

The Queen's Platinum Jubilee Celebrations

Westward Parish Council would like to say a big thank you to everyone involved for making the celebrations such a great success. A lot of time and effort went into organising exhibitions, entertainment, refreshments, bonfire, fireworks and Sunday lunches. **THANK YOU**

The Rosley Jubilee Jamboree was a wonderful gathering of the community which saw people marking the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. This event was poignant being the first such community-wide meeting since the pandemic and the socially isolating nature of Covid-19. On 2nd June 2022, while enjoying the sunshine, local people of all ages ate their picnics and played a range of garden games down in the woods. The Church was open and hosted an exhibition of photographs and documents spanning the 60 years of Rosley School alongside beautiful artwork created by the Art Group and further paintings by children of Rosley School. The weather held all the while the BBQ was sizzling. When the live music began, the heavens opened and encouraged people into the Village Hall where the celebrations continued into the evening. It was a really memorable and enjoyable day of community, memories and shared experiences. This event was made possible because of the huge kindness and support offered by many people and we extend a huge thanks to all those who played a part in the day. We are now hoping to formulate the photographs and information provided by a number local people into a booklet depicting the timeline of Rosley School. If you have any further photographs or memories to share, please forward to Sam Massey at Howrigg sam.massey@rocketmail.com.

Jubilee Bonfire and Fireworks - on the Saturday evening there was a bonfire followed by fireworks, about 200 people attended. The fireworks were kindly provided by Westward Parish Council. There was a wonderful sunset which set the scene for a magical fire work display.

Thank you also to everyone who attended the various events and made this such a memorable occasion.

Rosley School Summer Fair

Friday 15th July 3.45pm to 5.45pm
(in the Village Hall if wet)

There will be games, a raffle, bottle tombola, table top sales refreshments and ice cream from Abbot

Lodge..... **Everyone Welcome**

Macmillan Cancer Support

Lake District Mighty Hike

Peter and Anne Burgess, Barbara Stoddart, Helen Sturges and Janet Sharp raised over £1500 between them. Thank you so much to everyone who supported us - it was a brilliant day walking the 13 miles from Dalemmain to Glenridding. Over 2000 walkers over the weekend made it a superb event.

Northern Fells Group www.northernfellsgroup.org.uk

Village Agent for Rosley & Westward

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The Monthly Diary of Events and Activities is the best way to find out about all the services offered and activities and events taking place within the Northern Fells area. Get in touch with Pauline to find out how you can get your copy.

The NFG Coffee Shop at Mosedale is open - Wed/Thu/Fri/Sat: 10am to 5pm Sun: 1pm to 5pm

Enjoy homemade cakes, traybakes and soups and there are plenty of interesting items among the Bric a Brac for sale in the barn - cake tins, of all shapes and sizes, full sets of cooking pots and pans, odd plates and glasses, salad bowls and much much more. The weekly **Bargain Board** is also a great place to look for bargains and to pass on items you no longer need or have a use for. Contact Philippa for details 016974 78555 or email bboardphilly@gmail.com

Remember 'One mans rubbish is another man's treasure'

NFG Minibus - The minibus may be able to help anyone of any age who don't have their own transport, who can't drive temporarily for whatever reason or for those who need disabled access. Call 016974 78787 or email beckgrange@yahoo.co.uk or aw.caldbeck@gmail.com for more details.

NFG Lend a Hand - more volunteers welcome in all parishes. Do you have a few hours to spare ? could you share your gardening skills? take someone shopping? help with dog walking? just sit and chat over a cuppa. You select which jobs you like and only help when you can. To find out more email simon.braithwaite@northernfellsgroup.org.uk or phone 016974 77196. The NFG **Youth Activities Holiday Programme** for 6 to 16 year olds will be available soon - check the website for details. **New - Line Dancing Classes** at Bolton Low Houses to be held fortnightly from 6th July contact 07718264700 or email gillian.skillicorn@northernfellsgroup.org.uk for more details. **NFG Oil Syndicate** - next orders August contact Anne Burgess 016973 49741.

For details of the **Tennis Summer School**, Mon 25th to Fri 29th July, at Caldbeck multi-purpose sports court contact Alison Watson hello@paddigillfarm.co.uk

Caldbeck Tennis Court

Is a village tennis court situated on the school field in Caldbeck and is open to all. Very reasonable hourly rates and Annual Season Tickets available (Adults - £18 Child £6). For further details ref booking and fees contact 016974 78220 or aw.caldbeck@gmail.com

'That Pizza Place' at

Rosley Hall

Fri 8th & Sat 9th July

5pm to 9pm

Eat in or take away

Special dietary requirements catered for, menus/details Facebook or 07791 430135
No dates in August.

