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Can You Be A Positive Disruptor And Win £1,000



Called Positive Disruptors, the competition is open to young people living in Allerdale or Copeland and aged between 10 and 25 who want to "positively disrupt" their communities.

Based on a similar initiative run by the Hunter Foundation, the aim of the programme is to empower young people to 'positively disrupt' the status quo, to give them a platform to be heard and to break down the barriers for aspiring young entrepreneurs. It is looking to back young people who have ambition and the courage to take that ambition on.

Developed by Cumbria Community Foundation, Positive Disruptors is funded by Cumbrian property developer, Brain Scowcroft, with match funding from Sellafeld Ltd as part of its Transforming West Cumbria programme, LLWR, Well Whitehaven, Morgan Sindall and Kaer.

Annalee Holliday, Senior Grants & Programmes Officer at Cumbria Community Foundation, said: "It is very encouraging to see more funding allocated to creating opportunities after what has been a very challenging time. Positive Disruptors will have an incredible impact on young people, empowering them to develop their ideas that will benefit their peers, their communities and young people of the future."

Ten successful entrants will each be awarded £1,000 to help them realise their ambition.

As well as receiving the grant, the Foundation has teamed up with the Centre for Leadership Performance to provide the young disruptors with six months of support, including a series of workshops, expert advice, mentoring and opportunities to shadow local entrepreneurs to help bring their idea to life.

Catherine Eve, Executive Director, at the Centre for Leadership Performance, said: "We are delighted to be working with Cumbria Community Foundation, the programme promotes self-belief, vision, efficacy, collaboration and resilience; a perfect development platform for young people to develop leadership skills, find their voice and promote ideas that will positively disrupt their community and lead to innovation and improvement."

Any potential positive disruptors now have an eight-week period to develop their ideas and apply by 29th October 2021. An advisory panel will meet to review all entries and winners will be announced in November.

For information on how to enter: <https://www.cumbriafoundation.org/transforming-west-cumbria/positive-disruptors/>

If you are interested in becoming a mentor to help and encourage these young people to prosper, complete an application form, available here, no later than 1st October 2021 or contact annalee@cumbriafoundation.org for more information.

Waver Wine Circle

Report by: Stuart Jones

On the 8th September we had our first "home" meeting since 12th March 2020, fourteen members were entertained by Chairman Bill Henderson's home made red wine selection. Winners of Bill's prize were Nick and Linda Wood. The event took place under strict social distancing with which all were happy despite distancing causing hearing problems for some!

During lockdown we've enjoyed outings for which draw prizes were provided by Stella, Janet, Jan and the Circle funds. Therefore it was agreed that the following would provide draw prizes for the next few months until the next AGM :-

October 2021	Anne
November.	Terry
December	All
January. 2022	Nick
February	Judith
March	Mary

Until further notice would you all keep continuing to keep supplying your own drinking vessels, nibbles and anything else to keep the viruses at bay.

The next two monthly meetings are, for October - Bill's home made White Wine evening and November - Call My Bluff evening..

The raffle prize, provided by the Circle, was won by Vice Chairman Graham.

The Christmas meal will take place on Thursday 9th December in the Village Hall at 7pm with food provided by Liz Brough (Tatie Pot or Lasagne plus pudding), please bring your own liquid refreshment, plates and cutlery.

It was great to see you all again and do continue to take extra care and stay safe and healthy.



What is a Quadruple Tautology?



Torpenhow Hill is a hill in Cumbria, England.

Its name consists of the Old English 'Tor', the Welsh 'Pen', and the Danish 'How' - all of which translate to modern English as 'Hill'

Therefore, Torpenhow Hill would translate as hill-hill-hill hill and is thus twice as interesting as the Japanese Mount Fujiyama, which translates into English as Mount Mount.

Wikipedia says, "Torpenhow Hill is supposedly a hill near the village of Torpenhow in Cumbria, England that has acquired a name that is a quadruple tautology. According to an analysis by linguist Darryl Francis, there is no landform known as Torpenhow Hill there, either officially or locally, which would make the term an example of a ghost word."

So it is a quadruple tautology and also a ghost word!

Bill and Marilyn Aymes Charity Walk

Report by: Alan Rowntree

The 'Over the Hill Gang' invite everyone to join them on their annual charity walk on Saturday 9th October.

It is going from the Albion Inn, Silloth, leaving at 8am to Allonby by road or beach. Lunch can be obtained at Baywatch in Allonby, then the service bus

back. Or if you wish to walk off lunch, back to Silloth!

Sponsor forms can be obtained at the RAFA club.

Because of Covid only six of us walked last year but we still managed to raise £500 for Eden Valley Hospice and the Air Ambulance, so will you take part this year?

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NEIGHBOUR OF THE YEAR AWARDS 2021



People across the UK are being invited to take part in the annual hunt for the UK's 'Neighbour of the Year' – a nationwide search undertaken in partnership by Co-op Insurance and Neighbourhood Watch.

Now in its fourth year, 2021 sees the introduction of a new category: Community of the Year. This award will celebrate the nation's most outstanding community (could be a street, a sports club, a faith collective, or anything in between, either in person or virtual, such as a WhatsApp, Facebook, or Slack

group) and the lengths its members have gone to support others and make a real difference.

To nominate your Neighbour of the Year (for people aged 21 years and under) or Community of the Year, and to find out more about these very special awards please visit: www.coop.co.uk/noty.

If you have any questions get in touch with us via: enquiries@ourwatch.org.uk.

Nominations close on 26th October 2021 we can't wait to see the nominations!

Accessible Cycling at Watchtree



The cycling industry is enjoying a boom in enthusiasm recently as people dusted off their trusty old steeds for something to do during lockdown. At Watchtree, cycling has been high on the agenda since the launch of the Watchtree Wheelers project in 2009. The project has recently secured funding to replace and improve a large selection of their varied cycle fleet.

The Watchtree Wheelers specialise in providing adapted equipment for people with disabilities; their fleet boasts bikes of all imaginable shapes and sizes.

Project Leader Matt Wind recognised the need to increase and improve the equipment and used the downtime enforced by Covid 19 to define the project and appeal for charitable grants; most of our existing fleet have been part of the project since we launched in 2009, some of the bikes were second hand then. The popularity of the project and the uniqueness of our service means that all of those bikes have been really well used. We regularly service and maintain all of our bikes but we were undoubtedly due a refresh! We started identifying which bikes we would like to replace and looking at new cycle technology which might benefit our riders in 2019, but it wasn't until lockdown 2020 that we really had time to focus on the project and make it happen."

The Watchtree Wheelers have been awarded a total of £33,500 toward the project from Allerdale Sports Fund (£10,000), Reece Foundation (£5,000) and British Cycling (£18,500).

The money will be used to improve the projects range of companion cycles where 2 riders can pedal side by side, recumbent cycles and hand propelled trikes. Matt added;

"We are really grateful to our funders for the opportunity to make these improvements. The companion cycles are a new addition for us, they are great fun for any rider but are particularly useful for accompanying less able or mobile riders who require assistance or support while they ride. The recumbent cycles will replace our popular fleet of KMX

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karts, these are trikes with very low centres of gravity making them ideal for any

rider with balance or confidence issues. The new handcycles are much lighter and more adaptable for different sizes than our current models, these will allow a great range of users to benefit."

The team continue to work on future improvements and are currently hosting the Solway Cycle Challenge to raise funds for an additional wheelchair carrying bike called a Veloplus. The existing Veloplus in their fleet is very popular and demand often outweighs availability.

The Watchtree Wheelers Project is part of Watchtree Nature Reserve, visitors can hire cycles to explore the reserve which

features a network of specially constructed trails weaving through meadows, wetlands and woodlands. The reserve also has a café and visitors centre as well as offering education and wellbeing services.

