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A thought from the Vicarage.

by Rev Beverley Lock

One of my very few claims to fame is that I was the Hall Secretary, for among a couple of hundred other students, Seb. Coe now Lord Coe, who has a few sporting things on this summer! In the days when he was completing his Economic's MA at Loughborough University I was an humble English, Creative Writing and Drama student who campaigned for this post on the slogan – "get an English student to write your letters". I don't recall writing many letters but it was also my job to count students when there was a fire alarm – that was a bit taxing at 3am in your nighty!

Enough of me - but the Olympics are a lot more than any individual – however clever. The spectacle of people from all 5 continents and every shade of skin and belief coming together to compete in Sport is really special by anyone's standards.

In school and in our Holiday Club (1st – 3rd August at Orton) we will be focusing on activities inspired by the Olympic and Paralympics games. The Olympics with

their values of Friendship, Respect and Excellence and the Paralympics with theirs of Equality, Courage, Determination and Inspiration make good links into the stories of the bible.

God inspires men and women down the ages to incorporate these qualities in their own lives; striving always to be the best that they can be. He gives us examples to follow and the spiritual impetus to keep trying to stick to our principals when things get tough. Other faiths also have values systems and their followers too try to live up to the high ideals of their faith's teaching. It is not always easy – any more than running very fast or getting the ball in the net from a wheel chair is - but the look of concentration and determination is an inspiration to all of us to keep trying.

Whatever you are doing this summer – watching or taking part in sport, holidaying or working; while the Olympic Games may last a few weeks let's let the inspiration of those who give up everything to be the best they can be will last all year round.

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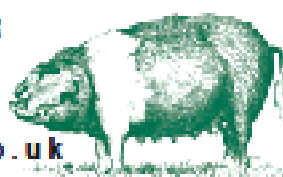
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The Jubilee hymn was part of Orton Church Exhibition, a number of people said how much they liked it, and asked if I could send it to The Link, so here it is.

THE JUBILEE HYMN

(To the tune of All Things Bright and Beautiful)

by Jackie Huck

Chorus
Sing a song for our land,
So beautiful and green,
For our land is a Grand land,
And sing God Bless the Queen.

The flags were waving gaily,
The Abbey filled with prayer,
A golden coach came gliding,
And bells rang through the air.
Ch

She vowed that she would serve us,
Protect for evermore
Our heritage of freedom,
Defend our faith and law.
Ch.

Now sixty diamond Summers
Have flowed to history,
It's time to join together
To sing for Jubilee.
Ch.

Here in our little corner,
We all can play our part,
To carry to the future
The beat of Britain's heart.
Ch.

Let us light a Bonfire,
A flame for Jubilee,
A signal and a promise
Of hope for you and me - so

Chorus
Sing a song for our land,
So beautiful and green,
For our land is a Grand land,
And sing God Bless the Queen

Notes from The Herald, July 1912

Mostly fine; heatwave by 15th (St. Swithin's Day). Vast mushrooms found near Penrith mid July. Foot and Mouth closed the local marts – none here as yet. Cumberland and Westmorland wrestlers from Orton, Tebay and Ravenstonedale competed at Warcop Rushbearing's Sports on 29th June against those from North Cumberland.

Tebay The Railway Company is putting in a hydrant for firefighting at the Station. The RDC's Tebay Parochial Committee wants the rest of Tebay to be able to use it as the Railway Company owns almost the whole of Tebay. The LNWR also wants to use the RDC mains water for its locos – RDC will chard 3d per 1000 gallons; Tebay's houses needs to take precedence in droughts. The Rev. William Atkinson, Primitive Methodist Minister of Tebay, married Miss S.J. Laidlow, a grocer's daughter from near Aspatria in mid-July. The Herald on 20th July 1912 has a photo of them. He is young and in spectacles. His parents run the Supply Stores, Tebay. His late

grandfather George Jackson virtually founded Tebay P.Ms They were married in Prospect P.M. Chapel, his bride's place of worship – “a big do”. Tebay Endowed School requires a Female Certificated Assistant Teacher. Joke: Friend: Your husband says he lives a dog's life here!
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Thank you Jeremy Godwin for the Notes.

