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# Readers' LETTERS

Dear Vicar,

Re: Vicar's Letter August 2014

I happened to see the letter you recently sent to Xxxxx. As I understand it, Christ came to earth to open a path to his Father for anyone who wants to reach him. Since then the broad church of Christianity has fallen victim to the vanity of man who has made it a complicated and complex structure with many divisions, all of which have one aim but go about it in very different ways.

You refer to congregation, making that concept specific to St. James' (I doubt even the Church of England agree that you may only reach out to God via the building in which you were christened). Congregation should at least refer to the C. of E. as a whole.

With Churches working together to focus on the very purpose of their existence in maintaining the path to his Father that Christ put in place you are proposing that St James' stands against that and becomes an isolated entity. How sad.

Please would readers note that letters & articles must include a valid name & address. This can be with-held from publication on request. We will not publish any anonymous letters, or material which, in the opinion of the Editorial Committee, is of an offensive or defamatory nature. BN reserves the right to edit letters & articles in the interests of magazine space.

I hope Xxxxx has not been put off Christ or Christianity by your interpretation of his teachings, or by your condescending offer of assistance, and finds a more welcoming path by which to find God. There are lots to choose from.

Yours faithfully, Mrs C M Twist



#### **ASHBROOK**

Congratulations Charlie on your 70<sup>th</sup>, love from Janice xxx

Happy 70<sup>th</sup> birthday to a great Dad. Lots of love from Lucy and Dave. xxx

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I wish to sincerely thank everyone who has supported Keith and me during Keith's illness, and for the many cards, flowers and good wishes received following Keith's death. It has been a great comfort. Special thanks also to Reverend Graham Burrows for his kindness. Keith would have been so appreciative of all the support given to me.

Sheila Bainbridge

# BURTON NEWS EDITORIAL COMMITTEE VACANCIES

After the retirement of two long-serving members, there are now two vacancies on the Editorial Committee. We meet monthly at 7.30pm on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday, in the Memorial Hall. Meetings last between 1 and 1½ hours.

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# PC Observations...

Reporting from the Parish Council meeting

It's very interesting watching a group of public-spirited councillors at work. They are very keen to do the right thing for Burton but also realistic about the imposed incomplete limitations by information and their power to actually do much at all. They might approve a application for planning а conservatory on a house in Neddy Hill for example only to have SLDC refuse it happened this week. seemed to know why. They might want action on signage problems, potholes not mended and poor street lighting but be relatively powerless to do much more than ask Roger Bingham to press for action at county council level. Roger does his best but he has to battle against budget limitations and political issues in the county so action is often slow or non-existant.

However there were a couple of items on the Agenda this month which the council can influence. The first was the request by Aggregate Industries UK limited to extend the life of Holme Park Quarry by 20 years from 2023 to 2043. Apparently lower-than-expected demand for stone and shale removal issues has meant that the Quarry is not removing the quantity of limestone they expected. They need more time to

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'avoid sterilisation of reserves' (sic). Why these people cannot use plain English is bewildering. They say that 'No lateral extensions to the permitted quarry are proposed and the site would not be deepened beneath existing permitted levels. No increase permitted traffic levels is proposed'. Councillor Peter Smith has consulted local residents and reported that that there is some concern about the effects of continuing quarrying in terms of the effect on local ecology, the continuation of a rolling restoration programme after 2023, the impact of blasting through the air and ground stability. Residents also wanted to know what would happen if planned quantity of stone (10 million tons?) was removed in less time than 20 years. Concerns will be communicated to the county alongside associated issues such as flooding on the A6070 at Clawthorpe and a request to formalise the existing gentleman's agreement for empty trucks not to pass through the village when travelling north to the quarry.

The second issue which the council can support is for a public footpath from the village to Clawthorpe. The feasibility study has reported that it is possible either in front of or behind the hedges along the A6070. In either case, land from existing landowners would be needed. There is a real need for action along this stretch of road especially because a recent survey of speeding



showed above average speeds of traffic and therefore increasing danger to pedestrians. A strong plea for action will be sent to the county council.

## Other developments:

- 1. Although it was decided not to adopt National Association of Local Council's revised model for standing orders last month, there was a discussion this month about doing so for legal reasons. Peter Smith proposed that at least the council should adopt a protocol about 'treating the Council with respect when filming or recording.' This is apparently to stop any Tom, Dick or Harry wanting to record council discussions without permission.
- 2. There was a discussion about the condition of the bridge and junior slide at the Boon Town playground. Insurers say that they need repairing and councillors were concerned about their safety. A proposal to remove them was passed and meanwhile Councillors Rowley and Wren will be looking for funds to replace them.
- 3. One of the temporary signs to organise one-way access to the Memorial Hall car park has disappeared. Paul Rogers asked for permanent signs to be put up and George Isherwood is dealing with this.
- 4. Renewed interest in a

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Neighbourhood Plan was mooted but an observation made that Burneside had spent a great deal of time preparing one only for it to be rejected by the powers that be. This is a warning to check on acceptability criteria before spending the effort.

- 5. Efforts to find out why Rowland's Pharmacy can no longer deliver medication to the Post Office have met with sympathy from the company but officially 'tighter control is necessary and there is also a need for a pharmacist to be present in the shop when medication is collected.' A request for the pharmacy to accept nomination of an individual in the shop to accept receipt of medication, which at first seemed a possibility, has also been turned down.
- 6. A stronger, nicely mounted Millennium Map of the Burton area will replace the rather forlorn Ordinance Survey version on the wall in Main Street.
- 7. Nothing much in this month's Police Report - a vehicle constricting traffic, a suspicious vehicle, some antisocial behaviour on Morewood Drive and a hoax call about an intruder.
- 8. Next meeting 18th September at 7.30pm in the Memorial Hall.

