



# KILKHAMPTON PARISH NEWS

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*Hi everyone,*

*We hope you enjoy this edition.*

*For those wishing to contribute (either regularly or just the occasional article or notice), please note the following:*

- 1. The submission deadline for articles and notices has changed to the 12<sup>th</sup> of the month before publication, rather than the 15<sup>th</sup>. It's really appreciated if you can get any contributions in by that date. However, if you have something you want to include that is slightly late being sent, it's always worth sending it in, we can't promise to be able to include it but it should be possible if the editing is still in progress.*
- 2. Editor Jill's email address is now [jill@kilkhampston.news](mailto:jill@kilkhampston.news) - if you have previously saved her old email address, please replace it with this one so that any submissions will safely find their way to her. Jill will ALWAYS acknowledge all email submissions within a few days of receipt so please feel free to chase up if you haven't received your acknowledgement.*
- 3. As usual, December will be a DOUBLE ISSUE so please include notices and events for January in your submissions.*

*Inside this issue, in addition to the usual notices and features...*

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*Page 4: A reminder of the Festival of Remembrance services to be held at St James Church on 6<sup>th</sup> November. Also a request for primary school volunteers who would like to take part in a nativity play this December.*

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## EDITORIAL



Hello everyone,

Thanks for all the good wishes from people following our October return - good to know that you are enjoying having the Parish News back. This month is a slightly shortened version - it may take time for contributions to reach their usual levels - any articles will be gratefully received!

Next to this editorial is a thank you to the team members who worked on the Parish News up to the pandemic. It's an acknowledgement of just how big our team is, and how many people are working every month on getting each edition to your door. I know there are many other names that have worked on the Parish News for many years and have left with no mention of their contribution, so I'd also like to thank those people.

It also makes me think how much people help each other in our local community. I tried very hard to volunteer to help people through the 'official' volunteering channels during the early stages of the pandemic, but was never called upon - probably a reflection of how friends and neighbours step up to help each other, unlike the potential anonymity and isolation that many experience living in a large town or city. And it's not just in the pandemic - it's a way of life in Kilk (and many other places around this area). Living many miles from large department stores and general hospitals, many would struggle without the help and support of others. So a round of applause to all those who are the 'invisible helpers'!

More next month...

*Jill*

## A big thank-you

Thank you to all those who were part of the Parish News team pre-Covid, who for personal or health reasons have decided not to carry on. Many of them have worked tirelessly behind the scenes, through providing editorial contributions, collecting floodlighting submissions and payments, and collating, stapling and delivering the Parish News to your door.

Apologies if I have missed anyone, but here are the unsung heroes (in alphabetical order):

Iris Bond

Rita Cann

Ursula Edwards

Philip French

Maureen Hewlett

Roger Hewlett

Ian Maddock

Tim Prince

Betty Westlake

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Please use the contact details on the opposite page to enquire about advertising (Martin), submit or amend your advert (Adam), or send in submissions for the editorial page (Jill). We are happy to be contacted in the first instance and we're happy to accept notices of events and news items. Adverts need to be submitted by 1<sup>st</sup> of the month for the following month, and editorial submissions by 12<sup>th</sup> of the month.

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# Kilkhampston Church Services

## *St James Church*

**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> November 11am Holy Communion** with Reverend Teresa

Welcomers: Myra and Tracey. Reader: Rita: Jonah 3: 1-5 and 10.

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> November REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY** with Mike

**11am Morning Worship with Methodist friends**

Welcomers: Rita and Rachel. Reader: Peter: Daniel 12: 1-3 .

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> November 11am Holy Communion** with Reverend Teresa

Welcomers: Gillian and Margaret. Reader: Tony: Daniel 7: 9,10,13 and 14.

**Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> November 11am Morning Worship** with Richard Painter

Welcomers: Jennie and Joyce. Reader: Gillian: Jeremiah 33: 14-16.

