



GOOSTREY

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Saturday 25 June 2022





The Chair's Welcome

Rose Day has been a very special occasion in Goostrey for over one hundred years. After two years of scaled back celebrations due to the pandemic, I'm delighted that this year our community is able to take part in a full-scale event. I hope that on the 25th June everyone enjoys the procession and the activities at the church, village hall and field.

I'm greatly indebted to the Rose Festival committee members who work throughout the year to organise the children's party in March and the events on Rose Day itself. But there are scores of other people who help to keep this tradition alive, and I thank each and every one of them.

Congratulations to Lucy Boardman who is our 2022 Rose Queen, to Emilia-Rose Mousikou who is the Rosebud Queen from 2021 and to Iona Bradley who is the 2022 Rosebud Queen. This will be a memorable year for them and their attendants.

Thank you to the retiring Rose Queen Cate Clayton and the retiring Rosebud Queen Rose Worsley. Since they were chosen in 2020, shortly before the country went into lockdown, they have worked with their attendants to keep Goostrey Rose Festival alive. They took an active part in June 2020 and 2021, and they have represented Goostrey at fetes in neighbouring villages.

For many years our new president Peter Goode was an active committee member and he was thrilled when his daughter Sarah was selected as Rose Queen. Twelve months ago, as Silver Rose Queen 2020, Sarah joined the Silver Rose Queen 2021 Shabawn Stokes as they both took part in the crowning ceremony, procession and wreath laying.

I'm delighted to welcome past Rose Queens, Rosebud Queens, Crown Bearers and Presidents who have joined us today. Congratulations to Lucy Blake who is Silver Rose Queen 2022. Twenty five years ago, accompanied by her attendants, she was crowned by Luke Almond. And congratulations to Wendy Booth, Christine Goostrey and Lesley Drewery who are the Gold Rose Queens for 2020, 2021 and 2022 and to Christopher Palmer who is the Gold Crown Bearer for 2020.

Overall, funds remain in surplus so the committee will be able to renew equipment and costumes to ensure that Goostrey Rose Festival can continue for years ahead. However, the costs for essentials such as insurance, road closure and marquee hire continue to rise. Thanks go to our patrons and to Goostrey Parish Council for their generous donations. I hope you enjoy reading the programme, but don't forget that Goostrey Rose Festival also has information and photos on our website and Facebook page.

Christina Burgess
Chair

Meet our Rose Queen & Rose Bud Queens

Lucy Boardman is this year's Goostrey Rose Queen. Lucy, 13, who lives off Main Road, has taken part in Rose Day every year since she was a little girl and has always wanted to be the Rose Queen.

Last year Lucy organised the distribution of cakes on Rose Day to members of the community who were isolated because of Covid.

As she explained: "I have been in every Rose Day that I could and I have enjoyed them all but I think the best was when I was on the Women of the World float in Year 4. I am looking forward to the day and representing Goostrey at the other Rose Day events around the area."

Lucy attends the Grange School in Hartford along with her two attendants Eva Pearson and Georgia Davies.

Because of the pandemic there was no Rose Bud Queen selected last year. Therefore, one cohort of children missed out and so in order to make up for that there will be two Rose Bud Queens this year.

The 2022 Rose Bud Queen is Iona Bradley and her Lady in Waiting is Florence Howells. The attendants are: Francesca Ashbrook, Eliza Jones, Lucinda Moulton, Noor Sheikh and Marcia Steele.

The Rosebud Queen for 2021 is Emilia-Rose Mousikou and her Lady in Waiting is Clementine Thompson. The attendants are: Harriet Aspinall, Faith Breese, Isabella Gaines, Millie Jeavons, Kendal Rushton, Poppy Warren and Lauren Willmott.





Retiring Queen

Message from Retiring Rose Queen Cate Clayton

I have had a wonderful time representing Goostrey as Rose Queen in 2020 and 2021. I loved attending all of the local fetes across the 2 years, and it has been a wonderful experience.

I am very lucky to have had this special role for longer than normal and look forward to having a proper Rose Day again!

Best wishes, Cate



Our Sponsor



Sibelco, the global materials company, is our first gold sponsor and is delighted to be supporting the Goostrey Rose Festival 2022.

Sibelco's generous sponsorship will enable the Rose Festival to maintain the new-look website that has a wealth of information on Rose Day past and present.

