

BURTON NEWS

THE VILLAGE NEWSLETTER

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NEW TO THE VILLAGE? JOIN US AT THE

Welcome to

Burton-in-Kendal

DROP IN DAY



WEDNESDAY 3rd MAY

12.30-4.00pm at Burton Memorial Hall

See what happens in the village

5.30-6.30pm at Burton Morewood School

Enjoy a tour of the school

Join us for tea, coffee & cake

Come along & meet new people

(and perhaps get involved in a new group?)

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BURTON NEWS

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EDITORIAL

Welcome to the April Edition of Burton News. Surely we will be able to swap from muddy wellies to shoes sometime soon!

With that in mind, we apologise for the late arrival of Annabel's Spring Watch (p12/13) but, as the frogs have only just started getting interested in my garden pond, perhaps it is actually quite timely.

We have had a good response to our request for distributors for the new developments at Church Bank and Meadow Close. Thank you to those who volunteered.

Staff and pupils at the school have been working hard to welcome new families to the village and, together with a few other organisations, have put together a welcome pack for new residents which they distributed to Meadow Close in March. BN would like to congratulate the whole school community on a successful recent Ofsted Inspection - reported by Mr Wilson on p15.

As part of this "welcome to our village" initiative, the Hall and school are hosting an open day on 3rd May to let people know what goes on and how they can get involved - see front page poster. This is not just for newcomers - everyone is invited - volunteers and participants are vital to keep our community events up and running.

Unfortunately, the **Daffodil Show**, which we advertised last month and were looking forward to, has had to be

Please would readers note that letters & articles must include a valid name & address. This can be withheld 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.

EDITORIAL (Continued)

cancelled due to a variety of factors. BN hopes this is not permanent and thanks those involved in organising it in the past.

There are a couple of history items this month: another interesting treasure trove finding from George Robertson and an article about one of the ancient crosses to be found in the church history corner from Kath Hayhurst (p8/9).

In May, we will have the King's coronation and the Parish Council are in search of ideas for a permanent memorial to this, contact details on p22. The friends of BMS are organising a day long event in the school on Saturday May 3rd, see p14.

Did anyone get all 65 words for the letters in BURTON? Please let us know!

We wish you all a happy Easter, however you celebrate the holiday, and hope you enjoy this edition of the BN.
Fiona & Matthew



Readers' LETTERS

Dear Editors

Once upon a time there was a beautiful lane with trees that provided a special habitat for rare Orchids - now it's gone!

This was done with no consultation or reference, or even information given, to the ,Clawthorpe community; although I have heard that it was approved/legally agreed by the Forestry Commission.

I feel strongly that local people should be involved in these decisions. I'm sure everyone will agree that the environment has suffered from this action.

Yours sincerely,
Hayley Owen

Editors note: We asked the Forestry Commission for a response and the following message has been received:

A Forestry Commission spokesperson said:

"We are aware of reports of alleged illegal felling at Clawthorpe and have opened a full review into these allegations. As this review is ongoing, we cannot offer any further comment".

In view of this response Burton News does not consider it would be appropriate for us to include further correspondence on this matter.

Burton, Holme, and District Local History Society

Monday April 17th
Gleaston Castle: A History and Recent Developments
Dan Elsworth



A full programme is available on the website
www.localhistory.burtonweb.org.uk

Contact, Chairwoman and Programme Co-ordinator Kath Hayhurst.
Tel. 01524 781613 email kathhayhurst84@gmail.com
New members welcome, Subscriptions are £12/year
Treasurer: Dorothy Spencer. Tel. 01524 781540
email dorothyspencer263@gmail.com

Burton-in-Kendal Art and Craft Society For Demonstrations, Exhibitions, Talks and Workshops



There will be no Craft Group in April due to Easter.
The Art Group meets most Fridays 9:30am - 12 Noon BMH with the
exception of Good Friday

There is no planned event in April but hold your diaries for 13th and 14th
May which is our **ANNUAL ART AND CRAFT EXHIBITION** in the
memorial hall.

To join the Society contact the Treasurer Paula Firth.
Tel 01524 571997, email p.c.firth@hotmail.com or mobile:07488
328464 or Chairwoman and Programme Co-ordinator Kath Hayhurst .
Tel:01524 781613 or email kathhayhurst84@gmail.com
Subscriptions are £10 per year and include free programme events, free
art and craft entries to the exhibition and use of the society library.



