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Institution of Mechanical Engineers West Cumbria Area
Events Programme for Spring/Summer 2012

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VISIT & TALK: Fellside Combined Heat and Power

This event will give an overview of Fellside CHP which came online March 1995 and is a combined heat and power plant generating electricity and steam for the Sellafield Limited complex, all surplus electricity being spilt into the National Grid. (No under 16's, steel toecap safety boots required, wheel chair access possible for presentation only)

Location: Fellside CHP, Sellafield, Seascale CA20 1RG

To book, contact Simon Mandale, on simon.mandale@sellafieldsites.co.uk

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Wednesday
15th
February
Visit: 18:30
(Limited to 12 people only)

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TALK: New Nuclear Build in Cumbria



NuGen is now preparing detailed plans for developing the site, which will be submitted for consideration by the relevant planning authorities with the aim of a final investment decision being taken around 2015 with an expectation that any new power station would be commissioned around 2023.

Location: The Samuel Lindow Foundation, Westlakes, Moor Row, CA24 3JZ

To book, visit the 'Events' page at: www.thesamuellindowfoundation.com

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Wednesday
14th
March
Visit: 18:00
Tea and Coffee from 17:30

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VISIT: Nissan Plant Tour

A full day visit to the record breaking NISSAN Sunderland Plant, manufacturer of the Qashqai and Juke (soon to include the new electric Leaf). The trip includes return coach transport (costs circa £20pp), departing Whitehaven at approximately 8am, with pickups enroute, returning to West Cumbria at approximately 8pm.

Location: Washington Road, Sunderland, Tyne and Wear, SR5 3NS

To book, contact Jim Furness, on jim_furness@hotmail.com

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Tuesday
17th
April
All Day Visit
(Limited to 36 people only)

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VISIT & TALK: RNLi Talk/Visit

Workington lifeboat station is the only station to have an all weather lifeboat launched by a davit system over the dock wall. It also has a new D class lifeboat, which is a re-engineered and updated version of the original D class. The event will comprise of a talk about the lifeboat station followed by a tour of the facilities.

Location: North Jetty, Prince of Wales Dock, Workington, CA14 2JH

To book, contact Tom Pritt, on thomas.pritt@virgin.net

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Wednesday
16th
May
Visit: 19:00
(Limited places)

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The 8th IMECHE WEST CUMBRIA ANNUAL DINNER

We are delighted to announce that the Institution of Mechanical Engineers Annual Dinner for 2012 will be held at the **ENERGUS**, Workington and is set to be the biggest and most prestigious dinner to date.

As well as an **excellent opportunity** to meet up with friends and colleagues, enjoy some good **local food and drink**, we will be once again celebrating the world class engineering diversity available in this beautiful part of the world, plus presenting the annual Lakes College Engineering Student Awards.

Main speaker: Sharron Davies MBE Olympic & Commonwealth Champion plus other guest speakers

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Thursday
07th
June

Start: 19.30
Bar opens: 18.30

Ticket Prices:
£TBC

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Our Events

Remember, you don't need to be a member of the Institution to take advantage of our events. Anyone of all ages can come along!

For more information on this seasons events visit our website: www.imechewestcumbria.org.uk/events