J.M.



# **ONION SHOW**

# at the Kings Arms Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> October

This year's will be the 38th Onion Show to be held in order to raise funds for local causes and Burton Children's Sports Committee (BCSC). The BCSC uses the donation to benefit all the children of the village by helping to pay for the village sports day, the Christmas parties for 0 - 11yrs, the big kids' day out for the older ones, and subsidising amazing fireworks display bonfire night to be enjoyed by "kids" of all ages!

The beneficiaries of monies raised this vear will be BCSC and Burton in Kendal First Responders, with other local causes receiving a donation.

It is hoped that we will be able to raise sufficient funds to purchase outright, a Public Access Defibrillator Box with the intention being that anyone can access the device by phoning a contact number on the unit. Training on its use being delivered by our Responders. We see this as a real community asset and wholeheartedly support the idea. The day can only be a success with people making the effort to enter classes, donating promises or

coming on the day to partake in the auction. If you would like to donate anything for the auction of promises please contact any of the following people: Neil - 781770, Callum - 07980 302166 or Carl - 07866 456677.

Can those currently holding trophies please return them to any of the aforementioned or leave at the Kings.

This year, the Committee have made slight changes to the classes and have removed cauliflowers and added a collection of 3 Gourds (marrows. cucumbers, pumpkins and squashes) and homemade jam and chutney.

We've also changed the miniature garden class and replaced it with an item made of loom bands which appears to be the "in-thing" with the kids at present.

We look forward to seeing you all on Sunday 5th October to help keep this event going, keeping our village the best it can be and supporting each other for the sake of future generations.

#### Promises to date are as follows:

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Neil, Callum & Carl



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- 12. Heaviest vegetable
- 13. 5 Dessert apples
- 14. 5 Cooking apples
- 15. Pot plant
- 16. Vase of flowers
- 17. Vase of dahlias
- 18. 3 Chrysanthemums
- 19. Chocolate cake
- 20. Fruit pie
- 21. Loaf of bread
- 22. 4 Cup cakes
- 23. Tray Bake
- 24. 3 Poultry Eggs
- 25. Novice Class (any veg)
- 26. Jar of homemade jam with taster pot
- 27. Jar of chutney with taster pot

# Children's classes. Up to yr 2 and yrs 3-6

- 28. Item made from loom bands
- 29. Fruit and Veg animal
- 30. Picture depicting Burton village life
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#### CHURCH TOWER UPDATE

Since it is now some three months since the polythene "tent" was erected over the top of the Church, I thought that it was time for a quick progress report.

Overall the work can be divided into four areas:-

- 1) Repairs to the external tower walls
- 2) Repairs to the internal tower walls
- 3) Dismantling and rebuilding of the four parapets on the top of the tower.
- 4) Joinery repairs to the internal tower floors.

Item 1. Repairs to the external tower walls. Basically the work consists of removing the existing cement based mortar from the tower, making good any defects found, lime rendering the walls, and finally applying the finishing lime wash. To date the work has concentrated on removing the cement based mortar, and filling any large gaps between the resulting existing stones with small stones and mortar. This process is called "Galleting", and the mortar used contains a proportion of hair, as used in days of old ) This work is progressing little behind slowly, and is а programme.

Item 2. Repairs to the internal tower walls. As anyone who has been to



Church lately will have noticed, we now have scaffolding erected inside the Church itself, to enable the faulty plaster etc on the back wall to be replaced. This work is now about to start.

Item 3. Parapet replacement. At the beginning of August it was reported that the state of this work was as follows: West parapet. All dismantled and 50% rebuilt. South parapet. 20% dismantled. North parapet. All dismantled and 60% rebuilt. East parapet. 5% dismantled.

Item 4. Joinery repairs to the internal tower floors. This consists of repairing/replacing decayed floor timbers etc as required. Approximately 90% of this work has now been completed.

Of all the various aspects of the Tower repair, the one that has raised most comment is that of the proposed rendering and lime washing of the external tower walls. If there is sufficient interest in the village, the Architect has offered come to and presentation, explaining the reasons as to why this method of repair was chosen. If you would be interested in attending, could you let me or one of the Church Wardens know, and we will make the necessary arrangements.

George Flanders PCC Secretary

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# **BURTON W.I.**



During August Burton WI enjoyed two social outings. The first on the 7th August was a very enjoyable

evening meal at the Kingfisher Restaurant. The second was an outing to Kirkby Stephen where Lynn Hopwood introduced us to her large Vintage Costume Collection, gave us a fascinating talk and provided us with a delicious afternoon tea complete with bone china teacups and silver teapots.

At the September meeting Anne Burrows will be showing us Beads and Wire Jewellery and the competition will be 'A Special Button'.



# **BURTON WI**

SEPTEMBER MEETING

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# Vicar's Letter...

## The middle-man

Margaret Thatcher once seemed synonymous with the Conservative Party. She has gone but the Tories remain. Who could have envisaged the English football team without David Beckham, or University Challenge without Bamber Gascoigne? No doubt, in the future, some will live to see Virgin without Richard Branson or the Royal Family without Queen Elizabeth II. But Jesus Christ has not been replaced and never will be. The Christian faith could not continue to exist without him. Why not?

No-one is like him. The apostle John said he had seen, heard and touched 'the eternal life'. He had realised that Jesus who became an ordinary-looking man, had also, for ever, been there with his Father. Jesus alone is the origin of all life in this universe. He alone is the God-man.