Burton Amateur Dramatic Society

BADS present **W.I. Blues**
Friday May 19th, Saturday May 20th.
Tickets £10, email fholloway001@gmail.com
or call Fliss on 07588 154773 to reserve.

Burton Singers



Burton Singers will be performing their concert '**It's a Wonderful World**' on
Saturday 10th June. Tickets are £12 and will be available from the Village
Shop nearer the time. More details can be found on the posters around the
village, coming soon, or on our Facebook page.

Burton Fellwalkers

Burton Fell Walkers aim to do three walks each month, except in December. New walkers are always welcome, come and join us! Contact our Secretary Sarah Walker via the website <http://fellwalkers.burtonweb.org.uk> or on 01524 923528.



April walks are as follows:

Sunday 2nd – 12 Noon – Farleton Knott – (<500 feet) – 6 miles - Moderate

Saturday 15th – Pen-y-ghent - (1800ft) – 10 miles – Hard

Wednesday 19th – 10am – Crosby Ravensworth – 200 feet – 5 miles - Easy

BONUS WALK

Wed 26 April 8.30am - Low Pike / High Pike - (2700ft) - 9miles - Strenuous

BURTON MEMORIAL HALL 200 CLUB

RESULTS FOR FEBRUARY 200 CLUB DRAW;

First Prize:	£27	R. HESKETH
Second Prize:	£17	J. ORR
Third Prize:	£11	R. LAW

Anyone wishing to join the 200 Club,
please contact J Orr on bmh200club@outlook.com
Or call 01524 784 939

Cost £12 per number for a year (12 draws)

Why not buy a year's subscription to the 200 Club for £12 as a birthday gift for a family member or friend? If you already have a number, why not buy another and increase your chances of a win?

Could you be the new 200 Club Organiser?

Jane Orr, the organiser of the 200 Club has informed the Hall Committee that she will be standing down at the end of the Club's financial year, which is 31 August 2023. As result we are seeking a new volunteer, who must be over the age of 18, to take on this role as the Club provides a useful source of income to the Hall. Jane will prepare the year end accounts and liaise with the auditor for the current year, so the new volunteer's role will commence with the September 2023 period. She has also indicated her willingness to provide support during the handover.

We would ask any interested parties to contact any member of the Hall committee or Jane Orr on 01524 984 939 or bmh200club@outlook.com

The Word From BURTON MEMORIAL HALL

Throughout April we are continuing our Warm Welcome Wednesdays each week, but with the earlier start time of 12.30pm, which allows us to offer a hot lunch at 1pm as well. If you would like to join us for lunch please let me know on 781306 no later than the Tuesday before, so that we can ensure we have sufficient for everyone coming to eat. If you're not eating then you don't need to pre-book, just pop in and join us for a hot drink of your choice. The session will continue until 4pm as before, with a selection of games, jigsaws, and lots of chat. Bring your knitting, crochet or other hobby along if you like, or your tablet / laptop and enjoy the benefit of our hyperfast B4RN wifi internet access, or ask for help with a technical issue you're stuck on.



Warm
Welcome
Wednesdays

Enjoy a hot drinks in a warm & comfortable room.
Chat with others, play a game, read a book, do a
jigsaw, bring your knitting, or surf the internet!

Every Wednesday
12.30pm-4pm at Burton Memorial Hall

HOT FOOD (at 1pm) & HOT DRINKS :: CHAT
GAMES :: FREE WI-FI :: JIGSAW LIBRARY

FUNDED BY:
CUMBRIA
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

Following on from our successful and well-attended fashion show by the lovely team from Kitty Brown Boutique in Carnforth in March, we are now looking forward to our family friendly Easter Bingo on Friday 14th April (doors open 6.30pm, eyes down 7pm), where you will find great prizes and a raffle, with tasty refreshments on sale.

The following week, on Saturday 22nd April, we are holding our Spring Market from 10am - 4pm in the main hall, with Jan's Pop-up Cafe in the Reception Room, and the hall's massive used book stall in the Club Room. Admission to the Spring Market will be £1 per adult, with accompanied under 12's free. We hope to see you there.

