

The South Hill Connection Newsletter

April 2024

Issue 123

March 29th **Tractor run** Polhilsa Farm

March 30th Easter Trail and Egg Hunt at South Hill church this year 10 – 12pm Lots of activities inside and outside, plus pet a real donkey! Prizes & refreshments! The Easter eggs were paid for from the empty drinks cans collected, so keep saving them for [Recycling for Charity](#).

April events in South Hill Parish

7th St Sampson's Open event

10th New CC. Recycling Collection

13th Comedy Night @ Parish Hall

27th Quiz host SH Horticultural Show

28th Cricket season starts

Other April Events

20th Charity ZUMBA Party Pensilva

May

11th Callington Mayfest activities



Help needed. We are seeking photos of babies (or adults) baptised at St Sampson's, or short anecdotes of the event, for use at the St Sampson's Open Day on 7th April in a display about the ancient font. It doesn't matter how long ago - it would be good to have a mixture of recent and long ago. Our 19th century Victoria Cross winner will feature. If you can help, please email Miranda mlawranceowen@icloud.com or phone her on 07595878867.

A yellow poster with a floral and polka-dot pattern. At the top, it says 'ST SAMPSON'S CHURCH PRESENTS'. The main title is 'Easter Trail and Egg Hunt with Dotty the Donkey'. Below that, it says 'Trot on over and join us on Easter Saturday.' and 'MARCH 30 • 10 AM - 12 PM ST SAMPSON'S CHURCH AND CHURCHYARD, SOUTH HILL'. At the bottom, it says 'Join us for an Easter celebration! Follow Dotty, find the tokens and claim your eggs! Other activities and prizes'.

The CONNECTION Team

look forward to hearing from you at editor@south-hill.co.uk

For the May newsletter please send your articles, by April 15th Thank You.

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<https://south-hill.co.uk>

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[Parish hall web site](#)

[Parish council web site](#)

South Hill Parish Hall
Is hosting its first

COMEDY MASH UP

FEATURES

David Arnold has been performing on the comedy circuit for over 7 years & has performed all over the UK for some of the country's biggest promoters.

Email
southhillparishhall@gmail.com
or call 07521 202170
to reserve your tickets

PRICE: £12
INCLUDES BANGERS AND MASH SUPPER,
DESSERT AND ENTERTAINMENT FROM
THE COMEDIAN DAVE ARNOLD.

13TH APRIL 2024
BAR OPENS
AT 7:30PM

Welsh Dave

Bangers & Mash

YOU ARE INVITED TO St Sampson's Church Celebration and Open Afternoon

Sunday April 7th

Celebrating the present, looking to the future.

Help us mark the first milestone in our restoration journey, to say thank you to everyone for all the work achieved. Everyone invited for all or part of the day.

1.15 Thanksgiving Service of Holy communion with Revd. Canon Judith Pollinger

12.30 Lunch

1.30 - 4pm Open Afternoon. Come and see what has been happening. **Drop in any time.**

- Talks and tours about the heritage restored, how it was achieved, the skills involved, and the history discovered
- Project update and future plans
- Cream teas and a celebration cake will be cut.

In the early hours of 22/02/24 **East Cornwall Search and Rescue Team** members headed to Plymouth to join forces with other emergency services in the ongoing major incident in Keyham, after the discovery of an unexploded World War II device. Multi-agency teams were tasked to help with the evacuation of homes within the extended exclusion zone and returned to evacuate as many people as possible on the bombs final route to the sea. If you would like to donate follow this link > Givey.com/eastcornwallsrt

