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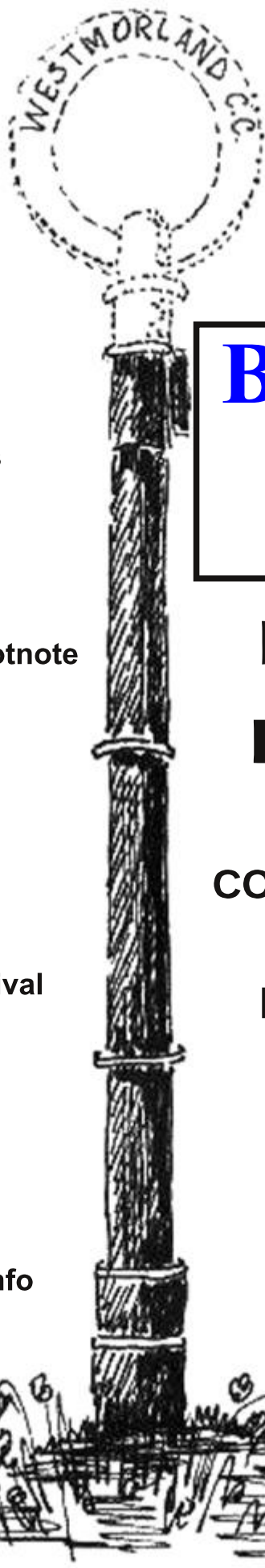
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20 September for the October issue

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Readers'

LETTERS



Dear BN,

Don't Bash our Butcher's!

I was upset to read the article condemning our village butcher's in last month's issue, and am writing on behalf of the many villagers who consider them priceless!

We have an amazing village shop thanks to Akis, Gill and the ladies, a highly-rated primary school, a pub... and the butcher's. In most small communities all independent commerce has been pushed out. We are so lucky to have the shop and the butcher's, who support the local economy, provide us with amazing local products, and bring life to our village.

Having lived in a big city before Burton, I know the flip-side. We had no option but big supermarkets, whose meat is far from local, and of a more questionable provenance (not to mention the environmental impact of shipping it across the world - New Zealand lamb?!) John and the team know their cuts and what to do with them. Most importantly, he knows the provenance of stock. John can usually tell you the very beast it's from, nevermind which farm.

If the people of Burton would rather be stuck with only supermarket stuff, anonymously transported across the continent and beyond, often intensively-reared in cruel and inhumane

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environments, then more pity us. We would lose a gem which has provided for this community for more than 60 years.

What last month's article also doesn't mention is that the butcher's has not been found wanting in any of the council's checks. They haven't criticised the butcher's for any 'noise', 'smell' or 'general disruption'. As for 'detritus' on the pavement - several objects pointed out as animal fat were clarified to be pebbles. The butcher's load up twice a week at 5am to stock local markets. If that's a nuisance...let's support them! If we gave them enough business, they wouldn't have to journey to Manchester and Liverpool to stock farmer's markets there.

It is understandable that a veggie or vegan will be upset by butchery - but the butcher's has stood on that spot for more than 60 years, and the majority of us do eat meat. Any campaigning could start with the horrible industrial conditions supermarket meats suffer.

If we do kill animals for food, we should try to do it in the most humane way, buying local and free-range. We could spend a little more on the local, tasty, well-reared stock the butcher's sells, and eat meat a little less often, rather than bulk-buying low-quality supermarket meat.

I hope those of us who really appreciate having a butcher's in the village will show them our support by shopping there more - it would be a massive loss to the village to lose their presence after so many decades.

Phoebe Ryan
1 West the Square

Dear Editors,

I am writing in response to the news that the speed clock is not well. When is Burton going to wake up and look at what other villages are doing to combat speeding cars (Endmoor, Grayrigg, Tebay and more), they get results.

Name & address withheld

Dear Readers,

Following some recent correspondence it has come to the attention of the Parish Council that some readers believe the monthly article 'PC Observations' is a report from the Parish Council of the monthly meeting. I would like to clarify that this is the observation of the 'Press', who attend the meeting and file a report for the

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All residents and members of the public are welcome to attend Parish Council Meetings and observe the business of the Parish Council. There is an opportunity at all meetings to voice concerns or raise any issues, in addition to putting questions to the Parish Council.

If anyone has any questions, or wishes to be added to the monthly mailing list to receive the meeting agenda and minutes; please email me at parish.clerk@burton-in-kendal-pc.gov.uk, and everyone is welcome at the monthly meetings which take place on the 3rd Thursday of every month in the Memorial Hall at 7.30pm.

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PC Observations...

of the Parish Council meeting
by J.M.

There were two issues brought up in the Open Forum when residents can comment. First, Peter Cummings commented that the recent (8 August) Flood Investigation Meeting following requests by Councillors for county council action to investigate serious flooding in Burton on 12 September and 22 November 2017 had left the situation 'up in the air'. A useful report had been produced identifying some of the causes (inadequate drainage capacity, blocked gullies and culverts, broken sewers caused by gas and electricity workmen), but future action was going to be inhibited by lack of resources especially funds to implement any remedial action. One thing the Council could do was to help set up a Village Flood Forum to keep the pressure on county council Highways Department to repair and maintain the infrastructure that does exist. The Forum could also be a central hub for warning the Highways Department about 'hot spots' which needed urgent action. Councillors voted unanimously to support such a Forum and Councillor Chris Nolan agreed to lead this initiative.

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A second issue was raised in the Public Forum about the response to the Council's letter to SLDC's Environmental Health Section about possible health hazards from the butcher's shop. An inspection had been carried out and this had concluded that NO ACTION was needed.

The location of a new Dog Waste Bag Dispenser donated by Carnforth Pet Care led to a lively debate about various options. The eventual winner was at the top of Station Lane near the bench which leads to walks along the canal.

