

## V.E. Day 80th Anniversary Celebrations

at Hazelsprings, Brocklebank

**Thursday 8th May**

Refreshments served from 8.30pm

Bonfire and Fireworks

lit at 9.30pm

Funded by Westward Parish Council

### Westward Parish Council

[www.westward-pc.gov.uk](http://www.westward-pc.gov.uk)

Clerk: Mrs J Webster 07796123425

[clerk@westward-pc.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@westward-pc.gov.uk)

Monday 19th May at 7pm in Rosley Hall

Members of the public are welcome at all meetings. If you would like any issues raised please contact the clerk at least two weeks before the meeting so that items can be included on the agenda.

### Rosley Baby & Toddler Group

Meets on Fridays, in term time, 9.30am - 11.30am  
at Rosley Hall.

### Easter Party on 4th April

Bouncy Castle, Easter Crafts and themed snacks for children and adults. Normal times and entrance fees

The next meeting after the Easter break is on Friday 25th April. For further details contact Vicky on 07807628154.

### Irish Concerts at Rosley Hall

4<sup>th</sup> May: Stephen Smyth & Band

22<sup>nd</sup> June: John Rafferty

13<sup>th</sup> July: Shawn Cuddy & Curtis Magee

10<sup>th</sup> August: Rachel McConnell

& McConnells Family Band

24<sup>th</sup> August: **Dominic Kerwan**

Very popular performer - book your tickets early!

Enquiries: Adele 07706 597132

All shows start at 8pm, Doors open at 7pm

Please check dates nearer the time.

### Rosley Hall Bookings & Enquiries

**07399 495529** [debrajs@live.co.uk](mailto:debrajs@live.co.uk)

### Northern Fells Group (NFG) [www.northernfellsgroup.org.uk](http://www.northernfellsgroup.org.uk)

**Jackie Clayton** Village Agent for Rosley & Westward also Benefits and Dementia Awareness Support 07370 225134 or [jackie.clayton@northernfellsgroup.org.uk](mailto:jackie.clayton@northernfellsgroup.org.uk)

**Rosley Hub** the next meeting will be on Wednesday 2nd April and this will be the last one until September

**Move it and Groove it** at Bolton Low Houses 1.30pm to 3.30pm. Gentle activities, exercise and a singalong for people living with dementia and their loved ones. Next meeting 22nd April

### PLANT & SEED SWAP!

In collaboration with the North Cumbrian Food Growing Network

**Saturday 12th April Globe Hall Ireby - 9.30am-12.30pm - Open to all. • Free event.**

Exchange seedlings/plants, tools and seeds. • Tea/coffee and cake by donation to help cover the costs. • Bring any spare wildlife friendly plants, perennials, annuals, vegetables, fruit plants/trees/bushes, seeds (ideally not out of date) • Bring surplus garden tools you don't need that are still usable, outdoor pots, etc...

For more details contact Gill 07376 258564 [gillian.skillicorn@northernfellsgroup.org.uk](mailto:gillian.skillicorn@northernfellsgroup.org.uk)

### EMOTIONAL RESILIENCE & SELF CARE

Tuesday 20th May 10am - 12.30pm Caldbeck Parish Hall

The Northern Fells Group will be hosting a workshop delivered by Emma Andrews from Eden Valley Hospice. It is aimed at those in a caring role but anyone who may benefit from the session is more than welcome. If you could let us know if you'd like to come that would be helpful, otherwise please feel free to turn up on the day.

Any queries please call Jackie on 07376 225134

### Westward Flower Club - Garden visits

19<sup>th</sup> May Afternoon visit to Greystoke Castle Gardens

30<sup>th</sup> June Visit to Winton Park Gardens, Kirkby Stephen

28<sup>th</sup> July Visit to Thorp Perrow, Bedale

For further details contact June Kitchen - 016973 49369

### Rosley W.I. enquiries 01228 711215

April 9th A visit to the Pot Place, Plumpton.

The Community bus leaves the village hall at 12.30 pm

May 14th Mrs Ros Downing "A Short and Crunchy

History of British Biscuits 1.45pm, Rosley Hall

June 11th Birthday lunch at Denton House 12.30pm

## Refuse and recycling collections are set to change in the Cumberland area

Following a public consultation and comprehensive review of the current arrangements, Cumberland Council will soon introduce the following:

**Garden waste collections** - From week commencing Monday 31st March 2025 all householders with garden waste bins will continue to have one bin collected every fortnight (March - November).

There will be a yearly charge of £40 per additional bin that residents request to be collected. This is consistent with the approach in the former Copeland area. Residents will be able to make a payment for extra bins from week commencing 10 March.

Collections are fortnightly between March and November each year.

**Waste collections: former Allerdale area** - Collections will be the same as the Carlisle and Copeland areas. Waste collections will be fortnightly from May 2025. Cardboard/paper collections will increase from monthly to fortnightly from September 2025.

