WRAYLY MAIL Season's Greetings

DECEMBER 2013

DIARY DATES

- Mon 2 Come for Coffee in the Sunday school at Wray, from 10am until 12 noon. It's a time to come and sit and chat or play a game of dominoes, while enjoying a morning coffee or tea with friends. Just come for a while or stay the whole time. It's open to all, both men, women and children too, so please come along and keep us company, a warm welcome awaits everyone, we'd love to see you there.
- Mon 2 Yoga in Wray Institute 7.30 p.m to 9.00 p.m. and on 9th December then finish for Christmas. Beginners and regulars are all welcome. Mats are provided. Wear loose or stretchy clothes and bring something warm to put on for relaxation. £5 per session. Tel: Kathy Cartledge 015242 61567.
- Fri 6 7.00 p.m. Wray with Botton Sports Committee Grand Christmas Raffle & Domino Drive, in Wray Institute.
- Sat 7 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon Christmas Coffee Morning in the Old School, Tatham Fells. Stalls, Raffle. Father Christmas will be coming. Proceeds for the Church of the Good Shepherd Tatham Fells.
- Sat 7 Please join us outside Wray Institute at 5.00 p.m. to switch on the Christmas Tree lights, sing a few carols and then enjoy tea and mince pies in the Institute. Any contributions received will be appreciated and will be donated to St John's Hospice.
- Sat 7 7.30 p.m. Tatham History Society, Edward Huddleston, 'Reading the local landscape Part II: Hills and Hollows', Old School, Tatham Fells, preceded by AGM. Non-members, £2. Membership details: Anne Wilson, Tel: 63399.

Society website: www.tathamhistory.org.uk

- Thurs 12 2.00 p.m. Wray Methodist Ladies meeting in the Sunday school room. Christmas programme by Kellet Ladies. Tea to follow, all ladies most welcome.
- Thurs 12 7.00 p.m. **Lowgill Over 60's Party** in the Old School. Supper followed by entertainment. RSVP to Mary (61534) or Liz (61230) by Monday 9th December.
- Fri 13 7.00 p.m. Wray Over Sixties Christmas Party.
- Sat 14 Hornby & District Ramblers. Meet 9.30 a.m. Hornby Car Park. Barbon, 5 miles, leaders Alan & Anthea Ashworth 21980.
- Mon 16 7.00 p.m. Carols by Candlelight, Wray Institute. Jacob's Join to follow. If possible bring a candle in a candle holder. This annual event is a delightful occasion and all are welcome.
- Wed 18 The Rotary Club of Lunesdale is bringing their annual Christmas Collection back to Wray and Hornby. Santa will be helping us riding on his sleigh throughout the villages. Our local Rotary Club uses all the money raised in this Christmas Collection for local charitable causes. Please come and meet Santa!
- Fri 20 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.

<u>Advance Date:</u> Monday 6th January 2014 - Come for Coffee in the <u>Sunday School</u>, Wray.

Marie Curie Cancer Care

Many thanks to all who gave so generously in the collecting envelopes around Lowgill and Ivah. We raised £118.88. Mary Whitfield

Round the Houses. New Year's Eve

Once again the hospitable people of Wray have come up trumps and we now have our 12 hosts for Round the Houses. The party starts at 4.00 pm and guests are reminded to take their own glasses with them.

Badges together with maps of all the venues will be available from 27th December from both the George & Dragon and the Post Office at a cost of £5.00. Do come along and enjoy!

Babysitter Available

If you need a babysitter during the festive period I shall be home from university from December 13th until the end of January. I can look after your children during the day or in the evening. Please give me a ring on 07826527137, Sophie Ellison.

Wray Post Office Christmas Opening Times

Monday 23rd December 7.00 a.m. - 6.30 p.m. Christmas Eve 7.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m.

Christmas Day Closed Boxing Day Closed

Friday 27th December
Saturday 28th December
Sunday 29th December
Monday 30th December
New Year's Eve

7.00 a.m. - 6.30 p.m.
7.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m.
7.00 a.m. - 6.30 p.m.
7.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m.

New Year's Day Closed

Thursday 2nd January 7.00 a.m. - 6.30p.m.

There will be no newspapers on Christmas Day, Boxing Day and New Year's Day.