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SUNDAY SERVICES IN OUR CHURCHES FOR JULY 2012

Sunday 1st July 4th Sundav afterTrinity Sunday Lessons Liturgical colour Green

Joint Benefice Service at St Michael’s Church Shap
10.30 am
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Sunday 8 th July	5 th Sunday after Trinity	Lessons	Liturgical colour	Green
ORTON	8.30am	Holy Communion	Chris Jenkin	2 Samuel 5: 1-5, 9-10; 2 Corinthians 12: 2-10
Sidesman	David Aspden			Readers John Dunning
TEBAY	2.00pm	2@4 + Baptism	Ian Elliott	Note the change of time
RAVENSTONEDALE	10.00am	Holy Communion	Chris Jenkin	Readers Clare Stafford, David Vigor

Sunday 15 th July	6 th Sunday after Trinity	Lessons	Liturgical colour	Green
ORTON	10.45am	Family Service + Baptism	B Lock	Revelations 7: 9-17; 1 John 3: 1-3
Sidesman	Chris Bland			
TEBAY	11.15am	Morning Prayer	Reg Capstick	
RAVENSTONEDALE	9.15am	Morning Prayer	Sandra Ward	Readers Dick & Janet Barlow

Sunday 22 th July	7 th Sunday after Trinity	Lessons	Liturgical colour	Green
Joint Service at Tebay				
10.30am				
Beverley Lock				

Sunday 29 th July	8 th Sunday after Trinity	Lessons	Liturgical colour	Green
ORTON	9.30am	Morning Prayer	Martin Dew	2 Samuel 1: 1, 17-27; 2 Corrinthians 8: 7-15
Sidesman	Jeff Mawson			Readers Sandra Ward, Meryl Aspden
TEBAY	11.15am	Holy Communion	Martin Dew	
RAVENSTONEDALE	9.15am	Holy Communion	Ian Elliott	Readers Jane Parsler, Tom Reeves

SUNDAY SERVICES IN OUR CHAPELS FOR July 2012

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Newbiggin-on-Lune	10.30am 2.00pm 6.30pm	11 am Open Air Vill Green *	LA 4.00 pm N on L Wilf’s Shed	D Askew LA	E Hodgkiss H *	T Dent *
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SUNDAY SERVICES IN OUR CHURCHES FOR AUGUST 2012

Sunday 5th August 9th Sunday after Trinity Lessons Liturgical colour Green
2 Samuel 11: 26—12: 13a; Ephesians 4: 1-16.

Joint Holy Communion Service at St Oswald Church Ravenstonedale
10.30 am
Beverley Lock

Readers M & S Metcalf-Gibson

Sunday 12th August 10th Sunday after Trinity Lessons Liturgical colour Green
ORTON 8.30am Holy Communion Ian Elliott 2 Samuel 18: 5-9, 15: 31-33; Ephesians 4: 25-52
Sidesman John Falshaw **Readers** John Falshaw

TEBAY 4.00pm 2@4 Ronnie Elliott,& Beverley Lock

RAVENSTONEDALE 10.00am Holy Communion Chris Jenkin

Readers Kelly Trimmer, Tom Oldham

Sunday 19th June 11th Sunday after Trinity Lessons Liturgical colour Green
ORTON 10.45am Family Service Beverley Lock
Sidesman Gerald Weston

TEBAY 11.15am Holy Communion Martin Dew 1 Kings 2: 10-12, 3: 3-14; Ephesians 5: 15-20.

RAVENSTONEDALE 9.15am Morning Prayer Liz Dew

Readers Hilary Law, Richard Best

Sunday 26th August 12th Sunday after Trinity Lessons Liturgical colour Green
ORTON 9.30am Morning Prayer Martin Dew 1 Kings 8: 22-30, 41-43; Ephesians 6: 10-20.
Sidesman Jim Milburn **Readers** John Burra, Jackie Huck

TEBAY 11.15am Holy Communion Martin Dew

RAVENSTONEDALE 6.00pm Evensong Reg Capstick

Readers Clare Stafford, Richard Vigor

SUNDAY SERVICES IN OUR CHAPELS FOR August 2012						
Methodist Chapel		5th	12th	19th	26th	
Tebay	10.30am	LA AAW	K Hewitson 6.30 pm Connexion at	G&R Boustead	G Hopper	
Orton	10.00am 6.30pm	G Hopper *	D Askew Connexion at	A Dunstan *	P Dew *	
Newbiggin-on-Lune	10.30am 2.00pm 6.30pm	A Dunstan LA	B Staley Connexion at K Stephen	P Dew HC LA	K Coward *	
Ravenstonedale	2.00pm 6.30pm	K Hopper T Dent	LA Connexion at	P Dunstan P Dew	K Hopper W Riley	

