WALKERBURN FESTIVAL WEEK 2014

Many thanks to the Committee, all the many helpers, and everyone who took part in making this year’s Festival a big success.

Please look on our village website for more Festival photos.

Eshiels Community Recycling Centre – Improvement Works Notice

Scottish Borders Council (SBC) will be making improvements to the Eshiels Community Recycling Centre during the week commencing Monday 7th July 2014.

The site is being redesigned to provide an improved service for local residents by building two new areas, one for green waste and another for general waste. These new areas will replace two of the existing skips and make better use of the available space on the site. The changes will also reduce the number of occasions the site has to be closed during opening hours. The works are due to commence on 7 July and are scheduled to last for a week. During this time, it will be necessary to close off part of the site to enable the works to take place. As a result the site will be unable to accept wood and scrap metal for recycling and may be required to close more frequently.

Councillor David Paterson, Executive Member for Environmental Services said: “We appreciate that local residents may experience some disruption while these changes are taking place. However, we will be working hard to keep this to a minimum and would like to apologise for any inconvenience caused.”

“Once completed the redesigned facility will result in a significant improvement to the service provided at Eshiels which we hope local residents will appreciate and see the benefit of in the longer term.”

For information on Scottish Borders Council’s Community Recycling Centre’s please visit www.scotborders.gov.uk/recyclingcentres or phone 0300 100 1800.

FREE Information Coffee Mornings at Walkerburn Village Hall

10.30am until 12 noon. Doors open at 10.00am for a 10.30 am start.

Tuesday July 15th Hearing Aid Drop-in Clinic
‘Hear to Help’ will give advice on keeping your hearing aid working properly.

Tuesday July 22nd RNIB
Find out what equipment is available to help you if you have a sight impairment.

Tuesday July 29th Citizens Advice Bureau (Peebles)
Drop-in advice session on benefits, debt, etc. Private one-to-one consultations as well as advice leaflets to take away.

Tuesday 5th August – Footcare Advice
NHS Podiatry Service will return to help you look after your feet.

Watch out for individual posters, or give Steve Bonner on 0750 230 3989
WALKERBURN RFC

Good News for Walkerburn Rugby Club!

Following the Club AGM and a subsequent special meeting, the new committee and volunteers have sparked a resurgence of interest and spirit in the club as it heads into a new season after the Summer.

The popular new President is local farmer David Preacher, Vice President is Robert Glendinning and Secretary is Allin Hoggarth.

The club is always ready to give a warm welcome to players. Also, volunteers to help prepare the club for match days. Please contact Club Secretary on 01896 831726.

For club bookings please contact the Secretary on 01896-831726 or email secretary@walkerburnrugby.org.uk

To catch the latest news

www.walkerburnrugby.org.uk

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www.twitter.com/WalkerburnRFC

HEALTHY LIVING

Nichola Sewell
Health Improvement Lead - Healthy Living Network
Health Improvement Team
Office: 01835 825976/Mobile: 07748320108

Walkerburn Healthy Living Network 10th Anniversary Celebration
Plans progressing to organise a thank you for participants and volunteers.

Want to quit smoking but finding it difficult?
Support from a trained Advisor can help you succeed.
Pop into Walkerburn Village Hall Fridays between 9.30am and 10.30am
Our ‘Quit4Good Advisor’ Karen will offer you free support and advice on stopping smoking
No appointment necessary Contact the Quit4Good Service on 0844 811 8180, or email:
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(Home Visits also available)

PLAY, LEARN AND GROW IN A SAFE ENVIRONMENT IN WALKERBURN HALL

Come along to meet other mums, dads, boys and girls. Free to attend with donations for refreshments.
Lots of toys, activities and fun things to do.
For more information contact Clare on 07575 857958 or pop in on Friday mornings from 9.00 to 12 noon.
**SCHOOL NOTICE**

Community Council Asymmetric Week communication

In March this year Scottish Borders Council agreed to move to a four-and-a-half day ‘asymmetric’ school week for all Secondary and Primary schools, with implementation at the start of the new term in August 2014. The Council report detailed a number of reasons for the move including timetable alignment, improved joint-working between Secondary & Primary and financial savings.

