



KILKHAMPTON PARISH NEWS

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A NOTE FROM THE COUNCIL

Concerns have been raised about the large vehicles being parked in the square, so the council have issued the following note:

Parking of vehicles/large vehicles for long periods of time and/or unused, are not helpful to the safety of everyone crossing, walking and driving around the village.

In light of the recent accidents, please can people park sensibly and in consideration to others.

Welcome...

Many apologies for the lack of a printed newsletter last month due to problems with our printer. It isn't 100% fixed, but we have a function to be able to produce it, so hopefully you are able to read this 'on paper' rather than having to go online.

Saying that, you can always look at it online - the newsletter looks just the same, except that the adverts are in the 'advertisers directory' so that the most up to date adverts are always shown. More information on how it works behind the scenes is in the editorial on page 3.

What's on this month:

2 April: Coffee and cakes (p12)

6 April: Easter lilies last chance! (P6)

11 and 27 April: Kilk Crafts (p10)

16 April: Coffee, Cakes and Crafts (p10)

23 April: Auction (p9)

29 April: Kilk Community Lunch (p12)

Looking further ahead:

June: Queen's Platinum Jubilee - village celebrations and 3 June events (p9 and p6)

July: Kilkhampton fete 2 July (p7)

August: St James Church Flower Festival (p4)

Don't miss your chance to get involved in all these events!

Other news, articles and information:

Page 7: Cajun Jumbo recipe

Page 8: Report and photos from Kilk school

Page 10: Tree book group

Page 13: Look group report

... and of course Uncle Eric's page - he didn't want you to miss out on the puzzles and poem from last month, so we've included them again. Happy puzzling!

St James the Great, Kilkhampton

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EDITORIAL



Hello everyone,

Many apologies for last month's 'online-only' edition, hopefully that won't happen on a regular basis. We had problems with the printing, and as we speak the issues have not been entirely resolved. Each edition will always be available online via our new website set up during the pandemic (when we didn't have so much to do!!).

For those of you less familiar at looking at the online version (or generally using the internet), here's a simple guide:

Our website address is www.kilkhampton.news - that takes you to the home page and a box with the latest edition should be in the middle of the first page. If you find you are looking at a different page, the sections are always at the top - you can click on 'latest edition' to open it. There is also another tab where you can look back at earlier editions.

You may also be offered the chance to sign up to our facebook page - this is mainly set up for people who don't live in or maybe not even near Kilkhampton, so that when a new edition is out, we put a notification on that page. You can of course sign up if you are local too, but please note that we don't use our

facebook page like a personal page - it isn't there for posting messages as we've had some problems with people wanting to advertise for free, which wouldn't be fair to our own loyal advertisers who pay us for their adverts. It also wouldn't help us, as the money from the adverts pays for the paper and ink to print every month! So you will find that we will accept your sign-up but if you want to post to people in the village, the amazing 'kilk banter' page is the place to go!

Talking of advertising, the latest advert pages are on the website too, although not attached to the newsletter. Instead, they are in the 'advertisers directory', which is another tab at the top of the page. This enables us to update these pages every month to bring you the latest information. The adverts from the previous month are removed to make way for the current month, as these change according to new adverts and also people wishing to no longer advertise with us.

I hope that all makes sense! If for any reason this edition does not make it to print, I will repeat all this information in the May edition.

In the meantime, I hope you enjoy this edition. It's really great to see our village celebrations for both the Queen's Platinum Jubilee and also our beloved fete back again - lots of ways to celebrate in a more normal way than we've been able to for the past couple of years. Lots of other events too - looks like we'll all be busy this year!

With best wishes to everyone,

Jill

ST JAMES CHURCH FLOODLIGHTING SPONSORSHIP

PLEASE NOTE NEW ARRANGEMENTS:

Please clearly write or type your notices for the church floodlighting page, put them in an envelope with the £5 fee, and give them in at the Spar by the 11th of each month.

If you have any queries, please contact Tracey Smith at kilkchurchlights@gmail.com

or phone her on 321432 or 07740 520459

Cheques should be made payable to 'KILKHAMPTON PCC'.

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 1st of the month for the following month, and editorial submissions by 12th of the month.

The opinions expressed in this newsletter are not necessarily those of the editor. The editor cannot be held responsible for the content of any articles, notices or other submissions to this newsletter. The editor cannot guarantee inclusion of articles or notices submitted for publication, and the layout and size of all articles (unless paid for) is at the discretion of the editor.