On Wednesday 3rd May there will be a Welcome to the Village Drop-in Day split across 2 sessions: from 12.30pm - 4pm in the Memorial Hall, with hot drinks and cake, and from 5.30pm-6.30pm at Morewood School. In the hall you'll be able to find out what activities take place in the village and how you can join in, and have a look around the hall if you've not visited it before. At school you'll be able to see the learning environment, talk to staff about sending your children there, and find out about what other activities are organised by the school, the PTA etc. Both sessions are free to attend and everyone (not just new residents) will be very welcome.

Anne Nichols, Chair of the BMH
Management Committee



Easter

B I N G O

at Burton Memorial Hall
Burton-in-Kendal, LA6 1NA

Friday 14th April
Doors open 6:30pm, Eyes down 7:30pm
Great prizes, refreshments, bar, raffle
ALL WELCOME!

Burton Memorial Hall is a charity registered in England & Wales with the Charity Commission, no. 505018

**BURTON VILLAGE STORE - NORMAL
OPENING HOURS**

Monday - Friday

Shop: 6am - 5:30pm
Post Office : 9am - 5.30pm

Saturday

Shop: 6am to 5:30pm
Post Office: 9am to 12:30pm

Sunday

Shop: 7am - 12 noon
Post Office: Closed



BURTON VILLAGE STORE & POST OFFICE

EASTER 2023 - OPENING TIMES

	SHOP	POST OFFICE
GOOD FRIDAY 7th April	06.00 - 12.00	CLOSED
SATURDAY 8th April	06.00 - 17.30	09.00 - 12.30
EASTER SUNDAY	07.00 - 12.00	CLOSED
EASTER MONDAY 10th April	07.00 - 12.00	CLOSED



SPRING MARKET

Saturday 22nd April

10am-4pm

LOTS OF FABULOUS STALLS

Light Refreshments by Jan's Pantry

**and the
The Hall's
Pop-up Used
Book Shop**

**Admission £1,
accompanied
under 12's free**

BURTON MEMORIAL HALL

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Burton Book Drop & Coffee Mornings

The Coffee Morning & Book Drop will be on
Monday 3rd April

The second Book Drop will be on **Monday 17th April**



Carnforth
&
Milnthorpe



Primary Care Network

All Ash Trees and Park View branch surgeries are closed for staff training on the following dates

Thurs 20 April 23

Weds 17 May 23

For medical assistance when we are closed, please ring NHA 111 or access NHS 111 online.

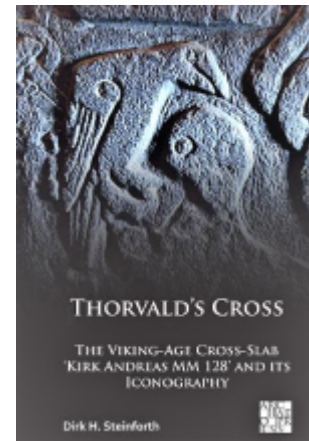
It's a date in Burton!

History notes by Kath Hayhurst

This is the first of a series of notes which refer to dates in Burton Parish.

The earliest reference to a church building in Burton is 1120. Prior to this, the local inhabitants would simply gather round a preaching cross. Within the present church are the remains of four crosses which are recognised as dating from the 10th to 11th century. In 2015 the local history society, helped by some grant funding, created a heritage corner in the church. Here you will find the cross pieces with explanation boards.

In 2018 Dr Dirk Steinforth, a medieval specialist archeologist, came to see the ancient relics and in 2022, he returned, bringing his book *Thorvald's Cross* which includes a photograph of one of the Burton stones including a speculative lion at the base of the Jesus figure. My illustration, below, produced for the heritage display, does not include the lion.



From Burton Church Heritage Corner information board:

No 1 Cross Shaft (which once had a ring head)

Date 10th to 11th Century

All four faces are bordered by a roll moulding.

Front A

Three panels – the top one has two naked figures on either side of an empty cross. They are thought to be the Virgin Mary and St John. The right hand figure grasping the stem of the cross. The left hand figure raising one arm. They are set on the curved frame of the panel below.

The centre panel is set within an arched frame and is typical of North Western sculpture in the Viking period. A naked figure – Christ rising from the tomb – with glory round his head carrying a cross over his shoulder and a palm branch on the other. He is trampling a serpent whose head is below his left arm.

