## THE GATEWAY

PARISH CHURCH OF ST.MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS, BEETHAM

## **Beetham & Hale Sports Special 2017**

Welcome to the 2017 Beetham & Hale Sports special pictorial edition of The Gateway, celebrating Beetham Village's annual 'Great Family Day Out'



The 2017 Village Sports Day was held on Saturday 29th July on Beetham Sports Field, and despite rumours of rain earlier in the week the sun shone for the event. The afternoon activities began with the Children's Fancy Dress Competition. Then entry for the children's racing was so high that several heats needed to be held for each event. As always the afternoon was compered by Paul Lusted keeping participants and spectators superbly entertained, and there were plenty of stalls and games for everyone to enjoy

Once again the Fell Race attracted a large field of runners, and the Cumberland & Westmorland Wrestling had a record number of entries in the youngsters classes. The tugof-war was won by the ladies for the second year running (well done again ladies!). A big thank you goes to Simon Greenwood and the Beetham Sports Committee for their time and energy in planning and setting up such a successful and enjoyable event, which raises money for many good causes in the area



























