Ryan Dobson is manager of the reserve and added:

"Watchtree is a wonderful, unique place for all ages and abilities to enjoy. We pride ourselves on our accessibility and these upgrades to our Wheelers project will allow even more people to enjoy nature by bike! 2020 was a terrible year for many including us, but through focusing on what we can do and not what we can't, we have been able to make some huge improvements which help to secure our future."

For more information about Watchtree and to book cycle hire, please visit www.watchtree.co.uk

Appeal to Stay Safe on Rural Roads

Cumbria's Police and Crime Commissioner, Peter McCall, is urging motorists to drive safely on the county's rural roads. Although the roads are becoming quieter following the summer holidays, rural roads can still be dangerous if motorists do not drive safely to the highway code.

Speaking on the rural roads, PCC Peter McCall, said: "Cumbria is a rural county, and we have lots

of roads that are single lanes, tight corners and many blind spots – many of which were not originally built to hold motorised vehicles. We have over 500 C roads in Cumbria, in comparison to only 31 A roads and 73 B roads, plus many unclassified roads, we can clearly see just how rural we really are. Many of us that live and grew up in Cumbria will be used to these roads but being comfortable can lead us to be negligent of the fact that, if we are not cautious and follow the speed limits, we could cause an accident. With the summer coming to an end and the dark nights becoming noticeably longer it is essential that we all remain vigilant when driving on rural roads.

We never know what is just around the corner, so I am urging all drivers to drive responsibly, stick to the speed limits and take your time – nothing is worth risking your life for. We know that speeding, use of mobile phones, not wearing a seatbelt and drink/drug driving are the biggest killers on



the roads nationally however one of the biggest causes of accidents is not paying attention to the road.

It's far too easy for us to get distracted so please stay focused on our rural roads and please get home safely. If you know someone that routinely drives in a dangerous manner or is driving under the influence please call the Police on 101 or 999 in an emergency or call Crimestoppers to report anonymously on 0800 555 111."

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Silloth Masonic Lodge Reopens



Report by: Lodge Secretary

In February 2020, the Miramar Lodge of Freemasons based in Station Road, Silloth having just completed repainting and renovation of the outside of the building was devastated by storm damage inside. We were forced to close until repair and further inside redecoration could take place.

The members could not have known that due the arrival of the Covid pandemic the closure would last for over eighteen months.

Due to the very hard work and endeavours of the lodge members and Silloth trades people, Now at last the repairs are completed and to the delight of the membership the lodge has reopened.

Meetings usually take place on the Third Thursday of the month and new members are always welcome.

The enclosed snapshot show the work in progress and to see the finished article you must come along to the lodge. You will be made very welcome.

Causeway-head WI

Report by: Jenny Stride

We are pleased to be back to normal with our meetings.

At our meeting on 8th September we wished Shirley Sharp and Mona Kent happy birthday.

Our member Pauline Mole read us some of her amusing poetry which was greatly appreciated. Subjects such false teeth, love, bunions and a mole wanting to be a peacock amongst them.

For our next two meetings we have managed to arrange speakers, in October the subject will be Stead McAlpine and in November Blood Bikes.

Meetings are at 2pm on the second Wednesday of the month.

Penny Stands Down as Church Secretary



St Andrews Church would like to thank Mrs Penny Stimson for all her hard work as Church Secretary and we wish her well in her retirement.



Kind King Bee
by Alex from Silloth Primary School

64th Anniversary



Eddie & Kath Maybury celebrated their 64th Wedding Anniversary in St Andrews Hall in August



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Junior Golf Coaching at Silloth

There will be three different types of coaching available: Individual Coaching Group Observed Training Group Coaching for children in School years 2 and below.

These sessions will either be carried out by Simon Williamson or Tom. For those of you who might not have met Tom since he started last year, he will be creating a video presentation introducing himself which will be sent out in the coming days.

The individual coaching will be starting once this email has been sent. Juniors will receive one free half an hour lesson with either Simon or Tom each month; any further lessons that month will be: £12 with Simon; or £8 with Tom. These will be on a 1 to 1 basis and will have golf balls provided

although you will need to bring your own equipment and lessons can be arranged by calling the pro-shop.

Group Observed Training will commence from Thursday the 16th of

September and will take place from 4:30- 6:30 costing £5 per child. These sessions will be run exclusively by Tom, and will consist of multiple stations being set out for various areas of the game. There will be prizes for attendance as well as prizes for attitude and achievements.

For these sessions Juniors must book prior to arrival as there will be a maximum of 10 Juniors per session. Parents will need to stay at all times during these sessions and Juniors will again be required to bring their own

equipment however golf balls can be provided.

For the group coaching for children in school years 2 and below; there will be 2 sessions every Saturday morning with the first being 10:00-10:30 and then 11-11:30 commencing from Saturday the 11th of September. These sessions will be carried out by Simon and will cost £5 per child, equipment can be provided if needed. These sessions will be limited to six Juniors per session therefore parents will need to book in advance prior to the intended Saturday.

If you know any budding young junior golfers who may be interested in coaching please contact Simon on 016973 32404 or swprogolf@gmail.com.



Fantastic Sunflowers



Rhys Swatton and his amazing sunflowers

Report by: Pat McMitchell

We planted these sunflowers on the outside of our fence down the lane near Ryehills Road that cuts through to the beach.

Neighbours are bringing their grandchildren to be photographed underneath them and they have also been a talking point when they see them as they have such big cheery faces.

We moved here eighteen months ago and absolutely love the place, everyone is so friendly and helpful and the scenery and sunsets are stunning, it is like being on holiday all of the time.

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Silloth Lifeboat on Special Duty



Above: on their way across the Solway
Below: safely arrived at Bowness-on-Solway



Report by: Julie Emary
Silloth Lifeboat Press Officer

On Sunday 22nd August Silloth RNLi Lifeboat was invited to accompany four skiffs across the Solway; two skiffs were from Annan, one from Stranraer and one from Bowness on Solway.

The skiffs also had their own safety boats who escorted them as they set off from Annan in Scotland to row across the Solway Firth to Bowness-on-Solway in England, following the exploits of a raid by the Scottish on the English in 1626, when they followed the same route and plundered the Bowness on Solway church bell.

The boat then was very light, the bell very heavy and a quantity of alcohol had been imbibed, resulting in the bell being lost at sea. It has never been found.

This event though, caused considerable insult to the people

of Bowness on Solway and in return they went to Dornoch and Middlebie in Southern Scotland and stole their church bells. These bells still hang in Bowness on Solway's church today. The minister from Middlebie asks every year for their bell to be returned. The request is always politely declined.

Silloth RNLi Lifeboat saw the skiffs safely across the water where the boats disembarked and everyone was treated to a very pleasant and welcome lunch by the organisers and the good people of Bowness on Solway, before returning to Annan.

The weather was extremely kind on the day which made rowing across the Solway Firth a real pleasure, there was no wind, the sea state was flat calm and an excellent day was had by all involved.

The Hub Donates £400!



Silloth RNLi lifeboat crew would like to say a huge thank you to Silloth Hub for their generous donation of £400. The cheque was presented to them today by

Becci Bridges from the Hub, which is on Eden Street in Silloth - the money will be put towards the cost of new waterproof jackets for all the crew.

Kayakers Event Raises £3,000!



Report by: Julie Emary
Silloth Lifeboat Press Officer

Silloth RNLi lifeboat was presented with the money raised by the Kayak event that took place on Friday 6th and Saturday 7th August. Over £3000 was donated, to be shared between Silloth RNLi lifeboat and Jigsaw, Eden Valley Hospice.

The presentation took place on Pooley Bridge bridge on Friday

3rd Sept in view of Ullswater, where the kayakers had originally planned to set off from, but due to lack of water in the River Eamont, had to start from Kirkby Thore on 6th August.