And no-one can do his job. Jesus, the God-man, stands in the middle, hands outstretched, with God on one side and us on the other. He has made it possible for us to approach the God who has no darkness anywhere in him. We may think that we could walk into God's front garden at any time but

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Sincerely Graham Burrows 01524 781210

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# September Services

**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> September, 11.00am** Morning Worship with Communion

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> September, 11.00am** Morning Worship

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> September, 11.00am Morning Worship with Communion

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> September, 11.00am Harvest Thanksgiving (No Sunday Club)

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## August 2014

24/07 - We received a hoax call from a property on Main St. Officers attended the area but were unable to locate the caller.

06/08 - Suspicious circumstances were reported to us whereby patio doors were open and the house alarm had been unset when caller returned home from work at a property in Burton. No sign of forced entry, nothing taken.

12/08 - A vehicle causing an obstruction on Main Street was reported to us. The owner of the vehicle was contacted and arrangements were made to get it moved.

13/08 - A suspicious vehicle which was thought to have been abandoned just near to the village hall was reported to us.

#### **Police Desks**

Although your nearest weekly Police Desk is at Sedbergh, there is a PCSO present at the Burton Village Store once a month, usually a Tuesday, to whom you can speak about any issues which concern you. As the date varies please ask at the shop for the next one. Cumbria Constabulary appreciates the number of calls coming into us regarding suspicious vehicles and persons. Please continue to do so. Also, please remember to keep your vehicles locked, and keep anything of any value out of sight.

Danielle Ayers PCSO 5329 Mandy Coleman PCSO 5244



# Burton-in-Kendal Art & Craft Society

The Burton-in-Kendal Art and Craft Society held its 9th AGM on 28 July. Mrs Mary Newell said she was standing down as Chairman; she was thanked for all her years of guidance to the Society and asked if she would become our first President.

Vice-Chairman Christopher Sutcliffe then gave a report on the year's events, especially the 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition on 31 May/1 June, when there was another excellent display of arts and crafts.



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John Brown explained the coming year's programme of workshops and demonstrations, and he and his wife were thanked for this, and for organising our annual outing, which was to the Walker and Tate galleries in Liverpool.

Audrey Frost, secretary, and Paula Firth, treasurer, were thanked and both said they will continue with these important tasks.

Kath Hayhurst was elected Chairman and she reported on the Society Archives and Library; committee members Jean Hall and Betty Smith will now take on these duties.

Judith Ellis is retiring from the committee and was thanked for all her service. Eric Parrott was re-elected and Cally Lawson was welcomed to the committee.

After refreshments, speaker Sue Mulvaney gave a very interesting talk called "What's behind the picture." She showed slides of famous pictures ancient and modern, and explained how to interpret their meanings.

The next meeting will be a demo of Encaustic Art by Sue Tydsley, on Monday 29 September at 7.30pm at Burton Memorial Hall, visitors welcome.

#### **Burton Recreational Trust**

**BURTON-IN-KENDAL** 

# 10K RACE & 3.5k Fun Run

**Sunday 12 September** 

10k Race starts at 11am 3.5k Fun Run starts at 11.15am

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Burton Pre-School will be organising an obstacle course for the under 7s so that no one misses out on the day. Entry is £1.50 per child and it will be starting at 11.15am once the 10km has got under way so please come along.

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# A Burton Man in Rhodesia by Jon Taylor

At the outbreak of the First World War, as we did, Germany had colonies in East, West and South-West Africa. The Germans were keen to use the War to oust Britain from the area and create an enlarged German colony. Bainbridge was a British soldier enlisted in the British South Africa (B.S.A.) Police and sent out to East Africa to defend British interests there apparently with greater success than his fellow soldiers in France. In March 1916, Fred writes home:

We've been giving the Germans a hot time, miles away from any civilisation. Spent a lovely Christmas night in German East [Africa]. Wet through for ten days, not a stitch dry; but we did get a tin of bully beef and 1lb of flour for Christmas Day. I hope I never spend another day like it. I got back to garrison dead tired. I'm going to settle down to some nice meat and sweet potatoes and I want it too ... I've two chaps in my company, one Sam Laffor, from Kendal, an elephant hunter, formerly a blacksmith, and Sanderson, whose home is at Keswick, but he Mansergh's served his time at (Lancaster) along with Jack Burtholme, and he's spent many a day at Burton.... We left our garrison at 8-30 p.m. on the 17th of December, and during the night trekked something like 15 miles; my

chum and myself had the job ahead with native guide, and was interesting.... We reached... a deserted farm just on the border. Of course the Germans razed this place at the outbreak of war, and we found it in a state of destruction. It is very difficult travelling at night time through the thick bush, especially as we have to look after the carriers. We had 500 natives carrying our stuff, etc., and our armed patrol was a few European B.S.A Police, native soldiers with under command. Our native carriers have a nasty way of bunking away into the bush as soon as many shots are fired, and the bullets start ping-ponging, and they throw down their load, and there's no finding them (the natives) after it's all over; so you see we have to persuade them to lie down, but it's a hard thing to do. It might interest you to know how the German fight up here. First of all, the natives in German East Africa are armed. If they are attacking us, they first send all their untrained natives armed with all sorts of rifles and guns. Practically in close formation, these advance in their hundreds, kicking up a devil of a row and blazing away. I might say that the natives always fire high, so there's no need to fear - to within about 500 yards and then drop, if they haven't already been blotted out. Immediately after some the trained native soldiers under cover of German European fire and maxims and try their best to move us, but it can't be 'did'. The German

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Europeans never come anywhere near, they keep all under cover. They always retire when a few hundreds of their natives have been blotted out; so why worry? It's great fun this guerrilla warfare....