The bottom panel contains worn traces of thick twisting shapes.

George's Treasure Trove

Medieval history.

The Poesy Ring. Circa. 15th-16th. Century.

The term posy, based on the French "Poesy" describes the amatory verse or rhyming motto with which the rings are engraved, here the inscription reads:

" My love no less, then I possess."

The practice of giving gold hoops with mottoes at betrothals or weddings was common in England from the 14th. Century onwards and continued until the late 18th. Century. Posy rings could however be given on many other occasions as tokens of friendship or loyalty, and " posies " are often found on religious or memorial rings.

The inscriptions are found on the inside of the ring and are hidden to everyone except the wearer. Most of the sentimental mottoes were taken from the popular literature of the time such as "Chapbooks " (Pamphlets) or from collections of the language of courtship. A few customers would supply their own compositions for the goldsmith to engrave.



A Word from our new Westmorland & Furness Councillor

The new Westmorland & Furness Council officially assumes its duties this month. Our new councillor, Vicky Hughes, aims to give Burton News regular updates on Council matters. Vicky may have already introduced herself to you in person but does so for all our readers here:

"I am looking forward to the 1st April when I can actually work with the community and Westmorland and Furness to make improvements for all the residents. One of the key things I would like to look at is securing a safe crossing for Burton Morewood school and hopefully will be having a walk about with the Highways team in April. If anyone would like to pass any comments or get in touch please don't hesitate to contact me. I look forward to working with you all."



**You can contact Vicky Hughes as follows,
Shadow Authority for Westmorland & Furness
Council:**
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Station Lane
Burton-in-Kendal, Cumbria, LA6 1HR
Tel: 07785 923940
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Vicky.Hughes@westmorlandandfurness.gov.uk

Fitness Is Fun!



This month, let's target the abs, seated!

This important muscle group can help provide strength and stability, which can improve posture and balance. We're not so much looking for a 6 pack, rather a strong set of muscles that will act as a natural girdle supporting the spine and internal organs. Repeat the following exercises several times.

An easy peasy start....simply suck in your stomach and hold, activating your deep core muscles. You don't need to hold your breath!! Now, a modified sit up. Sit up safely toward the front of your chair, feet flat on the floor and keeping your back straight lean towards the back of the chair. Make sure you engage the abs and only lean as far back as you can whilst maintaining a straight back.

Next, put your hands by your ears , pull in the belly and lift one bent leg at a time. Keep it controlled. For a variation, add a little twist, keeping the back straight lift the left leg and twist to the left. Repeat on the right side.

Finally, for the sides, with hands still by the ears and back straight, dip your elbow towards your hip, alternating each side.

As always, make sure you're sitting safely on the chair, keep within your capability and range of movement and if anything hurts at all it's time to stop. It's much more important to build up the number of repetitions gradually rather than overdo it and risk injury.

Pop on your favourite music and enjoy getting stronger!
Have fun!
Jan Abbott

Flexibility

***SEATED
FUSION
FITNESS***

Mobility

Strength and stability

Fun

Burton Memorial Hall

Thursday 10.45 to 11.15

£3.00 per session

Call or email for more information

Jan Abbott:

Mobile: 07479 524524

Home: 01524 782429

Email: janabbott9553@gmail.com



Congratulations to Duckett Building Firm on their 75th Anniversary. BN has been provided with a short history of this successful local firm.

75th Anniversary of Duckett Ltd

Now in its third generation, Duckett Limited continues to build on the values of its founders. Even if brothers Ernest and Edward wouldn't quite recognise the modern business they would certainly know the principles by which it stands. The family firm prides itself on traditional values, together with a reputation for quality and integrity, a personal service, and a commitment to "delighting our customers". As the current Managing Director puts it "There are three things that underpin how we run our business; local knowledge, a personal and flexible approach to projects, and upholding the highest standards of workmanship and quality through our 30 strong workforce team."

The original business was founded in 1946 by Ernest & Edward Duckett after they were de-mobbed from the armed forces after the Second World War. They acquired a joiners and undertakers in Holme; still based there to this day, giving unbroken service and compassion to the surrounding area. In 1963 son Brian decided to follow in his father's footsteps and he became an apprentice joiner. They began work on a large residential development in Holme, and later in Staveley. Edward Duckett & Son was launched in 1976 when Ernest retired.

