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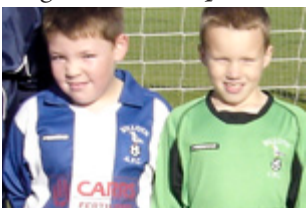
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# MERRY CHRISTMAS to all our Readers

## SILLOTH CHRISTMAS LIGHTS SWITCH ON

**FRIDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER FROM 5.30PM**  
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<b>5.30 – 6.00 pm</b>	<b>Silloth Primary School Children's Choir</b>
<b>6.00 – 6.15 pm</b>	<b>Christmas Lights Switch On</b>
<b>6.15 – 6.45 pm</b>	<b>Silloth Christchurch Carol Service</b>
<b>6.45 – Late</b>	<b>Local Band: Retribution</b>

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- Fabulous Prize Raffle

## FREE PORTRAIT SESSIONS in the GOLF HOTEL on Saturday 20th & Sunday 21st November, 12-5pm

### A Very Special Christmas Thank-You to everyone who Supports the Buzz

The Solway Buzz is a FREE community paper with a circulation of 4,000 copies for the area around Abbeytown, Skinburness, Silloth-on-Solway and Mawbray



# Rainbows Challenge



Above: Silloth Rainbows sitting on the Lifeboat during their visit  
Below: The Rainbows showing off their collage and wearing Pirate outfits



Report by: Gemma Pegram  
First Silloth Rainbow Leader

The Rainbows would like to thank Silloth Lifeboat Station for all their help during their visit. This was part of the 'Tall Ship Challenge' in Rainbows.

To complete the challenge, the girls had to undertake four challenges in order to gain their Tall Ship Challenge badge, these were all related to a sea theme. They had to: make a collage of all the creatures

you might find under the sea; make a craft using items you would find at the beach (in this case we used sea shells); a visit to your local lifeboat station; and hold a Pirate theme week. These were all completed and the Rainbows were presented with their badge on the evening of the Pirate week on 19th October. Parents were invited to come along and see the girls receive their

badges and to hear them sing sea shanties.

It was a great success. On Wednesday 20th October, all guiding groups from the Ellen Holme District were invited to Beacon Hill school in Aspatria and took part in a link up with the whole country to say their Guiding Promise.

This marked the end of the Girlguiding Centenary Celebrations excellently.

# David English

It was with great sadness that Silloth on Solway Rotary Club learned of the death of President David English last month.

Apart from being the club president this year, David will have been known to many of you from his involvement with the Golf Club and the Sports and Social Club. The members of the Rotary Club would like to extend their sympathy to David's widow Margaret and the family.

President Elect Jim Aird has now taken over as president of the club in Silloth and we all wish him well for what will be an 18 month presidency

# New Owners at Little Acre



At the beginning of November, Sandra Roberts and her husband Brian took over Little Acre Care Home from Sarah and Geoff Betsworth.

Sandra and Brian are well experienced in the Care Sector, having previously owned homes in Lincolnshire and Cleveleys. They are now looking

forward to becoming part of Silloth's community.

Sarah and Geoff, who will be staying within the area, would like to wish them the very best for the future and would also like to thank everyone, especially the residents, their families and the staff for their support over the last nine years.

# SOSCS Donation

SOSCS Committee is pleased to report that a donation of £1,000 was made to Help for Heroes when they allocated money to various organisations recently. These donations would not be possible without the generosity of the local community for which the

Committee express their thanks and appreciation. They were extremely pleased to be able to 'do their bit' for Help for Heroes as they feel this is a very worthy cause.

People of Silloth keep your unwanted items rolling in so that we can support as many worthy causes as possible.



Princess Peper Pig Bee by Jade Fearon from Silloth Primary School

# What do I get for my council tax in Silloth?

	Silloth Town Council (6.00%) Services include supporting tourism, bus shelters, play areas, allotments				
	Allerdale Borough Council (9.04%) Services include refuse and recycling collections, planning, environmental health, licensing, economic regeneration				
	Cumbria Police Authority (12.15%) Services include tackling crime and disorder				
	Cumbria County Council (72.81%) Services include education, roads maintenance and gritting, social services				
	£	£	£	£	2010-11 council tax total
Council tax band A	774.33	129.26	96.11	63.84	1,063.54
Council tax band B	903.39	150.80	112.13	74.48	1,240.80
Council tax band C	1,032.44	172.35	128.15	85.12	1,418.06
Council tax band D	1,161.50	193.89	144.17	95.76	1,595.32
Council tax band E	1,419.61	236.98	176.21	117.04	1,949.84
Council tax band F	1,677.72	280.06	208.25	138.32	2,304.35
Council tax band G	1,935.83	323.15	240.28	159.60	2,658.86
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# Dialect Winners



Standing in front of President Jim Aird from left to right are: Colin Armstrong, Pauline Mole, Abigail O'Reagan and Willie Studholme

Report by:  
Geoff Betsworth

During the afternoon of Saturday 9th October, at the Golf Hotel at Silloth, the Rotary Club of Silloth-on-Solway held the 2010 Cumbrian Dialect Competition.

This is an annual event, with free entry for both spectator and contestant, held to promote and sustain the unique dialect of this region. Every year, contestants are asked to present and read to the audience and a panel of judges, an original yarn or piece of poetry.

The three noteworthy judges this year were Lakeland Dialect Society Journal retiring editor Ted Relph, "World's Biggest Liar" John Graham and Silloth Rotary Club president Jim Aird. The Master of Ceremonies for the afternoon was Silloth star

of stage and screen, Tim Barker.

After hearing the contestants perform their pieces to a capacity audience, the judges went into hiding to deliberate on the high quality of the entrants. The rest of the assembled throng were served non-alcoholic refreshments courtesy of the Rotary Club. There was a collection during the break and over £80 was raised to help cover expenses with any surplus going to Rotary charities.

On their return to the arena, the judges declared their decisions, and trophies were awarded to the winners in each of the categories.

The overall Winner of "The Best Spoken Dialect" was Colin Armstrong of Harrington, who related a rather amusing anecdote about a particularly annoying dove.

The "Most Humorous Story" in a Cumbrian dialect went to competition veteran Pauline Mole, from Silloth, with a tale about computers, the essence of which will have been familiar to many of the audience.

The prize for the "Best Newcomer" this year went to Willie Studholme, from Wigton with a story concerning childhood games.

Last but not most definitely not least was the "Under 16" category which went to Miss Abigail O'Reagan from Aspatria, whose piece on the pros & cons of a prospective baby brother or sister raised more than a few laughs from a very receptive audience.

Should you fancy an afternoon of excellent entertainment, might like to make a note that the next "Cumbrian Dialect Competition" will be held at the same venue, on Saturday October 8th, 2011.

# Success for Local Artist



The winning illustration of Sir Thomas Urquhart

Local artist Tim Stead entered a competition that was held by the Cromarty History Society to celebrate the 400th anniversary of the birth of famous writer Sir Thomas Urquhart. They wanted an illustrator to illustrate a childrens book that would educate the children of the Black Isle in Scotland.

The image title was Sir Thomas sat at his desk writing his books, this would have to be A4 size

using any media that suited the artist. Once the winning illustrator was picked then an author was also picked to write the book. With this they would require twelve full colour images for the book depicting scenes from the winning story.

A full run of a 1,000 copies will be published and the books would be distributed free to the local children in their schools with the remainder of the books being sold in the

Cromarty museum and gift shop.

Ideally they wanted the illustrator to be local, they had entries from all over the world I was told, however, I put our Silloth on the map with the people of Cromarty. The images are all finished now and are ready to go to print sometime in January and Tim will receive a few copies of the book. Tim's website is at: [www.steadillustration.moonfruit.com](http://www.steadillustration.moonfruit.com).



Cool Dood-et by Rebecca Carter from Silloth Primary School

## Winner

Report by: Audrey Maddison

Congratulations to John Slack of Skiddaw Street, Silloth who correctly solved all 50 clues in the British Sit-coms quiz.

I hope he enjoys using his gift voucher which was kindly donated by Hayes Gardenworld.

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## 2011 DATES REQUIRED NOW!

