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Welcome to the penultimate edition of my editorship. I'd like to start with a profound apology to the people who receive the newsletter electronically and didn't get the June edition until the middle of the month. As I put in the last newsletter, I moved house at the end of May and was without Internet or mobile signal for nearly three weeks. I'd sent the newsletter to the printers, but wasn't able to send the email out as usual at the beginning of the month.

As yet, noone has expressed an interest in taking on the newsletter, which means that the August edition could be the last one and the end of an era. I have enjoyed editing the newsletter and have found it really interesting to get to know who's who and what's happening in the parish. I'll be very sad to see it go but I really believe the editor needs to be someone who lives locally in the community.

If you think you may be interested and would like a no obligation discussion about it, please do get in touch with me via the newsletter email address or via the community Facebook Group. I will keep looking, but, unlike the previous time when an editor left, there is no back-up available, so the newsletter is likely to close if someone is not found by the beginning of August. Warmest wishes,

Jenny

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Thanks everyone and keep collecting Judy

Calling all wool crafters!

The Monday afternoon craft group are

looking for people who can knit or crochet red and purple poppies for the display we are hoping to do this year.



If you can help, there is a bag at the back of the Baker's Dozen in Cubert where you can pick up free yarn. You can also drop your completed poppies in to the same place.

The views and opinions expressed in this Newsletter do not necessarily reflect those of the editor. The editor reserves the right to refuse material for any reason whatsoever and cannot be held responsible for any errors or omissions which may occur in this publication. There was a lot in the press this year regarding the year 6 SATs, but our children approached them with calmness and maturity, so well done to you all.

This last part of the school year is always very busy with trips, sporting events and Sports Day (including the ever-popular Cake Race) and transition days both for the new intake for September and for those moving on to secondary school. Children have also had swimming lessons this term, a big thank you to The Atlantic Reach Resort for allowing us to use their pool.

This year staff have been very mindful of the costings for school trips and residentials and have worked hard to arrange exciting activities. Some children will be camping in the environmental area and spending the day doing water sports at Stithians, others are visiting Geevor Mine with a night at Carnyorth There's also a visit to The Eden Project, fish and chip suppers, sleepovers in school... so much to look forward to! As always, we are grateful for the support from parents and the community, without you these events would not take place.

Cubert School was invited to send Year 3 to a music workshop, run by 'The Sixteen', with children from other Newquay primary schools. The Sixteen is a performing arts charity whose vision is to provide an opportunity for everyone, everywhere, to experience top-quality choral music. This was an amazing morning spent with very talented and inspiring musicians. As always, our children behaved impeccably.

The PTFA Summer Festival is a much anticipated event which will be held on 7th July this year on the school field. This is a lovely, family orientated fundraising afternoon and we look forward to seeing you all there.





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CUBERT VILLAGE HALL JUNE REPORT



The CVH Committee June meeting will be held at the end of June

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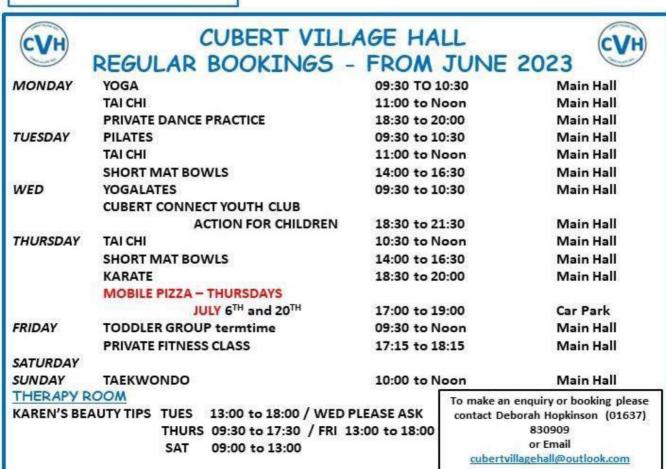
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NEWS FROM THE SHORT MAT BOWLING CLUB

The Bowling Club has disbanded.

At an extraordinary meeting in May, the Club Resolved to disband after 30 years of using and supporting the village hall. The final decision to disband came after a letter was received from the village hall claiming that members of the Club had "Tampered" with the heating on a specific time and date in February, along with a second increase in hire rates amounting to 38% increase in 18 months. This claim was false.

