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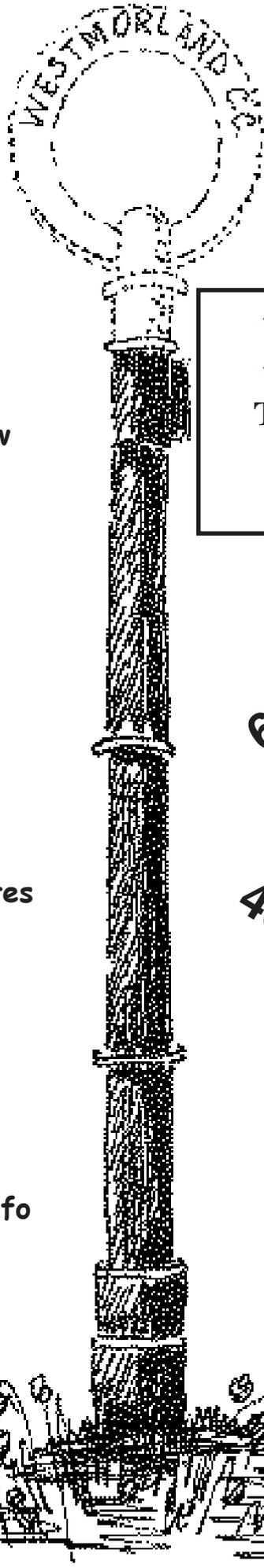
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Dear Editor,

Ref Quarry article by David Craig

I really can't see why there is such a fuss about notices at the quarry. I agree with David that we don't want "over the top" notices but I also think that Richard Davey's letter was "over the top" in criticising David's article.

I think parents should be responsible for young children and would automatically take care when taking them to a place which may be dangerous.

A notice pointing out the dangers should be displayed at the entrance but not dot them all over the quarry and reserve.

No amount of notices will stop accidents or foolhardiness. Surely we should all be able to enjoy the nature on our doorstep without getting hot around the collar.

Yes we do acknowledge the owners of the quarry assist the village, but I hope they are more open minded than Richard Davey.

Yours sincerely,
Pauline Walton, Burton

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Dear Burton News,

Religious Tolerance

It would appear from your letters page in the April edition that the Taleban have opened a branch office in Burton in Kendal.

This is the only logical explanation for the splenetic outburst in response to David Craig's perfectly reasonable assertion that the Bible is merely a collection of Middle Eastern stories, poems and cronicals.

Beware! Religious intolerance seems to be alive and living in Burton/Bagdad in Kendal.

Yours faithfully,
Denis M Wood, Clawthorpe

Dear BN,

Oops!

What a fool I felt when I read my letter about Rainbow Guides in last months BN and realised that I had named the first leader of the Rainbows as a lady I used to work with over 25 years ago (senior moment.....I hope.)

The first Rainbow Guides leader in Burton was of course Winn Campbell. So sorry for the mistake.

Alyson Yates, Burton

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Dear Sirs,

Tolerance for Children

At last the light nights and good weather is here but it has come with its problems. I would request that adults give the children a chance to play and be children without being pulled up and told off for the slightest misdemeanor.

The children are not bad at heart and it is becoming increasingly difficult to try and teach them patience, understanding, tolerance of others when their role models (the adults) are showing them none of these qualities.

If we lose the goodwill of the children because of the role models then we will have a future generations of Victor Meldrews and it will be our fault.

Remember, we were all children once.

Name & address withheld

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The Hall Chairman would like to know who owns the bicycle which has been left at the Hall for some considerable time. It is an X-Ray Xtreme Team Saracen and appears to be a teenage size. If you have lost one please contact Bert Nelson on 01524 781354. If it is not claimed soon it will be disposed of.



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New Baby News...

Ray and Paula Firth would like to announce the arrival of their granddaughter, Ruby Rae, born to Jayne and Kev on 5 April 2009, weighing in at 7lb 6oz. Thank you for all your cards and good wishes.



Thanks!

Doreen and Bill Highton would like to say a big thank you to Elspeth Jones and her friend Fiona, who as local passers by, came to the help of Doreen at the time of her recent fall (29 March) and for the many good wishes and expressions of kindness received from so many, it was, and continues to be much appreciated.

Gil Caley wishes to thank all her friends in Burton and Holme who have sent her cards, flowers or best wishes following her recent accident. How lucky we are to live here!

Ken and Ann Thorp and daughter Penny wish to thank all those people of Burton village who sent messages, letters and cards of sympathy to them following the sudden and unexpected death of their son, Chris, aged 60, on Saturday 28 March, 2009.

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Outdoors

Richard Davey's letter last month about my March 'Outdoors' on the quarry misses the point (and the actual words) of my piece. I was not 'encouraging' people to 'venture into Holme Park Quarry'. I was regretting that we do too much to protect people from risks and not enough to encourage them in adventurous and enjoyable things. The notices at the quarry have to be there by law, e.g. at least one notice visible from anywhere on the terrain. My point is to ask whether we need a law which leads to dozens of disfiguring and alarmist notices.

What now begins to matter at Holme Park is the near future. We're told that it will close by 2021. Then it will become a nature reserve. How will access be managed? At a Quarry Liaison Committee at Clawthorpe on March 30 the management told us that 'the details of this must now be debated.' There are two examples nearby - Trowbarrow at Silverdale and Warton Main. Trowbarrow is quite well managed. Notices are at a minimum. The information boards are vivid and interesting. The fences that deter (not stop) us from taking the delicious scramble up to the rim and round the northern and eastern sides strike me as unnecessary.

Warton Main is a horrible mess. Fences stop you from going round the rim. Notices warn you off the rock face, where I've spent happy hours climbing routes listed in the Northwest Lancashire guide. The quarry floor is a

maze of fences, forcing everyone to park their cars and walk their dogs in a few square yards. When I phoned the County Council to ask them about it, they said 'I know we got it wrong at Warton.' Ten years later they have changed nothing. It is my warmest wish for our neighbourhood that the Holme Park reserve is as free as possible and not cluttered with notices and barriers that make us afraid or guilty.

