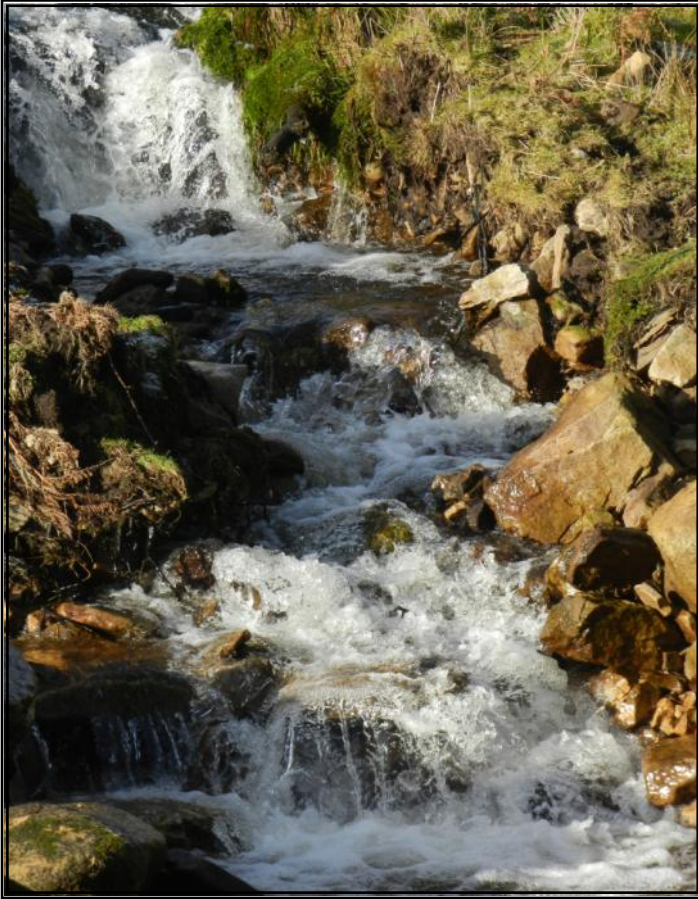


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April	March 10th
May	April 10th
June	May 10th

PLEASE NOTE We cannot guarantee any entry but submission by the deadline is of considerable help.

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"Little Punchard Gill"

Submitted by Anna Roworth,
Arkengarthdale

April Church Services 2013

7th	9.15 am	St. Mary's Muker	<i>Eucharist</i>
	10.30 am	Low Row URC	
		Reeth Methodist	
	11.00 am	St. Edmund's, Marske	<i>Family Service</i>
		Reeth Evangelical Congregational	
		Holy Trinity Low Row	<i>Eucharist</i>
	6.00 pm	St. Andrew's Grinton	<i>Evening Prayer BCP</i>
	6.30 pm	Reeth Evangelical Congregational	
14th	9.30 am	St. Andrew's Grinton	<i>Eucharist</i>
		St Michael's Downholme	<i>Holy Communion</i>
	10.30 am	Low Row URC	
		Reeth Methodist	
	11.00 am	Reeth Evangelical Congregational	
		St. Edmund's, Marske	<i>Morning Service</i>
	11.15 am	St. Mary's Arkengarthdale	<i>Holy Communion BCP</i>
	2.00 pm	Keld URC	
	6.00 pm	St. Mary's Muker	<i>Evening Prayer</i>
21st	6.30 pm	Reeth Evangelical Congregational	
		Arkengarthdale Methodist	
		Gunnerside Methodist	
	9.15 am	St. Mary's Muker	<i>Holy Communion BCP</i>
	10.30 am	Low Row URC	
	11.00 am	Reeth Evangelical Congregational	
		Holy Trinity Low Row	<i>Eucharist</i>
		St. Edmund's, Marske	<i>Eucharist</i>
		Arkengarthdale Methodist	<i>Circuit Service - Café</i>
			<i>Church followed by a 'bring and share' lunch</i>
28th	6.30 pm	Reeth Evangelical Congregational	
	8.00 am	Holy Trinity Low Row	<i>Holy Communion BCP</i>
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THE AURALIO STRING QUARTET CONCERT

On Thursday 4 April at 1pm in St Andrew's Church, Grinton, there will be concert given by The Auralio String Quartet. All are welcome. No tickets will be sold but any donations given will be in aid of the church lighting fund. The Auralio String Quartet was founded by Maryan Borkwill and Mardyah Tucker in 2009 to perform for the Breast Cancer Charity fund raising event at St Pauls Cathedral. Since then the group has embarked on a busy schedule of performing for concert recitals and events in many different venues. They pride themselves on their versatility, at home equally interpreting Haydn, Mozart, and Schubert, as well as music from other cultures and genres, such as Klesma, Bollywood and Jazz. This year they have been joined by two new members Jonathan Acton and Kate Waterworth. Together the group are currently working with students at the Academy of Contemporary Music playing for composition workshops. They are also following the quartet's project, "music in the community" by giving a concert to the Stuart Low trust, a mental health support group charity based in north London. In May they will be giving recitals on board the Baltic Voyager which will be sailing to Scandinavia, Russia and the Baltics.