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Order of Procession

- 1 1902 John Fowler traction engine and trailer
owned and driven by Terry and Des Bostock

Gold Rose Queen 2021 Christine Goostrey
Gold Rose Queen 2022 Lesley Drewery
- 2 Silver Rose Queen 2022 Lucy Blake
Silver Crown Bearer 2022 Luke Almond
Silver Rose Queen attendants Anne Braddon and Rachel Gilmore
- 3 Rose Festival President 2022 Peter Goode
car owned and driven by Laurent Dubois
- 4 Macclesfield Silk Brass Band
- 5 Town Crier
car owned and driven by Bob Nicholson
- 6 Retiring Goostrey Rose Queen 2020 Miss Cate Clayton and her attendants
cars owned by Beverley Giles and Gary Dickson
- 7 Visiting Queens

ADULTS' FLOATS

- 8 Rose Queen 1936 Mrs Margaret Kettle
trishaw ridden by Tony Taylor
- 9 Goostrey Gooseberry Society
- 10 Budge and the Wacky Ralliers
- 11 Congleton Young Farmers' Club
- 12 Jesters
car owned and driven by Joe Maddocks

CHILDRENS' FLOATS

- 13 Goostrey Pre-school
- 14 The Wedding Party (Reception)



Order of Procession

- 15 The Garden Gang (Reception)
- 16 Under the Sea (Year 1)
- 17 Cops and Robbers (Year 2)
- 18 The Circus (Year 3)
- 19 David Attenborough's Endangered Animals (year 4)
- 20 Adlington Mens' Morris Dancers

WALKERS

- 21 ET (Year 7 boys)
- 22 Harry Potter (Year 5)
- 23 Funky Disco Dancers (Years 6 and 7 girls)
- 24 Goostrey Rose Bud Queen 2021 Emilia-Rose Mousikou, her lady in waiting and her attendants
- 25 Goostrey Rose Bud Queen 2022 Iona Bradley, her lady in waiting and her attendants
- 26 John Bull and Britannia
car owned and driven by Mike and Sally Ball
- 27 Queen's Retinue petal throwers
- 28 Special Forces
- 29 Crown Bearer, Sword Bearer and Sceptre Bearer
- 30 Goostrey Rose Queen 2022 Miss Lucy Boardman, her attendants Georgia Davies and Eva Pearson and her train bearers
- 31 Rode Hall Silver Band
- 32 John Deere Gator
owned and driven by Mel Brown



Cast of Characters

Rose Queen
Attendants

Train Bearers

Petal Throwers

Crown Bearer
Sword Bearer
Sceptre Bearer
Special Forces

Lucy Boardman
Georgia Davies
Eva Pearson

Reuben Buehling
Jacob Buehling

Jessica Beardsworth
Scarlet Devey
Hannah Pearson
Bronte Rushton
Ruby Hemming

Alfie Warren
William Radcliffe
Emily Hemmings
Ollie Rachubka
Ethan Few
Max Howson
Charlie Devey
William Garnett
Noah Wynne
Richie Baddiley

Rosebud Queen 2022

Lady in Waiting
Attendants

Iona Bradley
Florence Howells
Noor Sheikh
Marcia Steele
Francesca Ashbrook
Lucinda Moul
Eliza Molly Jones

Rose Bud Queen 2021

Lady in Waiting
Attendants

Emilia-Rose Mousikou
Clementine Thompson
Lauren Willmott
Faith Breese
Isabella Gaines
Kendal Rushton
Millie Jeavons
Poppy Warren
Harriet Aspinall

Town Crier
John Bull
Britannia
Jesters

George Hardcastle
Archer Rushton
Scarlet-Rose Challiner
Ted McGowan
JJ Maddock

Retiring
Rose Queen
Attendants

Cate Clayton
Zara Comb
Petra Hamilton
Zoe Henry
Katie Hicks

Wedding Party

Groom
Bride
Best man
Usher
Vicar
Chimney Sweep
Bridesmaids

Reception (Walking)

Luke Makin
Bryony Brown
John Makin
Felix Davie
Stanley Crofts
Freddie Northwood
Anvitha Mothe
Eleanor Hodgson
Romilly Wakefield
Florrie Tod
Chloe Dakin

Garden Gang

Ladybirds
Bee
Flower Fairy
Flowerpot men

Reception (Walking)

Matilda Shanahan
Emilia Hulsken
Charlie Storey
Harry Carver
Amber Willmott
Thea Langley
Ella Saunby
Daisy Saunby
Bethany Anderson
Aubrey Wild
Tristian Connell

Cast of Characters

Spiders Henry Hardcastle
Saul Thompson

Under the Sea Year 1 (Walking)

Neptune Benjamin Kettlewell

Shark Toby Wright
Augustus Peake

Thomas Garnett
Joshua Cooper

Octopus Sam Henry

Stingrays William Jones
Phoebe Sharman

Fish William Doolan
Lucas Newall

Oliver Hughes

Jellyfish Ciaran Slevin

Cops and Robbers Year 2 (Walking)

