

# WHAT'S ON IN GOSFORTH – DECEMBER 2017

## *Gosforth Village Library Link Christmas Post*

*Save yourself time, money and help bring Christmas cheer to Gosforth this festive season, by letting Gosforth Library deliver your Christmas post.*

*Buy your special stamps (20p) from the Library then post in our special letter boxes or through the Library door. Last collection 23 December, we aim to deliver all cards on or before Christmas Day. We deliver to addresses within Gosforth main village and Wellington only, approximately within the 30 mph speed limit zones.*



- 2nd Saturday Santon Village Hall **Winter Fayre**, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Arts, Crafts and Christmas Gifts; Refreshments.
- 3rd Sunday St Mary's **Holy Communion**, 8 a.m.  
St Mary's **Family Worship**, 10 a.m.  
**All Stars** Ecumenical children's club, for all upto 11 years, in the Methodist Room, 10 to 11.30  
Methodist Church **Evening Service** at 6.30 p.m. led by Rev Ian Parker  
St Michael's, Nether Wasdale, **Evening Prayer** at 6.30 p.m.
- 4th Monday **West Lakes U3A** Indoor Games at 10.15 a.m. with Christmas Lunch, at 12.15 at the Kellbank  
**Gosforth Art Society** meet in the School Hall from 6.30 p.m. to 8.30 p.m.  
**Mat based Pilates** - in Gosforth Public Hall at 6.30 p.m.  
**Parish Council Meeting** at 7.30 p.m. in the Supper Room. Public are welcome.
- 5th Tuesday **W I** meet at 12 noon in the Public Hall for the Christmas Party. Competition - A Christmas Table Decoration.  
**Freestyle Fitness Yoga** with Penelope Pendleton at Gosforth PUBLIC HALL, 6 p.m. £4 each.
- 6th Wednesday **French Conversation** Classes in The Kellbank, 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Cost is £3 including coffee.  
**Armchair Pilates** in the Methodist Church at 10.30 a.m.  
**INDOOR BOWLS** meets every Wednesday afternoon in the Public Hall at 2 p.m.  
Gosforth Library Link **Christmas Decoration Workshop** with Glynis Oxley, from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Please sign up in advance at the Library.  
Gosforth Library Link - **Lego Club** from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m.  
**Karate Classes** at Gosforth Public Hall at 4:45pm for Level 01 and 5.45 for Levels 02/03
- 7th Thursday **Tea and Chat** in the Methodist Room at 2.15 p.m. Carols with Keith and Jill Hudson and friends.  
**U3A Singing for Fun** in St Mary's Room from 2.30 p.m. to 4 p.m. Refreshments; non-members very welcome. Contact Xandra Brassington 25794  
**Advent Course** of prayer, reflection and study, St Mary's Room, 7.30 p.m. All welcome.
- 8th Friday Holmrook Reading Room **Christmas Buffet and Wine**, 7.15 p.m. Tickets £6.50 including glass of wine. Children U12 £3.50, tickets from David tel 24632.
- 9th Saturday **Craft Fair** in the Public Hall from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Refreshments.
- 10th Sunday Bradbury House **Holy Communion** at 11.30 a.m.  
Gosforth Library Link **Winter Heritage Talk** - "Mary Queen of Scots in Cumbria" with hands on exhibits. Refreshments. £2.50 (children free)  
**United Christingle Service** in St Mary's at 4 p.m. with Revs John and Lesley Riley.
- 11th Monday **Mat based Pilates** - in Gosforth Public Hall at 6.30 p.m.  
**Gosforth Art Society** meet in the School Hall from 6.30 p.m. to 8.30 p.m.
- 12th Tuesday **Freestyle Fitness Yoga** with Penelope Pendleton at Gosforth School, 6 p.m. £4 each.  
**La'al Big Band Christmas Big Band Night** in the Public Hall at 7.30 p.m. Admission £7, includes Christmas nibbles - drinks available.

