

DIARY DATES

- Thurs 4 Garden Party in aid of N.S.P.C.C. at Lakeber House, Robin Lane, High Bentham. 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Stalls and Teas.
- Sat 6 10.00 a.m. to 12 noon - Craft and Coffee Morning in High Bentham Town Hall in aid of N.S.P.C.C.
- Sun 7 Tatham Fells Village Society - Treasure Hunt on foot, followed by Cream Tea. Starting from the Old School, Lowgill at 2.00 p.m. £3 per person, £6 per family. Everyone welcome but no dogs please as the Treasure Hunt will involve a walk of three miles mainly across fields.
- Tues 9 Tatham Fells W.I. Summer Outing.
- Sat 13 Hornby & District Ramblers. The walk will be in the Winster area, 6 miles. Led by Alan & Anthea Ashworth, Tel: 21980. Meet 9.30 a.m. in Hornby Car Park Sorry no dogs.
- Tues 16 Hornby & District Sheepdog & Sheepshow Society. Sheepdog Trials & Sheepshow. Sheepdog Trials commencing at 8.00 a.m. Sheepshow commences at 11.00 a.m. at Raw Ridding Farm by kind permission of Mr. John Whitfield. Refreshments on sale. Entry onto the field free. All proceeds to Altham Meadows, Morecambe to help the work of elderly people and their families suffering with Dementia.
- Fri 19 8.00 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Waste Paper Collection at Lairgill Car Park, High Bentham in aid of N.S.P.C.C.

- Sat 20 Hornby & District Ramblers longer walk to Howgills-Cautley Spout. Leader Julia Chabrell (01524 771395). Meet on Hornby Car Park at 9.00 a.m., where car sharing will be organised. £3 to the driver. Arrive back approx. 5.30 p.m. Non-members welcome £1. Make sure you are suitably clothed and equipped. Bring a packed lunch. You join us wholly at your own risk. Sorry no dogs.
- Sat 27 **Sponsored Walk** for the Good Shepherd Church. Tatham Fells to Bentham Station, then train to Clapham Station and return walk to Tatham Fells. Roughly 10 miles in all and gentle walking. Prompt start time of 10.00 a.m. from the Old School for walk to Bentham Station to catch the 11.29am train.
Registration at the Old School from 9.15am onwards. If not sponsored alternative charge of £5 per person and £10 per family. N.B. this does not include train fare! Further details from Richard and Anne Wilson Tel: 63399.

Advance Dates:

Saturday 17th September 2011. Grand Jumble Sale at Hornby Institute.

Tuesday 27th September 2011. Melling (St Wilfrid) Church of England Primary School is having an open afternoon from 1.00 p.m. Further details in September Wrayly Mail.

An exhibition of students work done at Temptations (Main Street, High Bentham) craft classes will be on display in the shop of Thursday 18th August, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., Friday 19th August and Saturday 20th August 9.30 a.m. to 4.00 p.m. Come along and see the work - it may inspire you!

Dog Poo Bags Please note that bags are now available from inside Wray Post Office. The Parish Council is concerned at the amount of dog fouling in the Village and has provided these bags free of charge. “please pick it up”.

Wray with Botton Parish Council

A very big thankyou to all who supported the Strawberry Tea fundraiser in June at Wray where the sum of £880 was raised for Preventative Health Work in Southern Zimbabwe.

Janet

St John's Hospice Moonlight Walk

On Saturday 11th June at 10.00 p.m. after a 'Zumba' warm-up in the grounds, Esther and I set off from St. John's Hospice in Lancaster to walk 25km (15.7 miles) on the Moonlight Walk. It was quite an amazing sight to see lots of ladies in their pink tee-shirts snaking down the road towards Slyne. There were a few in fancy dress, lots of pink things, but most were wearing the pink bunny-ears, tiaras, or fairy wings (sold especially for the walk), complete with flashing lights. These came into their own on the prom towards Heysham when it was much later, so therefore darker, and almost all you could see were twinkling lights. Esther's bunny-ears kept blowing off when we first reached the prom, so adjustments had to be made!

We set off from the hospice at 10pm and arrived back at the Hospice just after 3am - five hours after we had set off!! We were both tired, but pleased to have done it and taken part. Thank you to all those people who sponsored us, and to anyone who dropped a donation or loose change in the 'boot' in Wray Post Office. Between us we raised £275.00, so thank you very much.

Hazel Preece

The Old School, Tatham Fells for bookings and enquiries please contact Gillian Middleton on 62367. **Regular users** please make sure you book your dates ahead with Gillian to avoid any clashes.

Many thanks to everybody who helped, contributed and supported Hornby Sheepdog Trials and Sheepshow last year. We raised together with the Coffee Morning, Quiz and Treasure Hunt £4,100 for CancerCare, Lancaster.

Thank you especially to Dorothy Huddleston for creating The Fireside Games Quiz and Sarah-Beth Woods for organising the Treasure Hunt. Also many thanks to Isaac Woodhouse (Chairman) and John Huddleston (Vice-Chairman) who have both stepped down from their roles. Thank you for all their hard work over the years, thankfully they are still with us on our committee!

Hope to see anybody that can come on the 16th August. (see Diary Dates)
Margaret Wright

Wray School Pre-school at Wray Institute

Hello. We are the children of Wray Pre-school and we would like to let you know that our Pre-school has some vacancies. We would love some new playmates to come and join us. We cook yummy things every week and play outside every day in our new garden. You can come to our **Pre-school** every day if you want and you can stay for lunch too. If you're aged 2 to 5 then you could join us. Our Mum's say **Our Pre-School** is full of happy children who are always smiling and laughing and they're happy to recommend them. So if you would like to be our new playmate then get your parent to phone them on 07909797861.

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Filing Cabinet. Steel, 4-drawer, lockable, used. 1320 x 620 x 470.

Brown case, cream drawer fronts. £10

Tel: 63399

FOR SALE:

Wickes Tile Cutting Saw with diamond rim saw blade. 450 watt. In very good order, little used. £16

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Wray Institute telephone number is 22311. Frank Gretton is the Caretaker.

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Church Services in August and early September

August 7th Seventh Sunday after Trinity

9.00am	Tatham	Holy Communion
10.00am	Wray	Morning Prayer
7.00pm	Tatham Fells	Evening Prayer

9.30 Melling, Family Service 10.30 Tunstall, Sung Eucharist and Baptism

August 14th Eighth Sunday after Trinity

9.30am	Wray	Holy Communion
11.00am	Tatham	Morning Prayer
11.00am	Tatham Fells	Family Service

9.00am Melling, Holy Communion 10.30am Leck, Sung Eucharist

August 21st Ninth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am	Wray	Holy Communion
9.30am	Tatham Fells	Holy Communion
10.00am	Wray	Family Service

9.30am Melling, Morning Prayer 10.30am Tunstall, Sung Eucharist

August 28th Tenth Sunday after Trinity

9.30am	Wray	Holy Communion
9.30am	Tatham Fells	Morning Prayer
11.00am	Tatham	Holy Communion

9.30am Melling, Sung Eucharist 10.30am Leck, Family Service

September 4th Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

9.00am	Tatham	Holy Communion
10.00am	Wray	Morning Prayer
7.00pm	Tatham Fells	Evening Prayer

9.30 Melling, Family Service 10.30 Tunstall, Sung Eucharist

Church Contacts:

Revd Mark Cannon, Wray Vicarage (21030)

Readers: Ann Dawson (62936), Peter Osborne (61029),

Mary Winter (21784)

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