

New Guest House

John & Eileen Slack have re-furbished the first floor of 9 Station Road, Silloth, to provide letting rooms on a room-only basis. All rooms at 'West View Guest House' are non-smoking and have en-suite facilities. Bookings can be made by calling into Occasions Florists (at the same address) or telephoning 016973 31449.

World War II Veterans Afternoon Tea

Silloth Rotary Club is organising a gathering of all local WWII Service Veterans, (as listed with the Royal British Legion). This will be on Sunday 12th June at 2:30pm in the RAFA Club, Silloth.

An afternoon tea and entertainment will be provided for the Veterans, which has been organised locally to commemorate the 60th anniversary of VE (Victory in Europe) and VJ (Victory over Japan) days.

Veterans attending will be asked to sign a Record Book.

Letters

Dear Buzz,

How far afield do you suppose the 'Buzz' reaches? Mine comes from a kind cousin in Silloth then it goes on to another Sillothian in Birmingham before going on to Devon. We all read it avidly, looking out for old remembered family names as well as new relatives. It used to be said by our parents "nothing happens in Silloth". Be assured there is more going on that is accessible than in the big town. Well done Solway Buzz keep going.

Yours sincerely Pat Shaw

PS My latest copy was read by a visitor from Wigton, who says she can't get it at home.

Dear Buzz,

My partner and I have spent some precious times in Silloth and have found Silloth and the surrounding countryside breathtakingly beautiful, just like the land that time forgot. We enjoyed a bingo session at the local social club, although we weren't lucky enough to win. We also had long leisurely walks to Grune Point and watched the most spectacular sunsets. I find the Solway Buzz a very informative and entertaining paper.

Sharon Girgerti

Dear Buzz,

As a visitor to Silloth, staying at the Solway Holiday Village several times. I was interested in reading in the April 2005 edition of the Buzz about a slide show and talk by John huggon about Silloth and Solway Airfield. I was wondering if he had any plans or layouts of the airfield or knows if any exist of which I could get a copy. I am willing to purchase and pay postage if any exist.

Yours faithfully D Etchmore

If anyone knows the answer to these enquiries, please tell the Buzz.

Ed



Ben
by Simon Blackburn
aged 10 from
Holme St. Cuthbert School



Sunny Bee!
by
Melanie Sharp
aged 9
from
Silloth Primary School

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