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**ARNSIDE HELPWAYS** for medical appointments only. Leave details on: 07534 660667. We need some more drivers please. Demand for use has increased significantly in the last few months. If you think you can help or would like an informal chat about what it all entails, please leave details on phone or email: [wood.edge@btinternet.com](mailto:wood.edge@btinternet.com) Do not use the email address for transport requests. Thanks.

**Reminder A Taste of Coffee** - Joint coffee tasting event organised by Arnside Churches Together and Arnside Fairtrade Group. **31<sup>st</sup> January. M.Ch 10.30am.** Free entry.

**ARNSIDE AND ARNSIDE KNOTT WI 9<sup>th</sup> 2.00pm DRUM NATION** - Jen Wroe & team from Kendal will be giving a demonstration of Samba drumming with a chance to 'have a go'. All welcome – non-members £3 (which includes refreshments) [www.arnsidewi.co.uk](http://www.arnsidewi.co.uk)

**LECTURE GROUP at WI** Keeping it local - Some windows onto Westmorland's past. **5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>**. 2.15pm - 4.00pm. £4 per week. Speakers: Roger Bingham, Rob David, Val Fermer. Contact David 01524 762854 or Morna 01524 807927 for more information.

**ARNSIDE REPAIR CAFE and KingSharp EI 23<sup>rd</sup>** 10.00am – 12.00p. Bring household items for advice and repair. Electrical, wooden, toys, clothing etc. AbilityNet - computer, tablet or phone problems. KingSharp sharpens knives and tools. **Cash for donations** and FairTrade Cafe. Contact: [arnsiderepaircafe@gmail.com](mailto:arnsiderepaircafe@gmail.com) to check if a volunteer repairer is available for your item.

We plan to hold the Silverdale and Arnside Arts Festival on **27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> June** and are holding a meeting at the Silverdale Hotel 25th February 7.00pm for interested participants eg artists, crafters & makers. Contact: Kay Loch: [kay.loch602@gmail.com](mailto:kay.loch602@gmail.com) or Gilli Slater: [gillipictures48@gmail.com](mailto:gillipictures48@gmail.com) for more information.

**ARNSIDE COMPUTER GROUP EI:** 2.00pm - 4.00pm **3<sup>rd</sup>** Online applications; **17<sup>th</sup>** Apps. Refreshments & iMac practice, individual help with tablet/phone/laptop & a short quiz. All levels of catered for. EI membership £15, then £3 each session £4.00 non-members. Eileen 01524 761720.

**BUSY BEES Baby & Toddler Group.** Wednesday 10.00am - 11:30am. 50p. **M.Ch Hall** term time. Babies, pre-school children, parents/carers. Sue 01542 761542.

**BUSH BABIES** Friendly baby and toddler group Fridays 9:30am -11:00am. Arnside National School (term time). Babies, pre-school children, parents/carers welcome. £2 per session. 01524 761159 [@arnsidebabyandtoddlergroup](mailto:@arnsidebabyandtoddlergroup)

**MONDAY FRIENDSHIP GROUP (MFG) 2.00pm– 4.00PM:** **2<sup>nd</sup>,** 'How We Came to Live in the Arnside Area' general discussion, **16<sup>th</sup>** 'First Responders' with Sue Cox. £3 includes tea/coffee and cake. Lifts available, contact Pam 01524 761928 or Eileen 01524 761720 or Karen 01524 762055. Everyone welcome.

**ARNSIDE CHORAL SOCIETY WI** Tuesdays 7.30pm – 9.30pm.

**ARNSIDE LADIES CHOIR** WI Fridays 2.00pm – 4.15pm Do you love singing? Come along – all welcome.

**ARNSIDE SIGHT ADVICE GROUP 16<sup>th</sup>** 10.00am - 12.00pm **M.Ch** All visually impaired people welcome. £4 inc. refreshments. Contact Tony Rees 01524 761478.

**ARNSIDE STITCHERS EI** Wednesdays 1.00pm - 4.00pm. We sew, embroider, quilt, knit, crochet and more. Marj: [hartsop97@gmail.com](mailto:hartsop97@gmail.com) or 01524 762634. All welcome.

**THE BLACKSHEEP UKULELE BAND EI** Thursdays 7.15pm for 7.30pm - 9.15pm. Contact: 07416 033929 / 07789 315753 or [assykes@gmail.com](mailto:assykes@gmail.com)

**ARNSIDE AND DISTRICT NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY: WI 12<sup>th</sup>,** Beatrix Potter, Mycologist **7.30pm.** Helen Speed will talk about Beatrix Potter's mycological (fungi) work and her earlier life. **18<sup>th</sup>,** **Birdwatching** trip to Marshside RSPB, north of Southport. For more details see [www.arnsideanddistrictnhs.co.uk](http://www.arnsideanddistrictnhs.co.uk)

**AGE UKSC** Lunch Club **4<sup>th</sup>.** Ye Olde Fighting Cocks. Booking essential: 01539 728118.

**ARNSIDE ART GROUP WI** Wednesdays 1.30pm to 4.30pm No experience needed just a love of art. Contact Beverley at [arnsideartgroup@gmail.com](mailto:arnsideartgroup@gmail.com)

**ARNSIDE SNOOKER SOCIAL GROUP EI** Monday & Tuesday 9.00am - 12.00pm. Contact EI office to join.

**SUSTAINABLE ARNSIDE** Regular meeting **18<sup>th</sup>** 7.30pm EI. See [www.sustainablearnside.org.uk](http://www.sustainablearnside.org.uk) for agenda nearer the date. All welcome.