Kilkhampton Church Services

St James Church

Sunday 3rd April - 5th Sunday of Lent – Passiontide begins

11am Holy Communion with Reverend Pam

Welcomers: Jennie and Joyce. Reading: Corinthians 13: 1-13. Reader: Gillian.

Sunday 10th April - Palm Sunday. 11am Morning Worship with Shorne

Welcomers: Rachel and Lynne. Reading: Luke 19:28-40. Reader: Tony.

April 15th - GOOD FRIDAY. 11am Stations of the Cross with Richard Painter

Welcomers: Tracey and Myra

Sunday 17th April - EASTER SUNDAY. 11am Holy Communion with Reverend Teresa

Welcomers: Rita and Margaret. Reading: Isaiah 65: 17-end. Reader: Kevin.

Sunday 24th April 11am Shorter Service followed by APCM with Reverend Teresa

Welcomers: Jenny and Joyce. Reading: Acts 5: 27–32. Reader: Rita

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

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

Methodist Chapel

<u>Date</u>	<u>Preacher</u>	<u>Flowers</u>	<u>Coffee</u>
3 rd April	Pastor Albert Sloman	Joan Sillifant	Sandra Holmes
10 th April	Mrs. Lorna Bowden	Pam Metherell	Monica Heywood
17 th April	Mr. Mike Reeves	Monica Heywood	Ken & Lorna Evans
24 th April	Rev. Neal Street	Sylvia Hambley	Sue & John Brooks

ST. JAMES CHURCH KILKHAMPTON FLOWER FESTIVAL ADVANCE NOTICE

19TH TO 21ST AUGUST 2022

THIS YEAR'S THEME: 'CHAPTER AND VERSE'

IF YOU HAVE A FAVOURITE BOOK OR POEM,
AND WOULD LIKE TO CREATE AN ARRANGEMENT,
SPONSOR ONE OR FOR MORE INFORMATION

PLEASE CONTACT:

HEATHER 01288 312336 OR JENNIE 01288 321319

OR MESSAGE ON FACEBOOK

EVERYONE IS WELCOME

PLEASE COME ALONG AND SUPPORT OUR CHURCH



FROM ST JAMES CHURCH

Dear friends,

This year April is all about Easter. The build up to it with Passiontide beginning on the 3rd, Palm Sunday on the 10th, Easter Day on the 17th and then the season of resurrection sightings begin. The problem is, we can't get to the joy and celebration of Easter Day without first going through Passiontide. Without the suffering and death, there would be no resurrection and life!

We know that there is no life without death first in our gardens. We've been through the quiet still season of winter, when everything has become at least dormant, and now we are busy sowing seeds for the flowers and vegetables for the coming season. The seeds have to be placed in the earth and buried. They die, but from their death new life bursts forth.

And it is so often true for us, that real growth, real empathy, new understanding is only gained when we go through really difficult times first. I don't know about you, but I'd rather not have to go through difficult experiences in order to grow, but that seems to be the way of things.

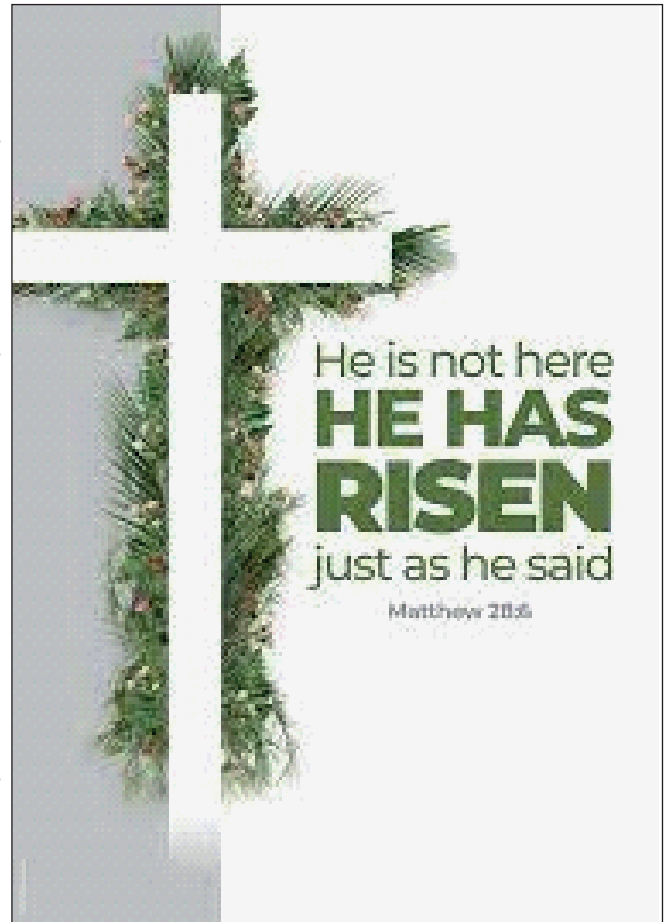
My brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of any kind, consider it nothing but joy, because you know that the testing of your faith produces endurance; and let endurance have its full effect, so that you may be mature and complete, lacking in nothing (James 1. 2-4).