Asymmetric Week will result in the pupil day being slightly longer from Monday to Thursday with an earlier finish on Fridays although the amount of teaching hours being delivered will remain identical to that pre-Asymmetric Week. The public consultation highlighted areas of concern for parents/carers including childcare implications and the length of the school day and work has been taken forward to address a number of these concerns. It will take a period of time for pupils, parents and staff to adjust to Asymmetric Week and the implementation will be reviewed throughout the 2014/15 school year to identify any areas where arrangements can be improved.

Head Teachers can advise on their individual schools and I have also attached the most recent parent communication which summarises the main Asymmetric Week changes and signposts where additional information can be found.

_Jackie Swanston_
Chief Officer for Schools

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**News From Walkerburn Bowling Club**

The Walkerburn Bowling Club held their Mackay Open Pairs Tournament on Saturday 21st June with 18 pairs taking part.

The eventual winners after a Round Robin Tournament were Graeme Johnstone and Billy Rutherford from Broughton & District Bowling Club, who beat the Walkerburn Clubs father and son pair of Ian Anderson and John Anderson. Thanks to Rathburn Chemicals for sponsoring the tournament and to everybody for their support in making this a successful day.

With the school holidays now here why not contact us for a club coaching session or an ‘Introduction to Lawn Bowling’ for age group P6 & P7 upwards, with a maximum of four people per session.

Our next Open Pairs Competition in the Plora Pairs on Sunday 17th August. Please have your entry into John Smith on 07729182429 by August 9th.

For further information about the club please take a look at our website:-
http://onlineborders.org.uk/community/wbc
or find us on Facebook at Walkerburn Bowling Club or contact us by e-mail at wbcmail@btinternet.com
Contact us by phone on 01896 870688 or 01721 730371

_Man Maniam_
President

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**GARDEN WASTE COLLECTION**

Following requests from residents for information about a Garden Waste company based in Peebles, the details are as follows:

_Cavalry Couriers_
Email: gardenwaste@cavalry-couriers.com
They aim to reply to all electronic enquiries within 8 business hours.
If you require any immediate response, call 01721 540 172.

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**WALKERBURN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TRUST**

The Trust are looking for photographs of local views for the Walkerburn 2015 calendar. Please send your photographs to www.walkerburnnews@hotmail.com

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**Advance Notice: Community Fair 2014**

Our annual Community Fair will be held in the Village Hall on 25th October. More details will be available in the next ‘Burning Issues’.

Anyone wanting more information or wishing to book a table, please contact Lesley on 01896-870251 or e-mail us at walkerburnnews@hotmail.com

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**Oyster Theatre: The Wizard of Oz - let’s do it!**

The next show will be staged in Walkerburn in December 2014 - on Fri 12th, Sat 13th and Sun 14th. Rehearsals will be Tuesday evenings and Sunday afternoons at the HB Club.

_Auditions will be Sunday 14th September at HB Club from 6 to 8pm_

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**WALKERBURN WATCH - Drop in Computer Sessions**

Walkerburn Watch is hosting informal drop-in computer sessions for the older person in the Village Hall every Wednesday between 10.30am and 3pm. It’s all very easy-going and refreshments will be served.

_For further details contact Steve Bonner (Walkerburn Watch / The Bridge) on: 0750 230 3898 or just drop in each Wednesday to see what is going on._

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**Local Community First Responders are collecting old mobile phones to raise funds.**

_Please hand in any old mobile phones to St Ronan’s Health Centre._

_Many thanks._

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A creature that is very noticeable just now but rarely seen in the flesh is the frog hopper i.e. the occupant of Cuckoo spit or frog spit (*Philaenus spumarius*). The taller grasses on the verges as well as ornamental plants have plenty on them this year and can be seen all over the village and beyond. It gets the name of cuckoo or frogspit because it looks like a glob of frothy spit on the grass stalk or flower stem. At first glance it looks like somebody has simply spat on a plant, and this will be enough to put most people off from ever investigating any further. Now the creature that is actually inside this white frothy mass is in a juvenile state. And eventually it will leave its temporary home and become something else.

If you go a step further and pick the bug up, you will start to see that it has a slight resemblance to a tiny green frog. The bug survives by actually feeding on the sap of the plant. (A good hose down will wash it off your special plants – sap feeders cause plant deformities and introduce plant viruses). As it drinks the sap, the by-product is bubbles which protect the creature in a couple of ways; hiding it from view and stopping the bug from drying out as it needs to stay damp to survive in its juvenile state. Eventually the Cuckoo spit is old enough to venture out of the safety of its old home. It will have had to shed it skin one last time before it can become its final form…It’s now a frog hopper!

