

Lyvennet Link

February 2024

**The Newsletter for Maulds
Meaburn,
Crosby Ravensworth,
Kings Meaburn and
Reagill**

Number 240



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As you have probably gathered the Link may not be out by the 1st of the month. I would encourage anyone advertising events early in the month to also put them in the previous issue.)

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Articles and contributions etc., would be appreciated preferably by e-mail nickthomas@macace.net. Please send items as either text in the body of the email or as a word document. (apple-mac files acceptable)
Please do not send Microsoft publisher documents as I am unable to open them.

Parish Council Minutes.

Minutes of Parish Council meetings are available at:

www.crosbyravensworthparish.org.uk

Planning applications are available to view on the Yorkshire Dales planning portal here:

<https://planning.agileapplications.co.uk/yorkshiredales>

and on Westmorland and Furness Council's portal here:

<https://eforms.eden.gov.uk/fastweb/search.asp>

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Services at your Parish Church in February

All denominations are welcome

[to see wider Benefice services visit
www.northwestmorlandchurches.org.uk]

Friday February 2nd 6.00pm Whole benefice Holy Communion
for the Feast of Candlemas

Sunday February 4th 11.00am Holy Communion with Bishop
James Bell

Sunday February 11th 11.00am Holy Communion with Rev
Stephen Tudway

Wednesday February 14th Start of LENT Benefice services
Morland 10.00am or Shap 6.30pm

Sunday February 18th Lent I 6.00pm Evening Prayer with
David Jones

Sunday February 25th Lent II 11.00am Holy Communion with
Rev Sheila Clark

Other events:

Thursday February 22nd 12.30pm Marriage of Lucy Merrill and
Matthew George

Notice re Sunday January 25th into Monday 26th, Storm Isha

As you will be well aware, at 11.00pm on Sunday 25th a limb of a
Beech tree in the old [closed] Churchyard fell onto power lines in
Brewer's Lane. This caused widespread power failure and huge
inconvenience for many until about 6pm the following day.

Westmorland and Furness Council, whose responsibility the old
closed Churchyard is, were on site pretty smartly
as were Electricity NW and they worked with arboreal specialists to
get the limb cut up, off the power line and off nearby affected
properties.

The crowning and maintenance of these ancient trees was the responsibility of Eden DC and that passed to W and F in April 2023.

There is still much work to be done but we wanted to assure parishioners that the PCC is monitoring and following up.

Thank You from the family of Eileen Kelly

Robert, Darren and the extended family of Eileen, would like to thank the many people who sent messages of condolences, cards, flowers, baking and donations for the Air Ambulance.

The numerous people who helped at the scene of the accident and also those helping with the ongoing enquiry.

It was comforting to discover how much Mam/ Eileen was thought of by the wide circle of friends she had made whilst living here and from her working life at Newton Rigg, the evidence was there for all to see with the tremendous attendance at Eileen's Celebration for the life service.

Many people have asked after Robert, he's doing well and has accepted the situation, but understandably has his moments.

A Big thank you to all of Robert's special friends, who attended the Memorial Service for his Mam.

Thank you for the donations for The Air Ambulance the total received to date is £1,360-98.

St Lawrence's Flowers



- Would you enjoy having the opportunity of arranging flowers in a beautiful setting?
- Would you appreciate having flowers in Church to remember a loved one or to mark the date of a significant event in your life?

If so do contact the flower team at St Lawrence's Church

You could either arrange the flowers yourself or make a donation and we can arrange the flowers on your behalf.

Speaking personally I love being in church doing the flowers as it is so peaceful. I do a lot of private thinking (or is it perhaps a form of prayer) whilst arranging them. It has always been a privilege for me to be involved especially as St Lawrence's is such a beautiful Church.

If you love arranging flowers but feel unsure about how to do it in a Church setting we are very happy to help.

Contact either Judith Harrison – Judith@performconsult.co.uk

or Jill Winder on 715 496 or jillwinder01@gmail.com

KATIE'S NEXT FUNDRAISER - **WIN AN EASTER SIMNEL CAKE**

As many of you will know, I was diagnosed with Functional Neurological Disorder (FND) in October 2022.