**Reminder HEAT PUMPS** Find out all you want to know about replacing your gas boiler with a heat pump. Free event on **31<sup>st</sup> January** at 2.00pm at WI. Hosted by Sustainable Arnside. Register at <https://cafs.org.uk/events/>

**ARNSIDE COMMUNITY CAFÉ EI** All welcome for brews, biscuits & banter Mondays 10.15am - 11.30am. Supporting Fair Trade. Pay by donation. Sue van Eijkern 07813 639297.

**STITCH IN TIME / DAYS FOR GIRLS TEAM EI. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>** at 10.00am - 3.00pm. We make reusable menstruation kits & knits for women, girls & refugees. New members welcome. Contact Lin on 07780 002227 or [arnsidestitchintime@gmail.com](mailto:arnsidestitchintime@gmail.com)

**ARNSIDE TABLE TENNIS GROUP EI** Tuesdays 7.30pm- 9.30pm & Friday 2.00pm - 4.00pm club bats available. Neil Webster 01524 762127. All welcome.

**ARNSIDE COUNTRY MARKET WI from 13<sup>th</sup>** 9.30am- 12.00pm. Local home baking, crafts, plants, preserves, chocolates & seasonal fruit/veg when available. Refreshments. Free entry.

**ARNSIDE PROBUS EI** every 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday. Lunch 12.30pm for 1.00pm, followed by a speaker. Contact Mike Marczynski 07710 154463 [mikemarczynski2@gmail.com](mailto:mikemarczynski2@gmail.com)

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**ARNSIDE SAILING CLUB** 10th Folk Sing-around 1.00pm; 20th Star Gazing 6.00pm £7.50 includes food. Book via website: [www.arnsidesailingclub.org.uk](http://www.arnsidesailingclub.org.uk) Membership for 2026 season now available.

**Pottery Classes EI** Tuesdays 1.00pm-3.00pm We make a variety of stylised pots using material or nature imprinted into porcelain clay. All abilities welcome. Contact Nik via email: [nhunterdale@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:nhunterdale@yahoo.co.uk)

**ARNSIDE BRIDGE CLUB EI** Mondays: Beginners: 1.00pm, Chicago Bridge: 1.40pm. Tuesday & Friday Duplicate Bridge: 6.45pm for 7.00pm. [www.bridgewebs.com/arnside](http://www.bridgewebs.com/arnside) or Phil Hine: 01524 761086 / 07768 570900.

**BADMINTON EI** Monday 7.00pm - 9.00pm. New members welcome. Jon Race: [jonrace@btinternet.com](mailto:jonrace@btinternet.com) or 01539 564119 for juniors or Cath Grayson: 01524 761347 or [cathgrayson@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:cathgrayson@hotmail.co.uk)

**ARNSIDE BOWLING CLUB** Season runs March - October New members welcome. For more information, contact Sue on [arnsideb-c-@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:arnsideb-c-@hotmail.co.uk)

**ARNSIDE RAMBLERS:** Varied walks at differing levels of ability. Secretary Josephine Winwood 01524 923145 [josephinewinwood@yahoo.com](mailto:josephinewinwood@yahoo.com)

**261 Fearless Women's Running Club** Tuesdays 9.30am, Arnside Pier. First meet free then £3 pw or £45 annually. No experience needed. New members welcome. Email [Arnside@261ClubUK.co.uk](mailto:Arnside@261ClubUK.co.uk) for more information.

**ARNSIDE TENNIS CLUB.** Social sessions weekdays from 9.30am. Wednesday from 6.00pm; Sunday from 3.00pm. Pay & play available. See [www.arnsidetennisclub.co.uk](http://www.arnsidetennisclub.co.uk).

**SCRABBLE AND OTHER GAMES. EI** Wednesdays 7.00pm - 9.00pm. First session free, then £3 per week, tea/coffee provided. All welcome. Fiona Stevens 01524 762371.

**AGE UKSC Gentle Exercise Class: M.Ch hall.** 01539 728118 Fridays 10.00am - 11.00am. Suggested donation £2.50. Exercise for mobility, strength & balance.

