

## What's the Parish Council up to?

A very successful public meeting was held in late November to confirm the Parish Plan. We give a big thankyou to almost 40 people who came to discuss the plan and acknowledge the hard work of the Parish Plan Committee. Every household in the parish should have received a copy of the plan.

The Parish Council has fully endorsed the plan and has earmarked £1000 for projects.

Many of you want to volunteer to do things in the community and information about starting is elsewhere in this issue Gill.

Also in response to your views we will publish the Gill on the parish noticeboards and give space to your articles.

Groups in the Parish want to know where they can get grants towards their projects. This information is included on the insert page.

The Parish Council has commissioned the repainting of the cast iron fingerpost at Hethersgill crossroads and the work will start in March.

### Calendar of meetings for 2007



February 13<sup>th</sup>  
March 13<sup>th</sup>  
May 9<sup>th</sup> (Annual meeting)  
July 10<sup>th</sup>  
September 11<sup>th</sup>  
November 13<sup>th</sup> (Budget/precept)

All are held in public –why not come along?

### Comments

We welcome comments about the newsletter or any topic - please contact Clive Moth, Clerk to the Council 01228 675328

# The Gill

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The Gill has gone green for this issue because the

## Waste and recycling roadshow is coming to town!!

The City Council is soon to introduce new ways of collecting waste and is wanting us all to recycle more



The "Waste and Recycling" roadshow is coming to Hethersgill at 7pm on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2007 in the Parish Hall - if you are really serious about waste and recycling this is a "must attend" occasion.

Why not stay for the Parish Council meeting that follows!



## Volunteering - great therapy and a great way to help in the Community



Time to volunteer?

Why not turn your spare time, energy and enthusiasm to volunteering! It's a good opportunity to: meet new people, gain work experience, learn a new skill, follow an interest, have fun and enjoyment and reap the benefits and rewards from giving something back to your local community along the way!

If you have 'Time to Volunteer', contact Julie or Judith at the Volunteer Centre in Carlisle on 01228 512513 or visit our website at: [www.volunteeringcarlisle.org.uk](http://www.volunteeringcarlisle.org.uk). - **Reach out and Volunteer with us!**



### Mosaic Tile Club

Would anyone who volunteered to run a "mosaic tile club" at the Parish Plan meeting, held in Hethersgill village Hall last November, kindly contact Mary Kay on 675910. We have some potential participants, and we need a tutor.



**Want to tell us** about your club or society: want to see things improved or just want to shout about that fantastic trip of lifetime down under - we want to hear from you. The Gill is yours so let's hear all about it!!  
Phone Clive Moth for more info on 01228 675328

## Talking about volunteers - Who are your Parish Councillors?

The role of the Councillors is to represent your views and concerns to the Parish Council and to other public bodies. They are:-

|                        |                |
|------------------------|----------------|
| Cllr N Elliott (Chair) | - 01228 675336 |
| Cllr A Dagleish        | - 01228 675388 |
| Cllr J Falder          | - 01228 675690 |
| Cllr F Heaton          | - 01228 675516 |
| Cllr H Kay             | - 01228 675910 |
| Cllr P Ruddick         | - 01228 675485 |
| Cllr A Sisson          | - 01228675378  |
| Cllr G Sisson          | - 01228 675101 |
| Cllr W Stockdale       | - 01228 675432 |

The Parish is also well served by City Cllr Syd Bowman and County Cllr John Mallinson

Elections for a new Parish Council will take place on 3<sup>rd</sup> May



### Come and tell your tale about Hethersgill.....

Are you curious about the history of our Parish?

Are you fascinated to find out more, or would you like to share ideas, stories, memories, or even your own research?

**Then a meeting at Harry and Mary Kay's home (The Barn, Prior Rigg) at 7.30 Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> February** should be just for you. Contact Harry on 675910 for more details or to confirm attendance - a "Parish Plan idea"

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