

ISSUE FOR NOVEMBER 2019

THE LINK

Please note that the deadline for the December 2019 edition of 'The Link' will be 13th November.

PARISH COUNCIL

Clerk:- Gill Mason - 07882 949110. E-mail - catonparishcouncil@gmail.com PLAY PARK - Essential repairs to the Fell View Play Park will be carried out shortly

VANDALISM AND ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR - There are reports of damage to cars, vandalism and anti-social behaviour in various areas of the village. At present the Play Park and football area at Fell View seem to be attracting a lot of troublemakers.. Please ensure that you know where your children and young people are of an evening, and make sure they are not making a nuisance of themselves. The police say they want to be informed of vandalism and petty crime - so please report all incidents to them.

POOR'S LAND CHARITY - In 1724, Edward Fincham left land to be used to benefit people in need living in this parish. The land is let out for grazing and fishing, and the proceeds are distributed annually by the Parish Council. These small grants are distributed every December, in time for Christmas. The amounts given are usually around £40-£50. Application forms will be available from 1st November and have to be returned by 29th November. The forms may be collected from the Cottam Room at the Victoria Institute or obtained directly from the Parish Clerk. Some will also be distributed through local schools and churches.

CATON GALA 2020

Caton Gala 2020 will take place on Saturday the 13th June 2020.

Caton Gala is well over a century old. Those responsible for making it happen have always looked for ways to develop, improve and tailor the gala to the needs and desires of the residents of Caton with Littledale and the surrounding area. We are always looking for ways to iron out any imperfections and to make it "better next time". We also seek to make the Gala an opportunity for community involvement. As part of this we carefully consider an appropriate "theme". The purpose of the theme is to provide continuity with the parade, program of entertainment and fancy-dress competition. We also seek to produce something which can include persons of all ages and from all backgrounds. Accordingly, the theme for Caton Gala 2020 will be "The Circus".

Whilst there can be no doubt that the weather did its best to spoil Caton Gala 2019 we were disappointed that there were only two floats in the parade. Part of the purpose of the parade is for village groups and organisations to be able indulge in self-promotion. Participation is open to all. It is not limited to a few schools and children's organisations. If you are a member of a group or organisation which has some connection to Caton, now is the time to put your thinking cap on and join in the parade. We would really like to make the parade for Caton Gala 2020 the best ever.

October is never a very exciting month in Galaland, The booking of toilets, barriers and PA systems is rarely a headline grabber. Nonetheless these important tasks are carried out.

If you can assist with in any other way, please contact Wendy Strickland (07855 590004) or Rosemary Horner (01524 770036). They can, as can all committee members, also be contacted by e-mail at "catongala.co.uk" or via our Facebook page. We would love to welcome new members to the organising committee, the next meeting of which will be held at 8:00 PM on *Monday the 4th November* 2019 at the Station Hotel in Caton. All are welcome.

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY 10 NOVEMBER

Our Remembrance day ceremony begins with a church service at 10.15 in Caton Methodist Church. We then cross to the War Memorial for the Last Post and Two Minutes Silence from The Cenotaph in London. The names of the fallen listed on the Caton War Memorial are read out and wreaths and poppies placed by local organisations. Afterwards everyone is invited to come to the Victoria Institute for refreshments.

A collection will be made to support the work of the Royal British Legion and Combat Stress.

LOCAL NEWS OF CATON & BROOKHOUSE

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Baptist Church Artlebeck Bridge

10.30 am: Morning Service and Sunday School 6.30 pm: Evening Service

Brookhouse Methodist Church Brookhouse Road

10.45 am:

Morning Service and Junior Church 7.00 pm: Evening Service

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10.30 am: Morning Service and Junior Church

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St Paul's C of E Brookhouse

Sunday Communion Service 9.30am

All Age Worship, read and led by children – 1st Sunday of the month

Sunday Club in the Church Hall, all term time Sundays except 1st Sunday of month

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CATON AND BROOKHOUSE FRIENDSHIP CLUB

Our trip to Bradford brought out the sunshine. There was so much to see and do we all made our way wearily but happily back to the coach.

The last trip of the year is to Leeds on the 17th October. Pick up at the Victoria Institute at 9.30 am then on to pick up in Brookhouse, pick up in Hornby will be 9am.