You will remember how last May I walked/cycled a total of 175 miles over the month and with your help raised an amazing £550 for the charity, FND Hope, whilst raising awareness of this uncommon condition.

Sadly in June the FND impacted upon my ability to walk and since the end of July I have been dependent upon a wheelchair to get about. As part of my ongoing treatment, in an attempt to retrain my brain (as it is presently sending wrong messages to the rest of my body) one of the activities I do, is to attend the Sandgate Hydrotherapy Pool in Kendal once a week. This is a registered charity and needs to fundraise to support the continued provision of hydrotherapy in the area. The warm water allows my muscles to relax and eases the pain I suffer, helping me to exercise, which otherwise I would not be able to do. I really look forward to going and spending time in the pool.

I would therefore like to raise some money to help and will be raffling off a home baked simnel cake ready to be enjoyed over Easter. There may be some other Easter goodies too.

It will be very much like the raffle for the Christmas cake which my Mum does. So from the end of February look out for brown envelopes and a tub in each of the

shelters at Maulds Meaburn and Crosby Ravensworth.
To have a chance of winning:-

1. Write your name and phone number on a brown envelope.

2. Put £1 in to the envelope and seal it. If you want more than one go, just fill in that number of envelopes.

3. Post your envelope/s in the tub before 5pm on Monday 25th March.

The winning envelope will be drawn on 27th March

GOOD LUCK AND THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

Katie Rogers (aged 15)



UPPER EDEN FOOD BANK

We are planning to put boxes in each of the village shelters - Maulds Meaburn and Crosby Ravensworth during the month of MARCH leading up to Easter.

Cereals, Jam, Coffee, Soup, Fruit juice, Tinned Vegetables, Pasta Sauces would be welcome.
Thank you for your generosity.

Best wishes to you all, Alison 715607 alisfallon@gmail.com
Meadow House, Maulds Meaburn



MIDTOWN FARM LAMB FOR SALE

Crosby Ravensworth

Freezer ready half lamb £100

Full £200.

**Orders taken now for the end
of February. Tel Graham or Julie
on 01931-715246**

Maulds Meaburn WhatsApp Group/email contact

Maulds Meaburn has a very successful and growing WhatsApp group. It's a good way to keep in touch with things that are going on, ask questions and ask for help etc. It is not 'just for Meaburn residents'.

If you would like to join the group and are happy to put up with the occasional message not meant for the

group... please email me with a mobile number and I will add you.

Alternatively, if you would like to receive a personal email outlining events at MMVI this is also an option.

Karen Asquith

hollyhowe15@me.com

Inviting stall holders!

A new venture in Maulds Meaburn! Our Christmas Crafts and Gifts Fair was so successful, we invite you to a spring version. Of course, we've ordered gorgeous weather so you can have a potter round the village as well!



MAULDS MEABURN
VILLAGE INSTITUTE
INVITES YOU TO OUR

CRAFTS & GIFTS FAIR

SATURDAY 23RD MARCH

10.30AM to 3.30PM

£10 A STALL + GIFT FOR THE RAFFLE
QUALITY, LOCAL CRAFTS AND GOODS

FREE ENTRY TO CUSTOMERS

LIGHT REFRESHMENTS FOR SALE

CONTACT KAREN AT hollyhowel15@me.com
TO RESERVE A TABLE





Butcher's Arms

STARTERS

Wild mushroom pakora, masala spiced mango, turmeric yoghurt (v) (gfr)	8
Butchers chicken liver pate, farmhouse chutney, hot toast, butter (gfr)	7.5
Sticky chilli pork ribs, spring onion, sesame	8
Breaded whitebait, roasted garlic mayonnaise, lemon, chive	7
Salt + pepper calamari, chilli jam (gfr)	7.5
Pulled pork + our own black pudding croquettes, pickled walnut ketchup, crispy skin	8.5