The whole thing is complicated. We live an hour away from some of the most 'dangerous' places in England, e.g. Jack's Rake on Pavey Ark, Sharp Edge on Saddleback, Lord's Rake on Scafell, St Bees Head. No notices there warning us to 'KEEP AWAY!' Accidents happen up there quite often. A rescue service is on standby. Some might argue that the quarry is nearer us than the fells and more likely to be frequented. In fact about 130,000 climb the likes of Ingleborough and Striding Edge each year. It's true that human hands created quarries, which makes us feel responsible. Does this really mean that we should closely control the way people clamber over rough ground? and how can it be controlled?

The Quarry Products Association runs elaborate Play Safe Stay Safe courses and Bardon Aggregate distributes a sheet about someone almost dying after tombstoning (jumping from a height) into a water-filled quarry. This same sheet claims that the barriers and signs at the quarry were fully legal and deterrent. So somebody determined to take risks can't really be stopped. You can take risks and cope with them or you can knuckle under and become an obese couch potato. My stepson was never over-protected by his parents and grew up to make remarkable caving



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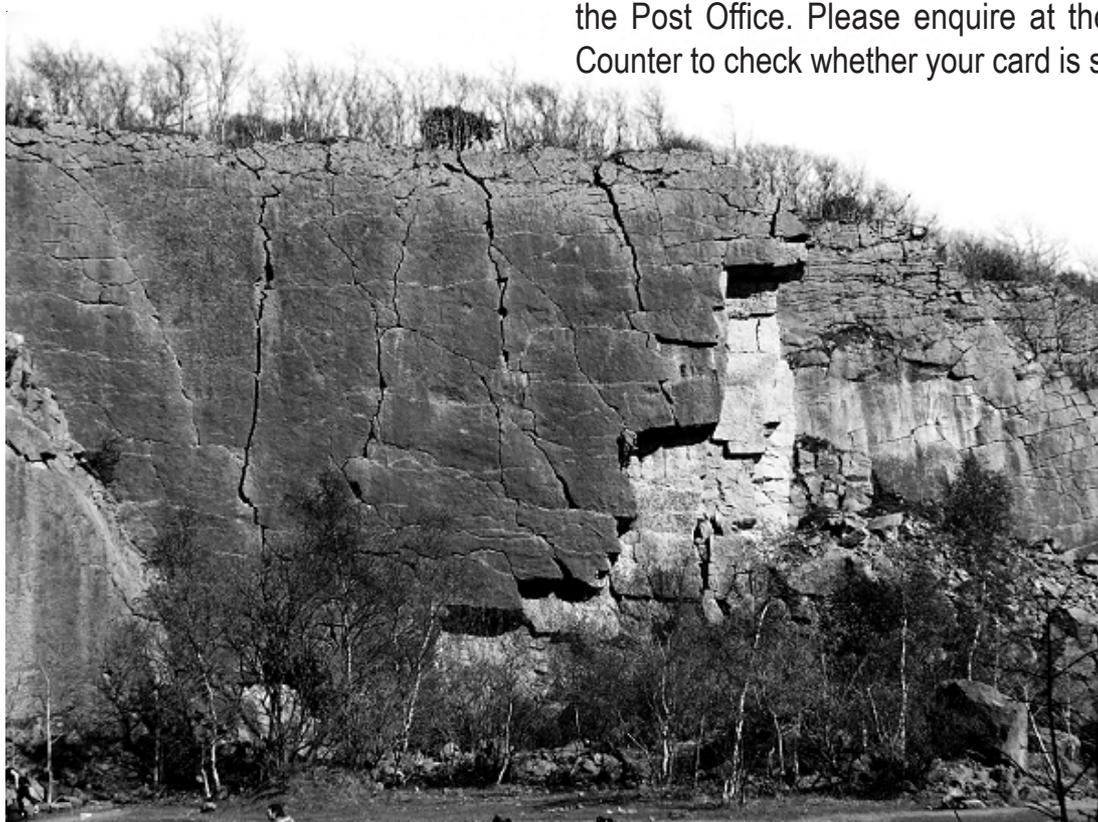
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descents in England, France and New Zealand, and belonged to Cave Rescue in Yorkshire. He broke his heel in the longest survived fall in a British cave - and now cycles twenty-eight miles to and from work every day. My eldest son has climbed thousands of feet of Extreme rock in Britain, France, and Spain. He broke his heel when a rock hold snapped off-Skye - and still climbs at his old standard as he approaches fifty. If people are allowed to make the most of our countryside, then social health will be kept up and personal joy will be enhanced.

David Craig

*Below: The disused quarry at Trowbarrow
Photo by Edward Ellis*



Village Store & Post Office

CASH MACHINE CHANGES

The Alliance & Leicester Cash Machine in the Village Store has come to the end of its contract. Since A & L were no longer willing to supply a machine on the existing terms, we have had to look elsewhere in order to continue to offer this facility.

We have managed to negotiate a slightly better rate – the new machine will only charge £1.50 instead of £1.75 but will charge ALL customers.

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Annual Daffodil Show 2009

The Annual Daffodil Show was held at the Kings Arms Hotel, Burton-in-Kendal on Easter Sunday. After the Show the entries were sold by auction and the sum of £650 was raised for Guides, Brownies and Rainbows. Thank you to: our Judges Graham and Lynda Wilson, who are loyal supporters of our shows, and did an excellent job in judging the entries in the Show. Darren Coles and his team for the use of the Kings Arms, generous donations to the Show and Auction, and Daffodil Beer. Our wives, Molly and Barbara for doing the books, also to Jacquie Waller for her assistance with the Promises Auction and collecting money. Our generous sponsors who donated Sale Items to the Auction and the Raffle. Paul Rogers and Ken Dawson and their team for portering the items to the Auction. John Jackson for photographs. All our exhibitors, without you there could not be a Show. Everyone who attended and generously supported the Auction.