Cops Harry Nightingale
Max Lintell

Seth Langley
Jayanth Raj

Amber Tabner
Ebony Lee

Austin Baddiley
Robbers Charlie Carver

Jack Arrowsmith
Obi Jackson

Ralph Worsley
Harry Hodgson

Jules Brown
Leo Davie

Circus Year 3 (Float)

Ringmaster Charlie Arnold

Horse Trainer Elle Howson

Snake Charmer Rupert Noonan

Snake Rupert Kelly

Tightrope Walker Alice Crofts

Acrobat Amy Bayes

Lion Tamer William Beardsworth

Lion Jasper Davie

Clowns Zack Lomax

William Hopkins

Reggie Green

Henry Northwood

Rory Newall

Zander Wakefield

David Attenborough's

Endangered Animals Year 4 (Float)

Dolphin Nell Booth

Koala Rosie-Mae Baddiley

Baby snow leopard Bethany Hemmings

Sea Turtle Rosa Tomlinson

White Wolf Emily Anderson

Leather Back Turtle Jasmine Ashmore

Grey Wolf Rose Worsley

Giant Panda Tippi Walsh-Goldsmith

Tiger Noah Hemming

Ocean Turtle Elliott Brown

Shark Layton Lee

Orangutang Lilly-May Matchett

Red Panda Louis Dubois

Panda Chloe Wilford

Harry Potter Year 5 (Walking)

Harry Potter Finn Frith

Hermione Rose Saunders

Voldemort Cole Challiner

Cast of Characters

Dumbledore	Hugo Kelly
Draco Malfoy	Henry Moul
Ron Weasley	Beau Burgess
George Weasley	Thomas Hopkins
Bill Weasley	Samuel Kettlewell
Ginny Weasley	Emily Ball
Luna Lovegood	Olivia Pearson
Dobby	Sam Wynne
Prof McGonagall	Chloe Walker
Bellatrix	Harriette Noonan
Nymphadora	Scarlett Aspinall
Fleur Delacour	Eva Macleod
Gabrielle Delacour	Esmee Kent
Hedwig	Isobel Comb
Moaning Myrtle	Tilda Few
Andromeda Tonks	Maddie Farrar
Lavender Brown	Willow Puddle
Phoenix	Harvey Johnson
Narcissa Malfoy	Mia Barwell

Funky Disco Dancers **Year 6 & 7 girls (Walking)**

Sophie Henry
Isla Machin
Brianna Hamilton
Mathilda Pickford
Gabriella Ashbrook
Eleanor Stutfield
Lucy Pierpoint
Ella Wilford
Nancy Napier
Molly Withe

E.T. Year 7 boys **(Walking – on BMX bikes)**

Asa Walsh-Goldsmith
Tom Machin
Carlo Pacitto
Monty Burgess
Jack Pearson
Harry Tunmore
Archie Paddle



Rose Day Programme

The Rose Day programme has been an integral part of Goostrey Rose Day for as long as anyone can remember. It is a souvenir which people treasure and keep and it is a tradition that the Rose Day Committee is determined to maintain.

A few years ago, because programme sales were declining and we wanted to ensure as many people as possible saw the advertisements placed by supportive local businesses, we decided not to charge for the programme. This move proved popular with both villagers and advertisers but it meant that the programme cost us a great deal of time, selling the scores of adverts, ensuring they were correct and met the needs of the advertisers, without making a contribution to the Rose Day funds.

So, we have decided that this year the programme will carry no advertising and we have adopted a shorter format that will still give people all the information they need.

We hope you appreciate this new look but we would love to know what you think in order to help us decide our approach going forward.





Rose Day - The Covid Years

Because of the Covid pandemic, this is the first full-scale Goostrey Rose Day since June 2019. However, during the past two years, the committee has worked hard to keep the tradition alive and ensure Rose Day remained the most important date in the village diary. In 2020 all the usual events had to be cancelled but we were able to organise a mini procession which included a traction engine that led an array of vehicles including a steam roller, a line of vintage tractors and a campervan carrying the Rose Bud Queen Rose Worsley who placed a bouquet of flowers from her own garden on the war memorial. The procession also included a special float carrying 98-year-old Margaret Kettle who takes part every year.

In 2021 the restrictions were eased slightly but again the main event had to be cancelled. The Rose Queen Cate Clayton and Rosebud Queen Rose Worsley who were chosen in March 2020, were crowned in a short ceremony on the grassed area off Booth Bed Lane, opposite Meadow Avenue.

The girls wearing their crowns and accompanied by their attendants then formed a small procession which went down Main Road and the Rose Queen laid a wreath at the War Memorial.