Next dates 23rd/24th Sept

Westward

Parish Council Meeting

Clerk: Mrs J Webster

07796123425 westwardpc@gmail.com

Monday 15th August

7pm at Westward Halls

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

DIARY DATES

JULY

- Fri 1 Rosley School - Busy Bees Open Day
Sun 3 Shawn Cuddy & Curtis Magee - Irish Night at Rosley Hall
Wed 6 Westward Coffee Morning, 10am to 11.00am at Westward Halls also Benefits and Dementia advice
Fri 8 'That Pizza Place' at Rosley Hall 5pm to 9pm
Sat 9 'That Pizza Place' at Rosley Hall 5pm to 9pm
Sun 10 9.30am Holy Communion
Tue 12 Rosley School - Leavers Production - 6pm in Rosley Hall
Wed 13 Rosley W.I. 1.45pm Rosley Hall - Julia Metcalf, The Work of the Calvert Trust
Thu 14 Westward Lunch at Westward Halls 12 noon for 12.30 start - 016974 78298
Fri 15 Rosley School - RSSG Summer Fair 3.45pm to 5.45pm
Sun 17 9.30am Holy Communion
Wed 20 Rosley School end of term, school finishes at 2pm
Rosley Lunch Group 12noon for 12.30start - **must book** 016974 78417 annparry27@gmail.com
Caldbeck History Soc, 7.30pm Caldbeck Parish Hall, The Lake District - Barren Waste to National Treasure
Sun 24 9.30am Holy Communion
Mon 25 Westward Flower Club trip to Threave Gardens Castle Douglas - 016973 49369
Sun 31 11am service, Warnell Praise at Westward

AUGUST

- Wed 3 Westward Coffee Morning, 10am to 11.00am at Westward Halls
Sun 7 No service
Wed 10 Rosley W.I. meet at 1.45pm at The Greenhill Hotel for scones and cake
Thu 11 Westward Lunch at Westward Halls 12 noon for 12.30 start - 016974 78298
Mon 15 Westward Parish Council Meeting 7pm at Westward Halls
Wed 17 Rosley Lunch Group 12noon for 12.30start - **must book** 016974 78417 annparry27@gmail.com
Caldbeck & District History Society - trip to Sizergh Castle, **notify a.s.a.p. if interested** vauxt@aol.com
Sat 20 **COPY DATE LINK-** information for September to 01228 711520 marion.grave@hotmail.co.uk
Solway Red Squirrel Group Coffee Morning 10am to 12noon Thursby Parish Hall
Sun 21 Please check Church noticeboard for service details
Thomas Maguire & Fhiona Ennis - Irish Night at Rosley Hall
Sun 28 Please check Church noticeboard for service details
Mon 29 Bank Holiday

SEPTEMBER

- Sat 3 Thursby Village Show - for schedule details contact 01228 710101 or 01228 711938
Sun 4 Please check Church noticeboard for service details
Wed 7 Rosley School start of Autumn term (please check, as date not confirmed)
Westward Coffee Morning, 10am to 11.00am at Westward Halls
Sun 11 Kenny Paul - Irish Night at Rosley Hall
Mon 12 Rosley Art Group first meeting after Summer break 2pm - 4pm Rosley Hall, details - 07748 902143
Wed 14 Rosley W.I. meeting 1.45pm at Rosley Hall - The work of the Hospice at Home, Cath Coates

The Link - I'm sorry this

Link is late but I've had family visiting. If you would like anything included in future issues please get in touch - details below

Rosley Hall Enquiries

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Red Squirrel Coffee Morning

10-12 Sat 20th August, Thursby Parish Hall

Solway Red Squirrel Group – Reinforcing the Reds Project

Creating a Red Squirrel Stronghold in Westward Parish

We are very pleased to have received a grant of £1200 from the Joyce Wilkinson Trust. The project began in 2021 with the aid of a grant from the Lake District Foundation and this further grant will enable us to carry on the project for another year. The few remaining red squirrels in the Solway area are in the Westward area and the aim of the project is to support this small population so that they can breed successfully and as numbers grow they can spread into surrounding areas so that others can also have to pleasure of red squirrels visiting their gardens which was a common occurrence 15/20 years ago. We put up feeders and use monitoring cameras to check their health and the presence of grey squirrels, we also keep detailed records so that we can monitor results which to date show an increase in red numbers. We have extended our work to further adjacent woodland and we are also working in the Aspatria area where there is another small red population.

You can support us by reporting any squirrel sightings, red or grey, wherever you see them in Westward, Rosley or elsewhere so that we can monitor both red and grey presence.

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