

HUTTON ROOF VILLAGE COMBINED NEWSLETTER April 2015.



LOTTERY FUNDED

The Village Hall has been awarded a grant of £6000 towards the replacement of the kitchen. There will be new units, sink and fridge. There will also be an instant boiling water heater part funded by a grant from Roger Bingham. The remainder of the cost will come from funds raised from the Fell Race and Country Fair.

The Village Hall now has brand new curtains purchased with funds raised from various events.

Sat 9th
May

4.30AM

Join John Osborne of Natural England to hear the dawn chorus in Park Wood. Meet at the horse trough outside Lowther Court - very quietly please! Suitable for all ages, everyone welcome. **Please let Richard Challoner know you are coming tel: 71118** to ensure the event goes ahead. Thank you.

Sat 9th May

All day photo workshop with Glenn Upton-Fletcher - £45 including hot supper. A couple of places left. Please see details on the website and book with Alison ASAP. 015242 73867

Saturday the 16th May at 2pm.

St Mary's school
Kirkby Lonsdale

Jumble Sale in aid of St John's church. Any help would be gratefully appreciated from 1pm at the school. Donations of Jumble can be left with Anne or any Committee member.

Thursday May 15th

Fell Race gardening senior route, please meet at Crag Lane 7pm

Wednesday May 20th

Fell Race marshals pre-race briefing at the Village Hall 7.30pm

Thursday May 21st

Fell Race gardening & marking junior routes, please meet Crag Lane 2pm

Raffle Prizes: We would be most grateful for your generous donations (non-perishable jars, packets, tins bottles etc) again to make up some fantastic hampers for the raffle. Please pass to Sue Prickett at Hutton Roof Hall by 19th May. Thank you



Sat 23rd May : Fell Race and Country Fair

A fantastic family day out with all your old favourites and new attractions

- * **Euphoric Circus Work Shop (free)** * GREAT HEIGHTS BUNGEE TRAMPOLINES *
- Bouncy Castle * Giant Slide * Free Children's Sports * Hamper Raffle * Play Area * Animals * Local crafts * Giant knitting & crochet * Face Painting *
- * Produce Stall * Free Painting Competition * Bacon Buns 12 - 1.30pm *
- * Free Decorated Paper Plate Competition * Free Children's Quiz and much more.
- Plus not forgetting the fantastic Cakes!**

Fell Race Registration from 12.00 Country Fair 1.30 Junior Fell Race 1.30 Senior Fell Race 2.30

May Frankland will be running a White Elephant stall in aid of Derian House. Please pass any suitable items you would like to donate to May at Chettle Fold.

Sat 23rd May Fell Race and Country Fair Can you spare an hour please?

This is our main fund raising event and a great day out. We are relying on your help to make this event a great success as usual! If you can spare an hour (or more) on the day please get in touch.

Country Fair: Preparing the field from 6.00pm on Friday 22nd May, **lots of big tents to put up!** On the day: Face painting, serve teas, bacon buns, crossing patrol, take money, loads to do! Any time you can spare on the day would be appreciated from about 10.30 for setting up to around 6pm for clearing up! Contact any member of the committee – see over.

Sponsors and Advertisers: Please contact Eve Simpson on 01539 567605, email committee@huttonroof.org.uk.

Fell Race: Preparing the course, registration, marshaling, results. Please contact Eve Simpson (01539 567605) or Pete Bennell (01524 273598) if you are not already on the list.

Bakers: Cakes, biscuits, sandwiches etc, Please see a message from Cynthia over. Also items needed for the home made produce stall please e.g. biscuits, fruit crumbles, sticky toffee puddings. Don't forget to claim your expenses.

St John's Church - More News from the Pews

Saturday 23rd May

The Church will be open with seasonal floral displays with a theme of Nursery Rhymes. Also home made preserves, book stall and plants to purchase.

A FREE children's quiz will be available from the cake stall on the field and a prize for every correct entry.

