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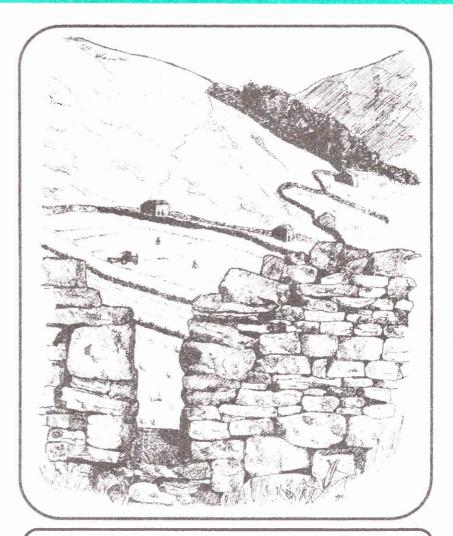


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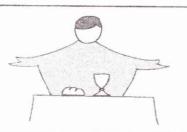
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#### EDITORIAL

issue, but there is one article I found really 15 hostelries have signed up to have interesting. We all know how difficult it has computers on their premises to allow people been for most businesses in our two Dales of ALL ages access to ICT. I could not but this last year, and it is pleasing that there are feel that there was a slight contradiction initiatives and grants to try and support here. It is in the bringing/encouraging of them. Also of course we are most grateful to young people into licensed premises, when in any input going for ICT. Many homes are many places the authorities are working hard without computers, yet all our lives are to keep them OUT. Alcohol abuse is the governed through them. It is important that biggest social evil of our society, and often is we have access to them and the 'net'! There the prelude to drug abuse. The following have already been grant initiatives in our Two questions also sprang to mind: In spite of Dales to introduce both hardware and the large input of finances, what happens instructional courses. Talking of grants, I was when the computer hardware becomes reading this week that the funding for this obsolete and needs replacing? If money is years worthy causes in the way of village halls available for such projects, why are they and community centre upgrades etc, has deemed to be of more value/importance been drastically reduced, and so many, if not than the local village or community hall? most cases will not get funding as had been And, who decided that 'The Pub should be hoped. Grants are necessary to enable small the Hub, of the community? Anyway, every rural areas like ours to update and modernise success to all the hostelnes in the scheme, our community facilities. It would be they seized on an opportunity offered to virtually impossible to improve our them and will offer the best service they can. community buildings without them. The Locally, go and have a look in the Punch Community is something we all profess to Bowl, see what you think. But, for me, there want and value, but where is its centre? is still the question, vital though the local pub During the celebrations of the Golden may be to the community, is it 'the Hub'? Jubilee, what struck me was that it was not Or 'should it be the Hub'? Maybe its just the concerts, fancy dress, sports days and me. What do you think,? Please let us know! barbeques that were important, but the coming together of all the people involved. Please note the NEW Email address for the That seemed to make everything so worth Editor GML1@gallowstop.fsnet.co.uk while. The interaction and involvement of All material please to the George Lundberg, the people is the heart of our community Editor, Gallows Top, Low Row, Richmond, Interestingly there were only two special DL11 6PP. Tel/fax 01748 886505

Is that significant? I wonder? Maybe I'm just out of touch with modern day perception as to what should be at the centre of the community. Anyway, I was a little taken aback when I read the article on page 32. Due to grants (that word again) from an Hi there! Lots of interesting stuff in this innovative scheme by North Yorkshire CC,

Keld URC and one in Low Row Village Hall,

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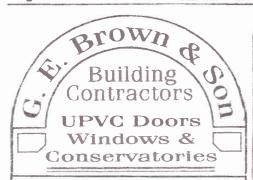
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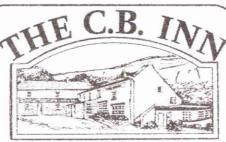
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complete Bible in English; and that the process of parliamentary democracy was greatly advanced by Oliver Cromwell? You will be able to find out more about these outstanding achievements and the fascinating characters behind them in the A.D. Exhibition. This will include several life-size figures and interesting artefacts together with information very helpfully displayed. Surely the Queen's Jubilee vear would be an ideal time to learn more about the contribution of Christianity to the development of our nation.

