

# LAKES PARISH COUNCIL NEWSLETTER – September 2011

**WELCOME TO THE LATEST EDITION OF LAKES PARISH COUNCIL NEWSLETTER. Most of this edition is taken up with this Directory that the Parish Council hope will be of help to those who live in Lakes Parish. A hard copy of the Directory is held in the Parish Office. If there are any inaccuracies the Parish Council welcome any corrections or alternate contact details.**

## Children and Young People

- Ambleside Rainbows - Vicky McDougall, (015394 32504)
- Ambleside Brownies - Marie Travis, (07811 017316)
- Ambleside Guides - Caroline Gunningham,. (015394 43338) District Commissioner – Sue Gudgeon (34282)
- Lakes Childrens Centre - Steve McQue (Manager) c/o Ambleside Library, Kelsick Road, Ambleside LA22 0BZ (015394 32507))
- Ambleside Church of England Primary School - Clare Garner (HeadTeacher), Vicarage Road, Ambleside. (015394 32181)
- Ambleside Toddler and Playgroup - Julia Wilson (015394 37173) c/o Kelsick Centre, Ambleside.
- Ambleside Cycling Academy – Barry Porter (015394 39906)
- Cumbria Development Education Centre – Low Nook, Ambleside – Eleanor Knowles (015394 31602)
- Forest Nursery - c/o Langdale C E Primary School, Chapel Stile (015394 37204)
- Grasmere Tithe Barn – contact 015394 35326
- Grasmere Guides - Diane Burton, (015394 35557)
- Grasmere C E Primary School - Head Teacher Jo Goode, Stock Lane, Grasmere, (015394 35313)
- Grasmere Toddler Group - Libby Dixon (015394 35756)
- Lakes School – Head Teacher Dr David Selby, Troutbeck Bridge, Windermere. (015394 62470)

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- Our Place Youth Project - Ambleside Parish Centre, Vicarage Road, Ambleside LA22 9DH (015394 34172)
- Langdale C E Primary School - Head Teacher Mark Squires, Chapel Stile, Langdale. (015394 37204)
- Langdale Mother & Toddler Group - Karen Carter (015394 37157)
- Langdale Youth Club - Mrs Vanessa Robinson, (015394 37524)
- Trefoil Guild - Lee Haywood, (015394 34303)

## Civic Organisations

- Ambleside Community Christmas Lights Committee - Secretary Fiona Sparrow 015394 32441, Chair Andrew Hewitt
- Ambleside Civic Trust – John Brown Secretary (015394 32878)
- Ambleside Rotary Club - Sec. Richard Attenborough, (015394 31516)
- Ambleside Parish Centre – Helen Minton 015394 34172
- Historic Ambleside Trust – Maureen Colquhoun 015394 34325
- Langdale Village Hall - Mr G Smith (015394 37361)
- Grasmere Village Hall contact- Lianne Brooks Sanders, (015394 35439)
- Grasmere Village Society – Secretary Vivienne Rees 015394 35401
- Kelsick Educational Foundation - Clerk Peter Frost, Kelsick Centre, St Mary's Lane, Ambleside (015394 31289)
- Kirkstone Ambleside Rotary Club – Sec. Judy Fry, (015394 44680)
- Lakes Parish Council - Clerk Michael Johnson, Ambleside Police Station, Rydal Road, Ambleside. LA22 9AY (015394 31656)
- Rydal Village Society – Judith Furniss contact (015394 32005)
- Skelwith Community Centre - Mrs J Martindale, (015394 32594)
- Troutbeck Village Social Committee – contact Mr A Mitchinson 015394 32992

- Troutbeck Village Association – Chairman Tony Ashton (015394 32477) Email [tony.ashton@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:tony.ashton@yahoo.co.uk) - Secretary Margaret Lewis (015394 32072) Email [Margaretjl@aol.com](mailto:Margaretjl@aol.com)
- Langdale Valley Association – Hon Sec Deanna Cousins – (015394 37323)