The Auralio String Quartet is very much looking forward to their visit to Yorkshire and will be performing a programme that includes works by Haydn, Borodin and the Estonian composer Arvo Part

REETH AFC

Unfortunately due to a technical hitch, (broken computer) the match report for the game against Unicorn is temporarily unavailable. The concise version however was a 4-1 loss against what are looking to be hot favourites to win the league this year. A disappointing result as Reeth had already drawn 1-1 with them earlier in the season. The first game of March saw Reeth finally on the field at Redmire to play the first round of the Dales Cup. From the start Reeth dominated play rewarded after ten minutes when an error saw Shaun Charlton take the ball from a Redmire defender to score Reeth's first. Only ten minutes later James Keyse headed a second goal into the roof of the net from a Bainbridge corner. Reeth continued the pressure as Joe Woodall put a through ball from Matt Barker round the keeper to make it 3-0. Minutes before half time Joe Woodall put the ball into the box, Keyse beat the keeper again and slotted it home to give Reeth a 4-0 lead at half time. The second half proved to be a quieter time with Redmire scoring a consolation goal and Woodall netting Reeth's fifth. A missed penalty was the only disappointment for Reeth, through to the next round of the Dales Cup on a 5-1 win. Straight off the back of their first round Dales Cup win the week before, Reeth took on their second

round challenge at home against Colburn.
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With some key players away or injured and with only two subs on the bench Reeth nevertheless were able to field a team which on paper looked more than able to take the team through to the next round.

A run down the wing from Joe Woodall saw his shot ricochet off the keeper, a quick follow up and Woodall had Reeth in the lead. However Colburn were never going to be easy opponents and a defensive error saw Colburn equalise ten minutes later. With good play from both teams the score remained 1 -1 at half time. Fifty five minutes into the second half Reeth's second goal came from a run of play down the right, John Williams putting a low drive past the Colburn keeper, Colburn stepped up to the mark and five minutes later the scores were again equal. Making use of the fresh legs on the bench the Reeth manager used both this subs as Reeth continued to push forward; determined play was rewarded when they again took the lead with Williams beating the keeper on his near side for his second. With Reeth's defence holding tight a place in the semi-finals looked imminent but it was not to be as Colburn took advantage of an eighty eighth minute free kick to pull the scores back level moving the game into thirty minutes of extra time. Despite the wet, cold, wintry day and several pairs of tired legs, both teams were equally determined to win. The breakthrough came for Reeth after ten minutes when James Keyse passed to Stevie Bainbridge on the edge of the box whose shot deflected of a

Colburn defender to once again give Reeth the lead. Good saves from home keeper Lewis Williams kept Colburn out to give Reeth a pass into the Dales Cup semi-final. Supporters are always welcome at home and away games, or if you want to follow Reeth's results, statistics or view future fixtures visit the Wensleydale Creamery League web page.

YDNPA YOUNG RANGER

Young people are being given the chance to learn new skills in the fantastic setting of the Yorkshire Dales National Park. The Yorkshire Dales National Park Authority (YDNPA) has launched a Young Rangers group aimed at 11 to 16-year-olds who have an interest in the outdoors. Catherine Kemp, the Authority's Outreach Officer, said: "The response has been amazing - there have been so many wanting to join that we are full up. And they all live either in the National Park or on its boundary, mainly in the Craven district. "It isn't surprising really because young people are very aware of their environment and have a good understanding of how fragile it can be. They are all really enthusiastic and we aim to develop their interest and help them understand and appreciate the special qualities of the National Park and learn about ways to protect it." Ian McPherson, the YDNPA's Member Champion for Promoting Understanding, said: "The National Park Authority already does a lot of work with children in primary schools and with adults, so the aim of the Young Rangers group is to provide a focus for young people who are in that middle age range. "They will be learning all sorts of practical skills and general knowledge

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The staff and children of Reeth and Gunnerside Schools have had a very busy couple of months, during which we have put on a number of special events for children, parents and friends.

We began with a session called 'Supporting your child with Reading' which led parents through the many ways we teach and support reading in school and how parents can help their children at home. We held a very well attended session called 'Making Sense of Maths' during which parents heard about the methods we teach children to use and how they can support them at home. Parents were then invited to play games, solve problems and join in with maths related activities which demonstrated the many ways maths is essential in everyday life. The next event was a presentation to parents by the Yr 3 and 4 class about the Chinese New Year. A great deal of preparation and rehearsal went into this colourful and informative event. World Book Day saw parents come into school to share a favourite book with their children and to hear our children talking about their love of books. The author and poet Wes Magee joined us on Friday 8th March for an afternoon of poetry and to deliver a writing 'master class'. We continue our support for parents with an ICT afternoon during which we have a speaker who will guide parents through the many ways to support children's learning on-line followed by a practical workshop where children can work alongside their parents to investigate resources to support learning. Our children from Year 1 to Year 6, are taking part in

many classes at the Wensleydale Tournament of Song. We wish them all good luck and an enjoyable time. I know how much they enjoy competing and we recognise how much taking part in such events helps to develop their self confidence. Advance notice of an event in May for which we need YOUR support: We are holding a Think Pink Day on Friday 3rd May at Reeth School which will include a coffee afternoon to raise funds for Cancer Research. Do please try to come along from 1.30pm to Reeth School Hall and enjoy fresh coffee, tasty cake, some entertainment by the children AND support a very worthwhile cause - research into a cure for cancer. See you soon, best wishes, Linda and Staff.

