

## 2016 Stone Soup Day Storyboard



Peter Dicken told the story about a poor man who travelled the countryside with a cooking pot and 'magic' stone.

He put the stone and water on to boil and persuaded people in a village to bring vegetables they hoarded. He shared the soup he made and because it made them feel so much happier they thought the stone had magic powers.



People were greeted outside and asked to bring into the room a vegetable to add to the soup.



An impressive 14 varieties of soup, homemade bread and cakes were made and served to 200 people by volunteers.



Everyone had a really enjoyable day.

As people left they were each handed a small stone to keep in their pocket to remember the day and what is important in life -

love, friendship, harmony and peace throughout the world.



Thank you to the Soup Shop, Starfruits, Morrisons, Booths, Bells of Lazonby, Penrith Action for Community Transition, those who brought vegetables and all the volunteers for your support.

Although coming together as a community not making money was the aim of the day, together £530 was donated to The Salvation Army to support the emergency work they do in our community.