Orders now being taken for Christmas turkeys and other goodies from Bowland Meats.

May we take this opportunity to thank all our customers who have supported us this year.

Church Services in December and early January

December 1st, Advent Sunday

9.00am Holy Communion Tatham 10.00am Family Service Wray

11.00am Christmas Family Service Tatham Fells

with Tatham Fells School

6.30pm Advent Evensong Leck

a service for all six churches

9.30am Family Service – Melling, 11.00am Sung Eucharist –Tunstall

December 8th, Second Sunday of Advent

10.00 amHoly CommunionWray11.00amMorning ServiceTatham2.15pmEvensongTatham Fells

9.30am Holy Communion – Melling, 11.00am Sung Eucharist - Leck

December 15th, Third Sunday of Advent

8.00am Holy Communion Wray

9.30am Holy Communion Tatham Fells

10.00am Family Service Wray

9.30am Morning Service - Melling, 11.00am Sung Eucharist – Tunstall

December 22nd, Fourth Sunday of Advent

11.00am Holy Communion Tatham 6.30pm Village Carol Service Wray

6.30pm Carols and Traditional

Readings for Christmas Tatham Fells

11.00am Sung Eucharist – Leck, 4.00pm Christingle Service - Melling

Tuesday December 24th, Christmas Eve

5.00pm Nativity Service Wray 6.30pm Crib and Carol Service Tatham

11.30pm Midnight Communion Tatham Fells

4.00pm Crib and Carol Service – Tunstall,

11.30 pm Midnight Eucharist – Melling

Wednesday December 25th, Christmas Day

10.00am Family Communion Wray

9.30am Family Eucharist – Leck, 11.00am Family Eucharist – Tunstall

December 29th, First Sunday of Christmas

11.00am Family Communion Tatham Fells *a service for all six churches*

January 5th 2014, Feast of the Epiphany

9.00am	Holy Communion	Tatham
10.00am	Morning Service	Wray
11.00am	Family Service	Tatham Fells

9.30am Family Service – Melling, 11.00am Sung Eucharist –Tunstall

Church Contacts:

Revd Mark Cannon, Wray Vicarage (21030)

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

Mary Winter (21784)

Wanted for Malawi Trip

For my forthcoming Malawi trip in January I would be very grateful for the following items to take out there:

- * Good childrens shoes up to age 13.
- * Empty bubble containers (I can't take liquid)
- * Small sewing kits.
- * Wooden puzzles
- * Jigsaws (small)
- * Small dictionaries

Anything from the above will be gratefully received by the childrens orphanage in Malawi.

Thankyou, Eller Everett (015242) 22214. We can collect.

(Bentham Medical Practice) IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING YOUR MEDICAL RECORD

Under the powers of the Health and Social Care Act 2012 (HSCA) NHS England has the power to direct the Health & Social Care Information Centre (HSCIC) to collect information from all providers of NHS care, including general practices. Confidential information from your medical record plus identifiers such as your NHS number, date of birth, post code and gender, but not your name, will be collected automatically on a monthly basis from our computer system.

The reason for collecting this information is so the NHS can improve the services it offers and offer the best possible care for everyone. Sharing information can help improve understanding, locally and nationally, of the most important health needs and the quality of the treatment and care provided by local health services. It may also help researchers by supporting studies that identify patterns in diseases, responses to different treatments and potential solutions.

Information can also help to:

- *Find more effective ways of preventing, treating and managing illnesses;
- * Guide local decisions about changes that are needed to respond to the needs of local patients;
- * Support public health by anticipating risks of particular diseases and conditions, and help the NHS to take action to prevent problems;
- *Improve the public's understanding of the outcomes of care, giving them confidence in health and care services; and
- * Guide decisions about how to manage NHS resources fairly so they can best support the treatment and management of illness for the benefit of patients.

The HSCIC will collect the data and store it securely in line with the law, national guidelines and best practice. Any reports it produces will never identify particular people.

It may also share the data it collects with third party organisations such as research bodies etc. Although it may charge an administration fee for this it will not actually sell data.

Do you have a choice?

Yes. If you do not want information about you to be collected by the HSCIC then you should inform Bentham Medical Practice who will put a marker on your record that will prevent any data collection from the practice.