Sunday 24th May
7pm

Songs of praise family service themed around the floral displays.
A warm welcome awaits you followed by refreshments

MON 22ND JUNE	Grass cutting and tidying the Church Grounds, refreshments provided
SUMMER BBQ	Jacob's Join style BBQ. Date to be confirmed late June/early July.
Friday 24th July 9pm	Moth Evening in Park Wood with Rob Petley-Jones meet at Lowther Court. (or Saturday 25th July if Friday is wet)

Message from the Cake Coordinator: Firstly I would like to say a **BIG THANK YOU** to everyone who has baked for the Country Fair in the past. **Thanks to you we are famous for our teas** and they are one of the main attractions for the fell runners, their families and other visitors. I would like to explain our system. Some of us bake **40 - 50** cakes each. In order to produce these quantities we have to start early and bake in batches which are then frozen. On the day of the fair we try to use the cakes that have been frozen first, then use the fresh ones which can be frozen later if not needed. We also put fresh cakes on the produce stall but we can make about *twice as much* by selling them by the slice with the teas. We never know how many visitors and runners there will be on the day and how hungry they will be. You can appreciate how difficult it is to estimate how many cakes will be needed! Don't forget to claim for your ingredients. The committee certainly **appreciates your baking efforts** and we hope you will continue to keep the cakes coming. By the way - **we have a freezer in the Village Hall** and spare tins if needed. Thank you, *Cynthia Gibson.*

P.S. We already seem to have plenty of lemon drizzle cakes, so any other type would be preferred if possible please. Having a good variety of cakes, tray bakes, fairy cakes, etc etc on display, with lots of choice in colour shape and size looks great and seems to boost sales.

Expenses Claims : Forms are available on the web site, please submit to Alison Newton at Low House. <http://www.huttonroof.org.uk/VillageHall/expenses.pdf> Thank you.

HOW DID IT GO? RECENT EVENTS.

24th Jan The Traditional Burns Night was enjoyed by everyone. Fantastic haggis, neeps & tatties and cranachan, a raffle and just over £200 raised for the Village Hall. Hope to make this an annual event!

Our first theatre event on 6th Feb was a great success, with an audience of more than 40. The Library Theatre Touring Company presented 'THE KINGFISHER' by William Douglas Home A traditional romantic comedy. This event also raised just over £200 for the Village Hall

The Family Fun Night : Domino Drive on 27th February was great fun and raised much needed funds for St John's Church.

On Palm Sunday, despite terrible weather, a donkey led the parade through Hutton Roof to the church for the Palm Sunday service.

The Golden Jubilee trees have been purchased – 2 lovely crab apples, a hazel and a mountain ash, and have been planted in the Village Hall field.

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The Web Site: Please check out the website www.huttonroof.org.uk. If you have anything that you would like to add, please email committee@huttonroof.org.uk. Local businesses that sponsor a prize at the Fell Race & Country Fair are automatically added onto the website at no further cost. Also have a look at our facebook page for the latest pics and video!



Don't forget the Village Hall can be booked for many types of event and STILL only costs £6 per hour. Contact Cynthia on 72052.

HRVH Committee: Next Meeting Wednesday May 13th 2015, 7.50pm at the hall

Chair: Charles Wilson (015242 73698)	Treasurer: Alison Newton (015242 73867)
Secretary/website: Eve Simpson (01539 567605)	Asst. Treasurer: Carole Scurr (015242 71023)
Bookings: Cynthia Gibson (015242 72052), Sue Prickett (015242 71435)	
Caretaker: Pete Bennell (01524 273598)	
Jenny Holt (015242 71584), Angela Shuttleworth, Jane Dickinson (015242 71929), Lisa Mercer	

**The Parish Council will reconvene after the elections,
look out for news in the next newsletter.**

Many thanks to the Church and the Parish Council for sharing the cost of printing this newsletter