Both years all the usual craft competitions took place and villagers decorated their gardens with banners and bunting and there was a special Rose Day programme broadcast on Dane Sound Radio.

One of the successes of the past two years was the delivery of small cakes, on behalf of the Rose Queen to residents who were isolating because of the Covid pandemic. If you know someone who is less able to leave home and may miss out on this year's event, why not buy them a small bun or a slice of cake from the stall on the field and take it to them, so they don't feel they are totally isolated.



Rose Day Patrons

Although we have not been able to organise a full-scale Rose Day since 2019, our long-term patrons have been exceptionally supportive and we have also been lucky enough to attract new ones. Whilst there is no fixed fee to become a patron a commitment of at least £30 a year for a household would help enormously. Anyone interested in becoming a patron is asked to e-mail Rose Day treasurer Peter Gomes peter@qualicum.co.uk in the first instance.

List of Patrons

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Louise & Tim Willis



Rose Day Competitions

- Class A: A single rose, any variety in exhibitor's own container
Class B: Three roses of one or more variety in exhibitor's own container
Class C: An arrangement of garden flowers (any container)

Children's classes

- Class D: Garden flowers in a jam jar
Section one: Up to 7 years old
Section two: 7 -11 years old
Class E: Mr or Mrs Potato Head (decorate a potato with fruit and vegetables)
Section one: Up to 7 years old
Section two: 7 -11 years old

Special classes (open to all)

- Class F: Table arrangement to include at least one rose to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee
Class G: Baking Competition - 9 inch pie filled with summer fruits
Class H: The Best Decorated Property with Banners /or Bunting

Trophies will be awarded as follows:

- Class A: Rose Festival Bowl
Class B: Luke Brothers' Trophy
Class C: Chairman's Vase
Class D: The Edward Simpson Cup/ The Jim Schofield Cup
Class F: The Hodgson Cup
Class G: Rose Festival Craft Plate
Class H: The Smallwood Trophy

Entries for categories A-G to be taken to the craft tent between 10-11.45 am on Rose Day. Judging will take place at 11.50am.

Enter Class H by emailing your property address to s.smallwood@btinternet.com by Thursday 23rd June 2022. Judging will take place on Friday 24th June and the Smallwood trophy for best entry awarded on Rose Day.



Important Information

Ceilidh

Tickets for Ceilidh will be available until Wednesday 22 June. Adults £18, children under 12 £8. Bring your own drink and (plastic) glasses. For tickets contact Peter Gomes on 07867 798848.

Wrist Bands

In order to speed up access to the field, especially for parents with children in the procession, wrist bands costing £2.50 for adults and £1 for concessions (children are free) will be available from the Trading Post in the run up to Rose Day. They will also be available before the floats set off from Booth Bed Lane and outside the Crown before the procession arrives.

Road Closure

Main Road will be closed between Booth Bed Lane and the Church from 1pm - 2pm on Rose Day and access to Booth Bed Lane from Main Road to Booth Bed Lane will not be permitted from 12noon until the procession has left.

Procession

Please ensure that all children taking part in the procession arrive at the starting point on Booth Bed Lane from 12.30pm so that procession can leave promptly at 1pm. For safety reasons and in order to ensure that all on-lookers can see, only marshals are permitted to walk alongside the floats.

Prayers at the War Memorial

The Rose Queen and her entourage will process to the church for the traditional prayers and wreath laying with the Rev Heather Buckley

Car Parking

Please use the field opposite the Crown (accessed before the procession by the roundabout at the bottom of the school field) or the special facility behind the Red Lion. Only cars with special permits and disabled drivers will be allowed on the Village Hall car park.

Sunday Service

The Rose Festival celebration service at St Luke's Church is on Sunday 26th June at 10.30am. All are welcome.



Programme of Events

Saturday 25th June

- 12.30pm Procession assembles at Booth Bed Lane
- 1.00pm Procession sets off from Booth Bed Lane
- 1.45pm Prayers at the war memorial led by Rev Heather Buckley
- 2.00pm Crowning ceremony and presentations to the winners of best floats and banners
- 2.45pm Maypole Dancing by Year 3 from Goostrey School
- 3.00pm Silk Brass Band playing on the field
- 3.00pm Tea for Goostrey Rose Queen 2022, her attendants and their families
- 3.30pm Tug of War contest on the field followed by announcement of competition winners
- 4.15pm Prize Draw
- 7.30pm Family Ceilidh with food (BYOB)

Sunday 26 June

- 10.30am Rose Day service at St Luke's Goostrey.
All are welcome. Come in your Rose Day costume!