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The old apple tree beside the house has broken forth into blossom once again Gnarled, ivy-clad and stricken in years. It should have succombed to the woodmen's axe long ago. But it stands, sheltered and protected from the excoriating West wind by the building and over the years has grown, reaching now almost as high as the roof. It is a Lane's Prince Albert, named afterVictoria's beloved consort and was planted by some one, now, long since still fingers, when the old queen was still on the throne and Richmond a tiring dusty, horse ride away. We climb the wooden stairs to the top floor where we can gaze down on the tree and fling up the sash window. The sweet, intoxicating fragrance of apple blossom pours in. Through the gently swaying canopy - a sea of pink flowers- comes a peal of bells from St. Andrew's Church at Grinton, that mingles with the mellifluous hum of the bumble bees foraging for nectar in the branches. The flowers are exquisite more beautiful than tropical orchids; their petals and sepals shades of carmine and rose dore. Like molten candles they almost pour over the leaves and we stand in awe, wondering how such an aged, hoary old tree can produce a pageant of unutterable beauty each Spring. In the Autumn the tree gives us its abundant gift of apples. Roseate on one side where the sun ripens them, they are always hopelessly out of reach and hang between Heaven and Earth until the heatherscented wind shakes them pattering down

and the children collect them in their ridiculously small wheelbarrows. Then with purple-stained hands they collect the brambles from the churchyard contiguous to the garden and apples and blackberries are taken to Grandmother's house, where she peels and pares and boils and brews, to transform a years sunshine from a Yorkshire garden into shining jars of Apple and Blackberry Jam. Each, complete, with a label and little wax circle, gleams darkly from the pantry cupboard throughout the cold months and the boys devour Grandmother's Jam on toast each day whilst the tree, now bare and seemingly lifeless, sleeps on. This evening as the sun wanes behind, the house, I sit on the garden steps and face the East. Above me in the branches of the apple tree, a blackbird's liquid song cascades through the scented air and I am reminded of the words of poor John Glare who wrote: 'There's music in the waking woods, There's glory in the air.' Later, the moon rolls down Fremington Edge and the tree appears to receive it in its outstretched branches. The night now belongs to the pipistrelle - bats with their furry, mouse-like bodies and leathery wings, dancing their aerial hompipes in the blossom-seeped air. They pursue the dusk-flying moths without ever using their tiny, shining, blind eyes; never falterinin their heavenly flight. I rise and close the garden door with W.B. Yeats' poem in my head. 'And pluck till time and time are done, The silver apples of the moon, the golden apples of the sun. Rod Hall

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#### SERENDIPITY IN SWALEDALE

Now we'd planned the day carefully - a long lazy breakfast with our American visitors, a walk from Satron through the wonderful flower meadows, tea in Muker, stroll back refreshed to the car, then drive to Grinton for a pub snack, prior to crossing the road to the Cathedral of the Dales for the Fitzwilliam Quartet playing in St Andrews. But as we walked into Muker a young boy asked 'Are yous four hungry? 'cos there's tea in 'ere.' And what a tea it was! A sumptuous Elizabethan spread prepared and served by local people in the village hall. Someone very kindly gave me lift to collect my car because having satisfied our bodily needs we found the tea was the prelude to a concert in Muker's charming Elizabethan church next door to the village hall. This was as satisfying as the tea, a feast of Elizabethan choral music performed by a talented church choir from Greenwich. Well we were hooked. Although our American friends had other people to visit, my husband and I went to the whole series of choral music and linked events at Grinton, Low Row and Langthwaite. The small, choir impressed us with their fantastic repertoire, carefully put together to reflect the period that each church had been built. But what we especially loved was all the detail and thought which had gone into making each event a total experience - as well as the Elizabethan tea in Muker, there was a Victorian lunch in Low Row and a Victorian tea in Arkengarthdale, talks given by people who really knew their subject, and each church was decorated with flowers and herbs of the period. Superb attention to detail caught the audience attention.

Although the choir came from Greenwich these Swaledale Festival events were very much local occasions involving many volunteers from each community. Local people cooking and serving food, delicious Swaledale Cheese, homemade chutneys, beautiful flowers and herbs in delightful arrangements, friendly faces at the door selling tickets, set against an environment which must be one of the best in the world.! So could I just use your pages to extend my thanks and congratulate all concerned [including the farmers who tend these beautiful dales] for making Swaledale Festival 2002 such a superb experience and certainly an unforgettable one for our American friends. Well done it was brilliant. GH

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#### The Black Bull opens new a la carte restaurant

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#### Upper Dales Family History Society

Members welcomed Knighton and Ann Butterworth to the May meeting to tell the fascinating story of how they produced their recent book Leyburn Long Ago. Inspired by the realisation that there was no definitive history of Leyburn, the Butterworths scoured record offices and old publications, writing down every reference to the town and its inhabitants in search of the town's history from ancient times to the beginning of the First World War. Census returns provided the basis for plotting the rise and fall of the population over the years, court records cast interesting sidelights on local life and a selection of diaries and early travel guides, some quite dismissive of the town, put flesh on the bare bones of statistics and official records. The result was not only an entertaining illustration of how the mammoth work of compiling the book was tackled, but also a useful guide to sources of information which many amateur family historians might never before have considered using for their own more personal research.