[With thanks to the Westmorland Gazette]

At our Exhibition – WW1 – Our Village Soldiers - on Saturday 25 and Sunday 26 October, we will be telling the story of that war and of the lives of over 200 men who enlisted from this area. The Exhibition will also be held in Holme Community Centre for one day in November. Join us to learn all about the First World War and the part our villages played in it. For more information, call Kath Hayhurst on 781613.

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Cancer Support Drop In - Due to a lack of funding, unfortunately this group has had to close.



# Historical Footnote...

... by Roger Bingham

# **Burton's Churchwarden's Accounts 1717-1850**

The book, purchased for five shillings (5/-).containing Burton's Churchwardens Accounts from 1717-1850 is a valuable social document. Even so, the predominant theme is the similarity of routine duties expenses which would and recognisable 21st to the warden's bills Repair century successors. inevitably dominate the entries like 'flagging the Bell House' £2 15s in 1717 and slates £19 10s 1d and Latt nails 5s 7d in 1718; 21 loads of grit for the church walks in 1721 and to the sexton cleaning walks 'Dressing ye Clock' 13s pa from 1746 to 1787 and painting a new dial plate 10/in 1740 were regular items, as were white washing the inside and outside walls as in 'whitening and rough casting ye steeple £4 3s 1d in 1757' and £7 12s for whitewashing in 1829. Mr Barker received 13s for 'colouring the pulpit' did he paint over the 17th century oak panels? After redecoration the Sexton Richard Layhead was paid £3 for extra cleaning in 1787. When he died his son John was appointed, but as he had been born in Holme it was formally conceded that he should have a

'settlement' in Burton which meant that if he became a pauper Burton rather than Holme would have to pay him Poor Relief.

Bell ringers charges included annually plus 5s for ringing for the 'Gunpowder and Treason' service every November. This thanksgiving service was discontinued only in 1857. But, unlike at Heversham, there are no records for special peals to mark victories in war or for Royal birthdays and accessions. Exceptionally, 'bell ropes, steeple wine, wages and so forth cost £4 5s in 1740.' In 1803 it was decided to provide a new 'peal of six musical chimed bells; the tenor to weigh 7 cwts (hundred weights), the rest in proportion up to 30 cwt a little more or a little less'. The basic cost was £166 15s 6d allowing £77 from sale of the old bells; but with new stocks and general building work the total outlay was £305 19s for which £100 was borrowed.

Mundane expenses included surplice washing - 6s in 1717; new surplices £5 6s 6d in 1824; candles and an almanac 1717: 9d in candles. а almanac, besoms 5/6 in 1736. Wine for the 10 celebrations of Holy Communion a year (compared to over 100 pa today) was bought in bulk with a small allowance of 10s for the Burton's subsidiary chapel at Preston Patrick

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and cost £4 2s for ten gallons in 1724, £3 10s for 3 gallons and 3 quarts in 1725 and £3 18s for 22 bottles in 1729. the registered number communicants was only about 30 they did themselves pretty well, as did the Churchwardens who paid themselves a shilling for their quarterly each meetings, which was more than a skilled man's daily wage. Communion bread cost one shilling for 12 loaves which might also have been distributed to the poor. Charity like 2/6 'to poor traveller' and 2/- 'to a poor man and his wife' are barely mentioned.

Occasional items noted include a bier cloth 7s 11d in 1717; 2 iron chests £2 12s in 1822; 2 water pots 1/- in 1826; map of Clawforpe (sic) and Hutton 6s 8d in 1824; a looking glass for the vestry 8s 6d in 1837; and iron gates for the porch for which no price was recorded in 1845.

A deduction of ten shilling 'for bad work on Mr Tayler's (sic) bill of £7 10s for new seats in 1788' indicates a bit of bother over payment. A solitary reference to music is a 'pitch pipe' bought for 2/6 in 1823.

Some trouble was noted in 1840 by an expression of 'disapprobation of the manner of the accounts' and required that the Churchwarden William Wilcock and his son should repay the Church



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£2 4s 2d. In some ways times were changing for the better. A note of 10s for repairing the stove in 1837 is the first reference to heating, and in 1848 the Churchwardens decided to get estimates from a Lancaster firm for a method heating similar to systems recently acquired by Beetham and Warton churches 'to be installed as soon as possible'. Looking even further ahead the Accounts Book recorded an enquiry at the 1846 Vestry Meeting as to 'whether a woman might be allowed to serve as a Churchwarden'. Whatever next?



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# Roger Reports... from the District & County Councils

Just as council services don't close down - other than most schools councillors no longer have a midsummer break. Accordingly August included a four day review of county council services in preparation for the 2015-16 Budget, which will have to make more savings to fulfill coalition government's order that local authorities should cut their costs by a third. Already Cumbria has reduced the workforce by a quarter - saving £44m. A further cut of £36m is envisaged for 2015-16 and £48m up to 2018 when the target will be achieved - hopefully. Even so, the county's 'output' remains formidable as the council supports 300 provides 730,000 schools. books, looks after 600 children and 28 children's centres. maintains 5.000 miles of highway and recycles 50% of 230,000 tonnes of household waste. The annual turnover is £792.5m.