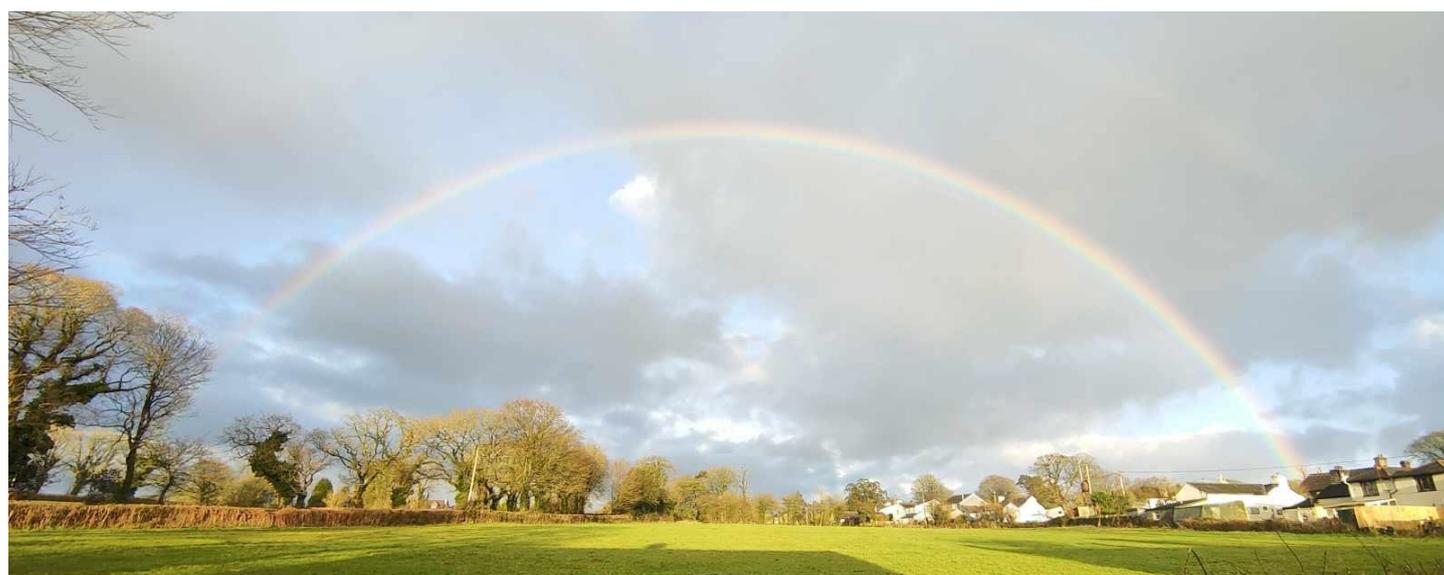


Trainees Ben & Alex graduated to the call out list receiving their coveted red jacket from team leader Zac Harvey-Brewer.

They can look forward to 4am wake up calls, terrible weather, and sights most people will never see, in return for helping the locals and visitors of Cornwall when they need it.

East Cornwall SRT is a local charity that provides an inland search and rescue service for lost, missing and injured people across East Cornwall and further afield when required. It is 100% voluntary and relies on public support to keep the service operational.

A poster for Freddie's Fibre Club. At the top left, the text reads "Freddie's Fibre Club" in green, with a purple star graphic. To the right, it says "Freddie's Fibre Friends" and "A Community Interest Company" with a small sheep logo. A large purple star contains the text "£2 per child". Below this, it says "Explore a different calming and sensory fibre craft technique each month". To the right of the star, it says "Under 16's must be accompanied by an adult (free of charge)". Below the text are three cartoon sheep and a ball of green yarn. At the bottom right, it says "Last Monday of the month, from 6:30pm - 8pm call Julia on 07921 366426 for more info" and "South Hill Parish Hall, Golberdon, PL17 7ND." The entire poster is framed in green.



Thank you to a reader for sending in this photo of a double rainbow captured in March, one end is in the recycling bins at Green Meadows the other in Golberdon Square.

We'd love to share your photos in our newsletter, please email editor@south-hill.co.uk

St Sampson's Church April is a busy month. There is lots going on!

Our Wassail in the community orchard last month was fun, and very wet! All those small trees will be growing big and strong and producing fruit in the next few years for South Hill to harvest. Another wonderful asset that South Hill has. Well done and thank you to the team who have made this happen. [Watch the Video](#) (Thank you Ned Couch)



At the end of March, we celebrated Easter with reflective stations of the cross on Good Friday, an easter egg hunt on Easter Saturday and a service of Holy Communion on Easter Sunday. You would think we might want a rest! But there is more.

Sunday 7th April Open doors

Will be an amazing day of **celebrating** all that we have achieved in the last few years. We are hoping the whole community will join in the celebrations. See the attached invitation and note the service time, which was incorrect in the March edition. Please let me know if you are planning to be here for lunch, or just turn up in the afternoon to hear all about the project from our experts and enjoy a cream tea.