So, as we enter this season, as we meditate on Christ's sufferings, we rediscover absolute hope; He is not here, He has risen, just as he said! What joy to rediscover God's promises to us are true and to be trusted.

Hallelujah . Yours in Christ,

Teresa

Rev Teresa Folland



FROM KILKHAMPTON CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Well, I'm sat here on a dank Friday morning having just listened to some of the worst news in my history; hearing things and seeing things that I would not have believed possible six months ago. And yet we thought covid was a disaster as we came through two years of lockdowns, jabs, etc. We have every reason to be down hearted, depressed, anxious and fearful, yet I have always said Jesus is the answer to life, so what did He say?

John 16 v 33 "These things I have spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulations; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world." In other words "you are going to have trouble, but cheer up because I'm still on the throne and I'm still in charge."

It reminded me of a few more scriptures:

Exodus 20 v 3 the first commandment "You shall have no other gods before Me" reminds us to put God first in everything, even our fears.

Proverbs 3 v 5 & 6 says "Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths."

Who are you going to trust in these difficult times? World leaders, politicians, money, possessions? Matthew 6 v 19-21 encourages us not to do that, so what do we do? Trust in the Lord with all your heart. Why? Because Jesus knew what it was like to live in troubled times. He understands our fear and anxiety, and in the darkest of times He will bring a peace that passes understanding.

May the Lord keep you in the centre of His will in these turbulent times.

Every Blessing to you all.

Albert Sloman, Pastor

Tel 01288 321073 7 Rosecott Park, EX23 9QG

albertsloman@outlook.com

St James Church Floodlighting Sponsors April 2022

JOANNE BABB

As always thinking of you on what would have been your 52th birthday on April 3rd.

We miss you always Sis.

Love Ann, John and all the family xxx

BABB

Happy 2nd birthday to little Harlow for April 21st.

Love Nanny Annie & Bry xxx

GEORGIE DEROSA

Passed away 22nd April 2016 aged 33.

Dear Georgie, it is 6 years since you left us, but we still feel you with us every day.

Love you.

Mum, Dad, Maddy, Lyds, Emma, Richard, Jordan, Meg
and Colby xxx

MICHAEL RICHARD MORRELL

3-10-34 - 18-04-18

In loving remembrance of my dear Mike, with grateful thanks for the good life we shared together
for 51 years.

Sylvia

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

GRENVILLE ROOM COMMITTEE

BIG BREAKFAST

on

JUBILEE DAY

Friday 3rd June 2022

Please note:

Two sittings, 9am and 10am

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Joyce on 321292

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BEFORE 6TH APRIL 2022**

ST. JAMES THE GREAT KILKHAMPTON

KILKHAMPTON FETE 2022

Saturday 2nd July

The fete is back! Time once again for the village to come together and enjoy life, hopefully without restrictions!

Anyone wanting stalls, or craft stalls, please let us know

Also, as always, we will be looking for volunteers to help with setting up in the run-up to the fete, staffing the bar and catering, car parking etc.

If you feel you can help out in any way (not restricted to the list above!), please contact Jennie Siddalls on 01288 321319 or facebook message

Also if you are willing to help with Fete teas, by donating light refreshments, or helping out on the day, please ring Sylvia Hambley on 01288 321340

The committee work hard to provide a fun day for everyone and really need as much help as possible, so please support your fete by giving a little of your time



Recipe Corner

with Jay Wong

Cajun jumbo Serves 4

Here's a great recipe I came across many years ago while travelling. I have had many varieties of this delicious seafood soup. Traditionally made with catfish, here's my version. I like this best with a crusty baguette. It's a hearty meal that packs a punch, and so simple to make. If you prefer, you can swap the fish for chicken.

