralled with the details (and photos) of the very special, and nationally important, landscape on our doorstep. Another big thank you to Peter for coming along, and if you missed this, be reassured that he will

be back later in the year with his Farleton Festival in September.

Now Pre-school have moved over to become part of Morewood School we have, of course, spare slots in the bookings dairy, so if you have always fancied running a class of any kind, or starting up a new group, please do get in touch with the bookings manager Helen Dawson (782277). We already have several new activities happening in the hall but more are always welcome.

#### Future Events

Our next in the series of Nature Talks at the Hall will be Bryan Yorke, whose illustrated talk on Orchids and Rare Flora of Hutton Roof promises some delightful photos as well as Bryan's humorous presentation. Thursday 26 April is the date, doors open at 7pm, talk starts at 7.30pm, and we have tea/coffee and biscuits in the interval, all for just £2.50 per person. The date in June we had planned for the Burton Ball clashes with the Burton Singers Summer Concert, so the Ball has been deferred and a new date sought. More details when we have them. On Saturday 3 November we are holding a one-day Artisan Market, this will have stalls available to artists, crafters, and to local food producers, and will be an ideal event to find unusual and interesting Christmas gifts (yes I know



  
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it's a long time off Christmas yet, but we have to start planning these events months in advance!) Anyone who is interested in having a table please drop an email to [bmh@burtonweb.org.uk](mailto:bmh@burtonweb.org.uk) or give Anne a call (781306) for more details.

Meanwhile, if you have a hour or two to spare and would like to offer some help in painting walls or doing small odd jobs round the Hall please do let us know, we're always grateful for any help given.

A.N.

## BURTON IN BLOOM

I have recently moved into Burton and love it. It's people, the community spirit, the country side and all. However, I do think it lacks a little colour. So, I am looking for interested, like-minded people from all ages and backgrounds, from groups, clubs and societies in the area that are prepared to have an input with help and ideas and advice of how we can as a community put some colour back into Burton. Please respond in the first instance by email to [chrisnolan01@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:chrisnolan01@hotmail.co.uk) with your expressions of interest and ideas.

Chris Nolan



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## LIBRARY / BOOK DROP

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14 May - book drop

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# Burton Bowling Club

Once again the new season is rapidly approaching, so I thought I would put pen to paper (fingers to keys!) and let the good folk of Burton know what is going on at the club.

In the Kendal and District League we have 2 teams which, for the first time in the club's history, will be playing in the same division, and therefore this year will see the first Burton derby match.

Both the Morecambe League and the Rural League teams had solid seasons, and start this campaign with a view to building on last year.

As is customary at this time of year, I would like to invite anyone who has ever considered 'Giving it a go' to come along to the club on a Monday evening and 'give it a go!'

This year promises to be an exciting year at the club as all our teams have realistic chances of promotion in their respective leagues.

## Upcoming home fixtures - Bowls

### Kendal & District League

3 April - Burton 'A' v Burton 'B'  
10 April - Burton 'B' v Arnside 'A'  
17 April - Burton 'A' v Subscription 'A'

24 April - Burton 'B' v Netherfield 'C'  
1 May - Burton 'A' v Allithwaite 'A'

### Morecambe League

2 May - Burton v Quernmore 'A'

Carl Dobson,  
On behalf of the committee



## BURTON-IN-KENDAL ART & CRAFT SOCIETY

**Annual Exhibition**  
**Saturday 19 and Sunday 20 May**  
**10am - 4pm both days**

Entries are invited for both the Art and Craft sections of the Exhibition.

**Art** - all work must be original (no prints).

**Craft** - there is a limited number of craft tables, all craft items must be hand made by the exhibitor and be of a high standard. Art and Craft entries must not have been previously exhibited at Burton. For an entry form for either Art or Craft entries please contact Paula Firth (781984) or Kath Hayhurst (781613).

**The closing date for entries is Friday 11 May.**

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## Burton Morewood School

We had an amazing day on Thursday 1 March – World Book Day. We each chose a character from a book and had a lot of fun creating our costumes to wear to school. Our costumes ranged from The Hungry Caterpillar, Legolas from Lord of the Rings to Flat Stanley. Gill from our village shop kindly supported our day, judging our costumes – thank you Gill.



*A fantastic turn out for World Book Day*

Reception are continuing to improve their numeracy. They are currently enjoying a Creative Week, along with KS1 with activities including making boats and aeroplanes, building structures and lots of Literacy, Numeracy, Art and PE challenges.

Year 1 have been learning about plants and life cycles, and have planted peas and potatoes.

Persuasive writing has been Year 2's focus in Literacy. They have written letters to Mr. Wilson seeking permission for a school trip – let's hope it works! They have been working hard to improve their multiplication work and spellings.

Year 3's topic is the Seven Wonders of the World. In Literacy they have been working on Instruction writing and in Numeracy they have been working hard on fractions. Internet safety has been a very interesting lesson.

Year 4 have been having fun with Battleships using their knowledge of co-ordinates. Roman Numerals have been introduced in Numeracy and in Science they have enjoyed looking at circuits. Aboriginal Art has been introduced in their Art lessons.

Year 5's Numeracy has been focussing on multiplication and division strategies. In Science they have been learning about Forces. In their music lessons they have been enjoying some Jazz!

Years 5 and 6 entered the Dallam Key Steps Gymnastic competition at Cartmel and came second in the KS2 stage – well done! They also enjoyed a joint visit to Kirkbie Kendal School to attend a musical performance by the Sirocco Winds quintet.

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Years 5 and 6 had a soggy but very interesting trip to the Holme Park Quarry Nature Reserve, studying land use and settlements. After much walking and slightly damp sandwiches, they ended the day exploring the



*Burton Morewood School children enjoying their visit to Holme Park Quarry*

diggers and machinery, and witnessed a supervised blast!!!

A huge thank you to the quarry staff for being so brilliant!

In Science Year 6 have been working on parallel and series circuits. We used our circuit skills to incorporate them into various constructions from houses to football stadiums. In Literacy we have been focussing on leaflets and their use of persuasive writing. We enjoyed a Lacrosse afternoon at Dallam, competing against local primary schools.

Florence, Amy G, Oliver, Ruby C and Neve – Year 6

## **Village School Celebration Day**

On Friday 25 May, we will be holding a Celebration Day, to celebrate the opening of our new Nursery building and the "Journey" our school has been on, since Burton Morewood opened.

We would be delighted to hear from members of the community who have photos and memorabilia, or have an interesting story to tell, from the school's past.

We hope to welcome you all back into school to join our celebrations. Please drop off any contributions to the school office, with items clearly marked for their return. Look out of further details in the May edition of *Burton News*.