Mayfest Giant making Workshop

Remember last year's making of our St Sampson giant for Callington Mayfest? We are adding a **giant serpent** for the procession this year and the **workshop** to make it is on **Friday 12th 10am**. Last year was great fun so do please join in. Also needed are people to parade it on May 11th. Why a serpent you may ask? The story goes that when Sampson came to Cornwall, he fought off a giant serpent on his way to South Hill. Which is obviously why there aren't any giant serpents terrorising the area any longer!

Living Churchyard

A small team has now come together from across the community to help manage the Living churchyard of St Sampsons Church.

A detailed plan has been created for the grass cutting regime, when and where to cut, leaving areas to grow to encourage wild flowers and biodiversity, creating pathways between the areas and of course being respectful and keeping tidy the areas where the more recent graves are. The first working party was in March to tackle a couple of areas that were becoming too overgrown. The next is on **Saturday April 13th 10-12pm**. All are welcome – bring your tools and gloves. We hope to make this a regular event.

The Church and Churchyard is there for all to use, a wonderful space for quiet reflection. Please may I remind you not to put anything plastic on your loved one's graves. If you would like to be help in any way, please contact me.

St Sampson's Church Forward notice

May 22nd Baroque concert with string quartet Aderyn. Book through this link :
<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/baroque-evening-with-the-aderyn-string-quartet-tickets-847182695247>

Saturday June 29th Medieval Summer Fayre. We want to have a falconer for everyone to enjoy at the fayre. Help with funding is needed. Any donation towards this would be gratefully received.

https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/judith-ayers-1?utm_term=vPjGeEBdW

Services for April

Sunday 7th 11.15 Holy Communion with Arch Deacon Kelly Betteridge. Celebration and Open day

Sunday 14th Morning Worship

Sunday 21st Morning Worship

Sunday 28th Sunday with a Difference. All things eco.

Judith Ayers Judithayers@yahoo.co.uk 01579384617

WWW.callingtoncluster.org

[Facebook](#) St Sampson's Unlocked

ST SAMPSON RISES
CELEBRATING THE PRESENT, LOOKING TO THE FUTURE

YOU ARE INVITED

ST SAMPSON'S CHURCH, SOUTH HILL
CELEBRATION AND OPEN AFTERNOON SUNDAY APRIL 7TH

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 St Sampson's Unlocked

South Hill Parish Hall Golberdon

The parish hall is available to hire for all your events.
Check availability on the hall event calendar, www.southhillparishhall.org.uk/whats-on/

THANK YOU to everyone that completed the hall survey.

QUIZ Night this month
April Sat. 27th 7:30pm start
with South Hill Horticultural Show
Contact Pete Tunnicliffe 07554 990984.

Show Date
August 17th 2024



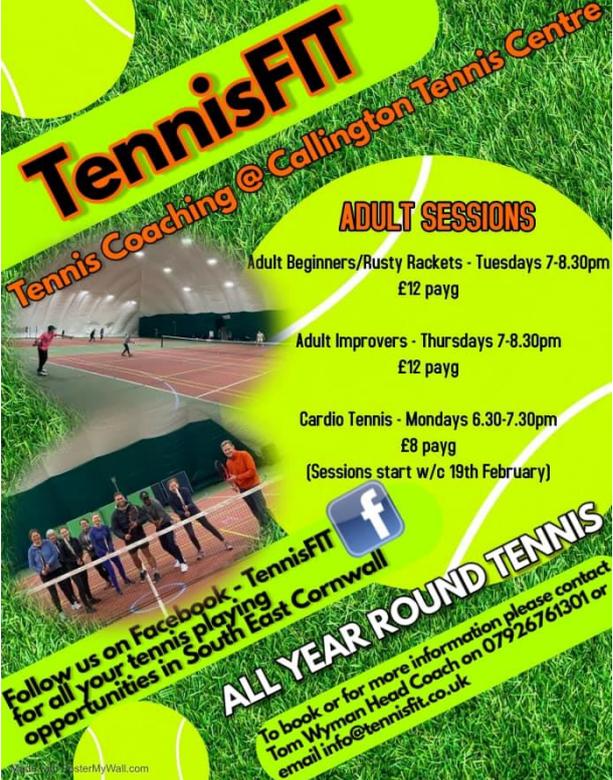
ZUMBA DANCE PARTY!

