







November 2017

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in Copeland
Libraries
and Archives

Whitehaven Library



Activity	Date	Time	Description
Cumbria Childrens Book Week Author visit – Steve Cole	Monday 6 th November	1.30-2.30pm	Steve Cole will be holding an author session with Bransty Primary school years 5 & 6 to mark Cumbria Children's Book Week.
Lego Club 	Monday 20 th November	3.30pm- 4.30pm	Parent / Carer and children age 5 upwards can have fun building models together based on a theme. Places are limited so booking is essential. Free (second Monday in the month)
Pins and Needles 	Every Tuesday	1pm-3pm	Free drop-in for those with interests in knitting, sewing or who want to learn something new.
Memory Matters 	Every Tuesday	1.30pm- 3.30pm	Free; find out more information, get support or a friendly ear – for those supporting someone with dementia or early stage memory loss
Carers' Benefit clinic 	Tuesday 21 st November	10am-12pm	3 rd Tuesday in the month (referral only)
Jane Austin Murder Mystery Evening	Tuesday 21 st November	7pm	Murder mystery evening event. Fun, friendly and fatalities guaranteed. Tickets £5, includes refreshments.
Tiny Tales 	Every Wednesday	10.30am- 11.30am	Free drop in no need to book (term time only)
Computer Sessions with AgeUK	Wednesdays 8 th , 15 th and 29 th November	1pm-3pm	Free one to one advice and guidance; booking is essential


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Come and Play	Every Thursday - term time	12.30 – 2.00pm	For parents/carers and children.
Cumbria Sexual Health Service Community drop-in	Thursday 23 November	2.30pm- 4.30pm	Monthly drop-ins offering free information, advice and support around sexual health. No appointments needed: informal, non-judgemental and confidential.
Tea & Tech 	Thursdays 2 nd , 16 th and 30 th November	2.00pm – 4.00pm (30 minute session per person)	Bring along your laptop or tablet to learn the basics and discover new things. Booking essential.
Rhymetime 	Fridays 3 rd , 10 th , 17 th & 24 th November	10.45am – 11.30am	Rhyming session for toddlers with their parents/ carers Free drop in no need to book
Journey2Work	To be confirmed – please check with Library	09.30-13.00	For people 16 years and over, looking at returning to work, and wanting support to find a job. This service can help!


For more information and to reserve tickets 01946 506400

Cleator Moor Library



Activity	Date	Time	Description
Computer sessions with Age UK 	Every Monday	1pm-2pm	Free one to one advice and guidance; just drop in or book ahead
Police help-desk	Monday 13 th November	10-11.30am	Monthly opportunity to meet your local police team, and discuss any issues you may have. Please drop-in
Skills 4 You Drop-in	Every Thursday	12-2pm	Drop in session provided by Skills 4 you to support you in moving towards employment, further education, training or volunteering.


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Age UK Reminiscence Coffee Morning 	Thursday 2 nd November	10am-12pm	Reminiscence coffee morning run by Age UK. Come along enjoy refreshments and an activity.
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For more information and to reserve tickets 01946 814523

Distington Library Link




Activity	Date	Time	Description
Reading Group 	Monday 13 th November	2pm-3pm	Every 2 nd Monday in the month
Job Club 	Every Wednesday	10am-2pm	Job Club hosted by the Big Local during closed time for the Library Link





For more information and to reserve tickets 01946 506400

Egremont Library



Activity	Date	Time	Description
Tiny Tales 	Every Monday	10:30am - 11:00am	Free term time only sessions for toddlers with their parents/ carers



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Reading Group 	Monday 6 th November	10.30am - 12pm	1 st Monday in the month
Reading Group 	Monday 27 th November	10.30am - 12pm	Another chance to join a reading group, reading a different book to other Monday club; 4th Monday in the month.
Poetry Group 	Tuesday 7 th November	10.30am – 12.00pm	1 st Tuesday of the month
Crafty Ladies 	Every Thursday	10am – 11.30am	Bring along your knitting and crocheting. All welcome.

For more information and to reserve tickets 01946 820464

Frizington Library




Activity	Date	Time	Description
Knit and Natter 	Every Wednesday	2pm-4pm	Free drop-in for those with interests in knitting, sewing or who want to learn something new.
Craft group 	Every Friday	9.30am-12pm	Free drop-in for people wanting to be creative or who want to develop their crafting skills, with a regular friendly group.

For more information and to reserve tickets 01946 505595

Hensingham Library



Activity	Date	Time	Description
Knit and Natter 	Every Wednesday	2pm-4pm	Free drop-in for those with interests in knitting, sewing or who want to learn something new.