The Computer Club continues to meet at the Key Centre on the first Wednesday of the month, with use of a range of data on both CD and floppy disc, including the 1881 Census for the whole country and the National Burial Index and internet access from twelve on-line computers. Everyone welcome from those with no computer skills to experienced researchers on the web - £2 for the 2 hour session. Just drop in - no booking is necessary. The last session before the summer is on July 3, 2 - 4pm, and the Club recommences on October 2.

The July meeting will take the form of a guided walk around a local graveyard, followed by a pub meal and future speakers include Duncan Bythell on Church & Chapel in Victorian Swaledale and Roger Davies - Following the Ryders Back to Coverdale. Next seasons programme being planned.

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#### **WARTIME MEMORIES**' Major John Parry

they marched off to do bayonet practice on to reminisce. What memories! sack made bodies hanging on gibbets up Arkengarthdale Road, or to learn to wriggle along gutters at the bottom of the moor. Jumping on and off the reservoir (now removed) near Kendall Place was another

exercise. The red brick insert into the sheep fold wall was for target practice. Along the On the 18th. May 2002, the Northern Echo Arkle beck, nicknamed the Burma Road, reported the death at 81 of Major John Parry. were other obstacles and training apparatus -During the war he was Adjutant of the the Bridge of Sighs, other wire and rope Training Centre, Lockerbie, which was bridges, Smokey Joe's Cabin, sand - bagged transferred to Catterick Garrison. He threw emplacements, dugouts ...... Major Parry his energies into organising realistic training tested one of his contraptions and ended un for soldiers likely to face combat overseas. in hospital. This machine was to carry a man His influential posting in Reeth will evoke across the beck. He hung beneath a wheel many memories. With the officers of the that rolled along a wire - similar to the pulley Reconnaisance Corps he lived in Cambridge in the children's play area, except that over House, with a pack of beagles he brought up the beck it had a much longer and deeper from kent after they had been made span! Then there were the noisy practice homeless due to war activities. The beagles battles in the dark, with live ammunition and were partly sustained by the occasional dead Verey lights. Last summer when replacing a sheep exchanged for a bottle of whiskey, and gate post we found yet another .303 bullet they lived in the north west corner of the case. Children had to be discouraged from large garden (before the bungalows were making their adventurous way through the built). The beagles hunted hares on Reeth battle course, but several would boast of Low Moor and we followed on foot. Soldiers stepping on a booby trap that exploded or in training lived in Hill House (now the finding ammunition Then the soldiers went Burgoyne), the Methodist Sunday School to be part of the invasion of Europe that (now the Swaledale Museum), the began on D Day. They left us their cat, Congregational Sunday school and the Minnie, and memories of sliced steamed Woodyard.. A canteen run by the local ladies pudding that cook would give us if we passed provided tea and whist in an upstairs room Cambridge House at the appropriate time. of an agricultural building up the snicket Eventually some of the trees used in their between the Kings Arms and Victoria practices fell as the wires attached to them House - then a shoe shop. The Recce tightened around them, and lengths of wire training was partly to encourage infiltration lay rotting and rusting for ages in the beck. against the enemy, and to this end school There is a formal photograph of the officers children waiting for Percival's 8:20 am bus to in the Swaledale Folk Museum display, and if take them to Richmond, would find prompted, I'm sure some of us could sing themselves surrounded by camouflaged their marching songs. Some of the Recce's soldiers who assembled on the cobbles. Then married local girls and some still come back

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The Annual Arkengarthdale Sports | Egg & Spoon races! Day: Saturday June 1st 2002

inclement days of May gave way to a Hodgson; 2 Megan Lundberg; 3 Mary warm fine sunny day on June 1st in Atkinson. Boys: 1 Guy Stones; 2 Arkengarthdale for the Annual Show William Barningham; 3 Tim Dawson, and Sports. The continuing animal Girls 5-7yrs, 1 Lucy Lundberg; 2 Association. races were enthusiastically run although Stones. a degree of trickery was noted with the

Results of the day in detail:

It was with great relief that the last few Fancy dress; under 5yrs, Girls: 1 Kate

movement restrictions prohibited the Sara Sparrow; 3 Aislinn Smith. Boys: 1 holding of the Sheep Show this year, a Harry Hughes; 2 James Tommey. Girls traditional element of keen interest 8-10vrs, 1 Thalia Sparrow; 2 Hannah among the local farming community and Hughes. Boys: 1 Peter Sparrow; 2 a curiosity to those whose knowledge of Daniel Stubbs; 3 Matthew Tommey. sheep extends only as far as to the Girls under 15: 1 Siobhan Smith; 2 Jane appropriateness of mint sauce or red Fawcett. Pairs under 6, joint Ist, Jack & current jelly. In an atmosphere of Olivia Stones and James & Louise merriment Muker Silver Band played as Stones. Other Pairs, 1 Abigail Stubbs & the fancy dress contestants, parents and Laura Barningham; 2 Hannah & Harry lookers-on gathered in the village centre. Hughes; 3 Matthew & James Tommey. The Band then led the parade from Overall Champions, James & Louise High Green through Langthwaite to the Stones as 'The Penny versus the Euro'. Sports Field, where Mrs Ann Tunley Children 8yrs & under, A Decorated and Mr Chris Best judged the Drinks Can: 1 Jack Stones; 2 Lucy challengingly costumed children. James Lundberg; 3 Aislinn Smith, A Miniature & Louise Stones were judged Overall Garden: 1 John Stubbs; 2 James Champions and were presented with the Tommey; 3 Sophie Stokes. 10 & over, A newly raised Arkengarthdale Sports Working Model: 1 Siobhan Smith. A Association Memorial Trophy, Children Decorated Mask: 1 Siobhan Smith; 2 attending the school of Arkengarthdale Edward Birks, 3 Abi Stubbs. were presented with Jubilee Chfidren's Handwriting, 4 & 5yrs: 1 Commemorative plates, hand made by James Stones; 2 Kate Hodgson; 3 Jethro Jocelyn Campbell, on behalf of Friends Hall. 6 & 7yrs: 1 James Lewis; 2 Sara of the School. Children of the Parish Parrow; 3 Lucy Lundberg. 8 & 9yrs: 1 were given £5 Jubilee coins on behalf of Thalia Sparrow; 2 Bethany Stubbs; 3 the Parish Council and the Sports Darrius McCall. 10 & 1 lyrs. 1 Amy The various tent Stubbs; 2 Daniel Stubbs; 3 Siobhan competitions received an excellent Smith. Childrens Art, 4 & 5yrs: 1 support across all classes. All the main James Stones. 2 Kate Hodgson; 3 Louise

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Barningham. Class 3, A Friend: 1 Ray Gill. Wright; 2 Kate Hodgson; 3 Jane Fawcett. JUBILEE BARBECUE & DISCO IN Class 4, A bird or birds in my garden: 1 James Stones. Open to all, A jubilee. next yearl Pizza: 1 Kate Hodgson. Ladies Class 1, 4 Queen Buns: 1 Sharon Terry; 2 Gladys Atkinson; 3 Anne Stones. Class 2, an Iced Coffee Cake: 1 Anne Stones: 2 Jackie Hodgson. Men's Class 1, 4 Maids of Honour: 1 Mark Hodgson; 2 Paul Lundberg, 3 Nathan Stones. Class 2, Malt Loaf. 1 Michael Atkinson; 2 Paul Lundberg; 3 Mark Lundberg, Open, Lemon Curd: 1 Enid Lundberg, 2 Anne Stones; 3 Margaret Clarkson. Jam: 1 Enid Lundberg; 2 Cheryl Stones; 3 Margaret Clarkson. Victoria Sponge Cake: 1 Janet Bishop; 2 Enid Lundberg; 3 Iill Lundberg. Homemade Bread: 1

Janet Bishop; 2 Jill Lundberg; 3 Enid Childrens Art, 6 & 7yrs: 1 Lucy Lundberg. An Apple Pie: 1 Cheryl Lundberg; 2 Aislinn Smith; 3 James Stones; 2 Gladys Atkinson; 3 Mags Tommy. 8 & 9yrs: 1 Matthew Tommy, 2 Barningharn. Richard Smith won the Peter Sparrow, 3 Nicholas Dawson. 10 & Quoits competition. The Football played Hyrs: 1 Siobhan Smith; 2 Amy Stubbs; 3 between Reeth and the home team Open Painting or Arkengarthdale & Gunnerside, under 9's, Drawing: 1 Shirley Gale; 2 Mags 3 -2 to the home tearn. Under 12's, 8-0 Barningham; 3 Jane Fawcett. to Reeth. Under 15's, after extra time Photography, Class 1, 1977 Queens played the score was 3 all, after a penalty Silver Jubilee, 1 Enid Lundberg, 2 shoot out it was 3-1 to the home team. Nathan Stones. Class 2, 'The Shire': 1 The Junior Fell Race was won by Paul Lundberg; 2 Jill Lundberg; 3 Mags Georgina Stocks and the Open by Torn