Other topics/invitations mentioned by Councillors included:

- An invitation to residents to attend a 'Show and Tell' meeting about B4RN developments on 12 September. This whole-day event takes place in Melling and more information can be found at <https://b4rn.org.uk/news/>.
- A 'Meet the Villages' event organised by the Landscape Trust taking place in Burton and surrounding villages. This year's event is a Four Day Farleton Festival from Friday 14 to Monday 17 September. The event will explore the high ground of Farleton Knott, Holme Park Fell and Hutton Roof Crag and the villages around the base of this fine hill

- Farleton, Clawthorpe, Holme, Burton, Dalton and Hutton Roof. This festival will include lectures and exhibitions at Burton Memorial Hall and many walks exploring the karst scenery, flora, fauna, history and art of the area. All events are free.

- The on-going initiative to include 6 unrecognised veterans during the centenary of the end of the First World War in November.
- The agreement to plant more daffodils near Heron Syke at the end of September to welcome people to Burton.



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FLOODING

The Flood Investigation Report Open Meeting

On 8 August, Colin Parkes and Doug Coyle from Cumbria County Council (CCC) met with invited residents in the Memorial Hall to discuss the flood investigation report they had prepared following two major flood events in Burton on 12 September and 22 November 2017. CCC is the lead local flood authority and they were legally required to respond following these incidents.

The residents listened with interest and patience to the explanations about the three 'hot spots' - The Square, The Creamery and the area at the bottom of Neddy Hill. The report documents how the flooding occurred - the reasons being extraordinary levels of rainfall and the inadequate infrastructure capacity to drain the water away aggravated by the water bringing with it large amounts of gravel and detritus which blocked culverts and gullies. CCC had clearly taken the survey seriously and residents were generally pleased to see their effort.

However, the recommended actions were less impressive. Although they

include repairs to culverts, diversion of water flows, better maintenance and further investigations of infrastructure issues, it became obvious that the different agencies involved do not talk to each other in a coordinated way and that actual action would be delayed by shortages of resources and especially funds. A 'resilience forum' was suggested to try and bring different agencies together. Residents and local property owners should act to ensure that their properties were protected, including laying sandbags, moving valuables, installing flood gates and letting CCC know of anticipated flooding threats.

Very calmly and constructively, residents started to respond with comments such as 'we've been telling you for many years with no action', 'Highways Department are part of the problem resurfacing roads with adverse cambers and failing to maintain gullies as legally required' and 'why not prioritise short term and cheap actions'.

Colin and Doug lamented previous failings and showed good will by staying on to listen to individual cases of flooding on residents' properties together with ideas to allay future incidents. A new Cumbria Strategic (i.e. long term) Flood Partnership could be set up they proposed but how could



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residents have faith in such a body being able to do anything tangible in the short term? As one resident asked at the end of the meeting 'what can we take away from this meeting?' They hoped to hear some purposeful and actionable scheme to help but red tape, the difficulty of organising multi-agency dialogues and a lack of resources may well obfuscate this and leave the only effective action as local community action and further lobbying of CCC as the lead local flood authority.

Pray for no downpours - divine intervention might be the only recourse!

J.M.

MADDY WRIGHT

Burton textile artist Maddy Wright will be exhibiting artwork as part of the Green Door Art Trail at The Atheneum, Leasgill on Saturday 29 and Sunday 30 September, 10am - 5pm.

FLOOD FORUM

Following the recent meeting held in the Memorial Hall on the 8 August 2018 by Cumbria County Council, updating those who attended on the efforts made so far and of the

provisional plans made to prevent a repeat of the recent flooding, it has been decided to set up a parish-wide flood forum.

Whilst the information presented by the Council was informative and promising, it did not go far enough, and these plans do not in anyway start soon enough to help those affected in the past and those who may be affected next time.

It is planned that the forum will act as a mouth piece and information centre for the Parish. Giving people a chance to air their views and concerns, to give people a chance to put forward ideas that the Council may have over looked, to share with the council local knowledge of water ways, buried historical water courses etc. All information presented to the Forum will be shared with the County Council in order to assist in a speedier resolution.

Information, advice and links to services and will be available through the Forum to all interested parties. This information will cover things such as what to do in the event of a flood, how to prevent or minimise flooding to your home, flood resilience measures etc, who to contact in the event of a flood, and when available, how to claim financial assistance to carry out flood defences to your home.

It is hoped to set up a web site in the very near future containing all the above information, but, until then please let me know by email of your interest, your concerns and of any help you can give or if I can be of any help to you.

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This year, as every year, we are on the lookout for anything we can put in the auction of promises, if you can help us with this in any way please contact Neil or Carl. If you have never been you don't know what you are missing; there will be the usual kids' entertainment giving mum a chance to have a cheeky

G & T, and when was the last time dad had a lunch time pint and, at the same time, did his bit for charity? It's a win win situation. The Onion Show only happens once a year, come and be part of it.

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BURTON W.I.

There was no formal WI meeting in August but an outing to Sizergh Castle and Gardens on Thursday 9 August. It was a lovely afternoon and members enjoyed exploring the Castle with all its treasures and a look around the gardens. Others took advantage of a very enjoyable guided garden walk and talk. Members met up in the Cafe for delicious cakes and scones before returning home.

At our September meeting on the 13 September our speaker will be Jenny Wheeler - 'Stringing along with Jenny'. The Competition will be for 'A Piece of Jewellery'. The hostesses will be Ann Rigby and Ann Rigg. Visitors will be made very welcome.

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Roger Reports...

From the County & District Councils

August, as always was quiet with many 'officers on leave'. Even so, I toured Burton with a highways officer. Many repairs and the provision of new signs have been achieved. But, yet again, gullies especially on the A6070 opposite the church, grass is growing through the gratings. I have also passed on complaints about the breakdown of the 'smiley' speed warning sign near the school although this is a parish and not a county responsibility.