# ANNUAL DAFFODIL SHOW

As winter draws to a close and hopefully we see the last of the snow thoughts turn to Spring and nothing epitomises Spring more than daffodils. This year we have changed the date of the Daffodil Show in order to let the organisers and guiding helpers have valuable time with their families, but we hope you will still support our village Rainbows, Brownies and Guides at the Annual Daffodil Show at the King's Arms on Sunday 15 April.

This Show raises much-needed funds to help the girls to get the most out of their meetings and helps the volunteers that run the sessions to make them varied and interesting, and the money helps to put on a special trip at the end of the year at a much-reduced rate to make it affordable for all.

This year the Daffodil Show is on the last weekend of the Easter Holidays so hopefully you can keep the kids busy and entertained crafting and creating some entries for the children's classes, which are for up to Yr 2 and Yrs 3 – 6.

There are open classes for everyone and, if you've not entered before now, why not have a go and show us what you are capable of either from the garden or the kitchen.

If you're not a budding Monty Don or Mary Berry then why not come down and get yourself a bargain by supporting the Auction of Promises where we have a good selection of lots and, as always, we are on the lookout, and most grateful, for anything else we can add to our lots, no matter how small, it all goes towards the total raised. If you have anything to offer for the auction or raffle, please contact Neil on 07805 497885.

You can enter classes between 10.30am - 12 noon, and the auction commences at 1.30pm.

Looking forward to seeing you all on the 15 April to have some fun and to raise vital funds in the process.

The Daffodil Show Committee

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## BURTON W.I.

At their March Meeting the members of Burton WI very much enjoyed John Falkingham's very informative and interesting talk, accompanied by his wonderful photographs, entitled 'Burma Revealed'.

The competition for a 'holiday souvenir' was won by Stephanie Micklethwaite with Eileen Kirby second. Raffle prizes were won by Chris Metcalfe, Margaret Sayers and Eileen.

At their next meeting on Thursday 12 April John Mounsey will be speaking about Wildlife in our Gardens. The Competition will be for A Bird Ornament.

**The Daffodil Show  
Sunday 15 April  
Kings Arms**



**Holme & District  
Local History Society**

**Outing 2018**

**Open classes**

1. One Daffodil
2. Three Daffodils
3. Nine Daffodils
4. Pot Plant
5. Six Sticks of Rhubarb
6. 3 Eggs
7. Decorated Easter Cake
8. 6 Scones
9. 6 Homemade Sausage Rolls
10. Tray Bake
11. Fruit Pie
12. Loaf of Homemade Bread
13. A plate of Chocolate Brownies
14. A Lemon Drizzle Cake
15. Jar of homemade Jam + Taster Pot



This year the outing is to Liverpool for "The First Emperor and Terracotta Army Exhibition". It will take place on Wednesday 20 June, pick up is at 8.45am from outside Burton Memorial Hall.

We call at Barton Grange for refreshment before proceeding onto Liverpool for the Exhibition. Following lunch we will then go to Sudley House Museum before returning home.

Whilst the coach and exhibition are booked, the World Museum where the exhibition is being held, is still to confirm prices. I anticipate the cost of the trip will be around £30 per person, but I will confirm once I have more details.

Anyone interested in coming should contact John Brown on 01524 782066, please leave a message on the answerphone if there is no reply.

**Children's Classes up to Yr 2 & Yrs 3 - 6**

1. A Picture of your Favourite Animal
2. A Decorated Hard Boiled Egg
3. 4 Jam Tarts

**Also classes for Rainbows,  
Brownies & Guides**

J.B.

**Entries MUST be in 10.30am - 12 noon  
Auction starts at 1.30pm**

**God and a Pint**

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**Thursday 26 April at 7.30pm**

*More info from Graham Burrows  
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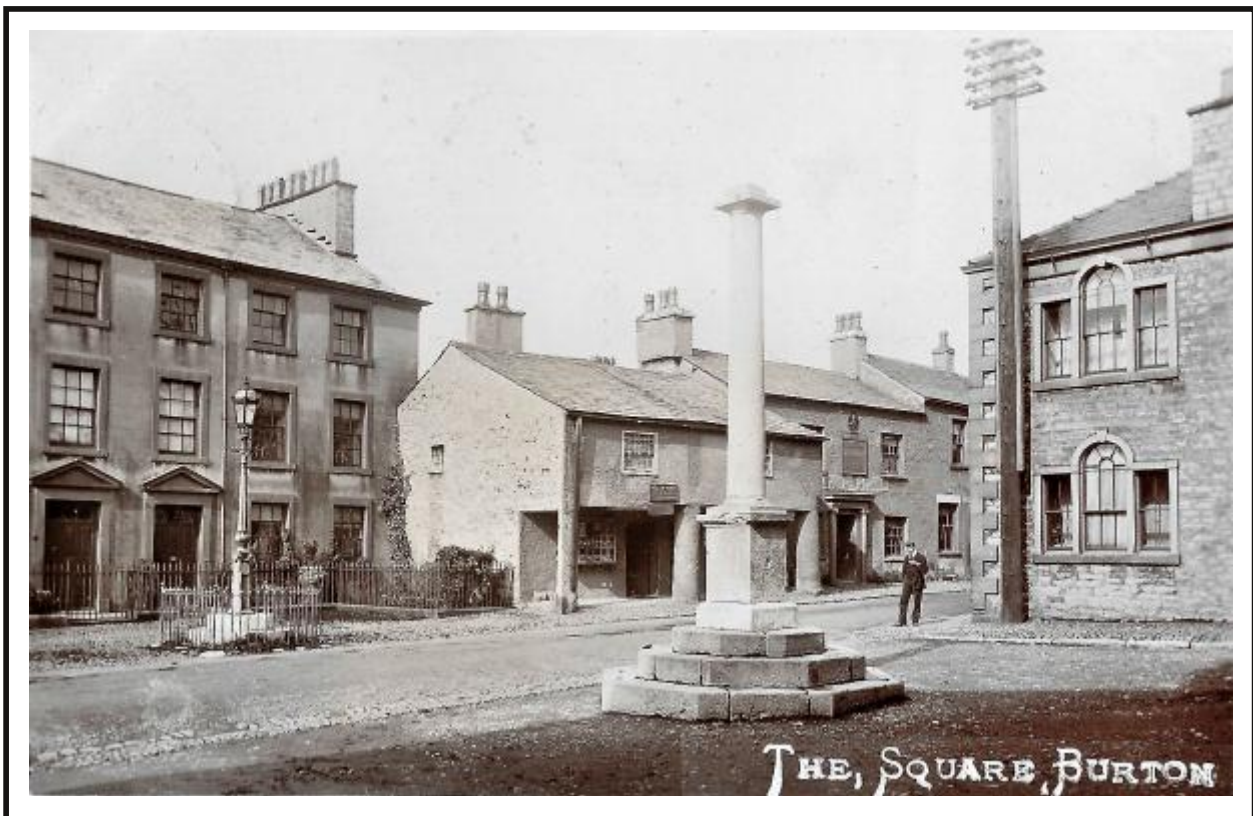
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Thank you to Beverley Walker who sent us a copy of this image she found recently, she believes it dates from c.1916, and shows the railings which used to surround the lamp-post and houses in the The Square.

