

Silloth R.U.F.C. 125th Anniversary Celebration Match



Last Sunday Silloth hosted a celebration game between a Cumbria League Select and a current Silloth Select team.

The opposition was made up some of the best young players in

Cumbria, from Keswick, St. Benedicts, Moresby, Cockermouth and Aspatria. There was some real class on show, the match was part of this seasons celebrations and was played in a very disciplined but aggressive

manner. The guests of honour travelled from all over Cumbria. The president of Cumbria Rugby Union, Mr John Owen was present to see the game won by the visitors. The try of the match came from

Silloth flying fisherman Jamie Baxter, a full length scorcher and he still had time to look over his shoulder before touching down. A.J. Carr scored Silloths other try with Ashley Stalker converting one.

Silloth Tennis Club



A day of very high winds did its very best to spoil this year's carnival Tennis competitions.

A mix of high quality play and sheer Cumbrian tenacity held out to produce a few different winners for 2005.

Robert Jefferson, after losing to the ever improving Jamie Harrison in the group stage went on to reverse the score line to retain his title.

New winners including Oliver Neilly, rounded off a very good summer by taking his first singles title by beating the multi talented Patrick Brough in the final.

A similar occurrence was to happen in the under 16 girls event with Rachel Holden clinching the title against Dawn Graham, who after beating her convincingly in the earlier round must have been confident for the final, having said that Rachel does tend to improve as the competition goes on and

a thrilling victory over club champ Anna Jones was testimony to that.

That left the under 11 girls event to play for and there was no result reversal this time as Hannah Story's end of season form shows no sign of letting up with another convincing display as she swept to victory against the ever competitive Sophie Harrison

John Walsh Visits Silloth



Report by: Jimmy Lettice

The voice of Radio Cumbria sport popped in to Silloth Rugby Club at the weekend and met with new Rugby Club Secretary David Henderson.

David has rejoined the committee at the Rugby Club to help in the running of the club and help promote our sporting community club. David is a huge sporting fan, especially of Cumbrian sports teams, was more than delighted to meet the man who since 1966 has commentated on thousands of rugby and football games all over Britain which feature local teams.

John Walsh has also got Silloth connections with relatives at Blackdyke, Silloth and Abbeytown. Through his love of sport and long time admiration for the late great Jim Brough he paid us a visit which we regard as a great honour from a very popular and knowledgeable man, don't leave it so long next time John.

Abbeytown Flower Club

Ruth Pinguey introduced John Dalton with his wonderful flowers beginning with a Bedside Table composition made up of Yellow Orchids and Roses with Green Carnations, a rather large table would be required at your bedside. He continued with a Dining Table creation of Red Roses.

While he worked John regaled his audience with tales of his various trips all over England, Scotland and Spain. This was interspersed with jokes leaving everyone in laughter. The Side Table in the Lounge was graced with yellow carnations tinged with pink and red roses. The many arrangements created were quite outstanding. Chairman Ruth thanked John for a stunning evening. Lucky winners of the arrangements and flowers left over were Edna Marper, Pauline Harding, Mary Briggs, Olive Reed, Pat Wise, Rachael Robson and Rita Hart. A lovely Buffet Supper was served to end a wonderful evening.

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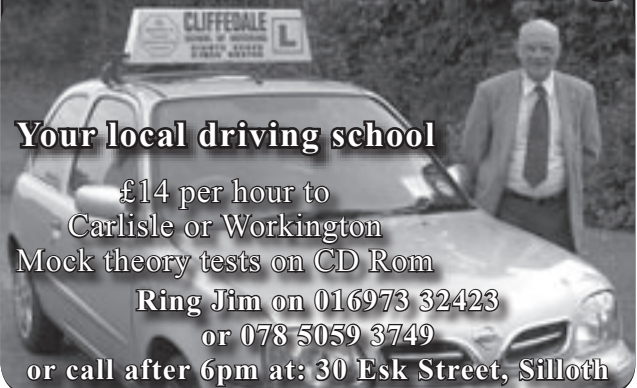
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