## **ARKENGARTHDALE**

Kate Hodgson; 2 Mags Barningham, Sharon Terry and Cheryl Stones Flower Arrangement: 1 Anne Stones; 2 organised on behalf of the Dale a most Cheryl Stones; 3 Mags Barningham enjoyable barbecue followed by an Local Craft: 1 Jane Fawcett; 2 Ann evening disco held on the Sports field Wright; 3 Anne Stones. Baking & and attended by most of the dales' Cooking, 9yrs & under: A Gingerbread residents. Such was the success that Queen: 1 Louise Stones; 2 Jack Stones; 3 most agreed that it was something to do

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#### CELEBRATIONS IN REETH

remember the unforgettable sight of Willie her equipment with her and could she help?

McCleary brushing the High Row cobbles, all Two days of Jubilee celebrations took place by himself, at 6.30 a.m. Tony Bain and on June 2nd and 3rd but they did not just George Alderson were carrying the big picnic happen by themselves. An open, public tables into a line. Nick Parry had said that he meeting one night, after a Parish Council would have things well in hand for the Street meeting in March, saw Malcolm Gardner Party, which was to be free to anyone who installed as the chairman of a Golden Jubilee wanted to partake; and the staff of the King's Celebrations Committee. Showing a fine Arms, and the Black Bull were magnificent grasp of the situation he immediately tables were laid out and food, received from announced that everyone in the room could the many who brought it, set in place. consider themselves to be on the committee. Where did the food come from? Ask Willie Ann Bain, who had had previous experience McCleary or rather get him to ask people to of Jubilee celebrations, instantly started to bring food. If he didn't knock on your door come up with ideas, and continued to he knocked on pretty well every one else's. produce ideas throughout the next five The shops, businesses and cafes in the village meetings. Under the guidance of Malcolm, were so generous - cakes, sausage rolls, and five meetings later, plans had been quiches, ice cream, jellies, gateaux, lemonade. carefully laid but, as with anything nowadays, Each committee member brought a mass (I finance was a problem. It had been possible do hope there isn't a typographical error to hold meetings at no cost due to the here) of sandwiches. The bouncy castle generosity of Andrew Bell (1 meeting in the arrived. A slight disappointment, as two had Methodist Sunday School room) and Robert been ordered (a small one and a large one, to Stillion (4 meetings in The Buck Hotel). keep the two sizes of children apart). Generous donations from Robert Stillion, Unfortunately the little one had been badly Ann and Tony Bain and an anonymous punctured the previous day. Child after child donor, as well as from two American visitors asked me (I'd got the job of looking after the staying in the village, started to set the children on the bouncy castle) "How finances in place. When taken with a grant much was it to have a go?" Due to the from the Parish Council (which enabled the generosity of the Post Office, the King's) purchase of unique, commemorative mugs Arms and Tan Hill public house in for presentation to the children of the sponsoring it, I was able to say - "nothing" parish), things started to look more They were delighted, but I shall probably promising. The mugs were obtained, at a never forgive the sponsors for doing so. For real Yorkshire price', by Jenny Curtis - it 21/2 hours I watched dozens of children pays to know people who know people. Did going up and down, up and down, up . . . J any plan ever go without a hitch? With must be the only person who has felt seasick, two weeks to go we were still short of a brass whilst not moving, on dry land. The young band, a disco, a tug-of-war rope, an order lady doing the face painting was doing an closing the High Row road, traffic cones and extraordinary job and word soon spread and MONEY. The first day, Sunday, dawned the queue increased in size - and then a (literally) and the work started. I shall always visitor said that she did face painting and had