Not to be missed the first of our autumn /winter programmes in the Victoria Institute on the 21st November will be a hot pot lunch made by Julia parker cost £8.00 12.30pm for 1pm followed by a quiz. No numbers for catering can be taken after the 14th November.

The Christmas party will be on the 12th December in the Victoria Institute 12.30pm for 1pm. Cost £5.00 a head includes a two course meal with drinks followed by entertainment by the 'Everysong' singers. Catering numbers by the 5th of December please.

For further information contact our secretary Benita on 01524 771943

CATON LEISURE CLUB

The very popular chair exercises continue with Norma, Mondays 9.00-10.00 in the main hall. Leisure Club membership is required at £5.00pa with weekly class fees of £2.00 per session. Then why not pop next door to the Thomas Storey Room to hear one of the speakers and of course a cup of tea/coffee and a biscuit.

4th - Pauline Skerritt "Life of a Victorian Maid". Pauline makes a return visit. She will take us back in time to hear and see what it was like to be a maid in Victorian times. 11th - David Cording "Walking in Switzerland" David returns with another of his fascinating talks. The title says it all. 18th - Trip to Dewlay Cheese. There are some seats available on this trip. If you are not a member and would like to come with us the cost will be £16.00. You will see and hear how cheese is made and have a chance to taste some. We will then move on to Barton Grange where we can buy lunch, christmas decorations, presents or even a plant! Coach pick up points Hornby 9.05, Brookhouse 9.15 and Victoria Institute 9.20. 25th - Tim Forman. 'Anecdotes of an ordinary Man'. Tim returns to give us another of his fascinating talks.

9th December. - Christmas Party. To be held in the main hall from 11.00-1pm note: the later start time. Barton Community Choir will sing for us and a buffet will be provided by Cracking Spreads. The cost will be $\pounds 5.00$ and monies need to be paid by Monday 25th November. Put your name down now so that you don't miss out.

Caton Short Mat Bowls - meets on Thursdays at the Victoria Institute 10.00-12.00. during the Winter months (October – April), in the Main Hall. New members welcome. If you would like to join us then contact David on 01524 812342 or just turn up.

For further information call Susan on 01524 771862 or check out the website http://www.catonvillage.org.uk/caton-leisure-club

CATON THEATRE INTEREST GROUP

Our summer visit to the Theatre by the Lake in Keswick for a presentation of the 'The Lady Killers' was hilarious, the acting and sound effects were excellent, all in all a success and thoroughly enjoyed.

This time our pantomime is a matinee performance of 'Peter Pan' at the Grand theatre Blackpool on Saturday the 4th January 2020.

Cost £28.00 for a seat near the front of the Dress circle and coach to be paid by the 20th October to receive a further discount. Pick up at the Victoria Institute at 10am then on to pick up in Brookhouse pick up in Ingleton and Hornby has been arranged. All of our seats have been reserved and we have started a waiting list.

For further information call Jean on 01524 770980 or Benita on 01524 771943

VILLAGE LUNCH CLUB

Would you enjoy the opportunity for good food and good company once a month? Join us at the Village lunch club. All welcome. Our next outing will be at the Station Thursday 14th November 12.15. Phone Sue on 771559 to book a place and to ask about transport.

VARIETY SHOW

On *Saturday 7th December* there will be a variety show at Brookhouse Methodist church at 7pm. Come and enjoy a mix of entertainment. Refreshments will be served and there will be an opportunity to give towards work with poor families in Albania.

BURNS NIGHT SUPPER

Tickets for the annual Burns Night Supper will be on sale from 1st November from the Victoria Institute and the Post Office. Priced at £25 for adults and £15 for children. This includes your traditional haggis supper (or vegetarian option), plus a nip of whisky, traditional entertainment and dancing until midnight, bring your own drinks. Friday 24th January 2020 7pm-midnight. All money raised will help further cultural connections between our village and Socx, particularly financing the coach fare for children from our village to travel to Socx next year. For more information about the evening or Twinning please email tricia@marybankfarm.uk

MEMORIAL GARDEN NOTICE BOARD

A notice board for the Memorial Garden has been commissioned for the benefit of the community. The gesture has been funded in memory of Frank Brown of Caton who went on to serve in the Home Guard and the Royal Navy Coastal Forces. The board provides a space for exhibits on the theme of Remembrance, and already local youth groups and children have been engaged in preparing materials. Should anyone else in the Parish have photos or stories to tell of the life and times of those involved in the World Wars, please contact Judy Powell, 771154.

