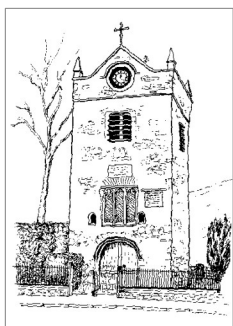


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The society also has a web site at <http://www.sdhs.org.uk>

# SOCIETY PUBLICATIONS

**A Lakeland Valley Through Time** – A history of Staveley, Kentmere & Ings, first published 1995. 124pp, soft covers, **£6.95**

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1. Old Hall, Nether Staveley - *report by Field Walking Group* – 1992 **60p**
2. Hugill industries in the 1<sup>st</sup> half of the 19<sup>th</sup> century - *Mary Atkin* 1992 **30p**
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8. Staveley Banks and Gypsy Well – *Joe Scott* 1998 **60p**
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13. Was there a Staveley Flood about 1580? – *Joe Scott* 2000 **30p**
14. The Extractive Industries of Kentmere, Lead-Slate-Diatomite – *C. Gregory* 2000 **£1.50**
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24. The Eagle & Child – *John Berry* 2009 **£1.50**
25. A Prehistoric and Romano British Field Survey of Kentmere – *Robert Ridley* 2009 **£1.50**
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27. Barley Bridge – *Alan Lord* 2014 **£1.00**

# PROGRAMME 2022

## SUMMER WALKS

**May 19<sup>th</sup>. Walk around Shap village with Jean Scott-Smith.** Meet at Abbey Square at 1.15pm to share cars, or at the main car park in Shap at 2pm. Wear sensible footwear to see one of the famous Shap Stones in a field. The rest of the walk would be on road/pavement. End with tea/biscuits at the Market Cross which belongs to the local History Society and houses their archives. Donation for Shap Local History Society.

**June 16<sup>th</sup>. Visit to Carnforth Station Heritage Centre.** Meet at Abbey Square at 1.15pm to share cars, or at the carpark at Carnforth Railway Station at 2pm. <https://carnforthstation.co.uk/> Carnforth Station has several exhibitions including Age of Steam Gallery, 1940s Home Front Gallery, and the Furness and Midland Hall and of course, the afternoon would be incomplete without a visit to the Brief Encounter refreshment room. <https://refreshmentroom.com/>

**July 21<sup>st</sup>. Walk around upper Bowness with John Campbell.** Meet at Ellerthwaite Square, Windermere at 2pm (Bus from Staveley to Windermere at 13.22). We will walk generally downhill taking in such historic buildings as the Mint-cake works, Windermere Grammar School, the Baddeley Clock, Ye Old bath-house, eventually reaching the Royalty Cinema where the return journey may be completed by bus.

## WINTER TALKS

Thursdays at 7.30pm in St Anne's Church, Ings, LA8 9PY  
October 20<sup>th</sup>, November 17<sup>th</sup>  
Details to be advised

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