That showed how good the committee's demand they are; but Tony had got one. The planning was!! As did the 'flypast'; perfect weather was not looking too brilliant. 12.55 formation and low enough to be easily seen. p.m. and there wasn't a child in sight -A bit early though, but then that is the committee members' hearts sank as the problem with geese - they cannot tell the Fancy Dress was due to start at 1.00 p.m. time. The RAF, fewer in number (but on The appointed time arrived and so did the time), came after the geese. How did they children. How do they do that? The get the tank up the dale? The 2nd lieutenant, ingenuity and thought put into their who was in charge of the transporter, said costumes made it so difficult for the two Reeth bridge had been interesting but visitors, who had volunteered (well done, nobody had tried to squeeze over in the Malcolm - they obviously didn't see you opposite direction whilst they were coming coming) to be judges, to decide between the over it. Getting the tank off the transporter entrants. Then it was the sports. Margaret was great entertainment and children (about Porter (Treasurer) had all the prizes in place 40 year old by the look of some of them) in tiny envelopes, labelled and ready to be were dying to get inside and have a look - handed out; it must have taken hours. She'd which they were allowed to do. The had them ready for the Fancy Dress as well, transporter provided the biggest game of and had had this neat way of getting my remote controlled quoits you've ever seen. attention so that I could take them and hand Why did The Queen's Own Yeomanry bring them out - a quick jab in the small of the a tank from Newcastle on a 21/2 hour back. The sports were great fun. There was journey. Two reasons: one, Willie McCleary George again, getting eggs and spoons, ties had been pestering them for weeks and for the 3-legged race, holding ropes, getting secondly, Nick Parry was sponsoring the Wellingtons and once again doing anything event by looking after the troops until the and everything without fuss. The children next morning. By now George Alderson had seemed to be enjoying themselves so much slowed down somewhat as he ran out of jobs that the adults insisted on having a go at to do. He wasn't saying much, but he was some of the competitions. Wendy Gardner quietly getting through a lot of work - learnt that it is not a good idea to catch a carrying tables and chairs from the Memorial fresh egg above/on her head - she'd just had Hall, erecting a fence around the car parking her hair done; and one young man was so and generally doing any job that needed proud at having won the egg catching doing. When we had taken the tables back competition he still had his place label on his into the Hall he backed out cleaning the floor clothes at the disco in the evening. What did marks, where we had walked, as he went. I learn from the sports? - well that Brenda That's thorough. A successful day. Monday Allen could probably win races in any age 7.30 a.m. - and there was George erecting a group as she raced up and down the track rope fence right around the Centre Green retrieving skipping ropes, Wellingtons, eggs, Tony Bain was laying out the track. He'd small children, etc to take back to the start also performed a minor miracle and obtained line. The disco that evening, in The Buck a tug-of-war rope. You wouldn't believe Hotel, was courtesy of Robert Stillion's

how scarce they are and how much in generous sponsorship. Cont. on page 23

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there was lemonade inside and the room became very hot, she provided the fastest glasses washing service that I have ever seen, over and over again. I spent the evening rooms and help. opening and shutting the door for small children who seemed to be in a desperate rush to go somewhere - well, it was free As chairman of the Reeth Jubilee Committee, lemonade (provided by The King's Arms and The Black Bull). My wife tells me that the thanks to all the committee members who Songs of Praise at the bandstand was a very moving event. Another miracle worker. George Lundberg, with the invaluable a tremendous amount of support. Big thanks assistance of James Kendall and John Little's coordination, had managed to snatch a triumph from what at lunchtime had seemed the slightest complaint. To all the businesses to be a probable disaster. Our three local and individuals who gave food and drink for ministers conducted the service in the spirit the Street Party, a big, big thank you. To all of the occasion and the ad hoc band individuals and to all who provided help in acquitted themselves magnificently. Even any way, including the Army, the RAF, the the weather cooperated! Then it was the Bouncy Castles, the Face Painters, Reeth Beacon. Willie McCleary and Nick Parry had Sports, the Scouts, the Clergy and Ministers, conned, harassed and helped various people the Silver Band, the Quoits League, the to build it, and at 9.55 p.m. the beacon was Disco, the crew who lit the Beacon, the lit - you must get your watch fixed, Willie! Fireworks Group and the Photographer, I What can you say about the Firework thank you all for making a very memorable display? It gets better every time there is one and successful 2 days. Your generosity at in Reeth; thanks to Tim Tunley, Malcolm times was overwhelming. Despite what some Gardner, David Hutchinson and George people may say and think, those 2 days Alderson. Jenny Curtis had one of the proved that there is a magnificent collection buckets; and perhaps a touch of community spirit in Reeth and the Heineken, as there were reports of her surrounding area. Thank you all again; it getting into places that a collection bucket has never been before. John Little, the committee's official photographer, must have photographed everything that moved, and probably anything that did not move, on the off chance that it might move later. A successful second day. From comments that were made by visitors they were almost awed

at what this parish had done to celebrate the (by donating the room). Margaret Porter Queen's Golden Jubilee - but it did not just took the money at the entrance and since happen. Well done, Malcolm, as you had the responsibility as Chairman, well done committee for backing him so ably, and well done to all those who provided money, food,

#### A Chairman's Thank You

would like to record my appreciation and came to meetings and to those who, for whatever reason could not, but who gave me also to the Officers of the above who shouldered an enormous workload without was a pleasure and privilege to work with each and every one of you.