For its size and weight the frog hopper can jump farther than a flea! You would need some very specialist camera equipment to try and capture this extremely fast takeoff. If your hearing is good, you will also hear a click as it makes its death defying leap to freedom. It does this with over 400 g of acceleration. To put this into perspective jet pilots are trained to tolerate 9 g, anymore and they could black out. The average person would black out if you were to exceed only 5 g!

How clever are the Rooks in your garden?
The BTO are working with avian intelligence researchers to study how Rooks behave in gardens, and they want your records of interesting Rook behaviour. Gardens provide the perfect opportunity to study the behaviour of Rooks as there are new problems for them to solve, such as how to feed from bird feeders. The survey runs from July to December. If you have Rooks visiting your garden, take a look at the Garden Rook Survey pages for more information. Anyone can take part. You don’t need to be a bird expert – you just need to see Rooks in your garden. You can submit a one-off behaviour sighting or, if you regularly get Rooks in your garden exhibiting the same behaviours, you can keep a running tally of how many times you see the behaviour throughout the duration of the survey.

For more information on what to look for, including downloadable instructions, please visit their how to take part page. You can also submit your findings there. See www.bto.org

Acknowledgements:
http://www.cuckoospit.com,
www.bto.org,
www.rspb.org.uk,
www.hedgelink.org,

If you see anything out of the ordinary or just have a wildlife question, I’ll try to help. Just e-mail wildsider@sky.com

(Note: Due to technical problems with the account I have been unable to access wildside emails and have unfortunately been unable to reply or acknowledge any messages for the last couple of months. Hopefully this is now resolved and I apologise to any contributors that may have been affected.)

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**July Wildside**

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WALKERBURN PUBLIC HALL TRUST

AGM Meeting 14th May, 2014 - Draft Minutes

Present: Mr C. Graham (Chairman); Mrs M Henderson; Miss M McIntosh MBE; Mr W. Sommerville; Mr P. Waller (Secretary). Ex Office: Mrs R. Griffiths (Management Committee Treasurer). Apologies: Mrs S. Horsburgh.

Chairman’s Introduction
Mr Graham gave a warm welcome to everyone at the meeting. He reminded those present that the Public Hall is owned by Walkerburn residents, everyone on the electoral roll being a shareholder of the Hall.

Approval of the Draft Minutes of the 2013 AGM
These minutes were approved by the Trustees.

Chairman’s Annual Report
Over the previous twelve months there has been little progress with fund raising. The main concern remains the problem of insulation and unfortunately, because the Trust has financial reserves, the Lottery Foundation turned down the application for funding to install secondary double glazing.

Mr Graham pointed out that, in particular, Healthy Living and the Oyster Theatre Company are great successes in bringing local people (and funds) into the Hall.

Mr Graham thanked the Management Committee for their hard work throughout the year.

Presentation of Accounts
Mrs Griffiths presented the Trustees with the Financial Statement and the Payments and Receipts Account for the financial year 2013-2014. The situation is worrying because of a significant increase in expenditure on utilities. Income for the year was £7,686, but expenditure was £15,378. However, the Professional Fees of £2,500 to R. F. Blackhall & Partners was a one-off payment and their Structural Appraisal Overview will be invaluable in future efforts to obtain funding from various agencies and organizations. Also, there were three deliveries of oil over the previous year and as a consequence the tank is reasonably full and it is likely that only two deliveries will be required in the coming year. Moreover, although the reserves have been reduced, this should mean that we are more eligible for grants.

The Management Committee will meet next week to consider remedies, e.g. more fund raising and increasing hall fees.

Also, Mrs Griffiths is to seek new sources of grants for secondary or full double glazing, new doors, a new boiler, etc.

Mrs Griffiths and Mr Weir intend to investigate whether it is feasible to control the boiler by use of computer or smart phone.

The Chairman thanked Mrs Griffiths for doing such a good job as Treasurer.

Annual Report by Chair of Management Committee
Miss McIntosh reported that the Hall is well used, especially in the evenings; however, more afternoon use of the Hall would be welcome.

Miss McIntosh thanked Trustees, members of the Management Committee and volunteers for their efforts, especially those who help in the kitchen and with maintenance, etc.

Miss McIntosh said that the Committee is very pleased with the work being done by Steve Bonner.

She concluded her report by saying that there is a need for younger people to join the Management Committee.