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FILMS IN GUNNERSIDE HALL

The following films will be shown in Gunnerside Village Hall: :Angel's Share. April 13th :The Help.

Doors open at 7.00pm and admission is £5 (£3 under 16).

QUIZ NIGHT

There will be a Quiz Night and Pie and Pea Supper with tea/coffee and cake to follow. This will be held in Richmond Methodist Church Hall on Friday 12th April at 7pm. All proceeds will go towards refurbishment and upgrading of Reeth and Arkengarthdale Chapels. Tickets are £6 and are available from Maggie Heap 01748 884051

AN EVENING WITH GINA LEISHMAN

This musical evening will be held on Friday, 5th April at 8.00 pm in Reeth Memorial Hall. Join this New York based, Teesdale rooted singer/songwriter, composer and multi-instrumentalist as she shares her "ABCs of Living, Loving and Dying" through jazz, music hall, traditional and cabaret songs and stories, by herself and others (in turn funny and deeply moving, but always entertaining). A solo performance, with surprise special guests. The concert is kindly given in aid of The Swale Singers. Tickets £10 at the door, or from Reeth Post Office. (Contact tel. no. 01748 886457)

SWALEDALE WITH ARKENGARTHDALE**PARISH - ANNUAL PAROCHIAL****CHURCH MEETING [APCM]**

Tuesday 23rd April at 7.30pm

The APCM will take place this year at Fremington Sunday School on Tuesday 23rd April at 7.30pm and refreshments will be served at this meeting. This meeting is primarily for Parochial Church Council members, everyone on the Parish Electoral Roll and all regular worshippers - although all residents of the parish are welcome to attend and to hear our speaker which follows the short business meeting [which will include the annual parish report]. Once the business has concluded, our speaker for the evening is Mr Charlie Hart of Hope Debt Advice. Please do come along to hear the round up of 2012 in the Parish and to listen to our speaker as we look ahead together in the coming year.

Rev. Caroline Hewlett - Vicar

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Treasurers report for year 2012.

The Reeth & District Gazette Ltd. has had a difficult year with over 10.5% decrease in turnover for the year thus producing a trading loss of over £3,000.00. Your Management Committee takes this very seriously and after looking at what other publications were charging for adverts, and bearing in mind that our rates had not increased since 2010, reluctantly decided to increase the rate charged. This was taken very reluctantly and we would like to thank all our advertisers for their continued support.

W. D. Trusson. Treasurer RDG Ltd.

JOSÉ TYERMAN

José celebrated her 100th birthday on 18th March. She was born Josephina Wilhelmina Henrietta Verschuere in Antwerp, Belgium in 1913 and had a sister, Georgette. Around 1936, she came for a holiday in Richmond at her auntie's, who was married to Robbie Tyerman's boss at the Prudential and that's how José and Robbie met. They were already engaged as war broke out in 1939 when José received a letter from the Home Office telling her she'd 7 days to return to Belgium. So within the week they were married in Richmond Register Office. Then a meal at Scotch Corner, before Robbie went straight back to work and José went home to Reeth. They didn't have a honeymoon. They were happily married for 42 years. Robbie's call-up saw him posted to London but, when the building was bombed, he was transferred to India. José didn't see him for 3½ years. With Robbie away, José took over his Prudential job, inheriting his 200 sq. mile 'patch', covering Richmond and the Dales. Having no transport she relied on lifts from the coalman and Cadbury's Chocolate vans to reach outlying farms. When she did get a car, her boss taught her to drive. As it was wartime, she didn't need a licence. José recalls the two of them exchanging words, as she struggled to master a hill-start on Harkerside. Everyone was very good to her as she collected on her round. An accomplished seamstress, José used to make her own clothes and also gave evening classes in dressmaking. In the 1960s she worked in Jackson's clothing shop in Silver Street. José remembers personality Wilfred

Pickles staying at the Buck and interviewing her on his radio show. Telling him she was from Antwerp, he retorted, "I thought you were a twerp of some sort!" So she has lived over 73 years in Reeth. In Langhorne Drive and, latterly, in a nearby bungalow, with the help of carers, good friends and neighbours.

José speaks English, Flemish and French; knits and crochets for charity and does newspaper crosswords every day. She enjoys classical music and a glass of red wine (something she was introduced to aged 7; as they do in Belgium).

Heartiest congratulations and best wishes José from all at the Gazette.

