

WHO'S WHO IN THE CHURCH

BENEFICE OF HAWKSHEAD WITH LOW WRAY, SAWREY, RUSLAND AND SATTERTHWAITE

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Dear Friends,

A little story about a man called Yates. Yates was an American who lived during the great depression. He owned a sheep ranch in Texas, but he had hardly enough money to pay his mortgage. Each day as he tended his sheep he worried about how he was going to pay his bills.

One day some people arrived on his land and said that there might be oil there and could they test drill. After a lease was signed they went ahead. At 1115 feet a huge oil reserve was struck - subsequent wells revealed even more oil than the first well revealed. Mr Yates owned it all. He had the oil and mineral rights. He was a millionaire.

I sometimes think that most of us are a bit like Mr Yates. We consider ourselves poor and helpless, all the while unaware of the extraordinary riches we have. The very fact that we exist is the greatest miracle of them all. It doesn't matter how much money we have, we are still rich beyond our wildest dreams. It is just that sometimes we forget that.

John

Any comments, articles or queries for the Link should be emailed to: esthwaitelink@gmx.com or given to Kathleen Farnworth or John Dixon

**Deadline for inclusion in the July/August edition is
Sunday, 12th June**

Items should be no longer than 300 words.

To advertise in the back pages of The Link, please contact:
Peter Irvine: 015394 36635/peterirvine26@talktalk.net

We are grateful to those who advertise in The Link and hope
that readers will use their services.

COFFEE MORNING
in aid of Hawkshead Parish Church

MARKET HALL, HAWKSHEAD

Thursday, 2nd June at 10.30 a.m. -12.30 p.m.

Cake stall, Raffle, Books

All welcome

JUNE SERVICES

5th	8.00 a.m.	Holy Communion	Hawkshead
	9.30 a.m.	Morning Worship	Hawkshead
	9.45 a.m.	Holy Communion	Satterthwaite
	11.15 a.m.	Holy Communion	Sawrey
	6.00 p.m.	Evensong	Rusland
	6.00 p.m.	Churches Together Holy Communion, Methodist Chapel	Hawkshead
12th	9.30 a.m.	Holy Communion & Sunday School ...	Hawkshead
	11.15 a.m.	Matins	Sawrey
	11.15 a.m.	Holy Communion	Rusland
	6.00 p.m.	Evensong	Satterthwaite
	6.00 p.m.	<i>Celtic Evening Prayer</i>	Hawkshead
19th	9.30 a.m.	Holy Communion & Sunday School ...	Hawkshead
	9.45 a.m.	Service for All Ages	Satterthwaite
	11.15 a.m.	Holy Communion	Sawrey
	6.00 p.m.	Evensong	Rusland
	6.00 p.m.	<i>Celtic Evening Prayer</i>	Hawkshead
26th	9.30 a.m.	Holy Communion & Sunday School	Hawkshead
	11.15 a.m.	Morning Worship	Sawrey
	11.15 a.m.	Holy Communion joint with Rusland ...	Satterthwaite
	6.00 p.m.	<i>Celtic Evening Prayer</i>	Hawkshead

SERVICE TIMES OF OTHER DENOMINATIONS

Baptist Chapel, Hawkshead Hill, Sunday 10.30 a.m.

Methodist Chapel:

5th June 11.00 a.m. Morning Worship

5th June 6.00 p.m. Churches Together Holy Communion

12th June Parish Centre 10th Anniversary

Society of Friends (Quakers) Meeting House, Colthouse, Sunday 10.30 a.m.

Hawkshead and Sawrey Community Transport

If you need a lift, call 7080 508997

From the Registers

Funeral at Hawkshead on 12 April
Baptised at Sawrey on 16 April
Ashes buried at Sawrey on 25th April

Neil Hudson
Aurora Rose Wilson
Stanley Crabtree

Acknowledgement

JOHN HARDISTY

Margaret, Alan, Sheila and Carol would like to thank the many friends and family who attended John's funeral. Thanks also to the Rev John Dixon for a lovely service and The Hawkshead Branch of the Royal British Legion for a fitting tribute, of which John would have been so proud.

£401.50 was raised in his memory, to be shared between Coniston Carers and South Lakes Nursing, both of whom gave John much support in his final months.