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be a few in The Dalesman? Well thanks once more to those of you who have contacted me This month I'm putting out a request for with sighrings. All records are kept but space information about book and magazine & time does not allow every one to be articles that refer or relate to Swaledale (or included on the website. This now contains a The Dales) and their birds. I know of very page for comments which can be about few, and would welcome any information on anything that relates to Swaledale and its such. I hope to be able to share this birds and soon a page with literary Web-site and in a future articles for The http://hometowH.aoI.co.uk/swaledalebirds/ sightings.html

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I found the two pieces in your Gazette heaven? What I do find sad about Mrs (June 2002) from Elizabeth Gregson and Gregson's letter is the complete absence Paul Bond fascinating reading, though I in it of the truth that it is just as possible admit I found Dr. Bond's contribution for God to work through His creation by much more helpful. I too, like Mrs the evolutionary process as in a straight 6 Gregson, have spent time looking at the day activity. Why does it have to be two 'opposing' views on the origin of life either/or. It might require some and ultimately mankind, and have come reinterpretation of Genesis 1 - 3, but that, to the view, with many others, that the as Dr Bond points out, does not two views are not, as creationists would invalidate it. After all why cannot the have us believe, incompatible. As Dr Eternal God, always present in time and Bond points out, the Bible tells us why; space, not continue His work as Creator, evolution/natural selection tells us how. as he does each time new life is born in Should God, in His wisdom, have put the all its variety, and as individuals are how into the Biblical narrative who, up to spiritually 'born again' into His kingdom. the last 100 years, would have had any One last thing - what I believe about the idea about what it was talking about creation process does not alter for me, This is just as true for the origin of the one whit, what I believe about my need universe as for life. There is a rather for a Saviour who died for me that I cynical quote that, "Faith is trying to might know Him and the power of His believe what you know isn't true", and yet resurrection in my life - why should it? it is amazing what mental gymnastics will enable us to accept. Unfortunately it's possible to turn that quote around to, "Faith is not believing what is obviously true"! I concur absolutely with Dr Bond's comment that he believes in a God who is not deceitful. I find one of the claims by extreme creationists that God created the world looking old (e.g carbon dating, dinosaurs, fossils, etc.) to deceive us into thinking it is old when it isn't, is to transform the God of absolute truth into a cynical deceiver. To hold such a view is to exhibit an extraordinary, example of 'blind faith'. In any case, if it was true, how could I possibly believe anything such a 'God' said about forgiveness, the cross, the meaning of Jesus' death, and

Vincent Taylor - Low Row

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#### **GUNNERSIDE METHODIST** CHAPEL

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Mid-summer Sunday is on the 7th July There will be a family service at 2 pm with children of Gunnerside School. The evening service will commence at 6 pm and will include items by Gunnerside Choir.

Both services will be conducted by Mr Roy Swanston and a warm welcome is extended to everyone.

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smashing game 2Da(es team and it showed! Adam Williams 884650 Calvert and Steven Bainbridge scored 4 apiece. Adam was man of the match for Reeth and Peter Sparrow for Dales. The under 15's had a very close match with a score of 2-2 at full time and 3-3 after extra time requiring a penalty shoot out which Dales won 3-1. Peter Burt 2 and Mike Harker scored for dales and David Coates 2 and Steven Bainbridge for Reeth. Many thanks to Jim Eate for refereeing all 3 games The 2Dales annual Dorothy Clarkson wishes to thank all awards were kindly presented by Goff those who kindly sent get well cards and Peter Burt, The Under 15 gold medal was hospital. She would also like to thank won by Lawrence Amott, Under 12 silver anyone who helped un any way, and is by Ben Wearmouth and B team bronze pleased to say that she is recovering well. by Ben Hall- The most improved player

trophy went to Matthew Calvert and a special Merit trophy was awarded to Jubilee Saturday saw Steven Bainbridge. Well done everyone Arkengarthdale Sports including all these who played well and on an amazing sunny did not get an award. June 9" saw the day. Arkengarthdale and last league fixture at Gunnerside against Gunnerside (playing as 'Dales") took on Askrigg. The under 12's, in the absence Reeth in 3 matches. The under 9's had a of a coach, put in a poor performance to and the very lose 2-7. Scorers were Steven Bainbridge inexperienced Dales team plus the and Adam Calvert. The under 15's experienced Steven Coates showed how played a very good game to win 10-6. one player can influence a match. Steven Lawrence Amott scored 4, Thomas broke through the Reeth defence 3 times Barningham 3, David Coates 2 and own to score giving a 3-2 win for Dales. Ben goal. The scoretine was sufficient to Stones and Thomas Simpson scored for make us runners up in the league on Reeth whose man of the match was Isaac equal points with Askrigg but better on Dawson. Steven was undisputed man of goal difference. Well played lads. The the match for Dates but Sonny Lancaster under 12's B team were seriously short of made a good debut in goal. Reeth players and did well to contain Askrigg to dominated the under 12's match winning 0- 4. We would be very pleased to hear 8-0. Their team largely comprised the from new players for next season. David