RICHMOND JAM CHARITY CONCERT

**On Saturday 20th April 2013 in the
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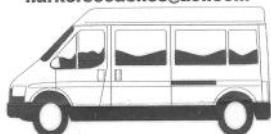
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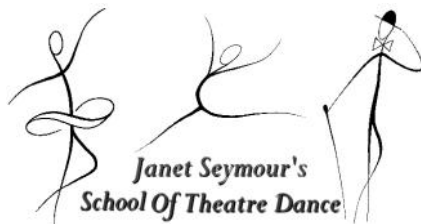
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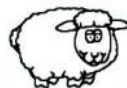
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GRINTON PARISH COUNCIL MONDAY MARCH 4

Highways The council would send a message to Mike Woodford on his retirement expressing their appreciation for his work over 42 years in the Highways Department. In reply to concerns raised at the previous meeting the department had replied that the potholes and wall problems would be inspected and dealt with but the subsidence on the Richmond road could not be repaired until the summer as this was far more complex. Councillors confirmed that potholes along the Harkerside road were being filled in and the blocked drain at Eilers Hill had been cleared. District Coun Gardner in attendance reported that a plan of the drains had been requested to aid the gully sucker driver as the one near the old post office was often missed when the others were cleared. Coun Coates pointed out that the collapsing wall alongside the Leyburn road had not yet been dealt with and that this was likely to be a problem for the Tour de France route.

Roadside Verges Coun Gardner had asked the local parish councils to report in writing the location of overgrowing saplings along the roads in the dale. These were now being dealt with by a flail cutter and where this was not possible the few remaining would be dealt with manually.

Road Sign Coun Gardner reported that the Grinton village name sign had not yet been fixed but he would be following it up.

Ellerton Parish The District Council would find out whether residents in Ellerton were in favour of joining with Grinton parish council.

Precept Members were informed of changes to the way in which Council Tax was assessed and its possible implications for parish council precepts. **Swaledale Festival** Coun Brown had discussed the situation with the chairman and reported that the Festival was working hard to deal with thoughtless parking by some concert goers in the centre of the village. Coun Sunter drew attention to the road outside the church between the end of the yellow lines and the junction which could get particularly congested.

Competition Grinton would be entered in this year's Best Kept Village Competition. **Local Archaeology** Councillors gave their support in principle to a request by the Swaledale and Arkengarthdale Archaeology Group for permission to dig test pits to investigate the village's history. **Community Funding** Consideration would be given to possible community based projects which could benefit from the Community Opportunities Fund such as repairing or refurbishing the hall and bus shelter. **Next Meeting** The annual parish meeting will be held on Monday, May 6, at 7.45pm following the parish council annual general meeting at 7pm.

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"BYGONE DAYS" - Margaret Batty

In 1967 Margaret Batty, wife of the local Methodist minister, published a book "Gunnarside Chapel and Gunnarside Folk,

and followed it in 1985 with "Bygone Reeth". There has been a demand by Swaledale folk interested in their family history for a reprint of the books, and they are now available at Reeth Museum, Ghyllfoot Restaurant in Gunnarside, at the chapels and by post from Mary Clarke, The Hagg, Fremington, Richmond, North Yorkshire DL11 6AU. Price for each is £4, and postage for one or both is £1.50. These modest books traced the social history of Swaledale through the lives of the chapels, and those who built, supported and loved them. They are filled with the names of early Methodists and their exploits - names which still occur all up the Dale, as generations of Calverts, Rutters, Blenkins, Metcalfes and Spensleys live and work in those same villages. There are interesting, sad and wry anecdotes as well as historical facts. You can read how John Wesley, travelling at the age of 77 from Leyburn to Reeth, abandoned his horse and carriage and rode from Bellerby to Reeth on horseback; and how two of the earliest and liveliest young Methodist leaders, the Spensley brothers were killed in the Old Gang Mine. Statistics can be dry, but hearing that there were 184 Sunday Scholars and 57 teachers in 1847 gives a vivid picture - and that in 1831 there was only one farmer who employed labourers, 17 single farmers but 223 miners. Some anecdotes would fit into Gervaise Phynn's stories of education in the Dales. In Reeth, a child viewing the new stained glass window with the Good Shepherd holding a lamb, remarked critically "It's nobbut a half-breed", and at Sunday School one day, when told about the parable of the ninety nine sheep, and

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asked why the shepherd would go out and find the hundredth, a small boy said "It'd be the tup". SYLVIA CROOKES

UPPER DALE'S FAMILY HISTORY GROUP

The next meeting of the Upper Dales Family History Group is at 2pm on Wednesday, April 24, in Fremington Sunday School when the speaker is Paul Dryburgh who will be looking at the Family History Resources available at the Borthwick Institute of Archives in York. The Upper Dales Group is a branch of the Cleveland Family History Society; entry is free for members and non-members are very welcome at £2 each. On Saturday, May 4, from 1pm to 5pm there will be a drop-in Computer Club at Hudson House, Reeth for anyone who would like practical help and advice on getting started or getting further with their research. No need to book, stay as long as you like - £3 for the first two hours, then £1 per hour. For further details see the website at www.upperdalesfhg.org.uk or contact Tracy Little 01748-884759.