## B4RN Hyperfast Broadband for Burton



We are holding a Burton Broadband for the Rural North (B4RN) community meeting in the Memorial Hall on

Wednesday 18 April between 7pm and 9pm, all Burton residents are welcome.

Dave Ryall from B4RN will be giving a presentation and B4RN champions from other parishes will be attending to answer any questions we may have. This is our chance as a community to find out about B4RN and work out the best way to implement the service in Burton.

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## VICAR'S LETTER...

### A new theory of everything

Imagine a world where it is possible to win the battle against weeds in the lawn and brambles in the hedge.

Imagine a world where buildings and bridges can go up that will never collapse, where planes don't fall out of the sky, where plans succeed and crops are healthy; where work is never futile.

Imagine a world where governments always serve, where power is not abused, where the things that "must never happen again" never happen again.

Imagine a world where wrong-doing is never ignored, where those who destroy families or raid bank accounts or selfishly crush other people have nowhere to hide.

Imagine a world where my guilt for the things I have done can be brought into the open, faced, atoned for; where the mess I have made of my life can be untangled and re-worked like new.

Imagine a world where people never hear devastating news from doctors, where life does not become harder and harder as the years advance, where

death is not an invincible enemy.

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Imagine if we lived in a world where, even just once, a dead man had lived again, with a new kind of body that would never weaken, age or die.

Imagine the glimmer of solid hope that might be to us!

Happy Easter!  
Sincerely  
Graham Burrows

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# HISTORICAL FOOTNOTE

by Roger Bingham

## BURTON NEWS IN 1968 50 YEARS AGO

### JANUARY

A drizzly New Year was made gloomier by a dire economic out-look following the devaluation of the pound the previous October. But the January Sales had cheerful 'offers' like "Twin Pack toilet Rolls 1/3; Hoovermatic Twin Tub Washing Machines 73 guineas; Ladies' Car Coats 99/6 - and from 'Burton Garage' Hillman Imp car £395 and a Ford Cortina £435." Building began on the M6 Lancaster to Penrith extension. A workers' camp was set up at Clawthorpe. A prisoner 'escaped' from Bela River 'Open Prison' - a day before he was to be released because 'he wanted to be caught so that he could be sent back.'

### FEBRUARY

As the 1967 Foot and Mouth Epidemic had abated dogs and cats would be allowed to go out, but in any case they did not carry the disease. The agricultural community was shocked by the sudden death, at the age of 52, of Mr J Park of Deerslet Farm.

### MARCH

Mid-week Holy Communion services were held in Lent, when the sermon theme was 'The Church's Message' and Gospel Hymns were sung. It was reported that the body of 80 year old Mrs Stephenson, formerly of Reader House, was cremated at the newly opened Lancaster Crematorium. Westmorland County Council rejected a proposal to provide a crematorium near Kendal, at an estimated cost of £70,000, as 'it would be an unnecessary luxury.'

### APRIL

'Noah's Ark like floods' devastated the area. Following protests about inaction Westmorland County Council paid their 'workmen' overtime to clear up the mess. The local MP, Michael Jopling, delivered to the government a petition with 5,100 signatures against the threats to sever the canal by building the M6. Mrs Heaton held a coffee morning for Cancer Relief at Dalton Hall, and Rev G Langham held a well-attended Communion service on Maundy Thursday.

### MAY

Mr J Hayhurst, Chairman of the building committee, announce a five year plan to extend the ten year old Memorial Hall to provide a billiards room and changing accommodation. Half the £10,000 cost

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would come from grants - the rest would have to be raised. An 18 year old girl was fined 10 shillings for dangerous cycling on Dalton Lane where her 'man's bike' hit a stationary car.

**JUNE**

A well-known Burton Change Bell ringer, Mr G Braithwaite, died aged 61. A recently formed Flower Arranging Club held a floral art display of 45 exhibits in the Memorial Hall in aid of the building fund. It was announced that Main Street would be closed for six weeks in the autumn so that a new surface required by the heavy motorway construction vehicles could be laid down. 38 pupils and their teachers enjoyed Morewood School's annual excursion which took them, via Penrith and Alston, to Newcastle where they viewed shipping in the docks before going onto Whitley Bay for tea.

**JULY**

It was the driest summer since 1951. Many villagers went to see Al Read and Lonny Donnegan on at The Winter Gardens, Morecambe - tickets 5s, dress circle 10s - upper circle 5s. The police introduced Radar Speed Traps which, in the first week, caught three drivers on Hale Moss.

**AUGUST**

A Jumble Sale raised £12 for the

Church Bazaar materials fund - 'examples of needlework and Christmas cards to be sold at the December event were displayed.' A culvert to take the Gatebeck-Burton stretch of the Thirlmere aqueduct pipeline under the motorway site was excavated.

**SEPTEMBER**

Scott, Wilson, Kirkpatrick and Partners, contractors for the Lancaster to Penrith section of the M6, announced the motorway's specifications. There would be 36 miles of dual carriageway, four miles of slip roads (a newly coined term), 14 bridges, 22 reinforced concrete culverts, a 13 feet wide central reservations and 10 feet wide verges, although parking would be prohibited.

**OCTOBER**

During the angriest village event of the year there was uproar when 80 year old Mrs Stephenson and her son were given eight days notice to quit as tenants of the former Globe Inn in Main Street. An adjacent property had been demolished which threatened the stability of the structure. A protest meeting was held in the Memorial Hall when fears that other properties would be pulled down were voiced but the Globe structure survived.

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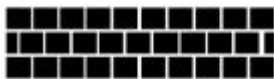
The final phase to build three- and four-bedroom bungalows on Mowbray Drive was advertised. The Mother's Union went on a coach tour to Longridge, the Trough of Bowland and to Garstang 'where tea was taken. The return journey was through Lancaster on the A6.' A £67,000 extension was opened at Queen Elizabeth Grammar School, Kirkby Lonsdale to replace 44-year old 'temporary class rooms.'

## DECEMBER

A competition, which attracted 120 entries, for a name for the new stretch of the M6 was won by Mrs Rigg of Kendal with the choice of 'Westmorland Highway.' During the closure of Main Street, photographs appeared in the Westmorland Gazette showing bus crews escorting passengers through the rubble to reach a duplicate bus on the other side of the road works. In the event the re-surfacing was completed six days earlier than expected. A correspondent to the Gazette complimented the workers on their efficiency and good humour when 'bad temper has been conspicuous by its absence.'

