



THE VILLAGER

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Challenge...

My name is Robert Barton, I have chosen the theme of 'Challenge' as I am the new Headteacher of Seaton Infant School. This is my first headship, having previously worked in Education for the last 10 years. For me this, 'Challenge' is an amazing opportunity, an exciting time, and it follows a number of career challenges, previously working in Health and Public services.

Challenge is not something to shy away from and can be a key part of Education. Children are often challenged daily, whether it be their first day at nursery or reception, or as part of a lesson or exposure to new experiences. Challenges can be a good thing, and help develop key skills such as resilience, determination, and perseverance.

However, 'Challenge' at times... can be a challenge! Most recently, whereby we are faced with increases in energy bills, the general cost of living and general inflation, life can be a challenge. This is where pulling together, teamwork, and a

sense of community can really help. Our community, our families and our friends can help support us through this challenge, and all will be happy, and willing to do so.

In Education, we are facing many similar challenges, whether it be Ofsted, funding, or workload. We will tackle these challenges in the same ways, using our local community as support, using our school family and friends. We will harvest and embrace the learned skills of resilience, determination, and perseverance. It's through utilising these skills that we are able to come together and overcome the challenges we face and be ready to confront the next 'Challenge' head on, whatever that may be!

Mr Robert Barton
Headteacher
Seaton Academy

WARM SPACES

As we move towards the winter months a countywide initiative is seeing places set up 'warm spaces' to support people who are affected by the cost of living crisis. What is a 'warm space?'

- A warm, heated space
- Company ('a warm welcome') and at least one member of staff/ volunteer
- Free hot drinks (donations welcome)
- Open at least 2 hours a week

In addition to the above, in Seaton, we will also look to provide a selection of newspapers for reading on site and possibly some opportunities for 'tabletop' games or activities. Thanks to a very kind and generous donation we are able to offer this facility in Seaton and will open our 'warm space' in **St. Paul's Church Hall**, beginning on **Thursday 3rd November from 10.15a.m. to 12.30p.m.** Our 'warm space' will then run **every week** throughout the winter months, unless otherwise notified, and **ALL** are welcome to come along and enjoy.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH SEATON (C OF E)

9.30am Sunday Parish Communion & Children's Church and Crèche.

9.30am Thursday morning Communion Service.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH CAMERTON (C OF E)

11am Holy Communion

Every 1st Sunday monthly

There is car parking available at the church but due to its location there are no toilet facilities.



Our next Messy Church will be on **Friday 25th November at 4pm.** Messy Church is a different way of 'being church' for families.

Come along and join in on the fun. All children are welcome, just remember to bring an adult!

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ST. PAUL'S SEATON WIVES & MOTHERS

This month's Wives & Mothers will be on **Tuesday 8th November at 7.30pm**. This month's theme is 'Something for Christmas', with mulled wine and mince pies!

ST. PAUL'S MOTHERS' UNION

A service will be on **Wednesday 16th November at 2pm in the Church Hall**. Rev. Irene will be helping us prepare for Christmas. There will be a collection of Christmas Fayre tombola gifts. **Everyone welcome.**

LOAVES & FISHES LUNCHES

The next Loaves and Fishes lunch will be on **Friday 18th November at 12 noon** in the Church Hall. **All welcome.**

REMEMBERACE SUNDAY 2022

Our annual Remembrance services will be held on **Sunday 13th November**. 9:30am Parish Communion with Short Act of Remembrance at St. Paul's. 11am Act of Remembrance at St. Peter's. 6pm Annual Service of Remembrance at St. Paul's, Seaton.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR WEDDING & BAPTISM BOOKING

Please remember that we request bookings and arrangements for weddings and baptisms are made by contacting the Vicar on **01900 602162** or via the '**Contact**' on the website and not through social media messaging systems. It is quite easy to miss messages and so a phone call is preferable. Thank you.

PARISH PRAYERS

Members of the community are invited to submit concerns/issues for prayer. In November our focus is on Meadow Vale and Hazel Grove. If you do have any concerns or items for prayer, please do let us know. This is especially the case if you have family or friends who are ill, and we can ensure that they are included in our prayers and visits arranged if required.

COMMUNITY LUNCHES

Seaton St. Paul's C of E Junior School will be holding community lunches **every Thursday at 1.30pm**. Lunch will cost £5 & this includes a main meal (roast dinner), dessert & tea/coffee. To book a place for this lunch, please contact Mrs Magill in the school kitchen on 01900 844651. Everyone is welcome & we look forward to seeing as many of you as possible!

ST. PAUL'S TUESDAY CLUB

St. Paul's Tuesday Club are hosting a Children in Need event on **Tuesday 15th November from 2pm - 4pm** in the Church Hall. There is a £3 entrance fee for which coffee and cake will be provided. **All welcome.**

CHRISTMAS FAYRE & GRAND DRAW

St. Paul's & St. Peter's Christmas Fayre and Grand Draw will take place on **3rd December**. The main prize in the Grand Draw will be £250 cash. Tickets are now available to purchase or sell, please contact Rev Ian if you would like some. This is always our biggest fundraising event of the year and there will be various stalls and attractions.

Offers of help on the day & prizes for the Grand Draw would be greatly appreciated as always.

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

After an enforced break due to the pandemic, this year will see the return of this popular event.

