Pensioners Trip



On Saturday June 7th the Silloth & District Pensioners annual trip went to Windermere & The Lakes calling at Lakeland Plastics for coffee and a look around.

The morning was beautiful and sunny although forecasting showers. Raffles were organised on the buses by Isabel Tomlinson and Margaret Gate looking after the Blitterlees & West Silloth bus, Jean Carey, Jennifer Ostel & Maureen Irving looking after Skinburness bus.

The buses left Silloth Co-op at 9:30am, returning to Silloth at 6:45pm. Everyone had a lovely day out calling at Keswick on the way home. Many thanks to Tony Markley (coach firm).

The next event for the pensioners will be The Annual Strawberry Tea Saturday on July 5th, please note this event will be held in St. Andrews Hall at 2pm.

Silloth Ramblers

Five ramblers set off from Bowness on Solway to Burgh by Sands on the first stage aimed at walking Hadrian's Wall. There is no sign of the wall on this walk, but it is a very pleasant countryside stroll.

Another day saw four persons and a dog ambling around delightful Buttermere – said to be 4 miles, though one walker was sure it was nearer 10 and later had enough stiff muscles to prove her point!

Tip from a more experienced rambler – take a stick, it's a great walking aid, especially for those of us who are past the first flush of youth!

More rambles soon. Anyone interested phone Silloth 31687.

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Princess Fiona by Emma Wise aged 6 from Holme St. Cuthbert School

Plough Sunday



The Congregation of Holme St. Cuthbert led by the Rev. David Tembey giving thanks for Gods goodness with outdoor singing and Prayers for Crops, the Land, the Animals and those who earn their living from the Land on Rogation (Plough) Sunday 25/05/2003.

On the Waterfront by Tommy Legs

May proved to be a wet and quite windy month. The first visitor was the molasses tanker **ORATANK** from Bremen. Next was the **MARC TRADER** with wheat and the **LASS MOON** with fertilizer.

They were followed by the large Russian ship BALTIYSKIY-110 and the ARKLOW MOOR both with fertilizer. The quite old Norwegian ship VISTAFJORD was next with a cargo of wheat. The BEN ELLAN made two trips this month with its usual cargo of wheat from Seaforth Grain Terminal, Liverpool.

Silloth Tide Table

July 2003 TIMES OF HIGH WATER AT SILLOTH

(Courtesy of A.B.P. Silloth) Times in G.M.T. (add 1 hour)

Heights in metres Time Ht Time Ht 1st. Tue. 0018 6.7 1244 6.5 2nd. Wed. 0057 6.9 1327 6.6 3rd. Thu. 0139 6.9 1409 6.6 4th. Fri. 0223 6.9 1453 6.5 5th, Sat. 0309 6.7 1540 6.4 6th. Sun. 0400 6.6 1633 6.2 7th. Mon. 0455 6.4 1731 6.0 8th. Tue. 0558 6.3 1838 6.0 9th. Wed. 0703 6.2 1945 6.0 10th Thu. 0811 6.3 2051 6.3 11th.Fri. 0918 6.5 2149 6.7 12th.Sat. 1017 6.9 2242 7.1 13th. Sun. 1110 7.1 2331 7.4 14th. Mon. 1200 7.2 15th. Tue. 0016 7.5 1248 7.2 16th. Wed. 0103 7.5 1335 7.1 17th. Thu. 0149 7.4 1419 6.9 18th. Fri. 0232 7.2 1500 6.5 19th. Sat. 0314 6.9 1540 6.2 20th. Sun. 0357 6.4 1623 5.7 21st. Mon. 0443 6.0 1710 5.4 22nd.Tue. 0533 5.5 1807 5.1 23rd.Wed. 0638 5.2 1915 5.0 24th.Thu. 0745 5.2 2022 5.2 25th.Fri. 0850 5.3 2119 5.6 26th.Sat. 0944 5.6 2206 6.1 27th. Sun. 1030 6.0 2247 6.4 28th. Mon. 1112 6.3 2326 6.7 29th. Tue. 1151 6.6 30th. Wed. 0004 7.0 1230 6.7 31st. Thu. 0042 7.2 1312 7.0

My apologies to those who were confused by the failure to change the month, while correctly showing the tides, for the past two months.