

## Sponsored Walk

At 8.30 am on Saturday 9th November 13 happy hikers - Bill, Dot, Brenda, Wendy, Billy, Alex, Deane, Kerry, Gary, Andrew, Sophie and Zoe all left Silloth on a Sponsored Walk to Maryport to raise money towards the cost of Silloth Christmas Lights.

They were joined later by Mark, Paul and Didgi the dog. Fortunately, the weather on Saturday was ideal for walking with no wind or rain, and the troupe arrived in Allonby for a "pit stop" in good spirits. After refreshments of tea, coffee, soup and sandwiches provided by Jean, Howie and Marilyn, they commenced the last lap, spurred on by knowing there was a welcoming committee: Betty, Mick, Ken, Elaine, Pete, Jazzy Jim and Sue. All the walkers did brilliantly, arriving in Maryport at 1:15 pm.

Thanks to everyone who walked and for the support of the sponsors. We raised £540 which was just enough to cover the cost of the lights over Christmas.

## Tip from the Top

### Winter Warmers

On my visit to London last month I took part in four styling and colouring workshops, with Vidal Sassoon, Tonie & Guy, Errol Douglas and Gary Brooker of Clynol. All were predicting that warm colour is the trend for winter.

Colours do seem to be getting more natural, I think honey shades for lighter hair will be very popular, with darker hair having more coppery and red tones. To create this look we use Clynol Intensive Extra Red and copper tones, which are salon-only colours that can be mixed to give the hair any shade of red or copper you want. Ultra light blondes will have ash and copper low lights to give a warm and cold effect, all these effects will leave the hair with a beautiful shine.



## Causewayhead W.I.

### November

Mr Norman Godfrey from Wigton enthralled members with his slides and talk on Canada in the Winter. The area focused on was around Lake Ontario and Toronto. He explained that the lake is 120 miles long and 20-30 miles wide, not to be compared in size to our own local lakes. The slides were accompanied by some music of Richard Strauss which perfectly complemented the high quality pictures. This was followed with another short slide presentation of Ullswater and surrounds. This was set to the Prelude to Lohengrin by Wagner. It was hoped that the rest of this show would be seen in the near future. The vote of thanks was given by Eileen Chambers.

During the business of the meeting President Pat Bell was pleased to inform members that Mr Douglas Walton had been appointed auditor. New sets of crockery have been purchased to compliment the WI sets and Anne Harrison will give another six sets so that we have enough for all our members and guests. Nominations were accepted for next year's committee to be elected at the AGM next month. The social half-hour was spent discussing next year's show which we hope to perform in October 2003.

Winners of the competition for a Snow Photograph were

1st: Audrey Winter and  
2nd: Pauline Nixon.

The competition for One Flower was won by Frances Jackson with Ann Harrison second.

The raffle prizes were won by Dianne Shaw and Anne Harrison and the grocery parcels by Dorothy Wallis and Jean Wilson.

### December

A busy and successful year was celebrated at our A.G.M. President Pat Bell was pleased that the membership had reached thirty five and thought this reflected the warm welcome which was always given to visitors and prospective members. Our varied programme of events and speakers had interest for everyone. This year the 75th anniversary party had been enjoyed by both members and guests.

Pat thanked the committee members for their hard work and all other members for their support and enthusiasm which made meetings lively, friendly and enjoyable.

Members discussed and agreed to make a presentation at an event organised by Silloth Regeneration Partnership. It will give the public an opportunity to see the work of organisations in the area.

Secretary Dorothy Maxwell reported on the activities undertaken during the year. The Jubilee Celebrations had made it a particularly busy year.

Treasurer Jean Hill was able to report that the fund raising event had been a major reason for the healthy financial situation helped by raffles and the sales of plants and produce. Prize winners of the monthly competitions held over the year were announced and Pat Bell presented the cup to Jean Vorley. The cup for the winner of the single flower competition, went to Ann Harrison.

The new committee is: President Pat Bell, Secretary Dorothy Maxwell, Treasurer Jean Hill, Programme secretary Dianna Shaw and the new committee of Pauline Nixon, Jean Wilson, Ann Harrison, Francis Jackson and Mavis Walker.

## Holme St. Cuthbert



On Sunday 1st December Holme St. Cuthbert's sports committee held its annual Christmas party in Culterham hall, Mawbray.

The partygoers were entertained by Jason the Juggling Jester' and after tea enjoyed a visit from Santa.



Sophie Bee  
by Emily Wise aged 5  
from  
Silloth Primary School