For more information and to reserve tickets 01946 695545

Gosforth Library Link

Activity	Date	Time	Description
Knitting Group 	Wednesday 8 th November	2pm-4pm	Free drop-in for those with interests in knitting, sewing or who want to learn something new.
Lego club 	Wednesday 8 th November	4pm-5pm	Parent / Carer and children age 5 upwards can have fun building models together based on a theme. Places are limited so booking is essential.
Book Club 	Wednesday 15 th November	5:30pm - 6:30pm	A chance to join a reading group and discuss your chosen title.
Coffee Morning 	Saturday 25 th November	10am - 12pm	Coffee morning with your local councillor Paul Turner and Trudy Harrison MP
A History of Ravenglass and Eskdale Railway	Sunday 12 th November	2:00pm - 4:00pm	Heritage talk. Fascinating history of the local railway.

For more information: 019467 25888

Kells Library



Activity	Date	Time	Description
Social @ the library	Thursday 2 nd November	10am-12pm	1 st Thursday of every month


For more information and to reserve tickets 01946 696737

Millom Library



Activity	Date	Time	Description
Knit and Natter 	Every Monday	2-4pm	Free drop-in for those with interests in knitting, sewing or who want to learn something new
Coffee and Chat 	Every Tuesday	2pm-4pm	Drop-in for a friendly welcome – and discover something about the library too if you want
Lego Club	Tuesday 14 th & 28 th November	3.30pm-4.30pm	Fortnightly (Tuesdays) every month, for parents/carers and children age 5 & upwards. Free.
Book babes 	Every Thursday	1.30pm-3pm	A get-together for babies and toddlers, with parent/ carer


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Reading Group 	Thursday 9 th November	4pm – 5pm	Second Thursday in the month
Introductory computer sessions with LearnMyWay	Every Friday	1pm-3pm	Free one to one advice and guidance on starting with a computer and using online resources with Learn My Way and Universal Skills. Booking is essential.
Poetry Workshop	Every Friday	2pm – 4pm	A free poetry group for listeners, readers, poets or those who would just like to have a try at writing. Also, meet south Cumbria poet John Tucker to discuss his work and yours.
County Councillor's Surgery	Saturday 4 th November	10am – 12.	Held on the first Saturday of every month. An opportunity to meet your county councillor and raise issues and concerns for the Millom community.

For more information and to reserve tickets 01229 772445

Mirehouse Library





Activity	Date	Time	Description
Knitting group 	Every Wednesday	2pm-4pm	Free drop-in for experienced and beginner knitters, with a friendly group

For more information and to reserve tickets 01946 693820

Seascale Library




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Activity	Date	Time	Description
Carers' Benefit Clinic 	Tuesday 14 th November	10am-12pm	2 nd Tuesday in the month (Referral only)
Age UK drop – in 	Wednesday 29 th November	1.30pm- 3.30pm	Information and advice from the local West Cumbrian team. Last Wednesday of every month

For more information and to reserve tickets 019467 28487

Archive and Local Studies Centre, Whitehaven



Activity	Date	Time	Description
Community Learning classes	Every Monday and Tuesday	Various	Opportunities for adult learning can be booked via our Community Learning team with regular classes offered in Archives on Mondays and Tuesdays
Exhibition – Sellafield Through the Years	Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. 1 st November to 10 th November	9:30am – 5pm	A timeline of Sellafield Through the Years including the Windscale Fire one of Sellafield's worst disasters which occurred 60 years ago.
Archives Discovery Evening 	Tuesday 21 st November	7pm-9pm	Informal drop in evening, on a particular theme. Third Tuesday evening of each month November: This month we will have on display some of our tiniest, largest, longest and shortest archives. Including our longest document which is 85 feet!
Exhibition- To celebrate Explore Your Archive week. 'From the	22 nd to 24 th November	9:30am – 5pm	To mark the 350 th anniversary of the birth of Jonathan Swift we will be displaying some of our smallest archives to some of our larger ones. The acclaimed author of Gulliver's Travels reputedly stayed at Whitehaven when he was a small child - at the Red Flag

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Minute to the Gigantic'			Inn overlooking the Georgian town so legend says. Was this his inspiration for the town of Lilliput in his classic novel? Whitehaven folk like to think so.
Up-and-coming events	Monthly news sheets taking you back to West Cumbria 100 years ago, during World War 1, are uploaded monthly to the website http://www.cumbria.gov.uk/archives/Online_catalogues/greatwar/WCwar.asp		

For more information 01946 506420