A Thought from Tebay

by Elizabeth Crossley

In the March Link I talked about trees being planted in the Diamond Wood in Leicestershire and a further 60 Jubilee woods around the country. At home we now have 2 certificates verifying (by the Woodland Trust) that our 2 trees will be planted in the autumn in the main Jubilee wood. Both these trees are dedicated to my aunt, Dorothy Isherwood, a lover of the out of doors. The dedication plus our names will be recorded in the Royal Record, one to be given to the Queen and the other to be placed in the British Library. We have also bought a third tree, a hawthorn which has been potted on in our tree nursery waiting to be planted in the autumn. This October/November we will have at least another 30 trees from the nursery to be planted in copses in our field – oak, field maple, silver birch and sweet chestnut. All these we brought with us from Cheshire when we moved in 2005 and now 7 years later and being potted on every 2 years are now ready for the autumn planting. Cumbria will receive 6,566 trees as part of the Woodland Trust's Jubilee planting. The charity wants to plant a million trees across the country beginning in the autumn of 2011 and 6 million at the beginning of 2012 for the Queen's Silver Jubilee. More than half of those trees will be planted by 56 schools in Cumbria. I can't remember but trees were planted throughout the land to celebrate the coronation of King George VI. 2012 – the Queen's Silver Jubilee was all that it was made out to be – pity about the rain during the last part of the Thames flotilla – but I remember that it poured in the afternoon of her coronation.. We lived in Southport and most

of the street crowded into the next door house as they were the only ones with a TV (black and white and a small screen) It rained in the afternoon and everybody rode back from the abbey in closed coaches except Queen Salote of Tonga, a very large lady who braved the weather and rode in an open top carriage, waving to the crowds. I was very disappointed by the commentary and the TV cameras neither had done their research into the order of and the content of the flotilla. We only saw one of the 10 bands and nothing of the County Lord Lieutenants' barges near the rear. Nobody pointed out the buildings which lined the route so I am waiting for the official DVD (from my favourite newspaper, the Daily Mail) which is being produced which promises a good commentary. Monday's concert I was pleasantly surprised – I easily watched it all and the photography when 'Madness', sang from the roof of Buckingham Palace of 'Our House in the middle of our street' and Buckingham Palace was 'turned' into a row of terraced houses. When the Queen was given the large crystal and by inserting it into the plinth she lit the final beacon, the last of over 4000 the whole length of the country. The paper reported that 300 people had congregated at the top of Orton Scar for the lighting of their beacon and Tebay's beacon could easily be seen from the M6, plus the fireworks that followed. I watched the service from St Paul's on ITV and it was obvious that they had done their research and so were able to give a really good commentary before,

during and after the service. This weekend celebrated the Queen's succession to the throne – what will we do next year to celebrate the sixtieth anniversary of the actual coronation???

The cricket has been good – England won the Test against the West Indies (who were not like their team of old) and England drew their first match in Euro 2012 (many people thought they would lose) – we wait to see them in their other matches.

We now await the Olympic Torch coming to our county and now the countdown to the Olympics and Paralympics has begun. I forgot to mention – Wimbledon tennis is in the middle of all this. So we sit back and enjoy the sport – the flag on our flagpole at the top of the yard will be changing between St George's flag and the Union Jack frequently and we will be contemplating what to do next year to celebrate the coronation (apart from planting about 30 more trees).



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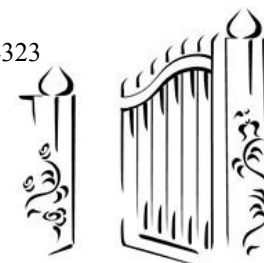


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During the first year of The Friends there has been a considerable amount of maintenance, cleaning and fund-raising going on. Necessary tree-felling and pruning in the Churchyard gave us the opportunity to raise money by selling the logs and this has proved to be a very successful project which will be ongoing over the next year or two.

We have been successful in applying for two grants – one from the Landfill Grant Trust and one from The Westmorland Staff Community Fund. Our thanks also to Tebay Parish Council for their donation towards the matched funding needed for the Landfill Grant. An application is in place at present for a grant from the Eden Rural Infrastructure Fund. If we are successful in obtaining this we will be able to complete the project this year – if not we do have enough funds available to us to make a start on the project this Autumn.

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Walk Dates:

Stone Circle evening walk – Wednesday 27th June. Meet in Shap layby opposite the Greyhound hotel at 7.00pm. Visit several stone circles in the Shap area.
Walk around Smardale. – Sunday 22nd July. Lots of archaeology from Romano-British to industrial. 5-6 miles taken at an easy pace on good paths. Bring a picnic lunch. Good shoes/suitable clothes required. Meet at 11.00 am in front of the village hall In Newbiggin-on-Lune.

Summer Dig: Some dates for your diary – The dig at Low Borrowbridge is still in the planning stage but is planned to start on the 30th July and continue until 12th August. Members can attend for some or all of the days. The **public open day** is a rare opportunity for everyone to visit this private site and will probably be 10th August, when we can show off our trenches and finds to the public before backfilling. More information about the dig will be available on the website nearer the dates.



