



Car Parking is near Pelter Bridge and at White Moss. Please park carefully, as roads are used by essential services and farm vehicles.

There is a Tea Room at Cote How and a Tea Room/Shop and Toilets behind Rydal Hall. There are also Toilets at White Moss.

A Public Telephone and Bus Stops are near the Church, on the main road at the foot of Hall Bank. Litter Bins are also at White Moss Car Park.

There is much more to Rydal Village than Wordsworth & Rydal Hall.

It has a mixed population covering a wide spectrum of age groups and backgrounds, including employed, self-employed and retired people.

Rydal is situated between the larger villages of Ambleside and Grasmere, surrounded by wooded fells rising sharply and offering views of it's lake, Rydal Water, and surrounding mountains. It consists of a few houses, the Church, Rydal Hall, Rydal Mount (the home of Wordsworth for over 30 years) and The Glen Rothay Hotel & Badger Bar

Rydal was originally contained within the large Grasmere Parish, until it gained parish status in 1826. The name Rydal is derived from Old Norse meaning "valley where rye was grown" and is first mentioned in 1240. Its ancient manor boundary was described in 1274 and the Rydal Park dates from 1277.

Rydal VILLAGE SOCIETY

WELCOME TO THE VILLAGE

SOME USEFUL INFORMATION

❁ RYDAL VILLAGE SOCIETY ❁

The Village Society was formed in 2005 in response to a request to submit a draft to the Lakes Parish Plan. The Society's purpose is to represent all residents of the parish of Rydal and Loughrigg, and to act as an action group for the benefit of the community.

The society is open to all residents, and is intentionally very informal in its organisation. It meets about once a month, usually in the Glen Rothay Hotel.

WWW.RYDAL.ORG.UK
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Essential Services, Shops & Deliveries



CHURCH SERVICES

Every Sunday there is a Eucharist at 9.50 am. with a Sunday School and refreshments after the service

Every Tuesday evening at 7.50pm there is a Christian Meditation Meeting in the Church Gallery

On the first Sunday of each month at 7pm there is a Taizé-style prayer with music and silence.

All are welcome at our worship, for weddings, baptisms or other special services please contact Cameron For more information please contact: Cameron Butland, Vicar of Rydal 015394 - 35526 email: cameronbutland@btinternet.com

Post is delivered once each morning and collections are at 11.00 and 5.00 weekdays. No collection on Sundays.

Refuse Collection: Tuesdays, There is no recycling collection by the Council. There is a tip at Ambleside, and

Medical services are provided by the Ambleside Health Centre,
<http://www.amblesidehealthcentre.co.uk/>

Veterinary services are provided by the Oakhill Veterinary Group, Church St, Ambleside, Phone 015394 3263

Dental Services: the nearest is in Windermere. The nearest NH Dental service is in Kendal.

Bus Services: See timetables at the Bus Stops in Rydal, <http://www.stagecoachbus.com/> Traveline 0870 608 2608

Library: Ambleside.

Milk Delivery: Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Town End Dairy 015394 42357

Coal Delivery: F. W. Wilkin & Son, Old Station Yard, Cark-in-Cartmel, Cumbria. 015395 36300

Petrol: Ambleside or Troutbeck Bridge. Northwards, there is no petrol until Keswick.

Women's Institute: meet in the Kelsick Centre, St. Mary's Lane, Ambleside at 7.30 pm on the second Tuesday in the month (except in August).

Brownies:

Shops: There are no shops in Rydal Village. The nearest are in Ambleside. The nearest supermarket is in Windermere.