John Long and Mike Earl

Below: Judges Linda & Graham Wilson



Rose Queen 2009

The selection for Rose Queen 2009 took place at the Annual Daffodil Show, held at the Kings Arms on Easter Sunday. The results are;

Rose Queen: Emily Wilson
Attendants: Elizabeth Eddy, Emily Yates
Rose Buds: Teigan Lidell, Charlotte Thompson

THANK YOU

The Guides, Brownies and Rainbows would like to thank the Gentlemen of the Kings Arms for everything they did for us to raise so much money at the recent Daffodil Show. Particular thanks go to John and Molly Long and Mike and Barbara Earl for their hard work on the day and to Darren for hosting the event for us. Thanks also to Mr & Mrs Wilson for judging our competition entries. Your efforts are greatly appreciated by us all. Our thanks also go to everyone who came along and supported the event raising a massive £654.40 towards our funds.

Right: One of the entries in the Children's Classes



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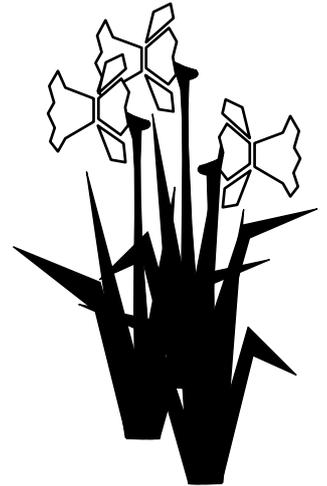
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Annual Daffodil Show Results 2009

OPEN CLASSES - 1st, 2nd, 3rd

- 1 One Daffodil - Harry Fawcett, Tod Brook, George Isherwood
- 2 Three Daffodils - James Burton, Zak Bailey, Ed Waller
- 3 Nine Daffodils - Joyce Bye, Andy Bailey, Judith Ellis
- 4 Easter Cake - Anna McNess, Emma Hensey, Rachel & Steve Mealor
- 5 Six Scones - Lesley Mayne, Neil Shaw, Joyce Bye
- 6 Tray Bake - Helen Crayston, Rachel & Steve Mealor, Carrie Morphet
- 7 Fruit Pie - Neil Shaw, Phil Liddell, Rachel & Steve Mealor
- 8 Flower Basket - Claire Hensey, Emma Hensey, Molly Long
- 9 Pot Plant - Lesley Mayne, Molly Long
- 10 Loaf of Bread - Jim Read, Neil Shaw, Lesley Mayne
- 11 Rhubarb - Barbara Rossi, Mike Earl, Mike Earl
- 12 Chocolate Brownies - Natalie Jackson, Lesley Mayne, Eric Crolley



CHILDRENS CLASSES YEAR 5 to 9 - 1st, 2nd, 3rd

- 1 Gingerbread Man - Kerry Street, Lucy Burrell, Reagan Preston
- 2 Decorated Egg - Reagan Preston, James Burton, Katie Mandale
- 3 Easter Collage - Elizabeth Eddy, Lucy Burrell, Hannah Hodgson



CHILDRENS CLASSES YEAR 4 and Under - 1st, 2nd, 3rd

- 1 Gingerbread Man - Emma Broadbent, Byron Preston, Kate Broadbent
- 2 Decorated Egg - Max Lidell, Max Lidell
- 3 Easter Collage - Teigan Lidell



GUIDES

Decorated Plant Pot - Reagan Preston, Ella Barker, Ciara Nowell

BROWNIES

Decorated Egg Cup - Charlotte Slinger, Hester, Erica McGuire

RAINBOWS

Decorated Plate - Kayleigh, Briony, Emma

Right: Another of the entries in the Children's Classes

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The Landscape Trust of the Arnside-Silverdale Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty – a registered charity – is seeking a person or persons to take over the editorship of its journal *Keer to Kent*, preferably from the autumn onwards. A small gratuity may be payable. All enquiries should be addressed to Terry Keefe, tel: 01524 762846 or email: t.keefe@lancaster.ac.uk.

BN LOOKING FOR HELP

Burton News is looking for someone to update their website each month as our current webmaster's workload is preventing him from doing it. Experience of website maintenance and HTML essential.

After being with us since the very first days of our life initially as Treasurer and latterly as Auditor, Charles Dale has decided to hang up his hat, so we are in need of someone to take over the auditorial reins from him. Experience of accounting would be beneficial.

Our grateful thanks to Charles for all his work in both capacities over the years, we'll miss his expertise.

If anyone is able to help us with either task please contact Anne or Barry on 01524 781306 or drop us a note into the Village Store.

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Going Green - May '09

In search of a green space

There's a message in my inbox from my new friends keen on stopping the new runway at Heathrow. "Hey Airplotters, exciting things are afoot," it says. "We're busy preparing the next phase of the Airplot, which will begin with a chilled-out, spring-themed event, with a very exciting celebrity guest host." But as 41,875 Airplotters are now signed up, there isn't room to invite all of us to the party. So my new chums have come up with a competition. I have to take a photo of myself holding a sign saying "I'm an Airplotter" in the most imaginative green space I can think of. They suggest a field, a forest, a bathroom or maybe Greenland (if I can get there without flying.) In the Carbon household, there's nothing we love more than a competition. The Carbon Copies make the sign, in aqua blue with red flowers and together we plot how to impress the Airplot campaign team.

But where to take the picture? We cycle to a new environmental centre, reckoning it's bound to be the sparkliest, shiniest green space around. But doubts form at the gate when we find they've forgotten to include bike racks in their giant car park. We abandon the bicycles next to a drainpipe and go in search of our "imaginative green space." Ten minutes later, and our imaginations are exhausted. We've toured a gift shop, a food shop, a cafe and a soft play centre. Not a green space in sight. Then we try to enter the farm area but find we have to pay. The Carbon Toddler is clamouring to get hold of a little fluffy lamb. But I refuse

to pay to see a lamb when we can see them over the road for free. Carbon-Lite tries to help, "Over the road the little lambs are wearing plastic bags, shall we go and see them instead?" he suggests. "Well that's not very environmentally friendly is it?" I say. We leave without a picture.