Following that, in 1999, the third chapter began when Brian established the current incarnation, Duckett Ltd. Brian's vision has provided high standards of construction, workmanship, and customer service. At the same time he wanted to retain a family and local workforce at the core of the business. It's an approach that has set the Company in good stead over the years with an outstanding workforce, many of whom started as apprentices. Some members of the team have between 20 and 40 years service.

The Company has continued to innovate, buying the Clawthorpe Hotel in 2004 and turning it into a modern Business Centre, which also serves as the Head Office of the firm. Duckett Ltd won accolades for a 2004 new build private residence in Kirkby Lonsdale; winning a national Royal Institute of British Architects Award and 'House of the Year:North' on Channel 4's 'Grand Designs' TV programme.

Ed note: The committee would like to point out that this article is for historical interest only and not a recommendation or advertisement.

Wild About Spring

Ed note: we are sorry that Annabel's Spring article got lost in a cloud between her computer and ours last month. We are glad to include it in this edition. The frog concert may already have happened but the resulting tadpoles are still around! Normal service will be resumed with the Summer edition.

Welcome to my third seasonal top tips on connecting with nature this Spring. If you missed my other articles, my name is Annabel and I will be bringing you a quarterly nature update in Burton News, with top species to spot and a top nature-based activity to take part in each season.

Top spot in Spring

To me, there's nothing that says Spring quite like the sound of frogs emerging from their winter hideouts and descending onto ponds, pools and sometimes even puddles, to lay their frog spawn. I spent my teenage years on my parents' small holding in Rossendale, East Lancashire, not far from where Brian Yorke grew up in Haslingden. We would look forward to 'Frog Day' – a sure sign of Spring when the pond in our garden would become alive with a croaking chorus of hundreds of frogs mating and spawning. We have a much smaller pond in our garden here in Burton, but we get frogs none-the-less, and that sound when it strikes up, means that lighter days and better weather are just around the corner. Listen and look out for a frog concert near you!



A common frog by Chris Sheilds

Go wild at home

Frogs, like many of our beloved wildlife in the UK, have suffered from a loss of habitat. Ponds have been filled in, wetlands have been drained and this means that sometimes finding a place to have their tadpoles is tricky. The good news is, no matter how large or small an outdoor space you have, you can still give frogs a helping hand by creating a mini pond. You'd be surprised at what will occupy a washing up bowl! Rainwater is better than using tap water, as it's more natural, and then add a few native water plants such as water forget-me-not or marsh marigold and hey presto, you've got a pond fit for the Frog King! Full details on how to make a mini pond here: www.rspb.org.uk/get-involved/activities/nature-on-your-doorstep/garden-activities/create-a-mini-pond/



Making a mini pond from a washing up bowl by Nick Cunard

See you in Summer! -

Annabel

Burton's Big Bash, King's Coronation Colour Dash

Join us for a family fun day celebrating the King's Coronation with Burton's very first colour dash!

The 1 mile route will be around the school field with optional obstacles and lots of colour! We will start runners off from 1pm but we will have entertainment and refreshments from 12.30pm. The fabulous local band Off Limits is playing with a disco in the evening. We will have traditional races and games during the afternoon.

All runners will need to have pre-registered and to have completed a waiver.

Tickets are £10 per adult and £5 per child (under 16)

Children under 16 must be accompanied on the field by an adult.

All non-runners will need to purchase a field entry ticket of £3

We have a limited amount of tickets available for an early bird discount of 20% to be redeemed by 31st March
Any profits go to Burton Morewood School

*Friends of Burton
Morewood School
Events*



Burton Morewood School is also hosting GT7 football Easter Soccer Schools.



GT7 Football Academy are running soccer schools for girls and boys aged 4-14 during the Easter break. Our soccer schools will be held in Burton from 10am-3pm on Thursday 6th April and 13th April.

Participants will need a packed lunch, drinks and appropriate footwear. To book a place on the soccer schools we are running at Easter please book via www.trybooking.co.uk/CEXK

A Welcome Pack for New Burton Residents

Residents are starting to occupy the new houses at Meadow Close, above Boon Town. Richard Wilson, Head of Burton Morewood CE School, had the great idea of providing a 'Welcome Pack' for new arrivals to our village.