Silloth lifeboat out on exercise on Saturday 7th supported the kayakers when

they reached the sea at Port Carlisle on their way to Silloth, where the event finished.

Silloth RNLi lifeboat would like to thank the members of the kayak team for their effort in raising such a commendable amount.



Lifeboat Searches for Missing Swimmer at Mawbray



A Very Generous Gift!



Report by: Julie Emary
Silloth Lifeboat Press Officer

Silloth RNLI are extremely grateful to Pat Kane for the generous gift of £10,000, which she has donated to the charity.

Pat has been a long-standing supporter of the RNLI and has worked tirelessly, fundraising as well as serving in the Silloth RNLI shop, for many years. The RNLI depends solely

on donations from the public, along with people giving their time to volunteer and be part of the RNLI, in one of the many different roles that are open to them.

Report by: Julie Emary
Silloth Lifeboat Press Officer

Silloth RNLI lifeboat was paged at 4:43pm on 7th September to reports of a missing person, possibly swimming between Mawbray and Beckfoot, who had not been seen for an hour.

The lifeboat had to launch from West Beach due to low water; they made excellent time and launched the lifeboat at 4:56pm and arrived on scene very quickly.

Maryport and Burgh Coastguard were also tasked.

The lifeboat carried out a shoreline search until Maryport Coastguard confirmed that they had the casualty safely in their vehicle.

The lifeboat was stood down at 5:10pm and returned to station. It was recovered from the West Beach and made ready for service again by 5:35pm

Silloth & District Pensioners Coffee Mornings Are Back!

Report by: Jean Day

At last! The Pensioner's Coffee Mornings are back on. Held in St Andrews Hall, Solway Street, supporters old and new were treated to free scone and coffee to welcome everyone back. Our first Coffee Morning for 18 months. Hopefully life is getting back to normality, with a few precautions, but it was great to see everyone enjoying each others company after the long months of isolation.

Raffle winners were, Jennifer Adams, Penny Stimson, Maureen Irving, Ginny Allen, Jean Graham, Graham Wilkinson, Eileen Reeves and Olga Hetherington. Thank you to everyone for their support.

Our next Coffee Morning will be held in St Andrews Hall, on Saturday 2nd October at 10am.

Tickets will be on sale for the Xmas Party which will be held at Stanwix Park on Saturday, 27th November, £8 each.



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by
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Daniel's Baking for Our Best!

At the end of August Daniel C Wood held a bake sale at Caldew Hall titled "Baking for our Best" with the aim to make money for the local care homes and medical practice.

Daniel wanted to put a focus on those locally who have stepped up to the mark to protect our most vulnerable people in a very challenging time. He felt we needed to give back to these masked heroes for doing a job Daniel knows he certainly couldn't do at the best of times. It's been rough for all of us, but especially for those on the front line. Silloth is in his blood and he's far from the first in his family to try and make a difference locally as anyone who knows them can attest. So Daniel took inspiration from them and did something he thought they would have done in his position.

On the day Daniel raised £130 through cake, tea and games that has now been sent out in the form of hampers to all the homes and the surgery for all their staff to enjoy. Daniel wants to thank everyone who helped him and to let you know that the sentiment was very well received at all five locations. Let's make charity something personal and make it part of who we are each day.



Ukuleles Are Back



Photo courtesy of Ian Robinson Pictures

A bride and groom and a ukulele band celebrated an escape from Covid restrictions at the weekend. They joined forces to raise £235 for the Great North Air Ambulance service after their lives had been put on hold by the virus.

Cockermouth Ukulele band had been unable to perform or even safely rehearse for over 18 months.

At the same time Phil Crookes and Emma Inkle had been waiting for infection levels to fall before they invited friends to a wedding at Low Hall, Cockermouth.

Band leader Terry Kirton said it was great to be performing live again. "We were approached in the early summer but were uncertain about accepting because we could

only meet up virtually."

But rehearsals resumed when Bridgefoot Village Hall offered a new home to the band.

The wedding couple were delighted that their long wait was over and wedding guests added to the celebrations by donating the cash after the performance at the wedding reception.

"It was a happy day for everyone and the start of even better things to come," said Terry who has performances lined up at the Apple Day in Hutton in the Forest and in Cockermouth for the switching on of the Christmas Lights."

See "Cockermouth Ukuleles" facebook page for more info about the group.

A 'Better Tomorrow' for Youth

David Beeby, High Sheriff of Cumbria, launched a new initiative. Better Tomorrow is a three-year programme encouraging people within Cumbria to become accredited in youth work and substantially

increase the number of young people having access to support from youth workers to help them reach their full potential.

This unique initiative will provide accredited training to more than a hundred people as

well as offer grants of up to £25,000 to community organisations setting up or providing new youth work opportunities for local people.

David said: "Many young people have had their lives turned upside down by the pandemic and are facing unprecedented challenges caused by interrupted education, uncertainty about the future and anxiety exacerbated by increases in poverty and family ill health. High-quality youth work has a crucial role to play helping many young people to achieve their full potential. Through participation in youth work, young people gain confidence and competence."



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Mawbray Village Hall 70th Anniversary

Silloth Carnival 2021 - MEGA Weekend - MEGA Success!



Report by: Lynda Bailey

The Hall organised a grand Afternoon Tea on Saturday 21st August to celebrate the opening of the Hall that was built in 1951.

The event generated lots of interest in the community to the extent that 80 Afternoon Teas were booked requiring two sittings and some takeaways.

A large display of memorabilia dating back to pictures of the opening of the Hall were on display all of which created lots of interest and brought together lots of old

friends. It was noted that no fewer than four past Chairman were present.

For those present at the event four craft stalls had also been invited which generated a lot of interest.

A big thanks for all those attending, your support is much appreciated.

All the memorabilia is going to remain on display for the rest of the



year, if you wish to come and browse and bring back memories please

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Report by: Owen Martin
Photos by: Fiona Henderson & others

For the first time in its history Silloth Carnival was held over three days 28th, 29th & 30th August. This decision was taken due to not many events being held over the past two years due to Covid-19.

The weekend was a great success with an estimated 15,000 visitors to Silloth over the three day weekend. Families enjoyed lots of free entertainment including BJ's Mobile Zoo, Cheeky Charlie



kids entertainer, lots of singers, LJ Cheer local cheerleading group, Little Nippers Dog Display, Blue the Velociraptor from Pet Encounters Cumbria and much more.

As if that wasn't enough to keep the crowds entertained, we had even more including, funfair, a Magical Unicorn and Tinkerbell from When you Believe, Craft and food stalls, Face painting and glitter



safely. I would like to thank the committee for all their hard work and dedication in making this happen. We will be back next year with another great event. Thank you to everyone who supported this event, without you it doesn't happen."



tattoos and much more. We would like to thank all those who supported us again this year, without you these events would not happen! DA Harrison, Allerdale Borough Council, Silloth Town Council, Fletcher's Amusements, Wilmot's Amusements, Anthony Eland, Bennett's Fishmongers, Silloth First Responders, Silloth Rotary Club and many more.

One local business owner said "OMG I had the busiest three days in over ten years. Was so crazy thank you very much for all your hard work you all did in putting it together and helping local businesses."

Owen Martin Carnival Committee Chairperson said "I believe we have had a very successful event. This is the first major event we have been able to put on since 2019, it was great to see everyone out and enjoying themselves



Your Buzzing Letters & Poems

Bargains

by Pauline Mole

I only went in for a loaf of bread,
I only have myself to please and be fed.
Then I thought, I'll get some ham to put in it,
So I wandered along to where I could find it.
But on the way round, I spotted tomatoes, half price,
Thinks me, they'll go well with my ham slice.