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> December 11am Holy Communion** with Reverend Teresa

Welcomers: Rachel and Lynn. Reader: Kevin: Malachi 3: 1-4

**If anyone is unable to make their appointed date  
please arrange a replacement**

**St James Daily Morning Prayer: 9am**

Everyone welcome to drop in on any day

**ZOOM:** Meeting ID 818 0754 3068

Password 342 493

Telephone: 02030512874 or 02030515237

## **St James Church Nativity Play**

I am hoping to put on a Nativity play in  
the church on 19th December 2021.

If any primary school pupils are  
interested in taking part,

please contact me on 01228 321355.

Look forward to hearing from you, Yvonne Chidley



ROYAL BRITISH LEGION  
INVITE YOU  
TO  
KILKHAMPTON  
***Festival  
of  
Remembrance***  
***St. James Church***  
KILKHAMPTON  
**Saturday 6th November 2021**  
**2.30pm & 7.00pm**  
**Tickets £10**  
On sale from 6th September 2021  
at Gilbert & Vanstone, Kilkhampston  
Tel: 01288 321418

## ***Methodist Chapel***

<u><b>Date</b></u>	<u><b>Preacher</b></u>	<u><b>Flowers</b></u>	<u><b>Coffee</b></u>
7 <sup>th</sup> November	Mr. Barry Bryne	Sylvia Hambley	Judith Heard
14 <sup>th</sup> November	UNITED at St. James		
21 <sup>st</sup> November	J Guy	Monica Heywood	Sandra Jones
28 <sup>th</sup> November	Local Arrangement	Sue Brooks	Pam Metherell



## FROM ST JAMES CHURCH

Dear friends,

### **Remember, remember the 5<sup>th</sup> on November, gun powder treason & plot**

November – the clocks have changed and the nights are pulling in, so it is time for hot chocolate, sitting in front of fires and feeling cosy – as the weather outside becomes anything but cosy. And of course it is the season of remembering. All souls on the 2<sup>nd</sup>, when we remember those whom we love but see no longer. Those precious loved ones who have had an influence on us and helped to shape and to bring colour to our lives.

Then we remember Guy Fawkes on bonfire night, who tried and failed to blow up parliament. Not something we want to encourage! But a significant event for our nation, which gives us an excuse to have a bit of a party.

And then most significantly perhaps, we remember all who have given their lives as a sacrifice for our freedom on Remembrance Sunday. “Greater love

hath no man than to lay down his life for another” (John 15:13).

This year there will be a Festival of Remembrance in St James the Great Church, Kilkhampston on the 6<sup>th</sup> – and it will be a great and memorable occasion, with a few surprises for you. And it is only right to remember those who gave their lives for us.

But it is also right, every day to remember Jesus Christ who gave his life for all our freedoms. Each one of us is free because of his great sacrifice.

God so loved the world, that he sent his Son, that whosoever believeth in him, might not perish, but have everlasting life. (John 3:16)

And so, in these November evenings, perhaps we should remember that we can cosy up with God. He is our home, our resting place, our security and our safety; always patiently waiting for us to return to him.

Every Blessing,

*Reverend Teresa*

## FROM KILKHAMPTON CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

November is a month when we stop to remember the sacrifices of others who gave their lives for the freedom that we enjoy, and often take for granted. The freedom to go where we like, when we like. It was only in lockdown when we could not go out and do the things that we normally did that we began to value the freedom that so many over the years have given their lives for.

There have been many martyrs for the gospel and still today people are laying down their lives for the gospel, the Bible and its principles, sadly that which is discounted, mocked, and undermined in this country. When the statutes of law are discounted and undermined, our society becomes a more dangerous place to live in. That's why we pay taxes, to employ a police force to make sure those statutes are upheld and kept in place so that we are safe.

When the statutes of Scripture, which are clearly written down, are discounted, mocked and undermined, society becomes a poorer place to live in because those statutes were put there by God, to enhance and give us a blessed time on earth, and when a church or denomination devalues those statutes we become poorer for it.

A lot of people want to get married in Church because of the statutes and principles it holds, as well as having their funeral there. Why? Because we like it when we know where the lines are and because it brings security, and when Covid 19 appeared we all of a sudden felt insecure. If we can't be certain that the Church will hold fast to biblical principles it will undermine its credibility in society, thus adding to our insecurity.