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THANK YOU - Jenny Walmsley has recently stepped down as Acting Chair and trustee of the Victoria Institute. Chris Hill has also stepped down as trustee of the Institute. We would like to thank them both for their hard work, help and support over many years.

NEW COMPUTERS - Five new computers have been recently bought, four have been installed in the IT room and one in the back office. The computers have been purchased thanks to the kind support of the Cottam Trust.

CATON COMMUNITY LIBRARY - We are currently unable to take any book donations at the moment, due to limited shelf space.

CLOSURE DAYS - The Library and IT Room will be closed on; Friday 8th and Thursday 21st & Friday 22nd November.

WEDDING FAIR - There will be a Wedding Fair at the Victoria Institute on Sunday 24th November, 12.00 noon until 3.00pm. Why not come along and see the Main Hall all dressed for the 'big day' and talk to the stall holders of the various services.

CHRISTMAS FAIR - All occasions Caton, Christmas arts and crafts fair. Sunday 1st December 11.00am-4.00pm. Professional high quality products made by skilled men/women from the North

FLOODSAX FOR SALE - Floodsax are available for sale from the Victoria Institute. The cost is £5.50 per sack, £27.50 for a pack of five. The recommendation is for 5 floodsax per property, two each for the front and back door and one for use in the toilet. Please contact Peter for more information.

BUSINESSES, TRADES & SERVICES - The Victoria Institute has allocated a display board for businesses, trades and services to promote themselves. Please leave your A5 poster, business cards etc. with Peter at the Institute.

FREE TO ADVERTISE 'FOR SALE' BOARD - People are selling items for free on the noticeboard in the Victoria Institute. Collect a form from Peter in the Library/IT Room to advertise your items.

EMERGENCY CENTRE - The Victoria Institute is our village's Emergency Centre. If there are problems such as flooding, long periods without mains water, or power cuts, the Victoria Institute will be staffed and you'll be able to get practical help and information.

ROOM HIRE - Have your party, meeting or special event at the Victoria Institute.

We have a modern, fully equipped kitchen including a six ring gas hob stove, dishwasher and hot cupboard. We also have information on Caterers for your convenience.

With a choice of rooms, we have everything you need to make your event a great success. Call in, Peter will be happy to show you around or get in touch with him

Special rates are available for extended functions (8 or more hours, booking two or more large rooms) and multi room events.

DROP IN SERVICES LIBRARY & IT ROOM - The Library and IT Room is open 9.30am to 3.00pm Monday to Friday and has a good range of books. There are a small number of jigsaws that can also be borrowed.

We have 5 computers with Internet access and a 'multi-function' printer which also serves as a BRIDGES photocopier and scanner. Paper sizes A4 and A3 can be printed or copied in mono and full colour. You also can bring along your laptop or tablet and connect to our Wi-Fi (for the same IT costs). We have a paper shredder to dispose of your confidential and unwanted documents.

FAIRTRADE TEA & COFFEE - The Cottam Room is open Monday to Friday from 9.30am to 3.00pm.

A mug of Fairtrade tea or coffee and a biscuit is only 80p, local newspapers are available.

HERE TO HELP - Peter Collins, our Community Support Worker is here to help. Peter will help with a variety of admin tasks and on-line services.

GET IN TOUCH - For all queries, including hiring the Victoria Institute please contact: -

Peter Collins the Community Support Worker at the Institute on 01524 771733

We are open between 9.30am and 3.00pm, Monday to Friday; there is a telephone answering service out of hours, holiday closure dates displayed on our website: You can email us on: admin@victoria-institute.org.uk: Further information can be found at our website: www.victoria-institute.org.uk: Follow us on Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/victoria.institute.caton/

BONFIRE EVENING

Caton Baptist Church will be hosting their Bonfire Evening on Saturday 9th November at Highfield Farm, Aughton. Get there from 6-30pm when the bonfire will be lit and BBQ and bonfire night treats will be served. Fireworks at 7pm. Come along and enjoy an evening of family fun and friendship, if you have never been before and require directions please contact our pastor Alan Wadsworth on 01524 771371. See you there!..