MAINS

Steak, ale + mushroom suet pudding, dripping chips, mushy peas, gravy	17.5
10oz Rib-eye steak, cowboy butter, dripping chips, field mushroom, pickled onion rings, watercress (gfr)	25
Butchers white fish pie, cheddar mash, crispy king prawn, buttered greens	19
Battered haddock, dripping chips, mushy peas, lemon, tartare (gfr)	15.5 ½ 12
Cheddar + ham stuffed chicken schnitzel, garlic mash, broccoli, cheese sauce	18
12oz gammon steak, dripping chips, garden peas, double hens egg (gf)	16.5
Plant based burger, mozzarella, lettuce, fries, pickled coleslaw (ve) (v) (gfr)	16
Lamb + black pudding hotpot, roast beetroot, celeriac, carrot, mint gravy (gfr)	18
3 Little piggies. Pulled shoulder, sticky cheek + slow roasted belly, creamy mash, buttered greens, French onion sauce, scratchings	19
Butter bean, vegan sausage + red pepper orzo jambalaya, crispy red onion (gf) (ve) (v)	15.5 ½ 12
Pan fried chicken breast, ham hock croquette, mushroom cream sauce, crispy leeks, spring greens, pomme Anna	18
Pulled pork burger, pickled slaw, cheddar + sweet sriracha dirty fries	17
8 hour braised beef brisket, creamy mash, smoked bacon, mushrooms, roast carrot, tender stem broccoli, crispy onion	19
Creamed leek, asparagus + three cheese gratin, roasted beetroot + pickled cabbage salad, crusty bread (v)	16

Sides Chips 4 / pickled onion rings 4 / sweet potato fries 4 / skinny fries 4

Please advise a member of the team of any allergies or dietary requirements

(gf) - Gluten free (v) - Vegetarian

(gfr) - Gluten free on request, please tell a member of the team

Wine List

Fizz

	175ml Glass	350ml Glass	Bottle
Prosecco, Ca' Belli, Italy			25.00
Champagne Brut Reserve, Bernard Robert, France			56.00
Prosecco, Belino, Italy 200ml single serve bottle			6.75
Laurant Perrier Rosé			80.00

White Wines

Roos Estate Sauvignon Blanc, South Africa, 12.5%	5.00	6.20	18.50
Pinot Grigio, Bella Modella, Italy 12%	5.25	6.60	19.50
Chardonnay, The Accomplice, Australia 12%	5.40	6.80	20.00
Sauvignon Blanc, Round stone, New Zealand 12.5%	6.50	8.90	26.00

Rosé Wines

Pinot Grigio Rosé, Dea del Mare, Italy 12%	5.60	7.00	21.00
Zinfandel, Headlands cove, California 10.5%	5.60	7.00	21.00

Red Wines

Roos Estate Shiraz, South Africa 14%	5.00	6.20	18.50
Merlot, Pacifico Sur, Chile 13.5%	5.20	6.40	19.00
Tempranillo, Canessa Luna, Spain 13.5%	5.40	6.80	20.00
Malbec, Sin Rodeo Argentina 14%	6.35	8.50	24.00

Trade Descriptions Act

It is not always possible to guarantee the wines in this list and in some cases a suitable alternative may be offered.
Still wine served by the glass are served at 175ml or 250 ml measure, a 135ml is available on request.
The alcoholic strength of wine served by the glass is shown as a percentage in the description

Maulds Meaburn Village Institute

Regular Activities

Mondays...

9.30-11.30am Badminton in the main hall. Newcomers of all abilities including beginners, are always welcome.

2-4pm (apart from public bank holidays) the Post Office provides an outreach service, saving you a trip to Appleby/ Penrith.

7.30-8.30pm Meditation group. Please contact Karen for more information. Postponed until a review in March.

The first **WEDNESDAY** of the month is Coffee Morning, 10.30am- midday. All welcome.

Tuesdays...

On the second Tuesday of the month, Book Club meets between 10.30am and midday.

On the fourth Tuesday of the month, Yarn Group meets between 10.30am and midday. Bring along your latest project whether that be knitting, crocheting ,sewing, embroidery, tapestry, whatever your craft may be.

Thursdays...

Meeting of the Wine Group (meets bi-monthly) 7pm onwards.
New members always welcome-come along to see what it's
like. Please contact Philippa for more
info Philippa.Cordingley@curee.co.uk

Fridays...

The Gather Inn happens on the third Friday of the month,
usually from 7pm for a 'drop in for a drink and a chat'.
Occasional 'extras' are advertised. The bar is open and the
games are out!

Window Cleaning

James Nesfield the window cleaner from Appleby has now finished to
pursue working with vulnerable children. He wants to thank everyone
for their support over the many years of him coming around.