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Big Kids Day Out is been held on the 19 May. This will be at Borwick Hall again after a very successful visit there last year. The children that went really enjoyed the experience and we hope to see lots of big kids there again this time. We are asking for a £5 contribution towards the day and for your child to bring a packed lunch.

The £5 deposit and big kids name needs to be given to Nicola Stephens on 07786 156648 by 12 May. Let's encourage a good turn out as this is one of the events we fundraise for!

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## INCIDENTS OF NOTE

Within the area that your Parish falls, during the last month there have been 27 incidents reported, resulting in 3 crimes being submitted.

Incidents with community impact or of interest locally were:

21 February, A works van broken into overnight and tools stolen.

Others:

8 March, Female assaulted at Home address in Kirkby Lonsdale and keys for Jewellers taken by three males, enquiries on-going.

We have also had reports again of doorstep sellers in the area, should anyone have concerns about any cold callers at their address please contact Police on 101 and get them checked out.

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It's been a lovely day today (20 March) and I guess Vernal Equinox has come round again and for once it's sunny! So let's hope things are beginning to get better, it's been a crazy month with the weather, and subsequently the wildlife have obviously been on a roller coaster with strong winds, heavy rains, plenty of snow and everything else in between.

At the beginning of March there were plenty of displaced Teewits (Lapwings) about and they were reported from the back of Dalton Business Centre, also I had them at the field opposite the Old Station Inn (now rebuilt into a large dwelling) and what we think may have been the same birds were seen again in the fields opposite Church Bank, also spending time in Curwen Wood Park. More were also reported from Hilderstone.

Also at the beginning of the month we had lots of reports of Fieldfare around with a party of at least 100 in Curwen Wood Park, also individuals or small parties were recorded from both Vicarage Close stripping some rowan berries, and also an individual feeding in a garden on Morewood Drive. Also a party of about twenty birds reported from Dalton hamlet. Also had some nice reports of a 200 party heading north over Burton and also some in the fields at Hilderstone (records via Reg).

The Yellowhammers are still visiting Reg's garden up on Morewood Drive on a daily basis.

Song Thrushes are singing on their territory but most have been a little subdued because of the weather, the same situation has occurred with our territorial Skylarks, although after saying that things began to spring back to normal today (20 March), I had several on territory and singing on Holme Park Fell.

I was wondering if we have had a "fall" of Stonechats I had up to five in upper Dalton Crag on 13 March with a further two seen the following day on Holme Park Fell, normally we would only have our resident overwintering pair on Dalton Crag. Also had a large party of up to 30 Meadow Pipits crossing over Holme Park Fell and heading out to the NW on the same day as the Stonechats.

Sand Martins were seen at Leighton Moss on 15 March and a possible Swallow was crossing Holme Stinted Pastures on 19 March. A Wheatear was reported back at Ocean Edge foreshore at Heysham on 16 March, and also up to five Chiffchaffs were reported on the same day down at Middleton Nature Reserve nr. Heysham.

Further afield flocks of up to 700 Hawfinches have been reported down in Surrey.

Please be on the look out for "Herds of Whiteness" (Whooper Swans) passing over Burton heading north, which they normally do anytime between the 18 March and the first week in April.

This next month should see our Swallows coming in good numbers from about the end of the first week and peaking towards the third week of April. Our House Martins can be a little later than the Swallows, and our Swifts should be back with us from anytime



from the last few days in April, but usually about the first week in May. Also in April we will get our Chiffchaffs and Willow Warblers and Blackcaps, and towards the end of the month we should start to see our Garden Warblers and Tree Pipits. From mid-April it is always worth checking out upper Dalton Crag for the "big" Wheatear (Northern Greenland "leucorhæa" group) which may stop off for a day or two to feed up and break their long journey to Iceland or Greenland (or even the Faroe Islands). And also in the last week of April (but usually 1 May) we may get our Cuckoos back in Dalton Crag.

Hutton Roof's beautiful sweet smelling Daphne Mezereum is going to be late this year, and is expected to flower around the end of the first week in April, and so I have already got a visit booked in my diary. Also I have been checking out lots of Early Purple Orchid

rosettes at the top of Lancelot Clark Storth now beginning to show and hopefully we should have yet another good show anytime from the middle of April onwards.

I have been invited to give my presentation "Orchids and Rare flora of Hutton Roof" at the Memorial Hall at 7.30pm on Thursday 26 April. I am hoping to show some lovely orchid photos along with several showing the rare hybrid and the many varieties we have up on Hutton Roof which are of national importance. I am sure if you are interested in the flora of our local area you would enjoy this, so please come along on the night, it would be great to see you and you would also be helping to support our Memorial Hall funds.

Bryan Yorke  
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# Roger Reports...

## From the County & District Councils

Having suffered more than most South Lakeland places during the November floods our area got off relatively lightly during the unprecedented (for early March) "Beast from the East" cold spell. Accordingly, I was not snowed under with complaints. Unlike during the floods, the county website provided regularly summaries and at least the main roads were gritted day and night. But please let me know of any problems or suggested improvements.

I reported the Cumbria County Council and the Police and Crime tax budgets last month. On 27 February, South Lakeland was the last Council to fix its budget. SLDC's Net Revenue for 2018/19 of £12,931,100 included a rise for Band D properties of 2.7% of £5. Also, the Precept for parish council schemes, such as play grounds and extra village maintenance, were approved. Burton's precept is a slight reduction on last year of - 80% and will amount to £28 pa for a Band D property. Comparative local parish Band D precepts are: - for Holme £35, Hutton Roof £34, Milnthorpe £37 and Heversham £29.

The Budget papers also illustrated the

diversity and costs of the district's services like 'Noise Air Water Pollution' £256,000, Lake Windermere £328,000, Street Cleansing £280,000 and Car Parking £66,000. £8,000 was also allocated for 'Dogs' which, as we do not have Dog Wardens patrolling our streets, I understand, includes the cost of caring for stray dogs. Even so, owners who reclaim their strays can be charged £25 per day for kennelling but, (and I've not yet found out why), 'the total minimum charge' is £144.

At the same Budget meeting, after long debates, we unanimously approval schemes to reduce plastic waste and, with strong all party support, for cancer radio therapy treatment at Westmorland General Hospital. As a member of the Police and Crime Panel, I was involved in choosing Mrs Michelle Skeer as Cumbria's Chief Constable, who was formerly the Deputy Chief constable.

Finally, there is a campaign to reduce road signs which according to The Times 'have doubled in 20 years, wasting money and confusing motorists'. Having myself, obtained grants and otherwise supported a welter of No HGV, speed limit including Smiley, school and other signs for around Burton, please let me know of any you think are unnecessary.