I didn't have a basket, so to get one was my plan,
And then I saw an offer for a little cheese flan.
Oh that will come in handy for tonight's supper,
I will really enjoy it with my six o'clock cuppa.
Now, just to the side of those, was a rhubarb pie,
So, for my pudding, I would give one a try.

Further along was an offer I can NEVER refuse,
Even if only ONE of them I'll ever use, --
Swiss Rolls - Buy one, Get one free,
So I thought, one will do for tomorrow's tea,
The other I'll keep in case I get anybody,
It's about time for a visit from Mary and Jobby

I felt the weight of the basket on my arm,
So I made my way to the checkout before it did harm,
But while I was standing waiting in the long queue,
I noticed a sign, -- Three for the price of two.
Well I'm partial to a Mars Bar, so I put three on top,
And I thought, oh let me out of this blinking shop!

I felt really good about the bargains I had bought,
Anything that's an offer, I'll often get caught.
However, when I got home and sorted out my lot,
Guess what I remembered that I had forgot,
Yes, with all of my bargains, it ha gone out of my head,
That all I went in for, --- was only a loaf of bread!

My Husband is a Problem
by Penny Stimson

My husband is a problem
he forgets what he has to do,
and when I send him to see some one
he forgets it was to who.

He's always losing his glasses
and car keys he can't find,
sometimes he drives me crazy
I think I'm going out of my mind.

I send him for some shopping
I even make him a list,
but he returns without most of it
and Sayes the rest he missed.

But I'll still keep him
he makes a lovely cup of tea,
I only have to ask him
and he'll do anything for me.

Periwinkle
by Sophia Lodhi

Combing the beach, it caught my eye:
A shell, whose beauty made me sigh;
Pearly-pink, with no decay,
I scooped it up without delay.

To set it on my windowsill
May well have been against its will...
Recalling then, the fishwives' tale:
I put it to my ear, this shell...

Sure enough, I heard the call
Of sea and waves and thunderous roll...
Just then, I knew I would be wrong
To take it from its ocean home.

With much regret, I said goodbye,
And as I heard the fulmar's cry
I cast it far away from me:
Back into the sparkling sea.



Buzzy Bee
by
Caeden Smith
from
Holm Cultram Abbey School

Dear Buzz,

I was dismayed to hear an
Allerdale representative on
Look North saying that we were
going ahead to look at having a
GDF.

I have just looked at the
following report:
RWM - INITIAL EVALUATION
REPORT: Allerdale
(workinginpartnership.org.uk)
I have copied below a section
from page 12 of 30:
"Some of the clay-rich rocks
in this area contain a series of
evaporite units containing rock
salt (halite) layers. Although
only a single salt bed 6 metres
thick was recorded in a deep
borehole at Silloth in these
rocks, it is possible that thicker
salt layers may be present
where they thicken and deepen
off the coast to the south."
I am aware of the previous
Council posts on Facebook
in April 2019 but have not
seen any recent comment or
discussion in the press or social
media so I am writing just to
make sure the Council have this
on their radar.

John Watson

Dear Buzz,

In response to last months
edition it is quite true I
complain a lot but the price I
paid for my burial plot and my
community charge I think that
gives me the right to express my
opinion.

All I am trying to do is draw
attention to things that are
wrong or need attention I would
like to think the building could
have a new lease of life and
become fit for purpose.
It is quite true the old
churchyard is the responsibility
of Allerdale but I do not recall
ever blaming either council. I
think my words were (whoever
is responsible should be
ashamed).

How would you describe the
building in the cemetery? And
why was it allowed to get in
such a bad state?

I wish you well in your project
and hope it will be sorted by
the time I pop my clogs, and
what I have in my pockets has
nothing to do with anyone bar
myself.

Yours Truly, C. Briggs



King Bee
by Blake Gunn from Holm Cultram Abbey School

Do you have a
poem or letter
for the buzz?

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your contact
information.

Masthead Bee Winner

Carlisle Embroidery are generously donating a Solway Buzz embroidered Kids Rucksack 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. Return to your school or post to the address on page 14 (large stamp) and a quality Solway Buzz embroidered Rucksack 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 have your bee drawing. Or send it to us, our address is on page 14.

This month
the winner is
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Cuthbert Primary
School with a bee
drawing called
"Love Bee".

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Banking scheme stops fraud worth £250,000

A scheme that sees banks, building societies and Post Offices work with police stopped fraud worth more than £250,000 in Cumbria in the first half of this year.

The Banking Protocol led to nearly 60 emergency calls being made in the county between January and July, protecting customers from losing an average of £5,710 to criminals.

This is a UK-wide scheme, launched by UK Finance, National Trading Standards and local police forces.

Branch staff are trained to spot the warning signs that suggest a customer may be falling victim to a scam, before alerting their local police force to intervene and investigate.

Real life national case studies from the first half of the year are included at the bottom of this release.

The Banking Protocol was rolled out by Cumbria Constabulary in August 2017.

Since March 2018, the scheme has been implemented by all 45 police forces across the UK.

It is often used to prevent impersonation scams, in which criminals imitate police or bank staff and convince people to visit their bank and withdraw or transfer large sums of money.

It is also used to prevent romance fraud, in which fraudsters use fake online dating profiles to trick victims into transferring money - and to catch rogue traders who demand cash for unnecessary work on properties.

Customers assisted by the scheme are offered ongoing support to help prevent them from falling victim to scams in the future, including referrals to social services, expert fraud prevention advice and additional checks on future transactions.

Detective Inspector Duncan Brooker, of Cumbria's economic crime unit, said: "Fraud is big business for criminals. "It's an area of criminality that is notoriously difficult to prevent and detect, because there are just so many different types of scams in existence and because those who commit fraud can do so from anywhere in the world. The Banking Protocol plays a vital role in trying to prevent people from becoming victims of potential fraud".

Cumbria's Police and Crime Commissioner, Peter McCall, said: "Online and phone scams are prevalent in today's society, where criminals no longer need to leave their home to pick a victim. Fraud can have a serious impact on a victim, not only financially but

mentally and socially as well so it's great to see that branch staff are

being trained to spot the signs and prevent crimes taking place. Education and prevention really is key to avoid becoming a victim of fraud and I would encourage everyone to look on the Get Safe Online website to learn how to protect themselves as best as possible. "I would also encourage anyone who has fallen for a scam to come forward and report it to the police and Action Fraud on 0300 123 2040."

Katy Worobec, managing director of economic crime, UK Finance, said: "Fraud has a devastating impact on victims so partnerships like the Banking Protocol are not only crucial in helping vulnerable people, but it also stops stolen money from going on to fund other illicit activities including drug smuggling, human-trafficking and terrorism. Criminals have continued to capitalise on the pandemic to commit fraud, callously targeting victims through impersonation, romance, courier and rogue trader scams."

To build on the success of the scheme, banks and building societies are continuing to work with local police forces on expanding the process to cover attempted bank transfers made by customers through telephone and online banking.

UK Finance is urging customers to follow the advice of the Take Five to Stop Fraud campaign, and remember a bank or the police will never ask you to transfer funds to another account or to withdraw cash to hand over to them for safe-keeping.

Case studies

Romance scam

A woman tried to send an online payment of £2,500 to the USA to a friend she had previously worked with in the UK. When the payment was blocked, she visited her local bank branch. She said



she had been exchanging messages with this friend on a social media platform

and that they had asked for the money to pay their hospital fees. Staff invoked the Banking Protocol, and the local police attended the branch. No money was lost to this scam.

Courier scam

A woman in her eighties received a telephone call from a man claiming to be from her bank. The man claimed there was an issue with the victim's account and in order to help her with this he needed her to withdraw money (£2,000) from her account. The victim was told to attend the bank to do so and call back when home for further instructions.

