Walk Raises £700



Bill and Marilyn Amyes held a sponsored walk from Silloth to Maryport.

Everyone who took part was sponsored, even a dog, Marylin went by bus (she isn't so daft) and managed to get £73 sponsorship for that. Between them they managed to raise £700 to be split between Silloth First Responders and the Great North Air Ambulance.

Bill and Marylin would like to thank everyone who took part and those sponsored then



Skinburness Hotel is Sold



The Skinburness Hotel went to auction again on 12th December at Haydock Racecourse.

With a guide price of just £380,000 it was inevitable that the lovely old building would find a buyer this time. Four bidders showed interest and the Hotel was finally

sold for £450,000. Despite best endeavours, at the time of going to print we still had no inkling of who the buyers are, or what they intend to do with the building in the future.

We will try to find out, if anyone knows something, call the editor.



Woman of the Year Nominee



Following last month's local nominee for Volunteer of the Year We are pleased to hear another local lady, Jean Oliver, was nominated for the Cumbria Woman of the Year Award.

Jean was nominated for the help she provides with the Church and also for helping for many years with local groups, especially the aged. Jean is also known for her work as a Lollipop Lady in all weather. Although not the winner, Jean was treated like Royalty and really enjoyed herself when she was invited by the Cumbria Women of the Year committee for luncheon at the Wordsworth Hotel, Grasmere on 28th November.

Silloth Group Medical Practice

OPENING TIMES: 8am – 6:30pm Tel No: 016973 31309 Fax No: 016973 32834

IMPORTANT NOTICE

WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY 21ST JANUARY

We are due to undertake extensive refurbishment of our reception / patient waiting area during the above week.

Therefore we are only able to offer "BOOK ON THE DAY" appointments during this period.

Open surgeries will run as normal during the afternoons but we must stress that these are for "EMERGENCY CASES" only.

We hope that you will bear with us during the above period and apologise in advance for any inconvenience this may cause.

Many thanks, Silloth Surgery

SURGERY CLOSURE

Please note that the Surgery will be closed between 1-5pm on:

Tuesday 15th January Wed 13th February Thursday 13th March

This is for educational training purposes for all surgery staff.

Between the hours of 1-5pm Cuedoc will take all Emergency calls.

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We would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy, Healthy New Year for 2008 From Drs Ross, Jones, Hymers and all Staff



You can now order your Prescriptions online or through our Voicemail system
Why not visit our Surgery Website on: www.northcumbriahealth.nhs.uk/silloth
Collection of Prescriptions

Please allow 24 hours before collecting your repeat prescription from the Surgery Allow 48 hours if collecting from the Chemist (72 hours for Bank Holiday Weekends)







If you buy cakes from us, not only do you get a delicious cake for yourself, you are also helping other's, for each cake sold we make a donation to charity. Cakes can be ordered at any time.

To order please contact: Sarah 016973 32089 or Joyce 016973 32569

Buzz Calendar

Time is running out to get your Solway Buzz calendar for 2008.

Featuring twelve local images from around 100 years ago and the same view today these calendars are selling well locally.

See the advert on page 11 and take this opportunity to get yours before they are all gone, they are on sale in local shops and by mail order direct to you.

Golf Hotel

Letitia Buzzbee

Ewan Ridgewell

from Carlisle

visiting

the

Discovery Centre

Open all day

Morning Coffees from 10am

Bar Meals 12 noon to 2pm and 6pm to 9pm Extensive menu plus specials and Traditional Roast Lunches every Sunday

Afternoon Teas

Restaurant Meals - for that special occasion Tablé d'hôte dinner £20, also a lá carte

Wedding Receptions
Christening Meals
Wedding Anniversaries & other functions
Private Rooms for parties of all sizes

We use fresh local produce, including Solway Shrimps. and do our own baking

Tel: 016973 31438