The new window cleaner is

Gleaming Windows
Professional, reliable, trustworthy
& friendly cleaner. On hand to give
You a free no obligation quote
Ian Chadwick
Call -0780555530

All welcome to
Maulds Meaburn Coffee Morning
Please join us in the Village Hall for coffee
or tea and a chat on
Wednesday 7th February
and
Wednesday 6th March
10.30 till 12 noon
Donations welcome!



Moving coffee morning has allowed us access to the main hall. If you would like to use the hall space to enhance coffee mornings, please contact Karen on hollyhowel5@me.com to discuss possibilities.

Talk / Advice / Questions & Answers Cumbria Constabulary PROTECTING AGAINST SCAMS, FRAUD & ECONOMIC CRIME

DC Claire Keyes
Cumbria Constabulary

Join us at Maulds Meaburn Village Institute for a talk and advice on protecting yourself, your family, property or business against scams, fraudulent activity and other forms of economic crime.



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CONSTABULARY



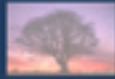
An evening of friendly advice, support and suggestions about staying safe from phone scams, cyber crime and similar. Claire will talk, take questions and then be available for informal chats afterwards.

**Maulds Meaburn Village Institute
Thursday 8th February, 7.00pm**

**Suggested donation: £2.50
to include tea/coffee & biscuits
(for Institute funds)**

**BAR OPEN from 6.30pm
and after talk
Everyone welcome**





Crosby Ravensworth Parish Tree Group



MORE WORK MORE BEER, MORE BACON

Crosby Ravensworth Parish Tree Group are holding a tree planting open day

Where: Townhead – meet at Butcher's Arms for directions.

When: Saturday 10th February

Time: 10-00am for 3 hours

Objective: To plant 184 m of hedging

Equipment: Bring a spade and suitable clothing

Reward: All participants over the age of 18 will be entitled to a pint of beer (or equivalent) and a bacon sandwich in the Butcher's from 1-30pm. Soft drinks alternative for under 18s.

Many hands make light work!

Maulds Meaburn Village Institute

Gather Inn with the U3A folk band!

Friday 16th February

Bring and share nibbles



Bar open from 6.30 pm



Open Mic Night

Everyone welcome.....

**Do you sing? Play an Instrument? Tell a good joke? Or
maybe you are a poet, the stage is yours!**

Come and showcase your talents!

**Bring along your friends for a great evening of
entertainment!**



When: 17th February 2024

Location: The Butchers Arms, Crosby Ravensworth

Time: 8pm Onwards

Entry: FREE

TALK
followed by chat & questions

Life as a Cumbrian M.P.

TIM FARRON

Tim Farron has been the Liberal Democrat MP for Westmorland and Lonsdale since 2005 and is party spokesperson on the Environment.



Tim campaigns on issues of importance to Cumbrians and on the environment. Housing, farming, river and lake health, rural transport and health services are among the issues he campaigns on.

Talk: 7.00pm
Bar open: 6.30pm

£5.00

To support Village Hall funds
Additional donations welcome

Refreshments
after the talk



Friday 23rd February

Maulds Meaburn Village Institute

Reserve tickets with:
Karen Asquith:
hollyhowe15@me.com



Friday 23rd February

Crosby Ravensworth Village Hall

Oppenheimer (15)

The story of American physicist J Robert Oppenheimer and his role in the development of the atomic bomb which helped to end the Second World War. This three-hour epic is a masterpiece of cinematography from director Christopher Nolan and stars Cillian Murphy, Emily Blunt, Matt Damon & Robert Downey Jr.

Curry Supper from 7.00pm
Vegetarian Option Available

Film starts at 7.45pm

Film & Supper £10 | Film Only £5

Limited seating so booking is essential.

07584 251352

lynn-barnes@outlook.com

All welcome to
Maulds Meaburn Coffee Morning
Please join us in the Village Hall for coffee
or tea and a chat on the first Wednesday
of the month
Donations welcome!
10.30 'till 12 noon



SPRING CONCERT



Crosby Ravensworth Village Hall

Friday 1st March 7.30 p.m.

