

SEAHOUSES LIFEBOAT STATION - **RNLI NEWS RELEASE**



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Lifeboats

LATEST CALL OUT INFORMATION

MAN STRANDED ON St CUTHBERT'S ISLAND, BESIDE HOLY ISLAND - RESCUED BY INSHORE LIFEBOAT.

Call Out No:	30	/ 2004			
Day:	Tuesday	Time:	2.49pm	Date:	2 nd November 2004
Weather:	Drizzle	Wind Speed:	Force 5	Direction:	East
Visibility:	Fair	Sea State:	Moderate		
Lifeboat(s) Launched :	Inshore Lifeboat	Crew: -	Martin Malone, Scott Priestley and Div Inspector Adrian Carey	Shore Crew:	John Hanvey, Eric Stanwix
Returned to Station:	4.15pm	Service Duration:	1hr 30 min	Coastguard Incident No:	028891

Details: At 2.49 pm, on Tuesday 2nd November, 2004, Humber Coastguard requested the Seahouses Inshore Lifeboat to launch for the second time in two days, this time to a male stranded on the tiny St Cuthbert's Island, just west of Holy Island Harbour. He had been cut off by the tide, and as the weather conditions were not good and that it would be dark before the tide receded, it was considered necessary to bring this man ashore. Local Coastguards on Holy Island had tried to source a small boat, but had been unsuccessful.

The Seahouses Inshore Lifeboat launched and proceeded by sea. They safely landed the man, a clergyman from the Burnley area of Lancashire. He was otherwise fit and well.

Ends.