The victim attended the branch and staff confirmed to the victim that this man had not been in contact with them, and it was in fact a scam. The staff refused the withdrawal and invoked the Banking Protocol, alerting local police. Officers attended and offered fraud advice to the victim. The bank also put measures in place to further safeguard the victim from any future frauds.

Investment scam

A man in his nineties visited his local bank branch as an international payment he had attempted to make online had been stopped. He had been contacted

by a company who wanted to sell shares that he held in America, saying he could get a return of £60,000 but had to send \$7,000 dollars which he would get back. Bank branch staff invoked the Banking Protocol and the police visited him at home. No money was lost and the police are investigating this company further.

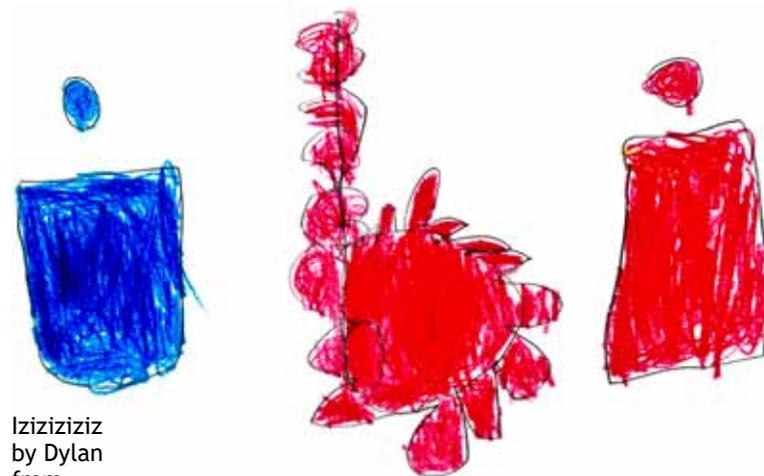
Rogue trader scam

A woman in her eighties had builders explaining that they had been working on her neighbour's roof and noticed that her roof also needed repairing. The victim offered to show the builders her property and they told the victim it was an urgent issue which needed to be fixed.

The builders quoted the work (£1,500) and told the victim that they needed to take the payment in cash only. The victim explained that she would need to attend the bank to withdraw this.

At her local bank, the victim explained to bank staff what the money was for which made staff concerned it was a scam. Bank staff invoked the Banking Protocol, alerting the local police force and refused the transaction.

Officers attended and were able to offer the victim advice and ensured no suspects were still on the scene. Officers were also able to enquire with neighbours and ensure they were supporting the victim in future. A fraud caseworker has offered her ongoing support.



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Doors Open Lunch

'Our Doors Open' meets in St Andrews Church every Tuesday from noon to 1pm for a light lunch with good fellowship for a donation only.

First Responders

Silloth Community First Responders train on the first and third Tuesday of every month in Silloth Community Centre at 7pm.

NatWest Mobile

The NatWest Bank mobile van will be outside Silloth Community Centre on Fridays only from 9:45am to 10.45am

Cash Machines

Are available on Solway Street at both the Spar and CO-OP supermarkets. Cash is also available at Winters Post Office

Causewayhead WI

We meet on the 2nd Wednesday in each month at 2pm in the Community Hall and visitors are welcome

Miramar Lodge

Miramar Lodge of Freemasons based in Station Road Silloth meetings every third Thursday of the month. You will be made welcome.

Send Your Bees to the Solway Buzz There is a Bee Shortage, we Need Yours!

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

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September

25th Macmillan Coffee Morning in Caldew Hall, 10am to 1pm, £2.50 inc tea/coffee and scones, cakes for sale

October

2nd Silloth Pensioner's Coffee Morning in St Andrews Hall at 10am

4th Silloth Town Council meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 7pm

6th Silloth Youth Club open at 6pm for all senior school kids

9th Bill & Marilyn Amyes Charity Walk to Allonby, meet at 8am at the Albion Inn

12th Holme Low Parish Council meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 7:30pm

13th Causewayhead WI meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 2pm, all welcome

22nd Fish & Chip Supper in aid of Silloth RNLI, see advert

23rd Craft Fair in St Andrews Church Hall 12-4pm, we will be serving take away tea/coffee and cakes. To book a table call 016973 32185

23rd Mawbray Film Club presents Local Hero at 7pm, see poster for details

November

6th Silloth Pensioner's Coffee Morning in St Andrews Hall at 10am

8th Silloth Town Council meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 7pm

10th Causewayhead WI meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 2pm, all welcome

20th Craft Fair in St Andrews Church Hall 10-2pm, Afternoon Tea, To book a table call 016973 32185

27th Silloth Pensioner's Xmas Party in Stanwix Park, tickets £8 from the Coffee Mornings

December

3rd Christmas Carols & Songs in Chrisr Church at 7pm in aid of RNLI

6th Silloth Town Council meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 7pm

8th Causewayhead WI meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 2pm, all welcome

11th Christmas Sale in St Andrews Church Hall 10-2pm, To book a table call 016973 32185

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

Dates for Your Diary

January 2022

1st Allonby Bay New Year Swim in the Solway with Allonby Bay Dookers

11th Holme Low Parish Council meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 7:30pm

February

7th Silloth Town Council meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 7pm

March

7th Silloth Town Council meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 7pm

April

4th Silloth Town Council meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 7pm

12th Holme Low Parish Council meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 7:30pm

May

9th Silloth Town Council meeting in Silloth Community Hall at 7pm

28th Silloth Green Day

29th Silloth Green Day

30th Silloth Green Day

June

11th Silloth Vintage Rally on Silloth Green

12th Silloth Vintage Rally on Silloth Green

24th Silloth Pride on Silloth Green

25th Silloth Pride on Silloth Green

26th Silloth Pride on Silloth Green

July

23rd Solway Truck Show on Silloth Green

24th Solway Truck Show on Silloth Green

30th Soul on the Green starts at 11am

August

27th Silloth Carnival Mega Weekend on Silloth Green from 11am to 6pm

28th Silloth Carnival Mega Weekend on Silloth Green from 11am to 6pm

29th Silloth Carnival Mega Weekend on Silloth Green from 11am to 6pm

Have You Sent in Your Dates yet?