THANK YOU

Karine Murphy wishes to pass on her most sincere thanks to all who attended her 80th birthday celebrations at Hawkshead Market Hall on Saturday 12 March, and hopes a great time was had by all. Contributions are to be donated to the British Legion and Hawkshead Medical Practice.

A new evening service for Hawkshead Parish church

On Sunday evenings (except the first Sunday in the month) there will be a service of Celtic Evening Prayer in Hawkshead Parish Church.

The service will be quiet and simple and short (about half an hour), and we hope it will give an opportunity, for anybody who wants to come, to lay aside concerns and anxieties and busyness, and simply be in the presence of God. To help with this aim a short collection of prayers from the Celtic tradition will be used, evening prayers which were said by northern families for centuries, but have only been rediscovered relatively recently. The service will happen during the summer months. See the list of services for details.

John

FAITH STORY: 2nd June

12.30 p.m. – 2.00 p.m. (Please note change of time) at Hawkshead Vicarage. Do join us to hear Les Hann share his story. Please bring a packed lunch. This is a Churches Together Event, and all are warmly invited to join us.

HAWKSHEAD HILL CHAPEL

(LA22 0PW). Sunday, 8th June from 7.30 p.m. – 9.00 p.m.

WINE, CHEESE....AND THE BIG QUESTION

Join us for a glass of wine, a nibble of cheese, and some exploration of life's BIG questions. A chance to talk together about some of those puzzles, conundrums and mysteries. Question: *What happens when we die?* We don't promise any 'answers', but simply the opportunity to learn from each other as we share our own reflections in a safe space. All Welcome. For more information, phone 36451

HAWKSHEAD ESTHWAITE

PRIMARY School Annual Rose Queen Gala, Saturday, June 11th. The Gala will begin at 2.00 p.m. when the children will perform their dances. School will then process into the village square where they will dance around the Maypole. After this, everyone will return to school and the stalls, cream teas and activities will commence.

CELEBRATE THE QUEEN'S 90th BIRTHDAY with **THE BIG LUNCH** – Sunday, 12th June, at Hawkshead Hill Chapel. 12.30 p.m. (to eat at 1.00 p.m.). Weather permitting, this will be held in the chapel grounds. This is a Bring and Share Meal, and is open to all the community. It would be helpful to know what you plan to bring, so please contact Kath on 015394 36451.

HAWKSHEAD AND OUTGATE WI.

We have two meetings celebrating Spring and Summer this month. On Tuesday, 14th June, at 2.00 p.m, we are meeting at the Vicarage for a game of croquet with tray bakes and tea to follow. It should be a fun afternoon but if the weather is really dreadful we will hold the meeting at the Bowling Club.

Monday, 20th June, at 7.45 p.m. there are strawberries and bubbly at Waterbarrow, Cunsey, home of Louise Flanders. Visitors are welcome to either, or both, meetings. Come and make new friends. You will be very welcome.

BENEFICE WALKING GROUP

On Tuesday, 21st June, the Benefice Walking Group, will celebrate the re-opening of the A591 by meeting at the small car-park at the junction of roads to the west of the Thirlmere dam (north end of the lake). Drive along Thirlmere towards Keswick, pass the turn off to St John's in the Vale, take the next left, cross the dam, and you will come to the car-park, which is now 'pay and display'. Meet at 10.30 a.m. for a walk of about seven miles, which will include a visit to St John's in the Vale Church. Bring a picnic lunch. All welcome. More details from John Dixon - 015394 36301.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, SAWREY are celebrating their patronial festival with an evening service beside Windermere Lake, on Sunday June 26th at 6.00 p.m.

There will be no morning worship at Sawrey on that day.

From Far Sawrey take the road to Harrowslack, over the first cattle grid there is a car park on the left. The service will be held on the right hand side. Please bring your own chairs.

LHS HOLEHIRD OPEN GARDEN

Saturday, 2nd July, 10.00 to 16.00
Patterdale Road, Windermere,
LA23 1NP

Come and meet the gardeners and see how these volunteers maintain this ten acre all year round Lakeland Garden.

Four National Collections.

Your questions answered.

Children's Trails,

Plants and produced in the garden for sale.

Free entry and refreshments

BARBECUE AT THE BRAITHWAITE HALL!

Everybody is welcome to a village barbecue, a great chance for a get together! Bring your food, and drink, to cook at the Braithwaite Hall, Far Sawrey on Saturday, July 9th at 7.00 p.m. Tea, coffee and fruit squash supplied. Enjoy an evening of fun and games with two raffles, you might be a lucky winner!