Pre-holiday pressures were aggravated by big rows over the chronic persistence of pot holes, the acute failure of the Oxenholme to Windermere railway service, the county's delays in repairing the broken-down Windermere Ferry, and widespread grumbles about damaged bridges like Crooklands Bridge and closed ones like Badgergate Bridge at Hutton Roof. Moreover, if anything, councillors routine work is greater than ever. In July, I seemed to have county meetings in Carlisle or Kendal almost every day, plus SLDC's main summer Council and two Human Resources Committees.

With the Burton and Crooklands Ward's

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boundary extension having included nine parishes, getting round the parish councils consumes more time. In the county, apart from the Barrow area, our Lower Kentdale County Division is furthest away from Cumbria's Carlisle HQ than any other. To save on officer's time and travel the county no longer rotates important meetings round the main towns like Barrow, Whitehaven and Kendal. I do not, as yet, know whether, after taking into account members' extra travel costs, if any overall savings have been achieved.

A district council economy to cut down on paper and postage by increasing on-line communication has created objections on SLDC. Although I have used a computer for over 30 years I still believe that councils expecting members to have IT skills amounts to imposing an educational qualification on candidates - which may be contrary to the Representation of the People Act. I know of several county, district and parish councillors who, although they may have a home computer, rely on others to help them. Planning applications pose a particular problem



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Nevertheless, savings still have to be made of £80m pa in the county's next budgets, especially as the recent pay award of between 2% and 3½% for staff and teachers will increase the salaries bill. Other increasing costs are bound up with the needs of our older population. Already, adult social care costs twice what is spent on highways, despite 'the state of our roads' remaining the public's biggest grumble. Similar problems persist concerning my work as a member of the Police and Crime Commission. Only 65% of police finances cover crime and motoring. Dealing with missing people like teenagers leaving home and older adults 'getting to wandering' are particularly expensive, as the mental health service may be involved. In case of mental health problems a Single Point 24 hour round the clock access number of 0300 123 9015 might be useful.

Cumbria Police has now been officially rated as 'good'. Even so in 2017/18

crime increased by 12.4% for all categories, except homicide, to 3,144 incidents which the Commission states is, "largely attributable to improved crime reporting." Thanks to the rise in police tax the number of officers has increased by 25 to 1145. Police and community support officers are now trained as retained fire fighters. This is part of the programme for amalgamating the 'Blue Light' Police, Ambulance, and Fire and Rescue Services which, it is claimed, will increase efficiency and reduce demands on the council tax. We'll see!

All the best,
Roger

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Events in the Churches

Organ Recital in St James Church Burton on Friday 14 September 7pm. by Graham Toft, Settle Parish Church organist. Free admission, donations welcome. Refreshments.

Come and sing! Songs of Praise at Holy Trinity Church, Holme, Sunday 23 September, 6.30 – 8.00pm. Favourite hymns and songs introduced by members of the Burton & Holme congregations, followed by tea and coffee. All welcome.

Film Night: 'Is Genesis history?' A 2017 documentary presented by Del Tackett. Where did we come from? Who are we? What is our problem? Where are we headed? "Nothing in the world makes sense except in the light of Genesis", St James Church, Sunday 30 September, 6.00 – 8.00pm. Free admission. All welcome.

HARVEST SUPPER

Saturday 13 October Holy Trinity, Holme, 7pm. Pie and peas, dessert and tea or coffee. Ticket £7.50. To book a ticket or for more information contact Ruth Graves 781024.



Keats in Keswick

A word of belated thanks to all those who came to see the pop-up theatre event in The King's Arms back in June.

You may be interested to know that we are rounding off the Summer by taking our little play to Keswick, to The Royal Oak Hotel. This is where Keats and Charles Brown spent their last night in the Lake District before heading onwards to Scotland. There will be some changes in the play to reflect events as Keats and Brown walked through a very wet Lake District, notably the fact that Wordsworth wasn't at home and Keats left a note stuck on a portrait of Dorothy!

It was difficult to find another inn with enough of its 18th century self still intact. The Royal, where they stayed in Bowness is now an apartment block and The Nag's Head in Wythburn is long demolished. Another reason for us to value the amazing architecture of The King's Arms and all the other listed buildings in Burton.

Keats in Keswick will be performed at 8.00pm on 20 September, at The Royal Oak. If anyone from the village can get there that would be great!

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VICAR'S LETTER...

Life Explored

“All men seek happiness. This is without exception.” So said Blaise Pascal, the 17th century inventor, writer, theologian, physicist and mathematician (remember Pascal’s Triangle?)

We’re all looking for happiness but it’s not obvious to us how we can find it. Life can be good and satisfying, but so much is bad and disappointing too. And when we do find happiness in something or someone we learn by painful experience not to assume that it will last forever.

Blaise Pascal described how there *“was once in man a true happiness of which there now remains to him only the mark and empty trace, which he in vain tries to fill from all his surroundings”*. Pascal recorded on a piece of paper his sense of the spiritual inferno in his mind as he realised at the age of 31 how that aching void in his life must be filled: *“Fire. ‘God of Abraham, God of Isaac, God of Jacob,’ not of philosophers and scholars. Certainty, certainty, heartfelt, joy, peace. God of Jesus Christ ... Joy, joy, joy, tears of joy ...”*

Life Explored is an informal and relaxed group where you can think and talk about these things. Each session includes a stunning short film and provocative discussion questions. Short presentations help us to engage with the traditional understandings of age-old Bible texts that are often perplexing to contemporary minds.

Life Explored is for anyone who wants to find contentment and happiness in life. It’s run by ordinary local Christian people and is completely free. You don’t need to know anything about the Bible, and you won’t be asked to pray or sing. You can ask any question you like, or you can just sit and listen.

You can watch a trailer for the course on our website here:
www.burtonandholmechurches.org/groups

The seven sessions will run approximately fortnightly on Thursdays beginning on 4 October.

Choose between a daytime group meeting at 10.15am or an evening group meeting at 7.30pm. Space is limited so please let me know if you would like to join us.

