

# Staveley & District History Society



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Meetings of the Society take place at 7.30 pm on the third Thursday of the month. in Ings Church, LA8 9PY.

Contributions for the Journal in the form of letters to the Editor or short articles on Staveley and District History should be sent to the Editor at the address above.

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
A Lakeland Valley in Pictures – DVD of pictures from the Society's collection, (2002 -16 mins), plus film of 2004 floods (12 mins) £8 to members

#### **OCCASIONAL PAPERS**

1.	Old Hall, Nether Staveley - report by Field Walking Group - 1992	60p
2.	Hugill industries in the 1st half of the 19th century - Mary Atkin 1992	30p
3.	Staveley Hall/Mill – report by the Field Walking Group 1992	30p
4.	Emigrants (Batesons) from Hugill to New York 1838 - Joe Scott 1996	60p
5.	High House, Hugill - Morrison Harding & Joe Scott 1996	60p
6. 7.	The Staveley Co-operative Bobbin Mfg Society 1880-1900 <i>Joe Scott</i> 1996 The growth of Staveley Village 1300 - 1997 – <i>Harding &amp; Scott</i> 1997	60p 90p
8.	Staveley Banks and Gypsy Well – Joe Scott 1998	60p
9.	Looking back to my childhood - 1920-30 - Chris Walker 1993	30p
10.	The Copper Kettle – Hannah Woodward (prize entry) 1998	30p
11.	Harry Read (1848-1928) – J.C. Robinson (edited by Joe Scott) 1998	60p
12.	Kentmere Hall and the Gilpins 1373-1672 – Joe Scott 1999	90p
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
15.	Ashes Farm 1597-2000 – Joe Scott 2000	60p
16.	St. Margaret's Chapel Tower – Bill Bethom, Ron Parkinson & Joe Scott 2001	£1.00
17.	The Kentmere Reservoir and local Water Mills - Joe Scott 2003	£1.00
18.	The Abbey Home 1900-1956 – <i>Joe Scott</i> 2004	90p
19.	Staveley Banks and the Railway Cottages - John & Tony Berry 2004	£1.20
20.	The Kentmere Quarter Pastures – Mary Atkin 2005	£1.50
21.	Staveley Hall/Mill – A.A. Lord 2006	60p
22.	Thomas Taylor & Low Mill – John Berry 2007	£1.50
23.	A History of Methodism in Staveley - Marie Holland (Reprint) 2007	90p
24.	The Eagle & Child – John Berry 2009	£1.50
25.	A Prehistoric and Romano British Field Survey of Kentmere – Robert Ridley 2009	£1.50
26.	A GPS survey at Black Beck near Skeggleswater – Robert Ridley 2011	£1.00
27.	Barley Bridge – Alan Lord 2014	£1.00

### **PROGRAMME 2023**

#### WINTER TALKS

Thursdays at 7.30pm in St Anne's Church, Ings, LA8 9PY

January 19<sup>th</sup>: "Woodland crafts and industries" with Andy Lowe. Andy, Kendal resident and our most prolific speaker, worked to conserve the architectural heritage in the Lake District National Park for many years.

**February 16<sup>th</sup>: "Waterbird" with Ian Gee.** Ian, retired Lancaster solicitor, was instrumental in the re-creation and successful flying from Lake Windermere in September 2022 of *Waterbird*, the first seaplane to fly with a stepped float, dating from 1911.

March 16<sup>th</sup>: "Two unusual aspects of the history of the Kendal and Windermere Railway" with Dick Smith. Dick has just written a second edition of his history of the Kendal and Windermere Railway, including new chapters on the proposals to extend the railway beyond Windermere, and the railway's connections with Cropper's paper mills.

**April 20<sup>th</sup>: "A perilous situation. Whaling from Whitehaven during the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries." with Rob David.** Dr Rob David is a specialist in Arctic history. He has written extensively on exploration of the Arctic and whaling from west Cumbria.

#### **SUMMER WALKS**

Thursdays May 18<sup>th</sup>, June 15<sup>th</sup>, July 20<sup>th</sup> Details to be advised

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