Gwennie and Liz invite you to
THE SECOND ZUMBA PARTY!!!
SATURDAY 20th APRIL
10.00 - 12.00
Pensilva Millennium Centre PL14 9JF
For more info: 07484 157706
£10.00 per ticket
Raffle, refreshments and coke too!!

EVERY PENNY GOES TO SENIOR AND CORONAL AIR AMBULANCE TRUSTS



Cornwall Air Ambulance
Your charity, saving lives



TennisFIT
Tennis Coaching @ Callington Tennis Centre

ADULT SESSIONS

- Adult Beginners/Rusty Rackets - Tuesdays 7-8.30pm
£12 payg
- Adult Improvers - Thursdays 7-8.30pm
£12 payg
- Cardio Tennis - Mondays 6.30-7.30pm
£8 payg
(Sessions start w/c 19th February)

Follow us on Facebook - TennisFIT
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opportunities in South East Cornwall

ALL YEAR ROUND TENNIS

To book or for more information please contact
Tom Wyman Head Coach on 07926761301 or
email info@tennisfit.co.uk



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On the corner by the
chemist and bus stop
in Callington.
Papers and

magazines,
Milk and soft drinks.
Arts and crafts
on [FACEBOOK](https://www.facebook.com/paperphil)

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philveal@live.co.uk

Smithys Waste Management collected
over 200 Christmas trees in January raising
money for Derriford Neonatal Intensive Care
Unit. Now it's time to get back to regular work.
Fully licensed and insured waste carrier.
Please call for a free no obligation quote. .
NO JOB TO SMALL

07754 097 968

House clearances
Garage clearances
Business closures
Waste removals

Free scrap metal removal (We charge for fridges
and freezers)



South Hill WI have a new banner. This will go to the next Cornwall show where it will be displayed in the WI marquee with others from all over Cornwall. The design reflects features of the area of our WI. So to this end a banner was designed and made by members of the group.

Ellen Seward, Helen Squires and president Janet Corrigan are pictured holding the new banner.

Ellen said,

"We chose a simple design which could be easily seen from a distance. The Black diamond, which is the shape of South Hill Parish, is on a White background to echo the Cornish flag. The interlocking central letters are in WI Green and Purple and the border of Rainbow colours shows our inclusivity."



Easy to make EASTER NESTS



Ingredients

75g milk chocolate
75g dark chocolate
2 Mars Bars
50g unsalted butter
2 tsp golden syrup
about 5 Shredded Wheat, crumbled
36 mini chocolate eggs



Method

Line a baking tray with non-stick baking paper, or put paper cases into a 12 hole cupcake tray.

Break the chocolate into pieces and chop the Mars bars into small slices. Put them all into a pan with the butter and syrup and melt over a low heat, stirring regularly to make sure the mixture doesn't stick or burn. Set aside to cool for a few minutes.

Stir about a third of the Shredded Wheat into the melted chocolate and mix really well. Continue adding the Shredded Wheat a little at a time and mixing after each addition. Stop adding if it looks like there is not enough chocolate to cover any more.

Spoon dollops of the mixture onto the baking tray or into the paper cases. Make a dent in the middle with your fingertip or the handle of a wooden spoon, and press three eggs into it while still wet. Put the tray in the fridge for a few hours, or ideally overnight.



(From 'Biscuit', by Miranda Gore Brown)

The next meeting of South Hill WI will be on Wednesday,
3rd April 2024 in the Parish Hall, Golberdon at 7pm.

The speaker will be **Mike Haywood** whose talk will be on



MIRRORS



Prospective new members are very welcome to come along to a couple of meetings with no commitment. For more information, please contact Jane at southhillwi@gmail.com



Keep up to date on our project by joining the Facebook group

www.facebook.com/groups/recycling.for.charity

Or visit our web page www.south-hill.co.uk/charity-recycling

Some of our Recycling project volunteers recently travelled to Exeter to visit **Devon Contract Waste** to see how the sweet tubs collected were processed alongside similar plastics and made into plastic picnic benches and other garden furniture. It was a fascinating visit with lots of interesting details about the operation and the company.



Tea packets now accepted.



Whichever is your favourite cuppa...
We can now recycle all plastic bags of

**TEA
AND
COFFEE**

Bag together.



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**Cornwall Council new waste service starts in April.
Golberdon collection day changes to a Wednesday**

April 10th put out your Recycling & Food waste

April 17th put out your Rubbish & Food waste

April 24th put out your Recycling & Food waste

May 1st put out your Rubbish & Food waste

CC Go! Leaflet has been posted to households with details on when your collection days will be.