The Club withheld payment of hire charges (regularly paid in advance) until an explanation and apology was received, but no apology was forthcoming, and the club barred from the Hall with changed locks and guards on the doors in May. The Club members were not allowed to retrieve either their own equipment, or the club equipment, until the outstanding hire charges were confirmed paid by the hall's bank. After receiving no apology or reasoned explanation, the Club paid the hire charges in full, immediately following receipt of the amended hall charge bill.

The Club was concerned that the village hall committee were falsely accusing the club of Tampering with the sealed heating system, increasing the hall charges without reasoned explanation, re-writing the hall Constitution and Trust Deed, barring any public access to the hall meetings and accounts, and had stated in writing to the Parish Council that the "Management Committee owns the Hall". Inaccurate statements were being made to the Parish Council.

A precis of the hall accounts submitted to the Charity Commission has been obtained, that show the average annual hall maintenance cost between April 2019 and March 2022 was £8,000+, with average income of £15,000+. An annual profit of £7,000+ each year, with £25,000+ held in the bank for "emergencies". The Club bowls equipment has now been sold to a private individual, who is hoping to continue using it at the hall, the Club wishes him well, and the very best of luck.

Alan Percy, Club Treasurer

The Bowgie and C-Bay raise funds for a

Defibrillator at West Pentire

The Bowgie and C-Bay launched their defibrillator fundraising campaign in March and were blown away with the quick and generous response from customers, community and supporters. The target of £3000 was raised in just one month and we're delighted to say that the defibrillator has now been installed in the West Pentire car park, with the team from Duchy Defibrillators visiting on Thursday the 15th of June to set it all up!



Along with the lovely team at C-bay, we wanted to say a huge thank you to everyone who donated what they could and helped us to raise awareness - it really is life-saving stuff and it will make such a difference to our community. We couldn't have done it without our fantastic community of Bowgie friends. Thanks to your support, we now have a defibrillator located close by that will be there for anyone who needs it.

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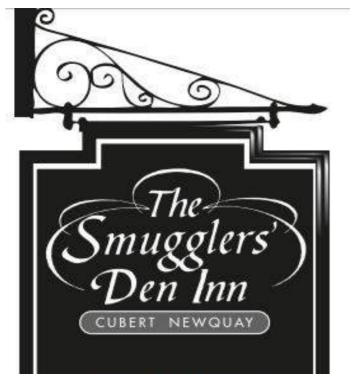
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APOLOGIES: Clirs. T. Hulbert, Police Report – None.

ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN AND VICE CHAIRMAN FOR THE ENSUING YEAR

None of the Councillors in attendance were prepared to stand. A discussion about how to proceed ensued. Cllr. R.L.B. Spencer said he would be prepared to stand as Vice-Chairman but only if a chairman is found. It was suggested that the role of Chairman could be filled on a rota basis. However, this if far from ideal so it was **RESOLVED** to continue appointing a chairman prior to each meeting until a permanent volunteer comes forward.

MINUTES OF THE MEETINGS HELD ON 17th May and 7th June 2023:

The Minutes were approved and signed as True Records.

MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES OF 17th May 2023:

The Clerk informed the meeting that the Annual Audit has been completed and submitted to the External Auditors. The Clerk further informed the meeting that Stephen Scown has now been instructed with regards to the Village Hall and we have received their legal opinion.

Cllr. R.L.B. Spencer advised that he had given the Clerk the maps relating to the demolition of the hedge for him to report. Cllr. R.L.B. Spencer has submitted the comments to the Inspector for the Penhale View appeal. These have been acknowledged. The advertising trailer at Cubert Crossroads disappeared before Planning Enforcement could investigate.

Cllr. A. Percy gave an update on the installation of the new play equipment. The first tranche of CIL Funding has been received and the Clerk has applied for the second payment. An application for the third payment can be made when the cycle track is installed which is likely to be at the beginning of July. The climbing frame is being installed now and the small car will be installed at the QEII park tomorrow.

ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT AND OTHER FINANCIAL BUSINESS: Resolved to pay all accounts as presented. PLANNING:

Decisions made by Cornwall Council:

PA23/02637 New single story side extension. New lower window to front elevation. 60 Wheal Golden Drive Holywell Bay Newquay Cornwall TR8 5PE for Mrs Kate Christman - Approved

PA23/00643 250kWp ground mounted solar PV array to help power Trevornick Holiday Park - Trevornick Holiday Park Holywell Bay Newquay Cornwall TR8 5PW for Mr. Adrian Tribe - Approved

Applications

PA23/03743 Listed building consent to install electricity ducting beneath the bridge footway. Ducting to be protected with concrete bed and surround and cable protection tiles. Trevemper Footbridge Trevemper Newquay Cornwall for Mr Nigel Purchase National Grid Energy Distribution - **Resolved to object due to the adverse impact on a historical structure**. PA23/03742 Install electricity ducting beneath the bridge footway. Ducting to be protected with concrete bed and surround and cable protection tiles. Trevemper Newquay Cornwall for Mr Nigel PA23/03742 Install electricity ducting beneath the bridge footway. Ducting to be protected with concrete bed and surround and cable protection tiles. Trevemper Footbridge Trevemper Newquay Cornwall for Mr Nigel Purchase National Grid Energy Distribution - **Resolved to object due to the adverse impact on a historical structure**.