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## SUCCESSFUL LAUNCH FOR ORCHARD GROUP

A fine, sunny day for Reeth Market; what more could we ask for the Reeth Community Orchard Group project launch on May 31st? Our plant and garden stall raised £222, with £10 for badges and £62 from people joining our 'Friends of Reeth Orchard' scheme. Leaflets explaining the scheme, and how to join, can be obtained from the National Park Centre in Reeth. Suc Williamson, Barclays local Small Business Manager, cut the ribbon across the orchard gate to officially launch the project with our Barclays SiteSavers award. BTCV officers were on hand for much of the day to answer questions about the work ahead. Guided tours of the hugely overgrown orchard took place every hour and proved very popular, whilst the display of old photographs in the tent gave a lovely idea of how it used to be. However, the most important part of the day was the wonderful support we had from both local people and visitors. Thank you to you all, and to the loyal and committed members of the Group who contributed time and items for the stall. Brenda Allen

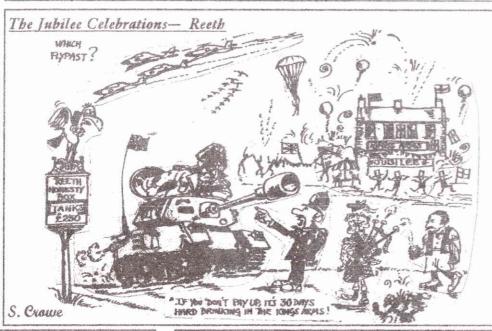
## GARDEN RESTORATION GETS GO AHEAD

Members of the Reeth Community Orchard Group were delighted to hear of their successful application for a Barclays Site Saver Award, which will fund part of the restoration of the Hudson House walled garden. These awards are given to help community groups transform

derelict and neglected land into leisure and recreational facilities. Ours was one of only ten allocated to the Yorkshire and Humberside Area, and will be administered by BTCV, the UK's largest conservation charity. To make a success of this project we need plenty of local support from the Two Dales, and so were delighted to welcome a group of new members recently. A first 'garden visit' not only showed them the scale of the task ahead, but also the intrinsic beauty and seclusion of the walled garden. We had a surprise visit from Audrey Wilson, who, as a child, used to live at Hudson House. She regaled us with anecdotes about the house and garden; but was quite horrified at the present state of the garden, which she remembers as always being immaculate. The official launch of the Community Orchard Project takes place at Reeth Market on May 31st and, at the time of writing, we are planning to celebrate the event with a display of old photographs of the garden and a plant stall. We hope that a 'Friends of the Orchard' scheme will encourage more people to become involved; garden visits for new members will be organised. Kate Trusson has kindly offered to put together a collection of unusual apple recipes for the Group, so if you can come up with some good ideas - or old family recipes, do get in touch with Kate at 884474 or dtrusson@aol.

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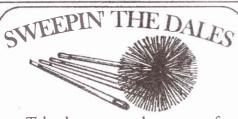
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As part of the developing Two Dales Christian Heritage Project most of the churches and chapels of Swaledale and Arkengarthdale will open their doors to visitors over the weekend of September Some will have 21-22<sup>nd</sup>, 2002. exhibitions of the past and present life of their congregations, several will be preparing for Harvest Festival celebrations, all will extend a warm welcome to visitors from the dales and beyond. On Saturday, September 21, a guided walk will introduce you to the hidden side of Arkengarthdale, discovering long forgotten places of worship which served once thriving mining communities now dwindled to a few houses. For further details please contact Mrs I Graveson, Long House, Low Row, Richmond, N. Yorks. (Tel: 1 01748 886470). Details will also be posted on the Internet at www.argonet. co.uk/gmb/heritage

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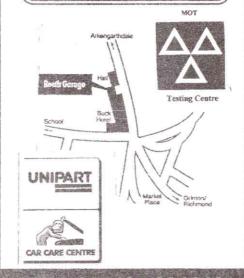
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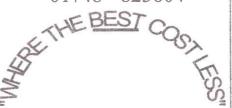


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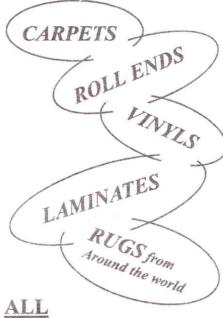
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