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Opening Hours:  
 Tuesday: 9am - 4:45pm  
 Thursday: 9am - 4:45pm  
 Open at other times as per sign in the Centres window.  
 We are also flexible if people wish to use the centre out of the opening hours. If you wish to use the centre at other times, please call Hannah Davison on 016973 31230 or Jenny Lunney on 016973 22777 at Aspatria Children's Centre.  
 We are more than happy to show people around, chat on a one to one basis or for a group of people wishing to enquire about the centre.

### Silloth RNLI Shop

#### Shop Opening Hours

**December**  
 Sunday 11am to 3:30pm

The shop will close for the season on Sunday 12th December

Thank you to all our customers who have supported us during the year and we look forward to seeing you again in the spring

*Our shop is staffed by volunteers and may not open at the advertised times - we do apologies for any inconvenience this may cause*

### Arthritis Support

Wigton Area Arthritis Support Group meet on 1st Friday each month at Loveday House, South End, Wigton @ 1:30pm, details from Gladys 016973 43964

### Silloth Tots/Toddlers

Silloth Tots & Toddlers meet in the Childrens Centre, Silloth from 14th January and is open to all children aged from 0 to 4.

Sessions are on:  
 Wed: 10pm to 11:30am and  
 Fridays: 1:30am to 3pm term time only  
 Entry is £1 per family and this includes refreshments  
 All Welcome  
 Call in for a friendly chat

### Civic Amenity Sites

Operated by Cumbria County Council. tel: 01228 606060  
 Maryport Tip, tel 01900 66922 open daily 8am to 6pm  
 Wigton Tip, tel 016973 45617 open Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday & Sunday, 8am to 6pm

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 Peter McRobert with the support of the whole community and an army of volunteers.

### November

19th Silloth Youth Club Disco, 7:30pm to 10:30pm, all Secondary School children are welcome

20th Silloth RUFC play Moresby away

20th Family Portrait Photography in the Golf Hotel, no sitting fee, to book tel Photography by Peter on 016973 32180 or just come along from noon to 5pm

20th Race Night in aid of RNLI in Silloth Social Club at 7pm, entry free race cards 50p

21st Christmas Craft Fair at Culterham Hall, Mawbray, tel: 01900 881353

21st Family Portrait Photography in the Golf Hotel, no sitting fee, to book tel Photography by Peter on 016973 32180 or just come along from noon to 5pm

### Abbeytown Library

Abbeytown mobile library will stop outside the Wheatsheaf Inn at 1pm for an hour every Monday

### Abbeytown Bowls

Abbeytown Indoor Bowls every Monday @ 7pm in the Assembly Rooms beginners welcome.

### Football Training

**Silloth Football Club Times 2010 at Eden Street Sports Field**

Under 8's  
 Monday 5pm to 6pm in the Sports Hall  
 Contact Emma Oliver 32112

Under 16's  
 Thursday 5:30pm to 7pm in the Sports Hall  
 Contact Andrew Murphy 32434

Men's  
 Tuesday 7:30pm to 9pm in the Sports Hall  
 Thursday 6:30pm to 8pm at the Playing Field  
 Contact John Slack 31449

Open to boys and girls. Membership forms available from all coaches.

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### November cont'd

22nd Blood Donor Session in Solway Community School from 3pm to 7pm

25th A Celebration of Christmas Trees in Holme Cultram Abbey

26th Christmas Sale at Silloth Nursing Home, 2pm

26th A Celebration of Christmas Trees in Holme Cultram Abbey

26th Silloth Christmas Lights Switch-On

27th A Celebration of Christmas Trees in Holme Cultram Abbey

28th A Celebration of Christmas Trees in Holme Cultram Abbey

28th Quiz Night in Silloth Golf Club @ 8pm

29th A Celebration of Christmas Trees in Holme Cultram Abbey

30th Criffel Tea Dance in Silloth Community School from 1:45pm to 3:45pm

### December

2nd Trinity Methodist Church 'Taste of Christmas' Pop-In 11:45-1pm

4th Silloth & District Pensioners Christmas Party in Stanwix Park

4th Crunch Service at Skinburness Rd Carpark 9-11am

4th Silloth RUFC play Millom at home

6th Police Surgery in the Abbey, Abbeytown 12:30pm to 1:30pm

6th Police Surgery in Silloth Fire Station 2pm to 4pm

5th Trinity Methodist Church Evening Carol Service @ 6pm

6th Silloth Town Council Meeting in Community Hall

7th Silloth Music & Beer Festival AGM in the Albion @ 7pm

8th Christmas Bingo by Friends of Abbeytown School at the Primary School, Abbeytown, starting at 7pm

*Errors do occur in Dates for the Diary. Please check before attending an event.*

### Christ Church

For Christ Church baptisms and other church related business please contact the church wardens: Mrs Jean Oliver - tel: 32271 or Mrs Margaret Graham - tel: 31452.

Copy date for the January issue is:

1st December 2010

If your organisation has an event to promote or you have something to say, please note the next copy date.

### December cont'd

8th Causewayhead WI meeting in Trinity Methodist Church Schoolroom @ 7:15pm for AGM

10th Edna Croft signs copies of 'Maryport' at Carlisle Library at 5:30pm, entry £1

10th Christ Church with St. Pauls Men's Choir Christmas Concert

12th Silloth Tennis Club Annual Awards & Christmas Party Evening in Silloth Social Club

13th Silloth Soup Pop-In in Trinity Methodist Church 11:45am to 1pm, all welcome

14th Criffel Tea Dance in Westnewton Village Hall from 1:45pm to 3:45pm

18th Silloth RUFC play Workington Steelers away

19th Santa tours Silloth on his Sleigh, starting at Skinburness @ 3:30pm and finishing at the Crofts

20th Silloth Soup Pop-In in Trinity Methodist Church 11:45am to 1pm, all welcome

26th Silloth Football Extravaganza at Eden Street Football Field

26th Silloth Football Club evening dance in Rugby Club, music by AWOL

27th Silloth Soup Pop-In in Trinity Methodist Church 11:45am to 1pm, all welcome

### January

11th Criffel Tea Dance in Silloth Community School from 1:45pm to 3:45pm

12th Causewayhead WI meeting in Trinity Methodist Church Schoolroom @ 7:15pm for Members Night

15th Crunch Service at Skinburness Rd Carpark 9-11am

15th Silloth RUFC play Cockerthorpe at home

29th Silloth RUFC play Wigton Wanderers away

30th Quiz Night in Silloth Golf Club @ 8pm

**Do you have an event in the area bounded by Abbeytown, Mawbray, Silloth, Skinburness, if so please let us know.**

### February

3rd Silloth Soup Pop-In in Trinity Methodist Church 11:45am to 1pm, all welcome

5th Silloth RUFC play Aspatria Eagles at home

12th Crunch Service at Skinburness Rd Carpark 9-11am

15th Holme Low Parish Council meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 7:30pm

19th Silloth RUFC play Egremont away

27th Quiz Night in Silloth Golf Club @ 8pm

### March

4th Country Music at Stanwix Park, 016973 32666

5th Silloth RUFC play Creighton away

5th Country Music at Stanwix Park, 016973 32666

6th Country Music at Stanwix Park, 016973 32666

12th Crunch Service at Skinburness Rd Carpark 9-11am

12th Silloth RUFC play Netherhall away

26th Silloth RUFC play Moresby at home

27th Quiz Night in Silloth Golf Club @ 8pm

### April

9th Silloth RUFC play Millom away

16th Silloth RUFC play Gosforth Greengarth at home

20th Holme Low Parish Council Annual Parish Meeting in Tanglewood, Causewayhead at 7:30pm

### May

17th Holme Low Parish Council meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 7:30pm

### June

18th Silloth Vintage Rally

19th Silloth Vintage Rally

### July

9th Soldiers in Silloth

10th Soldiers in Silloth

23rd Silloth Kite Festival

24th Silloth Kite Festival

### August

13th Greenfest

14th Greenfest

16th Holme Low Parish Council meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 7:30pm

29th Silloth Carnival

### September

8th Silloth Music & Beer Festival

9th Silloth Music & Beer Festival

10th Silloth Music & Beer Festival

11th Silloth Music & Beer Festival

### October

8th Dialect Competition organised by Silloth Rotary Club in the Golf Hotel

### November

15th Holme Low Parish Council meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 7:30pm



Check out SolwayBuzz.co.uk for photos of local events

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## Masthead Winner

Carlisle Embroidery are generously donating a Solway Buzz embroidered sports shirt to the winner. This is in addition to the usual Winners Certificate and £5 Gift Voucher. So, come on kids, get drawing, the Buzz is always looking for more imaginative bees and yours might be the next winner. Send them in to the address on this page and a quality Solway Buzz embroidered sports shirt from Carlisle Embroidery could be yours. You don't have to be at school here to send a bee to us. If you are here on holiday we would love to receive your bee drawing, just tell us your name, where you are from and where you are staying. You will find our address on page 4.

