

DIARY DATES

- Fri 1 2.00 p.m. Women's World Day of Prayer in Wray Methodist Chapel prepared by the women of France. All welcome.
- Fri 1 7.00 p.m. for a 7.30 p.m. start Wray with Botton Sports Committee Domino Drive and Raffle in Wray Institute. £2 adults, £1.50 children. Refreshments served.
- Mon 4 Come for coffee in the Sunday School at Wray, from 10.00 a.m. to 12 noon. It's a time to come and sit and chat or play a game of dominoes, while enjoying morning coffee or tea with friends. Just stay for a while or stay the whole time. It's open to both men and women, so please come along and keep us company, a warm welcome awaits everyone, we'd love to see you there.....
- Tues 5 8.00 p.m. Lowgill Sports & Sheepdog Trials Committee Annual General Meeting in the Old School, Lowgill. All welcome.
- Thurs 7 2.00 p.m. Joyful Noise in Wray Church. All pre-school children, babies, parents, carers and others welcome.
- Fri 8 The Annual General Meeting of the Old School Committee will be held in the Old School at 7.30 p.m. For further details please telephone Carole Butcher 63095.
- Sat 9 7.30 p.m. in the Old School, Lowgill Tatham Fells, Tatham Fells Village Society **Quiz Night**, £6 including a light supper (*please bring your own drinks*). **Raffle**. All welcome.
- Sat 9 Charity Hotpot Supper in Wray Institute at 7.00 p.m. Live music, auction and raffle. Tickets £10 from Juliet (22566) or Nicky (22055). Thank you again to all our supporters.

- Mon 11 7.30 p.m. Wray with Botton Parish Council meeting in Wray Institute.
- Tues 12 7.30 p.m. Tatham Fells W.I. in the Old School, Lowgill. Speaker Damian Carr “Jewellery”... Comp: a favourite piece of jewellery. Visitors welcome.
- Wed 13 Wennington & District W.I. joint meeting at home with Tunstall W.I. More Magic and Illusion with Terry Crawford and daughter.
- Thurs 14 Dancing in the Fells. Informal ceilidh dancing, the Old School, Lowgill. 7.30 p.m. to 9.30 p.m. Everyone welcome. £1. Last session until Autumn. Anne Wilson 63399.
- Fri 15 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.
- Fri 15 3.15 p.m. After School Club in Wray Church.
- Fri 15 **Grand Charity Event. Cheese and Wine Evening** 7.30 pm in Wray Institute. Organised by Wennington Women's Institute. *(please find full details on page 3/4).*
- Fri 15 Countryside Society 7.45 p.m. in Hornby Institute. Trevor Pearce will give an illustrated talk on “The Wonderful World of Ferns”.
- Sat 16 2.00 p.m. Friends of Tatham Fells School Jumble Sale at Ingleton Community Centre.
- Sat 16 10.00 a.m. to 12 noon. Give & Take Day in Bentham Town Hall. Goods can be brought in from 9.30 a.m. Further details 63399.

- Mon 18 7.30 p.m. Wennington Parish Council Meeting in Wennington Hall School.
- Tues 19 2.00 p.m. Wray Over Sixties in Wray Institute. Arnside A.O.N.B. Mike Warren will give an illustrated talk on the landscape and nature of the Arnside area. All welcome.
- Tues 19 7.30 p.m. Tatham Parish Council in the Old School, Tatham Fells.
- Sat 30 1.00 p.m. Grand Jumble Sale for the churches of Leck, Melling and Tunstall, at the Ingleton Community Centre. Jumble to Max & Caroline Godfrey, Melling 21312 or Eleanor Denby 21793.

Wray Chapel

Thursday 14th March - Ladies meeting, Anniversary. 2.00 p.m. Speaker: Fran Parkinson. Special singing. Tea to follow. All ladies welcome.

Lent Lunches - 12 noon to 1.30 p.m.

Thursday 7th March. Mr. & Mrs. J. Holt, The Old Rectory, Low Tatham.

Thursday 14th March. Please see Church noticeboards.