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Sunday 16 September
11am Morning Worship + Communion

Sunday 23 September
11am Morning Worship

Sunday 30 September
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at Holy Trinity, Holme

Sunday 7 October
11am Morning Worship + Communion

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Services at our sister church, Holy
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HISTORICAL FOOTNOTE

by Roger Bingham

1938 A TROUBLED SUMMER

For long afterwards, the summer of 1938 was remembered as the time when Britain nearly went to war with Germany for the second time in less than 20 years. The cause was that Hitler's Nazi regime wanted to take over the German-speaking part of Czechoslovakia. Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain expressed general astonishment 'when he said it was incredible that we should be about to go to war over a far away country about which we know nothing.' He would be equally astonished that, nowadays, local lads go to the Czech capital, Prague, for stag nights!

Yet, despite possibly being oblivious to mid-European geography, Burton folk in 1938 wearily prepared for war. Most plans concentrated on air-warfare. It was feared that Burton might have air battles overhead as the RAF would repel invaders away from heavily populated areas like Barrow and Preston. It was also claimed that Burton required extra protection because, with Holme Mills and a main railway line, it was classed as an 'industrial village'.

Consequently, an Air Road Precautions team was organised with a rota of ARP Wardens, each responsible for 250 people. They received 15 hours anti-gas instruction at Milnthorpe and collected gas masks from Kendal Town Hall, where 3,000 masks were distributed 'daily from 8am to 10pm except Sundays'. Three sizes were available including Mickey Mouse masks for children - but cradle-type masks for babies were not yet ready. Requests for masks for horses, farm stock and pets were ignored.

Meanwhile, normal life continued. A village collection brought in £2:13s:10d for 'Waifs and Strays' - which is now called the Church of England Children's Society. Presentations were made to Miss Corless when she retired after 40 years teaching at Morewood School.

With 326 extra council houses being planned for Sandylands in Kendal there were demands for more rural homes. In Burton, a court case secured possession of a house in Cocking Yard so that it could be modernised to avoid its being 'condemned.'

Regrettably, it was a lousy summer. Storms brought down trees and floods swept caravans away in the Lake District. Even so, Burton men's 'trip' to



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Alston and the Choir's outing to Blackpool went ahead.

At a drenched Burton Show entries had dropped. Compared to 1935, cattle were down from 69 to 61 and sheep from 90 to 76. Surprisingly, heavy farm horses were up from 88 to 101, perhaps indicating that tractors had not caught on, although they had been introduced in what was now being called the 'last war'.

During show week war fears peaked. Querulously, the Prime Minister flew on his third peace mission to Germany. Back home, school children were evacuated from London and, locally, it was headlined that '20,000 refugees from the north-east to be billeted in Westmorland'. As there were no public air-raid shelters, householders were advised to dig 'emergency trenches', in their gardens.

Then, on 1 October, Armageddon was averted when Neville Chamberlain returned from a Conference at Munich to proclaim a settlement made with the 'German Fuehrer and Chancellor Herr Hitler'. This he believed could bring 'peace for our time'. But Burton's euphoria was dimmed when the electricity failed at the evening thanksgiving service.

The Word From

BURTON MEMORIAL HALL

Our popular fundraising Nature Talks at the Hall series will resume in September with a talk by Bryan Yorke, who will be doing a round up of the nature year on Thurs 27 September at 7.30pm.

We still have some spaces at the Artisan Market on Saturday 3 November, so please do get in touch if you want a space - it's £10 for the day and will be open 10am - 4pm. Give Anne a call on 01524 781306 for more info. We have more events in the pipeline, which we'll tell you about once they are firmed up.

We are still awaiting the outcome of our grant application to the Lottery to help fund the re-roofing of the north end of the hall, but some of the smaller repair work we can fund ourselves has been done, such as the rewiring of the stage curtain winding wheel.

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It was on the 28 July that the majority of our village Swifts left us to start their long journeys back to Africa and since then the Main Street has been almost silent and we have not been hearing the familiar screams coming from our most welcomed guest.

After saying all that guess what! We still have one pair of Swifts in the skies above Burton or we did have at the time I am penning this (20 August). I can't be 100% but think the late breeder could well be holing up in the front of the Royal Cottage. I guess for me it's quickly becoming a record for our village that we should have a family of Swifts staying with us so long.

I am trying to get up to the Holme Stinted Pastures regular to check out if any Willow Warblers or Chiffchaff have dropped in overnight, taking their rest whilst on their annual migration, and on most days at this time of year you may just about hear their part contact calls giving away their presence. Also I go on to Holme Park Fell in search of Wheatears and Whinchat which usually drop in to these areas.

This is the week when I also try and get up Lancelot Clark Storth (Cumbria Wildlife), because just higher up than the Memorial Seat there is every chance of seeing returning Spotted Flycatchers which stop off at this point. I had one year up to 12 of the birds which obviously indicated there must have been more than one family party present. Also on the same equivalent routing I have found them in the lower part of Dalton Crag. (Usually around the 21 August in most years).

The bird observatories are now starting to record high numbers of Willow Warblers, Tree Pipits, Wheatears, Whinchats, Flycatchers calling off so I guess that's the sign that the main migrants are on their way back to Africa, with most of the adult Cuckoos having already arrived back in Africa. Our young Hutton Roof Cuckoos should also now have started their long migrations.

Some of the Swallows have started their return very early this year with high numbers leaving the country already e.g. on the 7 August there were 2247 counted down in Gloucestershire and over 200 going through Spurn Observatories. To back this up I was also kindly sent a photo from Ed Duckett (6 August) which showed over 140 Swallows collecting on his

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telegraph wires at Clawthorpe, which I took to be an indication that they were getting ready for leaving us and this would also tie in exactly with the large numbers recorded elsewhere and mentioned earlier (7 Aug). Usually I start to look out for returning Swallows from about the first week in September, but this year they are going for it early.