Happy Easter, Roger

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Our March Saturday walk, led by Helena Nixon, was a circuit of Rydal Water and Grasmere starting from Ambleside. From Rothay Bridge we followed the river and then the main road to reach the south shore of Rydal

water, where a heavy snow shower kept us moving. At the start of Loughrigg Terrace we sheltered by a wall to celebrate the remarkable achievement of the leader's birthday with cake and wine. In broken sunshine, the walk continued along Loughrigg Terrace, through Red Bank Wood to Grasmere and on to Dove Cottage following the lane to White Moss Common. We stopped for lunch beside Dunney Beck where a sharp snow shower prompted departure for Rydal along the Coffin Route. An uncontrolled dog was observed chasing a sheep with a frantic owner trying (without any obvious success) to recapture it, reminding us all of what can happen unless dogs are closely controlled. The cafe in Rydal Hall was visited for a very welcome tea stop, and then the Rydal Hall estate road followed to return to Ambleside to complete a satisfying ten mile walk.

John Jones

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After performing in Warton from 9 - 12 May we are at The Heron Theatre on 18 - 19 May. The play is dedicated to the memory of my sister, Louise. Please come, you won't regret it.

Marion Plowright

It is a little known fact (unless you are an avid reader of pub menus) that the poet John Keats came through Burton 200 years ago, and stopped at the King's Arms on his way to see his friend William Wordsworth. It had been a long walk and Burton's pub provided a welcome, if rather crowded break. When we discovered over a drink on a dark winter's night that this anniversary was approaching (we do like to read a pub menu!) we decided the moment should be marked.

Therefore we have planned a little festival in June and we'd like to invite you to be part of it. Working with the Wordsworth Trust, we are planning to hold a poetry day in Burton Morewood School on the week beginning 18 June. We will also be staging a short play in the King's Arms on the evenings of 21 and 22 June where you can find out about the poet's journey as well as little about his life and times. It will be fun to celebrate the 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary of a celebrity visiting the village over a pint or two, and we hope you will support it - more details will follow closer to the day.

Marion Plowright and Kirstie Pelling

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Our family has recently become involved with the Silverdale branch of a charity called "Friends of Chernobyl's Children". The charity organise respite care for children from Belaruse whose lives are still affected by the Chernobyl disaster. Host families look after children aged 7 - 12 years and give them fresh air, healthy food and good fun for one month every year for 5 years. Last year we had two 7 year olds come and stay with us and they will be coming back again, along with 10 other children, in June this year. These children are from very deprived backgrounds and they arrive in extremely poor condition; malnourished and literally in the clothes they stand up in. They stay with families in and around the Silverdale area including Burton, Yealand and Carnforth.

I would like to make three appeals:

Firstly: to those who have internet access, please just take 5 minutes or so to visit [www.focc.org.uk/](http://www.focc.org.uk/) and have a look at the work of the charity.

Secondly: to those who have children of a similar age, please have a look for any unwanted good quality clothing which you could donate to the children.

We can not take jumble nor do we want mountains of old baby clothes or dressing up clothes; just clean, good quality, practical everyday clothes and shoes for the children to wear while they are here or winter shoes and coats for them to take home. Please contact me at the number below to arrange collection / drop off of clothing.

Finally: the charity are always looking for new families to host children. Most families take one child and usually have their own children of a similar age, but anyone is welcomed to come and get involved. Day care is provided every week day allowing families to get on with normal routines. Please get in touch at the number below if you feel you could help out by in any way from hosting children to baking cakes for coffee mornings or for packed lunches during their stay.

Ruth and Adrian Moore, 01524 781114

## PLANT POTS WANTED!

Can anyone help with medium sized flower pots (1 litre up) for our charity plant stall please? They can either be dropped at Pear Tree Cottage, Dalton, or we will be happy to collect.

Linda Greening, 01524 781624

### Having a Clear Out?

We buy old wooden ladders, galvanised buckets baths and tubs, leather bags, old suitcases, travel trunks, hat and coat stands, old wire baskets old kitchenalia, old wooden crates and boxes small items of old wooden furniture

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email: eigerbird@hotmail.co.uk

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07855 202124



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**Tannery Art Studio  
Open Studio Easter Event  
Tuesday 3 April 4pm -7pm  
Wednesday 4 April 10am - 1pm**

Selection of hand-crafted cards & computer mouse mats using or featuring original artwork

Also featuring a popup shop selling ranges of fashion, and costume and chic designer jewellery, and accessories

Refreshments available upstairs

10% of any monies raised will go to the Gardening for the Disabled Trust

The Tannery, Tanpits Lane  
Burton LA6 1HZ

[www.facebook.com/TanneryArtStudio](http://www.facebook.com/TanneryArtStudio)



*Nature Talks at the Hall*

**Thursday 26th April**  
7.30pm in the  
Burton Memorial Hall

**Orchids & Rare Flora  
of Hutton Roof**

**Bryan Yorke**

Blog author, illustrator, poet & naturalist



Nature Talks at the Hall are in aid of Hall funds. Burton Memorial Hall is a charity registered in England & Wales, no. 552018

**£2.50 incl. tea & biscuits**  
in aid of Hall funds

# Editorial

## What a Whopper!

This issue, we mean. We have had so much copy this month we've had to add another four pages to our usual layout, so this month you have 36 pages of Burton News to enjoy!

## Making Things Work Better

You might recall we did a survey at the backend of last year, and despite not getting a huge response, one of the issues which was flagged up was that the website was not mobile user / smartphone friendly, so we've been making some improvements and it seems to be a lot friendlier now. Please do try it out and let us know if you find any oddities that we've missed, it's been tested on smartphones, tablets, laptops and desktops, but there might be some odd configuration that causes a hiccup so do let us know if you find one.

## Parking Problems

We've received a few comments (not for direct publication, but just so we know) about parking issues in the village. They are mainly about parking on pavements or blocking peoples' drives. Please do think about pedestrians trying to get past when you park. It's no fun trying to cope with blocked pavements when you're pushing a buggy or a wheelchair, or walking with a stick. We'd hate to see anyone hurt as a result of thoughtless parking, and the Police did mention in their report in Feb this year that they are taking action against people who do it, so isn't it better to be safe all round than prosecuted or run over.

*Anne & Barry*



## What's On at the Heron Theatre Beetham

Registered Charity No. 501134

### EXHIBITION:

**Fri 9 March to Sat 14 April**

#### **ONE STEP ON - West Lancashire**

ONE STEP ON is a group of 10 Lancashire textile artists who meet to share their love of embroidery and textile art. The current theme for our work is 'Passage of Time' which is interpreted in many different ways, using many different textiles techniques. Most, but not all, of the work is for sale. This exhibition is a small sample of our work. Please visit our website at [Onestepon.co.uk](http://Onestepon.co.uk) for further information.