**If you want to check which week you're on
Go to <https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/my-area/>
put in your post code, find your property and the details are all posted.**



Go! New weekly food waste and fortnightly recycling and rubbish collections

From 8 April 2024
WEDNESDAY
will be your collection day

CORNWALL COUNCIL
one and all - oves hagyll

Cornwall recycles
Kernew a wra eylgylghya

www.cornwall.gov.uk/wastechanges

Local roadshows explaining it all will be at

Liskeard Library Wednesday 3rd 10am - 2pm

Callington Library Friday 5th 9am - 1pm

Liskerrett Centre, Liskeard Tuesday 9th 4 - 7pm

Stoke Climsland parish hall Tuesday 16th 3 - 6pm

You will no longer be able to use your own wheelie bins for waste collection.
The council will collect them to be recycled ie. broken down and shredded.

or

our RECYCLING for CHARITY project would love your unwanted wheelie bins.

Either drop off to Green Meadows or contact us and we will pick up.

THANK YOU Ali 07305 044049



The Launceston HWRC recycling centre at Pennygillam continues to run a reduced service due to adjacent construction works. Paper, cans and plastic will not be accepted during this time, please use the kerbside recycling service.



SWAP SHOP

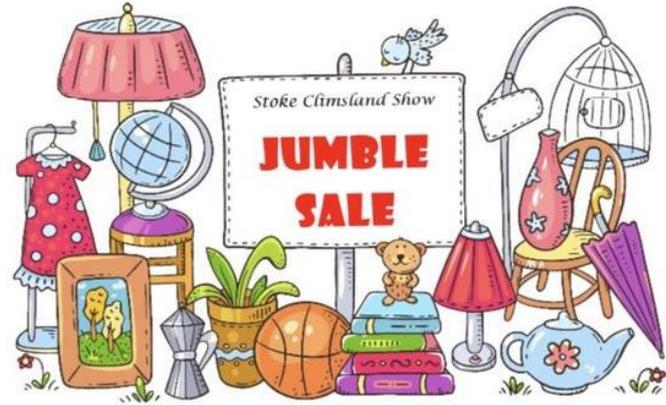
COMMUNITY TREASURE CHEST

SATURDAY 6TH APRIL 10AM- 2.30PM
UNIT 2, BARRAS PLACE, LISKEARD
CALL 01679 344579

FREE HOT CHOCOLATE ON ARRIVAL!

Bring up to 10 items of clothes, books, dvd's or toys & swap them for comparable items for FREE! Nothing to swap just come & shop! Plus colouring & craft activities to amuse the kids while you choose your something "new to you!"

Items must be in good, clean & usable condition.
<https://facebook.com/CommunityTreasureChestCIC>



Stoke Climsland Show

JUMBLE SALE

Saturday 27th April 2024
10:00am to 12:00pm

THE OLD SCHOOL & PARISH HALL
STOKE CLIMSLAND

Tea, Coffee and Cake
and by popular demand...
BACON BUTTIES

Money raised will go towards staging the annual Village Show

Pensilva PSA
All monies raised go straight back into our school

JUMBLE SALE

Reg charity no: 1098548

Most clothes
Saturday 13th April 20p an item!!!!
10am-2pm

Millennium House
Princess Road
Pensilva PL145NF



Refreshments available
Toys, Books, Eric a Brac

Family Fun Day

Free entry & all activities are free

Wednesday 3 April 2024

Launceston Town Hall
Western Rd, Launceston PL15 7AR

Open from 10am - 3pm

Launceston Library
Lego
Arts & Craft
Face Painting
Bouncy Castle

Refreshments available

South Hill Parish Council meeting

Details of the meeting held on **19th March 2024** included the following topics:

PLANNING

An application has been received to construct a lake at Tregonnett Farm. Cornwall Council set the timetable for determining planning applications. There is usually time for the parish council to debate an application and respond at the monthly public parish council meetings. This particular application has only just come in. Councillors had a few questions about it so it was possible to defer making a decision to the April meeting.

DRAINAGE and FLOODING

The local CORMAC Highways Manager has met with Councillors in Maders. CORMAC will increase their routine gully maintenance and assistance was offered to the parish council.