As a result of government cuts there is £870 less to spend per person p.a. Our biggest demographic pressure is the rise in the proportion of older people which, from a base in 2008, will rise by 30% for 64-84 year olds and for over 85's by 50% by 2021. Cumbria spends £187m on adult safeguarding which includes mental health and learning

disability. On social care CCC spends £196m compared to a national average of £163m. Instead of further massive raw cuts the aim will be to reshape services, as has already happened by increasing home-care for sick and elderly people which is much cheaper (and generally more appreciated) than residential care. I suggested that we might increase home support for 'looked after' children where abuse is not an issue. A problem is that some savings might increase costs. Thus cuts in deprived family support and in school transport could lead to increase in truancy and NEETS (not in education, employment or training) youngsters which could increase all manner of expensive problems.

As we well know hereabouts, highways are the single most important issue raised by the public, while at the same time traffic volume has increased. According to the most recent figures the daily total of 432,000 vehicles in 2012 increased to 434,000 in 2013, which could accelerate to boost the current number of 40 million visitors who support a £2.2 billion (!) tourist industry. Generally highways have met their recent improvement except for meeting repair responses in 11 days - the average is 21 days. Even so, a pot hole reported by me in Mowbray Drive was inspected on the same day and was repaired within an

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'acceptable' period. Our 'star' improvement was in increasing cycling to work from a target of 2,808 to 3,638.

Our fire and rescue services perform well and Cumbria claims to be 'the least expensive fire per station performer' and we have reduced the proportion of false calls by more than any other force. There remain some startling disparity in health and welfare with a 13 year gap in average age of death between deprived areas like Barrow Island and officially prosperous rural areas like Burton. £6m p.a. spent on drug and alcohol services has partly paid off with a drop in opiate use 'but this is quickly being replaced by legal highs and cocaine. amphetamines'. Alcohol is the most misused substance. Even so Cumbria 'has the best performing Drug and Alcohol service in the North West'.

Our economic prognosis is as mixed as background and partly social mirrors it with a projected decline in population. Struggling working age with the exports Eurozone affordable weakness in providina housing are major worries. But employment trends are strong, especially world-class specialist in manufacturing and tourism; and 'transport connectivity' should improve further with developed exploitation of the M6 corridor which, for good or ill, will affect Burton directly. But having had a good summer we can at last be partly cheerful - and we might also have a golden autumn - here's hoping!

## Roger

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# Holme & District Local History Society

On Saturday 25th and Sunday 26th October the HDLHS will be holding am exhibition at Burton Memorial Hall to commemorate The Great War - Our Village Soldiers.

The base of our research about the Burton soldiers is the collection of photographs of these men.

The earliest reference I can find is from the Burton Parish News in March 1916: The vicar begs to acknowledge a large number of photographs of Burton soldiers. When all have been sent in, they will be framed and placed in the church porch.

Westmorland Gazette 11.11.1916:





During the past week photos of 60 of the Burton boys who are taking part in the war, wither at home or abroad, have been framed in fumed oak and placed in the porch of the parish church by the Rev. Francis Sinker as a momento... this was followed by 56 names as listed in the last issue of Burton News.

December 1916: Since the two frames were placed in the church porch the vicar has received more photographs. We are most anxious to complete the third list and hope the remaining photographs may come in speedily.

April 1917: The vicar (who then was Rev. Francis Sinker M.A.) has received the third and last frame for the church porch - 25 photographs - and these will be mounted and framed directly after Easter. It is hoped that we shall be able to overcome the question of damp in the church porch, by moving photographs away from the wall and padding the backs of the frames. Some of the spoilt photographs in the bottom rows are being replaced. At this time there was a list of clergymen taking the services because of the prolonged illness of the vicar.

11th November 1976: Album of 92 photographs

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church porch, but over the years dampness got into the frames and began to cause deterioration.

The photographs have been restored in this album by the Royal British Legion, Burton and Holme Branch.

Thanks are due to Miss Elizabeth Ellen "Tartar" Bainbridge and Mrs Lucy Crayston for their help in identifying many of the names which had become illegible.

Four photographs have yet to be identified and I would be grateful for any information towards establishing their identities.

Yours sincerely

Harry S Barnes, Branch Chairman and Poppy Appeal Organiser, Moss Cottage, Burton.

Now one of the treasures in the Burton archive are these 92 photographs of soldiers from the 1st World War. They were found in April 1988 when Judith Ellis - former chairman of the society - and myself were helping to clean and tidy the church vestry, The book was 12" x 15" with four photographs on each page - overlaid with cellophane. As the condition was very poor we asked permission to have it cared for at, what is now, Cumbria Archive Service, County Hall, Kendal.

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We realised that the images were a very special record of the local people involved in the 1st WW. In the early 1900's the population of Burton and Dalton was less than 500, so why so many soldiers? Were the soldiers advised to have their photographs taken? We know they were told to make a Will. At the time we had four photographers in Burton: John Francis Sutcliffe. who trained Charles Rowbotham: Elizabeth Eleanor Sutcliffe, wife of Francis, who trained Beatrice Sarah Corless. On the photos the photographers are rarely named, but many of the props are recognisable as from the village studios. Nearly all the soldiers in the photos are named, although we have discovered some discrepancies in the spellings and initials. Three are still unnamed and we hope that someone will be able to identify them or their uniform.

Some of the men on the photos seem to have a very tenuous link to the parish - some were itinerant farm labourers, others married Burton girls, some were adopted/fostored by residents, and one is the grandson of parishioners. Three officer brothers had parents living in the village.

Over the years as keeper of the archives I have researched many families who once lived here. Some of the soldiers' families fitted onto these charts, and photos sent by their descendants helped to identify our men.

