

Solway Buzz Grand Prize Draw - Win a Car!

Even better, there are two radio controlled 1/10th scale racing cars to be awarded, these have been donated by local web design company Solweb.biz.

All you have to do is write a short story or poem on the subject of bees (plural or singular). There is no age limit and all entries will go into the draw. The two winners will be drawn by Silloth Mayor Graham Wilkinson. The last date for entry is Saturday 11th February and the winners names will be published in the March edition of the Buzz.

The poems should comprise at least eight lines and the story should be under 500 words.

All entries have an equal chance of winning, so start writing now!

Send your entry to: Solway Buzz, Barn Cottage, Skinburness, Wigton, CA7 4RA, or email it to: peter@solwaybuzz.co.uk, or fax it to: 016973 32133.

Some items may be published in future issues of the Solway Buzz.



Silloth Businesses Christmas Party

The staff from many local businesses attended a sell-out show at Stanwix Park for their annual Christmas Party.

As you can see, everyone enjoyed themselves as they were entertained by a band, a



Above: Just a few of the dancers comedian and finally a disco.

Many more photos of this event can be found on the Solway Buzz web site at www.SolwayBuzz.co.uk.



Above: The staff from Peter Josef
Below: Christine Previtali receives a raffle prize from Eric Stanwix.



Snooker Bees
by
Samantha Little aged 8
from
Holm Cultram Primary School

Rotary Air Ambulance Donation



Photo by: Len Basely

L-R: Peter Gilmore (President Silloth); Arthur Norman (President Maryport); Air Ambulance team Paula Harrison & Barbra Walton, Vic Wilson (1st Vice-President Keswick); Arnold Snowball (President Carlisle)

Report by: Geoff Betsworth

The Rotary Club of Silloth-on-Solway hosted a presentation of the work carried out by the Air Ambulance across the whole of Cumbria from its base in Appleby.

GNAA (Great North Air Ambulance) speakers Barbra Walton and Paula Harrison addressed Rotarians from Silloth, Wigton, Maryport, Keswick and Carlisle clubs along with members of the Inner Wheel and Silloth First Responders.

Earlier this year the service had to be suspended due to a

lack of funds, caused mainly by donations being redirected to the Asian Tsunami appeal as well as widespread flooding in Cumbria. New funding has resulted in the service being restored, although a constant supply of money is required to keep the helicopter flying 365 days of the year.

Following the presentation, cheques and pledges in excess of £6,000 from the Rotary Clubs of Silloth, Wigton, Keswick, Maryport and Carlisle were presented to GNAA representatives Barbra & Paula.

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