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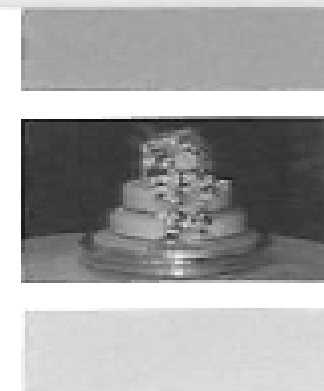
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The answers to the quiz as taken from
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1. Pope John Paul II	17. The Beatles
2. Barbados	18. Lace shawl
3. Jamaica	19. Marilyn Monroe
4. The Queen and The Prin- cess Royal	20. Lady Gaga
5. February	21. 1897
6. Treetops, Kenya	22. 56,000
7. 1934	23. Brian May
8. Susan	24. The Queen's Gallery
9. Inspecting the Grenadier Guards in 1942	25. Bobby Moore
10. Winston Churchill	26. The Queen's Birthday and New Year's Day
11. 26 million	27. The first televised Coronation Service inside Westminster Abbey
12. The assassination of Martin Luther King	28. An e-mail
13. The launch of the Telstar satellite Sputnik 1 satel- lite	29. Upload a YouTube video
14. John Lennon	30. 1947
15. Horse	31. Norman Hartnell
16. Order of Merit	32. Diamond Diadem

Tebay Sports Day

Due to the huge success of the Jubilee celebrations the sports day
committee have decided to postpone this year's sports day. It is
felt that , so close to the jubilee, the day would be an anti climax.

Tebay Sports Day will be held next June as usual. If you would
like to offer help for next year or to discuss the postponement
please contact
Steve Dunkinson on
01539 624286.

Tebay Community Primary School News

Centenary Celebration a Singing Success!

A warm, welcoming, happy atmosphere met the past pupils, teachers, governors, caretakers, dinner ladies, classroom support assistants etc, who all came to partake in the school Centenary celebrations. The children worked hard as hosts, creating sandwiches and especially decorated cakes for afternoon tea in the hall after entertaining everyone in the Chapel Hall with a range of hymns through the ages, songs from different eras of history and talks giving personal recount of the school from ex-pupil perspective. Reg Capstick, former pupil and Clerk to the Governors also shared some of his memories. The school was decorated with class photographs of earlier times and bunting in cheerful swaths...along with a timeline explaining the main events in the schools 100 years. The occasion was generously rounded off by FOTS organising every child with a special mug: Tebay Centenary on one side and the Queens Diamond Jubilee on the other. Two fantastic cakes were made and beautifully decorated to mark the occasion by Julia Capstick. Thank you to all for such a memorable day!



Infants from the past! Key Stage 1 at the Judges Lodges

The infants had a superbly educational day at the Judges Lodges finding out about what life was like near the turn of the last Centenary...connected to research on the School Centenary.



On the Bus!

The children in Stepping Stones experienced a real bus ride on a special bus...linked to a "Power of Reading" topic at school! A big thank you to all involved!



Local writer visits school
Chris Irving, a poet and story writer with a lively wit and humour, shared some inspiring and informative time with the children.



Woodland research at Whinlatter Forest

The Juniors spent a sunny day at Whinlatter researching the woodland habitat and extending their knowledge of OS maps and orienteering. Beautiful weather and happy children...especially den building!

UPPER EDEN FIRST RESPONDERS

Lottery Winners for June
1st Prize - Sheila Cherry - K Stephen
2nd Prize Val and Bryan Lewis - Kirkby Stephen
3rd Prize - David Vigar - Sedbergh
Upper Eden First Responders thank you very much for your continued support.
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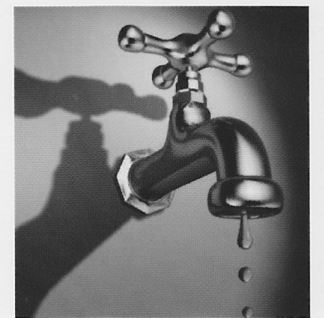
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'Afghanistan: Rhetoric and Reality'
A talk by Rory Stewart M.P.
at Maulds Meaburn Village Institute
on Friday, 14th September, 7.00-
9.00pm.

Advance booking: £8-00 per person
(contact Ron and Sheila Smith:
01931 715 509)
On the door: £10-00 per person
(Students half price)
The ticket price includes a glass of
wine or soft drink.

THE VIEW FROM HERE

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JULY – SEPT 2012

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Day (www.michaelday.org.uk)

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Produce work for **exhibition**

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welcome to take part in all or some of the activities.

For more information or to apply for a place please contact us on
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or email info@signalfilms.co.uk
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The deadline for registration is Monday 18th June. Participants
must be aged 16 or over.

This project has been made possible by the kind support of:
Arts Council England, Barrow Borough Council, Cumbria County
Council and the Hadfield Trust

Adult Learning in Upper Eden from September 2012



Over the past year adult learning in the Upper
Eden area has been very busy – everything from
Computers to Italian Language, Food and
Culture, First Aid to Food Hygiene, Yoga to
Spanish and Flower Arranging to Plastering!