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Dates for your Diaries are 8th November and 6th December with a start time of 7.30pm. If you wish to go on our mailing list please email us on moviesinthepews@gmail.com or Contact Sue on 07836 500091 or Helen on 07802 499934.

CATON PRIMARY SCHOOL

We would like to invite members of the local community to our Christmas lunch, followed by our infant nativity performance of 'Lights, Camel, Action.' This will take place on Thursday, 5th December with performances at 1.30pm and 6pm. Contact Tracey Howarth in the school office for further information and tickets.

Thank you very much to The Link for their generous donation towards the development of ourwellbeing and meeting room in the sports hall. This will be up and running very soon and will be available for the community to use.

Class 2 enjoyed their trip to the Imperial War Museum in October to extend their learning about World War 2. They are now busy researching the local soldiers whose names feature on the Caton war memorial and writing poetry to display at the Victoria Institute.

In Class 1, pupils have continued their Forest Schools learning in our wonderful forest.

To mark World Mental Health day, our whole school took part in a relaxing yoga session led by Caroline Whittingham. Everyone benefited from the youngest to the oldest and it made us all think about the importance of looking after our minds as well as our bodies.

The closing date for primary school applications is 15th January 2020. Visits to the school are very welcome. Breakfast and after school clubs are available.

CATON ST PAUL'S C OF E SCHOOL

OPEN DAY. We would like to welcome everyone to view our school in action on Wednesday 6th November, 9.30am until 11.30am. Tours will take place at 9.30am and 10.45am. Come and try our new orienteering course, bushcraft activities in our outdoor learning area and lots of wonderful learning activities based on our current school topic Travel through Time.

CHILDREN GO ORIENTEERING. Our school has recently purchased a new orienteering resource. The school grounds have been mapped and we now have a range of different courses all our Juniors can access. The courses include English, Maths and we can also create our own routes tailored to class topics. The children will be able to revise key skills, get fit whilst also learning the important skills of orienteering. There is also an opportunity for our younger children to follow easier courses and trails linking to their topics, so all our children should benefit from this excellent new and fun outdoor resource.

LOCAL SINGER INSPIRES OUR CHILDREN. We recently welcomed local singer/songwriter Molly Warburton into school to share her experience of working hard to achieve your dreams. Amethyst class children have been learning about having the right mindset, perseverance and how anything is possible. Molly answered questions from the class and gave an impromptu concert to the whole school.

REMEMBRANCE SERVICE. Everyone is welcome to attend our Remembrance service, led by our Year 6 children at St Paul's church Friday 8th November 2.15pm until 3pm.

CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL - ST PETER'S QUERNMORE

Thursday 28th November 12noon -5pm: Friday 29th 12noon - 5pm: Saturday 30th 10am -5pm: Sunday 1st December 10am - 5pm: Monday 2nd 12noon - 5pm

Sunday Service 1st December 10.00am. Family Service among the trees.

Come and visit our beautiful Church, lit up by Christmas Trees, decorated by our generous sponsors - local businesses, individuals and primary school. The Church will look wonderful and the atmosphere will be very special. Refreshments available throughout opening times

CATON AND BROOKHOUSE GARDENING CLUB

A packed house at our last meeting enjoyed a wonderful talk by Colin Newlands, manager of the Ingleborough National Nature Reserve. We were overawed by his enthusiasm and knowledge of the flora, fauna, geology, research and purpose of the Reserve.

Thanks to everyone who turned up to listen and give Colin and welcome to the village.

Our next meeting is on *Thursday 14th November* at 7.30pm in the Victoria Institute.

Again it will be an environmental evening as we will be showing a DvD of the Lune Valley from about Kirkby Lonsdale to Sunderland Point and Glasson Dock. There is lots of drone footage and all sorts of quirky information about the river and the villages round about. Well worth seeing as an education and to give you some idea about what to do with your visitors!

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HORNBY OCCASIONALS

Hornby Occasionals are looking for singers to join them for their production of Gilbert and Sullivan's Princess Ida which they will be performing in April 2020 (20th-25th) at Hornby Village Institute. They rehearse every Friday at 7:30pm at Hornby Institute.

