

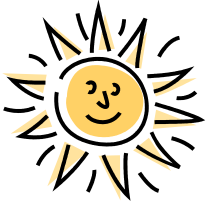
Rousay, Egilsay & Wyre

REVIEW

July 2011

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Holiday Club



In the Church Centre there will be a Holiday Club with Games, Crafts, Songs, a Snack and a Bible Story, for all children at primary school.

So come along at 10:30 – 12:30 on Tuesday's 28th June, and July 5th, 12th and 19th.

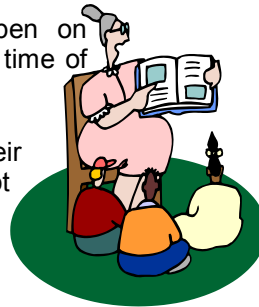
If you would like to know more please contact Andrea (Student Minister) on 821 271 or Zoe.

Story and Chat

Come along to the Church Centre which will be open on Thursdays the 30th June and 21st July 2:30- 4pm for a time of Story and Chat.

We will have a story corner where the children will hear their favourite stories and draw as you can enjoy a coffee or hot chocolate and chat.

If you would like to know more please contact Andrea (Student Minister) on 821 271.



MEDITATION

New members are invited to join our Meditation Group, which will be meeting now on Thursday evenings. There are different ways of, and many reasons for, meditating. Those of a spiritual nature will find it aids spiritual development. But for the secular it can lead to a profound improvement in quality of life. It relieves stress by calming the mind, relaxes the body, and 'slows down time' by developing in us a deep awareness of the world around us.

We shall begin our new season with short exercises, which can be practised anywhere and at any time. If you have never meditated before, this is an ideal opportunity to find out what it's all about and how useful it can be. Apart from meditation itself, these are informal meetings and no-one is required to do anything uncomfortable! So you do not have to have perfected the lotus position! Everyone is welcome. There will be a small charge for use of the room and a donation to OFoFP.

Thursday, 14 July, 8.15 – 9.15, Church Centre

Further information: Chris Courtney 821 247

Snooker Club

2011 Snooker Club subscriptions are urgently required.

Please leave £20 in club or give to Angus Firth.

We are planning on having a 2011 singles competition in the autumn.

Church Services

Sunday 3rd July 2.15pm in Egilsay
(boat leaves Rousay at 1.15)

Services in the Church Centre:

Sunday 10th July 11.30am Andrea Boyes
Sunday 17th July 11.30am Andrea Boyes
Sunday 24th July 11.30am Andrea Boyes
Sunday 31st July 11.30am Alistair Gray

Everyone Welcome

What's On at a Glance

July 2011

Sunday 3rd.

⇒ Church Service, Egilsay, 2.15pm

Tuesday 5th.

⇒ Holiday Club, Church Centre, 10.30am - 12.30pm

Wednesday 6th.

⇒ Film for Children, School, 7pm

Thursday 7th.

⇒ World Dance, Church Centre, 11.15am - 1.30pm

Sunday 10th.

⇒ Church Service, Church Centre, 11.30am

Tuesday 12th.

⇒ Holiday Club, Church Centre, 10.30am - 12.30pm

Wednesday 13th.

⇒ Rockpooling, Saviskail Beach

Thursday 14th.

⇒ Meditation, Church Centre, 8.15 - 9.15

Saturday 16th.

⇒ Storming of Wyre, flotilla departs Rousay at 4.30pm

Sunday 17th.

⇒ Church Service, Church Centre, 11.30am

Tuesday 19th.

⇒ Holiday Club, Church Centre, 10.30am - 12.30pm

Wednesday 20th.

⇒ Triangle Club AGM, Church Centre, 2pm

⇒ Film for Children, School, 7pm

Thursday 21st.

⇒ Mobile Library visits Rousay, Egilsay and Wyre

⇒ Story and Chat, Church Centre, 2.30pm - 4pm

Sunday 24th.

⇒ Church Service, Church Centre, 11.30am

Sunday 31st.