If you are happy for the HSCIC to collect data but not to pass it on to third party organisations then, again, you can ask the practice to amend your record accordingly.

The HSCIC also collects patient identifiable data from other NHS organisations such as local hospitals. You cannot prevent this collection.

You should be aware that in certain situations, such as where there is a statutory duty to share information, a court order or an overriding public interest in disclosure, Personal Confidential Data may be collected with or without your consent.

If you don't do anything then your data will be collected automatically! If you would like to see more information on this then go to: http://www.nhs.uk/NHSEngland/thenhs/records/healthrecords/Pages/caredata.aspx

The Garden Room at Greenfoot Gardens, Wray. 015242 21184

Helen and Ann invite you to our late night shopping evenings on Wednesday 20th November and Wednesday 4th December from 5.00 p.m. onwards.

Come and enjoy relaxed local shopping with a complimentary glass of mulled wine.

Beautiful gifts include: Candles by Melt, Luxury toiletries by Made in Heaven and Pringle and Fairweather, Santoros gorjuss range for girls, plus many more unusual and affordable ideas.

Karen will be open at the TeaRooms on both evenings - 015242 22496. We are now taking orders for Christmas trees and Wreaths.

Christmas Greetings - Once more we will be wishing our friends and neighbours a "Happy Christmas" using the Board 'posted' outside the George & Dragon, Wray. A donation will be given by those sending the greetings to St John's Hospice in lieu of doing individual cards. This amount will be added to our Advent Raffle which runs through December. Tickets are 50p and it gives you 24 chances to win. Also look out for the Christmas tree light switch on (Saturday December 7th) when there will be carol singing and mince pies! All in a very good cause!

Pilates classes for Beginners and Improvers

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- *015242 22425 or 07935803370
- * email anne.pilates@yahoo.co.uk

Classes beginning and continuing January 2014.

Rotary Club of Lunesdale

Rotary District 1911's current District Governor's preferred charity for this year is to identify where defibrillators are in all the District's local areas if possible and to establish how accessible they are. He is keen to increase the number of defribillators in our communities and to support the essential work of our First Responders and our Search and Rescue teams. The Ambulance Service is not aware of the location of all the defibrillators in our area and has asked for our help to identify them all. The Rotary Club has partnered with Cumbria County Council on this project as the Council Chairman has made a similar appeal. Please contact: lunesdalepresident@gmail.com or http://www.lunesdale.org.uk/ if you can help with information concerning the location of defibrillators in your community.

Thank you to everybody who made a donation for Children in Need at Booths store in Kirkby Lonsdale on 15th November.

The Rotary Club meets on Thursday evenings at the Castle Inn, Hornby. For further information about Rotary please contact the email address given above.

J. Wright & Sons would like to wish all our customers a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Regards, Jon Wright

Again for 2013 I will continue to support the St John's Hospice Christmas Card appeal at the George & Dragon so just in case you thought you might get a card!! please have a great Christmas and Happy New Year - Cath H x

Dear Friends, I will be supporting the St John's Hospice Christmas Card appeal at the George & Dragon again this year rather than sending individual cards so just in case you miss the card and my best wishes at the pub - Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year - Dawn (Irvine).

We would like to wish all our friends a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Love from Sheila & Tony Sedgwick (This year we are supporting the St John's Hospice appeal and making a donation in lieu of Christmas cards)

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I would like to wish all my Made in Wray customers best wishes for the festive season and all the very best for 2014 - Thank you for your support - Cath x.

Free Made In Wray 2014 calendar in now available from Wray Post Office also on display are my new oak Table Runners and Platter Boards.

Come for Coffee in the Sunday school room at Wray is a collection point for the Morecambe Bay Food Bank. They are forward planning for winter and Christmas and would like to take this opportunity to ask us to consider donations of the following items: Sponge pudding (tinned), Pot Noodle, Cup a soup, tinned hotdogs, instant mash, instant custard, fruit juice (UHT), seasonal items, biscuits, squash/cordial, toiletries, toothpaste, soap, shower gel. For more details see their website: morecambebay.foodbank.org.uk

Thanks.

Copy Date for the Wrayly Mail
ONLY Diary Dates (as they are free) can be emailed to:
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ALL other items are collected from the tin in Wray Post Office on the
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