The following day we cycle to Grange-over-Sands, discussing our disappointment at yesterday's location. "Commercial green' is big business," sighs Carbonlite. "It's a day out for all the family." He whips out his camera and begins to snap us on the prom. Everyone out for a stroll looks on with curiosity as I try to cycle while holding up an aqua blue sign. Snap, snap, snap. Crash. We finish up and look back at the photos. Oh dear. Whilst the Carbon Toddler and I have come out well, the sun is shining straight onto the sign, bleaching it white and unreadable. We do the whole shoot again, to a growing crowd. This time the sign is perfectly focused but the Carbon Toddler is looking the other way.

Several takes later and Carbon-Lite is nearly run over by a pensioner on a mobility scooter as he lies across the prom to try and get the best angle. "You'd have thought Cumbria would be the easiest place in the world to take a picture in a green space," he curses. "Is there a prize for winning this competition? It had better be a big one." I tell him there is. "If I get invited to the launch event I'll get to meet a really big celebrity." He asks me who it is, but I have to admit I don't know. "Perhaps it's Gordon Brown?" he suggests. "Maybe Brown is the new Green, and that's why it's so hard to get a photograph. We've been looking for the wrong colour all this time."

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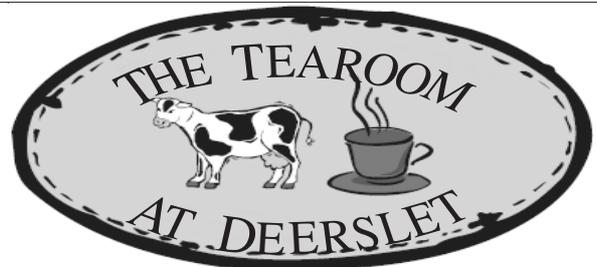
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No, Parish Councillors, unlike those who represent us in Parliament, stand for election for no obvious monetary gain. Unlike careerist parliamentarians, they can't vote themselves higher pensions, or increase their own salaries. They have a degree of status, and some influence on fairly minor decisions, and that's about all. You could argue that all this makes them one of the most precious props of Democracy. At least theoretically, though of course ulterior motives inevitably creep in.

RESIGNATION OF A CHARACTERFUL PCllr

And so it was that discussion arose when PCllr's letter of resignation was read to the Parish Council by the Vice Chairman, PCllr Boddy. PCllr Lawson pleaded pressure of work (understandable - he's a farmer.) Sadly he added that he felt he 'had had very little impact' on the work of the council. He'll be missed, because he was outspoken on occasion, and a representative of the farming community. It takes patience and a certain 'committee' sort of mind to be on what is usually a slow-moving and tedious band. Some of the most useful members of the community get fed-up with this pace, and that's a pity (A.O. gets fed-up with it too, but that doesn't count.)

So here comes yet another notice for a new PCllr. And that's where the discussion arose. Because there are only 14 days notice for the public to declare they want an election. And if ten of them do so, then an election has to take place. It never is, and it never does. And even if it WAS, it's unlikely anyone would stand. So we are almost certainly (as A.O. writes this) faced with the selection of yet another co-opted PCllr selected by the PC. If an election WAS declared, it would cost £1500 to carry out. That's probably the cost of a couple of coffee tables at John Lewis, (an element of sour grapes here. It's hard not to envy MP's their privileges at my favourite department store.) But enough of this pontificating. What of the Police Report?

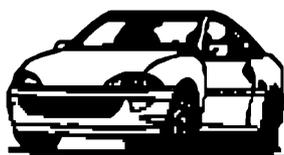
POLICE REPORT

After the impressive appearance of Sgt Sizer last month, there was an exhausted silence. Nothing whatever. Possibly with the spate of recent break-ins the police were out on the job. A PCllr regretted their absence, as he had a report from a parishioner of suspicions of drug dealing in the village. The Clerk will pass the info to the Police.

THE BANK OF IRELAND

As previously reported, Burton's surplus is invested here. The PC had been advised by SLDC Treasurer Jack Jones (no, not THAT one), that they could keep their eye on this bank's credit rating by info from the SLDC office. But Jack Jones has passed on to other things, and the Parish Clerk reported he'd been given short shift by an overworked office clerk when he'd phoned. Members of the PC were suitably outraged and further enquiries were promised.

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NATWEST

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RURAL HOUSING TRUST SURVEY

The question posed seemed to be: should Burton offer to co-operate in such a survey, since it was almost certain to have to take part sooner or later. Discussion was frank, and followed on the talk given last month by Ms Derbyshire. The suggestion was put to the vote (a fairly unusual event) and defeated 4:1.

DOG BINS

The overriding opinion seemed to be that there were enough bins and they weren't particularly unhygienic anyway.

PARISH PATHS

Money is available for upgrading these. The possibility of applying for funding to improve the surface of Slape Lane was raised. It was also suggested that wooden path signs should replace metal ones.

PARISH PLAN

Oh dear. Very little progress has been made as far as A.O. could tell. Though a meeting with the SLDC Highways Engineer may bear fruit. More about the red phone box next month, perhaps.

PLAYGROUND

Steps are being taken to upgrade the playground. Repairs to the wooden walkway have been put out to tender. The cost will probably be £210 + vat. A zip wire (aka Flying Fox) would cost an estimated £4913 plus £1474 to install, bark chippings would come at an extra

cost. From A.O.'s experience, this is by far the most exhilarating piece of playground equipment, so good luck to all those trying to achieve it.

OTHER MATTERS IN A NUTSHELL

1. Repairs agreed to lamp in the Square.
2. PC website up to date (lucky them).

And so on, most items discussed many times before, as readers of this column may have noticed.

A.S.

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Any budding Andy Murray's or maybe Laura Robson's out there? Or maybe for the more distant memories: Sue Barker's or John Lloyd's?

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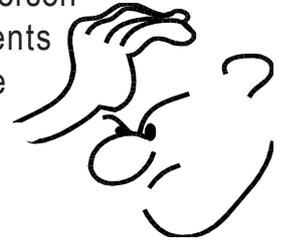
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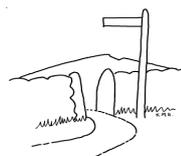
- * Sunday 17 May Windermere Marathon.
- * Sunday 31 May Edinburgh Marathon.
- * Sunday 5 July Two Counties Cycling Challenge, starting at Dallam School, approximately 60 miles.
- * Sunday 13 September Nottingham Marathon.