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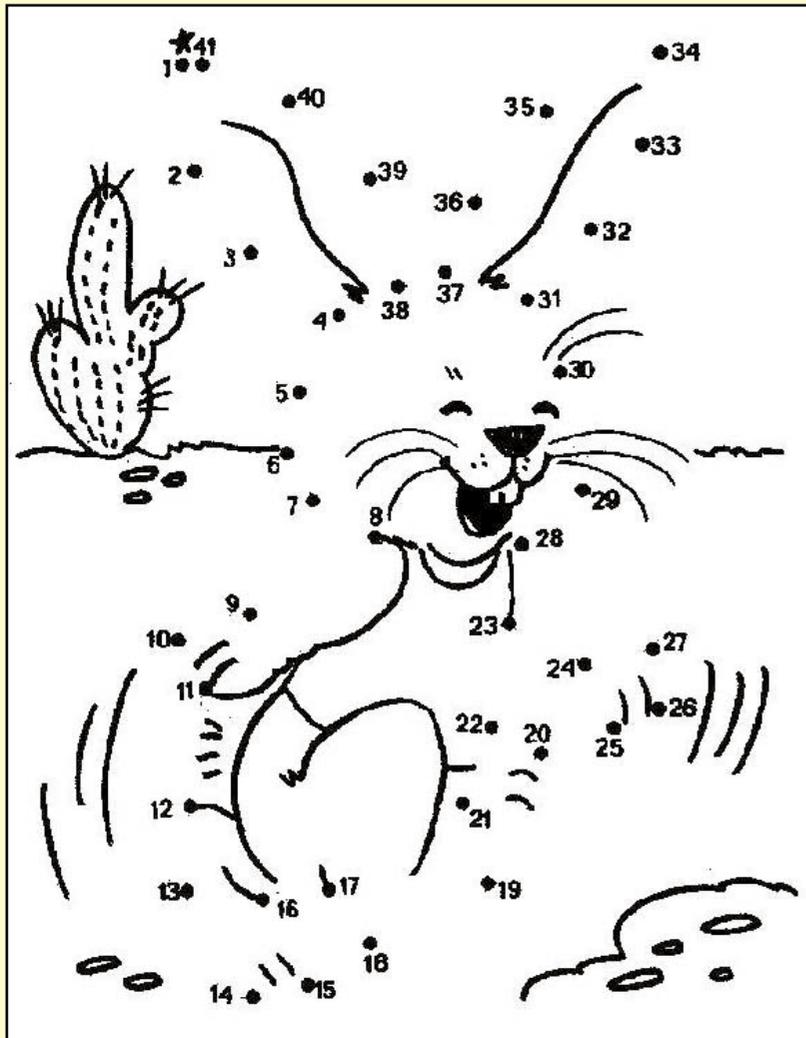
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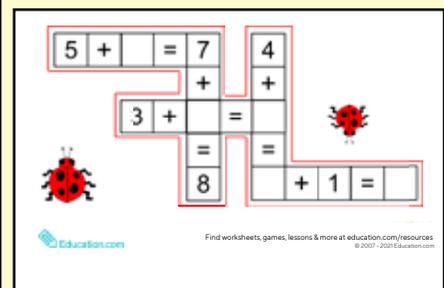
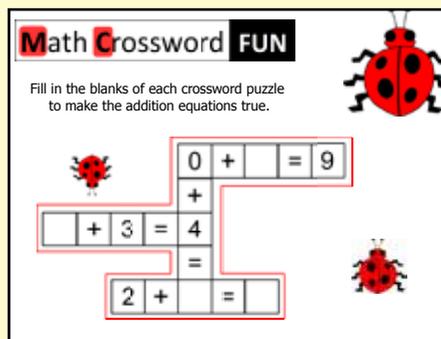
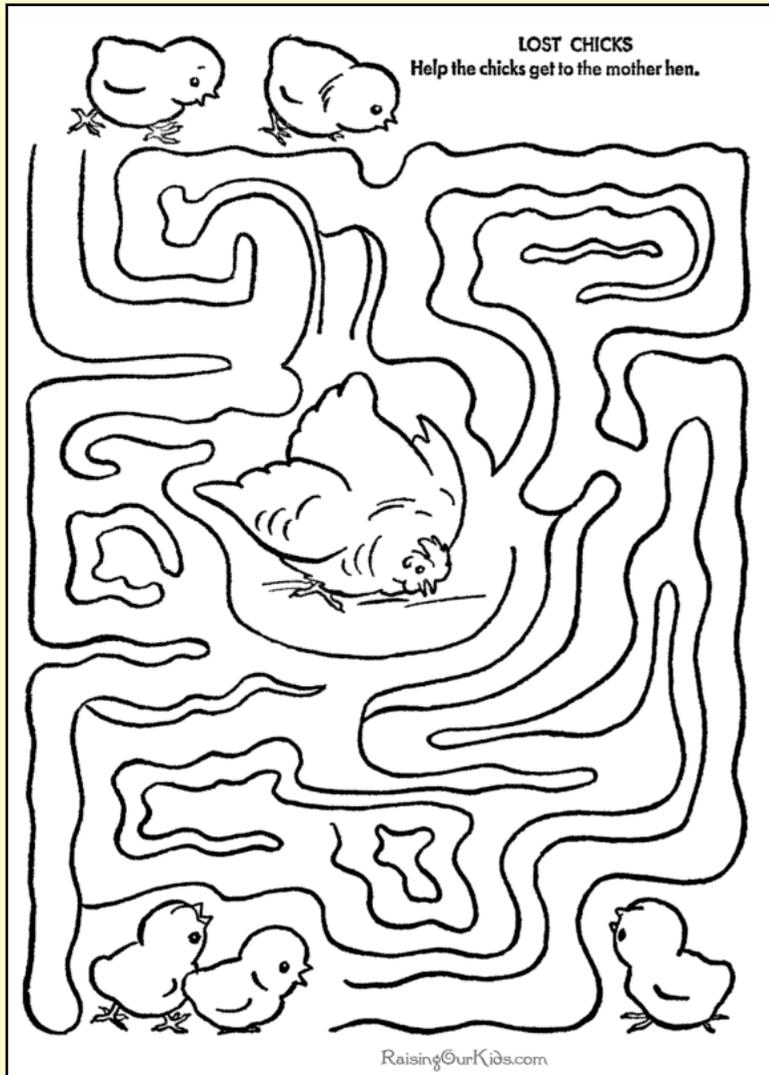
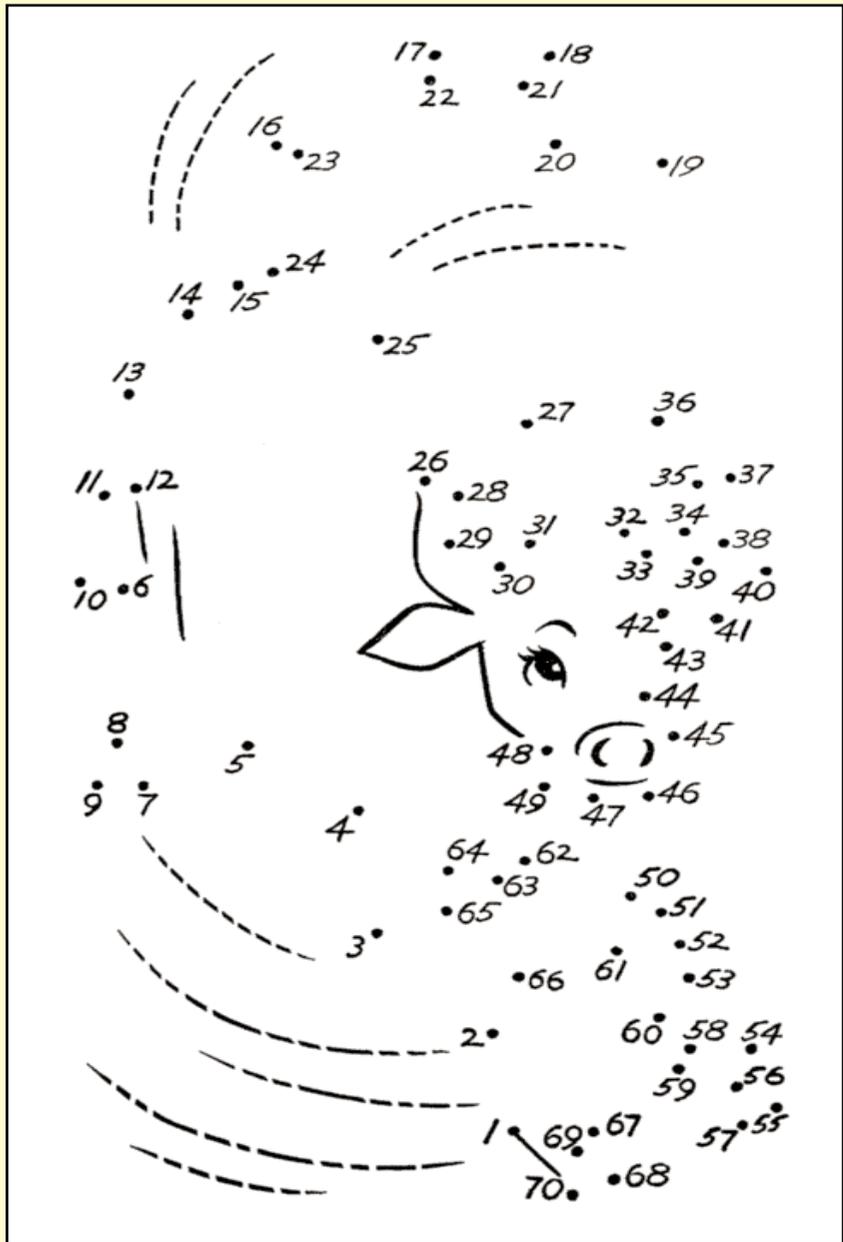
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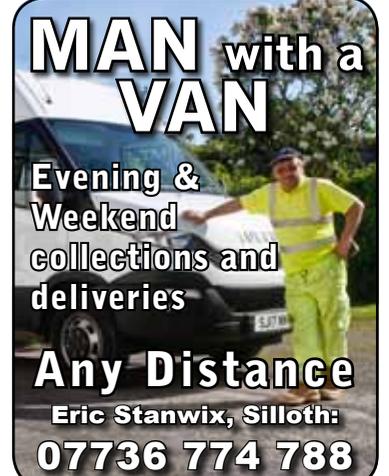
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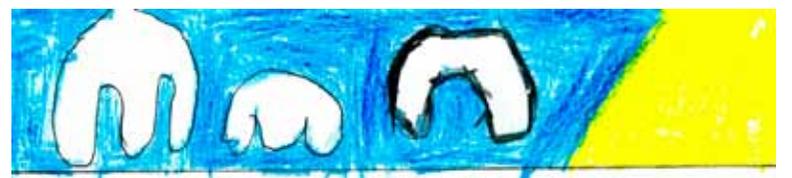
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August was a Bumper Month at Silloth Dock