NEW CASH TO PUT MORE POWER LINES UNDERGROUND IN NATIONAL PARK

More cash has been set aside to get rid of unsightly overhead power lines in the Yorkshire Dales National Park. And residents and visitors are being asked to suggest areas where cables should go underground in the next few years. Ofgem, the regulator of the electricity industry, is in the process of allocating funds for the undergrounding of more power lines in National Parks and Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty. Thomas Harland, the YDNPA's Planning Policy Officer, said: "We haven't received confirmation of our final allocation from Ofgem yet, but I think we can confidently estimate it to be about £3

million. "It takes a long time to plan an undergrounding scheme. This is because it's hard to find a line that doesn't create some challenges - whether due to cost, disruption to local communities, wildlife, archaeology, or for technical and logistical reasons. "This means we need to start working with the power suppliers to plan the next set of schemes as soon as possible - so we'd like to hear suggestions for lines that should be targeted. "We can't make any promises because it is common for any combination of the above challenges to undermine scheme feasibility. However, once we've got some ideas, we'll sit down with the electricity companies and see which ones they can take forward." As part of an existing £1.8m five-year scheme, the YDNPA has worked with power suppliers on projects to put a number of overhead lines underground, including some from Dent Station to Cowgill and from Grimwith to Stump Cross. And dozens of prehistoric flints hidden for thousands of years were unearthed during the first phase of a £300,000 project with Electricity North West on the Malham Moor Estate. Work was put on hold so archaeological students from Bradford University could investigate further. The Malham scheme will see 23 electricity poles removed and overhead powerlines replaced with 2.2km of underground cable. Other schemes that are on-going include lines in Upper Wharfedale from Deepdale to Beckermonds and in Ribblesdale on Swarth Moor. Anyone wanting to put forward a suggestion can contact Thomas on 01969 652378 or email him at thomas.harland@yorkshiredales.org.uk.

MESSAGE FROM THE SWALEDALE MUSEUM IN REETH

The Swaledale Museum is now open for the 2013 Season. We are open everyday (until the end of September) from 10.00 am to 5.00 pm, except Saturday when we are closed. Look out for our brand new red leaflets! We have been very busy over the winter, working on our object inventory, re-organising the displays, and relacing the ground floor ceilings and back wall! Come and see our new look!

We also have a packed programme of Museum events for you. Our Friends of Museum Talks at Fremington Sunday School (all start at 7.30 pm) begin on Wednesday 17th April with Helen Bainbridge, Curator Swaledale Museum, talking on '*A Textile Tour of Kutch in India: From Bandhanis to Block Prints*'. On Wednesday 22nd May Lynda Powell, Director, of the Green Howards Museum will present '*The Dashing Volunteer: The Story Behind Private Hammond's Yorkshire Volunteer Regiment Uniform*'. On Wednesday 19th June Dr Geoffrey Hope will give us '*A Tour Round Dr Speirs's Medical Bag*' and on Wednesday 10th July Andre Berry, will present a '*A Short History of Peat Spades*'. On Wednesday 7th August Stephen Eastmead, Digital Archivist Swaledale Museum will give us an '*Introduction to the Swaledale Museum Picture Archive Online Resource*' and our last talk will be on Wednesday 18th September with '*An Evening Underground with John Hardy*' presenting the newly digitised audio and video diaries of John Hardy's lead mining explorations in Swaledale and Arkengarthdale'. Prepare for the **Second Marvellous Magic Lantern Slide Show** in

Reeth Memorial Hall Saturday 15th June 7.00 pm with a whole new range of local slides for our delectation. On 29th June we will be celebrating our local archives with an **Archive Day at Low Row Institute** with various speakers including Christine Hallas, Duncan Bythell, Keith Sweetmore and others. Our **Third Grand Tea Party in the Orchard, Reeth will be on** Saturday 17th August from 3 pm -6pm.

We also introduce a Pilot Programme from the new Centre for Swaledale Studies, **with** three seminars on objects found locally that give special insight into the history of Swaledale and Arkengarthdale. These events will begin with coffee/tea in the Museum at 10.30 am followed by presentations and discussion, and finish at 12.30. The idea is to build up a series of case studies, incorporating the most recent research and ideas that reveal the history of Swaledale and Arkengarthdale from Prehistory to the Present. Tickets: £10 in advance; £12 on the door, includes admission to the Museum, coffee and tea, and a reading list. Book all three at the same time for £25. Places are limited.

Saturday 18th May - Session 1: **Two exceptional local prehistoric finds, their chronology and possible use.** Tim Laurie will launch this series with an investigation of two prehistoric tools found locally, an axe and a hammer. Saturday 22nd June - Session 2: **Romano-British pot fragments in the context of a settlement uncovered by the Swaledale and Arkengarthdale Archaeology Group at the Hagg, Fremington in 2012.** Saturday 6th July - Session 3: **Medieval Glass Fragments from Marrick Priory.** This seminar will focus on a small group of plain glass fragments

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from **Marrick Priory**. This seminar will focus on a small group of plain glass fragments deposited in the Swaledale Museum by the Rev. Bailey in 1978, and simply described as 'Medieval Glass from Marrick Priory'. Of various colours, thicknesses and bearing beautiful surface iridescence they are a bit of a mystery.

A programme of visits is also being planned with trips to the Lindisfarne Gospels exhibition in Durham, Abbeyhorn Works, York Medical Society, Earby Lead Mining Museum and Wreay Church in Cumbria, watch out for details as they are finalised. For more information and to book events contact: Helen Bainbridge, Swaledale Museum: telephone: 01748 884118 or e-mail: swaledale.museum@btinternet.com. Check our website: www.swaledalemuseum.org. If coming a long distance do confirm details before you set out. Don't forget to follow us on Facebook!