This month the winner is Owen English from Silloth Primary School with a bee called "Speedy Stinger".

Well done!





# 10,000th Grant

The Cumbria Community Foundation celebrates its 10,000th grant, to Flookburgh based Bay Search and Rescue to help with training its swift water rescue team. The team was very involved with the rescue activities at Cockermouth in the floods of 12 months ago.

After the latest grant, Gary Parsons, chairman and founding member of Bay Search and Rescue, said: "We're very grateful for the donation and it's difficult to explain how important it is to keep receiving this money for training."

The Foundation, which is based at Dovenby, has been making grants since 1999. With more than 50 separate funds set up which raise money through 160 businesses, 300 individuals

and 30 voluntary groups, the CCF has a vast network which is helping it become one of the county's most prominent trusts.

CCF Director Andy Beeforth said "We want people to know that if they want to give to local good causes then they could do it through the Community Foundation. I think people get a buzz out of giving money through CCF because they know it will make a difference locally."

The CCF has also responded rapidly to disasters such as the Cumbria floods of last year with around £2.8 million being raised, the first million of which was collected in just 10 days. To help distribute the cash, more than 40 volunteers sit on the foundation's grants committees.

# Refuse Collections

Extra efficient recycling and refuse collections

Recycling and refuse collections across Allerdale are being made extra efficient in a bid to allow even more homes to benefit from the successful purple bag recycling scheme.

Allerdale Borough Council is sending out new collection calendars to around 19,000 homes to let residents know if and when their bin collection days may change.

Residents are urged to check their new collection calendars carefully to ensure they put the correct bins out on the right days.

Councillor Sam Standage, Allerdale Borough Council's Executive member with responsibility for Refuse Collection and Recycling, said: "In order to ensure that our refuse and recycling rounds continue to operate efficiently, we have had to introduce some changes to collections. We have introduced a new fleet of more fuel efficient vehicles which is not only better for the environment but also offers even more value for money to the council tax payer.

"Our aim is to increase the number of homes taking

part in kerbside recycling, such as paper/card bins and purple bags. We believe that the new collection arrangements will help us to achieve this.

"I would like to thank residents for embracing our recycling initiatives and helping to make them a success. By continuing to drive down the amount of waste being sent to landfill we can support the Council's vision of making Allerdale a great place to live, work and visit."

Residents are reminded to check their collection calendars and to put their bins out for collection by 7am.

Communal recycling points are spread across the borough for those who do not yet have kerbside recycling collections. Please be considerate and try to avoid using these banks at unsociable hours so as not to disturb nearby homes with noise.

For more information on recycling, call Allerdale Borough Council's Recycling team on 01900 702800, email: recycling@allerdale.gov.uk or visit Allerdale Borough Council's recycling page at: www.allerdale.gov.uk/recycling

# Pre-Christmas Tea

## Silloth & District Pensioners Pre Christmas Tea

Report by: Pat Froggatt

On Saturday 6th November Silloth & District Pensioners held their pre-Christmas tea at St. Andrews Hall, Solway Street, Silloth.

Diana Shaw welcomed everyone and asked Graham Wilkinson, the former Mayor to open the proceedings.

The ladies of the Committee and helpers had prepared the tea which consisted of scones, mince pies, dropped scones, jam and rum butter. There were also greetings cards, cakes, bric-a-brac and fancy goods for sale. However, the treat of the afternoon was the modelling done by some of the members of the Committee who, after choosing their outfits, modelled them to all present. The clothes were on offer by Eve and were excellent value. Two of the members of the committee displayed tops which

they wore over their own trousers to give an idea of what different outfits would go with ones own clothes. Other items demonstrated were skirts and blouses which were either mix or match. The demonstration was ably compered by Diana Shaw with assistance from Eve.

The whole event was thoroughly enjoyed by all present and there was a warm and friendly atmosphere in the hall.

There were 21 winners in the raffle which had been well supported by everyone.

The Committee would like to thank all those who supported the event and who also support them on a regular basis at the monthly coffee morning held at the Pensioners Hall. Without this support these events, outings and Christmas party would not be possible. Thank you all very much indeed. The event raised approximately £300.

# Abbeytown MU

Report by: Pat Froggatt

Branch Leader Brenda Sim welcomed visitors from Kirkbride, Newton Arlosh, Bowness and West Newton as well as two visitors from Abbeytown, Margaret Thompson sent her apologies.

Maureen Gibson led the prayers then Francis MacIntyre was introduced to tell of her time in the Iona Community. George Macleod from Govan set up the community in 1938. Francis obviously loved her time on Iona and gave us a flavour of the life on the Island. She was the cook and though the menus were

mainly vegetarian, Sunday roast was served each week.

People from all over the world visit and work within the Community while they are there. The atmosphere is so tranquil and everyone leaves feeling refreshed and invigorated. Francis had many books to show us and had stepped in at the last moment as our speaker was unable to come. She was thanked by Elsie Donald not only for giving a very interesting insight into Iona but also for filling in so well at such short notice.

A buffet supper was served and Noeline Foster sold drawing tickets. The lucky winners were Muriel

Studholme, Sue Day (Bowness), Elsie Donald, Mary Mattinson, Catherine Bartlett and Lillian Stewart (Bowness).

Freda Garner read the record of the September meeting. Five members went to the Quiet Evening at Maryport and the Pie & Pea Bingo was well supported. The arrangements for the

Christmas Tree Festival to be held in the Abbey from Thursday 25th Nov to Monday 29th Nov were discussed and it sounds a wonderful sight with stalls and refreshments available each day. Lynne Tembey will be the speaker at the next meeting on Monday 22nd November at 7:30pm in the Abbey Meeting Room.



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# Youth Club Awards



Christine Ray and George Holden with their two awards surrounded by the children

**Christine Ray and George Holden who volunteer at Silloth Youth Club were invited to attend as finalists at the "Volunteer of the Year Award", ceremony held in Egremont Market Hall on 22nd of October.**

Awards were presented by Granada News reporter Lucy Meacock and it was a great delight when Christine and George were announced as winners of their category. Christine and George had been nominated by PC Andy Robertson for their tireless work and commitment to Silloth Youth Club, and although he was unable to be there on the evening he was represented by PCSO Hubert Wiosenski.

Christine and George became involved back in 2008 after the local PCSO requested volunteers to get the Youth Club up and running again. A committee was formed with Christine taking on the roll of Secretary and George as Treasurer, with Tim Barker residing as Chairman. After many months of planning and training to include, safe guarding children, first aid, risk assessments and fire drills to name but a few, the youth club opened its door on the 11th of May 2009.

Since that day Christine and George have continued

to work hard, opening the Youth Club every Monday and Wednesday evening, only closing for three weeks at Christmas and the occasional Bank Holiday, one of which is Carnival Day in which the Youth Club take part with a float involving the Youth Club kids. It's all a pleasure for them, whether it's building up a sweat, playing softball, football or rounders in the Sports Hall or on the Green or just playing cards or darts in the club itself.

Several times throughout the year a disco or two will be arranged, this usually includes a raffle which always creates excitement (everyone wants to win the cuddly toy!), then there is insurance and coaches to arrange for trips to Blackpool or a Bowling Alley. The work doesn't stop when the Youth Club is closed either, they both regularly attend Police meetings, working closely to ensure a safer environment for our kids. Regular trips to the Cash n Carry for supplies of cans of pop, crisps and chocolate and the Youth Club delicacy "Psycho Rats".

George keeps an eye on the funds but leaves the shopping to Christine, (unless they're taking the kids for an ice-cream that is).