### **Health and Welfare**

- Ambleside First Responders - Nick Martin, (015394 31124)
- Alzheimers Support Group - Angela Harvey (01539 742631) c/o Ambleside Parish Centre, Vicarage Road, Ambleside
- Ambleside Health Centre - Mrs M. McNally (Practice Manager) Rydal Road, Ambleside. (015394 32693)
- Ambleside Opticians (015394 31331)
- Ambleside Welfare Charity - Mr Michael Johnson, (015394 31656)
- Cancer Care Support Group - Joan Newby ( 015394 33062) c/o Kelsick Centre, St Marys Lane, Ambleside.
- Cumbria Constabulary - The Police Station, Rydal Road, Ambleside. LA22 9AY (0845 3300247)
- Community Police Officer – Not designated due to budget cuts.
- Community Support Officer – PCSO Laura Jackson – 0845 3300247
- Grasmere First Responders Trust - Robin Smail, (015394 35546)
- Grasmere Branch Surgery contact for appointments through Ambleside Health Centre - Mrs M. McNally (Practice Manager), (015394 32693)
- Grasmere Pharmacy – 015394 35553
- Hospital Volunteer Car Service - Marina Thomlinson, (015394 33119)
- Langdale First Responders - Jonathan Smith 14 Thrang Brow, Chapel Stile, Ambleside LA22 9HH
- Mint Dental Practice - The Old Quaker Meeting House, Rydal Road, Ambleside. 015394 34999
- Ambleside Dental Surgery Millans Park, Ambleside 015394 32544
- Mountain Rescue Service (Langdale/Ambleside) - Team leader, Ashley Cooper, Low Fold, Ambleside (015394 32105)
- Oakhill Veterinary Group - Church Street, Ambleside. (015394 32631)
- St John's Ambulance Brigade - Phillip Thompson, (015394 33410)

### **Information**

- Ambleside Library - Kelsick Road, Ambleside LA22 0BZ (015394 32507)
- Ambleside On-line - [www.amblesideonline.co.uk](http://www.amblesideonline.co.uk) - Paul Renouf (015394 34411)
- Ambleside Post Office - The Hub, Market Cross, Ambleside, Robin Love (015394 34780)
- Armit Museum and Library - Peter Jackson, Rydal Road, Ambleside, (015394 31212) – Friends of the Armit Trust Hon Sec Maureen Watson 015394 33682
- Citizens Advice Bureau - c/o The Library, Ellerthwaite Road, Windermere. 015394 46464
- Langdale Sub Post Office - (015394 34780)
- Grasmere Sub Post Office - Red Lion Square, Grasmere. (015394 35261)
- Troutbeck Sub Post Office - (015394 33302)

### **Older Adults**

- Age UK Day Centre – Kendal contact 015397 28118. Volunteer support Officer – Jean Park.
- Age UK Village Agent – Tony McMichael (015397 28180) here to help you, in confidence, locally.
- Langdale Lunch Club - Mrs Deanna Cousins, (015394 37323)
- Ambleside Lunch Club – Mrs Mary King (015394 33085)
- Grasmere Lunch Club – Mrs Mary Bower (015394 35683)
- Troutbeck Lunch Club – Mr Robert Smith (015394 43041)
- Ambleside and District Carers Support Group - Maralyn Frazer (01539 742602), c/o The Fisherbeck Hotel , Lake Road, Ambleside
- Drummerville Sheltered Housing - Nichola Gorton (Warden), Rothay Rd, Ambleside. (015394 32492)
- Rowan Court Sheltered Housing – Janet Baines (Warden), Rothay Road, Ambleside LA22 0EE (015394 32557)
- Royal British Legion Langdales and Ambleside Branch - Mrs D Cousins, 4 Meadows, Chapel Stile, Gt. Langdale. LA22 9JE (015394 37323)
- West Ing Sheltered Housing - Lake Rd, Ambleside. (015394 32492)

- Evergreen Club Ambleside Parish Centre – contact Betty Potts 015394 31851 or Jane Gomersall 33157