**Friday 6 April 7.30pm**

#### **FILM: The Lunchbox (2014) [15] 105 mins** (English | Hindi - Subtitled)

Director: Ritesh Batra

Cast: Irrfan Khan, Nimrat Kaur, Nawazuddin Siddiqui

A middle-class Mumbai housewife tries to add some spice to her marriage through her cooking and hopes that a new recipe will get some response from her neglectful husband. She prepares a lunch box to be delivered to him at work but it is mistakenly delivered to another office worker, a lonely man on

the verge of retirement. The next day she puts a note in the lunchbox and this begins a friendship between the two strangers conducted entirely via the lunchbox notes.

**Thur 12, Fri 13, Sat 14 April at 7.30pm**

#### **DRAMA: DI AND VIV AND ROSE**

Spanning 30 dramatic years, Di and Viv and Rose is a funny, moving and endearing story of three women who meet at university in the 80s. We follow them from a student house, with a passionate belief in a world of opportunities, to the present day; through the ups and inevitable downs, stretching their relationships with each other to a near breaking point.

**Tuesday 17 April 7.30pm**

#### **FILM: The Salesman (2016) [12A] 123 mins** (Persian | English - Subtitled)

Director: Asghar Farhadi

Cast: Taraneh Alidoosti, Shahab Hosseini, Babak Karimi

A young Iranian couple are forced to leave their apartment due to the cracks appearing in the walls caused by a nearby construction project. They move to Tehran where they become embroiled in a life-changing situation involving a previous mysterious tenant. They are both actors and are attempting to put on a small-scale production of Arthur Miller's "Death of a Salesman" at the same time as



Come and join us on Tuesday mornings  
from 9.30am to 11am in  
Burton Memorial Hall

and experience the benefits of Yoga:

**A happy and healthy body, mind and breath**

**No previous experience necessary**

For further details, please contact

**Tina (British Wheel of Yoga Teacher)**

**Tel: 01524 782177 / 07813 481792**

**[tinafoxwell3@gmail.com](mailto:tinafoxwell3@gmail.com)**

## THE FAIRBANK SOCIETY

Fairbank, Kirkby Lonsdale. LA6 2BD

**Supported Housing  
for Independent People**

For information contact

**Susan Stoddard – 01524 271077**

[manager@fairbanksociety.com](mailto:manager@fairbanksociety.com)

[www.fairbanksociety.com](http://www.fairbanksociety.com)

everything else that is happening to them. This won the best foreign film at the Oscars 2017 (a second time for Farhad)

**Friday 27 April 7.30pm**  
**DRAMA: JUST AN ORDINARY LAWYER** by Tayo Aluko

Just An Ordinary Lawyer tells the story of Nigerian Tunji Sowande, as he quietly breaks through multiple barriers to become Britain's first Black judge in 1978. Also a fine concert singer and keen cricket lover, he muses on international politics and history as they affect the Black world from Africa to the USA and Britain, from the point of view of one who would rather watch sports, and spread love and peace through the medium of song. Recalling heroic sporting achievements alongside epoch-defining political events.

**Sunday 29 April 2.30pm**  
**MUSIC: GASKELL STRING QUARTET**

This an ensemble which has quickly made its mark on the Manchester music scene. As winners of the Schubert Prize and Hirsch Prize for the performance of Beethoven, they have been awarded a place in the final of the Chris Rowland Chamber Ensemble of the Year competition for high quality chamber music at the Royal Northern College of Music.

**Theatre & Music:**  
**Non-members - £12**  
**Members - £10 U18s - £5**  
**Film - £5**

**Doors open 6.45pm. Shows start 7.30pm.**  
**24 hour booking: tel: 015395 64283**  
**book online: [www.theherontheatre.com](http://www.theherontheatre.com)**  
**or pay at the door**

**Annual Gift Subscriptions**

If you know of anyone who may like to receive BN regularly each month, why not buy them an Annual Gift Subscription? For £12 within the UK they will receive a copy of BN each month (11 copies per year). A great way for family, friends and former residents to keep in touch with what's happening here in Burton. Anyone interested should contact BN at the address in the box on page 2.



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**CINDERBARROW MINIATURE RAILWAY**



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**10.30am - 12.30pm & 1.15pm - 3.45pm**

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Remedial and beauty therapies including

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**01524 762539 or 07881 667470**

[www.naturalhealthandbeautyclinic.co.uk](http://www.naturalhealthandbeautyclinic.co.uk)





## Holme & District Photographic Society Meetings

*Winners of the South Lakes Knockout  
Competition, 2012, 2013 and 2014*

**Friday 6 April Lecture**  
Street Photography  
Speaker: Alf Myers

**Friday 13 April**  
Annual General Meeting  
Prints, and Dpi show

**Sat 12 & Sun 13 May 10am - 4pm**  
Exhibition at the  
CUMBRIA PHOTOGRAPHY SHOW  
at Rheged Centre, Penrith

All meetings start at 7.45pm  
Burton Memorial Hall  
unless otherwise stated

*For more information visit  
www.holmeps.co.uk or call  
01539 564345 / 01524 241964*



## Holme & District Local History Society

### The Cumbrian Monasteries

**Speaker: Harry Hawkins**  
Burton Memorial Hall

**Monday 16 April 7.30pm**

Membership £12 p.a. 8 meetings & 4 outings  
Contact Dorothy Spencer, 781540

Visitors welcome at indoor meetings £2

<http://localhistory.burtonweb.org.uk>

### BORWICK & PRIEST HUTTON GARDENERS' CLUB

**The Scented Garden**

**Speakers: Sue Gillon & Marguerite Hughes**

**Tuesday 24 April 7.30pm**

Borwick & Priest Hutton Memorial Hall

For more information please contact  
Diane Sunderland on 01524 782111

### Arts Society Lunesdale

*Formerly the Lunesdale Decorative & Fine Arts Society*

### Romanticism and Painting

**Speaker: Will Vaughan**

**Tuesday 17 April at 2.15pm**

Borwick and Priest Hutton Memorial Hall



### Burton Independent Art



**Thursday Mornings  
is taking a break**

*More information from  
Judith Ellis 781057*

### Holme & District Flower Club



### A Journey's Tale

**Speaker: Namine Sianga**  
**Monday 9 April at 7.30pm**

Preston Patrick Memorial Hall

Please contact Carol on 015395 61454  
(evenings) or Dot on 01524 781492



## Burton in Kendal Art & Craft Society

**14<sup>th</sup> Annual Art & Craft Exhibition**  
**Saturday 19 & Sunday 20 May**  
10am - 4pm at  
Burton Memorial Hall

### Friday Art Group

Friday 9.30 am - 12 noon ~ £3  
Club Room BMH

### Monday Craft Group

Second Monday of every month

**9 April**  
**1.30pm - 4.00pm ~ £3**  
Club Room BMH

### Contact for Info:

Paula Firth, tel: 781984  
Subscription £10 p.a. includes  
3 workshops and 3 demonstrations per year

[www.burton-in-kendalartandcraft.weebly.com](http://www.burton-in-kendalartandcraft.weebly.com)