As well as the wide selection of structured
courses offered, adult learning drop-in sessions
were held at the Kirkby Stephen Local Links
Centre every Friday – term time - between the
hours of 10 am and 12.00 pm. Also on offer
were one-to-one, IT taster sessions which led
students onto advertised courses held at Appleby
Heritage Centre or at one of the many rural
outreach centres currently used. Information
Days were held at Penrith, Appleby and Kirkby
Stephen libraries and course information was on
display at Appleby Tourist Information Centre.

Still on offer are trade and industry linked
courses (delivered in the workplace) - these have
proved popular as work-based training causes
minimum disruption to employees and
employers alike. A course information booklet
introducing the Heritage Centre's Trade &
Industry course programme has been compiled
and is available for distribution to local
businesses.

During June staff was extremely busy
researching into what local learners would like to
see offered in September. New tutors have been
recruited ensuring a diverse selection of subjects
can be offered. One day workshops proved very
popular and many more have been added.
Penrith and Kirkby Stephen Adult Learning now
work much more closely with the Heritage
Centre and enrolments for both centres are
administered through Appleby.

As always, Appleby Heritage Centre's main aim
is to ensure that people who live and work
locally do not need to drive many miles to access
high quality education and training so, if you
would like to discuss your education/training
needs or to find out what is on offer during the
Autumn Term, please do not hesitate to contact
the Centre on (017683) 53350.

Orton

Pram Service

Pre-school children
and their parents
are invited to join
the Nursery/Reception
children
in **Orton School**
on **Tuesday**
17th July, 10am

Orton "Drop-In"

Every Wednesday from
10.30-noon in the
cosy schoolroom at
Orton Chapel. Coffee/
cakes and a chat with
friends. Everyone
welcome.

A big thank you to everyone
who entered Scarecrows in the
competition. They made a wonderful
display, and added to Orton Jubilee
Celebrations. There were so many
really good ones, I'm sure everyone
who walked round must have
enjoyed joining in the voting.

Special thanks to Orton Parish
Council for the money for prizes and
administration, and to Kennedy's
Chocolates who also gave prizes.
Also to John Falshaw for doing the
sums, and Lauren Coward for giving
out prizes and cards.

PRIZE WINNERS WERE:- Adults.
1st Kyle Blue. 2nd Kennedy's
Chocolates. 3rd Nicola Estill.
Children. 1st Clemency & Becci
Clarke 2nd Orton School 3rd Emma
Thorpe Window. 1st Elizabeth
Morley 2nd Alison & Paul Grundy
3rd Suzanne Morley.

Orton Mothers' Union

Our next meeting will be

Tuesday 3rd July

2pm

in

All Saints Church

A warm welcome to anyone
who would like to join us.

Orton Sunday School and Young **People's Anniversary**

Orton Methodist Church
On Sunday, 1st July
At 2.30pm

Led by Ruth Boustead

Items by Sunday School & Drama Club

Refreshments served afterwards

Everyone Welcome

THANK YOU

The Sunday of the Jubilee
Weekend was freezing cold but
an afternoon of good old
fashioned family fun still went
ahead in Orton to celebrate the
Queen's Diamond Jubilee. There
were activities for everyone: a
Fell Race around the Knot for
adults with an alternative route
for children. Scott Newburn won
the adults race, Alistair Potter
Wharton came in first for the
boys and Hayley Coward first for
the girls. There were flat races
for all ages from nursery through
to dads and a three legged race as
well. The egg throwing really got
things going and nearly everyone
participated in this very messy
game. The men's bale tossing
and keg lift were both won by
Darren Douthwaite, with Jane
Day winning the ladies keg lift.
There was also Wellie Wanging,
5 a-side football in wellies and
quoits with the day ending in a
Tug-o-War.

On the Tuesday night there was a
bring and share supper and
Ceilidh in the Market Hall, which
was well supported. Chris Bland
called the Ceilidh for the Eden
Valley Ceilidh Band. Children
and adults all joined in for an
enthusiastic evening of dancing.

Anna Robinson would like to
sincerely thank everyone who
attended these events and
participated in the games and
Ceilidh. Thanks also to Lanty
Wharton and Hazel for helping
with the games on Sunday and
thanks to the usual crew for
helping with the setting up and
cleaning up of the Market Hall on
Tuesday night. Hopefully the
weather will be kinder next May
when I hope to arrange it all
again!

Orton

Hello Dog Walkers !,
As a country village Orton has a peace loving community considerate of our neighbours foibles and idiosyncrasies to boot. We worship the church; we enjoy the pub and are grateful for the shop. Indeed there are very few blots on the landscape and if there are occasional pats on the road as cattle calling card from driven farm stock that is only to be expected as a token of country life.