### **Religious Organisations**

- Baptist Church - Compston Road, Ambleside (015394 32982)
- Churches Together in Ambleside District - Sec. Mrs J Cambridge, (015394 32606)
- Holy Trinity - Brathay – Rev Canon R. Coke, Millans Park , Ambleside (015394 33205)
- Holy Trinity - Chapel Stile - Langdale (015394 37267) Rev George Wrigley
- Jesus Church - Troutbeck (015394 43032)
- Mater Amabilis R.C. Church (Fr. D. Duane) - Wansfell Road, Ambleside (015394 32283)
- Methodist Church - Rev D. Crouchley, Ambleside Parish Centre, Vicarage Road, Ambleside (015394 42971)
- Our Lady of the Wayside Church Grasmere Fr D Duane(015394 32283)
- Rydal Hall Diocesan Centre - Jonathon Green (General Manager), Rydal, (015394 32050)
- St Mary's Parish Church Vicarage - Millans Park , Ambleside (015394 33205)
- St Mary's - Rydal, Revd C. Butland , (015394 35326)
- St Oswald's - Church Stile, Grasmere, Revd Cameron Butland, (015394 35326)

### **Social and Cultural**

- Ambleside Art Society - Dave Smith, (015394 33800)
- Ambleside Bell Ringers – Mrs Benson 015394 32546
- Ambleside & District Choral Society – contact Dee Lacy (015394 35041),
- Ambleside & District Flower Club - Sec. Barbara Sanderson, (015394 45816)
- Ambleside & District University of 3rd Age –  
www.amblesideanddistrictu3a.org.uk
- Ambleside Horticultural & Craft Society - David Capstick, (015394 32252)
- Ambleside Men's Social Group - c/o Kelsick Centre, St Mary's Lane, Ambleside
- Ambleside Natural History Society - Gillean Bell, (015394 32730)

- Grasmere Red Squirrel Group – Stewart Sutcliffe (015394 35263)
- Ambleside Oral History Group - Jane Renouf, jane@ambleside.co.uk or c/o Ambleside Library.
- Ambleside Players - Sec. Judith Keely, (015394 31700)
- Ambleside Probus Club - Sec. Donald M Elliott, (015394 35584)
- Grasmere Players - Vivienne Rees, Greenheys, Lakeview Drive, Grasmere LA22 9TD (015394 35401)
- Lakes Artists Society - Mr P. Hobbs, (015394 32882)
- Langdale Co-operative Society - Chapel Stile, Langdale (015394 37260)
- Learning Plus - Kristin Green (015395 67606) c/o Ambleside Library, Kelsick Road, Ambleside
- Skelwith Spinners & Weavers - Margaret Wright, (015394 41200)
- University of Cumbria - Ambleside Campus Gateway (015394 30300)

### **Sports Clubs**

- Ambleside Athletic Club - Mr. E. Parker, (015394 37343)
- Ambleside Badminton Club - Janet Faulkner (015394 32208)
- Ambleside Cricket Club - Paul Allonby, (015394 33313)
- Ambleside Football Club - Mr M. Bland (015394 887670)
- Ambleside Junior Football - Jackie Brass, (015394 31223)
- Ambleside Hockey Club - Helen Barber, (07815 741329)
- Ambleside Ladies Football Club - Mr. R. Powley, (015394 33620)
- Ambleside Rugby Union Football Club - Stuart Ross, The Club House, Galava Park, Ambleside (015394 32536)
- Ambleside Sports Assn – Chair Jak Hirst, Hon Sec. Fiona Sparrow, (015394 32441)
- Ambleside Bowling Club – contact Derek Tebay (015394 31264)
- Grasmere Sports - Liz Lane, Sports Manager (015394 32127)
- Langdale Bowling Club - Mr. E Rigg, (015394 37339)
- Windermere, Ambleside and District Angling Association - Neil Birkinshaw, (015395 35630)