This award is well

deserved and justifiably given, to two people who are so selfless and modest about their achievements. Well done Christine and George!

Christine and George would like to thank the Town Council and local businesses for their continued support of the Youth Club.

They would also like to say a special thank you to the Rotary Club for the recent donation of a new snooker table.

As you may all be aware, the Youth Club runs solely on donations, if anyone wishes to make a contribution, or volunteer their services please contact Christine or George on 07707 539492. Pop along on a Monday or Wednesday evening and see what it's like.

An extra special thank you must go to the kids who continue to attend the youth club every Monday and Wednesday. You are what keep Christine and George motivated.

# OYSTERCATCHER TEASER

How many Oystercatchers can you find on this beach? The photo was taken at Skinburness and helps to show how well Oystercatchers are suited to their environment.

The answer is on page 11



Photo by: Margaret Hobson

# Look Out For Santa

**Father Christmas is to visit Silloth again!**

The Rotary Club of Silloth-on-Solway has arranged for Father Christmas to visit the town again this year. On Sunday 19th December he will be setting off from Skinburness at 3:30p.m. proceeding along Skinburness Road calling at Skinburness Drive on his way into Silloth.



He will take the usual route through the town (the same as the Carnival procession) finishing up in West Silloth and The Crofts.

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## Vehicles on Banks & Beaches

Nature lovers are being asked to help the Solway Coast AONB Partnership, Allerdale Borough Council and Cumbria Police to prevent vandalism destroying parts of the Solway Coast Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty (AONB).

Over the past few weeks, residents and visitors have reported seeing four-wheel-drive cars, quad bikes and motorbikes driving onto the beach and destroying the fragile habitats of the Mawbray Banks Dunes, which are designated as a Site of Special Scientific Interest.

Councillor Sam Standage, Allerdale Borough Council's Executive member with responsibility for the Solway Coast AONB, said: "Such acts of mindless vandalism are ruining the enjoyment of the Mawbray Banks Dunes for everyone. This area is supposed to be

a pleasant place for people to relax and appreciate the beauty of wildlife in its natural habitat. To see it being destroyed in this way by a selfish few is just heartbreaking. Tyre tracks have been seen along the front of the dunes near Mawbray, damaging this habitat where specialised plants grow on the shingle shore. The vehicles have also been seen to drive up the front of the sand dunes, which erodes them, and also over the dunes which are the home to the rare and protected Natterjack toad. In the spring, shore birds nest on the shingle beaches and lay their eggs which are completely camouflaged. Vehicles could all too easily drive over these hidden nests and destroy our unique and precious wildlife."

PC Andy Robertson, of North Allerdale Neighbourhood Policing Team said: "We have

listened to the concerns of the local community who have told us through the Safer Stronger Community Meetings that vandalism of Mawbray Banks is something they would like us to focus on so we have stepped up patrols in the area to tackle the issue. We are committed to cracking down on the issues that matter most to our communities so are warning offenders that they will be caught and if necessary their vehicles will be seized under the police reform act. I would urge anyone with information which could help us to get in touch with me or anyone at North Allerdale Neighbourhood Policing Team by calling 0845 33 00 247."

Residents and visitors can also contact the Solway Coast AONB team - which maintains and preserves the Mawbray Banks Dunes on: 016973 33055.

## Silloth Music & Beer Festival



Check out hundreds of photographs on [www.SolwayBuzz.co.uk](http://www.SolwayBuzz.co.uk)

Report by: David Wallace  
Chairman

**During September Silloth Music & Beer Festival celebrated its tenth anniversary, and what a celebration it was!**

The marquee was full all weekend, with many local familiar faces and many more from further afield. There were over 75 real ales and ciders to be enjoyed over the weekend, and we welcomed bands from across the country as well as a number of local acts.

Silloth lads Rigsby opened the festival, and the

Kings of Lyon closed it!

As most people know the beer festival is a not for profit event and all the staff are volunteers who give up their time, many starting a week before the festival opens, for free. Any profits made go to Silloth Festivals, which funds other events throughout the year.

Thanks to such fantastic support this year we are in addition also able make three donations to good causes in Silloth. We are delighted to be presenting Silloth Youth Club, Silloth & District Pensioners Association and

the Silloth Christmas Lights appeal each with a donation to support their good work.

If anyone is interested in joining the committee as a volunteer you are welcome to attend our AGM on December 7th in the Albion Inn at 7pm. Pop in and say hello.

For more information about the festival please go to [www.sillothbeerfestival.co.uk](http://www.sillothbeerfestival.co.uk) or [www.facebook.com/sillothbeerfestival](http://www.facebook.com/sillothbeerfestival)

I'd also like to thank all the volunteers, once again, for making the festival possible.

## Pensioners Coffee Morning

Report by: Pat Bell

Many thanks to all who supported our Coffee Morning in the Recreation Hall on Saturday 2nd October, despite the heavy showers.

A total of £145.50 was

raised for our funds.

We are happy to report that, thanks to the generous donation from our intrepid cyclists last month, improvements in the kitchen should be complete by the time this report is printed. Thanks again Lads.

The raffle prize winners were:-

- 1). Doreen Carruthers
- 2). Mrs W. Ferguson
- 3). Margaret Thompson
- 4). Freda Monkhouse
- 5). Sheila Nichol
- 6). Di Wallace
- 7). Pat Bell

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## The Gincase Exhibition

The latest exhibition at The Gincase features the Cumberland Artists Society and runs until Sunday 12th December.

We welcome back The Cumberland Artists Society for the 3rd time; we are delighted with the quality and diverseness of their work, and are very pleased to be able to support our local artists.

The Society was formed in 1993 as a non-profit making group, meeting at Netherhall Adult Centre on a Monday evening from 7pm during the school terms.

A small and friendly

group, their membership is limited to 38 members, currently standing at 21, of various ages and abilities. Between them they use all mediums, and the work produced is very diverse. They do not have a tutor but do have a lot of experience and talent among the members and help and advice is always freely available.

They run a monthly competition where members bring in their latest work and have it voted for by the membership and also a monthly 'Colour Challenge', painting a picture drawn

at random from their photograph stock.

As extra curriculum activities, they run workshops where they invite a professional artist to come along and spend one or two days giving expert tuition in a particular medium, both indoors and on field trips. They also organise trips out to visit galleries, the last one being to Kelvinside to visit 'The Glasgow Boys' exhibition.

They are always open to new ideas and ventures, and members are encouraged to bring these to the meetings for discussion.

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# Solway Community Technology College Pink Day



The whole school helped to raise money for Breast cancer on Friday 22nd October by wearing pink as part of the national October event.

Mrs Baird gave an assembly earlier in the week to highlight to pupils the number of women and men who are diagnosed with the disease every year in the UK and



worldwide, explaining how research is vital to fight against this dreadful cancer.

Our Catering team rallied to the cause, making pink food and decorating the tables with pink flowers, while our reception was decorated with pink balloons by the school council and Mrs Wise. Even our visitors had been



forewarned to wear pink!

Many thanks to all involved.

We raised £335.50 and sent a cheque off to the cancer charity just before half term.

An excellent outcome!

Headmaster Lois Baird says "Well done everyone."



## Abbeytown Flower Club

Report by: Gladys Temple

Chairman Ruth Pinguey welcomed Ross Harrison from Ulverston to demonstrate her skills to members and friends at the Open Night in the Assembly Rooms at Abbeytown.

She told us about her flower shop in Ulverston where she employs 10 'girls' to help her.

She began with a collection of foliage made up of various autumn colours and added orange Chinese Lanterns, Asiatic lilies, red roses, berries, spray carnations, orange Gerberas and orange hips. The second was in a large urn decorated with a purple scarf and butterfly. Caster Oil leaves were balanced by purple gladioli laid horizontal then purple carnations, yellow chrysanthus and blue thistles finished the unusual display. Next aspidistra leaves were folded around a pot and white Oriental lilies, small white spider chrysanthus, anterooms and hydrangea heads made a stunning display twined with

one made earlier. Lots of greenery filled the next urn with cerise pink carnations, spray pink roses, alstromeria, veronica, larger pink roses, vivordia, sedum and pink gerberas decorated with a pink butterfly. Spotted laurel leaves, dipped oak leaves and various foliage of different shapes and textures were mixed with foxtail lilies, yellow carnations, a massive Orchid, alstromeria and yellow chrysanthus.