Kevin is aiming to complete all these events within 17 hours! I sincerely hope anyone living in Burton and the surrounding villages will show their support for this amazing effort. You will be able to sponsor Kevin, as well as, cheer him on at the local events, because he is doing this so our children will have a fun and safe place to play.

With thanks,
Moira Rowley

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JANUARY

The new year began with heavy snow falls. Westmorland County Council was criticised for ungritted roads. James Caunt of Underfell, a former president of Burton Show, died at the age of 58. As Editor of the *Morecambe Visitor* he had earned international notoriety in 1949 when he was tried (and acquitted) for seditious libel at Liverpool Assizes after he had called 'the Jews a plague on Britain.' His paper reported that 'his notebook and pencil' had been placed in his coffin. Subsequently this story was stated by his daughter to be untrue though it had been in *The Visitor*. Mr C Dixon also died. He was a long serving member of the Memorial Hall committee.

FEBRUARY

Burton Thistle's football matches were cancelled because of a hard frost. A Burton lorry driver John Sugden was fined £3:16s:8d for driving without due care and attention. There was a hue and cry when two prisoners from Bela River 'open prison' absconded. Both later said they had 'wanted to see their wives'. One of them got as far as Wallingford in Berkshire.

MARCH

Rabbits which had been virtually exterminated by myxomatosis in 1954 were seen again. The rainfall in the first three months of the year was only half the normal rate. *The Paper Chain*, the fourth full length

play staged by Burton Amateur Dramatic Society (BADS), was 'a story of the activities of a scientist of the atomic age'. 'Although there was no change of scene the hard working cast ensured that the audience did not find it monotonous'.

APRIL

A children's egg service was held at the Parish Church on Easter Sunday afternoon. During the Bank Holiday vandals destroyed 100 road signs in the Lake District. A Coffee Morning in the Memorial Hall raised £42:16s for The Spastics Society. A display by The Joan Ward Dancing School raised £12 for the Memorial Hall fund. Mrs Longbottom was elected President of Burton WI and Miss Nightingdale won a competition for the best Easter Table Decoration. The Institute had 44 members.

MAY

There were fears in Burton that the 'proposed Lune Valley By Pass' currently being pegged out might come near Burton. (As the M6 - it did!) Only three out of 40 seats were contested in the County Council Elections! The death, at a Clergy Home at Lytham, was announced of the Rev Aubrey Cunliffe vicar of Burton from 1935-1953. Rain fell on 22 days in May.

JUNE

Mrs A Sandham died. Her late husband had been a groom for 44 years for Mr Boardman at Thornleigh, Burton. Compositors at the *Westmorland Gazette* went on strike for three weeks. An emergency typewritten sheet reported the sale for £1000 by auction of Fern Tree, Burton.



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JULY

Katherine Barker was crowned Burton Carnival Queen by the retiring Queen, Hazel Rhodes. Celebrations for the Memorial Hall's second anniversary included a dance, whist drive, a performance by the Manikins Concert Party from Lancaster while 'a small but appreciative audience enjoyed a concert of part songs, duets and solos conducted by Mr E Allen.' All arrangements were made by Mr W Newsham (secretary) and Mrs E. H. Wolton (treasurer). The temperature rose to 84° in the shade on several days together.

AUGUST

A continuing heatwave led to 'Westmorland facing a drought'. The amount left in Lupton Reservoir which served Burton fell eight feet below normal level. Water was delivered in dustbins to outlying farms. Even in the Langdales only half an inch of rain fell during the month. Burton Show was held for the first time at Dockacres on Carnforth Level. The prize for the best managed farm was won by Mr. B. Duckett of Coat Green Farm, Dalton.

SEPTEMBER

Heavy rain ended the drought causing severe flooding. A Country Fair organised by Mr P. Cummings raised £65 for the Memorial Hall. Burton Rosehip Collectors League collected 1,198 lbs of rose hips which were sold to the manufacturers of Rose Hip Syrup used as a vitamin tonic.

OCTOBER

During the campaign for the 'You've never had it so good' General Election the Conservative candidate

William Vane addressed a meeting in the Memorial Hall. The village was also visited by the Liberal Candidate A.G.O. Acland and the Labour Candidate C. Hughes-Stanton. The Poll results were Vane 20,676, Acland 8,984, C. Hughes-Stanton 7,359. The Women's Institute complained about car-parking problems in Kendal. Young Farmers Clubs from Lancashire and Westmorland attended a YFC Rally at Mr Leeming's Dalton Old Hall. There were mock auctions, stock judging and a girls sock darning competition.

NOVEMBER

The County Council ordered 1,200 tons of salt, three times the previous quantity. BADS earned the headline 'First-class Comedy at Burton - newcomers please in *Bed of Roses*.' The cast who 'showed scarcely a trace of first night nerves' included James Pritchard 'who can always be relied upon to give a natural touch to his parts' and Marion Crayston 'who once again showed she is a great asset to the Society'. The play was produced by J Worsley of Heversham.

DECEMBER

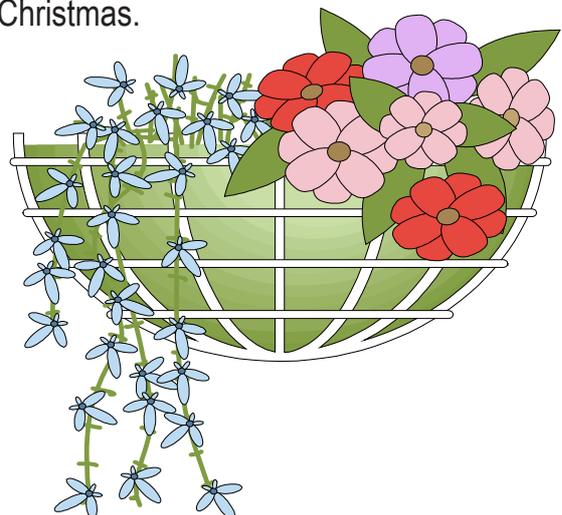
A new vicar Rev Donald Herman was inducted at the Parish Church. Refreshments were provided in the Memorial Hall by 'the Squire' Mr W.C.L. Penrhyn-Hornby. Mr R. Noon of Helm Cottage, Burton was presented with a retiring certificate from British Railways and 'a wallet of notes from colleagues' after serving on the railways for 40 years. He had begun his career as a parcel porter at Lancaster Castle Station and trained as a signal man at Ulverston before going in 1936 to the box at Burton and Holme Station where he stayed until his retirement. Mild weather ensured that the County Council's extra salt was not needed over Christmas.