What is not acceptable however is “Dog Pooh” left in plastic bags hanging from the nearest gate post, tree or even worst from the barbed wire in country lanes. I often walk George (my smooth Fox Terrier) around the super public foot paths in and around Orton and all too often has seen the dreaded bags.

Just recently I visited the beautifully restored Lowther Castle and Gardens and saw not one but 3 blue plastic pooh bags hanging from one of the wonderful wrought iron hand rails when entering The Countess Garden. In the country surely a kick of the offending dropping into the hedge row or long grass is much more acceptable and bio-degradable unlike the plastic bags. *y Marples*

THANK YOU.

Orton PCC would like to say thank you to all those who contributed, in any way, to the huge success of the annual Gift Day and Exhibition weekend. This event, which raises in excess of £5200 for the church, could not happen if it were not for the great effort and support of many parishioners.

ROYALTY QUIZ ANSWERS

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|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. Elizabeth Alexandra Mary. | 21.58. (59, including 2012) |
| 2. Gloucester. | 22.Treetops. |
| 3. Colonel of the Irish Guards. | 23.Mountbatton-Windsor. |
| 4. Windsor Castle. | 24.Susan. |
| 5. Duchy Originals. | 25.The Earl of Wessex. |
| 6. 1982. | 26.The Royal Mews. |
| 7, 6th February 1952. | 27.Princess Beatrice. |
| 8 12. | 28.In the Imperial State Crown. |
| 9. Trooping the Colour. | 29.The Duchess of Cornwall. |
| 10. Primrose. | 30.The Earl of Wessex. |
| 11. 2001. | 31.Winston Churchill. |
| 12. Prince Philip.* | 32.French. |
| 13. Eton. | 33.The Duke of Edinburgh. |
| 14. Shand. | 34.Timothy Laurence. |
| 15. Balmoral. | 35.27. |
| 16. Queen Victoria. | 36.The Household Cavalry. |
| 17. The Countess of Wessex.+ | 37.16. |
| 18. The Duke of York. | 38.Corfu. |
| 19. Chile, Belise and Africa. | 39.The Princess Royal. |
| 20. Maundy money. | 40.The Queen's Diamond Jubilee. |

* Prince Philip is "Captain" General of the Royal Marines.
+ The Countess of Wessex is "President" of the Girl Guides.
SORRY - my "personel" computer has let me down again!.

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A sincere Thank you to all those who supported the quiz - either selling copies or buying them.
John.

Orton Farmers' Markets

The next three of these Popular markets will be:

July 14th
August 11th
September 8th

Join us in Church for Refreshments Bargains and a friendly chat.

In June we raised £398 to help us continue God's work at All Saints.

Newbiggin-on-Lune

Garden Trail
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Newbiggin-on-Lune

On Saturday July 28th. from 11am-4pm.
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On the day all open gardens will be indicated
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Proceeds for St Oswalds Church

Newbiggin-on-Lune
Methodist Chapel

open air service
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Sunday 1st July 11.00am
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For more information phone Andrea on 23033

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PROGRAMME FOR 2012/2013

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July 18th Wednesday
Guided tour of KS with Jo Keogh,
evening TBA

August 1st Wednesday
Sedbergh treasure hunt, 5.30 at
Sedbergh, more details to follow

September 5th Wednesday 7.30pm (1st
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Ravenstonedale

A Thank You from St Oswalds PCC

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to view

Transcribed Parish Registers from
1650 - 1826

Poor Relief Returns for 1780, 1856,
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YEW HOUSE 31 MAY

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Bless you all ! Thank you, Tom O

Forthcoming events Summer 2012

W/e-July 28th & 29th

Parish Garden Trail
In aid Of St Oswald's Church

Wednesday, July 18th
Bible Study & Discussion
At Manor House at 7.30pm

Wednesday, September 19th
Ravenstonedale Parish History Goup
High Chapel 7.30pm
1st Talk -Autumn/winter programme

Sunday, October 14th
St Oswald's Harvest Festival
Service & Lunch

Wednesday, July 18th

Manor House, Ravenstonedale
7.30pm

Bible Study and Discussion

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Orton

'It's the Jubilee at Buckingham
Palace,

Wendy Higgins went down with -
well not Alice but Jackie, and I
thought you might like a sort of
'pavement eye view' of the event.