**Burton Sports Committee**

### Big Kids' Day Out

**Saturday 19 May**

**Borwick Hall**

Book your place by calling before 12 May  
Nicola Stephens on 07786 156648

**BURTON MEMORIAL HALL**

### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**Tuesday 5 June 7.30pm**

**All Welcome!**



## Burton Fellwalkers

### Walks

**Sunday 8 April 1pm**  
Heel Toe Hill 6 miles  
Leader: Clive Horsford

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> April 1pm**  
Bay Gateway by canal & river \*\*\*  
Leader: Cecilia Hunt

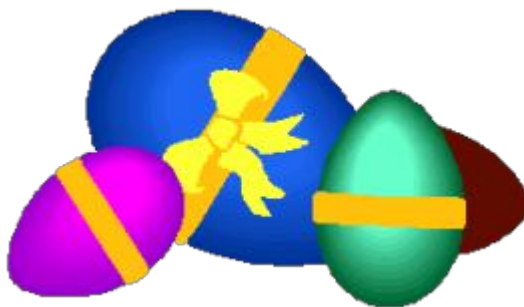
**Saturday 21 April 9am**  
High Rigg 7 miles  
Leader: John Jones

All walks:  
Meet in the Memorial Hall car park  
\*\*\* less than 5 miles at a gentle pace

Visitors £2.00  
Membership £8 from Jan 1<sup>st</sup> yearly

More info from the secretary,  
Kath Kirkman, on 781245  
or visit our website:

<http://fellwalkers.burtonweb.org.uk>



### BURTON NEWS

### Annual Public Meeting

**Tuesday 17 April at 7.30pm**

**Burton Memorial Hall**

**All welcome!**

## Ballet Be Fit

Dance inspired shaping & exercise class  
Great toning and strengthening

**All welcome**

no previous ballet experience required

**Every Tuesday 8pm - 9pm**  
**The Gatehouse, Tanpits Lane**

Still only £40 for a 10 week block of lessons

**For further info contact**

**Laura Sandham 07876 794205**  
**or Annwen Sisson 07785 954525**

## Circuit Training

**Mondays 7.15 - 8.15pm**

Burton Memorial Hall Main Hall

**Wednesdays 7.00 - 8.00pm**

HIIT

Burton Morewood School Hall

**Fridays 6.15pm - 7.15pm**

Burton Memorial Hall  
Reception Room

*Improve your Strength & Endurance*  
*Cardio-Vascular System*  
*Body Composition & Flexibility*

**For further info call John 01524 781707**

## Yealand Indoor Bowling Club

**Yealand Village Hall**

**Mondays 1pm – 4pm**

Enjoy an afternoon of short mat bowls.

All equipment provided including tea,  
biscuits and good company.

£2 per session

**For more information**  
**contact Les 01524 781784**

## Burton Crown Green Bowling



We meet every Monday night from about 6.30 until 8.00 (ish) from about mid-March, and anyone wishing to try their hand will be more than welcome. More details from David Raynor, Secretary, tel: 01524 734375.

## Kirkby Lonsdale Netball Club

**Queen Elizabeth School Sports Hall**  
**Thursdays: 7pm - 8:30pm**

For fitness or fun, competitive and non-competitive players.

All abilities welcome  
come along and try the  
first few sessions for free!

## Kirkby Lonsdale Junior Netball Club

Are you a budding player?  
If so, then we would like to see you  
at our junior netball training!

**Thursdays: 6pm - 7pm**  
**Queen Elizabeth School sports hall**  
**Kirkby Lonsdale**

Open to all players of all abilities  
between years 6-9  
(please wear suitable clothing and trainers)

£10 membership fee for the full year  
For more information contact:  
k.l.n.c1@outlook.com

## LADIES BADMINTON

Ladies Badminton meets in the BMH every Tuesday from 1.30pm - 2.30pm. If anyone would like to join the group please ask for more details from Stephanie Micklethwaite on 781073.





**Girlguiding UK**  
*girls in the lead*

## Burton in Kendal Rainbows Brownies & Guides

If you or your daughter would like to know more about joining or volunteering please call 0800 169 5901 or visit [www.girlguiding.org.uk/interested](http://www.girlguiding.org.uk/interested)

**GUIDES HAS SPACES NOW!**

## Table Tennis

Each Thursday the Table Tennis Club hold two sessions.

Session 1 is for youngsters at 5.15pm till 6pm, this will be coaching. Bats and balls supplied. £1 per week

Session 2 is for anyone who wants to give Table Tennis a go, no matter what standard. 6pm till 7pm. Bats and balls supplied. £2 per week.

Any enquiries to Martin on 07740 933463.

## **BURTON AND HOLME YOUTH CLUB**

Open to Years 7-11

Meets Friday evenings during term time

**Clawthorpe Hall Business Centre  
from 7.30pm until 9pm**

Contact for more information:  
Mark Elliott on 07592 080218  
or e-mail [lintonell@gmail.com](mailto:lintonell@gmail.com)

## **HOLME SOCIAL CLUB**

Tel: 01524 781936

**Saturday 14 April**  
Cricket Club Presentation

**Friday 20 April**  
Acoustic Night

**Saturday 21 April**  
**RONNIE STEELE**  
Music to suit all tastes  
Members £2 Non Members £4

**Everyone most welcome**  
**Come and support your local club**

**Opening Times:**  
Sun-Thu 8pm-11pm Fri & Sat 8pm-12pm  
Entertainment Nights open at 7.30 pm

*You can also come into the club even if you are not a member and pay only £1*



## **BURTON W.I.**

### **Wildlife in our Gardens**

**John Mounsey**

**Thursday 12 April**

**7.30pm at Burton Memorial Hall**

Competition: A Bird Ornament

**Visitors Welcome!**

*More info from Hon. Sec.  
Helena Nixon 01524 781048*

**THE BOYS'  
BRIGADE**  
> the adventure begins here



**1<sup>st</sup> Burton-in-Kendal Junior Section  
meets on Thursdays 6pm-7pm at  
Burton Morewood Primary School**

*Come along!*

**For more info, tel. 781445**

## **LIBRARY COFFEE MORNING**

**Monday 9 April**  
**10am - 11am**  
**Burton Memorial Hall**



## **Milnthorpe Library Opening Hours**

Monday: 2pm - 6pm  
Tuesday: Closed all day  
Wednesday: 2pm - 6pm  
Thursday: Closed all day  
Friday: 10am - 1pm & 2pm - 5pm  
Saturday: 10am - 12.30pm

Phone no: 015395 63040  
email: kendal.library@cumbria.gov.uk

Phone ahead before visiting in case of  
unforeseen closures.

## **Age UK South Lakeland BURTON LUNCH CLUB**

The Burton Lunch Club meets on the  
2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of every month in the  
Kings Arms, Burton.

