

## Drigg & Carleton Parish Councillors

John Jennings (Chair)    Chris Gigg  
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Parish Clerk: Karen Warmoth [pc4driggcarleton@gmail.com](mailto:pc4driggcarleton@gmail.com)

You may contact the Parish Council via the Clerk (email above)

Parish Council meetings are held monthly (2<sup>nd</sup> Tues) except Aug & Dec

Drigg & Carleton residents are welcome to attend in person or to submit written questions via the Clerk

Drigg & Carleton Village Hall: Regular Events Calendar	
Warm and Wellbeing Hub	Every Friday, 11 am – 2 pm, Nov 2023 – April 2024
Drigg Young Farmers Club (age 10-28)	First & Third Tuesday of the month, 7.30 pm
Tuesday Chat	First Tuesday of the month, 2 pm – 4 pm
Drigg and Carleton Parish Council	Second Tuesday of the month, 6.30 pm
West Lakes U3A - History	First Weds of the month, 10.15 am to 12 noon
Drigg Local History Group	Fourth Tuesday, Spring & Autumn, 7 pm – 9 pm
Yoga with Debbie Hughes	Every Wednesday 6 pm – 7.30 pm
Mucky Pups	Every Thursday in term time, 9 am – 12.30 pm

**If your event isn't here, please email the Clerk to have it added**

## Useful numbers

Seascale Health Centre	019467 28101	Power cut helpline	105
Cumbria Health on Call	01946 693181	Non-emergency medical	111
Seascale Pharmacy	019467 28323	Police non-emergency	101
Seascale Library	019467 28487	Emergency services	999



# DC Newsletter

## Issue 1, Spring 2024

### Drigg & Carleton News

Drigg Charity plan to issue a Newsletter regularly with information on events in the Parish. It won't replace Tethera, but it will provide local information.

The Newsletter is intended to supplement the Community website [www.drigg.org.uk](http://www.drigg.org.uk) and provide information for those who have no online access.

To submit an article or publicise an event, please contact the Secretary, care of the Village Hall or by email on:  
[pc4driggcarleton@gmail.com](mailto:pc4driggcarleton@gmail.com).



The Drigg Charity Trustees meet regularly to consider how best to allocate funds to life enhancing projects in the Parish.

Do you have any ideas for ways to improve life in Drigg & Carleton?

Project application forms and guidance are available on the website!

### Shrubs 'n tubs

This spring the village will come alive with wildflowers and bulbs planted along church dip in the centre of Drigg.

New tubs will be installed at the Village Hall to soften the façade of the building with pretty spring and summer bedding plants.

In summer, shrubs will be planted round the village beauty spots to brighten the paths and byways.

Anyone who would like to be involved in the project as a volunteer, please contact the Clerk for details:

[pc4driggcarleton@gmail.com](mailto:pc4driggcarleton@gmail.com)



## Drigg Local History Group

Based at Drigg Village Hall, we hold 6 meetings a year with local presenters giving talks on subjects of interest to our village. Talks start in February after the AGM; further talks are in March, April, September, October and November.

We hope to arrange day trips to places of interest mid-year.

Membership is just £5 a year. Members pay £1 per meeting. Visitors are welcome and pay £2.50 whilst under 16s are FREE.

We meet at the Drigg Village Hall on the fourth Tuesday of the month in Spring and Autumn. The hall is open at 7 pm for free refreshments and meetings start at 7.30pm.

Drigg Local History Group – Spring 2024		
27 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	AGM	
27 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	Mark Hatton	Understanding the symbols and meaning of 18 <sup>th</sup> century tombstones
26 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	Joseph Ritson	Their Longest Day: Stories of D-Day and Normandy
23 <sup>rd</sup> April 2024	Ambleside Oral History	A Short Story: the Short brothers' factory and the building of Sunderland Flying boats at Windermere in WWII

## Archaeology in Irton

You may have recently noticed an article on the Drigg & Carleton website highlighting a dig at St Paul's church, Irton. The work was made possible with grants from both CWAAS and the GDF Community Investment Fund, and the permission of the landowner. Funding is now in place to send the findings for analysis - check the website for forthcoming updates.



## Drigg Events

### 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2024

6.30 pm Doors open  
7 pm Screening

### Tickets

Adults - £6  
Family (2+2) - £20

### Venue

Drigg & Carleton  
Village Hall  
CA19 1XF



[contactus@driggevents.co.uk](mailto:contactus@driggevents.co.uk)

Loosely based on Spielberg's childhood growing up in post-World War II era Arizona, from age seven to eighteen, a young man named Sammy Fabelman discovers a shattering family secret, and explores how the power of movies help us see the truth about each other and ourselves.

Future films and events are publicised on Drigg Events Facebook page and on the website:

<https://telarendesigns.wixsite.com/driggevents>

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### Public Rights of Way (PROWs)

Recently repaired by the West Lakeland Rotary Club with a grant from the GDF, the footpath from the Lutwidge Arms to St Paul's church, Irton is now open to walkers. It's a gentle and picturesque route, just under a mile long. Look out for the King Charles III coronation memorial stone erected along the route by the Rotary Club.