All the time she was working she told us of her family and the family Garden Centre also at Ulverston. She invited everyone to visit for the Dickensian Festival at the end of November when people come to soak up the atmosphere and see everyone dressed up in costume.

Ruth thanked her for a stunning demonstration of beautiful flowers.

The lucky raffle winners were Margaret Moore, Angeline Pearson, Joyce Wilson, Jessie Ostle, Jane Miller and Diane Harrison.

## Parish Church of St. Mary's HOLME CULTRAM ABBEY

### A Celebration of Christmas Trees In the Abbey Church

Advent Sunday Weekend  
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The Abbey will be open daily from Friday 26th November from 10am until evening

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During the evenings, performances will include a Nativity performance by the Abbey School children, a Concert by Silloth and Causewayhead Male Voice Choir and an Advent Carol Service. The weekend will conclude with a sale of the trees.

Admission to the Christmas tree exhibition and all separate performances is from £2 – £6. A 'Celebration' Ticket giving admission to the exhibition throughout the Celebration and all evening performances is £10 (from PCC members)

### DONATION BOXES

Are now at the back of Church for any food provisions and/or goods that can be used for cooking/baking/Tombola stall.

ALL DONATIONS WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATED

### ANGELS

Angels are currently being made, in order to decorate the Abbey as part of the Christmas Tree Celebration. Angels can be bought and pre-ordered before the Celebration, purchased either in memory of a loved one, or as a Christmas decoration.

Cost: £3 (each)

## Assistant Rainbow Leader Needed

1st Silloth Rainbows are looking for a volunteer to help out on Tuesday evenings during term-time.

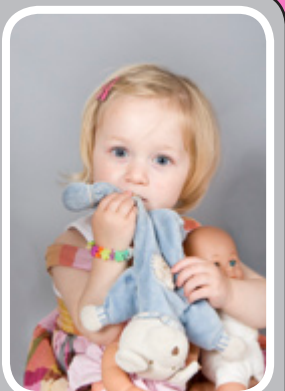
Our meetings are held once a week beginning at 5:45pm and finishing at 6:45pm.

Rainbows are a group of girls aged between 5 and 7 who take part in various craft activities and games. We currently have 16 Rainbows.

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# Don't Miss Out

Residents in Allerdale are being reminded to count on their vote ahead of next year's local council elections.

Allerdale Borough Council is urging people to join the electoral register – which not only gives them the right to vote but can also help them get access to everyday financial products such as mobile phone contracts, loans or even mortgages.

The Council sent out Annual Canvass forms in August and, whilst it has already had a good response, more people need to return their electoral registration information if they are to have a voice in the next local council elections, which are to be held on 5th May 2011.

Councillor Chris Garrard, Allerdale Borough Council's Executive member with responsibility for Democratic Services, said: "Many of our residents find they can't get a contract for a new mobile phone or apply for a loan or a mortgage simply because their name's not down on the electoral register. Just because you pay your council tax it doesn't mean you are automatically registered to vote. In fact you could risk a fine of up to £1,000 if you do not respond to the canvass or give false information. So it's worth giving us a quick reply if only to save yourself the hassle in the long run."

In addition, parents sometimes forget that if their children will have turned 18 by the time of the next election, they will also be eligible to vote and should be added onto the registration form.

Councillors from around Allerdale have appeared in an online video to explain to

residents just why it is worth taking up their right to join the electoral register and make their vote count.

The video can be seen on the internet at Allerdale Borough Council's website: [www.allerdale.gov.uk](http://www.allerdale.gov.uk) as well as its YouTube channel: [www.youtube.com/user/allerdalebc](http://www.youtube.com/user/allerdalebc) or by searching for Allerdale Borough Council's Facebook page.

Residents can make sure they are on the electoral register by checking the form that came through the post. If there are no changes to the information printed on the form, registration can be confirmed via telephone, text or internet. This reduces the cost to the council tax payer, and is better for the environment.

If there are any changes to make, they can be marked on the form and posted back to the Council in the envelope provided. The new register will be published on 1st December.

If a resident misses the electoral registration form for whatever reason and wants to register at any other time in the year, they can pick up a rolling registration form from any of Allerdale Borough Council's offices or download one from its website: [www.allerdale.gov.uk](http://www.allerdale.gov.uk). Alternatively, they can ask the Council's Democratic Services team to post a form out to them by telephoning 01900 702550 or emailing [elections@allerdale.gov.uk](mailto:elections@allerdale.gov.uk).



# Silloth Santa Dash



Check out all the Santa Dash photographs on [www.SolwayBuzz.co.uk](http://www.SolwayBuzz.co.uk)

Above: Santas get wonderful weather  
Left: Shirley Parker thanks everyone



A swarm of Santas toured Silloth in lovely weather collecting for the Christmas Lights Fund.

The procession ended at the Rugby Club where a large number of donated prizes were raffled to the crowded room. A grand total of £1,400 was raised on the day.

Although funds are insufficient to extend the lights to more streets new fitting have been purchased to enhance the existing displays.

The committee would like to thank all those who participated in the dash, all those who contributed towards the raffle and everyone else involved.

# Free Portrait Sessions

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## Heatseekers Vehicles

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The unique HeatSeekers vehicles – which feature state of the art technology developed by the Energy Saving Partnership – used thermal imaging to identify homes that could benefit from improved insulation.

Allerdale Borough Council supported the initiative – which ran from October 2009 to September 2010 – to help residents cut their household carbon emissions and save on heating bills.

Councillor Margaret Jackson, Allerdale Borough Council's Executive member with responsibility for Housing, said: "As a result of the HeatSeekers scheme 157 homes across Allerdale have been fitted with the recommended

depth of loft insulation and 203 have benefited from having cavity wall insulation installed. These energy saving measures have cut down on carbon emissions in the borough by roughly 249 tonnes per year – working out at a saving of 6,225 tonnes over the next 25 years. In addition, the initiative could give the households involved an estimated combined saving of £46,895 per year on their heating bills – adding up to £1,172,375 over 25 years. Allerdale Borough Council has a vision for a lower carbon future and is seeking to help address climate change through

Witch Bee  
by  
Sadie Henderson  
from  
Silloth  
Primary  
School



the quality of housing, saving energy and reducing carbon emissions. We encourage homeowners to consider the benefits of properly insulating their properties – not only can it help to save the environment but it could save them money too."

Operating at night, during the colder months, each HeatSeeker vehicle was able to assess up to 1,000 properties an hour. The thermal imaging technology highlighted where heat was escaping from a property and identified if it would benefit from more insulation.

## Memorial Walk

Report by: Bill Amyes

**The Marilyn Amyes Memorial Charity Walk was held on Saturday the 11th September.**

Eleven intrepid walkers and Buster the dog walked from Silloth to Maryport Navy Club, where they were joined by other Silloth residents who arrived with more sensible modes of transport.

As usual Tom and Dot and Jean and Howie provided refreshments at Allonby and as usual Jinky and Mick set off early and were knocking on the door of the club by 11am. The rest of us mortals arrived at a more civilized time of 12:30pm. A good afternoon was had by all and we returned to Silloth on the community bus just in time for the beer festival.

The amazing sum of £1,400 was raised, to be divided between Silloth First Responders and the Cumbria Air Ambulance. Many thanks to all who took part.

## Causewayhead WI

Report by: Pat Froggatt

Vice President, Pat Bell, welcomed members to the October meeting of Causewayhead WI which was held at Trinity Methodist, Silloth.

The shoe boxes which we were filling for needy children for Christmas were filled on 20th October.

It was reported that seven members went to the Thanksgiving at Carlisle Cathedral and the whole event was very well presented. Those members who went to the Mercury Tribute had a thoroughly enjoyable evening.

A beach clean took place on the 9th September and five bags of rubbish were collected but the beach was reasonably clean. Two garden sessions had also taken place.

The Calendars had arrived and were being circulated, unfortunately

there will not be any diaries this year as our request for diaries had somehow got lost in transit.