There are no auditions to join the group and all are welcome.

For more information see the Hornby Occasionals Facebook page.

HORNBY PENSIONERS' ASSOCIATION

Potato Pie Supper It is still not too late to book for this event, on Tuesday, 12th November in Hornby Institute. Tickets for the meal will be £8 per head and Kath will be taking bookings & payment in the Institute Reception on Tuesday & most Friday mornings up to 8th November. To enable the evening to go smoothly, please be seated by 7pm. We will play a half-card of Bingo afterwards.

Christmas Party Bookings Our party this year will be held on Tuesday, 10th December, in Hornby Institute. We will be enjoying an excellent cold buffet supplied by Veda, followed by entertainment from the Occasionals. Kath will be selling tickets, which are £8 per head, in Hornby Institute between 10am & midday on Tuesdays from 12th November – 3rd December inc. This event is for members only.

Games Evenings Our November Whist & Dominoes evenings in Hornby Institute will be on Saturdays the 2nd, 16th & 30th, starting at 7pm. Admission (including light refreshments & 2 free raffle tickets) is only £2. Everybody very welcome.

HORNBY TEA ROOMS

Hornby Tea Rooms will be serving hot food and drinks from 7:30pm on Bonfire Night Tuesday the 5th November.

Hornby Tea Rooms will also be holding our Late night Christmas Shopping events on the Tuesday the 26th of November and Tuesday the 10th of December from 6pm till 8pm with Christmas nibbles, fizz and hot chocolate. There will be a wide choice of gifts, cards, Chas Jacobs, Flower Bank and Made in Wray.

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30th November 10.00am - 2.00pm.

Lots of stalls including:- Gifts; Cakes; Cards; Jewellery; Pictures; Wooden items; Ceramics; Knitted items; Plants; Tombola; Teddy Tombola.

Celebrate the start of Christmas with a glass of mulled wine. Refreshments available throughout.

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Weekdays...see Parish Newsletter (Copy in Church porch)

Confessions: Before Masses & at St. Peter's Cathedral – Saturday 11.00 – 12 noon 5.45 pm Children's Liturgy – Each Sunday during 11.00am Mass except 1st Sunday – 6.15pm

ST PAUL'S CHURCH BROOKHOUSE COFFEE MORNING

The next Coffee Morning will be at the Parish Hall on the 6th of November at 10.30.

The November Coffee Morning is in support of The Mother's Union Caravan, who as we know help to provide holidays for disadvantaged families. As usual there will be a raffle, a quiz, as well as a number of stalls displaying a range of produce at reasonable prices. This also gives people the opportunity to meet friends and neighbours for a chat. You are most welcome to join us for a coffee, tea or cold drink as well as biscuits.

In October we raised £134.40 for the Macmillan Nurses, Thanks to everyone who attended the Coffee Morning and supported this invaluable organisation.

ST PAUL'S CHURCH BROOKHOUSE

Village Christmas Pastoral Service

There will be a Christmas Pastoral Service for the Village on 11/12/18 at 11am at St Paul's Church.

There will be a short service with hymns and readings. It will last approximately half an hour. Afterwards we hope you will stay for a chat and refreshments. Everyone is welcome to join us for this short time of reflection and fellowship.

Crafty Tots is a fortnightly toddler group held in Caton Baptist church. Sessions start at 9:30am until 10:30am and are open to pre school children from the age of 18 months +. Come and join us for crafts, stories and singing with a brew for the mums (and dads or grandparents)

To book a place email catoncrafytots@gmail.com or contact Laura on 01524 771371. The cost will be £2:50.

The dates for November are 6th and 20th.

HAFFNER ORCHESTRA CONCERT

Haffner Orchestra starts its concert season on Saturday 2nd November, 7.30pm at the Great Hall, Lancaster University.

The Orchestra will perform Offenbach's overture La Belle Helene and Sibelius Symphony no. 1. Violinist Leland Chen will be playing the solo in Bruch's Scottish Fantasy. Full details on www.haffnerorchestra.org

Tickets available online or at Lancaster Visitor Information Centre. Under 18s free.

SATURDAY SOCCER AND NETBALL

Saturday soccer and netball will now be running monthly rather than weekly, the first Saturday of each month. If you have never been before we meet at Caton Community School playing field/Sports Hall 10 - 12 noon. Football is for children aged 7 - 14 years and netballers aged 9 - 13 years.