RECREATION FIELD

It has been too wet for a tractor and hedge trimmer to access the field side of the hedges so only the road side was trimmed this year. Hedge trimming has to be completed by the end of March to protect nesting birds.

GRANTS AVAILABLE

Additional money has been made available for the Community Capacity Fund so any local groups that could benefit are encouraged to get their grant applications in.

WASTE AND RECYCLING COLLECTIONS

We are in the second area in Cornwall to change to the new system. You should have had your new bins by now and the "GO" information leaflet by post informing you of the new collection dates. There is a helpful team at Cornwall Council if you have specific problems and more information [here](#). Results from Mid-Cornwall, the first area to change, show an encouraging increase in recycling and reduction in waste collection volumes.

ALLOTMENTS

One plot is available to rent. It's just £15/year and the council would prefer to rent it to someone fairly local. Anyone interested should contact the Clerk. (see below)

SCHOOL TRANSPORT

At present, Cornwall Council think that it is safe for children to walk from Golberdon to school in Callington. The parish council think otherwise, partly because of the increase in the number of HGVs so will ask for a review of the route.



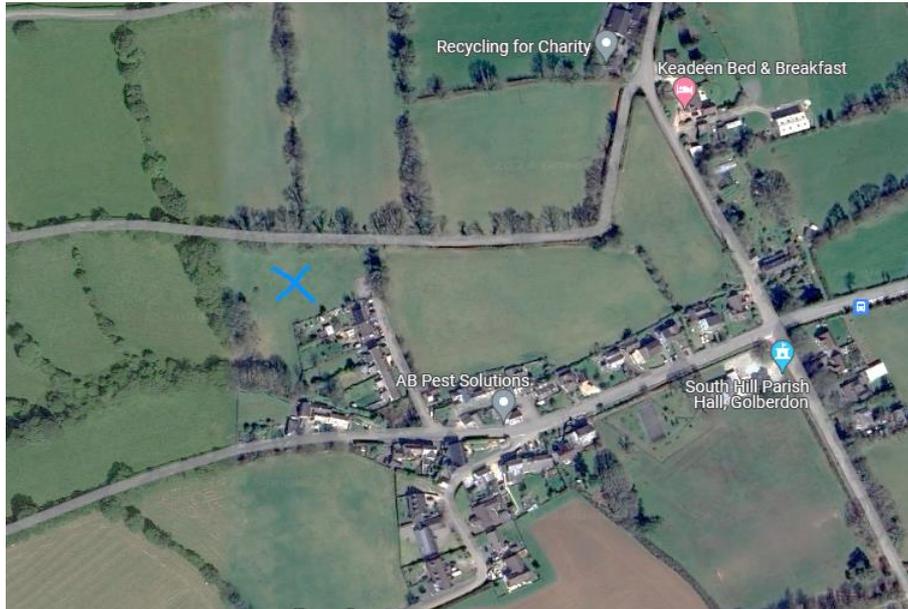
UPDATE FROM: Cllr David Skelton (for fully accurate information as to council meetings readers should consult the minutes of council meetings at www.south-hill-pc.gov.uk)

All communication should be directed to Jenny Hoskin (Parish Clerk) Telephone 07810 234417, email southhillpcclerk@gmail.com or write to Branston Farm, Bodmin Road, Bodmin PL30 4BB

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be on **16th April**, starting at 7:30pm at the Parish Hall. All are welcome.

Social Housing at Moorland View, Golberdon

There have been a number of items on the Parish Council minutes from recent meetings in relation to the land at Moorland View, Golberdon. We wanted to provide an explanation of the reasons behind these and the current status.



The Parish Council has been in discussion with Cornwall Council about the council owned land at Moorland View, Golberdon. (marked with an X) Enquiries had been made to see whether this plot could be developed to fulfil the social housing needs of the parish which were identified from the **Housing Needs Survey** that many parishioners completed last year. ([Info here](#))

Cornwall Council made the decision that, although the plot has development potential, it is not a project they can take forward themselves.

They have suggested that **the Parish Council could potentially take ownership of the site if we were able to provide a project plan for its development.**

With this in mind, we have recently had a discussion with Cornwall Council's Affordable Housing Team to investigate what our options are.

There is a possibility that, if the Parish Council does not take on the plot, Cornwall Council could put it up for sale on the open market.

The Parish Council are actively looking at how we can utilise the site in the best interest of all the parish residents, but nothing will be decided without further consultation with the community.