- 13th Wednesday **French Conversation** Classes in The Kellbank, 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Cost is £3 including coffee.  
**Age UK Community Get-Together** in The Kellbank from 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon.  
 Gosforth Library Link **Christmas Decoration Workshop** with Glynis Oxley, from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Please sign up in advance at the Library.  
**INDOOR BOWLS** meets every Wednesday afternoon in the Public Hall at 2 p.m.  
**Karate Classes** at Gosforth Public Hall at 4:45pm for Level 01 and 5.45 for Levels 02/03  
**Pilates based Circuits** - in Gosforth Public Hall at 7.30 p.m.
- 14th Thursday **Advent Course** of prayer, reflection and study, St Mary's Room, 7.30 p.m. All welcome.
- 15th Friday St Michael's, Nether Wasdale, **Carol Service** at 6.30 p.m.
- 16th Saturday Gosforth Library Link - **Christmas Coffee Morning** from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.
- 17th Sunday St Mary's **Holy Communion** at 10 a.m.  
 United Village **Carol Service** in St Mary's at 6.30 p.m.
- 18th Monday **Mat based Pilates** - in Gosforth Public Hall at 6.30 p.m.  
**Gosforth Art Society** meet in the School Hall from 6.30 p.m. to 8.30 p.m.
- 20th Wednesday **Karate Classes** at Gosforth Public Hall at 4:45pm for Level 01 and 5.45 for Levels 02/03  
**Pilates based Circuits** - in Gosforth Public Hall at 7.30 p.m.
- 21st Thursday **West Lakes U3A** meet in Gosforth Public Hall at 10 a.m. for AGM at 10.15, then for 10.45 a.m. start. "Wordsworth, Dorothy and Annette". Speaker is Robin Ackland.  
**LDNPA Planning Surgery** in the Public Hall, 12 noon to 1.30 p.m., with Catherine Campbell.
- 23rd Saturday .....**LAST DAY FOR ITEMS FOR JANUARY "WHAT'S ON"**.....
- 24th Sunday St Mary's **Holy Communion** at 10 a.m.  
 Christmas Eve **Crib Service**, St Mary's at 4 p.m.  
 St Mary's **Christmas Eve Holy Communion** at 11.30 p.m.
- 25th Christmas Day **Holy Communion**, St Michael's, Nether Wasdale, 9.30 a.m.  
 St Mary's **Family Communion** at 10 a.m.  
 St Olaf's, Wasdale Head, **Holy Communion**, 11.30 a.m.
- 31st New Years Eve St Mary's **Benefice Communion** at 10 a.m.

## NOTICES

- A big thank you to all in the Gosforth Area who donated to the shoebox appeal via the local collection. 63 packed shoe boxes, £524 and 6 bags of items for shoeboxes were given to the driver from the Whitehaven depot.
- **PANTOMIME TIME!** This time it's Sleeping Beauty! Group tickets go on sale on Monday 4th December (for cubs, guides etc). Tickets go on sale to GADS Members on Monday 18th December. Tickets go on sale to the general public on Thursday 4th January. Please book early, tickets sold very quickly last year, and Saturday night was completely sold out! Prices are held for another year at £6 adults and £4 u18/students. Performance dates are 24th to 27th January. To book, visit [www.gads.org.uk](http://www.gads.org.uk), or email [pantotickets@gads.org.uk](mailto:pantotickets@gads.org.uk), or phone 019467 28392
- **Accessible Pilates Classes** - using Pilates exercises from a seated and standing position (so avoids getting down to the floor and back up again) - please contact Amy at [amyfisher@hotmail.com](mailto:amyfisher@hotmail.com) to be added to the waiting list, or for more information.
- **Sing Stars ?** left off this month because no-one can tell me when they are meeting. I have asked!
- **Scouts** meet between 7 and 9pm at the Scout hut on a Tuesday - Ages 10 to 14. Contact Dave Marsden 24632.
- **Brownies** meet in the Scout Hut every Monday from 5.30 p.m. to 7 p.m. For girls aged 7 to 10. Contact Samantha Milliner 25910.
- **Gosforth Rainbows** meet on Monday in term time 5pm to 6pm in Gosforth public hall for girls aged 5up to 7yrs contact Sarah Millard 01946725365.
- **MokyFit & MokyCORE with Shameem** - 1 hour of fun dance fitness and Core strengthening suitable for all abilities every Wednesday at Seascale School at 7.30pm For more details see "MokyFit with Shameem" on facebook, or 07724 240179.
- **Phone Mel Gould on 019467 27486, or e-mail me, [melbgould2@gmail.com](mailto:melbgould2@gmail.com), if you want to be added to the email circulation list, or if you want details of your event included in both versions; or call at/ post to The Ferns, The Banks, Seascale CA20 1QH.**