Please make sure you have the correct foot wear. A drink and biscuit will be provided,

The date for November will be 2nd. Please come along and join in the fun!

ANNUAL CRAFT FAIR

Our annual craft fair in aid of poor families in Albania will be at Brookhouse Methodist Church on Saturday 16th November from 10.30am till 1.00pm. This is a great opportunity to get your Christmas presents early.

If you would like to have a craft stall please contact David or Ruth Midwinter 01524 770605.

PAINTING GROUP

The painting group will meet on Friday 8th & 22nd November from 1.30-3.30pm at Brookhouse Methodist Church. We are a friendly group and everyone is welcome whatever their level of skill. We just ask for a donation of £1 to cover the cost of heating etc.

We also have a cup of tea or coffee. For more information contact Ruth 01524 770605.

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CATON ST PAUL'S CHURCH

Coffee morning - Wednesday 7th November at 10:30am in the Church Hall, all welcome to come for tea/coffee, a chat and a quiz.

Confirmation Service - St Paul's Caton and St Cuthbert's Over Kellet are welcoming Jill Duff, Bishop of Lancaster for a Confirmation Service on Sunday 1st December at 3pm at St Paul's. All are welcome to attend to support our candidates and celebrate with them.

Pastoral Service - our village Pastoral Service will be held on Tuesday 10th December at 11am at St Paul's. Churches together in Caton and Brookhouse warmly invite you to come and share worship together on the theme of "Responsibility." Refreshments served afterwards. If anyone needs help with a lift, please contact Sue Brown on 771559. Vicar - Rev Paul Boulter 770300

CATON BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor Alan Wadsworth. 01524 771371.

Please check out our church website. There will be more details of activities and up to date news of our church - www.catonbaptist.org.

Our Sunday services:- 10:30am and 6:30pm. A warm welcome to everyone.. Children's Church is for children 3 - 14 and runs during the morning service. An all age family service is every second Sunday of the month at 10:30am.

Ladies Meeting:- Our ladies meeting is held fortnightly on a Wednesday, in the Sunday School room at 2pm. After the service light refreshments are served when you can enjoy a chat over your cup of tea. This is such a friendly group and a very warm welcome is extended to all. If you haven't been before and would like a lift please contact Judith on 01524 770872.

The dates for November are - 13th Rev Alan Wadsworth, 27th Mrs Wendy Curwen.

Alf Club:- (All about Life and Faith) is a group for primary aged children which is held in the Sunday School room from 6 - 7pm every Thursday (term time only) The hour is packed full of games, DVDs, stories, refreshments, crafts and lots of fun. Come along and bring your friends.

Bridge Cafe:- Open on the first Friday of each month. - 10:30 to 12 noon. Come and enjoy a toasted teacake with your tea/coffee. Come and go as you please or stay the whole morning and enjoy catching up with your friends. All welcome. The date for this month will be Friday 1st November.

CATON METHODIST CHAPEL

Weekly Sunday Service:- 10:30am With Sunday School and coffee

All Age Worship:- Sunday 3rd November. Taken by Alan and Ruth Woodhouse. With coffee and biscuits

Saturday Soup:- Saturday 9th November. Enjoy soup and homemade cakes with Friends. Everyone welcome £3.00 per person.

Remembrance Service:- Sunday 10th November 10:15am. Refreshments afterwards at the Institute

Bible Study:- 18th November 7pm. With Rev Andrew Champley. Finishing with Hot Chocolate

Crafts @ *Caton:*- Tuesday 26th 10-12pm: Come along and bring your knitting, sewing or crochet projects or pop in for a brew and chat.

BROOKHOUSE METHODIST CHURCH

Our Sunday services are at 10.45am and 7pm.

Please come and join us - everyone welcome. Junior Church, which is for children from 3 to 14, is during the morning service and finishes at approximately 12.15pm. There is also a creche for the under 3s.

Tiddlywinks - Every Thursday morning from 10 to 11.30am and is £1 per family. 0-4 year olds please bring a responsible adult with you!

Meet To Eat - Dates for Meet to Eat are 1st, 15th and 29th November If you would like to come but need a lift please call Tom Mason on 770257.