The Chairman again thanked Miss McIntosh and the other members of the Management Committee for their first-class contributions to the running of the Hall.

Election of Management Committee
Elected Members of the Committee are Miss Mollie McIntosh MBE (Chairman), Mrs Shelagh Sommerville (Vice Chairman), Mrs Ruth Griffiths (Treasurer), Mrs Kinta Lindsay (Secretary), Mrs Evelyn Grahame, Mrs Denise Hanks, Mr Bill Hynd, Mr Iain Weir and Mrs Helen White.

Any Other Business
None

Chairman’s Closing Remarks
The Chairman agreed that the Public Hall is well used and said that it would be a tragedy if the village lost its Hall. He thanked all for their efforts and for attending the meeting.

Next AGM
Will be held on May 5th 2015.

WALKERBURN & DISTRICT COMMUNITY COUNCIL AGM

Draft Minutes of Annual General Meeting Meeting held on 18th June 2014

Present: Dr. Steve Henderson (Chairman); Ms H. Shepherd; Miss M. McIntosh MBE; Mrs C. Sutherland; Mr P. Waller (Acting Secretary) Ex Office: Councillor G. Garvie

Chairman’s Introduction
Dr Henderson welcomed all present and reminded them that this evening’s meeting would be in two parts with the normal monthly Community Council meeting following on from the AGM.

Apologies.

Apologies have been received from Mr I Weir, P.C. Chris Burnside and Councillors Bell and Logan.

Draft Minutes of 2013 AGM
The Chairman asked members if they were happy with these Minutes. With no changes suggested, Ms Shepherd proposed acceptance of the Draft Minutes. This was seconded by Mrs Sutherland and all agreed.

Chairman’s Report 2013-2014
Dr. Henderson expressed satisfaction that the WDCC continues to function effectively, though there was little of earth-shattering impact to report. He expressed gratitude for the Remembrance Day event organized by Patricia and John Purves, with assistance and finance from the WDCC. He thanked members of the community council and SBC councillors for their support over the last twelve months.

Treasurer’s Report
Mr Brett has resigned as a WDCC member and as WDCC Treasurer. There is a balance of £271 and the sum of £630 is due from SBC. The audited accounts will soon be received from Mr. Steve Harrison.
Community Council 2014 Election Report
Mrs Sutherland formally retired from the WDCC and the two newly elected members, Mr Ian McVean and Mr George Thornton, introduced themselves. Mr Thornton agreed to take over the role as Treasurer and members welcomed this.

Formal Agreement to Code of Conduct
The two new members will be given copies of the Code of Conduct. The Chairman stressed the need for all members to be scrupulous in their adherence to the Code because it is of vital importance that the community can rely on the integrity of the Community Council.

Appointment of Accounts Inspector for 2014-2015
Mr Steve Harrison has agreed to continue in this role. This was welcomed by members.

Chairman’s Closing Remarks
Dr. Henderson thanked retiring members for their contributions to WDCC business and welcomed the new members. He pointed out that, although we have a healthy number of members, having the full quota of nine would be a welcome situation. Dr. Henderson encouraged all members to try to involve more residents in community affairs, and also reminded members to inform the Secretary in good time if they are unable to attend WDCC meetings. Finally, the Chairman closed the AGM.

Date of the next AGM
17th June 2015.

WALKERBURN & DISTRICT COMMUNITY COUNCIL
Draft Minutes of Meeting held on 18th June 2014

Please note that the Full Minutes are awaiting approval and amendment and will be available shortly
(Full Minutes are also on the Community website)

Present: Dr S. Henderson (Chairman); Miss M. McIntosh MBE; Ms H. Shepherd; Mr. I. McVean; Mr G. Thornton; Mr P. Waller (Acting Secretary). Ex Officio: Councillor G. Garvie.

Chairman’s Introduction
Dr. Henderson welcomed those present, especially the two new WDCC members: Mr. McVean and Mr. Thornton.

Apologies & Notices
Apologies have been received from Mr. I. Weir, P.C. Burnside and Councillors Bell and Logan.

Election of Office Bearers
Dr. Henderson expressed again his concern that his work commitments mean he misses some meetings and suggested members consider electing another Chairman. However, members unanimously agreed that he should remain Chairman and that Miss McIntosh should continue to serve as Vice Chairman. Mr. Thornton was elected unanimously as Treasurer, Mr. Weir as Secretary and Mr. Waller as Minutes Secretary.