### Tourism

- Ambleside Tourist Information Centre - Robin Love, The Hub, Market Cross, Ambleside (015394 32582)
- Ambleside Youth Hostel - Waterhead, Ambleside (015394 32304)
- Brathay Exploration Group Trust - Brathay Hall, Clappersgate, Ambleside LA22 0HP (015394 339)
- Grasmere Youth Hostel - The Warden, Easedale Road, Grasmere (015394 35798)
- Great Langdale Campsite (NT) - The Warden, (015394 37668)
- High Close Youth Hostel - Nick Owen, Loughrigg and Elterwater - (015394 37245)
- Lake District National Park Ranger - Steven Gaskell, Murley Moss, Oxenholme Road, Kendal. LA9 7RL. (01539 724555)
- Lake District National Park Visitor Centre at Brockhole, Troutbeck Bridge. LA23 1LJ (015394 46601)
- Limefitt Park Campsite - Troutbeck (015394 32564)
- National Trust Regional Office - The Hollens, Grasmere, (015394 35599)
- Wordsworth Trust - Dove Cottage, Grasmere (015394 35544)

### Womens Groups

- Ambleside W.I. - Mrs Peggy Roberts, (015394 32718)
- Brathay W.I. – Mrs Carol Dey, (015394 32823)
- Grasmere W.I. - Mrs P. Taylor (Secretary) 015394 35079
- Langdale Wives – Lynn Smith, (015394 33869)
- Rydal W.I. - Mrs Jill Attenborough. (015394 31516)
- Troutbeck W.I. - Mrs S Lever (015394 44230)

### YOUR PARISH COUNCILLORS

#### **Ambleside Ward (6)**

Cllr Elwyn Bradshaw (**Chairman** of Council)  
015394 32760

Cllr Leslie Johnson 015394 32904

Cllr Maureen Colquhoun 015394 34325

Cllr Nick Martin 015394 31124

Cllr Anne Sowerbutts 015394 32691

Cllr Philip Thompson 015394 33410

#### **Grasmere Ward(3)**

Cllr Paul Truelove 015394 35200

Cllr Ella Footit 015394 35918

Cllr Vivienne Rees 015394 35401

#### **Rydal and Loughrigg Ward (2)**

Cllr Fiona Sparrow 015394 32441 (**Vice-Chairman** of Council)

Cllr Malcolm Parsons 015394 32228

#### **Langdales Ward (3)**

Cllr Rod Holmes 015394 37475

Cllr Jean Birkett 015394 37237

Cllr Sheila Ogden 015394 32341

#### **Troutbeck Ward (2)**

Cllr Pip Simpson 015394 31014

Cllr Louise Waterhouse 015394 31182

**Clerk** – Michael Johnson 015394 31656

([lakesparish@fsmail.net](mailto:lakesparish@fsmail.net)) Lakes Parish Office,

The Police Station, Rydal Road, Ambleside

LA22 9AY (Office open Mondays, most

Tuesdays, Wednesdays and by appointment

([www.amblesideonline.co.uk/parish](http://www.amblesideonline.co.uk/parish))

### District Councillors

Heidi Halliday 015394 31472

Vivienne Rees 015394 35401

South Lakeland District Council – 0845  
0504434

### County Councillor

David Earnshaw 015394 33573

Cumbria County Council (Carlisle) – 01228

606060 – Kendal Office – 015397 21000

### Member of Parliament

Tim Farron MP – Constituency Office – The

Cottage, Yard 2, Stricklandgate, Kendal LA9

4ND Tel 015397 23403. Email

[tim@timfarron.co.uk](mailto:tim@timfarron.co.uk)

### Miscellaneous

CueDoc/Baycall out of hours GP service –  
03000 247247

Powergen Electricity Emergencies –0800  
1954141

Environment Agency – 01768 866 666

Northern Red Squirrels Hotline – 07878

061880

National Trust (Northwest HQ) The Hollens,

Grasmere 015394 35599

Police Emergency – 999

Police Non-Emergency – 0845 3300 247

Crimestoppers – 0800 555 111

Gas Emergency – 0800 111 999

Highways Hotline – 0845 609 6609 – use for  
reporting potholes, street lights etc

**And Finally ...** Hello to a new addition of services available in Lakes Parish. By the time you receive this newsletter Ambleside Opticians will open in The Old Mill, Rydal Road, Ambleside offering an extensive range of eyecare services (NHS/Private) 9 to 5.30 and Thursday late night to 7pm 015394 31331.