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Roger Regrets...

That for the months of May and June he will not be bringing you his regular column about District and County Council matters in case anyone may consider it too political at Election time. Roger Reports will return in July... assuming he is re-elected of course!

In the meantime, if you need to contact him about any matter, the details are below.

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The Vicar Writes...

Hell's kitchen and Heaven's kindness

An incident on the reality TV show "Hell's Kitchen" got me thinking about forgiveness. In brief, Jody Latham, former "Shameless" actor, acted in a shameful way towards the other contestants. Heated exchanges followed. Unpleasant and hurtful words were said.

Jody eventually admitted messing up, apologised for the way he'd behaved and the things he'd said and asked them to forgive him. Refusing to accept his apology, they said he had to earn their forgiveness. He was given 24 hours to try and make up for what he had done. As I watched, it struck me that that's just the way we do forgiveness. Some people say they'll forgive you but first you have to earn their forgiveness.

God's way of forgiveness is very different. He doesn't tell us to earn his forgiveness because we can't earn it. Nothing we do can make up for the wrong we've done. So, forgiveness from God is not something we can earn. But it is something we can receive. He says, "I'll make amends for you. I'll pay what you owe. I'll earn your forgiveness for you." That's what the life and death of Jesus are all about. He lived the perfect life we have failed to live and then on the cross he took our sin and paid for it instead of us. God now offers us full forgiveness as a free gift based on what Jesus has done. We don't deserve it. We can't earn it. But we can still have it courtesy of God's kindness and Jesus' work. Amazing!

During Jody's 24 hour probation, some of the contestants, refusing to let his past action drop, insisted on dredging it up and hurling it at him. Again, that's the way we do forgiveness. Some people say they have forgiven you, but you know they haven't because they keep bringing up your sin time and time again.

But God is not like that. Once we have put our trust in Jesus and asked him to forgive us, he doesn't use our sin against us anymore. He forgives and forgets. The Bible says he has removed our sin from us "as far as

the east is from the west." (Psalm 103:12)

In many of our relationships we don't really know where we stand. If we do well, people love us, but if we mess up they reject us or the jury is out. Jesus assures us that if we put our lives into His hands, God forgives and forgets and our place before God is totally secure. Jesus' death is the guarantee.

God doesn't do forgiveness the way we do forgiveness. If he did, none of us would have any hope of life and a future with him. That's why, as I watched Hell's kitchen the other night, I found myself thanking God for heaven's kindness.

Paul

From the registers...

Baptism:

Freya Morphet, 29 March

Funeral and burial:

Alan Grenville Fawcett, 6 April



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Sunday 10 May

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11.00am Family Service Holme
06.00pm Evening Church Burton

Sunday 17 May

10.00am Joint Baptism and Confirmation Burton
06.00pm Evening Church Burton

Sunday 24 May

10.00am HuB: Joint all-age service Holme
10.00am Morning Prayer (BCP) Burton
06.00pm Evening Church Burton

Sunday 31 May

10.00am Joint Family Service Burton
06.00pm Evening Church Burton

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1st Burton Company Boys' Brigade

ANNUAL DISPLAY

A large gathering of parents and friends, including our Chief Guest, Cllr. R. K. Bingham (a Trustee of the Holehird Trust) enjoyed the display of activities including sampling the results of the Boys' Baking Competition.

The 32 members of the Company and Junior Sections, aged 8 – 19, were presented with their Awards for the past year's work by Cllr. Bingham. As a matter of interest, the total number of years served by Boys currently involved in the Company is 144 years!

This last year has been a hectic one in both National and Local BB Competitions in Chess, Table Tennis and Indoor Five-a-Side Football. In the National Table Tennis Competition our team were again in the National Final held in Blackpool, and came fourth. This year they played in the semi-finals in April and won 7-2, and have made it through to the finals once more which are to be held in Stirling on 16 May. Congratulations to our team – Simon Gregory, Peter Baxendale and Stephen Baxendale, with James Burton as reserve. Thanks to Sarah and Chris Jones for coaching, and Graeme Wheelhouse for taking the Boys to away matches.

We enjoyed a further trip on the narrowboat on the Leeds-Liverpool Canal, the highlight of which was the journey through the Five Rise Locks; a day out at

Camelot, and our Juniors weekend at St. John's in the Vale, Keswick.

In June 2008 we entered three teams for the National BB Cleveland Hike for the fifth time – a very challenging time – and our first team became the first BB team to complete the course, and all the other Boys – including the Trainer team – finished although rather tired. Thanks to our Instructors Iain Fletcher and Derek Stevenson. We hope to return in June this year with two or three teams and a Trainer team to defend our first place for another year.

Over 180 Awards, including Credits and Badges, were presented. The Junior Gold Award (which is the highest Award for Juniors) was presented to Edward Anson and Andrew Morton Jones, together with their Promotion Certificates to the Company Section.

The John o' Gaunt Trophy was awarded to the Best New Member of the Company Section in his first year for uniform and attendance, and this went to Finlay Rooney who was promoted from Juniors last year.

The Casson Trophy for the Best non-NCO for uniform and attendance went to Finlay Rooney – he is only the second Boy who has received this Award in his first year following promotion from Juniors.

In the Company Section the Squad Medal for uniform and attendance in 2008/9 was won by Squad 3, and the Captain's Shield for uniform and attendance over the past twelve months also went to Squad 3, with Squad 1 coming second and Squad 2 third.

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Leadership: The following were promoted – Peter Hacker to Corporal, Matthew Prior to Corporal, Joseph Hacker to Sgt., and Simon Gregory to S/Sgt.