⇒ Church Service, Church Centre, 11.30am



ROUSAY S.W.R.I

Craft Class 2011 – Japanese Folded Patchwork

The Federation has notified us that the above event will take place on Saturday 15 and Sunday 16 October 2011 at the SWRI Hall in Kirkwall. This is a practical 2-day school, 4 hours tuition on each day. The fee is £20 (non re-fundable) and cost of materials is extra. Names and fees needed by the 9 August.

Burray Quiz Night

A quiz night is being held at the Sands Motel, Burray on Friday 16 September 2011 at 7.30pm. 4 members per team, at a cost of £5 per team. Names needed by 20 August.

If any members are interested in either of these events please contact Diana Compton on 821 496.

Rousay Healthy Living Centre

Supervised Sessions

July 1st –September 1st

Mon 7pm-9pm
Tue 7pm-9pm
Thur 7pm-9pm
Sat 4pm-5pm

Please note that due to poor numbers the Wednesday session has been suspended.

The Gym will also be closed on the following days:

6th August Rousay Show
11th August Dounby Show
13th August County Show
27th August Rousay Lap

Show Tickets

County Show and Dounby Show tickets are available from Angus (821 200).

FILMS



Films for the kids in the holidays.

We will be showing a film on the 6th and 20th July at 7p.m. in the Green Room.

Films are still to be decided but they will be suitable for children.

Rockpooling

Sue Whitworth who is with the RSPB will be on Rousay on 13th July, hoping to go Rockpooling at Saviskaill Beach. She will bring out nets, trays and information sheets.

Should be a fun day out for all.

All children are welcome but must be accompanied by an adult.

Times have not been finalised as yet so if you are interested then please contact Zoë Flaws on 821 454 nearer the time.

WORLD DANCE

The next monthly meeting is Thursday, 7 July 11.15 - 1.30.

Although some are complicated, most dances are suitable for all ages and expertise. It's not about getting it right and **all** about fun.

Donations to Christian Aid.
Shared lunch.

Everyone is welcome.
EVEN MEN!!!!

WANTED

Plastic barrels such as popcorn etc to use in the garden. If you have any to sell please let me know.

Contact Joyce 821 377

WANTED

Chest of Drawers/Wardrobe
Any Surplus Plants, Shrubs or Cuttings

Contact Hilary 821 446

THE TRIANGLE CLUB AGM

will be held at
2.00p.m.

on July 20th, 2011

at the
Rousay Church Centre.

2011 RHS Annual Show and Tattie-in-a-Bucket Weigh-In

Saturday 6th August, Rousay Community School

Open to the public 2.30-4.00 pm
Teas and cakes, raffle
Entry £1
Prize-giving at 4.00 pm

Tattie-in-Bucket Weigh-In 10.00-3.00 pm

Tattie buckets should be labelled and taken in by 3 pm at the latest (the earlier the better). We're very grateful to anyone who can leave their labelled buckets at the school on Friday night or Saturday morning, as it takes us a while to get through them. Please remember to bring along two strong bags to take the tatties and soil away in.

**Entries for the Show to be taken to the School
Friday 5th, 7.30-9.00 pm**

Show schedules are available to download on AroundRousay.co.uk, or from the shop, restaurant and ferry. Entrants should again use RHS competition labels which will be available from the same places, nearer the time.



REGATTA & WATERSPORTS

Well done to David, Michael, Richard K., and Ted who won this year's Raft Race with their 'Viking Direct' raft (pictured right).



Island Games 2011

Congratulations to Michelle Koster, who, together with Melissa Thompson from Eday, has won a Silver Medal for Orkney at the Island Games 2011, currently being held on Isle of Wight.

The duo came second in the Ladies' Clay Pigeon Shooting (Team) event held on Monday 27 June.



Pledge Your Support

Bank of Scotland, an official partner to the London 2012 Olympics, has launched a 'Pledge your support' campaign for local schools across Scotland.