It will not be long now before I start my bird migration counting (vismig or visible migration) on a regular daily basis because, before we know it, we will be getting lots and lots of Meadow Pipits, Chaffinch, Wagtails and a host of others moving through our area, all heading south. I usually start counting from about the 10 September and continue this through until after the Thrushes and Starlings have arrived at somewhere around 10 November. We will be hearing our first Pink Footed Geese arriving from Iceland within the next fortnight (usually from about the 14 September).

Not much about flora-wise at the moment but one very nice plant I am eagerly awaiting has to be the Autumn Gentian which will be showing on Hutton Roof and Farleton by the end of August and early September. I am told it's been a cracking year for Wild Mushrooms.

Lots of butterflies but mainly Whites, although I have also had quite a few Grayling this year.

And don't forget the Farleton and Hutton Roof Festival with lots of activities going on: Walks, Talks etc. (with lots of activities being held in and around Burton and the Memorial Hall.) Check out the full 32-page programme on my website at: <https://arnsidesilverdale.blogspot.com/>

Bryan Yorke



Our grand annual event will be held on Saturday 22 September 10am - 12 noon in BMH.

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The K Shoes Male Voice Choir is well known by many and just two weeks before our concert will be performing at the Royal Albert Hall.

Also performing with them will be the wonderful Ladies of Note Singers, and all those who attended the previous concert featuring these two wonderful choirs will remember the joy and exhilaration of the performance they gave.

The concert is being held at St Oswalds Church, Warton, on Saturday 27 October and will start at 7pm. Admission by program available on the door £10, seniors £8.



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Farleton and Hutton Roof Festival

Friday 14 - Monday 17 September

This four day free festival of talks, walks, family events and exhibitions is part of an annual series called "Meet the Villages". It is organised by the Landscape Trust, a charity with over 1,100 members who support the Arnsdale & Silverdale Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty (AONB).

The opening day focuses on Hutton Roof and has already attracted a lot of interest. All three guided walks are fully booked with waiting lists. There is still some space for the lunchtime lecture The Geography of Hutton Roof Parish

and for the buffet and launch of a new geotrail walking guide to the area.

Saturday and Sunday will be the busiest days with 6 lectures at the Burton Memorial Hall, 4 tours, 9 educational walks and family events at Burton Morewood School. There are walks to suit all tastes with several upland excursions on Farleton Knott and Hutton Roof Crag to less challenging routes around the lowlands of Holme.

Highlights for families and children include moth traps and bat displays at the school on Saturday morning, and family farm visit at Farleton on Sunday afternoon. The Lancaster Canal Trust is laying on special charters in its boat the Waterwitch at Crooklands. One new event, which has not been tried before, is a creative writing workshop led by Burton author, David Craig.

Details of all these events can be downloaded from the Burton, Holme and Hutton Roof village websites.

Walks have to be pre-booked and it is a good idea to reserve places for the lectures as well.

This festival is very much a "for the people by the people" event and many local villagers are involved in leading walks or giving talks.

We hope to see you there.

Peter Standing



Green Door Art Trail 2018

The weekend of 29 and 30 September sees 63 artists taking part in the much anticipated Green Door Art Trail in 26 venues across South Cumbria and North Lancashire. The depth and breadth of members' work will be on display including ceramics, drawing, glass, mixed media, painting, photography, printmaking, textiles and wood, as well as smaller items such as jewellery and greetings cards.

Visitors can find Trail venues from Burton in Kendal in the south, up to Kendal and across to Grange over Sands, Coniston and Ulverston. Group venues are the Courtroom at Preston Patrick, the Athenaeum at Leasgill near Milnthorpe, the Green Door studios on Market Place in Kendal and Greenodd Village Hall.

Cally Lawson will be opening her studio at Deerslet, Burton in Kendal. Cally works in mixed media in a variety of subjects. She likes to experiment in a variety of media capturing a sense of movement in her paintings.

Some artists will be giving demonstrations and all of them are looking forward to talking about their work and how they create it. All Trail venues are open on Saturday 29 and Sunday 30 September and a number are also opening on Friday 28 September, especially in the evening, so everyone can get a head start on their Trail visiting. Look out for timings in the catalogue as you plan your route.

Download a catalogue from the Green Door website, www.greendoor.org.uk, or pick one up at key info points across Cumbria and Lancashire. Look out for the distinctive, colourful stripes...

The Big Summer Pebble Art Hunt



One of the most popular activities for children this Summer seems to have been pebble art. The idea being that youngsters collect up small stones and paint or otherwise decorate them, then hide them around the village or further afield, for other children to find.



A few Burton parents formed a group on Facebook to promote the idea and it has really taken off, with pebbles being hidden around the village, left on the doorsteps of friends, and even taken on holiday and left in places such as London and Anglesey for others to find.



The Facebook group now has over a hundred members and posts photos daily of the pebbles the children are decorating, and then photos of when they find pebbles left by others.



One of the most popular finds seems to have been the one done by Maddie Iddon and family, which depicts their cat Rusty, which keeps getting found, recorded, and rehidden for others to find again!



News from the Lancaster Canal...

Canal & River Trust admit to massive leak on the Lancaster canal.

In an article in the *Floater Magazine* August 2018, Canal & River Trust (C&RT) say either water is being stolen, or there is a massive leak from Killington, where 20 million litres per day are recorded, as usual, going into the system, but very little reaches the canal.

Water going under the M6 at Millness is over three notches below the normal 500 mark. This causes a slow current, a build up of silt and of course, encourages excessive weed growth, that slows the water current down even further.

This bodes ill for the intended bi-centenary planned for June 2019, where trail-boats from all over the country are invited. At the last trail-boat festival in 2015, C&RT had to dredge the canal, regrettably in the nesting season, which many locals criticised, and the situation is now worse.

Add this to the leak estimated at 5,000 gallons per day at Cinderbarrow, reported to C&RT in 2014, and other listed leaks, there is no doubt that this is a serious problem, and there is a tremendous amount of work to be done before any festival can be successful, and it is hoped all canal organisations and enthusiasts rally round and try and work together to help.