We arrived on the south bank
of the Thames on Sunday 3rd
June, around 12.20. We'd met up
with Wendy's family, and armed
with a picnic lunch, umbrella's
and of course Union Jacks we
joined the 'multitude'. Many had
been there overnight or at least
since 6am, and the banks were
already 3 to 5 deep. We walked
on looking for a thinner area, past
the National theatre, but
eventually settled for a patch not
far from Blackfriars Bridge. So we
joined the throng to wait, tucking
into welcome sandwiches, and
sharing the atmosphere with
those around. Everyone was in
such good humour, chatting to
strangers, sharing their 'where
we've come from stories'. One
lady was a virtual walking flag,
decked from head to toe in red,
white and blue

Time passed and it became
obvious that we weren't going to
see much, so I spied a chap with
a bundle of periscope things
under his arm. He'd bought them
for the family who didn't need
them, so in my best market trader
mode, I bought them. We spent
the next half hour working out
how to put them together, and
suddenly had a clear view of the
Thames over all the heads.

It was around 3.20 as
excitement grew, the 'Bell Boat'
came into sight. The sound of
bells rang across the water,
meeting the rising cheers. Next
came the rowers, then the little
blue boats carrying all the
multicoloured flags. Suddenly,
rolling imperial music rippled
across the water from the boat
carrying the band, which
heralded the approach of
Gloriana. She looked magnificent
in gold and red, forging her way
down the Thames, a living link

with history and the royal river.
From where we stood the Queen
was a little white blob, but that
didn't matter, and in company
with this swarm of happy people
we waved and cheered under the
ever darkening clouds.

The 'Dunkirk Little Ships' '
passed, then came the working
boats. They spread across the
water, following in each others
wake, this great tide of boats
heading with pride down the river,
it almost looked like a second
Dunkirk. More boats and still
more came behind interspaced
with the music craft, and the
whole world seemed to be filled
with sound and waving flags.

But, true to form the great
British weather decided in was
time to put in an appearance, and
the slight drizzle turned into a
constant, cold deluge. Many fled
to shelter at this point, but along
with the diehards, Wendy and me
stuck it out a bit longer, until we
also had to retreat to the refuge
of the Royal Festival Hall, which
was packed. Here, up on the
large screen the 'wet choir' were
singing their hearts out, and
everyone in the RFH joined in,
and it became a mini 'last night of
the proms' finishing with
everyone standing for 'The
Queen'

We watched the Monday
concert on TV, so continued our
adventure on Tuesday morning,
when we stood on Fleet Street,
and this was our reward. The
Queen, a picture in white, smiling
and waving (I'm sure just at us!)
drove past in her limousine, she
was only a few yards away, and
this is what we came for. As she
went onwards to St. Pauls we
decided to pop into St. Brides,
the journalists church. We were
greeted by members of the Guild
in their robes, who invited us in.
They had a large screen, and we
were each given an order of the
St. Paul's Service, and led to a
front choir stall. From here we
joined in and followed every word
and anthem, and it was just like
we were there, underneath the
ancient majesty of the great

dome, believe me, it was quite
emotional.

After a buffet lunch at St.
Brides, we set off to Trafalgar
Square, with what felt like half of
London and beyond. After much
manoeuvring we managed a front
place across from the square,
and by craning our necks left we
could see Admiralty Arch. By the
time the procession arrived the
crowd was twenty deep behind
us! Yes, I saw it all, the horses of
the household cavalry, the
plumes and shining armour and
the coaches, but mainly from the
back as they bobbed their way
along. But the atmosphere was
magic, the thrill of excitement
from the massed crowd, the
sheer, undiluted happiness, the
enthusiasm of young and old, the
swell of pride that this was our
Queen who'd done a great job for
60 years, that this was our
country which even if it may be
old fashioned to say it, 'we really
love'.

After the procession had
gone, the police allowed the
crowds to move in a fairly orderly
manner. So many people, mums
and dads with small children,
cheering teens, family groups, all
ages, joined the long walk down
The Mall, which I expect most of
you saw on the TV. I'm afraid the
idea of being in such a huge
crowd was far to daunting, we
don't actually do 'crowds in
Cumbria' . So Wendy and I
headed to Waterloo Bridge, and
were rewarded as the fly past
came directly over our heads. As
the Red Arrows vanished towards
The Palace, with their red white
and blue tail smoke still drifting in
the air, our Jubilee adventure
also ended.

So, I saw the queen really close,
seeped up like a sponge this
wonderful atmosphere, and
collected impressions and
memories that will last my
lifetime. I was there, what more
can I say.

Jackie Huck

Orton School News

Diamond Jubilee

On Sunday the 3rd June we had a Jubilee sport celebration on Orton playing field. It was great fun. We had different races for different ages. A lot of people came to watch. The funniest bit was the grownups playing football in wellies. In the egg throwing, Hayley and Lauren's egg was unbreakable! We also had a fell race too.

All together it was a lot of fun.
By Lauren and Rowan.