Margaret Durham gave a comprehensive report on the Autumn Council Meeting.

The evening then continued with a Beetle Drive which replaced the planned programme. This created a great deal of amusement and was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone. The winner with the most points was Marjorie Dockery closely followed by Margaret Prudhoe.

After a short break for refreshments Ann Harrison produced a quiz for the Social half hour. This was won by Sonia Sanderson.

The raffle was won by Audrey Dunbar and Sonia Sanderson. The flower competition was won by Jean Wilson and Ann Harrison was second.

## 2011 Census Temporary Jobs

Allerdale Borough Council is supporting the recruitment campaign to fill a range of full and part time temporary positions to help carry out the next census which will take place on 27th March 2011.

Working within the local community, census recruits will engage with a wide range of people and organisations. They will provide important help and support to make sure everyone in the area can complete and return their census questionnaire.

Available roles include:

census coordinators, who will help to manage local teams; census collectors, who will provide help and support on the doorstep; and special enumerators, who will be responsible for communal establishments including care homes, hotels and student halls of residence.

ONS Census Director Glen Watson said: "The census is not just about counting people, the information it provides is needed to plan vital services like schools,

hospitals, housing, roads and emergency services. The 2011 Census is less than five months away. We need to give people help and support to complete and return the census questionnaire and this means recruiting the right people for this important nationwide project."

Sarah Beattie, Allerdale Borough Council's Democratic Services Manager, said: "Like all local authorities in England and Wales, Allerdale Borough Council relies on census

population statistics to get the government funding we need for public services. How much we get is directly related to how many and what kind of people the census shows live in our area. So even if the census were to end up just a few households short, it could make a very real difference to people's lives. The census needs to include everyone, everywhere – and that's why everyone has to take part."

For details of the positions available, visit [www.allerdale.gov.uk/census](http://www.allerdale.gov.uk/census)

## RNLI Christmas Cards

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# Letters

Dear Buzz

I am not a letter writer, but I must thank the editor of The Solway Buzz for the support and understanding of the difficulties of running a fuel station in a rural community. All small traders in rural areas have trouble competing with the supermarkets ruthless trading and buying power. They often sell fuel as a loss leader, selling at below cost price to encourage sales at their stores.

If the anonymous holidaymaker had voiced his/her annoyance at the garage, they would have been handed a copy of a newspaper article explaining why a garage in Dalston decided that it would no longer sell fuel. We are supplied with fuel from Dalston by WCF and the price can fluctuate from one load to the next. We add 5% to whatever each load costs. A large number of customers pay with a credit card and the banks charge 2.5% commission. The fuel cards as used by Royal Mail, RNLI, etc. charge 3%. This leaves us with 2/2.5% profit. This barely covers the cost of running the station.

When I started working at the garage in 1959 the garages that sold fuel in Silloth were ourselves, R. Blake, J Cook, Pop Carr, and F. Coats. There were also filling stations at Allonby and Abbeytown.

All have closed as fuel stations. On principle, I have never bought fuel at a supermarket site, and always search out the small rural garage, as I know first hand how difficult it is to keep these stations running. This principle backfired on me last year as I went to a garage in Rothbury that I had used in the past, to find that although the MOT and service side of the business was thriving, they had closed the fuel station.

Fortunately for us, Silloth residents do support us, for which I thank them very much and hope with their and your support we can continue to provide the service well into the future. The attitude of the anonymous holidaymaker is typical of some, that will travel miles to save 2p, not having the sense to realise the exercise has just cost them £1.

Brian E. Reay  
Silloth Motor Co

Dear Buzz

I was saddened to learn of the news that last month Mrs. Clay, a teacher from my days in infant school at Silloth, had passed away. Regardless of the school experience, most of us still have a favourite teacher from that period in our lives and Mrs. Clay certainly fell into that category for me. She was a sweet, kind lady who indulged my obsession with Star Wars (I still have drawing I've kept from her class), displayed an almost superhuman level of patience with me at that age (which for those who knew me at school, was a miracle in itself) but above all, she was extremely supportive of and genuinely cared about all her pupils. I would often see her around town as I was growing up, and she would always, without fail, stop to chat and enquire as to how I was getting on at

school. Even after I moved away from the town she would still ask after me, and only recently, my mum passed on her best wishes to me. My condolences go out to her family and I'll never forget the fond memories I have of being in her class and witnessing someone who loved her profession which, in turn, was reflected in the happiness of her students.

Adam Lowes

Dear Buzz

Abbeytown Pre-school Playgroup and Toddlers would like to thank the Solfest Committee for giving us the opportunity to organise the Baby Chillout Tent again this year. We would also like to thank them for their generous donation to the group. We have had really good feedback from the festival and we hope the Solfest committee will allow us to return next year. Our group is a registered charity, so we were delighted to receive the money.

If anyone has children and their interested in the Pre-school and playschool please call 016973 61511. Any mums to be that could do with some company are welcome at our toddler group, along with mams, dads, grandparents and most of all babies and toddlers. Toddlers is held in Abbeytown Village Hall on Thursday mornings between 9:30am and 11:30am contact Debbie Steel on 016973 61249. Please support us. Thanks again.

Sarah Keaveney



# Dark Night Reads

By Anne Carruthers  
Cumbria Library Service

Why not curl up with a good book?



If you've read Too Close to Home or No Time for Goodbye then why not try? **Fear the Worst by Linwood Barclay**

Tim Blake's teenage daughter Sydney is staying with him while she works in a nearby hotel for the summer. However, one day she fails to arrive home from her shift and the hotel staff categorically denies having seen her - in fact that she even works there at all!!

Then begins the lengthy search.... Through twists and turns we are given an insight into Sydney's life and her circle of friends.

Her family are left to consider what could have made her step out of her life without leaving a trace? Only one thing convinces Tim that the worst hasn't already happened - the fact that some very scary people seem just as eager as he is to find her.

The question is who is going to find her first?

A good read but will you enjoy this as much as previous titles?

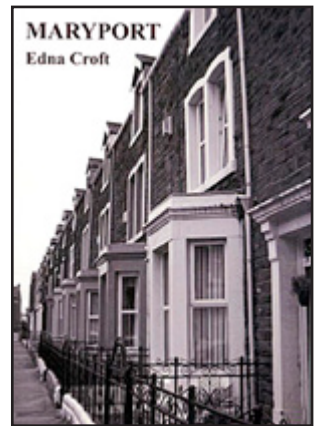


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A story of Maryport and the people of Maryport in the 1950's.

"There will come a time when time will be without me ..."

So begins Edna Croft's memoir of a 1950's childhood in the Cumbrian coastal town of Maryport.

This is not a history of Maryport, but a story of the lives within Edna's childhood, emerging, struggling from the Second World War into a time of optimism, progress and stability.

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Edna will be reading extracts from her book and talking about how she came to write it and why, at Carlisle Library on Friday 10th December at 5.30pm. Join us for a fascinating and entertaining talk.

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Please contact the library for more information.

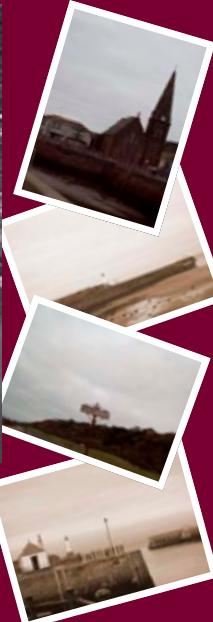
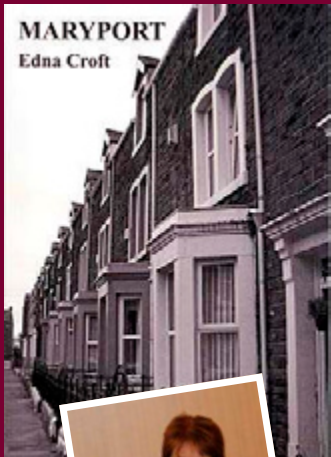
# Poems

Winter  
by Kiara Orchard age 9

Winter, Winter, Winter has come,  
No time to stop its just begun,  
Laughing, Laughing, Laughing all day,  
Its no kinda rush lets go and play,  
Winter, Winter, Winter is here,  
Winter means that Santa is near,  
Christmas, Christmas, Christmas is great,  
Lots of presents not too late,  
Throwing snowballs at your friends,  
Lets hope winter never ends,  
Singing in the Christmas choir,  
Roasting marshmallows on an open fire,  
Looking at all the Christmas lights,  
Hoping Santa will come tonight,  
A big bag of presents hoping he'll come,  
Santa, Santa, Santa please leave us some!

