



The Rotary Club of Cockermouth, with over 40 members is one of the most active in Cumbria and is believed to be the oldest fellowship club in the town. In the two years following the 2009 floods, the Rotary movement put almost £200k into the Cockermouth recovery including £40k to reinstatement of the town's Cricket field.

The club celebrated its 75th celebrations this year. As well as organising Cumbria's one and only Touch a Truck Show the Cockermouth Club also arranges Young Writer and Young Technology events. The Rotary Young Chef now is in its 13th year. The Club has been successfully running a Football Competition for the Junior Schools since 1983. This year the Club funded the Christmas Pensioners' Party in conjunction with Age UK West Cumbria. The Club makes donations to numerous local groups and charities.

International causes supported by the Club over the years have included aid after the Indian Ocean Tsunami and Philippines disaster, plus aid to REMIT, Nepal, Mary's Meals (Cockermouth Kitchen) and Haiti. Rotary International with its motto of "Service above Self" was started in downtown Chicago in 1905. Rotary is a non-political, non-religious humanitarian organisation which has about 1.2 million members in more than 31,000 clubs in 166 countries. In Great Britain and Ireland, there are about 59,000 members in more than 1,830 clubs.



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**Come and join in all the fun  
of this family day out...**







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Welcome to Cumbria's only Touch a Truck Show.  
The event is run for local and international charities by the Rotary Club of Cockermouth.

Giant trucks, fire engines, cranes, climbing wall on James Walkers factory site with children's roundabouts, bouncy castle and pony rides on Wakefield Road field thanks to the generosity of James Walker's Ltd and Deer Orchard FC.

There will be some free car parking for the day provided by Allerdale Council at the Wakefield Road car park. All close to Cockermouth Town Centre with easy pedestrian access from Main Street over the Millers footbridge.

A website giving details of the event can be found at

**[www.cockermouth.org.uk/touchatruck](http://www.cockermouth.org.uk/touchatruck)**

All children under 12 years must be accompanied by an adult  
Please drive carefully in the Gote Road area as there may be pedestrians approaching the event. Please approach Rotary stewards (wearing yellow tabards) if you have any inquiries on the day.



**If you have a fun or unique vehicle and can join us at Touch a Truck, please get in touch. Sponsorship always welcome.**

**Thanks to all supporters and exhibitors and we hope to see you all again in 2016!**



**Entry:**  
Children aged three and under - FREE  
Children aged 4-16 years - £2  
Adults £5