Other Planning Matters:

Cllr. A. Percy updated Councillors on the response he had received to his email regarding the Wesley Road PIP application. The Planning Officer had asked the Parish Council to justify why the gap should be preserved and should not be classed as infill. A discussion ensued. Cllr. A. Percy confirmed that he would attend the Planning Committee Meeting if it was the Parish Council's wish. **RESOLVED**: Cllr. A. Percy to draft a response and circulate for Councillor's approval.

NEIGHBOURHOOD DEVELOPMENT PLAN

Cllr. G. Rowe advised that the design guide has been completed and a first version of the plan has been drafted which would shortly be circulated to Parish Councillors. A consultation event is planned for the 9th September.

CUBERT VILLAGE HALL

The response from Stephen Scowns was discussed at length. The solicitor's advice was based on the Village Hall being vested. However, there is no evidence to suggest that this had been done. The solicitor has also advised that there is no reason why the minutes of Village Hall meetings shouldn't be circulated to Councillors. Cllr. G. Rowe had also received some advice from the CRCC which he is considering. Cllr. A. Percy commented that parishioners are still under the impression that they cannot attend the AGM which is not the case. It seems that there are too few community groups using the hall at the moment.

RESOLVED: Cllr. G. Rowe to contact the solicitor and ask if the advice is still valid if the village hall has not been vested. Email from solicitor to be circulated to the Village Hall Committee meeting which Cllr. G. Rowe will attend.

July 2023 REPORT OF THE PARISH COUNCIL 21st June 2023 (contd)

ANY OTHER RELEVANT BUSINESS NOT REQUIRING DECISIONS AT THIS MEETING:

The future of the newsletter was discussed as the Editor is finishing at the end of July. Cllr. M. Smith and Cllr. S. Bell will ask local groups to advertise on their social media pages to see if a replacement can be found.

Cllr. W. Caff had received two complaints about the location of the litter bin in the square. Cllr. M. Smith will move the bin to outside the Londis and order a smaller bin to put next to the bus shelter.

Cllr. M. Smith had received a request for the memorial stone to be cut and cemented on to the well. He will investigate whether this is possible and report back to the next meeting.

Cllr. D. Hopkinson reported an overgrown verge opposite the turning into Trenissick Rural Park. The Clerk will report. Cllr. D. Hopkinson reported several potholes on Chynowen Parc which she will report.

CLOSING, DATE OF NEXT MEETING: The meeting was closed 10.15pm. The next regular meeting to be held on 19th July 2023 at 7.00pm.

FOOTPATHS

Everything is growing at a furious rate now. ALL the footpaths in the Parish are maintained by a wonderful group of volunteers. **The PARISH needs more volunteers to keep the footpaths open. If footpaths become overgrown and fall out of use by the public we could lose them!** If you can spare some time to help with cutting back a footpath please volunteer. Equipment can be supplied and any necessary training given.

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Services for July 2023

Sunday July 2nd Holy Communion 9.30am

Sunday July 16th Holy Communion 9.30am

Revd Rachel has now left us to go and live in Yorkshire, and we wish her well.

We have also heard that our Priest-in Charge, The Revd Canon Anne Brown will be retiring at the end of August,



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after being with us for seven years. We shall miss her very much. This means that we shall be looking for a new Priest-in-Charge for the Cluster, and that process will take several months. Meanwhile our services will hopefully continue as before, and the church will remain open from 10am until 4pm every day. There will be a collection for a farewell gift for Anne if anyone wishes to make a contribution please contact Wendy or Kath.

Memory Cafe at Perranporth has a meeting on July 10th which will be the last meeting for the summer, starting again in September. The Café is held in St Michael's Hall Perranporth from 2pm until 4pm. Any enquiries, please contact Wendy.

