

Launch of New Trawler "Two Brothers"



This new trawler was called "Two Brothers" as it was built and fitted out by brothers Jimmy and Rob Scott, who had built a small boat but decided to build one 35ft in length by 14ft 6in wide to use for trawling.

Work started in 2000 on a part time basis, mostly weekends, with the laying of the keel on a low loader trailer in a farmyard two miles inland. Under the watchful and helpful eye of John Sharp and family the trawler took shape.

Completed in May 2007 it was moved, having had to have the wheel house and rigging removed because of its height, to Silloth Docks, where its 24 tons was lifted and placed in the



dock.

Fitted with all mod cons for safety, equipment including satellite navigation and propelled by a Gardner 6 cylinder engine (which

sounds as sweet as a sewing machine) the trawler set out on its maiden voyage with a few relations on board and cheered on by family and friends on the Dock side.

Blackpool Trip?

Over the years Olga Wood has had wonderful support for the trips she organises.

Due to her serious accident, last year proved to be difficult, she considered giving up but so many regulars asked her to have one again. So, would all those who are interested contact Olga as soon as possible, and she will then book a coach, the date will be Sunday 23rd September.

Contact her at:
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Vicky Pollard
a.k.a. Chav Bee
by Charlie Frazer
aged 11 from
Holm Cultram Abbey School

Abbeytown WI

Report by: Gladys Temple

The May Meeting began with President Audrey Harrison thanking Freda Garner for the lovely flowers on her table.

The only resolution for the AGM is to Support The Local Cottage Hospitals so it was voted to support this resolution. The Abbeytown Road Run was on 3rd June so we helped to make and serve the teas. Margaret Moore gave a financial report then Audrey introduced Mrs Beddison with 'An introduction to oil painting'. There was an oil painting, which had been started a while ago, so was nice and dry to continue with and as she regaled us with tales from her painting in Australia, she also continued to fill-in the oil painting of a bluebell wood in spring. Jean had been living in Australia for 13 years and continued painting English scenes while out there so was able to sell her paintings to ex-pats and also Australians who had been over to England on holiday

and recognized the subject of the paintings. She attended shows in Sydney, Melbourne and Canberra having to travel over 900 miles to get to Sydney and not much short for the others. Her tales of her adventures while on the road and at the shows kept everyone laughing while at the same time she continued to paint. She is a very talented artist and everyone admired the finished painting.

Elsie Donald thanked Mrs. Beddison for a lovely evening and she was invited to judge the competitions. 'A small piece of pottery' was won by Noeline Foster, 2nd Joyce Wilson and the flower competition was won by Elsie Donald, 2nd Elinor Roper. Margery Dargie, Margaret Brown and Elinor Roper served refreshments and Mrs Garners Group organized the Card Bingo. Names were being taken for the Trip on 14th July to Terrington in Yorkshire Lavender Farm visitors welcome names to Margaret Moore.

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