Bar

Raffle

Tickets £10 from:-

www.kshoesmvc.org on the door

via QR code below



WESTMORLAND & FURNESS COUNCIL

are taking applications from Parish Councils for
implementation of a 20mph speed limit through villages.

or



Crosby Ravensworth Parish
of residents.

A Drop in Consultation Event
Ravensworth Village Hall on
missed it, you can still send



Council are seeking the views

was held in Crosby
Monday 29th January. If you
your vote and any comments to

clerk@crosbyravensworthparish.org or by post to

Crosby Ravensworth Parish Council, The Archive, Crosby Parish CA10 3HY

before 10th February

.....
Do you want to change the current 30mph limit to 20mph in
Crosby Ravensworth, and/or Maulds Meaburn and/or Reagill?

Please tick ONCE for each village – YES or NO

<u>Village</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
Crosby Ravensworth		
Maulds Meaburn		
Reagill		

Comments

SignedPrint Name.....

Home VillageDate.....

NEWS FROM CROSBY RAVENSWORTH C OF E SCHOOL.

A few 'thank yous' to begin this month's news with.....firstly to everyone who came along and supported our Christmas events. The School's Fayre and performance of Scrooge were very well supported and the children enjoyed both.....and then a 'well done' to William Wood of Maulds Meaburn for winning the well fed Christmas cake (pictured below) which he thoroughly enjoyed by the way and can highly recommend it!



So, here we are, a few weeks back in to the Spring term, albeit it hasn't felt like it what with the snow and then the strong winds and heavy rain courtesy of Storms Isha and Jocelyn. Whilst due to having no power, school had to close for one day and then open using the village hall instead, we were very grateful to the dedicated team from Electricity North West who worked around the clock in awful weather conditions to restore power and enable us to reopen on day 3.

Towards the end of last month, children from year 2 and all of class 2 took part in the annual Swimming Gala at Appleby Pool, joining together with other local schools.

The children also had a visit from fell pony, Marney, as part of a project run by Eden Arts and learned about the history of fell ponies in Cumbria. Class 2 produced some beautiful follow-up artwork. We are looking forward to a visit next, as part of this project, from a local archaeologist who will be telling the children all about the heritage and history of our immediate local area, focusing on tracks and journeying.

The children have been invited to enter pieces for Young Rotary's writing, art & photography competitions. Children in class 2 are working on this in class. The theme is broadly on the topic of 'rebuilding'; artwork and photographs requiring a short sentence on the rear side, to explain how the piece relates to 'rebuilding'. They are coming up with some good ideas.

Following the success of storyteller, Gav Cross, on his previous visits, we are looking forward to welcoming him back for another creative storytelling session with class 2 on the morning of Monday 5th February.

Preparation is also under way for this year's residential at Hawse End for our Years 5 and 6.

Our next **“Pop in and Play”** session is on **Monday 5th February**. All Children currently not in school or pre-school, from birth up to 5 years are welcome to join from 9.30am until 10.30am for fun and games. Please phone on 01931 715265 to let us know if you'd like to come. Parents must accompany

children. Please do pass on the message to anyone who you think might also like to know. This session gives you the opportunity to visit our fantastic school and meet the staff and pupils, whilst taking advantage of our terrific early years provision and your little ones can enjoy fun filled activities.

Don't forget to find us and 'like' us on facebook so you can keep up to date with pictures from these and many other events during the year. We also have a website.

So until next month.....

AIR AMBULANCE COLLECTION

**ITEMS COLLECTED ARE, CLOTHES, BEDDING,
SHOES,BELTS, TOWELS,HANDBAGS, COSTUME
JEWELLERY, BELTS, HATS, BOOKS HARD & SOFT
BACK,CDS,DVDS, VIDEOS,INK JET
CARTRIDGES,MOBILE PHONES, USED STAMPS IN A
CLEAR BAG.**

NO DUVETS, PILLOWS OR BRIC A BRAC

USE BLACK BIN BAGS YOU HAVE FOR ITEMS

**PLEASE LEAVE BAGS ON THE FLOOR FOR
COLLECTION. Items to be left before 9am on the
day. 2ND WED OF EVERY MONTH**

**DATES ARE,FEB 14TH, MARCH 13TH,APRIL 10th, MAY
8TH JUNE 12TH JULY 10TH AUG 14TH**

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