Update by Mr. Colin Kerr regarding the proposal to extend the Multi-use Pathway from Innerleithen to Walkerburn
Mr Kerr gave a most interesting and encouraging report about this project. He emphasised that this extension will certainly bring significant numbers of walkers and cyclists into our area. He explained that there is considerable cooperation between Innerleithen and Walkerburn in this venture. Councillor Garvie explained that the design to extend the Multi-use Pathway between Walkerburn and Innerleithen is to be completed in this financial year and that the extension will be built in 2017-18 and 2018-19. He intends to press for this project to be brought forward to an earlier date.

Overview of the first annual walking weekend held at the end of May. Mr. Kerr also reported that the Tweed Valley Walking Weekend had been very successful, with very positive feedback from those involved. The website www.tweedvalleywalking.com has proved popular, with three hundred maps downloaded in the last twelve months. New walks are planned; in particular, the Cairn Hill Path on which SBC is spending £27,000. Councillor Garvie and Dr. Henderson thanked Mr. Kerr for his leadership and determination in both the extension of the Multi-use Pathway and organizing the Walking Weekend. They agreed that the local community owes Mr. Kerr a debt.

Open Questions
Mr. Ian Ireland suggested that Neil Dalglish be congratulated for the success of the TweedLove Weekend, which had brought several thousand participants to Peeblesshire. Members agreed that congratulations were well deserved.

Police Report
P.C. Burnside was unable to attend this evening’s meeting because he was on duty in Peebles during the Beltane Festival. However, he had e-mailed his report.

On 24th May police received a report of a male behaving aggressively because the closure of the B7082 during a cycling event. No action was taken against this person, though cycling event organisers and the police are working to clarify the situation re. the closure of roads on race days.

At 21.59hrs police were informed of an ongoing disturbance within Walkerburn Rugby Club, with twenty persons involved. However, before police arrived door staff had dealt with the matter. No vehicle accidents have occurred in our area during the last month.

On Wednesday 18th June, a male was arrested on a non-appearance warrant and conveyed to Hawick to appear at court that day.

Acceptance of May Draft Minutes
Miss McIntosh proposed acceptance of the Minutes. This was seconded by Dr. Henderson and passed unanimously.

Matters Arising
Mr. Waller reported that Mr. Weir had contacted SBC regarding the pot hole in Park Avenue and that jet-patching had eliminated the problem. Miss McIntosh pointed out that nothing has been done by SBC to remedy the woeful state of the two benches in the Memory Garden. Cllr Garvie said he will look into the matter.

Miss McIntosh reported that Beltane Studios are to provide an estimate of the cost of buffing up the plaques in Alexandra Park and the Memory Garden.

Ms Shepherd asked if the British Legion have been contacted to see if they are doing anything to commemorate the outbreak of the First World War. Dr. Henderson and Miss McIntosh had, independently of each other, contacted the British Legion and had been told the matter was under review.

Planning
Nothing to report.

Correspondence
Mr. Waller went through the Correspondence List provided by Mr. Weir.

a. Last minute invitation received to attend the Scottish Affairs Committee of the UK Parliament informal seminar in Peebles on 9th June, 10.20-14.00.

b. Copy of the Tweeddale Planned Capital and Reserve Works Programme for 2014-2015 received.

c. Correspondence received from Cllr Bell regarding local residents who are concerned about logging lorries driving past Walkerburn Primary School. Seemingly, little can be done about these lorries because, as licenced vehicles, they can be driven on all public roads. However, Brian Young has spoken to the South of Scotland Timber Transport Officer who has undertaken to speak to the relevant operators about concerns re. Walkerburn Primary School.

d. Draft Minutes received of the Scottish Borders Community Councils Network Meeting of 15th May.

e. Consultation papers received on the draft Scottish Borders Autism Strategy, 2014.

f. Correspondence received from Jason Hedley at SBC inviting the Community Council to attend a workshop in respect of Neighbourhood Operations review. (Miss McIntosh hopes to attend this workshop)
g. Correspondence received from Peebles and Innerleithen Community Councils in regard to TweedLove’s arrangement of an event which impacted on our three CC areas. Concern was expressed at TweedLove’s failure to tell, inform or consult CCs on anything about the event. It was acknowledged, however, that the three CCs were pleased that TweedLove organized a successful event in the area.

Reports by Members
Dr. Henderson said that overgrown grass and weeds were causing problems for people driving along the High Cottages Road. Cllr Garvie said he will raise the issue with the appropriate SBC department.

