

The Future of Cummersdale Village

There is a lot of things going on around us at present for example building developments within the village and on the fringe of the village. A proposal submitted to the Government to create a Garden Village with development taking place between Dalston Road and St Cuthbert's without, including Durdar and Brisco. It will inevitably involve a by-pass link between Newby Cross and Junction 42 of the M6. All of which will have the potential to have some impact on Cummersdale.



The Council should have more information available for the Annual Meeting of Electors;
Monday 8th May 2017 held in Cummersdale Village Hall at 7.00pm

The Village Hall

The Village hall is available for hire for functions group activities meetings. please contact Ron Burrell phone, 01228 550428

We have just completed the installation of a new kitchen which was provided by fund raising and grant funding, from Carlisle Parish Council Association, this work provides a significant improvement.

The Cummersdale Friendship Group.

Meets first and third Tuesday from October to April and the first and third Wednesday from April to October. Our programme includes friendship meetings where you can come along have a chat or game of Bingo, lunch meetings; where we go out for lunch to a locality decided by members. Speaker meetings where we have a wide range of local speakers on various interesting topics. We meet at 2 to 4 in the Village Hall Cummersdale lunch meetings are usually at 12 pm.

New members always welcome.

Cummersdale WI

Cummersdale WI meets in Cummersdale Village Hall on the second Wednesday of every month at 7:30pm. New members are always welcome. We are a small friendly team. Why not come along and see us, or for more information call: Joanne on 07954330768, or Janette on 07843621414.

Talks— May 10th Domestic Violence, June 14th Memoires of a Probation Officer, August 9th— the Linus Charity, September 13th – The Show— members compete in cookery, crafts flower arranging etc. October 11th Photography.

The cost for non-members is £5 a session and includes a light supper. To help with catering we need

Dog Fouling

Dog fouling around the village has become a problem again, The Copse, Grace land are particularly bad.

If you seen anyone not picking up dog foul please report them to Carlisle City Council 01228 817559. This is an anonymous service.

Annual Meeting with Elector's and Annual Meeting of the Parish Council.

Monday

8th May 2016

At 7.00pm

Residents are welcome to attend.

In Cummersdale

The Copse

The Parish Council are undertaking improvement works in the Copse over the next few months and will be arranging a litter pick,

If you are interested in helping-

Please Call

Pauline 01228 541296 or
Keith 07799645575

Cummersdale Craft Club

The Group meets on the 4th Wednesday of the month at 7.30pm in the Village Hall. Members enjoy a wide selection of crafts: knitting, crochet, patchwork, rug and card making to name a few. Come along no need to book.



Cummersdale Parish Spring Newsletter

www.cummersdaleparishcouncil.org.uk

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Cummersdale in Bloom 2017

Cummersdale has had some success with entries into the Competition over the past few years, all of which has contributed to enhancing the appearance of our village.

The Parish Council are keen to support an entry this year, but need to look for volunteers interested in helping, unfortunately we have lost a number of our regular enthusiasts due to health problems. We have a number of residents willing to support "Its your Neighbourhood entries. i.e. To represent a specific area of the village or a specific project, these could be. The crescent, The Allotments, The Oval / Gilbert Road and perhaps The Copse. We have arranged a meeting for **Wednesday Evening 22 March at 7pm in the Village Hall**, Please come along if you would like to be involved, or even just come to find out more. Residents elsewhere in Cummersdale Parish may wish to express an interest in considering an entry e.g. Clover Field's please join us.

Further information from Keith McIntosh 07799645575

Neighbourhood Planning

Do you think that Cummersdale Parish should have a Neighbourhood Plan for Cummersdale Village or all of the Parish?

In simple terms, a Neighbourhood Plan;

- sets out planning policies for the neighbourhood target area (either a village or the whole Parish), which are used then by the District Council (the planning authority) to decide whether to approve/amend planning applications.
- Is developed by the local community, the people who live here know the area best.
- Is a powerful tool to ensure the community gets the right types of development, in the right places— it cannot prevent development.
- Will be part of the District Development Plan, with as much legal weight in planning decisions as the City Council's Local Plan within the Neighbourhood Plan Area.
- Is subject to local referendum, where the whole community can decide whether the local authority should bring the plan into force.

Please email with your thoughts—cummersdalepc@carlisle.gov.uk

On April 3rd 2017 the Parish Council have invited Richard Wood, Planning Officer (Policy) of Carlisle City Councils to its Parish Council meeting to discuss the benefits of having a Neighbourhood Plan in the Parish.

Mr. Wood may also have further information on the proposed St Cuthbert's Garden Village.

The meeting will be held in the Village Hall at 7.00pm.

For further information on Neighbourhood planning

<http://locality.org.uk>

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