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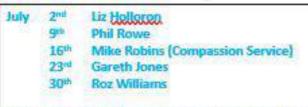


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Maybe you have repeatedly heard the words 'You can't' throughout your life. Many people like to tell others what they cannot do. Even people you wouldn't automatically consider to be against you – teachers, coaches, parents, family members, friends and leaders of church groups or social events, who often fail to realise the power of their words on young lives. Many of us grew up thinking, 'I can't', when that was not true at all! No matter how often you have heard someone say, 'You can't, stand on God's word and say, 'Yes, I can. Miracles come in 'cans' – our belief that we can do everything we need to do through Christ who is our strength. God believes in you, and now is the times for you to believe in yourself. This is a new day! Put the past and all its disheartening remarks behind you. Words that speak of failure come from the Enemy, not God, so determine right now not to allow the power of 'you can't to affect you any longer. In contrast to the Enemy, God's Spirit encourages you and will do everything to urge you forward towards success in all areas of life. Facing three challenges of the promised land, God told Joshua three times, 'Be of good courage'. Always remember that that if you feel 'dis-couraged'. it's from God. Decide to agree with God and say to yourself, 'I can!' Today let the power of God's Word dominate the power of every negative word that has ever been spoken to you or about you.

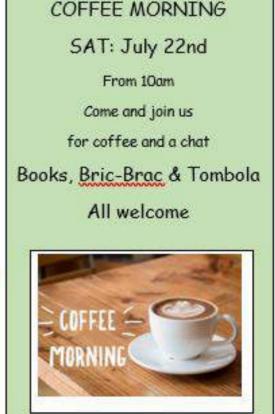
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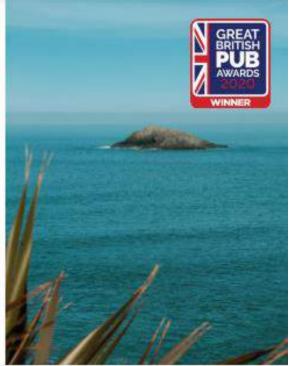


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Heaviest fish – Mackerel 15oz caught by Ronnie Dantal.

The Four Seasons Competition – This was held on the weekend of 20/21st May 2023. It was between local angling clubs, with a turnout of 44 anglers taking part, returning to the weigh-in at the Treguth Inn at Holywell with only four fish. Sadly, it underlines the decline of species of fish once found in our waters, however the specimens that did make the scales were three Gilt Head Bream up to 4lbs 8ozs and a Bass of 5lbs. The winning angler came from St Columb Major Angling Club.

July competitions

A monthly competition fishing for the heaviest Mackerel.

A monthly competition fishing from Holywell Beach and fishing for 1st and 2nd heaviest Bass. All Bass brought to the scales must be 3lbs and over.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE IS A CUBERT SEA ANGLERS NOTICE BOARD IN CUBERTVILLAGE SQUARE FOR FUTURE INFORMATIONby Brian Osborne

Bryn Evans would like to thank everyone who came to support him at his Fun Quiz on 16 June. £400 was raised on the night. Thank you to Cubert & Holywell Bay Carnival Committee for their donation, Treguth Inn and Holywell Bay Golf Club for their vouchers for the raffle.

Our next fundraising quiz will be hosted by Treguth Inn on 7 July 2023.



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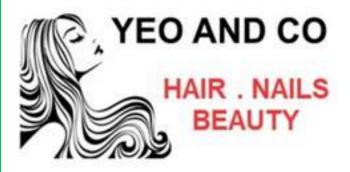
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Building work at the Village Hall is well underway but disturbance was minimal. President Linda Hallwood welcomed members and the singing of Jerusalem followed.

Lynne Wilson highlighted events that had reached their deadline for registration and new ones for our diary. These included the visit with lunch to Tremeneer Sculpture Gardens on the 20th June and the Lavender Farm visit in July. Linda Hallwood fed back on the visit to the Japanese Garden which was greatly enjoyed by all who attended.

Linda Hallwood gave a brief account of the National Conference that took place in Cardiff. She was the link person for seven other WIs and attended the conference on line. The conference was well attended and the resolution 'Cleaner Rivers for People and Wildlife' was passed by a majority of 84%. The two guest speakers were both from a sporting background. Ebony Rayford Brent MBE found success in the cricketing world and now regularly features in the BBC cometary team. Footballer Laura McAllister told how she has risen through the ranks and now is the only woman on UEFA's Executive Board. Two important items announced at the conference were free online Denman courses coming in the Autumn and the 'Thank you for being a Friend' NFWI initiative which involves flash bombing in the local community while singing the song made famous by Tony Christie. As this is very short notice we won't make the date at the beginning of June but we are considering gathering to sing in Care homes etc.