GRASMERE PLAYER'S SUMMER PRODUCTION -

The Rise and Fall of Little Voice by Jim Cartwright. Wednesdays and Thursdays from 8th June to 7th July (with the exception of Thursday, 30th June, when we will perform on Friday, 1st July, instead) 8.00 p.m. Grasmere Hall. Tickets from Barney's Newsbox, Grasmere Tel 015394 35627 during shop hours. Further info from Anne Miller, Tel 36743.

HAWKSHEAD LINK -- COMMUNITY CIRCULARS.

This service has been temporarily suspended because, in mid-April, a computer problem necessitated my PC being taken in for repair. Whilst, I am told, the problem has been fixed, PC World, contrary to specific instructions, HAVE WIPE THE HARD DRIVE OF ALL DATA, including ALL PAST EMAILS AND EMAIL ADDRESSES. Efforts are under way to restore the lost information.

It would help me to get up and running again if you would send me your e mail address if you wish to receive the circulars.

Just send an email to:

hawksheadlink@firenet.uk.net
and in the subject line put
"Comm Circ" followed by your name.

Thanks and I will get running as soon as I get my PC back.
Jeff Bond

SCHOOL NEWS Years 5 & 6 have been writing letters to their pen pals in France. They have also conducted a survey in the village about the buildings and services. They have produced a power point on the similarities of Hawkshead and Saint Sylvester in France. In Science, the focus is on learning about growing up. Pupils have been weeding and turning over the soil in Fletcher's Field, they have planted seeds in anticipation of the warmer months. The French teacher has been conducting work on the planets. Years 3 & 4 have been looking at how to help plants grow. They have also enjoyed this term's lacrosse coaching.

Key Stage 1 are learning about the history of the seaside as part of their geography topic. They have also been writing a diary as if they were Georgian's based on what they have learned from a trip to Dove Cottage. They have been preparing the garden for planting. Reception children went on a pretend seaside holiday which involved packing a case and going on an adventure. Key Stage 2 have been making crowns to celebrate the Queen's 90th birthday. They have also been creating a garden entry flower design for the 'Cumbria in Bloom' competition.

Hawkshead Primary School have been awarded the Eco Award of The Green Flag for the fifth

consecutive year. Pupils from the Eco committee were responsible for handing over all the relevant information about how our school strives to be Eco friendly, this child led assessment proved a success. The whole school embraced the Big Pedal fortnight which is a nationwide scheme encouraging everyone to pedal to school on their bikes.

Can you claim Carer's Allowance?

If you are caring for someone with a long-term illness or disability and you have had to reduce or give up work, financial support may be available for you both. What is available will depend on your circumstances.

The person who is ill may be eligible for Personal Independence Payments (PIP) to help with their daily living and mobility costs. Their eligibility will be assessed on how their condition affects them, and what support they need.

To apply for PIP, you can call the Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) and then complete the form you are sent.

If the person you care for receives the component of PIP which covers living costs (as opposed to mobility costs), then you may be able to claim Carer's Allowance. You need to earn £110 a week or less from your job after tax, and care for the person for 35 hours a week, to be eligible. You can make an application on the gov.uk website. For more help, contact your local Citizens Advice or go online at www.citizensadvice.org.uk.

HAWKSHEAD PARISH CHURCH MUSIC FOR A SUMMER EVENING

July

Tuesday 5th

Paul Gregson - Organist par excellence

Saturday 9th

Manchester Chorale - Sublime music from this outstanding choir

Tuesday 12th

Charles Edmondson piano and

Emily Robinson soprano - A voice to transport you

Tuesday 19th

John Longley piano - A tapestry of jazz, traditional and classical pieces

Tuesday 26th

An Evening of Gilbert and Sullivan -

A taste of the magic of this famous partnership

August

Tuesday 2nd

Sian Carys Allen soprano - Lyrical singing of timeless works

Tuesday 9th

A Lake District Summer Music Concert -

A showcase of talented young musicians

Tuesday 16th

Peter Brown - piano

A variety of entertainment from those fingers of renown

Tuesday 23rd

Linda and Stephen Walsh - piano and clarinet –Bobby Cooper, compere -
English and Spanish classics

Tuesday 30th

Barrow Male Voice Choir - Choral singing at its best

All performances start at 8.00 p.m.

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