Queen's Badge: This is the highest Award that a member can gain, and was presented to Joseph Hacker who will now receive his Certificate from the Lord Lt. of Lancashire on 17 May along with other Queen's Men of the North West District.

2008/9 has been a year of considerable achievement by all Boys in the Company, and we wish to thank parents for their support. In particular, also to the hard-working team of leaders and instructors who give their time each week. Many others have helped us to make this a very significant year, including the PCC of St. James' Church, the Management Committee of the Memorial Hall for use of the Hall each week, the Holehird Trust, Community Transport South Lakeland and the Youth Service.

We look forward to our Company Section Camp Holiday in July at Haytor on Dartmoor with fishing, go-karting and other outdoor activities. As an organisation whose object is "the advancement of Christ's Kingdom among Boys", and part of St. James' Church, Burton, we give thanks for many who have come to a personal knowledge of Jesus Christ, and who are now walking in discipleship.

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On Sunday 29 March 18 local children and 6 adults enjoyed a day out at Blackburn Ice Skating Arena. The kids took to it like ducks to water although the same can't be said for most of the adults! Everyone was returned home safely and we would like to commend the children for their good behaviour - they were a pleasure to take.

Alison Dobson

Below: The Burton BB Table Tennis Team - Simon Gregory, Peter Baxendale and Stephen Baxendale,

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BN Item	All	Most	Some	Rare	Never	Score	%Score	Rank
Letters	55	9	1	0	0	314	95.15	1
An Opinion	55	8	1	1	0	312	94.55	2
Editorial	54	7	4	0	0	310	93.94	3
Diary & Events & What's On	54	5	6	1	0	310	93.94	3
Community Info	47	13	4	1	0	301	91.21	5
Roger's Council News	35	16	9	4	1	275	83.33	6
Historical Footnote	33	9	14	7	2	259	78.48	7
Adverts	26	21	12	2	2	256	77.58	8
Outdoors	31	10	15	5	5	255	77.27	9
SLDC Recycling	24	16	7	9	6	229	69.39	10
Closeup	27	8	12	8	5	224	67.88	11
Sports Club News	26	6	14	11	4	222	67.27	12
Youth News (BB, Youth Club, School etc.)	21	12	10	12	6	213	64.55	13
Going Green (Eco-Worrier)	23	7	14	8	10	211	63.94	14
LADFAS Reports	20	8	14	9	7	199	60.3	15
The Vicar Writes	20	7	11	11	15	198	60	16
Wheely Good Communities (cycling)	19	8	11	11	14	196	59.39	17
Church Services	21	5	9	11	16	190	57.58	18
Maximum Possible Score						330		

Analysing the results...

Well here it is at last, the results of *Burton News's* 2008 reader survey. A total of 65 replies were received which is a respectable 10% of the number of households that BN is delivered to but a lower return rate than when we did the survey 5 years previously .

To work out the scores, 5 points was given for an 'Always' vote then 4 points for a 'Most'... and so on until 1 point for a 'Never' (there were some who didn't vote for all items so the missing ones got a zero scores. Then the percentage of the maximum score (65 ticks for 'Always' giving a maximum of 330) was calculated. Interestingly even the "weakest" items still managed to reach around 60% of the maximum possible so overall the verdict appears to be that everything we print is of value to a significant proportion of the readership. Heartwarming for the BN committee and those contributors too.

What you said about BN...

"I always look forward to reading *Burton News*. It has such a great community feel about it."

Reading the comments you added to the survey sheets was heartwarming and encouraging. Pretty much we seem to be getting most things right. Suggestions for new items include having a monthly recipe - share an old favourite or suggest something new to try.

You also like the news about the School and young people's activities, so we'll try and carry more of this, and we also would like more about the various sports groups in the village, so if you're a sports club member and would like to tell us what you get up to please give us a call on 781306 or drop us a line c/o the Village Store.

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Burton W.I.
meeting at
Burton Memorial Hall

Resolutions

Thursday 14 May at 7.30pm

Competition: A Motto

Hostesses: Linda Green & Kathleen Unsworth

Contact: *Helena Nixon 781048*

Here's Looking At You!



Super picture of one of the many cattle in the area, taken by Edward Ellis.

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Contact Nicola Little 01524 784977 to book your
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Burton Ladies Rounder's

We welcome players new and old and of all abilities -
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on 782311.

Fixture List 2009

Tuesday 5 May - Practise - 7pm at school
Thursday 7 May - Ingleton - Away
Thursday 14 May - Bentham - Away
Monday 18 May - Lowgill - Away
Thursday 28 May - Wray - Away
Thursday 4 June - Austwick - Away
Thursday 18 June - Lowgill - Home
Tuesday 23 June - Austwick - Home
Thursday 2 July - Kirkby - Home
Monday 6 July - Wray - Home
Thursday 16 July - Bentham - Home
Tuesday 21 July - Ingleton - Home
Tuesday 28 July - Kirkby - Away

Burton-in-Kendal Art & Craft Society 5th Annual Exhibition

Entries are invited for the 5th Burton-in-Kendal Art &
Craft Exhibition taking place in the Burton Memorial
Hall, Main Street, Burton-in-Kendal, on Saturday 6 and
Sunday 7 June. The exhibition will once again
showcase a wide range of painting styles and craft
works. The Exhibition will be open from 10am-6pm on
Saturday and from 10am-4pm on Sunday, and
admission is free on both days.

Craft space and picture hanging is free for Society
members, for non-members there is a small charge
for each. The closure date for entries is 12 May but
sooner is better as there is a limited amount of space.
Entry forms may be obtained from Kath Hayhurst on
781613 (crafts) or Paula Firth on 781984 (paintings).

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES 12 MAY!!!

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01524 781828

Editorial...



Patience, tolerance, understanding...

The goals of any civilized society you would think, but how often are these three simple rules of civilized living ignored by the very people who profess to live by them? These rules don't mean we have to lie down and take whatever comes our way, they remind us that we should take time to think about why we are aggrieved and what really needs to be done about it - if indeed anything needs to be done at all.

Respect, dialogue, compromise...