The Parish Council would rather be involved with any decisions on the future of the site than see it sold on the open market where residents would have no say.

We are planning on giving residents a status update of this initiative at the Annual Parish Meeting which will be held on May 14th in the parish hall.

Dan Smith
SHPC Chairman

Does the Church really matter? – 20240308 by Roy Cooper.

The blank sheet of A4 stared back at me. The Church Matters article I was hoping to write today remained elusive ... and then it hit me. Does the Church really matter?

I've given a lot of thought to this big question and decided that I should start looking for answers in The Bible. Fortunately, it contains some relevant advice for us. Ephesians 1:22-23 for example tells us this; **"²² And God placed all things under his feet and appointed him to be head over everything for the church, ²³ which is his body, the fullness of him who fills everything in every way"**.

Note the words; **"all things under his feet and appointed him to be head over everything for the church, ²³ which is his body."** In my book, that's worth thinking about.

Why? Well, 'Together, we represent Christ here on earth through our local body of believers.

Therefore, the church is central to the purposes of God and is of benefit to the world around us, but most especially in today's environment with an increasingly hostile culture towards the Church, our Country and even our Communities.

'The church exists for God's glory and showcases it in a unique way. The church is built for Jesus; by Jesus; and on Jesus. It is simply unthinkable then to separate Jesus from the local church. If the gospel is a diamond in the great salvific plan of God, then the church is the clasp that supports it, holds it up, and shows it in its greatest light for the world to see. And if it matters so much to God, then it needs to matter just as much to us'¹ But of course, as you might have guessed, it's more complicated than that.

Pilate is said to have entered into Jerusalem on the first day of Passover Week, entering through the west gate – the front gate - mounted high on a horse and surrounded by legions of chariots, horses, and foot soldiers all dressed for battle and armed with swords and spears. Rome's authority would not be questioned as Pilate represented Caesar who saw himself as a god.

On the opposite side of Jerusalem Jesus entered through the Golden Gate, also known as the 'The Gate of Mercy', situated on the north section of the Eastern wall. Jesus was riding a colt, and represented the one and only true God. Our God.

From recorded history we know what happened to Caesar and the Empire that he represented ... just as we know what will happen to the current dictators around the world who wage war on others in their own name.

This Easter we all have a choice. We can collaborate with evil regimes as Patriarch Kirill has chosen to do, or, we can embark on an alternative journey which leads us to personal transformation and holiness as we journey with Jesus, the only true Lord, towards the cross and our resurrection. We too can walk on our road to Emmaus. Holy week will soon be upon us, so now it's time to ask ourselves "Which journey are we on? Which procession are we in? AMEN.

1. <https://www.challies.com/articles/why-the-local-church-really-matters/>

INTERNET your comments please.

Most people in Golberdon, lost their internet when lines were accidentally cut by a hedge trimmer last month, the outage lasted DAYS. MANY MANY days for some. We were told Openreach would have to apply to close the road and they didn't work weekends, and it would be back on by 3pm and whoever you spoke to gave a different story.

[Cornwall village internet outage after hedge trim mishap - BBC News](#)

Nick Easton aired on Julia Skentelbery Radio Cornwall to discuss the outage.

This situation has raised many questions and comments.

- We need a daily update of the current failure/situation of Broadband
- A dedicated person/team to deal with situations like this, we are told different things each time we speak to someone on the phone.
- A code of conduct in carrying out hedge trimming near national power or Openreach cables and poles
- All fibre cables that track down poles to have protective guards and ensure the fibre cabinets are waterproof and maintained. We had lots of outages in our street earlier this year because the cabinet where all the wires were was split and completely flooded causing the wiring to fuse
- A back up system on 4 G that works and keeps connection 24/7
- A clear compensation scheme that is automatically put in place and increases by 20% for every day after 3 days that you are not connected
- Suggest that those who have been without for a week or more deduct the correct amount from your next payment, put a pause on your DD. A trip to court is just what the company needs.



Do you stand by your internet provider ?

Is there a better provider than another ?

Some pay extra as a business account.. is it worth it?

What's the best deal/package ?

