

Silloth Brownies Annual Easter Bonnet Parade



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A Colourful sight of Easter Bonnets greeted the residents and staff at the Silloth Nursing Home for the Silloth Brownies Annual Easter Bonnet Parade.

In all 15 Brownies attended, accompanied by family members. Judging for winners is becoming more difficult every year, three residents finally decided the winners, Charlotte Robertshaw, Alice Davidson and Leah Richardson.

All the Brownies received Easter gifts from the Matron, who thanked us for coming. We had an enjoyable afternoon, ending with a very welcome drink and biscuits, after the Brownies and residents sang along to Brownie Songs.

Pictures:

Top: The Brownies

Middle:

Entertaining the residents

Bottom:

Winners Charlotte Robertshaw, Alice Davidson and Leah Richardson



Johnny Liar Donation



John and Jean Graham of Longcummertiff presented a cheque for £300 comprising of £200 in payment for an article which was printed in Chat Magazine on

February 21st and £100 from donations received from the Signing of Johnny Liar Books, to Peter Finnigan for the Anthony Nolan Trust.

This amount will allow the Trust to tissue type two people and put them on the register. A total of 600 transplants worldwide were performed last year, this financial year £20 million is required.

John became involved with this Appeal during his time in Round Table many years ago. More information can be found on www.anthonynolan.org.uk.

an Allerdale Borough Council office, and supply a recent passport-size photograph along with proof of age or disability and proof of your address. For further information about travel concessions, please contact Allerdale Borough Council on 01900 702702.

Concessionary Travel Scheme

Allerdale's concessionary travel scheme offers on-peak bus travel.

Although the Government promised all pensioners free off-peak bus travel nationwide from April 2008, Allerdale Borough Council is giving the borough's over 60's a better deal, with the availability of free bus travel throughout Cumbria, all day, every day.

As in previous years, residents qualifying for concessionary travel may prefer to choose railcards or travel tokens where applicable instead of the

national bus pass.

The local scheme for Allerdale will also allow companions of disabled persons, where cardholders, to travel free of charge within the county.

New national bus cards will be issued to existing NoWcard holders before the end of March; NoWcard holders need take no action unless they have received instructions directly from NoWcard with a new application form.

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Golf Club Open Day

Silloth on Solway Golf Club was founded in 1892 and since that time has been a central part of Silloth's social and economic life.

Even in the early days, Silloth golfers were achieving National and International recognition and the course has continued to thrive to the present day. The course has been visited by many notable golfers and has staged many National Amateur Championships.

A major part of the Clubhouse was refurbished in 2004/5 which together with ample parking and reasonable membership costs makes it a pleasant venue for a social or sporting occasion.

Ten things you didn't know about Silloth on Solway Golf Club:

- It has a Championship course of National and International repute
- Social Membership is available from only £10 per annum allowing year round use of the clubhouse and facilities
- The Club was established in 1892 and until 1966 was known as Carlisle and Silloth Golf

Club

- For the last six years the Club has been the venue for R & A's Regional Qualifying for the British Open
 - Junior Membership cost from £25 per annum
 - Miss Cecilia (Cecil) Leitch, from Silloth won the Ladies English Championship in 1914 and was the leading lady golfer in Britain for many years
 - Bar meals and full dining facilities are available to members at the Clubhouse together with a selection of beers and spirits including Silloth's own 'State' beer.
 - Full playing membership costs £325 per year and memberships are available.
 - The Championship course measures 6,600 yards
 - The Club has over 600 playing members.
- Come along and find out about the Club and how to become a member on Saturday 19th April or contact the Secretary at the Club. Tel 016973 31304
- Club website: www.sillothgolfclub.co.uk

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