Our entry in the Royal Cornwall Show Cup did not achieve the heights we felt it deserved but the team, Linda Hallwood landscape, Gail Wilson background, Sue Stevens jam, Salli Blackford illustrated interpretation of Jerusalem, Sue Fern flan and Sonia Jones foliage arrangement were happy with their achievements. As you can see from the photo, they produced an excellent entry.

Our guest speaker Lisa Cooper gave a most interesting, if at times harrowing, talk about Ukraine's Tragic History. She has written a book entitled 'A Forgotten Land' which is based on her Russian Jewish family history. They lived in what is now Ukraine and eventually moved to Canada. She also told us about the tiny grain of truth in Putin's claims that led him to invade Ukraine. Next month's speaker will be Christopher Quillan who will speak on the topic of 'Life and Times of a Vicar'.

Tea again was expertly organised by Sue Fern and we all enjoyed catching up on the month's local news.

After tea Marianne Inskip shared the result of the 'Here Comes Summer' competition. In first place was Jane Ham with a summer hamper full of wonderful food and drink. Second place went to Juliet Weller with photos and a description of the gorgeous flowers growing in her garden. Salli Blackford claimed third place with her beautiful and topical painting of poppies. Next month's competition title is 'Celebrating our Fishermen'.

Any other business introduced information about the Summer Lunch which will take place at Sue Steven's home on Tuesday 8th of August. More information will be circulated soon. A request was made for a member to act as a go to person to cover positions when committee members are absent. Marie Hedge a former committee member and very knowledgable about all the roles, volunteered. Birthday posies, cards and, finally, the raffle followed. Linda Hallwood thanked Marianne Inskip, Salli Blackford and Jenny Crawley for standing in to cover committee absentees. Our next meeting will be Tuesday 11th July at 2pm Crantock Village Hall.





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Not only have we had our first orphaned hoglets admitted to the rescue, we also had our busiest day ever with 19 admissions, closely followed the next day with another 12!

This month we have a very important request to make of you all. Whilst we have all undoubtedly been enjoying the warm, dry weather, the lack of rain means many hedgehogs (and all wildlife) are struggling to find water. Last year, a third of all hedgehogs admitted to the rescue were severely dehydrated. By simply placing a shallow dish of water out you really could save a life!



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BIRD NOTES

Wildlife lovers are celebrating the birth of two Osprey chicks after their nest was protected by 24hour security at a lakeside site in Llyn Brewig, North Wales. The first Atlantic Puffin chicks of the year were hatching at the end of May on the seabird haven of the Isle of May on the Firth of Forth.

A total of 94 of one of our rarest and beautiful birds, the Hen Harrier, have mysteriously been killed since 2018, according to a new and very detailed report from the group Raptor Persecution UK. As the report makes clear, these ringed birds tended to stop existing when they flew over Grouse moors. Grouse shooting starts in August, and it is hoped that the police and National Parks do something about the Grouse moor owners. Last year there were only 34 successful Hen Harrier nests.

Peacock from a closed hotel are causing a nuisance in Maryport, Cumbria. There are about 30 of them and they have started breeding. They knock on doors for food and keep locals awake with their mating calls. An animal rescuer has been tasked with rounding them up, but some poeplke want them to remain free. Animal sanctuary boss Mel James said there are rehoming options but added, They're not easy to catch."

A Christmas Tree is still standing in the centre of Beverley, East Yorkshire because a pigeon is nesting in it. Councillors were told they could not move the Spruce as it is illegal to damage a wild bird's nest. The tree was due to be removed in January, but it still stands. Andy Gibson of Yorkshire Wildlife Trust said, "We have to have consideration for wildlife and make that a priority." The rarest Geese in the World, known as Nene, have hatched goslings at Slimbridge Wetland Centre in Gloucestershire.

Little Egrets are being seen on the Gannel Estuary again after a short absence. It is believed they go to the rivers around Truro for the nesting season. On 13th May, 6 Red Kites were spotted at Bedruthan Steps heading towards

Porthcothan. On 24th May, six Red Kites were seen on the Isles of Scilly. Ben Hocking has nesting boxes in his garden and house sparrows have use them successfully this year, producing chicks. On 17th June, Tim Hodder saw three



Choughs at Penhale. One of them was a youngster with it's beak still yellow. He suspects the adults are a different pair to those he saw a few days ago on the Kelseys but can't prove it. I thank Tim for all his efforts watching the Choughs.

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