Schools are in with a chance of winning prizes depending on the number of 'pledges' they gain. Primary schools, including Rousay Primary School require at least 25 pledges to have a chance of winning one of 20 prizes of £500 worth of sports equipment vouchers, while 50 pledges or more would enter the school into a draw to win tickets to one of the 2012 Olympic events.

Pledges are completely free to do, and are given online, at www.bankofscotlandlondon2012.co.uk and by following the link on the page, to enter the school's name and click on 'Pledge your support'. Anyone over the age of 18 can pledge their support, unless they are employed at the school they wish to pledge for; you do not need to be a customer of *Bank of Scotland*. You can pledge your support to as many schools as you like, although you can only pledge once for each school. Anyone who pledges their support will themselves be in with a chance of winning four tickets to an event at the 2012 Olympic or Paralympic Games.

Rousay, Egilsay & Wyre Development Trust



UPDATES ON CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS

Kingarly Hill Turbine

Progress with this major project is still on schedule. The track up to the turbine is now complete and the steelwork for the foundations in place ready for the pouring of concrete. Delivery of the turbine is expected by mid-July though the exact date is not yet determined. Work has been done to the verge opposite Trumland Lodge ["Back to the fuschia" – R. Jenkins, JPM] to make it possible for long loads to negotiate the tight corner. The area by the pier and the road up to Trumland Lodge will need to be cleared of vehicles for a period on the day. Full details will be provided once a definite time and date for delivery is known.

Community hall turbines

Thankfully, the necessary written agreement with OIC for the installation of metering etc. in the Egilsay and Wyre Community Halls was received in time for the 6 kW turbines to be installed before the end of June. Very considerable persistence over many months, especially by Christina Cox and Mark Hull, has been needed to ensure that these turbines were installed in time so that grant assistance was not forfeited.

Allotments and School Garden

Further progress has been made with both of these projects thanks to the much appreciated voluntary help of several members of the community. Zoe Flaws who is coordinating the work at the school garden and Michelle Koster [also in a voluntary capacity now that the Powerdown project has ended] has been coordinating the work at the allotments. John Garson has now taken on the latter role. Anyone wishing to help with either project should contact Zoe or John to find out what help is needed, and when.

AGM

The AGM was held on the morning of June 18th in the Church Centre. Thanks is due to all who attended what proved to be an informative and lively meeting. No further nominations having been received, the five directors who were required to retire were re-elected. At the meeting of the board immediately after the AGM, Zoe Flaws was appointed to fill the remaining vacancy.

For fuller details of the meeting see the [unapproved] minutes on the Trust's website.

Rousay Lap

The 3rd Rousay Lap is to be held on the last Saturday of August, as before. This year, the fastest time by a resident in each category is to be recognised as well as the best all-comers time in each category. The possibility of a later [than 5.30 p.m.] boat is being explored. More details in the August Review.

FOR SALE

Ten concrete blocks, used to tether the anemometry mast on Kingarly Hill.
Each block is approximately one cubic metre in volume [though slightly elongated in shape]
and has a mass of around 2.4 tonnes.
Buyer to collect from site.

Offers to the Trust Office by Friday 8th July

Regular updates about the Trust will be posted at the usual communication points including the REWDT web site www.orknecommunities.co.uk/REWDEVTRUST, community notice boards and the Eynhallow.

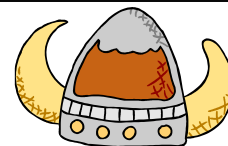
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GET READY FOR THE 'STORMING' ON JULY 16TH



ARE YOU AN INVADER (RED) OR A DEFENDER (GREEN)??

Have you got your Viking outfits ready yet? Whatever you're wearing, we'd like as many folk as possible to carry a 'spear' into battle (a broom handle with a spearhead made of cardboard wrapped in duck tape would suffice) and once you've decided which side you're on you should attach a longish, thin strip of either red or green material to its neck (approx. 1 to 1.5 m).

Detailed below is a rough timetable of the event which starts with the 'Flotilla' departing Rousay for Wyre with the Eynhallow at 4:30pm. Anyone with a small boat is invited to join in and may carry both 'Invaders' & 'Defenders'.