One soldier from Dalton wrote over 70 letters from wherever he was posted, to his sister, from 1914-1917 - these give a marvellous insight into the life of an ordinary young man from the country, who was eventually fighting in France.

Website:

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# Village People...

an occasional series

I went to see Hester Willink today, what a joy. No sooner had I arrived on the drive than both Hester and her husband Bill were there to meet me. It was a beautiful day and we paused to admire the stunning views of the countryside before going inside.

Hester will be known to a lot of you through her connection with the W.I. (being the current vice-president), a connection which stretches back 60 yrs. A love of singing led Hester to a connection long term with Westmorland Music Council (Over the years she has been both secretary and chair) and its work, which includes support for young musicians of the area. She has sung in choirs since she was 11 and that enjoyment continues through her membership of Eversley Choir.

Charity work is clearly close to the heart of this Quaker lady. She was also involved with the W.R.V.S., running the Kendal office for 8 yrs. Her many duties included providing help for the homeless and the "meals on wheels" service.

Although born in Doncaster, to parents from Sunderland and Ilkley, and going

to school at the Quaker school in York Hester moved with her family to this area when her teacher father came to take up a post at Kendal Grammar School. Having taken a degree in languages at St. Andrews Hester, who was by then engaged to Bill, her husband of 58 years now, moved to London to do a secretarial course. Bill was also from this area and his father was chair of Croppers, the papermill at Burneside. Whereas he is one of five children, Hester has one brother.

They were married when Hester was 23 and went on to have 3 children, who in turn have presented them with 10 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren who are spread far and wide. When the children were young the family were very active. Favourite memories include taking tent holidays abroad, going cross-country skiing and walking in the Alps.

Although I went to see Hester it is quite clear that the bond shared by this couple means that they come as a pair and the relationship is one to be envied and aspired to. Being in banking when it was a highly respectable thing to be, Bill rose to Local Director which in turn led to the family being moved regularly, including one three month stint in Barbados for the whole family whilst Bill covered a sabbatical.

The family moved back here and to

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their present home in 1981 with Bill commuting to Preston until his retirement. Being here obviously suits this lady - her affection for the countryside and outdoor activities is clear from her conversation - though the pursuit of some of these interests is now limited by the 2 new hips that Hester acquired some time ago.

I opened by saying what a joy meeting Hester and Bill was and that feeling has carried through to the end of writing of this piece.

**Charis Twist** 

# CraftMarket 2014

at Burton Memorial Hall

The annual CraftMarket in aid of Hall funds will take place on Saturday 20 and Sunday 21 September.

Open to the public between 10am and 4pm on both days, the CraftMarket will have 24 quality artists and crafters in attendance, each selling their own hand-made items, making an ideal opportunity to find special gifts for yourself or to buy early for Christmas presents.

Up on the stage will be Zoe and Freyja, with their "come and try" craft activities

for the kids - leave them to have fun there whilst you browse the stalls, or enjoy a cuppa in Rachel Martin's Vintage Village Hall Pop-Up Tearoom, where she will be serving delicious home-made sandwiches and cakes, in the Reception Room.

## This year's crafters are as follows:

Pat Hartley - silk painting & batik Keith Hartley - painted pottery

Penni Simpson Fusion Art Glass - fused & kiln-formed glass

Sybil Loxam - children's clothes, vac covers, dog beds, other textiles (Sunday only)

Sally Moon - jewellery

Cally Lawson - paintings, prints & cards Val Marshall - raku pottery & hand-spun wool

Kim Hicks - Xmas knits

Gillian Stephenson - fabric cushions Canalia Hand Painted Canalware -

canalware The Crochety Rabbit - crocheted

accessories
Evelyn Stickland - weaving (Saturday

Mike Booth - woodturning

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## Hanging About at CraftMarket!

We hope that you are making a mobile for our Hanging About display! It can be anything you want (so long as it's safe!) - be creative and imaginative and see what you can come up with. The more we receive the bigger a display we can create.

Each mobile needs to have a card tag attached showing its maker's name and age if under 18, and mark on if you want it to be returned to you afterwards.

You can either drop them into the Hall on Tuesday 16 September between 7.00-7.30pm, or on Friday 19 September between 8.00-8.30pm, or deliver them to Anne and Barry at 4 Drovers Way any afternoon between Sat 13 and Fri 19 September.

Meanwhile, if you want more information just give Anne a call on 781306.



# Editorial...

#### It's back...

After a small amount of arm-twisting at the last meeting of the Editorial Committee, we agreed to bring back the Editorial to the pages of the Burton News. What do you mean, you hadn't missed us? Hah! Well now it's back, and to start with we issue a plea... when you send us an event or a meeting to put into the News, please make sure we have all the relevant details for it. We've had a few lately which had info missing - no start time, no venue, and even no date!

So at the risk of stating the obvious, here's a quick checklist of what we need: Who? (society/group), What? (event/meeting/whatever you're doing), Where? (venue/location), When? (date & time), Why? (a summary of what you're up to, if you want helpers, prizes, info, whatever!) With that we can help you publicise your event or activity in the News.

#### Crossed wires...

Readers may have noticed some odd goings-on with their telephone and / or broadband services in August. Indeed it affected us directly, as we suffered crossed telephone lines. Both our lines were crossed with others exchange, so anyone calling us got Gill at the shop, and anyone ringing her came through to us. Our 2nd line was crossed with a not-in-service line, so that one was totally useless! more bizarre was that the Kings Arms suffered cross-lines with the kennels: can you imagine the pub taking bookings for dogs whilst the kennels is accommodating 2 adults, 4 kids, and can we have early breakfast and a packed lunch please?