So, as you remember, recount what people have died for and are dying for, and it's not for a watered-down gospel or Bible.

For your encouragement, the Christian Church may not be growing in this country, but world-wide it is continuing to grow in the last ten years by 15%. God is still on the throne and His plans and purposes will still come to pass.

Every blessing to you all.

Albert Sloman, Pastor

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## St James Church Floodlighting Sponsors November 2021

### CHRISTOPHER BULLETT

Who passed away on 6<sup>th</sup> October 2012.  
Remembered with our love.  
Jay, Robbie, Stuart, Alison and Alexander.

Remembering with love a son and brother, **ANDREW JOHN CANN**,  
who passed away on November 5<sup>th</sup> 1979  
Also husband **TERRY CANN**, Father and Grampy,  
who passed away November 3<sup>rd</sup> 2004.  
Miss you both very much, from Rita and families.  
Rest in Peace.

### KARL MERRETT

5th November 1994

On what would have been our 27<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.  
All my love always,  
Sam xx

### SANSON WINNIE

Thinking of you and your passing October 8<sup>th</sup> 2014  
God Bless  
Annie & Brian, John & Beryl xx

### THANK YOU

to everyone who helped with the magazine.  
I'm so glad its back – a little bit of home.  
Ann nee Babb

*Church floodlighting sponsors: see information on page 3 of this newsletter*

## KILKHAMPTON CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

9<sup>th</sup> November

FROM 7-9pm

IT'S

**TABLE TENNIS TUESDAY**

**A FUN WAY OF KEEPING FIT!**

## KILK COMMUNITY LUNCH

Brought to you by Kilk Coffee & Cakes Team

2 COURSE HOT MEAL FOR £6

ON

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> November

At 12.30pm

AT

KILKHAMPTON CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Limited numbers so please book  
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transport could be arranged

## Dear Kilkhampton...

We are just putting the last few bits into yet another cardboard box and contemplating the next few months in a static caravan just outside Whitchurch in Shropshire. We could neither find a house to rent nor search and view from 270 miles away. Kilk has been our home for 35 years and a very happy one too. Like most folks around we've worked in loads of different jobs, Penstowe, swimming pool, Ross Chemicals, care homes, Bude school both senior and junior, 15 years in the framing shop in Margaret's place then in Old Walkeys. We have shared many aspects of village life and taken part in all sorts of things but most of all, we have so many friends here and these we will miss along with the very special quality of a true community. There are so many people in Kilk who have other people's backs, caring and putting themselves out for others. We hope the obsession for growth and 'improvement' does not destroy this valuable commodity.

20 years ago, when Sally was ill with cancer and we were running the shop, those friends, acquaintances and even people we didn't know at all, emerged from wherever and held us up and nurtured us and prayed for Sally to get better. I was overcome with all that kindness and we shall never forget. Lockdown also brought kindness and generosity in so many people and we valued each other more than we had for years. There were people with businesses to run who stepped out in their own time to do whatever they could for the community. We must remember to nurture and care for the countryside we have around us and question everything we do with it and to it. We have got to be kinder to everything.

Our families all live up north – aunts, grandchildren, sisters, plus old lifelong friends, and our 400 year old cottage in Kilk requires looking after all the time. We all know cob and stone is enduring and will probably still outlive the new bunny homes going up, but the cold, damp and mould are a constant battle in an old house. We need something a bit easier. We wish Morag and Stephen, the new owners of Thyme Cottage, all the best. We hope their lives benefit from this special place as much as ours have. There are many of you we should have said goodbye to in person but it just gets harder as departure looms. So, this is a real thank you and farewell from Sally and I. When we have an address and spare beds, we don't mind who visits.

Goodbye,

Sally and Ian Maddock xxxx



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CAKES**



**SATURDAY 6<sup>th</sup> November**

**10.30AM - 12.00 NOON at**

**CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP HALL**

**A VERY WARM WELCOME TO ALL!**

The charity this month is  
Oriol Ministries

## **Probus Club Meeting**

### **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2021**

The Probus club meets on the first and third Thursday of each month at The New Inn, and it is open to retired or semi-retired men. It has no political, charitable, religious or masonic ambitions, and its sole aim is to provide entertainment and enjoyment for its members.

On Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> October, after opening and the usual club business, the chairman welcomed Len Tozer, a Bude man born and bred who was for a long time a teacher at Bude Haven School. Len spoke about his memories of the Americans in 1943/4 in Bude and how they suddenly departed overnight without warning.

Life in Bude during the second world war was quiet, with most of our young men serving our own armed forces, many of them overseas. The Americans came to the UK aboard the Queen Elizabeth, which at the time was converted to being a troopship and was considered to be fast and very comfortable for those days. They arrived at Bude railway station and the train was too long for the platform. After unloading, they formed up and marched through Bude to their first kitchen, now the site of Arthur Bryant's Funeral Services. They were all fed and then billeted to local homes. In Len's house in Victoria Road, four GIs were sent and they had to have the ground floor rooms so they could come and go without disturbing the host family.

Many of the GIs were very young, 18 or 19 years old, and on their first trip away from home and certainly abroad. However, they were accepted like big brothers and they fulfilled that role well by spoiling the Bude children with sweets (which were on UK Ration) or games. When the GIs had been fed at the PX, the Bude children would line up in an orderly fashion and polish off the food that had not been eaten. Pineapple, peaches, oranges were all absent from local shops, but not in the PX.

Christmas 1943 was a wonderful time in Bude. The cinema showed Snow White and the seven dwarfs and it was free to Bude children, paid for by the GIs. A big Christmas party was also held, with food and presents, and the GI families sent parcels to the host families as a thank you for looking after their sons. One who stayed with Len always considered Len's mother to be his second Mum, and after the war he always sent her a card and present.

The GIs marched everywhere for training. Whether it was Dartmoor or the North Devon coast, their training was constant. As Rangers they were the frontline, the spearhead and gained experience at climbing cliffs, street-to-street fighting or fighting on moorland with little cover. Len however said that he thought the Bude boys were better at cliff climbing than the GIs, were as it was second nature to a

Bude boy!

Len's own sister married a GI at St Olafs Church, Poughill and after the wedding night he returned to his Unit to be charged with being AWOL (absent without leave) and marrying without consent. He was stripped of his rank, but things ended happily for them as he survived the war and has only recently died in the USA. They were married for 76 years, she survived him and still lives there.

Everybody in Bude knew that the happy times could not continue as the invasion of Europe was imminent, but sadly one morning the town was quiet. The GIs had left without fuss during the night and without saying goodbye. They were sorely missed but they took with them many happy memories of Bude, and also Bude had happy memories of them. Some of them were able to return after the war for a holiday and they brought their families with them to share in the reunions.

Sadly, out of 483 GIs in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Ranger battalion who were posted to Bude, 157 did not survive D Day. A terrible and very heavy loss.

The Chairman thanked Len very much for his memories which were given without notes and from the heart. We think that he enjoyed giving the talk as much as we enjoyed listening to it.

Keith W Taylor, Club Chairman. Email [keithtaylor3405@btinternet.com](mailto:keithtaylor3405@btinternet.com)

*Details of the Bude Ladies Probus who meet at The Falcon are available via the above email address.*

## **Bude Choral Society**

### **Christmas Concert**

**Saturday November 27<sup>th</sup>**

**7pm**

**Bude Methodist Church**

**Soloists: Rebecca Smith – Mezzo- Soprano  
Julian Rippon - Baritone  
David Robinson - Accompanist  
John Hobbs – Conductor**

**Items include:**

**Vaughan William's – Fantasia on Christmas Carols  
and a selection from European Sacred Music and  
100 carols for Choirs**

**Tickets £12 on the door or £10 in advance from Bude TIC,  
The Ark-angel Bookshop, Choral Members or by email:**

**[philp\\_tony@hotmail.com](mailto:philp_tony@hotmail.com)**

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## **Kilkhampton Parish Council**

Report of the meeting held on 4<sup>th</sup> October 2021

[www.kilkhampton-pc.gov.uk](http://www.kilkhampton-pc.gov.uk)

**Attendance** Kingsley Bryant (KB), Reg Hambley (RH), Keith Ovenden (KO), Tim Cottle (TC), Ian Heard (IH), Phil Sluggett (PS), Lee Bond (LB), Roland Nancekivell (RN).

