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# Silloth CDC

Silloth Community Development Centre (CDC) are based in Silloth Primary School. Now that we have our new IT Suite up and running, we would like to invite learners past, present and future to our official opening on Thursday 19th April at 10am - 12noon. Graham Wilkinson (The Mayor) will be joining us to officially open the new centre and to present certificates to past learners who have successfully completed courses taken in 2006. There will be refreshments available, everyone is welcome to come and have a look around to see what we have to offer. Please note: FREE Drop In sessions..... every Wednesday morning in The Library between 10:30am and 12:30pm. Every Thursday morning (during term time) in the Primary School between 9:30am and 11:30am. Monday evenings available (during term time). You must phone to book a place on: 016973 33011.

# Silloth & District Pensioners

**Calling All Whist & Domino Players**

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# Silloth Tide Tables

**April 2007**  
**TIMES OF HIGH WATER AT SILLOTH**  
(Courtesy of A.B.P. Silloth)  
Times in GMT

Heights in metres					
	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	
1ST. SUN.	1111	7.0	2330	7.0	
2ND. MON.	1145	7.1	***	***	
3RD. TUES.	0000	7.0	1215	7.1	
4TH. WED.	0028	7.0	1243	7.1	
5TH. THUR.	0058	7.0	1313	6.9	
6TH. FRI.	0128	6.9	1344	6.8	
7TH. SAT.	0158	6.8	1417	6.5	
8TH. SUN.	0231	6.4	1454	6.1	
9TH. MON.	0310	6.0	1539	5.5	
10TH. TUES.	0402	5.5	1640	5.1	
11TH. WED.	0512	5.1	1801	4.8	
12TH. THUR.	0641	5.1	1932	5.0	
13TH. FRI.	0804	5.5	2046	5.8	
14TH. SAT.	0905	6.4	2139	6.5	
15TH. SUN.	0955	7.2	2223	7.2	
16TH. MON.	1041	7.7	2306	7.7	
17TH. TUES.	1125	8.2	2348	8.0	
18TH. WED.	***	***	1209	8.3	
19TH. THUR.	0030	8.0	1254	8.2	
20TH. FRI.	0114	7.9	1340	7.9	
21ST. SAT.	0158	7.4	1427	7.2	
22ND. SUN.	0244	7.0	1517	6.5	
23RD. MON.	0335	6.3	1615	5.8	
24TH. TUES.	0438	5.6	1730	5.1	
25TH. WED.	0602	5.2	1854	4.9	
26TH. THUR.	0721	5.2	2004	5.1	
27TH. FRI.	0825	5.5	2059	5.5	
28TH. SAT.	0917	6.0	2144	6.1	
29TH. SUN.	1000	6.4	2221	6.4	
30TH. MON.	1039	6.6	2257	6.8	

FULL MOON--MON. 2ND.  
NEW MOON--TUES. 17TH.  
BEWARE! OF FRIDAY THE 13TH.

# On the Waterfront



Report by: Tommy Legs

February was another busy month with eight vessels visiting the port. The first vessel was the tanker CRESCENT CONNEMARA with molasses from Bremen. Next was the VIVITA with fertilizer from the Continent. The POMMERN then brought fertilizer from Sfax in North Africa and the PIPER paper pulp from N. Spain. The small vessel the SILVER RIVER then loaded bags of fertilizer for Ramsey in the Isle of Man. The ALIKBER finally arrived with wheat from Rostock in Germany after a long spell at anchor due to low tides and was followed by the HELSE with wheat from COWES on the Isle of Wight. Finally an old friend the BEN ELLEN brought wheat from Seaforth in Liverpool.

# Dock Gate Changeover

Report & Photos by: Geoff Bland

The old Silloth Dock Gates were made of Greenheart wood and had reached the end of their working life by 1967. They were removed and replaced with new steel gates which were manufactured at Barrow shipyard. They were then towed from Barrow to Silloth. The frame on top of the new gate being towed into Silloth in February 1967 held navigation lights.

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