Guinea Pigs Report

As you probably know we have got 2 school guinea pigs, we have had them for about a month and they are happy and friendly. We have a rota, so that each day a group of 4 children goes and looks after them, feeds them and every so often someone cleans them out. Every body loves going and looking after them when its their turn and I hope the guinea pigs love it too. By Eleanor Nathan



Ascension Day

On the Thursday we were all looking forward to walking up to Orton Scar BUT the weather was so bad we had to stay at school! Orton and Crosby schools got together and had a great picnic lunch in our school hall.

After lunch we sang some songs and spoke about Ascension Day. Then we went outside and blew some bubbles. We blew bubbles because bubbles float up into the sky and so did Jesus as he went up on a cloud to be with his Father in Heaven.
By Lauren, Hayley, Kimberley.



Scarecrow Competition

We had a scarecrow competition where lots of people in the village made scarecrows. We made one it was 'The Bigger Picture' by the famous artist David Hockney. We got 2nd prize which was £10! Everyone in school painted a picture, and Y4s did a very big picture. There were lots of brilliant scarecrows around the village. We had the Queen, Bob the Builder and Olympians it was all very good. By Joshua and Shona.



Church Exhibition

In church we had an exhibition that meant anyone can make and bring something to do with 'A Shining Example' because that was this year's theme. It was also the theme of the scarecrow competition. At church they also did teas and biscuits school did some work to put in church, class 1 drew a picture and a sentence about their shining example, they were lovely. Class 2 wrote and drew about adults who give up their time to come into school to help us. It was great to read all about the people who help us. Class 3 did research about charities and families and did a page on the computer about it. We enjoyed writing about our shining examples.

By Olivia and Emma

Year 5 and 6 Residential

On the 28th May we set off on our Residential, it took about an hour to get to the bunk house in Clapham. Hayley's favourite part was when we went caving in Long Churn cave! Robert's favourite part was football because even the teachers joined in. It was really fun, we did loads of things like swimming, caving, pond dipping and writing diaries. Overall I would like to thank Mrs Arnold, Mrs Green and Mrs Ayre for helping us and taking us. By Hayley & Robert.



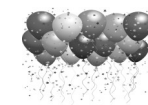
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Diamond Jubilee On Wednesday our school had a Diamond Jubilee special dinner!! For the first course we had a roast dinner and second course we had STICKY TOFFEE PUDDING!! On Friday we will be doing Cumbria's got talent, so far we have 9 acts. People are doing a variety of things e.g. bike riding, piano, singing, drumming and balancing acts!!! The judges are Leah Boustead, Dominic Holroyd, Kian Nicolson and Willis Taylor!!! The contestants are... Joanne Boustead, Tom Holroyd, Ryan and Matthew, Sam Hutchinson, Hollie Boustead and Kailum Brown, Kayleigh Nicolson, Joseph Boustead, Morgan Bateman and Ellie Bayliff.

Leah Boustead

After giving out many invitations around the village we would like to thank everyone who came to join us in our Jubilee celebrations we hope you had as much fun as we did.



Jubilee Joyful Sing Songs!

For the Jubilee we had a party. Everyone from young to old from Ravenstonedale, Newbiggin on Lune and Coldbeck were invited and most people came! For the party we learnt two songs these were How Much Is That Doggy in the Window and Singing in the Rain, on the day of the party we sang these songs and lots of the guests joined in (it was great fun.) By Rosie Kelly



Kwik cricket

On Tuesday the year 5 and 6's went to Appleby to take part in a kwik cricket tournament. We played 3 fabulous games and two friendly's we had lots of fun meeting other schools and pupils. We won 2 games and lost 3.



Shakespeare play

As part of our Jubilee celebrations Class 2 did a part from the play as you like it by Shakespeare. The part was all the world's a stage. It says all the world is a stage and we are just players where everyone plays there part and people go through seven ages.

By Ben Capstick

Cumbria's got talent On Friday before the half term we had a very exciting event on!! We did Britain's got talent but named it Cumbria's got talent! We had nine acts altogether which were Ellie Bailiff, on the piano, Sam Hutchinson and Tom Holroyd singing, and on the guitar, Morgan Bateman bike riding, Hollie Boustead and Kailum Brown were drumming with pans, the other acts were Joanne Boustead, Rosie Kelly and Joseph Boustead, and the winner with 8 points was RAZZ AND MOUS(Ryan and Matthew)singing brilliantly. The prize was a pencil, ruler and rubber each which were red white and blue. The 4 judges were Leah Boustead- Alisha Dixon, Dominic Holroyd-Simon Cowell, Kian Nicolson-David Walliams and Willis Taylor- (pretending to be a girl) Amanda Holden. Ben was the Master of Ceremonies. Some people hadn't practiced what they were doing but others had. Other than that they all had GREAT talent and would have had 4 ye's in the BRITAINS GOT TALENT!! real event. By Leah Boustead