Email us your comments and we'll post in the next newsletter.

editor@south-hill.co.uk



From Cllr. ADRIAN PARSONS
Cornwall Councillor for Altarnun & Stoke Climsland

Cornwall Council has approved its budget for 2024/25 which will continue delivering vital services for residents despite the fiscal pressures faced by local government across the country. The details include a net increase of around £37m in spending on care for Adults and Children in Cornwall. In addition, there is a near £9m net increase built in in respect of Home to School Transport and around £7m to support Temporary and Emergency Accommodation reflecting the significant demand pressures being experienced in these areas.

The budget will mean a council tax increase of 4.99% for residents, which includes a 2% levy to fund adult social care, bringing the bill for a Band D property to £1,892.75. It also confirms plans to bring in a 100% Council Tax premium on second homes from April 2025.

This rise comes at a time when many just can't afford it, the previous LibDem/Independent administration had often called for fairer funding from Westminster to only have this knocked back. Interestingly now the Conservative administration is saying this situation will not improve "until we achieve fairer funding from Westminster for local government". The figures within the budget have become all the more sobering when you see now how great the projected shortfall is, and what this will mean for the council to deliver a good standard of service to its residents. With it even being suggested by some that Cornwall Council could be facing a bankruptcy situation by 2026!

At Full Council there was a long debate on the potential raising of **tolls on the Tamar Bridge and Torpoint Ferry**, which was approved, which will see the cost rise from £2.60 to £3.00 for cars with a caveat that, if more funding is secured from Westminster, the toll rises could be cancelled. Again it feels like many further down west don't understand the impact this has on those of us who live in the East of Cornwall. This increase was supported by the majority of the Conservative group and Labour Councillors.

Changes to seasonal parking ticket prices for local residents.

Cornwall residents will pay half the cost for their seasonal parking ticket from April to help make parking more affordable for those who need to regularly park in a Council car park. Available for drivers who live in Cornwall for at least six months of the year, the Resident Season Ticket can be bought to cover a six, seven or 12 month time period.

Tickets, available from April 1, 2024, are valid for use in one specified car park.

An example of the cost of the Resident Season Ticket based on current prices:

- St Austell, Redruth, Launceston, Bodmin and Penryn - £160.65 for six months and £302.40 for a year.

Information on the Resident Season Ticket is available on the CC website.

www.cornwall.gov.uk/transport-parking-and-streets/parking/car-park-tickets-and-permits/resident-season-ticket

Plans to introduce a year-long trial of **overnight motorhome parking** at The Crescent car park in Bude have also been approved. Available to fully self-contained motorhomes from 1st April, 2024, tariffs have been set in line with fees charged by other local providers:

- April 1, 2024 to October 31, 2024 (6pm to 9am) - £20
- November 1, 2024 to 31 March, 2025 (6pm to 9am) - £15

Wishing you all a happy Easter, with the hope and beauty that springtime brings, with the promise of brighter days ahead!

Royal Cornwall Show with Age UK

Age UK are offering a coach to the Royal Cornwall Show at a reduced rate for those 50 years or older and live in our area. **Saturday 8th June cost £14.75** per person, includes coach, show entry and pasty at the Age UK marquee plus a cup of tea later in the afternoon before leaving the show.

Individuals requiring support may be accompanied by a family member/carer, who will also be required to pay £14.75.

All guests must be able to cope with getting on and off a coach, coach transport, the terrain of the Royal Cornwall Showground, a significant walk from the Showground car park to the Age UK marquee and back, the anticipated volume of people, as well as whatever the weather conditions are.

The deadline for signing up is Friday 19th April.

Jill Price from Treburley is coordinating so if you want to be included contact her ASAP jillprice1963@gmail.com or phone 07790 946729.

Pick ups will be confirmed later, they have stopped at Treburley on previous occasions.



Marie Curie - South West

would like to say a big thank you to the Callington Young Farmers for raising a brilliant £1000 for us last year! ★

This wonderful group raised the money by holding a tractor run and a charity dung sale!

The money raised will help fund our services across Cornwall, ensuring that those living with a terminal illness and their loved ones can access the care that they need.

Launceston & Callington Ploughing Association are hosting a tractor run

All tractors & vintage cars/ trucks welcome

Raising money for Gynaecology Oncology at Derriford Hospital

Meet at Polhilsa Farm PL178PP

Friday March 29th 10:30am for a 11:30am set off

Tractor £10 passenger £5

Refreshments supplied

Vehicles must be road worthy and insurance details must be brought

Contact Jake to book 07399601370

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