**Absent:** Shorne Tibley (ST)

**Apologies:** Vinnie James (VJ)

**Chairman:** Clive Vanstone (CV)

**Clerk:** Hannah Collett

Good evening and welcome to all by Chairman. Welcome to Mr and Mrs Littleworth and gentlemen from Pentire.

**Minutes** Approved by all and to be signed by Chairman at the end of the meeting.

**Adopt Code of Conduct . Declaration of Interest** None

### **Public Speaking Session**

Unfortunately Zoe and her team couldn't attend today's meeting after all.

Mr and Mrs Littleworth were here to talk about the ongoing issues with the traffic speed through Stibb. Mrs Littleworth reminded that 2 years ago letters and signatures had been sent from the villagers regarding the speed of vehicles through the village. Lockdown then happened and since then many neighbours have been asking if anything further is happening? Lorry and van drivers are still driving through far too fast.

People feel some kind of traffic calming system needs to be put in place. Where the 30mph sign is on the Kilkhampton side is by Bryder Farm. If someone comes out of there towing a caravan and a car is going too fast, they will inevitable collide. The sign needs to be moved much further down.

KB felt we suggested the sign to be moved in the past. Mrs Littleworth said the speed check done was by where everyone has to slow down to turn anyway, so not giving the correct information.

Chairman said that we could only apologise to the villagers this is still an ongoing concern. Chairman pointed out that we have a meeting with our Highways contact on Friday and will mention this again to him. Hopefully, if not come up then, try to organise another view around the village and another speed test. Also to ask him about some more traffic calming measures to be put in place. Thanks to Mr and Mrs Littleworth for coming and were welcome to stay.

Mrs Littleworth had heard that Pentire were going to extend and had concerns that this would increase the traffic even more. Mr Littleworth said people are coming from Sandymouth and not knowing where to turn for Bude. Having to 'U' turn in the road. There is no sign showing the Bude turn. Chairman took notes for meeting with Highways. RH felt we should reply to Mr and Mrs Littleworth after our meeting with Oliver Jones and inform of his replies. Thanks from both parties.

Ben and Howard were here from Pentire Campsite. Ben spoke saying the allocation was online. He was the General Manager of the Park. Ben was here to state they are trying to integrate as well as they can. Understands they are intruding on smaller areas. They do try to support the area with providing jobs and

hope to put back enough into the areas to justify their expansions. Happy for anyone to go round if wanting to look and ask questions. Chairman mentioned he had only seen the plans online as someone had pointed it out to him. Ben mentioned that there is already an application for office space and lounge. They were stating they are not an "all singing and dancing" park. There won't be any restaurants etc on site and they want people to use the local businesses. Office building will be going ahead. They may put an unmanned gym or library on site too. The current development is for 120. Plans are to put another 150 (50 being the initial development). This would then be classed as a small/medium site.

Ben mentioned that Penstowe Park is closing and will possible balance out the traffic a little. KB had walked around Pentire and said it is very smart. Ben said it seems to attract people that would go out and want to explore – not to particularly hang around site. Tends to be a calm campsite. Ben also mentioned that they are keen to have the blocked section at Penstowe to be a clear run. This was not their doing. Chairman said this will come to the Parish Council as a planning application which we will be able to discuss.

Thanks to Ben and Howard for attending the meeting and if we have anything we need we will contact. LB asked to please keep the entrances nice and wide as it's a busy road. Chairman stated the entrances won't be changing. Ben informed that they share the postcode with other homes and sometimes causes issues. Thanks and welcome to stay for the remaining meeting.