The club is open to anyone aged 55 or  
older. To join the club and book your  
lunch please contact  
Mrs Margaret Prady on  
01524 781195.

## **Meals on Wheels**

This service has been available for  
many years and offers 3 meals a  
week, on a permanent or temporary  
basis, delivered by a group of  
dedicated volunteers, all resident in  
Burton.

If anyone would like further  
information on the service please ring  
Stephanie Micklethwaite  
(Co-ordinator) on 01524 781073.

## **Burton in Kendal Parish Council**

### **Meetings**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of every month**  
**7.30pm in the Memorial Hall**

#### **Meetings:**

Members of the public are always  
welcome to observe. Each meetings  
includes an OPEN FORUM where  
parishioners may raise matters of  
concern to them.

#### **Planning applications:**

Parishioners are asked to ensure they  
notify the PC as well as the planning  
authority of any comments or objections  
they have about any planning  
application within the parish.

#### **Agendas, Minutes & Contacts:**

These are available on the PC notice  
board outside the Memorial Hall, on the  
PC website, and on request from the  
Parish Clerk.

#### **Website:**

Documents relating to the PC may be  
downloaded or read online here:  
[www.burton-in-kendal-pc.gov.uk](http://www.burton-in-kendal-pc.gov.uk)

#### **For further information, contact:**

The Clerk - Christine Davidson on  
01524 782694

#### **Next Meeting:**

The next Parish Council Meeting will  
be **Thurs 19 April at 7.30pm** in the  
Burton Memorial Hall.

## **Cancer Care Cafe**

**Last Friday of every month**  
at Slynedales, Slyne Rd, Lancaster  
(beside Beaumont Bridge)

**Open for Tea and Coffee**  
**10.00 am - 12 noon**

Free Parking. Everybody Welcome!  
**Further details from 01524 381820**

## Burton-in-Kendal Voluntary Car Scheme

If you need transport to hospital, doctor, dentist, optician etc please contact Lynne Herd on 781905. When she is away please contact Peter or Kathryn Smith on 782198. (If you could spare some time as a driver you would be most welcome, please contact Lynne or Peter for details.)

### **Child Health Clinic**

1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month  
10.00 -11.00 am

No appointment necessary

Health Visitor: Shirley Bennett 015395 64887

### **OUT OF HOURS PHARMACY SERVICE**

## **Ash Trees Pharmacy**

Market Street, Carnforth

**Monday to Friday 7am to 11pm**

**Saturday 8am to 6.30pm**

**Sunday 8am to 6pm**

**Tel: 01524 727877 - Fax: 01524 730421**

Cumbria County Council Highways Hotline

# 0300 303 2992

to report road, lighting or pavement problems

## Useful Phone Numbers

|                      |              |
|----------------------|--------------|
| Burton News Editors  | 01524 781306 |
| Burton Post Office   | 01524 781828 |
| Morewood School      | 01524 781627 |
| Dallam School        | 015395 65165 |
| QES, Kirkby Lonsdale | 015242 71275 |
| CrimeStoppers        | 0800 555 111 |
| Police non-emergency | 101          |
| Kendal Library       | 01539 713520 |
| Kendal Hospital      | 01539 732288 |
| Lancaster Hospital   | 01524 65944  |

## Council Switchboards

|                   |              |
|-------------------|--------------|
| Cumbria CC        | 01228 606060 |
| South Lakeland DC | 08450 504434 |

## **Civil Registration Services Births, Marriages, Deaths**

Registration of Births and Deaths is overseen by the Kendal Registrar's Office, based in County Hall, Kendal. Telephone 0300 303 2472 or email [registrationservice@cumbria.gov.uk](mailto:registrationservice@cumbria.gov.uk)

Registrations may also be undertaken at Milnthorpe and Kirkby Lonsdale Libraries by appointment only, contact the Kendal Office to arrange an appointment. To arrange a marriage contact the Kendal Registrar. Opening times Mon - Fri, 9.00am to 4.30pm.

## **SLDC Recycling Information**



**Andy Vickers**

Customer Contact Centre  
on **01539 733333**

or by email to:

[recycling@southlakeland.gov.uk](mailto:recycling@southlakeland.gov.uk)

### **Waste Collection Dates**

[www.southlakeland.gov.uk/  
bins-and-recycling/collection-calendar/](http://www.southlakeland.gov.uk/bins-and-recycling/collection-calendar/)

## **HELPLINES & LINKS**



### **BULLYING: 0808 800 2222**

[www.bullying.co.uk](http://www.bullying.co.uk) (at work, school, online)  
[www.kidscape.org.uk](http://www.kidscape.org.uk) (childhood)

### **CHILDLINE: 0800 1111** (under 18's)

### **NSPCC: 0808 800 5000**

[www.nspcc.org.uk](http://www.nspcc.org.uk) (children at risk)

### **SAMARITANS: 116 123**

[www.samaritans.org](http://www.samaritans.org)

### **SHELTER: 0808 800 4444**

[england.shelter.org.uk/](http://england.shelter.org.uk/) (homelessness)

### **STONEWALL: 0800 050 2020**

[www.stonewall.org.uk](http://www.stonewall.org.uk) (LGBT+)

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**Burton News Website**

**[www.burtonnews.org.uk](http://www.burtonnews.org.uk)**



# ADVANCE DIARY DATES



~~BCSC Family Hunt, Sunday 22 April (CANCELLED)~~

**Dementia Friends Talk**, Wednesday 25 April 2pm-4pm, BMH

**Orchids & Rare Flora of Hutton Roof by Bryan Yorke**, Thur 26 Apr 7.30pm, BMH

**ELECTION DAY**, Thursday 3 May, 7am - 10pm, BMH

**BCSC Big Kids' Day Out**, Saturday 19 May Borwick Hall

**14<sup>th</sup> Annual Art & Craft Exhibition**, Sat 19 & Sun 20 May 10am-4pm, BMH

**BMH Annual General Meeting**, Tuesday 5 June 7.30pm, BMH

**Cumbria Family History Society 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Summer Meeting & AGM**,

– Sat 9 June 10am-5pm, contact Kath Hayhurst 781613

**Keats & Wordsworth 200 years on**, Thur 21 & Fri 22 June, King's Arms

**Burton Singers**, Saturday 23 June, BMH

**FarlFest**, Fri 14 - Mon 17 Sept, Festival hub = BMH - More details to follow

**Artisan Fair**, Saturday 3 November, 10am - 4pm, BMH

**BMH Christmas Bingo**, Thursday 22 November eyes down 7.30pm, BMH



**Add your village event to our back page listing!  
email us with the details... [editor@burtonnews.org.uk](mailto:editor@burtonnews.org.uk)**

**BMH = BURTON MEMORIAL HALL**

**BMS = Burton Morewood School**

**BSC = Burton Sports Committee**

**BRT = Burton Recreation Trust**

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