On **Saturday 17th December** we will be hosting '**Breakfast with Santa.**' The cost will be £5 per child which includes breakfast & a small gift from Santa. There will be 2 sittings - 9am to 10am and 10.30am to 11.30am. Numbers for each sitting will be restricted to 40. Hot drinks and breakfast sandwiches will also be available for accompanying adults to purchase. To help with catering **booking is essential**. For further information & to book please contact Rev. Ian by 7th December.

SEATON LIBRARY

Opening Hours:

Monday: 1pm - 5pm

Tuesday: 10am - 5pm

Wednesday: CLOSED

Thursday: 10am - 5pm

Friday: 2pm - 5pm

Saturday: CLOSED

SEATON'S PCSO DROP-IN

PCSO Hannah Donaughee will be available in Seaton Library this month (date to be confirmed). Please contact Seaton Library Customer Service Desk (01900 68441) for further details.

If you have any concerns or issues you wish to discuss with her, please come along.

SCRABBLE CLUB

Are you interested in playing Scrabble? Our November sessions are on **Tuesday 8th & 22nd** in the Library at 2pm - 4pm. Meetings are fortnightly. All welcome. For further information ask Sharon or Martin at Seaton Library Customer Service Desk on 01900 68441.

POETRY PARLOUR

Are you interested in poetry?

Poetry Parlour is starting in the library on the 1st Friday of the month. Next session **Friday 4th November**. Bring a poem to read to the group, your own or a favourite. For further information contact Seaton Library on 01900 68441.

SEATON BABY & TODDLER GROUP

The Seaton Baby & Toddler group meets in the Village Hall on **Thursdays** (term time only) **10am - 11.30am. £2 per Child.**

Including Tea/Coffee, Juice & Snack Children 0 - 4 years welcome. Walk ins welcome.

CAMERTON VILLAGE HALL

Coffee Morning will be held on **Saturday 12th November 11am - 1pm**. Call in for a coffee, cake, savouries and a natter. We will also have boxes of cakes and pies for sale to takeaway. **All welcome**



A gentle exercise class for over 50s held in Seaton Village Hall every **Friday from 1pm - 2pm, £3.50 per session**. Suitable for all abilities. Contact Fit4Life on 01900 814782.

CASINO NIGHT

Have a fun night with friends and raise money for charity! Presented by Maryport Lions in aid of Samaritans West Cumbria, in Seaton Village Hall. **Friday 4th November at 7:30pm**. Tickets are available to buy for £12.50 from TopKutz, or you can contact 01900 68678 / 01900 814405.

SEATON'S GOT TALENT

Sponsored by Seaton Parish Council, Seaton's Got Talent will be hosted at Seaton Rugby Club on **Friday 25th November at 7pm**. There will be a junior and a senior competition, with prizes of £100 available. There will be a bar and refreshments available all evening. Applicants must be residents of Seaton and hold amateur status. An application form should be obtained from Mike Milner (07710504735) or from members of the Parish Council and Seaton Rugby Club. Completed forms should be returned to Mike by **11th November** at the latest.

SEATON VILLAGE HALL

This year the children's Christmas party and over 65s party will go ahead on the following dates. Children's party **Saturday 17th December 2pm to 5pm**. Over 65s party **Saturday 14th January 2023 2pm to 5pm**. Both in the Village Hall. Both parties are being supported by "WYTHEGILL WIND FARM COMMUNITY FUND".

Tickets will be available for both parties from 30th October at the table top sale in the hall and any remaining tickets can be obtained from Mike on 07513167955. Tickets this year are free but any donations will be put into the balcony fund.

This year we have decided to have a Christmas Day meal in the village hall which will be for anyone who is feeling low have no family for support or need somewhere to go just to have a chat or have some company. If anyone knows someone who needs a bit of cheering up let Mike know on 07513167955 or the Village Hall Facebook page. Places will be limited first come basis.

THE VILLAGER

The December/ January issue of 'The Villager' will be in church on **Sunday 27th November**.

Please send items for inclusion to **seatonvillager@outlook.com** by **20th November**.

There are currently 3 advertising spaces available on the back of 'The Villager'. If you have a local business and would be interested in taking a space or would like more information please contact us.

FUNERALS

"I am the resurrection and the life"

4th October

Patricia Alice O'Neill Gibb (81)

Princess Avenue

7th October

David Arthur Bell (67)

Coronation Avenue

10th October

Lynne Ferguson (65)

Derwent Bank

21st October

Keith Stamper (65)

High Seaton

27th October

Alberta Armstrong (88)

Queen's Avenue

28th October

Michael John Jordan (75)

Main Road

HOLY BAPTISM

"Let the children come to me"

St. Peter's Camerton

2nd October

Arlo Clay Johnsen

St. Paul's Seaton

16th October

Alysia Rose Bell



Visitors

In October visitors to St. Peter's were, Alan Petrie and a friend from Canada, who farmed locally fifty years ago. Cannon Fred Moore's grandson and family from New Zealand also Mrs Adams MBE and her daughter from Workington Churches Together.



Thank You

Our youngest church member at St Peter's, Alice, not only helped to decorate the church for Harvest Sunday, but also made and sold harvest lavender bags which raised £38.70 for church funds. Alice you are a star. Thank you very much!

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