### **Planning Applications**

1. PA21/07805 Proposal Variation of condition 2 of decision PA18/06225 dated 17/12/2017. Proposed residential development of 34 houses including 10 affordable housing and associated works including the provision of an internal accessway, the provision of community parking spaces, public open space and on-site parking provision. Location Land North East Of Morwen-na House Kilkhampton Bude Cornwall Applicant Hayley Wray Kilkhampton Land Ltd. Chairman mentioned this is the application discussed at the meeting last month, RH proposed and KB seconded. All in favour.

### **Matters**

1. Car park and toilets: £194.10 taken. No other issues.

2. Lamb Park Development: Chairman asked what information LB had about progress of the building? No from LB. The Chairman said a lease is needed for the Pre-school from us. They could have a letter of intent if needed. All in favour, if required. The lease of land from the Church is via Savills. Head of Terms Lease received. Chairman read through the contract in detail and our obligations. The lease is for a ¾ acre piece of land for 25 years. £500 per annum, payable annually in advance by standing order. Insurance needs to be added to Lamb Park. No alterations allowed externally. Fence to be installed within 3 months and stock fence on the south side. May be worth upgrading as it's our responsibility. Ancillary sports and recreational space: no commercial charges can be done. No access to the field for any reason. May be worth asking if a gate can be put on the other end. RN would be fine with access via his track.

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Chairman felt we need a storage compound somewhere. This would be a better track. KO said it is definitely worth asking. TC asked if we really need it? Putting a gate up at the far end. RH said if we try to alter things it will slow everything down. Must comply with all planning conditions. Rent review every 3 years and will be RPI (Retail Price Index). Tenant to bear all costs both sides. So far: £1000 + VAT to Savills, £550 + VAT for charity costs, £1200 + VAT for legal fees. These are fees committed to so far, plus up to £3000 for fence, plus rent. TC proposed fees and costs at a minimum cost of £10,000 and PS seconded. All in favour. All Council backing received for Chairman on sorting costs etc.

Our Solicitor Mr Simon Finn is looking at this contract also and will check all ok.

RH asked if we know when things will happen after the lease is signed? Chairman hopes to have sorted by the end of the year then tender to be done for fence work. May be a blind tender process.

3. Kilkhampton Sign move: Chairman said he wanted to wait until meeting with Oliver Jones and ask him where to put it. RH and KB said they feel up by the carpark. Needs Oliver Jones' permission. Bunnyhomes happy to sort it. All happy.

4. Other matters arising from the minutes: None

## Reports

Footpaths: PS mentioned Ivyleaf and Budes Farm – PS and IH had attended meeting with others from the County, Mr Mike Whitfield. PS said that a lady from County that had spoken about this previously, had said there was no point in enforcing anything as it's not accessible to anything. Mr Whitfield was for sorting the access out. Mr Scott Mann's secretary has given a link to The Ramblers contact. They have a list of 49 thousand miles of unregistered footpaths. The Ramblers want to extend access on either side. Chairman said they already put a modification order in. PS said 1-1-2026 is when all path applications have to be put in.

PS said the lady and Gentleman said the map PS has doesn't show anything of the road, it shows as purely in-house. PS has put to Mr Whitfield that a golf course, tennis court and kitchen extension are all there. From Budes Farm to the main road is lethal. Chairman said we can't do anything. PS said what the landowners are saying makes sense. There is no footpath. Gentleman wants to know if Parish Council would draft a letter saying never on the map. Chairman informed we cannot do that. PS doesn't think closing the path is a viable thing. Gentleman is asking what he can do. Mr Whitfield wanted to get it cleared. Solicitor has told the gentleman it is illegal. Chairman felt we cannot get involved. The Ramblers are trying to raise money to get these footpaths opened. IF said the tide map shows different.

Chairman informed that the 1839 tide map rights of way override everything afterwards. On Cornwall website you can see all the footpaths on Cornwall interaction map. PS said lots of paths they want. As it stand at the moment both ends of the path are private property.

IH informed first cut done today. Second to be done shortly. Nothing heard about Aldercombe Lane. IH taking photos of anything that is needed to be sorted.

Playing Fields and Lamb Park: Lamb Park Trust had a meeting but the Clerk didn't arrive. There was a meeting planned for tomorrow but need to cancel. Will put meeting in when we can over the next couple of weeks.