# Oystercatcher Teaser Answer

Scattered amongst the hundreds of stones there are nine Oystercatchers on the beach. This is a lot less than can often be seen in this area.



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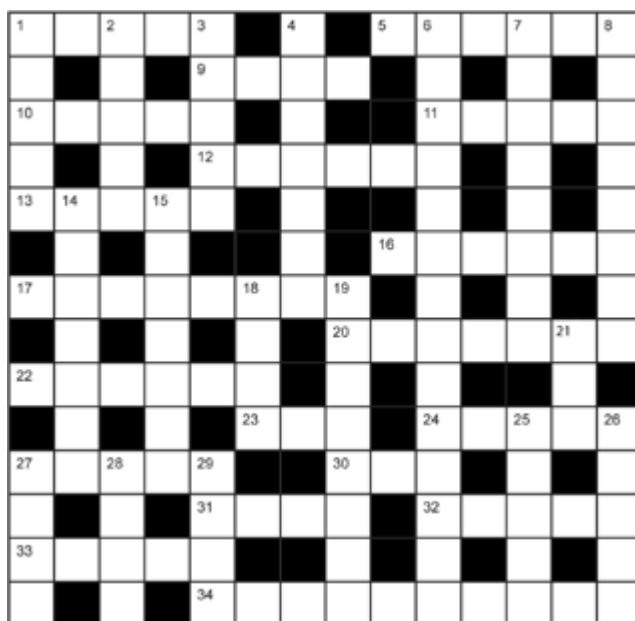


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		High Water		Low Water					
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# Crossword

Crossword puzzle created by Mycroft



### Crossword Issue 90

#### Across

- Spreading conifer with hard fragrant wood (5)
- Elaborate choral composition for church and often scripture based (6)
- Weak spot of Achilles (4)
- Coast. African country which borders Ghana (5)
- Town in France to the North East of Paris (5)
- Small fish (6)
- Gamebird which frequents marshes (5)
- Imitators of an artist (6)
- Witty or scoffing (8)
- Famous English Protestant martyr (7)
- Fleet of warships (6)
- Acronym for late, unlamented Property Sellers Pack (3)
- Garden shrub referred to as flowering currant (5)
- French word of encouragement (5)
- Sailor (3)
- The Engine. Popular series of children's books, serialized for TV and narrated by Ringo Starr (4)
- Final stage of insect after metamorphosis (5)
- Chair. Enclosed chair for one, carried on poles by two men (5)
- Book hawker - Especially of religious material (10)

#### Down

- The Massacre at \_\_\_\_\_ Painting by Delacroix (5)
- Loin cloth worn by male Hindus (5)
- Type of poem or verse (5)
- Seventeenth century Italian artist/sculptor (7)
- Breed of dog from East Anglia (7-7)
- Item of property that has been in a family for generations (8)
- Robust (8)
- Impartial (7)
- Archbishop (7)
- Builder of ark referred to in the Book of Genesis (4)
- Nonsense (8)
- Compass point between East and North East (3)
- William \_\_\_\_\_ English painter of 'God creating Adam' (5)
- River in Kent (5)
- Semi circular or polygonal recess with arched or domed roof in church (4)
- In Greek mythology, the mother of Helen of Troy (4)
- White metallic element (4)

### Crossword Answers issue 89

#### Across

- Gower
- Enigma
- Awol
- Menai
- Booth
- Samuel
- Agape
- Escort
- Rossetti
- Stetson
- Spleen
- Gut
- Bafta
- Feint
- Hal
- Acme
- Inuit
- Chain
- Grim Reaper

#### Down

- Gemma
- Wanda
- Raise
- Torment
- Noblesse Oblige
- Glorious
- Atherton
- Groupie
- Postern
- Tong
- Isotherm
- Out
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## On the Waterfront

Report by: Tommy Legs

September proved to be a busy month with nine vessels visiting the port.

First was the BEN MAYE with wheat from Liverpool followed by the SWEDICA HAV, also with wheat, from Vierow. The BEN VARREY then did three trips, from Belfast with furnace ash and with wheat from Liverpool and Sharpness. The ARKLOW SAND was next with fertilizer from Rouen and the ZAPADNY brought molasses from Liverpool. The CELTIC FORESTER then brought fertilizer from Gabes in Africa and finally the BEN VARREY arrived with wheat from Sharpness.

October was another even busier month with eleven vessels visiting the port.

First was the VERITY with urea from Antwerp,

followed by the BEN ELLAN with wheat from Liverpool, sadly this looks like her last visit to Silloth as she is either to be sold or scrapped. The MAIKE then brought wheat from Rostock and the FLINTERBALTIC brought fertilizer from St. Petersburg. The BEN VARREY arrived with another cargo of wheat from Liverpool and the MERMERDELEN brought fertilizer from Batumi in the Black Sea. The TAIGETA was next with fertilizer from Gdynia and the CELTIC VOYAGER brought fertilizer from Sfax in North Africa.

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# Diamonds are Forever

Report by: Ann Yarnold

The "Diamonds are Forever" Ball was held on Saturday 16th October with over 80 people sitting down to a formal dinner at the Golf Hotel, Silloth.

The function was organised by the Parent Teachers Association of Silloth Community Technology College and over £800 was raised from the function for the school. The Ball commenced with a cocktail reception before being called in to dine in the beautifully decorated dining room. The ladies were so glamorous with bling and sparkles and the chaps looked unusually debonair in tuxedos.

The Golf Hotel kitchen and staff were marvellously efficient and the dinner was served in faultless style. A short speech of thanks was given by Mrs Lois Baird, Head Teacher and



Photography by Peter

Mrs Rosie de Mello, Chair of the PTA thanked the many sponsors, parents and teachers who contributed to the success of the evening.

'Swingthing', a rat pack style swing band then started the entertainment and

the dance floor truly rocked.

The formal part of the evening finished with a disco although there were reports of many post Ball parties throughout the Solway Plain finishing well into Sunday morning.



can hold a raffle, we are hoping tickets will go on sale soon as we have some excellent prizes up for grabs such as IPods, fabulous hampers, etc. Look out for them going on sale. All proceeds of course go to the children of Silloth primary School who are grateful for our support.

In school our children have been busy drawing themselves on our 2010 school tea towel. Every child has designed a picture for it with their names on including the teachers.

These will be going on sale very soon with one going on display in the reception of the school for everyone to see our works of art. We will announce the sale date in the school newsletter. These will make great Xmas gifts.

Everyone who has a child within the school is welcome to attend our full meetings and we are always grateful for ideas too so why not get involved. Our next meeting will be held on Friday 26th November at 2:30pm in the school. If you have any ideas for fundraising in the meantime please see our Chair: Jennifer Henderson.

## Friends of Silloth Primary

Report by: Carolyn Orchard

We have been working hard to raise funds for our children. In the summer term raising funds enabled us to pay for transport so the children could go on end of year outings. We also gave the children a gift, for their brilliant efforts and enthusiasm on sports day. This went down a treat! We held a cake and refreshment stall on the day too, and we raised £233.80. The stalls were full of amazing cakes. Well done to everyone who helped make this possible and a BIG thank you to everyone who bought from the stalls and to those who donated to the stalls.

We were also busy in the summer term with our Bag 2 School project, this raised £208. Thank you to everyone for donating their old things, not only do we raise money but all the items are recycled too. We are holding another Bag 2 school collection on the 10th December so keep a look out for our bags coming home with your children.

Now is a great time to have a clear out so ask you friends and family if they want to get involved and we'll provide them with extra bags (if anyone needs collection of the bags please contact the school and we'll arrange this for you).

Please remember we are continuing to collect old mobile phones and printer cartridges too, we have a collection box in school and one in Silloth Library. We are grateful for all donations.