Reports by SBC Councillors
Cllr Garvie said that 114 people from the Borders are to be invited to attend a drum head service in Edinburgh Castle on Sunday, 10th August. He will be inviting Community Councils to nominate people, especially those with a connection with the First and Second World Wars. Re. the proposed bus shelter on the A72 to the east of the village: Cllr Garvie reported that Jason Hedley is developing a specification and is seeking funding from the Quality of Life Budget. Mr. Hedley had also reported that the High Cottages fence is deemed fit for purpose, although some concrete posts may soon be replaced with wooden ones. The temporary barriers in Galashiels Road have been inspected and are considered satisfactory.

Any Other Business
Dr Henderson said that he had attended a meeting at the Eshiels Recycling Site. It seems that, following the cessation of green waste collection, there has been an increase of green waste in domestic wheelie bins and also an increase in fly-tipping. Concern was expressed about people collecting green waste as a business, but turning up at the site as private persons, thus not paying commercial rates for waste disposal - methods to prevent this are under review. At present the gates to the Eshiels Site have to be closed when skips are changed, but plans are afoot to try to rearrange the site so that this becomes unnecessary. Dr. Henderson said that he was most impressed with the senior SBC staff at this meeting. At this point Mr. John Anderson arrived to tell members about the ‘ENDURA TOUR O’ THE BORDERS’ on Sunday, 10th August, 2014. This cycling fun event will be along minor roads, over seven hills and through four valleys. Some minor roads will be closed for part of the day (for example, the Traquair-Glenbenna-Elbank-Ashiestiel back road). Mr. Anderson said that it is hoped the event will bring about 2,000 people to the Borders. For more information, or to enter, the website address is www.tourotheBorders.com

Chairman’s Closing Remarks
The Chairman thanked all for attending.

Date of Next Meeting
The next meeting is on Wednesday 16th July.

All Welcome! You don’t have to stay for the whole meeting but why not come along and see what we do?

CHURCH SERVICES
ST ANDREW’S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, LEITHEM ROAD, INNERLEITHEN
Services: Sundays 10.00am.
Wednesdays: Morning Prayer 9.15am
Website: www.standrewsinnerleithen.org.uk

Sunday August 17th Peebles Churches Together and “More Than Gold” initiative which is celebrating the 2014 Commonwealth Games are holding The Peebles BIG Sunday Festival on Tweed Green, Peebles. This is a FREE event for everyone.

To find out more visit www.bigsunday.info or on Facebook: Peebles Big Sunday

CHURCH OF SCOTLAND (SCO 01100)
INNERLEITHEN, TRAQUAIR AND WALKERBURN SERVICES

SUMMER SERVICES
Every Sunday from 22nd June - 27th July: 8.30am Breakfast Song and Story at Innerleithen Church.
Sunday 13th July 11.30am Innerleithen Games Kirkin Service
Sunday 20th July 10.30am Walkerburn Public Hall
Sunday 27th July 10.30am Traquair Kirk
Sunday 3rd August 10.30am Innerleithen Church (normal pattern begins again)

BURNing Issues Contributors:
Please remember to submit any articles, letters or other material for the August 2014 Edition by the last day of July
Thank you!
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WALKERBURN COMMUNITY CRAFT CENTRE - CRAFTS4U
WALKERBURN OLD MILL CAR PARK
Monday Anyone who would like to use the club on a Monday, please contact Jenni Brown on 01896 833 883.
Tuesday 1.00pm- 4.00pm (Quilting)
Wednesday (Your Choice) 10.00am-12.00 noon, 1.00pm - 4.00pm 7.00pm-9.00pm
Thursday (Class in knitting and crochet for beginners and more experienced people) 2.00pm-4.00pm
Friday 1.00 pm – 4.00pm (Craft-FOR-Club)
The club offers help and equipment to those interested in learning/advancing their skills in knitting, sewing, beading and many other crafts. Cost: Members £1.00 per hour, Non Members £1.50 per hour
Membership costs £25.00 per calendar year and allows you access to the cabin at all times.
Newcomers always given a warm welcome. Individual tuition is available if required.
Workshops advertised in the Portacabin window
For more details contact Jenni Brown on 01896 833 883

WHAT’S ON IN THE HALL JUNE/JULY
(Anyone interested in booking the hall, please contact Mollie McIntosh at 01896 870234)

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