School: LB mentioned their Covid measures in place. 3 x children had tested positive. Have to close the school at 5 cases. A teacher became positive this week. Keeping an eye on.

Grenville Rooms: RH mentioned that MV Plant invoice received was not for the Parish Council. Passed over accordingly. Chairman to deal with.

RH said the luncheon yesterday had been a good success. Chairman felt it was fantastic and really nice to see the room used and people back in.

**Month's work** Read through and approved by all.

**Correspondence** EDF written to say they want to install a smart meter in the Grenville Rooms. KO informed it just means they read the meter from then on and we don't have to give readings anymore. Chairman to sort. All in favour.

## Members

TC – Spoken to Mr Larry Newton regarding electricity supply for the defibrillator. Around £400 to get the supply put in. Idea of wall costs received to be around £880 including VAT. Rough tarmacking to be sorted also. Unmetered supply to be on the back and defibrillator to be on the front. Form sent to VJ to send to JaysAIM. Chairman stated approximately £5000 to complete all areas.

TC also said it was mentioned that the road as you go round the bend to Ivyleaf had a bad hole between there and the tip. TC asked about manhole issue again. Clerk stated that nothing more had been heard since the initial emails sent last month. TC said someone else mentioned that people are not taking notice of the speed signs. LB felt you have to be right on top of the sign for it to flash.

IH – stated he had been going to Hudsland and met someone the other way and talked about people at Hilltop. Is there an agricultural tie on it? As the people there don't do anything to with agriculture. RH said it needs to be looked at. No planning etc on certain issues. Someone is living in a mobile home also. RH will speak to Richard White and ask advice, then to speak to Clerk as necessary. All happy for RH to report back at next meeting.

KO – informed that the bench is coated and needs to be moved into place.

PS – Nothing

RN – Regarding the drawings in the Lamb Park park shelter, could we approach the school to see if they wanted to update the drawings? LB to mention.

LB – Nothing

KB – Asking when we put the Soldier out? Festival of Remembrance by Mr Luke Francis is on the 6<sup>th</sup> November. Chairman said it needs to be out a week before. KB will speak to Mr Francis as to whether they are using it in the Church. KB to sort

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all. KB also asked RH how many wreaths needed. RH stated 4. KB to sort.

RH – mentioned that we need to decide if purchasing Christmas trees again. Yes by all as previous. RH to sort. Carol Service – do we fix a date now? IH said need to check with school so we don't clash. LB to check. To be on agenda for date to be sorted.

Chairman mentioned that we used to put £20 towards cleaning of monument. All in agreement for Mr Francis to be paid £20 for cleaning the monument.

**Finance** Read through by Chairman. Invoices to be paid: £63.00 Mr Gifford – Litterpick; £55.33 D & I Bridgmans - Toilet supplies; £306.00 K W Sluggett - Hedge trimming; £60.00 Tim Cottle - Maintenance at toilets; £400.80 Michael Vanstone Plant Hire - repairs around toilets. KO moved and IH seconded. All in favour. The Parish Council discussed potential project financials for the next 6 months.

Date of the next regular Parish Council meeting: 1<sup>st</sup> November 2021, Grenville Rooms, 7pm.

Thanks to all by Chairman and declared the meeting closed.

For any further information, please contact the parish clerk or any committee member.



## Recipe Corner

with Jay Wong

### Pork and Leek Terrine with cider jelly

Serves 4

*Cornish pork is some of the best, and this simple pork sausagemeat paté is great for that late afternoon snack, a starter for an unexpected guest or just a great late night snack by the fire. Our local ciders are wonderful, and certainly make this dish.*

#### Ingredients

Olive oil  
3 shallots  
1 large leek  
1 clove garlic  
2 spring onions  
1 bottle of cider (330-500ml)  
150g butter, at room temperature  
200g chicken livers, chopped  
6 sprigs of chives, chopped  
500g pork sausagemeat

#### Method

Heat the oven to 160°C fan, GM4.