**DANCE STRONG EI** Thursdays 9.30am - 10.15 am  
**RESTORATIVE PILATES** Thursdays 10.30am - 11.30am Sam Horton 07886457563 or [www.fitnessdynamics.co.uk](http://www.fitnessdynamics.co.uk)

**PILATES Joanne Holgate 07970 243711** Thursday 9.30am - 10.30am & 6.30pm - 7.30pm **M.Ch Hall.**

**PILATES WI** Catherine Nixdorf 01524 761811 or 07899 907424 Monday & Wednesday 10.00am - 11.00am.

**YOGA CLASS WI** Tuesdays 10.00am - 11.00am. Jo: 07760 863318 or [yogawithjemail@gmail.com](mailto:yogawithjemail@gmail.com)

**YOGA BEGINNERS / INTERMEDIATES** Monday 6.00pm **WI.** Contact: Andy 07471 201191.

**HERON THEATRE BEETHAM** For 2026 events see: <https://herontheatre.com>

**ARNSIDE LIBRARY LINK** open Monday - Friday 9.00am - 7.00pm. Saturday 9.00am - 5.30pm. Email [janet.sherwin@cumbria.gov.uk](mailto:janet.sherwin@cumbria.gov.uk) or 01539 713524.

**ARNSIDE YOUTH GROUPS** Friday at EI. Years 7-9 6.00pm - 7.30pm / Year 10+ 7.45pm - 9.30pm. Contact: [rosiebrown@keyprojectcumbria.onmicrosoft.com](mailto:rosiebrown@keyprojectcumbria.onmicrosoft.com)

**A & S PHOTO CLUB EI** 7.30pm. 5<sup>th</sup> Printing paper and printing; 12<sup>th</sup> Inter-clubs battle; 19<sup>th</sup> Talk on tail cameras; 26<sup>th</sup> Black and White images. Check website for venues. [admin@arnsideandsilverdalephotoclub.co.uk](mailto:admin@arnsideandsilverdalephotoclub.co.uk) or <https://arnsideandsilverdalephotoclub.co.uk>

**ARNSIDE ARCHIVE:** Open Wednesdays 10.00am - 12.00pm EI: Email [arnsidearchivegroup@gmail.com](mailto:arnsidearchivegroup@gmail.com) to arrange a visit. See website for local history, picture collections & items of interest - [www.arnsidearchive.org.uk](http://www.arnsidearchive.org.uk)

**ARNSIDE BUS SERVICES** Monday – Saturday to Kendal. Buses leave promenade at 9.30am.

**ST JAMES CHURCH:** Priest-in-charge, Rev. Andrew Norman 015395 62355 [revdabn@gmail.com](mailto:revdabn@gmail.com) / Curate: Revd Hannah Wallace [revhannahwallace@gmail.com](mailto:revhannahwallace@gmail.com) or 01524 449035. Church open for private prayer every day 9.00am to 4.00pm. **Services:** 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>: 8.00am Holy Communion (BCP), 9.30am Parish Communion; 18<sup>th</sup> Ash Wednesday, 10.00am Holy Communion with Imposition of Ashes; 22<sup>nd</sup>: 8.00am Holy Communion (BCP), 10.30am Joint Covenant Service at **ARNSIDE M.Ch. Morning Prayer** Wednesdays 8.15am. School Church Wednesdays 9.10am term time. Junior church Sundays 9.30am service.

**OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC CHURCH** Open daily 10.00am - 4.00pm Mass & Holy Communion: Saturday 5.30pm. All welcome. [ctkollcc@gmail.com](mailto:ctkollcc@gmail.com) or telephone: 015395 32731. Office Hours: Tuesday & Thursday: 9.30am - 12.30pm. For pastoral emergencies call 01539 720063.

**ARNSIDE METHODIST CHURCH** Rev Tiras Dainty-Share: 01524 963716 [www.arnsidemethodistchurch.org.uk](http://www.arnsidemethodistchurch.org.uk) Church open: 10.00am– 4.00pm. Booking for Church or hall contact Pam 01524 761928.

**SUNDAY SERVICES:** 10.30am. Sunday Morning Service live-streamed on YouTube. Covenant Service, 22<sup>nd</sup>. Reflective Service on 15<sup>th</sup> at 4.00pm. **MONDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY**, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays 7.15pm – 8.45pm. **THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY** 10.00am – 11.30am. For further information contact Pam 01524 761928. **PRAY TOGETHER: WEDNESDAYS 7.00pm** in M.Ch hall. Leave prayer requests in the prayer corner.

**ARNSIDE CHRISTIANS TOGETHER:** see the Churches' websites.

**ARNSIDE PARISH COUNCIL** 7.15pm **Cemetery Chapel** 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of month. All welcome. For agenda & minutes see: [www.arnsideparishcouncil.co.uk](http://www.arnsideparishcouncil.co.uk)

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**MARCH BROADSHEET** email entries for inclusion by midday 15<sup>th</sup> February to [broadsheet@arnsidevillage.co.uk](mailto:broadsheet@arnsidevillage.co.uk) For more detailed entries for inclusion on the Arnside Community Village Website and Facebook pages email: [support@arnsidevillage.co.uk](mailto:support@arnsidevillage.co.uk) at any time. Arnside Village website: [www.arnsidevillage.co.uk](http://www.arnsidevillage.co.uk)

**EI:** Educational Institute; **M.Ch:** Methodist Church; **WI:** WI & Village Hall