



South Cumbria &  
North Lancashire  
IOSH Branch

## Joint Programme 2020



South Cumbria  
Occupational Health  
& Safety Group

- VENUE:** **The Netherwood Hotel**, Grange-over-Sands, Cumbria LA11 6ET  
([www.netherwood-hotel.co.uk](http://www.netherwood-hotel.co.uk) except June & August; see below)
- MEETING TIME:** 1.30 pm unless otherwise stated; free for *IOSH* members & *SCOHS G* representatives  
Visitors are welcome. Please introduce yourself to a committee member.
- 16 Jan 2020\*** ***CDM - best practice for small and medium sized business Clients and Designers.***  
James Woolgrove, Director, James Woolgrove Associates Ltd
- 20 Feb 2020** ***Managing workplace transport: key factors - safe site, safe vehicle and safe driver illustrated by case studies.***  
Andrew Woolfall, Director, Backhouse Jones Solicitors
- 19 March 2020\*** ***Farm safety – the challenge of managing animals, equipment, anaerobic digestors, slurry tanks and grain silos safely with case studies.***  
Daniel Pyrah, NFU Mutual
- 23 April 2020** ***Competence: how can workplace competence be assessed? A common sense approach.***  
Sam Duxbury, SHE Manager, Walter Carefoot & Sons (Construction) Ltd  
***Joint AGM:*** Jim Tongue, Chairman, *South Cumbria & North Lancashire IOSH Branch* &  
James Riddick, Chairman, *South Cumbria Occupational Health & Safety Group*
- 21 May 2020\*** ***Young people working together to promote H & S best practice***  
Becca, Jack, Miles, Pierrot & Talya, *Parklands Safety Group Team, Parklands High School, Chorley*  
***A practical approach to reducing workplace stress and improving mental wellbeing.***  
Lucy Atkinson, Business Support Manager, Crams, Scarborough
- 18 June 2020** ***Works visit: Ørsted – Barrow off-shore wind***  
1 Ramsey Way, Barrow-In-Furness LA14 2GR  
Host: Mark Higgins, Regional HSE Manager, Ørsted Off-shore  
For further information and booking (essential due to limited places) please e-mail: [Chair](mailto:Chair) or,  
bookings can also be made at our March, April and May meetings.
- 16 July 2020\*** ***Managing challenging behaviour and violence in the workplace.***  
Dave Mason, Director, Inspire Safety &  
Elsa Mason, Director, Inspire Safety
- 20 August 2020** No meeting
- 17 Sept 2020\*** ***HSE update.***  
Steven Boyd, Acting Principle HSE Inspector, HSE, Carlisle
- 15 Oct 2020** ***Fire and Explosion - assessing the risks, prevention strategies and innovative virtual training.*** (Fire Regulations, DSEAR COSHH)  
09.30 to 16.00  
Speakers: HSE & industry *Seminar fee: £85.00 + VAT*  
Booking and information: 0116 257 3197 or [bookings@iosh.co.uk](mailto:bookings@iosh.co.uk) (book by 12-Oct-20)
- 19 Nov 2020\*** ***Preventing Weils disease, legionella (and other zoonoses) - raising awareness of the problems; not just L8 guidance.***  
Ivor Churcher, Commercial Team Leader,  
Public Protection Department, Barrow-in-Furness Borough Council
- 10 Dec 2020** ***Managing on site partners and contractors - pitfalls and practical solutions.***  
James Riddick, H & S Adviser, Eric Wright Group (Construction)  
Sam Duxbury, SHE Manager, Walter Carefoot & Sons (Construction) &  
Gary McAteer, Safety Adviser, Sellafield Sites Ltd

\* **Committee meeting follows main meeting**