Crooklands bridge

I am sure readers will be as concerned as I about the damage caused by heavy traffic to the grade II listed

Crooklands Bridge 166 on the Lancaster canal, near Kendal.

I have been reporting the damage to this lovely old bridge for some years, and note that recent damage has displaced the second course and moved the parapet top stones so much that they are now at risk of being pushed beyond the point of balance, which could result in the heavy parapet stones dropping into the canal or onto the canal towpath, risking injury to walkers.

This bridge, on a county road, was designed for horse and cart, and is clearly unable to cope with the heavy vehicles which use it to get to the weighbridge on the nearby industrial site.

There is talk of extending this site by a further 19 acres, which will only bring more heavy vehicles over a listed bridge which actually needs traffic to be diverted away from it. A junction with the A590 is surely a more sensible answer.

This would enable the Canal and Rivers Trust, which must be frustrated by the need to make constant repairs to this listed bridge, to effect a more permanent repair, thus ensuring that towpath walkers are not severely injured or killed.

I am very much hoping that Cumbria County Council and the Canal and River Trust can agree that the situation is becoming increasingly dangerous, and will be able to work together to remedy the situation.

Frank Sanderson,
Friends of Lancaster Canal

BURTON THISTLE FC

Calling all the Burton Thistle fans!

The 2018/2019 season kicks off seeing Burton Thistle challenging in division one of the North Lancashire and District Football League!
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For all up to date information regarding training, fixtures and results please visit our Facebook page or contact our club secretary Simon Shippard 07814 919430.

September Fixtures

Saturday 1 September KO 2pm
Burton Thistle vs Halton (home)

Wednesday 5 September KO 6.15pm
Bolton le Sands vs Burton Thistle (away)

Saturday 8 September KO 2pm
Burton Thistle vs Highgrove Reserves (home)



HOLME CRICKET CLUB

The 1st XI found some form in mid season and put together a 4 match unbeaten run. The run began with an excellent win at Warton. Holme scored 214-8. Andrew Suddes top scored with 60 and there were other notable contributions from Richard Herron (43), Liam Teasdale (31) and Lee Barnes (31). In reply Warton were bowled out for 170. Ian Betley was chief destroyer with 6-40.

The following week Holme defeated Burneside in a similar manner. Holme scored 207-8. Herron (45) and Barnes (38) continued their good form and Paul Duckett chipped in with 34. Burneside were bowled out for 175 with Carl Weiss taking 4 wickets and Simon Shipperd 3 wickets.

The match at Heysham ended in a rain affected draw. Holme struggled to 128-9 with Duckett scoring 44. Heysham scored 114-7 after Barnes took 4 wickets and Betley 3 wickets.

Finally, Silverdale collapsed from 150-0 to 205 all out as Betley produced an inspired spell to take 6-59, He was ably supported by Weiss with 4-56. Holme couldn't take advantage and ended on 147-9 to take 2 points from a losing draw. Suddes top scored again with 43.

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However, the unbeaten run came crashing to a halt at Carnforth where the side were well beaten and more significantly, defeat to relegation rivals Ambleside has left the team in a perilous position at the bottom of the table with only 3 matches to play.

The 2nd XI have continued to struggle with results. There have been defeats against Arnside by 5 Wickets (Mike Halhead 69 no), Sedgwick by 7 wickets, Carnforth by 62 runs, Netherfield by 9 wickets and in a tight game, Silverdale by 12 runs. The match at Cartmel ended in a losing draw. The long awaited victory finally arrived at home to Burneside. George Pickering took 7 wickets as victory was secured by just 2 wickets in a low scoring game.

The 2nd XI are also a bit isolated at the bottom of the league but spirits remain high as the Club continues to give valuable experience to several young players. Charlie Outerside, Ethan Burton and Kieran Hunter have all made significant contributions in recent weeks.

Off the field, the Club has again prospered this season. All Junior matches have been well attended and the annual Festival of Sport Family Day was an outstanding success again. Facilities have improved and the Club

is thriving at a time when many are struggling.

Last fixtures in September



Saturday 1 September - 13.30 start
2nd XI v Morecambe 3^{rds}

Saturday 8 September - 13.30 start.
1st XI v Minthorpe

Garden Organic

Cumbria Volunteer Master Composter Scheme

Garden Organic in partnership with Cumbria County Council are seeking to recruit volunteers on our "Master Composter" scheme to encourage householders to compost their food waste.

Garden Organic's Master Composters are volunteers who spend time promoting home composting in their local community, encouraging householders to take up composting, and ensuring those already composting continue to do so effectively. Master Composters come from many backgrounds and age groups; their unifying feature is their enthusiasm for encouraging more environmentally friendly waste management practices. We are holding our next induction training course in October in Kendal and are actively recruiting more volunteers countywide. We have 23 existing volunteers and are seeking to grow our team. No expertise in composting required as full training will be provided.

You can read more about the scheme here
www.gardenorganic.org.uk/master-composter-schemes

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tel 07710 400 499
or 015395 62561

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What's On at the Heron Theatre Beetham

Registered Charity No. 501134

Friday 14 September 7.30pm THE BARD OF WINDMILL HILL

"The Storyteller of the Year" turns the absurd, bewildering and frequently frustrating aspects of modern life into laughter. Witty, ironic and waspish, this is social comment and cerebral comedy at its best! He has been praised by the BBC's Dr Phil Hammond for the range and depth of his work. Selling out at Yeovil Literary Festival, his show has featured at various festivals around the country and has just received the "Best Spoken Word Show" award at Shaftesbury Fringe Festival 2018 which is the third largest fringe festival in the country. Trevor is a poet, award winning storyteller and great entertainer and has been poet in residence and co-organiser of Bristol's longest running variety show, Lansdown Cabaret since 2008. Trevor Carter