Report & Photos by:

John Forrester

More coverage of shipping at Silloth can be found at www.cumbriashipphotos.weebly.com



Ship enthusiasts were blessed with plenty of action during August with a record number of arrivals. All ships were new to the port except for ZAPADNY which made one of her regular calls with molasses. Other cargos covered the full range of agricultural materials handled at the port. Most arrivals were during daylight hours, and even better, the sun shone for many. Two of the

visiting ships are described below.

Dutch freighter BEAUMOTION provided one highlight arriving with a cargo of wheat from Rouen. Sailing from the French inland port involved an initial 75 miles along the twisting River Seine before heading west along the Channel to the Irish Sea. The ship then made its way to Silloth for entry on a midday tide, however, in gusty conditions

the arrival didn't go to plan. The notoriously unpredictable currents at the port entrance caused the ship to drift off course towards the south beach. This resulted in some dramatic photos, but thankfully the ship was in safe hands and the situation recovered. Full reverse thrust was applied to bring the ship in line to enable a safe dock entry.

Passing into Marshall Dock, onlookers had a close-up view of the well-maintained ship. A full set of flags was on display including the Red Ensign, a gesture of courtesy

when entering an English port, and the company flag of Dutch owners 'Vertom'. In addition, the 'Yellow Jack' was flying at the bow. This flag is rarely seen and indicates the ship to have a clean bill of health. To know that the ship was free from contagious disease was reassuring, and perhaps this practice should be more widely adopted in the current climate!

Another visitor, THOPAS, had a longer sailing to reach Silloth with its cargo of fertiliser from Poland. After five days at

sea, fine weather greeted the ship as it approached Silloth. On this occasion, entry to the port proceeded without incident and the ship was soon brought alongside the unloading quay. The ship belongs to Cypriot company 'Unibaltic', and is their only dry cargo vessel amongst a fleet of tankers. This looked another well-maintained ship, however, with the Saltire flying at the bow, there seemed to be some confusion amongst the crew as to which side of the Solway they were.

August Shipping at the Port of Silloth

Report by: Capt Tim Riley, Harbour Master, Short Sea Pilot

August at the port was a busy month, with seven vessel calls, from various points of the compass.

We saw the return of French wheat again, due to an early crop in France being ready before any UK supplies have become available and also further German wheat, used at the Mill for flour to supply the various baking trades and home users.

Fertiliser was at a lower level than usual, however, topped up with the addition of Salt and Potash bringing our tonnages up to a good level. Our old faithful, Zapadny returned again with a part cargo of Molasses and is returning again in early September with a full load as well, just in time to start making the winter licks for sheep and cattle.

Our local Pilot, Ash, has been busy carrying out training as Pilot in the ports of Ayr and Troon, and also in the port of Barrow-in-Furness (all within the ABP umbrella), topping up his skills and

providing a source for back-up in case of illness, holiday or higher demands on personnel within those ports.

After having good dry weather for the last few weeks, crops are growing well, we need a little rain and then look forward to a hot and sunny end to the Summer.

August

4th Zapadny from

Amsterdam with a cargo of Molasses then on to Zeebrugge.

8th Thopas from Gdansk with a cargo of AN Fertiliser then on to sea for orders.

10th Beaumotion from Rouen with a cargo of Wheat then on to Belfast.

16th Wilson Bremen from Sillamae with a cargo of Fertiliser then on to Jossingford.

17th Amadeus Amethyst from Wesel with a cargo of Salt then on to Coleraine.

28th RMS Twisteden from Hamburg with a cargo of Potash then on to Belfast.

29th Ruhrtal from Vierow with a cargo of Wheat then on to Kilroot.





Silloth Tide Tables

OCTOBER 2021 SILLOTH

Date	DEPTHS ON NEW DOCK GAUGE (1.8m ABOVE CD)							
	High Water				Low Water			
	Morning		Afternoon		Morning		Afternoon	
	Time	m	Time	m	Time	m	Time	m
1 F	07 25	4.5	20 01	5.0	01 24	0.9	13 52	0.9
2 SA	08 43	5.1	21 01	5.6	02 46	0.6	15 07	0.6
3 SU	09 33	5.7	21 47	6.3	03 49	0.1	16 04	0.1
4 M	10 13	6.4	22 24	7.0	04 41	-0.4	16 53	-0.3
5 TU	10 49	7.1	23 01	7.4	05 27	-0.8	17 40	-0.6
6 W	11 25	7.5	23 38	7.8	06 12	-1.1	18 23	-0.9
7 TH			12 01	7.7	06 54	-1.3	19 05	-1.1
8 F	00 15	8.0	12 39	7.8	07 34	-1.4	19 46	-1.1
9 SA	00 55	8.0	13 20	7.7	08 13	-1.2	20 25	-1.1
10 SU	01 38	7.7	14 03	7.4	08 51	-1.0	21 05	-0.8
11 M	02 24	7.2	14 49	6.9	09 29	-0.6	21 48	-0.4
12 TU	03 16	6.5	15 46	6.2	10 12	-0.1	22 41	-0.0
13 W	04 22	5.7	17 00	5.6	11 11	0.4	23 56	0.3
14 TH	05 51	5.2	18 32	5.4			12 37	0.6
15 F	07 28	5.2	19 54	5.7	01 30	0.3	14 10	0.5
16 SA	08 47	5.6	21 01	6.2	02 52	-0.0	15 24	0.2
17 SU	09 42	6.2	21 52	6.7	04 01	-0.4	16 24	-0.1
18 M	10 24	6.6	22 32	7.1	04 54	-0.6	17 11	-0.4
19 TU	11 00	7.0	23 07	7.3	05 38	-0.8	17 51	-0.6
20 W	11 32	7.1	23 41	7.3	06 14	-0.9	18 26	-0.7
21 TH			12 01	7.1	06 46	-0.8	18 57	-0.7
22 F	00 11	7.3	12 28	7.1	07 13	-0.8	19 28	-0.6
23 SA	00 41	7.2	12 58	7.0	07 40	-0.6	19 56	-0.5
24 SU	01 14	6.9	13 29	6.7	08 07	-0.4	20 25	-0.3
25 M	01 46	6.5	13 59	6.4	08 36	-0.2	20 57	-0.1
26 TU	02 21	6.1	14 33	6.0	09 05	0.1	21 31	0.2
27 W	02 59	5.6	15 13	5.5	09 40	0.4	22 13	0.5
28 TH	03 48	5.1	16 10	5.1	10 26	0.8	23 13	0.8
29 F	04 58	4.6	17 36	4.9	11 33	1.0		
30 SA	06 32	4.6	19 08	5.1	00 38	0.8	13 03	0.9
31 SU	07 53	5.1	20 14	5.6	02 01	0.5	14 22	0.6