REETH PARISH COUNCIL MONDAY **FEBRUARY 25**

War Memorial Two names would be added to the War Memorial subject to the agreement of the families concerned.

Seats A visitor had offered to refurbish the plank seat at the end of Back Lane in memory of his late wife. Coun Frankland had obtained quotes for the work and would inspect the bench. The seat near the flagpole had become very loose and blown over. Coun Allinson had the repairs in hand. **Village Clock** Coun Allinson would inspect the clock which was still running slow and had not righted itself after a recent power cut. The problem was assumed to be mechanical rather than

electrical. **Best Kept Village Competition**

The council had agreed not to enter Reeth into the competition and it was not possible to enter Healaugh and Fremington separately. **Playground** The question of the trusteeship of the playground would be investigated and resolved. **Archaeology Project** The Big Dig project was planned for 2014 but a test dig on the bonfire site would be held this year as soon as the weather improved. The group had prepared a method statement and health and safety checks were now in place. **Roads**

The clerk would write to the Highways department regarding the state of the road to Richmond to find out what plans were in place for repair of the subsidence. A street light in Langhorne Drive had been reported but not yet repaired. The fallen wall at Fremington was the responsibility of the county council.

Quaker Flags It was noted that some of the flags had been broken by the passage of vehicles into the surgery car park. **Tour de France** It was understood that a public meeting would be held in the village in April for residents to find out how the Yorkshire leg of the Tour de France 2014 would affect the area.

Future Meetings Two date changes were agreed from March 25 to March 28 and from May 27 to May 20. This month's meeting is at 7pm on Monday, April 22 in the Memorial Hall

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Under 12's After an enforced lay off due to weather we played Catterick Garrison away on 3rd February on a blustery day but the pitch was reasonable after all the snow and rain. Dales started playing up the slight slope and for the first 20 minutes had the upper hand but Garrison scored just before the half time whistle. Dales then lost the plot and soon conceded 2 more. They seemed to have lost their speed both physically and in reaction. Another 3 goals followed although, when they had the ball, Dales showed more skill. George Smith was notable in improvement and, in the first half, Nathan Brown played well and made an excellent save from a penalty. We welcomed newcomer Jasper Worrallo who came on showing great enthusiasm and promise for the future. Lost 6-0. The next week we welcomed Catterick Village at Reeth. This was a well balanced game throughout and Dales had recovered significantly from last week. There was end to end exciting football before Thomas Walker put us one up with a powerful strike from well outside the box. Our defending was good as Village made repeated strong attacks although it was sloppy defending which enabled Village to equalise just before half time. Kyle Galloway played strongly in defence and Nathan Brown made some good saves. Scott Alderson's strike on goal was thwarted by the Village keeper but Scott was able to come back and made no mistake from the rebound. Again Village equalised and then their keeper came well out of his area and made a very wild "tackle" on Aleks Karadzic

striking both knees with his studs and was very lucky not to be sent off. Aleks had to come off for the rest of the match. A goalmouth tussle followed a corner taken well by Thomas Walker and Ben Metcalfe was able to take the decider. A very good match apart from one incident, 3-1 win. Half term and weather meant our next match was 3rd March v Bedale at home. Bedale started strongly but Dales soon took the upper hand. Our defence well supported Nathan in goal who still had to make some good saves. An attempt at goal just didn't quite go in and a second attempt on the rebound was ruled not quite over the line but Thomas Walker made no mistake over the second rebound. Ben Metcalfe then made a skillful run up the field dodging Bedale players to put us 2 up. Ben played a much stronger game this week. Two or three players could have got the third but it went down as an own goal. 3 up at half time. Scott made a good run right up the field for the fourth and Ben Metcalfe did all the work for the fifth for Aleks to tap over the line. 5-0. A fine win on a fine day. It is always a pleasure to play Bedale, win or lose, as they come with a very good attitude. **Under 8's** The tournament at Catterick Village on 9th March was called off due to weather but regrettably notification came too late so our parents had a wasted journey. **Under 10's** We are now bringing next season's Under 10's together training under Dave Andrews on Friday evenings to enter a League team next season **Next season** we want to try and run 3 League teams and **urgently need more adult help** to keep football alive.

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Over the last month my telephone has been busy with people calling about problems with their email account and virtually all of them have been customers of BT or used a Yahoo or YMail email address.

The symptoms experienced are that everyone in the users' contact list (address book) received unwanted mail containing only an odd looking link to a website.

A lot of people were concerned that their computers had somehow been broken into but if this has happened to you fear not it is very unlikely that your computer has been attacked.

The problem has arisen because of a security issue with Yahoo's email servers. For a number of months all over the world people have been reporting these problems. It seems to have come to a head in the UK during March as BT customers have been affected. (BT use Yahoo to provide their email services).

Basically what has happened is that someone somewhere has designed a computer program that hacks into Yahoo's servers and manages to access user email accounts. Once the program is there it sends out emails to everyone in the contact list which appear to come directly from the account when the emails are received. As far as I can tell no one has had information stolen or other problems.

Initially Yahoo and BT denied there was a problem. Instead, they blamed users for being careless with their passwords but it soon became apparent that so many people were reporting the issue publicly that Yahoo eventually had to admit to the security breach which they claim had been fixed months ago.

