

Furness R.D.A September 2016 Issue number 42

Welcome back, how fast the summer flew! I hope you all had a wonderful time and are filled with renewed energy ready for the Autumn Term!

We have been busy during the holidays, taking our Gazebo/Shop on the road.

We were at:

North Lonsdale Show July 27th

Cartmel Show August 3rd

Torver Fair August 21st

We will be at

Lowick Show on September 3rd come and say hello!







Third place for our stand at Torver Show and it didn't rain 👍 😊 🏆 See more

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We must give a big shout out to the team from Glaxo who had an Orange Day at Seaview and cleaned and painted the arena, which looks wonderful, just in time for our Gymkhana with the Pony Club! Thank you sooo much!

A big thank you too, to Val and Bryn Clarke who celebrated their wedding anniversary with a marvelous party and donated over £800 to RDA and to their friend Sue De Gruyther who donated a further £200

As always, thank you to everyone who donated or volunteered this year, no room to name everyone, but we really do appreciate your brilliance!

Next year promises to be as exciting and successful as this year. We are already planning Pub Quiz Nights and a Grand Gala Dinner at Cartmel Racecourse.

Volunteer opportunities!

*There are to be two **Backpacks** at Marks and Spencer in Barrow on December 16th and 17th*

*Two **Coffee mornings** on November 12th in Dalton and December 8th in the Coronation Hall Ulverston*

*A stall at the **Car Boot Sale** at Ulverston Auction Mart this weekend*

***Don't forget our biggest Fundraiser,
The Sponsored Ride at Holker Hall on Sunday 25th
September***

Details and downloadable entry forms can be found on our website www.furnessrda.org.uk

In the meantime, here are our here are our Dates for next year, please put them in your Diaries now!

Autumn Term 2016

Wednesday Rides

September 14th, 21st, 28th, October 5th, 12th, 19th

Half Term

November 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd, 30th, December 7th

Thursday Evening Rides are starting a week later, as we have a shortage of volunteers on a thursday evening and there are also people away on holiday

September 22nd, 29th, October 6th, 13th, 20th

Spring Term 2017

Wednesday Rides

April 26th, May 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th

Half Term

June 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th, July 6th

Thursday Evening Rides

May 18th, 25th, June 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th, July 6th

Don't forget, if you forget any dates, or lose your newsletter, you can check on our website www.furnessrda.org.uk

or

Facebook RDA Furness group which you are encouraged to join!

We now have **167** members, so it must be worth a look!

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Next committee meeting Tuesday September 18th 7pm