Children from the school - accompanied by Richard, Graham Burrows, and your editors - recently delivered a pack to each property in the development; taking the opportunity to welcome some of the new occupants.



The 'welcome pack' contains information about the school and the church, as well as the village shop, parish council, village hall, Burton News, and the range of local societies and activities available in the area. The plan is to keep the pack updated and to provide it to future new residents, either directly or via the village shop.

As part of the same initiative, the village hall and school are going to host a day long event to encourage people to get involved in village events, as advertised on the front cover. This is not just for new residents, please come along if you would like to know more about what happens in Burton and, maybe, what you can do to help?

A Word from the Head

I am delighted to share with you the news that Burton Morewood received a 'Good' rating across all areas during our most recent OFSTED Inspection (January 2023).

In total 5 areas are judged and then an overall grade is awarded.

Overall effectiveness	Good
The quality of education	Good
Behaviour and attitudes	Good
Personal development	Good
Leadership and management	Good
Early years provision	Good



Link to Ofsted Report

Word from the Head - continued

This result is a testament to the dedication and hard work of our staff, families, volunteers and community, but also to that of the children. During the inspection our children were truly amazing. They acted as positive role models and ambassadors for our school. Each and every one of them can be proud of our achievement and their contribution towards it.

As well as the report, which I hope you will take a moment to read (short weblink here - rb.gy/kpwlbs, or use the QR code above), the Inspectors also fed back verbally to Senior Leaders and Governors about many positive aspects of life in school. These included the following comments:

- The children were delightful and thought carefully about the questions.
- Behaviour is positive between children and adults. This is consistent across the school.
- There is appropriate modelling (teaching) by adults.
- Adults have high expectations for all pupils.
- Our children know how to study (learn).
- The school Curriculum is ambitious, well sequenced and shows clear progression.
- Christian Values work well, with rewards that children like.
- Leadership of SEND is strong, proactive and early interventions made.
- In Early Years, 'Floor books' show a wealth of exciting experiences and Parents welcome 'Tapestry' as they feel a part of their child's learning.
- Teacher subject knowledge addresses misconceptions well.
- Classrooms are well stocked with relevant libraries.
- There was a high percentage of parental responses on 'Parent View'. A school of our size may normally receive 12-16 replies in the 'free text' space. We received 50, of which 44 were positive and 2 were neutral. Of the 4 negative comments there was no 'common thread' joining these comments. This shows the strength of support for the school.

In addition to the grades above, we were delighted that the children's Personal Development was described as a "very, very, strong good" and the inspectors verbally identified only one small area for the school to adapt to make this 'Outstanding'. All of our extra-curricular clubs/offers were enthusiastically welcomed.

Well done everyone, and thank you for your support.

Richard Wilson – Head Teacher

For more information about the school, please visit our website, or call to arrange a visit – 01524 781627. We will very happily show you around our school.

Up for a Challenge?

Try this Medium Difficulty Suduko Puzzle

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			7		4		1	
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Sudoku puzzles are provided by www.sudokuoftheday.com – visit them and get a new Sudoku every day!

MARCH CHALLENGE - SOLUTION

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								B	O	R	N

Remember this is only one possible solution, you may well have found others that are equally correct. Who knew that so many words could come out of Burton!

Parish Council Notes

Notes from the Annual Parish Meeting and the March Parish Council meeting.

The Annual Parish Meeting was attended by our retiring County and District Councillor Roger Bingham, District Councillor Brian Cooper and shadow Authority Councillor Vicky Hughes. Unfortunately there were no attending members of the public.

The Chairman gave his review of the year, which although too long for the Burton News, can be found on the website and will be published on the Burton Westmorland Facebook page. Following the review, long servicing County and District Councillor Roger Bingham, who is retiring at the end of this month, was the guest speaker. He gave an amusing short talk about his early days as a Councillor in and around Burton.

It was then back to Parish Council business with the March meeting following straight after the Annual Parish Meeting. All Parish Councillors were in attendance. The usual first items of business were ticked off quickly and, as there were no members of the public, the Public Forum was opened and closed.

There were 3 planning applications this month, all of which were non-controversial and no comments or objections were received.