Chaos reigned for several days until BT

finally managed to get things untangled and everyone connected back to how they should be, unless of course, you know better?

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## Anne & Barry



# **News from Burton Memorial Hall**

During the Summer break the Hall committee had arranged for the main hall floor to be restored. The floor was lookina very sad. with scratches. stained, small dents, and peeling badminton court lines, so we brought in a specialist floor restoration company to sort it out. Sanding off the old surface, mending the damage, relining the court, and applying top-coat sealers to give a smart new finish meant the main hall was out of action for a week, but we hope that you agree it was worth doing.

Other small tasks which have been done over the Summer include fitting kick strips to the hall doors and having the hanging sign post turned round so it is once again visible, rather than being obscured by the CCC 20mph lights pole. Our next priority is to have the leaky flat roof over the Reception Room kitchen repaired, hopefully before the Winter sets in!



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Bridges have been repaired, the canal widened and at long last, the section from Stainton Crossing to Sellet Hall bridge has been landscaped, a new tow-path laid, the canal bed lined, and is almost ready for re-watering. All without disrupting our resident wildlife.

Canoeists regularly use the canal, and we are pleased to see larger boats beginning to explore and use the waterway, which is what it was built for.

Owners of the canal, the Canal & River Trust, have invited parishes to take over sections, which is a nice way of involving each community.

Walkers, local, and from far afield, enjoy the quiet, easy, on-the-flat walks and beautiful scenery. One group from London recently had a sponsored walk from Preston and raised almost £2,000 for charity, and one of St Patrick's Church's annual walks started on the canal and returned via the gunpower trail and Peasey Beck feeder.

It is, without doubt, a most cherished and wonderful amenity to our area, and one day, will be linked to the rest of the canal system via Tewitfield locks and the Ribble Link.

Frank Sanderson, PRO, Lancaster Canal Trust http://www.lctrust.co.uk/



# Photo Society Meetings

Friday 12 September
Travel Photography & Raffle
Allen Hartley ARPS

Friday 19 September Chairman's evening buffet & Raffle Entries for Wilkinson's Open

Friday 3 October
Wikinson's Open
Judged by Nick Witham

All meetings are held at the Burton Memorial Hall unless otherwise stated, and commence at 7.45pm

Membership & other information: 015395 64345 or 015242 41964

www.holmedps.co.uk

# **Chad Tremble - Dairyman**

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# Burton Fellwalking Society

# September Walks

# Sunday 7 September 1.00pm

Rosthwaite Heights 7 miles Leader: Cecilia Hunt

## Wednesday 17 September 1.00pm

Levens Park \*\*\*

Leader: Oenone Hutchinson

#### Saturday 20 September 9.00am

Flasby Fell 10 miles Leader: Clive Horsford

All walks: Meet in the Memorial Hall car park to arrange lifts & share transport to the starting point. (\*\*\* 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





Registered Charity No. 501134

## Fri 19 Sept - The Second Best Bed

Adm: £12, U18s: £5, Members: £10 It could be construed from his bequest to his wife Ann Hathaway - leaving her his "second best bed" - that William Shakespeare didn't think too much of the woman he married... We find Ann at home alone on the evening after Shakespeare's funeral and it becomes clear that maybe she didn't think much of him either. She suggests that the Bard was less literate than the folio indicates, that he was fond of a few drinks not to mention of the ladies. Liz Grand, one of Worcester Rep's best loved actors, plays Ann. Worcester Repertory Co.

#### Fri 26 Sept - SAVING MR BANKS

(2013) [PG] - 2 hour 5 mins

Emma Thompson and Tom Hanks are wonderful in this enjoyable film about the extraordinary story of how Walt Disney came to produce *Mary Poppins*, one of the most popular films of all time. After promising his daughter that he would make a film of her favourite book it then takes Walt Disney 20 years to persuade author, L.P.Travers, to hand over the film rights to her most treasured creation.

E-mail: boxoffice@theherontheatre.com Book online: www.theherontheatre.com

Telephone: 015395 64283

Unless shown otherwise all performances start at 7.30pm. Doors open 45 minutes before a performance.

Facilities: Car Parking - Disabled Access - Hearing Loop installed - Coffee & Drinks



# Burton-in-Kendal Art & Craft Society

# **ENCAUSTIC ART**

**Demo: Sue Tydsley** 

Monday 29 September 7.30pm Burton Memorial Hall

## **Kirkby Lonsdale Netball Club**

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

For fitness or fun, competitive and noncompetitive 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



Borwick & Priest Hutton
Gardeners' Club

The Garden in September
Speaker: Shelagh Todd

Tuesday 23 September 7.30pm Borwick & Priest Hutton Memorial Hall

## **HOLME SOCIAL CLUB**

Tel: 01524 781936

Saturday 13 September
SIDE BY SIDE
From Manchester
Members £1 Non Members £3

Sunday 21 September A.G.M.

For more details please contact the club.

All Welcome!
Come and Support Your Local Club



# Tour & Talk at Travis House (Abbeyfield) Kirkby Lonsdale

**Tuesday 9 September** 

Contact Jenny for details: 01524 781907



# **LMMES**

The Ride-on Miniature Railway re-opens for the Summer

Running on Sundays & Bank Holidays 'till end of September

Full details on www.bumpkinworld.co.uk

We are at A6 Tarn Lane Yealand. We hope for better weather this summer - no rained off days!

#### **Pilates Classes**

Thursdays 3pm - 4pm
Burton Memorial Hall
£36 for 6 sessions or £7 per session

Pilates targets the deep postural muscles resulting in a longer, leaner and more toned body. It is suitable for all ages and fitness levels as exercises can be modified to meet the needs of everyone.