The Storming of Wyre (Programme Info)

- 4:30pm Flotilla leaves Rousay for Wyre
 - March on the Castle with Spears & Strip Flags
- 5:30pm Treasure Hunts for P1-3 & P4-7
 - Various Stalls of Games (score cards on back of Programme)
 - Real Viking Re-enactor & Activities
- 6:15pm Tour of Castle with County Archaeologist
- 6:30pm Bar opens
- 7:30pm Ale & Feasting begins (1 free drink with food)
 - Viking Fancy Dress Prizes (Adults x 2 / Kids x 2)
 - Best Beard Competition (doesn't have to be 'own-grown'!)
 - Post Feast Storytelling
- 9pm Final Big 'Storming' Game (all Invaders & Defenders still standing!)
- 10pm Dance Starts
- 12am Supper, Raffle & Programme Lucky Number Draw & the 'Storming' Trophy Presentation
- 1:30am Ferry departs for Tingwall via Rousay (On Request Egilsay dep 12:45)

Entrance fees to be paid on the day at the field gate (next to the 'Heritage Centre')

Adults £9 / Concessions £6 (5-15yrs & over 65's) / Family (2 adults & 2+ kids) £25 / Under 5's FREE


Note: The Entrance Fee covers all games; activities; programme (with score card & lucky number); food; dance & supper. (Apart from 1 free drink with food, beverages are not included.)

FURTHER DETAILS CAN BE FOUND ON THE REWDT PAGES AT www.orkneycommunities.co.uk OR BY RINGING RACHAEL (821 367) OR ZOE (821 454)

Special Collection

There will be a Special Collection of Bulk Domestic Items on **Tuesday 26 July**, on Rousay, Egilsay and Wyre.

Items must be booked and paid for in advance, by telephoning Orkney Islands Council on 01856 873535.

<p style="text-align: center;">Mobile Library</p> <p>The Library Van will next be visiting Rousay, Egilsay and Wyre on Thursday 21 July.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Fridge</p> <p>Working, clean condition.</p> <p>Mark on bottom of door.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">FREE</p> <p>Contact Linny (821 373)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Strawberry Teas</p> <p>The Rousay Church would like to thank all who contributed to the very successful Strawberry Teas.</p> <p>A total of £473.30 was raised.</p> <p>Thanks to the ladies who baked , the ladies who served & the ladies who did the dishes & everyone who came & enjoyed themselves.</p> 
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GOOD DEALS TO BE HAD ON WIND TURBINES

If anyone on Rousay, Egilsay or Wyre is interested in putting up a wind turbine in the 5-6Kw class if they contact me, I have now become a re-seller/installer for the Evance R9000 wind turbine. This is a very popular choice with many installations now on Mainland.

I am prepared to take care of all planning issues and sorting out with the Hydro for the grid connection etc. if required.

I promise the lowest installed cost of any turbine/installer in the area.

The Feed In Tariff for turbines and Solar PV are going down from April 2012 so if you are thinking about renewable energy now is the time!

Any enquiries/questions gladly answered.

Contact Brian on 821 351.

Pamper Day

im looking to do a pamper day with healththerapy from Kirkwall aswell as a table top with new items and 2nd hand bits but im looking for a venue... hoping to do it in August but if any1 can get in touch with me that be brill. 821407.

Get your Review e-mailed, and get it **faster...**

E-mail:

kayleigh@aroundrousay.co.uk

And you'll be added to the mailing list.

FOR SALE: Contact Trish (821 424)



Large stone distressed boot planter

Measures over 2.5ft x 1.5ft in dimension.

Needs two people to carry as very, very heavy.

More than one available.

These can be painted to desired taste.

£29.99 each.



Ornate stone bird bath/table

2ft tall. Really heavy.

Comes in 2 parts.

Features owl in a tree, feeding 2 chicks with a field mouse.

These can be painted to desired taste.

£45.00 each.

All items for the August 2011 Review should be sent to
The Editor, Kayleigh Tipper, by **Wednesday 27 July 2011.**

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