The first term back and Silloth Social Club hosted us a "Night out" to raise funds. We held a raffle on the night that raised £652. Special thanks go to the Social Club and Martin for their brilliant organising of the night. Thanks also go to local business' who gave generously for this event; letters of appreciation will be arriving soon. It's nice to see the community supporting our fundraising. Thank you to everyone who attended, we are hoping to have more nights like this in the future. The children have been busy thinking of what we should spend the money on.

This term leading up to Christmas we have applied for a lottery licence so we



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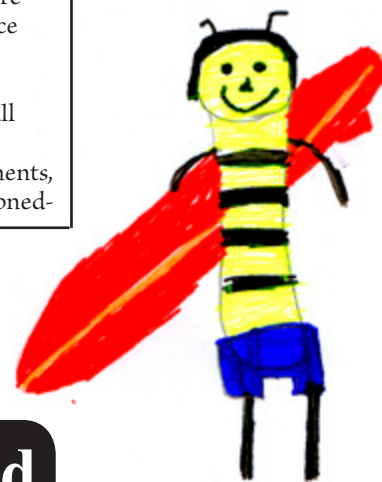
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# Silloth Junior Golf



Junior Club Championship Final, Ray Lowry (starter), Hannah Smith, Daniel Lettice, Lawrence Ing (referee) and Blane Clorley (Silloth Gurning Champion)



L-R: Hannah Smith, Ryan Murphy, Luke Graham, Dan Lettice, Brandon Hodgson and Andy Hill.

Report & photos by:  
Mark Smith

## Club Championship Final The Junior Club Championship Final brought together two of this years form players in Daniel Lettice and Hannah Smith.

Both players have been in fine form throughout the season and didn't disappoint in an excellent final. Daniel managed to get off to a fast start to open up an early lead with some of his stroke play outstanding, Hannah however battled back winning the sixth after putting her tee shot to two feet for a fine birdie. Daniel continued to pile on the pressure with his relentless stroke play and eventually closed out the match to win his first Club Championship. I'm sure this was all the more pleasing in his Captaincy year.

Both players will be looking to make an impact in the senior Championships next season and on this form

I'm sure there will be one or two people looking over there shoulders!

## Black Tee Final This years final off the blacks brought together Reece Blake and Owen Dowie, once again both players have had an excellent season and they continued to impress in a pulsating final.

There was never more than one hole in it as both players traded blows over the first 13 holes, it was however Owen who went on a three hole burst leaving him needing just to halve the 16th to win his first Championship. Match referee Tim Carr commented on the standard of golf being played and tipped both for future success.

## Gordon Trophy Final Rachel McSharry and Michael Martin squared up in their first final appearances and played out one of the matches of the season. Once again

both players golf was of a high standard and after 18 tough holes the match remained all square, Rachel managed to hold her nerve on the 19th to secure her first Championship victory. Credit though to both players for such a fine final.

### Sponsorships

Can I just say a big thank you to everyone who has sponsored one of our competitions this season, your support is much appreciated from everyone within the junior section.

## Having become County Matchplay Champions our junior team went to Eaglescliff Golf Club to represent Cumbria in the regional finals.

With a place in the national final at stake our juniors made the trip over the day prior to the competition to play a practice round. The experience proved

invaluable come the day of competition.

Conditions were not favourable with heavy overnight rain and regular showers during the day, it didn't however dampen our juniors spirits with each member of the team playing some fantastic golf. It was however a step to far this time with a strong Hexham team progressing to the nationals.

It's worth mentioning how well our juniors conducted themselves both on and of the course each player a credit to themselves and the town.

Finally, a massive thank you from all in the junior section for the fantastic support we received on the day. To see so many members and supporters who had made the journey over gave us all a big lift.

## Allerdale Sports Club Development Evening

### Amateur sports clubs across Allerdale are to be offered support with their future development at a special event next month.

Allerdale Borough Council is leading an advice session where clubs can speak to officers about boosting revenue, increasing membership or extending their workforce or even just talk to someone about how to improve the general running of the club.

Club Development Evening will take place on Monday 22nd November, from 6:30pm to 8:30pm, at The Wave Centre, Maryport.



Club representatives will be able to find out how Allerdale Borough Council, the Cumbria Sport Partnership and School Sport Partnership can help them to develop their club, coaches, volunteers, access funds available from organisations such as Cumbria Community Foundation, discuss

development plans or forge links with schools.

There will also be a dedicated officer on hand to assist any clubs that were affected by the floods in any way and help them in re-establishing themselves in their local communities as well as making themselves resilient to future flooding.

Rebecca Stamper, Allerdale Borough Council's Sport Development officer, said: "The aim is to support those volunteers who run sports clubs in making sure they can move their club forward. This could be something as basic as looking for some equipment for a new team or as big as writing a five-year development plan. On top of that we want

to help any clubs affected by the flooding to see how they can market themselves and let the community know they are back in business and are even better than before!

"There's also an opportunity on the night to make valuable contacts which clubs might not have normally - whether it's talking to sports development professionals or getting great ideas from the other clubs themselves."



To book a place at the Allerdale Sports Club Development Evening, telephone Rebecca Stamper on 01900 702711 or email: rebecca.stamper@allerdale.gov.uk.



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# Silloth Seagulls



Report by: Colin Baty

Here is the latest round up of football results for the months of September and October for the mighty Silloth Seagulls.

First of all I would like to mention that the Seagulls intrepid fundraiser Liam Wilson managed to raise over £200 for the club on our annual bike ride.

I'm telling you this now as he keeps reminding me that I've forgot to mention it in the past. The picture is of Silloth U8's who have their new strip on, sponsored by Carr's Fertilizer so a big thank you to them. The first match I'll report on was back in September where we played Warwick Wanderers who were and still are top of the league but in a tight game we drew 0-0. Next was a Cup match against Parton United where we thrashed them 8-1 away from home, hat-tricks for Andy Hinde and Brian Hayhurst and one each for Lewis Mulla and Adam Carr. Then an away game at Windscale Reserves and a 2-0 win the scorers Calvin Rowell and Adam Carr. Rounding off September we had a 2-1 away at Wigton Athletic with Andy Hinde getting both - that's a win double over our deadly rivals.

The first time John Slack can remember a Silloth team doing so!

Into October then and first up was a 3-2 win against Whitehaven Miners - when it should've been a lot more, but goals from Mark Glencross, Graeme Dixon and Jamie Longcake were enough. Then a resounding 5-0 away win in the County Cup against St Bees with goals from Andy Hinde with three, and one each for Lewis Mulla and Sam Brough. Then away to South Workington in another League Cup game saw a 3-0 win goals from Mark Glencross and two from new signing Andy Hardman who also got the winner in a 1-0 win away to Whitehaven Amateurs Reserves and finally a really hard fought 1-0 home win in the league versus Borough, Andy Hinde with the vital goal that puts Silloth four points off the top team - fourth on goal difference.

We are on an amazing run of one draw and eight wins and we haven't conceded a goal in four games. Heady times indeed, lets hope we can keep the run going for as long as possible. Finally just a quick message to Isaac Cork, hope you get better and look after

yourself. We're all rooting for you after your recent car accident and hope you make a full recovery. In the meantime, keep kicking them balls.

# Silloth Tennis Juniors

Report by: Tenniswise

Tennis Club Awards

Evening Preview:

The junior members of Silloth Tennis Club are gearing up for the annual awards and Christmas party evening which is taking place this year at Silloth Social Club on Saturday the 12th of December. With categories at under 6, 8, 10, 12 & 16 level plus club person of the year there is always huge anticipation as to who will be the chosen few each year.

In the meantime, coaching continues at Silloth Sports Hall every Tuesday evening between 3:30pm and 7:30pm with a few spaces available. For further info please contact David on 07742 547767.

**Junior League Teams Ready For The Start Of The Winter Season**



Rory Johnstone



Robert Jefferson

October sees the start of the winter indoor league season with Silloth fielding teams at under 8 and under 9 level. The league is monthly and is held indoors at Chatsworth Tennis Club in Carlisle.

With the men's club

championships only at the semi final stage (Silloth's Rory Johnstone and Robert Jefferson are flying the flag for the club) we are hoping to run a mixed doubles and ladies doubles as well. These should be done by October half term.



Checky Bee by Abbie Duffy from

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