Saturday 22 September 7.30pm STILLHOUSE

The Stillhouse line-up features mandolin, guitar, double bass and vocal trio, presenting original songs and instrumental material with roots in bluegrass and contemporary folk. Together, they have created a captivating and complex sound characterised by melodic original songs alongside soaring mandolin, guitar and bass-led instrumental pieces and beautiful songwriting. 2017 marked the first anniversary of the band, as well as the release of their first EP, 'Love is the Weight', which they have been busy sharing with their burgeoning audiences across the UK and are looking forwards to releasing their first full length album in 2018. This trio cause

a stir with their wonderful musicianship and superb well-arranged material, completely captivating their audience from the first note. Laughing Dog Music

Friday 28 September 7.30pm LUDUS – Playful Love

Four women, two plays, fusing love, loss, lust and life! Prelude and Fugue by Clifford Bax (Love and Loss) is set in the 1950s and reflects the musical interlude 'Prelude and Fugue' by Johann Sebastian Bach telling the story of Rosemary who, a week before her wedding, is having her likeness drawn in charcoal by Joan. As Joan sketches, the two women discover a dark secret shared by them both. Square Pegs by Clifford Bax (Lust and Life) is a thought provoking farcical romp about lust and life. Hilda, a passionate young girl from the 20th Century longs for an equally passionate lover, but Henry has eyes only for his car! Gioconda, a practical girl of 16th Century Venice longs for a lover without the raw and radical passion of her time. They meet at 'Merlin's Gate' where disappointed lovers can turn 'The Book of Time' and move within some other age. Theatre Broad

EXHIBITIONS

Viewing - Fridays 10am - 12noon and from 45 minutes prior to all performances. Friday 31 August to Friday 12 October. Mike Healey - Drawings, paintings and stage dioramas.

The Box-Office will reopen on 1 September. Heron Members have Priority Booking for all events from 1 August.

**Doors open 6.45pm. Shows start 7.30pm.
24 hour booking: tel: 015395 64283
book online: www.theherontheatre.com
or pay at the door - film £5**

Cumbria Wildlife Trust

Three five-week-old osprey chicks (thought to be two males and one female) were tagged with ID rings at Foulshaw Moss Nature Reserve near Witherslack recently.

The Trust is supporting calls by the Police and the RSPB for information following the disappearance of a satellite-tagged hen harrier, Blue, in Cumbria.

Co-op members have given an amazing £1,465.36 to help create family hides at South Walney Nature Reserve.

Photography competition winners

Following the success of last year's wildlife photography competition, this year's entries didn't disappoint as we received a fantastic selection of photographs from across the county. Exceptionally high standards made judging the competition incredibly difficult, but 12 winners were chosen, each of which will feature in the CWT's 2018 calendar.



Thursdays
1pm - 3pm
Term-time only

Indoors and outdoors
Singing and music
Themed craft weeks
Refreshments for all!

Stay and Play Session for 0-4 years
£2 per child, under 6 months £1
Burton Memorial Hall

Find us on Facebook:
[facebook.com/burtonplaygroup](https://www.facebook.com/burtonplaygroup)

Editorial

Alas poor SID!

Well his much delayed move out of the shade and into the sun hasn't been a total fix and despite sunny days he doesn't seem to last long telling us our approaching speed before going loopy again. Perhaps his replaced battery has been damaged by the extended period without charging?

Holidays are over, so what did you do?

How many intrepid Burtonians had an unusual or extreme summer holiday experience they'd share with our readers? Skied down Everest? Bungee jumped the Grand Canyon? Or had an amazing visit to some far flung (or closer to home) location?

Flooding addressed?

Burton's flooding problems have brought about some serious studies and discussion culminating in a 36 page report with photos of drains and the extent of flooding in 2017. Action plans have been drawn up but as ever the problem is funding these, and until then the advice to residents is 'do the best you can' until works identified can be carried out.

Anne & Barry

Nature Talks at the Hall

A Review of the Year
by Bryan Yorke

Thursday 27 September
7.30pm at BMH

£2.50 incl tea/biscuits
in aid of Hall funds



Holme & District Photographic Society Meetings

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

**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

**Monday 17 September, 7.30pm
in the Main Hall BMH**

**"Man and Limestone"
Dr Peter Standing
Visitors welcome: £2**

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

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



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.

BORWICK & PRIEST HUTTON GARDENERS' CLUB

**A GARDEN FOR ALL SEASONS
Speaker: SHELAGH TODD
TUESDAY 25 SEPTEMBER 7.30pm
Borwick & Priest Hutton Memorial Hall
For more information please contact
Diane Sunderland on 01524 782111**



Kent-Lune Trefoil Guild Cumbria South

**Windermere Curling & Mocktails
Tuesday 11 September**

For more information contact
Jenny Gilfellon 01524 781907

Holme & District Flower Club

**"SEASONAL SPLENDOUR"
Speaker: David Mason
Monday 3 September 7.30pm
Preston Patrick Memorial Hall**

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

Arts Society Lunesdale

Formerly the Lunesdale Decorative & Fine Arts Society

**Treason, Triangles & Thomas Tresham –
Symbolic Architecture of a Closet Catholic
Speaker: Sara Pearson
Tuesday 18 September at 2.15pm
Borwick and Priest Hutton Memorial Hall**

Cancer Care Cafe

**Last Friday of every month
at Slynedaes, 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 Art & Craft Society

Demo: Leather Work

By: Tony Morgan

Monday 24 September 7.30pm

Burton Memorial Hall

Members Free Visitors Welcome: £2

Friday Art Group

Friday 9.30 am - 12 noon

Club Room BMH

with occasional tutors

Members £3. Visitors £5 (when a tutor present)

Monday Craft Group

Monday 10 September 1.30pm - 4.00pm

Club Room BMH

Quilling with Laura Harker

Members £3. Visitors £5

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



Burton Fellwalkers

Walks

Sunday 2 September 1pm

Long Meg & Little Salkeld 6 miles

Leader: Sarah Walker

Saturday 15 September 8.30am

Red Screes from Ambleside 8 miles

Leader: Helena Nixon

Wednesday 19 September 1pm

Halton, River Lune ***

Leader: Cecilia Hunt

All walks:

Meet in the Memorial Hall car park

*** less than 5 miles at a gentle pace

Visitors £2.00

Membership £8 from Jan 1st yearly

More info from the secretary,

Kath Kirkman, on 781245

or visit our website:

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



BURTON NETBALL CLUB

A Netball Club for all abilities has just started up in Burton In Kendal. This is a great way to do a little fitness outdoors in a fun and very friendly environment!