Speeding, parking and general traffic issues are a continuing problem in the village and the next subject for discussion was possible crossing and road markings. It was decided that this would be added to the list of points to talk to the Highways department about when a meeting is organised with our

new District Councillor, Highways and Parish Council.

The next two items were funding requests, one being social activities that take place in the Memorial Hall. As the PC has worked hard to keep their proportion of residents' council tax constant, this has to lead to some hard choices and we were, therefore, unable to help with this request.

The next funding request was to continue supporting the Book Drop for the next year. The Parish Council agreed to request a bit more information on how their funds were used and this will be put on the next Parish Council agenda when more information is received.

With regard to the Coronation Commemoration – there had been some correspondence from a resident asking if the Parish Council would be organising a social gathering to celebrate this event. Unfortunately, the Parish Council is not able to organise social events. However, the Parish Council would like to commemorate this historic event with a lasting memorial. This can include tree planting, memorial bench etc. Currently the School are looking at a Coronation Garden project with the Parish Council and more details will be available soon. In the meantime if any members of the public would like to put any suggestions to the Parish Council please contact the Clerk.

Finally, the Lengthsman logs and Councillor reports were given and tasks to be carried out over the next few weeks noted.

The next meeting will take place on Thursday 20th April at 7.30pm in the Memorial Hall and as usual everyone is welcome to attend.



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Vicar's Letter...

Dear Friends,

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In 1929 WW1 hero Brigadier William Dobbie was stationed in Palestine and given an office overlooking the hill where Jesus was said to have been crucified. When copies of the New Testament were delivered for distribution to his troops he had this note inserted into each book: "You are stationed at the place where the central event in human history occurred – namely the crucifixion of the Son of God. You may see the place where this happened and you may read the details in this book. As you do this, you cannot help being interested, but your interest will change into something far deeper when you realise the events concern you personally."

What did he mean? That, if they would read their New Testaments, under God's guidance, they would see that Jesus died on the cross to rescue each of them from a fate worse than that faced by St George's princess. Many others have come to the same life-changing conclusion by reading the same book. Why not seek out a Gospel to read this Easter?

Happy Easter, and Happy St George's Day too,

Sincerely

Graham Burrows

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Administrator/Treasurer:

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St James Church Burton

April 2023 Services

Sunday 2 April **Palm Sunday**
11am Morning Worship

Thursday 6 April **Maundy Thursday**
7.30pm Joint Communion (BCP) at Burton

Friday 7 April **Good Friday**
10am Joint Service at Holme

Sunday 9 April **Easter Day**
11am Morning Worship with Communion

Sunday 16 April
11am Morning Worship

Sunday 23 April
11am Morning Worship with Communion

Sunday 30 April
10am Joint Morning Worship at Holme



OTHER PLACES OF WORSHIP

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Burton in Kendal Parish Council

Meetings

3rd Thursday of every month at 7.30pm
Members of the public are always welcome to observe. Each meetings includes an OPEN FORUM.

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.

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 April 20th, 7.30pm BMH

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Monday 3rd – Coffee Morning & Book Drop 10-11am BMH

Friday 14th – Spring Bingo – 6.30pm (doors open) BMH

Monday 17th – Book Drop 10-11am BMH

Monday 17th – Local History Society meeting
“Gleaston Castle – A History, and Recent Developments”
Dan Elsworth

Thursday 20th – Burton Parish Council Meeting – 7.30pm BMH

MAY

Every Friday – Art Group 9.30am to 12 Noon BMH

Saturday 6th – King’s Coronation ‘Big Bash’ – 1pm onwards – Burton Morewood School

Monday 8th May (BH) Craft meeting as usual

Saturday 13th & - Annual Art & Craft Exhibition 10am to 4pm each day.
Sunday 14th with guest artist Cally Lawson – all welcome, free admission

Monday 15th – Coffee Morning & Book Drop 10-11am BMH

Monday 15th – Local History Society outdoor meeting
Visit to Bleaze Hall, Old Hutton (members only)

Thursday 18th – Burton Parish Council Meeting – 7.30pm BMH

Friday 19th & - Burton Amateur Dramatic Society Performances

Saturday 20th “W.I. Blues” – 7pm for 7.30pm' curtain up' BMH