BMC YOUTHCLUB

BMC Youth club" on *Friday 15th November at 7pm to 9pm*. at Brookhouse Methodist Church, aimed at 11 to 16 year olds, games, fun and tuck shop, free entry, all welcome, the youth club will be on every 3rd Friday of each Month, for any further info contact plegg822@gmail.com

OASIS CAFE

Oasis Café is open on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays from $9.00 \mathrm{am}$ to $2.00 \mathrm{pm}$ at Brookhouse Methodist Church.

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THE ROTARY CLUB OF LUNESDALE

Once again the Charter season has come around which is the occasion when Rotary clubs celebrate their birthday. It also is an opportunity for Rotarians to visit other Rotary clubs when they can enjoy meeting up with friends, enjoy a meal, chat and catch up on events. All clubs are busy throughout their year hosting, promoting and organising events to raise money for deserving causes. Such causes may be local, regional, national or even global. Recently Barton Grange was the venue for Rotarians in the south of District 1190 to have an update about 2 international projects, Mercy Ships and Shelter Box. "Africa Mercy" is a state of the art hospital ship providing much needed medical aid to poor people on the west coast of Africa. It is staffed completely by volunteers and has 450 people on board at any one time. Rotary is its major sponsor. Shelter Box was the other project we learned about. It's objective is to "Get Aid To Need". The cost of a box is £560. Last year Rotary supplied 120 Shelter Boxes which went to disaster areas around the world. Each box contains basic but essential supplies to sustain life. It is hard to imagine being in the position where to be given such a thing could simply mean survival.

We have also had speakers at meetings as usual, one of which was Duncan Evans a self confessed reformed alcoholic. He told a fascinating and compelling story about his journey from when he was a 14 year old boy, addicted to alcohol, to the present day when he has become a dedicated runner. He claims that running saved his life.

Now he works for and promotes The Brathay Trust whose mission is:

At Brathay we know everyone has the capacity to do extraordinary things that can inspire and benefit others. This drives our mission to improve the life chances of children, young people and families by inspiring them to engage positively in their communities.

This seems a good opportunity to remind us of the Rotary Motto "Service Above Self"

NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

Thank you to local people who came along to the two consultation events about the Neighbourhood Plan at the end of September, or contributed comments by email. The focus was on two sites which have been put forward by Lancaster City Council for possible housing development - land alongside Quernmore Road and land behind Hawthorn Close.

The Steering Group then met on Tuesday 15th October to consider feedback and decide on any further investigations needed. A group of local residents concerned about the possibility of development behind Hawthorn Close came along too. The Steering Group decided to ask Lancashire Local Authority Highways Department to examine the access to both the sites under consideration together with the safety aspect regarding the visual splay. The pipe on the land behind Hawthorn Close also needs their investigation. Lancashire County Council is our Lead Flood Authority and will be asked to comment on the surface-water flooding associated with both proposed sites. The Steering Group has commissioned some studies of birds and bats, but more work is needed and the help of local wildlife enthusiasts would be useful here.

We don't know how long it will take to get the official reports, but have provisionally arranged out next meeting for Tuesday 26th November at 7pm in the Victoria Institute (Victoria Room). If you are interested in attending please contact Anne Jackson, the Chair of the Steering Group on 771551 or catonneighbourhoodplan@outlook.com. Maps and documents for the consultation sessions can be seen on the village website.

BE PREPARED

Be prepared! Bad weather is sure to hit us over the coming months. Do check on the drains near your home - if they are on your property get them cleared now; if they are on roads and pavements report them to Lancaster Highways online or by ringing 0300 123 6701. This is a good time to ensure your buildings are sound and secure.

And think about neighbours who might need help in an emergency - do you have phone numbers?

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

ST PAULS CHURCH - St Paul's Church would like to express its appreciation to the group of volunteers who have maintained the churchyard throughout the previous year. They are a dedicated team who work hard to keep the churchyard in good condition. As we have said they are all volunteers and our sincere thanks go to all of them.

MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING - We had an excellent turnout for the Coffee morning at St Anne's Close on Friday 27th September. This was a great team effort, your support and generosity resulted in a total of £460.50 raised for this worthwhile charity. Thank you so much to everyone who made this possible.

THE LINK

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