For more details of these and other Pilates classes, and to reserve a place, contact Hilary by phone on 01539 736375 or 0794 851 6223 or by email to: southlakespilates@gmail.com

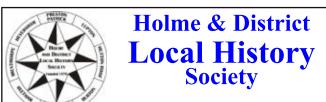
#### **Callanetics Sessions**

Callanetics every Friday morning from 9.30 - 10.30am at Burton Memorial Hall

# Special Offer CALLANETICS & ZUMBA

- 1) 1 Class per week £5
- 2) \*5 Classes over 5 weeks £23 a saving of £2
- 3) \*10 Classes over 10 weeks £45 a saving of £5

Contact Lesley Gaulter on 07749 756992 or email: l.gaulter@hotmail.co.uk and website: www.callaneticsblackpool.co.uk



http://localhistory.burtonweb.org.uk

# Wordsworth in Cumbria Monday 15 September 7.30pm

**Burton Memorial Hall** 

Visitors & new members welcome



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.

# **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.

# **KEEP US POSTED!**

If you are planning an event in Burton let us know and we'll add a free entry to the list which we publish in every issue. This gives your event more publicity and flags up potential clashes of dates. Let BN help you make the most of your event!

# **Holme & District Flower Club**

Back to the Future Speaker: Tania Scott

Monday 1 September Preston Patrick Memorial Hall

Visitors welcome: £5 per person Contact: Carol Philpott 07827 972 520

# **Circuit Training**

Mondays 7.15 - 8.15pm BMH Main Hall

Wednesdays 7.15 - 8.15pm HIIT BMH Club Room

> Fridays 6.15 - 7.15pm BMH Reception Room

Improve your Strength & Endurance
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For further info call John 01524 781707

# South Lakes Age UK 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. The next meeting is 10 September.

# **Burton Indoor Bowling Club**

We meet each Wednesday afternoon 2 till 4. It's good fun and exercise. Why not try it out? Everyone welcome at Burton Memorial Hall.

# **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.

# **Mobile Banking Service**

Memorial Hall Car Park Fridays

1.15pm - 1.45pm

http://www.natwest.com/personal/more-ways/g4/atwests-mobile-banking-service/cumbria.ashx

## ART IN BURTON

Three art groups meet regularly in the Memorial Hall. If you are interested, why not contact the group leaders to find out more about each session?

Monday 2 pm - 4 pm Mary Newell, tel: 782749 Thursday 9.30 am - 12 noon Judith Ellis, tel: 781057 Friday 9.30 am - 12 noon Paula Firth, tel: 781984

# County Library Van Times



The library van will be in the Memorial Hall car park every Monday between 10.00 - 11.00 a.m. Why not pop along and save yourself a trip to Kendal?

# **Library Coffee Morning**



Monday 1 September 10am - 11am



**Burton Memorial Hall** 

# **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.

See us online with colour photos!

Burton News Website

www.burtonnews.org.uk

#### **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

# **Community Info**

# 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 time as a driver you would be most welcome, please contact Lynne or Peter for details.)

#### **SURGERY TIMES**

Dr JH Gorrigan
By appointment only at the
Memorial Hall.
To make appointments
please telephone 015395 63307

#### **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

# **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 01539 713567 or send an e-mail to kendal.registeroffice@cumbriacc.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.

Cumbria County Council Highways Hotline

0845 609 6609

to report road or pavement problems

# **SLDC Recycling Information**



Andy Vickers
Customer Contact Centre
on 0845 050 4434
or by email to:

recycling@southlakeland.gov.uk

# **Burton in Kendal** Parish Council

Meetings are 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 & Contact Details:

Are available on the PC notice board outside the Memorial Hall, on the PC website, or 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 - Jane Johnson on 784836



# ADVANGE DIARY DATES



Burton Annual 10K and Fun Run, Sunday 14 September

BMH CraftMarket 2014, Sat 20 & Sun 21 September 10am-4pm, BMH

NSPCC Afternoon Tea, Sun 28 Sept 12noon - 4pm, Woodlands, Clawthorpe

BMH Fashion Show by Kitty Brown Boutique, Thurs 2 Oct, 7.30pm, BMH Cafe Church Harvest, Friday 10 October 2.00pm - 3.30pm, BMH BMH Harvest Fair, Sat 18 October 10am - 12 noon, BMH WW1 Commemoration Exhibition, Sat 25 & Sun 26 October, BMH

Burton Pre-School Halloween Disco, Sat 1 Nov 5.30pm - 7.30 pm - BMH
Bonfire Night, Wednesday 5 November
Burton Pre-School Nearly New Sale, Sat 8 Nov 10am - mid-day - BMH
Burton Pre-School Xmas Shopping Evening, Thurs 20 Nov 7.00 - 9.30pm, BMS
'Christmas Cracker' Coffee Morning, Sat 22 Nov 10am - 12noon, BMH

Children's Parties Year 3-6, Saturday 6 December 6.30pm till 8.30pm Children's Parties Pre-school-Year 2, Sunday 7 December 2pm till 4.30pm Cafe Church Christmas, Friday 12 December 2.00pm - 3.30pm, BMH Burton Pre-School Xmas Bingo, Fri 12 Dec BMH Burton Pre-School Xmas Fair, Sat 13 Dec 10am - mid-day BMH

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

BMH = BURTON MEMORIAL HALL BMS = Burton Morewood School BCSC = Burton Children's Sports Committee
BRT = Burton Recreation Trust