So if you use BT or Yahoo what should you do? Even if your account hasn't been

affected the first thing I would suggest is to login to your account and change the password as soon as possible. To login go to www.btinternet.com or www.yahoo.com (depending on your email address) and sign in with your email address and password (note for yahoo account you only need the bit before the @ symbol - not the full email address). Once you are logged in click on My Account (BT) or click on Your name and choose Account Info (Yahoo). From there you can change your password.

If you are a long time BT Internet customer it is particularly important you change your password. At one time BT stupidly assigned pretty much everybody the same password (esp. if it is something obvious) without giving users a clue how to change it! In the last couple of years they have got more sensible but I still come across customers on a regular basis with staggeringly obvious passwords!

If you change your password make it a good one - make it long and a mixture of letters and numbers. Also make it different to all your other accounts or website passwords. Too many people use one password on all websites - if one site is hacked (esp. email account info) it means that it is easy for hackers to get into all sorts of other accounts (such as a online shopping sites).

If you want to see if your account was actually hacked you can visit the following address: <https://api.login.yahoo.com/login/history> and login with your email account details. It will show a history of where your account has been accessed. Typically hacked accounts have been accessed from other parts of the world (eg. Vietnam or Korea)!

If you have any questions or need help feel free to contact me via my website www.dalescomputerservices.com (you can also find my phone number there).

Carol Haynes

Swaledale Festival

2013 FESTIVAL NEWS

The world's greatest classical guitarist is headlining at the 2013 Swaledale Festival.

John Williams has returned to touring and



will give a solo recital in Grinton Church, the 'cathedral of the Dales'. With 50 years of live performance and over 30 best-selling recordings

and film scores to his credit, Williams is at the peak of his powers - a real catch for the Festival. The Swaledale Festival brings two weeks of top-quality music, poetry, art, drama and comedy to the stunning countryside of the North Yorkshire Dales, from 25 May to 8 June. Star performers appear in churches, chapels, theatres, pubs, cinemas, village halls and other intimate and characterful venues throughout Swaledale, Wensleydale and Arkengarthdale. Every one of the 50+ events is individually ticketed, so it's easy for visitors to drop in and out.

Leading composer and conductor **John Rutter** will lead a *Come and Sing Day*, a day-long choral workshop for singers of all abilities.

One of the world's finest brass ensembles, the **Leyland Band**, will come direct from representing England in the European Brass Band Championship. The band won

second prize in the 2012 English National Championships.

Roger McGough, legendary Liverpudlian playwright, radio presenter, former pop star, and 'patron saint of British poetry', appears in *Poetry and Pints*.

The hilarious star of British radio **Barry Cryer** presents a brand new show with the long-suffering **Colin Sell** at the piano. *Butterfly Brain* is described as "a stream of unconsciousness and sit-down comedy"! Fine chamber music comes from the **Hallé Soloists**, taking time out from the world famous Hallé Orchestra, the woodwind and horn sections of **Northern Sinfonia**, and the outstanding young Polish **Royal String Quartet**.

The Festival opens with the sparkling 16 year-old recorder virtuoso and *BBC Young Musician of the Year* finalist **Charlotte Barbour-Condini** who will play music by Bach, Vivaldi and Lully as well as a brand new concerto composed especially for the occasion, supported by an all-star baroque ensemble.

Other Swaledale Festival delights are the dazzling guitarist-composer **Antonio Forcione** with his trio, the **Northern Early Music Collective**, the **Tetra Guitar Quartet**, **David Owen Norris** on *The World's First Piano Concertos*, traditional Irish music from **Niamh Ní Charra**, and **Lady Lucinda Lambton**, who gives the 5th Reeth Lecture on *Temples of Convenience*. Programme information and tickets are available at swalefest.org. Telephone ordering opens 29 April, at 01748 880019.

MAY DEADLINE
APRIL 10th

GAYLE MILL

Gayle Mill springs back to life this April with a series of heritage skills workshops.

The programme starts with An Introduction to Basket Weaving, during which participants will learn to make their own basket to take home with them. Experienced tutors, Steve Fuller & Simone Siegan of Willow Pool Designs, specialise in making these Celtic Frame Baskets. Traditionally these baskets were made from green willow for fruit pickers and farm workers. But nowadays you are more likely to see them in use to replace a plastic carrier bag when doing a quick shop! As well as basket weaving, there are also courses in other traditional skills, from dry

stone walling to blacksmithing, and wood carving to block printing.

Gayle Mill is a restored Victorian saw mill in Upper Wensleydale. These courses are part of a 3 year project to preserve traditional craft skills in the Dales.

Visit www.gaylemill.org.uk to find out more about events in 2013.



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REETH MEMORIAL HALL EVENTS

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Friday 10th May – Lander mason –

8pm - Multi instrumentalist Fiona Lander (vocals, piano, whistles, saxes, clarinet and recorder) and Paul Mason (guitars and vocals) have developed a unique sound which displays their undoubted talents. They combine both traditional and contemporary folk with jazz and other styles in their beautiful and striking arrangement. They are joined by young folk trio Horizontal Sunday on fiddles, melodian and clarsach. Tickets £8 (door £10).