NOVEMBER 2021 SILLOTH

Date	DEPTHS ON NEW DOCK GAUGE (1.8m ABOVE CD)							
	High Water				Low Water			
	Morning		Afternoon		Morning		Afternoon	
	Time	m	Time	m	Time	m	Time	m
1 M	08 51	5.7	21 06	6.3	03 07	0.1	15 24	0.2
2 TU	09 36	6.5	21 49	7.0	04 03	-0.3	16 19	-0.3
3 W	10 17	7.1	22 29	7.5	04 53	-0.8	17 08	-0.6
4 TH	10 56	7.5	23 10	7.8	05 41	-1.0	17 55	-0.9
5 F	11 36	7.8	23 51	7.9	06 25	-1.2	18 41	-1.0
6 SA			12 16	7.9	07 08	-1.3	19 26	-1.1
7 SU	00 34	7.9	12 59	7.7	07 50	-1.1	20 10	-1.0
8 M	01 23	7.6	13 46	7.4	08 32	-0.8	20 55	-0.8
9 TU	02 13	7.1	14 37	7.0	09 15	-0.5	21 43	-0.5
10 W	03 09	6.4	15 36	6.4	10 03	-0.0	22 41	-0.1
11 TH	04 17	5.7	16 49	6.0	11 04	0.4	23 54	0.2
12 F	05 39	5.3	18 09	5.7			12 24	0.6
13 SA	07 03	5.3	19 25	5.8	01 12	0.2	13 44	0.5
14 SU	08 17	5.6	20 30	6.2	02 25	-0.0	14 51	0.3
15 M	09 13	6.0	21 22	6.5	03 28	-0.2	15 51	-0.0
16 TU	09 56	6.4	22 04	6.7	04 20	-0.3	16 38	-0.2
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27 SA	04 27	5.2	16 53	5.3	11 04	0.7	23 58	0.5
28 SU	05 40	5.1	18 11	5.4			12 15	0.7
29 M	06 57	5.3	19 22	5.7	01 11	0.4	13 29	0.6
30 TU	08 01	5.7	20 20	6.3	02 19	0.1	14 35	0.2

Times shown in UTC. Add 1 hour for British Summer Time.

Summer of Competition for Silloth's Tennis Youngsters

For the first time in a few years Silloth Tennis Club have held junior club competitions at different age levels.

With a vibrant coaching programme delivered by Rob Jefferson the club is enjoying something of a revival and with a few new committee members we are looking to renew

our affiliation with the LTA and improve facilities too.

The competitions at under 8, 9, 10 and 12 level, were well attended and gave the children the chance to compete on their own patch and gain vital competitive experience too.



The Autumn/Winter programme has begun on the courts and we will be looking to head indoors in mid-October.

For information on coaching and what the club offers please contact David Wise on: 07742 547767.

Blencogo and District Produce Show 2021 Results

Report by: Judith Wood and Linda Wood

The Produce Show took place on Saturday 11th September with some changes having been made to keep people as distanced as possible. Fortunately the weather was kind and we managed to have some of our activities outside.

The judges pondered and deliberated over the offerings in front of them and the results were compiled. In the afternoon as the doors reopened the competitors returned to see how they had done. There was talk of how the weather had conspired against the gardeners and entries were definitely low but the hall looked lovely and there was a lot of talent on display. The outcomes there for all to see.

Tea and cakes were available and a sociable time was enjoyed while the results were tallied. The results were as follows:

Bromfield parish cup, for flowers

1. Terry Wright
2. WG Henderson and Enid Thompson
3. Maisie Hunt

Harry Douglas fuschia plaque

WG Henderson

Tom Carrick Cup for kitchen garden

1. Maisie Hunt
2. Nick Wood
3. Liz Cozens

Ferguson Salver, for bakery

1. Liz Cozens
2. Judith Wood
3. Linda Wood

Bromfield PCC Cup, for handicrafts

1. Paula Holden
2. Adrian Cozens, Stella Graham, Michael Faulkner

Blencogo Village Hall Trophy, for Children 8 and over

1. Alfie Bennett
2. Chloe Durnberger
3. Philip Bickley

Alfred Greive trophy for 7 years and under

James Bickley

High Aketon Trophy, for most

points in show

Liz Cozens

The winners of the *Produce Show*

quiz were drawn from a hat as there were 6 all correct answers.

The lucky winners were Ron Graham and Eileen Rees Blencogo and District Village Hall Produce Show Quiz and answers

Kitchen Equipment

1. Small ripple as tide goes out – Microwave
2. The road splits in two – fork
3. Persuade the man to keep out of the kitchen – detergent
4. Mixes well – blender
5. Large monk out of his depth – deep fat fryer
6. Taken for a fool – mug

Places in the UK

7. Tend the fire – Stoke
8. Goes forward – Leeds
9. Witches attempt to meet – Coventry
10. Push down the heavy weight – Preston
11. People's rock – Folkestone

Food and drink

12. A regal arrangement or a large muddle – lager
13. In the centre, Steven is on camera – venison
14. Sounds as if this could be a bloomer – flour
15. Two American companies – couscous
16. It's nothing significant – trifle

Flowers

17. Big Bill is not sour – Sweet William
18. If you hide plum in another way it's clear – Delphinium
19. A young horse's hoof – Coltsfoot
20. This sweet has a small clump of grass on it – Candytuft
21. Drop coin in tea and it will bloom

TV and films

22. Humpty Dumpty and family – Eggheads
23. Final drink of the season – Last of the Summer Wine
24. A battle of a place – Waterloo Road
25. Whilst motoring avoid flower

– Driving Miss Daisy

26. Honest deceptions – True Lies
27. Dating Jagger – Romancing the Stone

Football teams

28. Initials before university – MK Dons

29. Locked in place walking aimlessly – Bolton Wanderers

30. Military ammunition store – Arsenal

31. An organ for swimming – Liverpool

32. Modern fort joined together – Newcastle United

Anagrams of places in the USA

33. All sad – Dallas
34. On sees gall – Los Angeles
35. On a charge – Anchorage
36. Net her scam – Manchester
37. I bore malt – Baltimore

Animals

38. Sounds like someone who doesn't play by the rules - Cheetah
39. Just a feline – Meerkat
40. Pachyderm in four walls – Elephant
41. Wear a door opening – Donkey
42. A burning vowel – Flamingo

Many thanks to Mary Douglas and Gill Turner for organizing the quiz giving hours of pleasure!

A raffle was held on the day which included;

A bottle of rum – Gary Bickley
A Cumbrian food hamper including Cranston's voucher – Terry Wright

To finish the day off there was a good humoured auction of the produce kindly run by Adrian Cozens.

The profit is for hall and playground funds but only possible with the generous support of all the competitors, judges and participants of the show as well as Bromfield PC for financial donation, sponsors of the categories including Waver Wine Circle, Dundraw WI, Blencogo and District Gardening Club, Blencogo Bowls and Art groups.

A massive thank you to the "staff" who worked so hard to make the day a success.



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