Householders will be given the opportunity to request a free replacement 180 litre bin (most residents have a 120-litre bin).

Requests can be made from April. For more details go to

[www.cumberlandcouncil.gov.uk/bins, recycling & street cleaning](http://www.cumberlandcouncil.gov.uk/bins, recycling & street cleaning)

## Holy Trinity Church Rosley

**On Friday 4th April** a very special evening is being held in Rosley Hall organised by the PCC. Retired Archdeacon, Penny Driver, will be giving a talk on her years in Sri Lanka. Penny is very good and entertaining speaker, so it promises to be an excellent evening. Come and join us, listen to Penny's fascinating story and enjoy a curry supper. The evening starts at 7.00pm, the bar will be open. Tickets £10 available from PCC members or 016973 26509.

## The next Coffee Morning

(kindly hosted by Kathleen Watson)

will be on Saturday 7th June

10am to 12noon at Rosley Hall

Please do come along for a chat with friends and enjoy some home baking. Everyone is very welcome and it will be good to see you there!

**Please note** the May issue of the Rosley Link will be issued at least a week later than usual

## Plant Sale & Cream Teas

Sebergham Village Hall

Sunday 18th May 2pm to 4.30pm

Proceeds support Red Squirrel Conservation

# DIARY DATES

## APRIL

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| Tue | 1  | NFG Dance & Sing 2pm - 3.30 pm at Sebergham Village Hall  |
| Wed | 2  | NFG 12noon-2pm Rosley Hub at Rosley Hall (last one until September)   |
| Fri | 4  | Rosley Baby & Toddler Group Easter Party 9.30am -11.30am at Rosley Hall<br>A talk on Sri Lanka by retired Arch Deacon Penny Driver 7pm at Rosley Hall<br>Rosley School End of Term  |
| Wed | 9  | Rosley W.I. using the Wigton Community Bus to visit the Pot Place leaving from Rosley Hall at 12.30pm   |
| Fri | 11 | CAFS - 'The Outrun' 7.30pm Caldbeck Parish Hall details 07771 961874 roger@vicarage.uk  |
| Sat | 12 | NFG Plant & Seed Swap at the Globe Hall Ireby 9.30am - 12.30pm  |
| Sun | 13 | 9.30am Holy Communion   |
| Wed | 16 | Rosley Lunch 12 noon for 12.30 start at Rosley Hall - to book 016974 78417 annparry27@gmail.com<br>Caldbeck & District History Society Alan Cleaver: Postmen, post-paths and post-huts in Cumbria<br>7.30pm at Caldbeck Parish Hall - details from Tony Vaux vauxt@aol.com 016974 78626 |
| Thu | 17 | Maunday Thursday 6.30pm Holy Communion followed by Passover Meal with Venerable Ruth Newton Archdeacon of Carlisle  |
| Fri | 18 | 2pm Hour at the Cross with Venerable Ruth Newton Archdeacon of Carlisle   |
| Sun | 20 | Easter Day 9.30am Holy Communion<br><b>COPY DATE LINK</b> information for May/June to 01228 711520 or marion.grave@hotmail.co.uk  |
| Tue | 22 | Rosley School Start of Summer Term<br>NFG Move it and Groove 1.30 to 3.30pm at Bolton Low Houses Village Hall   |
| Fri | 25 | Baby & Toddler Group first meeting after Easter break 9.30 -11.30am at Rosley Hall  |
| Mon | 28 | NFG Bereavement Café 11am -1pm at Rosley Hall<br>Westward Flower Club 7.30pm at Wigton Rugby Club - Kevin Preston   |

## MAY

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| Sun | 4  | Stephen Smyth & Band - Irish Concert at Rosley Hall. Enquiries and tickets 07706 597132           |
| Mon | 5  | Bank Holiday  |
| Tue | 6  | NFG Dance & Sing 2.00-3.30 pm at Sebergham Village Hall   |
| Thu | 8  | V.E. DAY 80th Anniversary Celebration 8.30pm at Hazelsprings, Brocklebank                         |
| Wed | 14 | Rosley W.I. Mrs Ros Downing, "A Short and Crunchy History of British Biscuits" 1.45pm Rosley Hall |
| Sun | 18 | Plant Sale & Cream Teas 2pm - 4.30pm at Sebergham Village Hall                                    |
| Mon | 19 | Westward Parish council Meeting 7pm at Rosley Hall  |
| Thu | 22 | NFG Emotional Resilience and Self Care workshop 10am - 12.30pm at Caldbeck Parish Hall            |

## Thursby Post Office

at Thursby Parish Hall  
Tues 9am to 11am &  
Thurs 12.30 - 2.30pm

**Solway Red Squirrel Group** - Please continue to report all sightings of squirrels, red or grey, to 07990 723986 or email: [solwayredsquirrels@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:solwayredsquirrels@hotmail.co.uk)

It is important that we know where squirrels are occurring so that we can protect our small red population. Thank you