The flip side of the coin, with 'rights' comes responsibility to consider what your actions mean for those around you. Kicking a football in the garden is your right but not at any hour of the day nor all day long, and if the ball goes into a neighbour's garden it infringes their rights. Similarly, DIY at midnight or a bonfire on a sunny Bank Holiday afternoon are not considerate of others. So if somebody happens to complain about what you are doing then why not consider if they have a point instead of grumbling or entering into a conflict of wills?

Animals abound...

Our garden seems to have become the haunt of a whole raft of moggies of late - their antics have amused and entertained us. One friendly cat seems to have taken a liking to us and our garden, but neighbours don't seem to know whom it belongs to, so if you have a big hairy tabby which keeps disappearing, it'll probably be sunbathing in our garden!

Other animals are not so welcome: dogs which are allowed to roam cause concern to many, especially those with children. Under the Dangerous Dogs legislation a dog classed as being "dangerously out of control in a public place or a non-public place in which it is not permitted to be" can be destroyed and the owner can be fined and imprisoned for up to six months. If a dog injures someone the owner can be jailed for up to two years, so please make sure your dog is not able to wander at will and be a problem to others.



AN & BJM

BN on Tape!



A reminder that Burton News can be obtained on audio tape for those with a visual impairment.

Please contact Judith Ellis on 781057 for further details.



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If you know of anyone who may like to receive *BN* regularly each month, why not buy them an Annual Gift Subscription?

For £10 within the UK or £20 overseas 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 on the back page.

BURTON NEWS

Please send us your letters - articles - events news - stories - recipes etc for publication

Drop them into The Newsagents, Main St., Burton or post to BN, PO Box 86, Carnforth. LA6 1WY or by e-mail to editor@burtonnews.org.uk

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Burton Art Group

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Burton Memorial Hall

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Enquiries to above or 01539 742637

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Dr JH Gorrigan

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By appointment only. To make appointments please telephone 015395 63553

Child Health Clinic

1st Wednesday of each month
10.00 -11.00 am

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Health Visitor: Shirley Bennett 015395 64887

Cumbria County Council Highways Hotline

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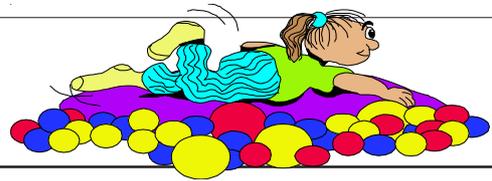
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Useful Phone Numbers

Burton News Editors	01524 781306
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Dallam School	015395 63224
QES, Kirkby Lonsdale	015242 71275
CrimeStoppers	0800 555 111
Police non-emergency	0845 33 00 247
Kendal Library	01539 713520
Kendal Hospital	01539 732288
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Council Switchboards

Cumbria County Council	01539 773000
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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.

BURTON-IN-KENDAL PARISH COUNCIL

The **Parish Council** meets every month on the third Thursday in the month at 7.30 pm in the Burton Memorial Hall. Members of the public are always welcome to observe the proceedings. At each meeting there will be an opportunity for members of the public to voice their concerns, under agenda item **OPEN FORUM**. The Parish Council hopes that parishioners will take advantage of this.

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.

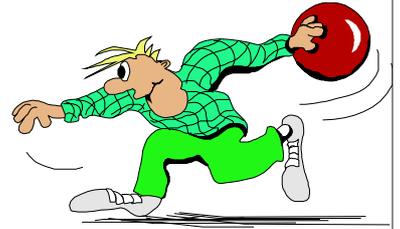
The Agenda of the next meeting and Minutes of the last meeting are always available on the Parish Council notice board outside the Burton Memorial Hall or on the Parish Council website. On the website parishioners may find **contact details** for the Clerk & Councillors, and access the **archive** of PC agendas, minutes, reports & newsletters.

www.burton-in-kendal-pc.gov.uk



**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT
THE CLERK - Charles Dale
01524 781145**

ADVANCE DIARY DATES



Coffee Morning in aid of the MS Society, Saturday 2 May, 10am-12noon, BMH
Fellwalkers, Sunday 3 May, meet in BMH car park, 1pm
Ladies Rounders Practice, Tuesday 5 May, 7pm BM school field
Ladies Rounders Match, Thursday 7 May, Ingleton away
Lakeland Rose Show Coffee Morning & Plant Sale, Saturday 9 May, 10am-12noon, BMH
CLOSING DATE FOR ART SHOW ENTRIES! 12 May
Quiz Night for MOTO in the Community Trust, Wednesday 13 May, 7.30pm, BMH
Ladies Rounders Match, Thursday 14 May, Bentham away
Burton W.I. Meeting, Thursday 14 May, 7.30pm, BMH
Fellwalkers, Saturday 16 May, meet in BMH car park, 9.30am
Local History Society Walk, Monday 18 May, 7pm at Tebay
Ladies Rounders Match, Monday 18 May, Lowgill away
howdenjones in concert, Saturday 23 May, 7.30pm, BMH
Burton Children's Sports Day, Monday 25 May, School Field
Fellwalkers, Wednesday 27 May, meet in BMH car park, 1pm
Ladies Rounders Match, Thursday 28 May, Wray away
Ladies Rounders Match, Thursday 4 June, Austwick away
Burton Art & Craft Society Annual Exhibition, Sat 6 (10am-6pm) & Sun 7 (10am-4pm) June BMH
Ladies Rounders Match, Thursday 18 June, Lowgill home
Ladies Rounders Match, Tuesday 23 June, Austwick home
Ladies Rounders Match, Thursday 2 July, Kirkby home
Burton Pre-school Burton Ball, Saturday 4 July, 7.30pm, BMH
Local History Society Summer Outing, Saturday 4 July, depart BMH 8.45am return 6.30pm
Ladies Rounders Match, Monday 6 July, Wray home
Ladies Rounders Match, Thursday 16 July, Bentham home
Ladies Rounders Match, Tuesday 21 July, Ingleton home
Burton Art & Craft Society AGM, Monday 27 July, 7.30pm BMH
Ladies Rounders Match, Tuesday 28 July, Kirkby away
Burton 10k & Fun Run, Sunday 13 September (more details to follow)



**Keep
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Tidy!**

Dont drop it, bin it!