Finely dice the shallots, leek, garlic and spring onions. In a pan, add a little oil, get the pan to a medium to high heat and fry the diced vegetables until they are transparent. Add the bottle of cider and deglaze the pan with a wooden spoon. Reduce the mixture down to half its original volume, then transfer the mixture into a mixing bowl, add the butter and let it slowly melt in.

Using the same pan, add a little more oil and fry off the chicken livers. The trick is to take it till the livers are almost cooked then turn off the pan and let the residual heat finish them. Add a splash of the melted liquid from your mixing bowl to the pan, then the chopped chives, scrape down pan with your wooden spoon then add this mixture to the cider and vegetable mix.

Now it's time to combine all ingredients together. Add the raw sausagemeat and mix everything into a paste. It doesn't matter if the butter isn't melted as long as it's soft. Add a little black pepper. The mixture needs to feel like a wet cake mix.

Now simply choose an oven dish or 4 ramekins, grease them with butter or oil and put your mixture in. Wrap it or cover it with foil so it's covered. Pour boiling water into a deep oven tray, put your terrine container(s) in so the water comes about halfway up the sides, then put in the oven to poach. The terrine this should cook in about an hour, but time varies so insert a skewer to test it – once the skewer comes out clean, it is cooked.

Chill in the fridge, and let the juice, pork fat and cider set into a jelly on the surface. Serve on toast or with chutneys and mustards.

# UNCLE ERIC'S PAGE

## The Autumn garden

The sun has long since lost its heat, the days are shorter now  
The leaves grow brown upon the trees, then fall from every bough  
And few plants give some colour still to brighten up the gloom,  
But roses have a lasting show, they still are full of bloom.

Some dahlias now linger on, their colour is still bright  
Reds and yellows, pinks and mauves, all glow in autumn light  
The Acer leaves turn red and gold, before they turn to brown  
Then sudden gust of gentle breeze bring them all tumbling down

Chrysanthemums soon start to add their bright rich coloured glow  
The lawns regain their deep lush green, there is still the need to mow  
Crab apple trees bear scarlet crops upon their branches bare  
Cotoneasters, firethorns too, red berries are all there.

The bedding plants you've thrown them out from planters and from tubs  
Now is the time to prune and trim the bushes and the shrubs  
The "veggie plot" is cleared of crops, the soil must be prepared  
Much digging, raking lies ahead; hard work you'll not be scared!

From catalogues you order up those many plants and seeds  
The fertilizers, "bits and bobs", which every gardener needs  
For next year's crops and great displays for spring and summer too  
To "self-suffice" and best of all, to beautify the view!

*Eric Latter*

## Can you solve these anagrams?

They are all flowers.

When there is more than one word in the answer, the number of letters in each word is shown, e.g. (4,7).

1. AIM RUST NUT
2. I DARE BUCK
3. TEA WEEPS (5,3)
4. MY CHUM HAS TERN
5. GRIM LOAD
6. HIDE IN PLUM
7. PET CUR TUB
8. WE LIMIT WALES (5,7)
9. HEED PORK ROT (3,3,5)
10. FRONT TOE GEM (6-2-3)
11. NIL UP
12. AVAILS

## What am I?

A WORLD FAMOUS PLACE IN LONDON, IN 2 WORDS

My first is in King not in Queen nor in Earl  
The next is in green and in lane and in pearl  
The third is in window but not found in light  
The next is in foliage, also in height  
The fifth is in avenue and also in leaf  
The sixth is in under but not in beneath.  
This one's in delightful and also in crowd  
And the eighth is in people but never in loud  
And this one's in lawn and in birdsong, not Lark  
My last's found in sunlight but never in dark  
My whole is a garden that's more like a park!

1. NASTURTIUM
2. RUDBECKIA
3. SWEET PEA
4. CHRYSANTHEMUM
5. MARGOLD
6. DELPHINIUM
7. BUTTERCUP
8. SWEET WILLIAM
9. RED HOT POKER
10. FORGET-ME-NOT
11. LUPIN
12. SALVIA

What am I?

Kew Gardens

Anagrams

ANSWERS