Thursday 21st March. Liesel Fox, The Hawthorns, Lowgill.

Grand Charity Event - Cheese & Wine Evening

The ladies of Wennington Women's Institute are holding their **Annual Charity Evening on Friday 15th March 2013 in Wray Institute.**

Please come and join us and have a good time whilst supporting this year's charity. We will provide the supper - the cheese etc., the first glass of wine, and the fun. The evening will include a quiz and lots of laughter for the small sum of £7.00 per ticket. During the evening a grand raffle will be held including superb prizes on offer and worth buying a raffle ticket or two.

The main point of the evening is, of course, the charity and every penny/

pound made on the night will go to **The Macular Society** (based in Carnforth). Macular Degeneration affects the eyesight and is the leading cause of severe vision loss in people and especially the over 60s.

We hope to make the evening of the 15th March a resounding financial success for this worthy cause and therefore request your company to join us on the night at 7.30 p.m., to have a laugh and make a fortune!

Tickets are on sale now at £7.00 - please phone Margaret Wring on 21363.
Many thanks!

P.S. If you would like to donate a prize for the raffle it will be greatly appreciated.

David Kenyon would like to thank everyone who purchased our calendar - The Lune Valley in Times Past.

Special thanks to Jane and Tony at Wray Post Office, Anne and Helen at Greenfoot Garden and Craft Centre, Karen at Bridge House Farm Tearooms and Liesel at Lowgill. We have raised £3,000 for St John's Hospice at Lancaster.

Many thanks to you all.

Thank you to all the 33 teams who attended Bentham Show's 14th annual quiz night in February at Bentham Town Hall.

After 10 rounds of questions set by Quiz master John Whitfield. The winners were as follows:

1st with 91 points were J. & M. Brumfitt, E. Huddleston & D. Lawson.

2nd with 85 points were G. & F. Hey & A. & G. Sheridan

3rd with 84 points were S. & J. Cornthwaite, P. Quinn & B. Griffiths.

The amount raised was £440. Look forward to seeing you all at next years quiz.

Nicky & Juliets Marathon Madness Update: We would firstly like to say a big thank you to everyone who supported our Bacon Butty morning, the final amount raised was £331, and also to those who supported our young carol singers, who were rewarded with £108 for their efforts.

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

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

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Church Services in March

March 3rd , Third Sunday of Lent

9.00am	Holy Communion	Tatham
10.00am	Holy Communion	Wray
2.15pm	Evening Service	Tatham Fells

9.30am Sung Eucharist - Melling, 11.00am Sung Eucharist - Tunstall

March 10th , Mothering Sunday

10.00am	Mothering Sunday Service	Wray
11.00am	Morning Service	Tatham
11.00 am	Mothering Sunday Service	Tatham Fells

9.30am Mothering Sunday Service – Melling,

11.00am Sung Eucharist for Mothering Sunday – Leck,

March 17th , Fifth Sunday of Lent

8.00am	Holy Communion	Wray
9.30am	Holy Communion	Tatham Fells
10.00am	Morning Service	Wray
9.30am	Morning Service - Melling,	11.00am Sung Eucharist – Tunstall

March 24th, Palm Sunday

9.30am	Morning Prayer	Tatham Fells
10.00am	Holy Communion	Wray
11.00am	Holy Communion	Tatham
6.30pm	Evensong	Wray

(a service for all six churches)

9.30am Sung Eucharist - Melling, 11.00am Morning Service - Leck

March 28th, Maundy Thursday

7.30pm	Holy Communion	Tatham
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(a service for all six churches)

March 29th, Good Friday

10.00am – 1.15pm	Children's Workshop in Wray Institute (<i>contact Mary Winter</i>)	
12noon	Devotional Hour	Wray
2.00pm	Devotional Hour	Tatham Fells

10.00am Good Friday Service, 11.00am Children's Service – Tunstall

March 31st, Easter Day

9.30am	Holy Communion	Tatham Fells
10.00am	Family Communion	Wray
11.00am	Family Communion	Tatham

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

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