Thursday 13th June – 8pm -

Hillfolk Noir from Idaho, USA. Travis (slide guitar/dobro/vocals), Ali (washboard/percussion/singing saw/vocals) and Michael Waite (double bass). Bob Harris (BBC Radio 2) described them and their distinctive jugband style as 'amazing.' Frank Hennessy, BBC Radio Wales 'They're great!' The List 'A beautiful blend of folk, country and rock 'n' roll'. See: www.hillfolknoir.com - Tickets £10 (door £12). **Tickets from Reeth Post Office. For details or reservations ring John Little - 01748 884759 or go to:**

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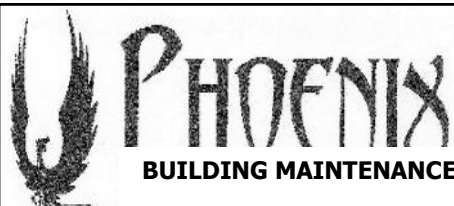
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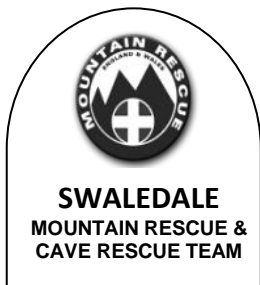
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Each month in the Gazette we'll bring you an update of Rescues & training. If you would like further information, or would like to help the team with fundraising, please visit our web site or drop a few coins into one of our collection boxes in the local pubs & shops.

Incidents & training February up to 9th March 2013: Total incidents for 2013 = 18

Total Incidents for 2012: 41, approximately 3500 rescue person hours

Total Incidents for 2011: 31, approximately 2000 rescue person hours

In the first 2 months of 2013 we have undertaken nearly 1/2 of our normal annual call outs! Thanks to all team members, families & employers for making this possible.

Another busy month for the team with 5 incidents:

24/02/2013 Team training was on Long Crag, below Lovely Seat, looking at rescue on steep ground in winter conditions.

Followed by 2 call outs!

03/03/2013 (18) 10.00hrs: Team called to assist Scarborough MRT with an ongoing search for a missing person. Sadly we located a body late afternoon & evacuated from the fell.

24/02/2013 (17) 17.55hrs: Team called to search for 3 missing walkers between Ribbleshead & Hawes! CRO assisted us again & we located the 3 uninjured but very very lost!

24/02/2013 (16) 16.05hrs: Team called to a walker suffering with a medical condition on the fells above Hawes, Cave Rescue (CRO) from Clapham attended from the south & us from the North. CRO collected the casualty & evacuated them from the fell.

19/02/2013 (15) 18.30hrs: Team called by North Yorkshire Police to assist in locating a family whose car was stuck in snow 'somewhere' in Swaledale. A small group of local team members took to the roads and eventually located the car on the road between Askrigg and Summer Lodge. The car was quickly recovered and everyone went safely on their way

16/02/2013 (14) 11.30hrs: Team called to rescue an injured walker, near Fremington. The lady had fallen & injured her lower leg while descending a stile, the team treated & evacuated on mountain rescue stretcher to the road ambulance.

Thanks to Keld Lodge, for raising £140.35

***Thanks to the Farmers Arms, Muker for raising £107.38 last month ***

Thanks to the Bridge Inn at Grinton for raising £44.98

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All money raised is used to pay for insurance, maintenance and running of our three emergency vehicles, operating and up keep of our base, and the replacement of rescue and medical equipment.

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Events & Activities 2013**

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Sunday June 9th Meadows & Moorland Farm Walk 11:00 - 13:00 Guided Walk through moor & meadow with a local farmer.

Saturday 6th July Wild Flower Walk 10 a.m. - 2.30 p.m. In association with Yoredale Natural History Society, a guided walk from Keld to Muker. Return to Keld by bus or continue on foot via Kisdon.

Sun 7th July Kisdon Classic Circular 11:00 - 16:00. National Parks Walk

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Sunday August 4th Meet A Mystery Writer 11:00 - 16:00 An introduction to local author, Susan Parry, writer of dales mystery stories and book signing.

Saturday Sept 14th 'Dancing with the Devil' 14:00 - 15:00 Held in Keld Chapel, a centenary event, by Dr Duncan Bythell to mark the 1913 dispute in Keld.

Keld Festival Weekend To celebrate 60 years of mains electricity in the village and 100 years since the 1913 dispute when it was discovered that dancing was taking place in Institute building!

Friday 8th November Lantern Parade 4.30 p.m. with children from Reeth & Gunnerside Primary School. All welcome.

Saturday 9th November Centenary

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5th Gina Leishman Memorial Hall 8pm

12th Kieran Halpin 8pm Reeth Memorial Hall

Quiz Night Richmond Methodist Church 7pm

13th The Film The Help in Gunnerside

Village Hall 7pm

14th Reeth Band Concert, Pateley Bridge Memorial Hall.

20th Charity Jazz Concert 7.30pm Wensleydale School Hall

23rd Annual Parochial Church Meeting 7.30pm
Fremington Sunday School

27th Craft Workshop Reeth Evangelican Church
10am till 4pm

MAY

10th Landermason & Horizontal Sunday Reeth
Memorial Hall 8pm

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JUNE

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