When: Thursday

Where: The MUGA

Time: 7-8pm

Cost: £3 per session

For more information, please check out the Facebook group Burton Netball Club or contact Jemima Hall on 07895 812620



For Sale: 18" x 12½" x 12" Ferham KM4 header tank (and spare ballcock) 4 gallon (18 litre) £4.50
Contact Mr C Brown, 01524 782074

Swap Shop or For Sale adverts are included subject to available space & must include a phone number. Text for advert should be put into a sealed envelope marked BN Sales & Swaps & be left at the newsagents or may be emailed to us.

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

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 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

LUNESDALE SPORTS CENTRE

We cover netball for every age and ability



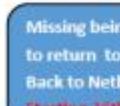
Fortnightly on Thursdays 5pm—6pm
Starting 26th July 2018 in the old Sports Hall
A suggested donation of £2 would be gratefully received



Starting 6th September
Fortnightly on Thursday's 5pm—6pm
Aimed for boys and girls aged 5—10 years old



Junior netball—Starting 6th September
Thursday 6pm—7pm
Aimed for girls aged 11—14 years old



Missing being part of a netball family and want to return to netball?
Back to Netball Thursday's 7—8pm
Starting 26th July in the old Sports Hall



For those with a bit more of a competitive streak, join our three competitive teams who play in the Lancaster League on Monday's Sept to May. Starting 6th September—Training Thursday 7—9pm

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



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

GUIDES HAS SPACES NOW!



1st Burton-in-Kendal Junior Section meets on Thursdays 6pm-7pm at Burton Morewood Primary School

Come along!

For more info, tel. 781445

**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

List your event or group in BN for free!

Send the details to
editor@burtonnews.org.uk

HOLME SOCIAL CLUB

Tel: 01524 781936

**Friday 21 September
Annual General Meeting
starts 8pm**

**Friday 21 September
Acoustic Night**

**Saturday 22 September
DAYLIGHT**

Duo from Preston

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 Independent Art



**Thursday Mornings
is taking a break**

*More information from
Judith Ellis 781057*



BURTON W.I.

**'Stringing along with Jenny'
Jenny Wheeler**

**Thursday 13 September 7.30pm
Burton Memorial Hall**

Competition: 'A Piece of Jewellery'.
Hostesses: Ann Rigby and Ann Rigg

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

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
2nd 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

**3rd 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

For further information, contact:

The Clerk - Christine Davidson on
01524 782694

Next Meeting:

The next Parish Council Meeting will
be on **Thursday 20 September at
7.30pm** in the Burton Memorial Hall.

Cumbria County Council Highways Hotline

0300 303 2992

to report road, lighting or pavement problems

**Add your village event to our back page listing!
email us with the details... editor@burtonnews.org.uk**

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

1st 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

Useful Phone Numbers

Burton News Editors	01524 781306
Burton Post Office	01524 781828
Morewood School	01524 781627
Burton Nursery	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

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

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 (at work, school, online)

www.kidscape.org.uk (childhood)

CHILDLINE: 0800 1111 (under 18's)

NSPCC: 0808 800 5000

www.nspcc.org.uk (children at risk)

SAMARITANS: 116 123

www.samaritans.org

SHELTER: 0808 800 4444

england.shelter.org.uk/ (homelessness)

STONEWALL: 0800 050 2020

www.stonewall.org.uk (LGBT+)

See us online with colour photos!

Burton News Website

www.burtonnews.org.uk

ADVANCE DIARY DATES



Organ Recital, Friday 14 September 7pm, St James Church

Farl Fest, Fri 14 - Mon 17 Sept, Festival hubs = BMH & Hutton Roof Village Hall

NSPCC Annual Grand Event, Saturday 22 September 10am - 12noon, BMH

Nature Talk: Review of the Year, Bryan Yorke, Thur 27 Sept 7.30pm, BMH

BADS drama performances, Friday 28 & Saturday 29 September, BMH

Nature Talk: Morecambe Bay Underwater Safari Thur 25 Oct 7.30pm, BMH

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

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

Sports Committee Christmas Bingo, Thur 29 Nov eyes down 7.30pm, BMH

Christmas Cracker Coffee Morning, Sat 1 Dec 10am-12noon BMH

Christmas Bingo, Fri 7 Dec and Fri 14 Dec, BMH

MEET THE VILLAGES around Arnside & Silverdale AONB

FARLETON & HUTTON ROOF

Friday Sept 14th until Monday Sept 17th 2018

ALL WELCOME and A SPECIAL INVITATION TO RESIDENTS of
Burton, Clawthorpe, Dalton, Farleton, Holme, Hutton Roof and Lupton
and anyone interested in **Farleton Knott** and **Hutton Roof Craggs**

MAIN FESTIVAL HUB BURTON MEMORIAL HALL

SECOND HUB HUTTON ROOF VILLAGE HALL

PLEASE JOIN US FOR WALKS, TALKS, FAMILY EVENTS & EXHIBITIONS

PROGRAMMES - burtonweb.org.uk ; huttonroof.org.uk ; holme-westmorland-pc.gov.uk

BMH = BURTON MEMORIAL HALL

BSC = Burton Sports Committee

BMS = Burton Morewood School

BRT = Burton Recreation Trust