Ingredients

100g salted butter
80g white flour
100ml olive oil
2 cloves garlic, diced roughly
1 onion, diced roughly
300g celery, diced roughly
6 large sausages, cut into chunks
1 chicken stock cube
400g can tomatoes
50g thyme, leaves picked
½ tsp cayenne pepper
90g Cajun spice
500g mixed fish (white and salmon)
3 peppers, diced roughly
200g raw prawns
Salt and black pepper

Method

A large pot is best for this dish and a frying pan. Bring the pot to a warm temperature and add the butter, allow this to melt then add in the flour and make the roux. Once it combines into a dry consistency, turn off the heat.

In the frying pan, add the olive oil and start frying garlic, onions, celery and sausage all together. Once the mixture has some colour, put a little bit of water in the pan and stir, then add the stock cube plus about 400ml water and bring it to the boil.

While you're waiting for the water to boil, turn on the heat to the pot. Once hot, add in the tinned tomatoes, thyme and cayenne pepper. After about 4 minutes, the mixture should start to thicken. Add in the cajun spice, mixed fish and peppers, plus the mixture from the frying pan. Stir well and put on a high heat. Once all the ingredients are combined, turn to a low/medium heat to cook slowly for 40 minutes, stirring frequently. Add the prawns for the last 5 minutes of cooking, and season to taste. Serve with crusty bread.

KILKHAMPTON JUNIOR AND INFANT SCHOOL

It has been a very busy last few months at the school. We have continued to keep measures in place to cope with Covid-19. Consequently, we have managed to keep case numbers very low in comparison to some settings but we have still experienced high levels of absence in both staff and pupils.

We have made it a priority that we make school feel as 'normal' as possible, in spite of the anti-pandemic measures we have in place. Years Five and Six have been on a trip to the Eden Project, whilst Years Three and Four have visited the Cobbaton Combat Museum to support their learning about World War Two. Later in the year, our youngest children will visit RHS Rosemoor and the oldest children will get a chance to take part in a residential stay at the PGL adventure centre at Beam House in Devon.

Our main priorities as a school at present are to improve reading in all children and to inspire children to want to read more. We have invested a significant amount in reading books in all classes and have recommended monthly books and a reward system for reading at home.

We have been proactive in helping children look after their mental health. We are very fortunate to have an Educational Mental Health Professional from the NHS attached to the school and have an active Mental Health Audit Team who are working on improving our children's wellbeing even further. One of our grandmothers has been crocheting worry worms, little cuddly creatures who the children can use to manage their worries.

We have been busy changing our curriculum to make it more challenging for all learners. Children will now re-visit each area of learning in their junior years (Years 3 to 6), which will help them gain deeper knowledge to take to the next level of their learning.

There is plenty going on at our village school and you can always keep up to date with what is happening via our school website: www.kilkhampton.cornwall.sch.uk Here, we publish a newsletter every Friday, which gives a flavour of what has been happening on a weekly basis.

Finally, if you feel you have the skills to support your community village school, you may be interested in considering a role as a school governor. Governors typically give up a small amount of time to visit the school and to also attend meetings, at least every three months. If you are interested in finding out more, please do not hesitate to contact the school for more information.

Please remember, the community hall is available for hire during the evening and at weekends, if you would like to find out more, please call the school office.

Michael Watson, Head Teacher

Tel: 01288 321259 head@kilkhampton.cornwall.sch.uk

Around the school this month...



Watercolour trees
year 5



Statue of liberty in pen
and ink
Tyra, year 2



African mask
Emilie, year 1



Abstract watercolour - Esme, year 6

QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS

A group led by Archie Heard on behalf of the Parish Council have now met twice to discuss how Kilk can celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee in June. Friday 3rd June was decided for the celebrations, with a day full of events. The council have also agreed to provide financial support and sales from the bar takings etc would be used to support additional costs such as hiring of bands. Whilst planning is still ongoing, see below for a rough outline of the celebrations.

Village scarecrows – theme:

‘Notable UK and Commonwealth events over the last 70 years’

Bunting and flags throughout the village

A Commemorative Diamond Jubilee coin for each primary school child

Friday 3rd June

Big breakfast in the Grenville Rooms

From 2pm at Lamb Park:

Music from Bude Metric Brass Band and Bude Ukelele band
Bar

Children's games and entertainment

Children's scarecrow competition

Children's tea party plus tea/coffee and scones for sale for adults

Cutting of the celebration cake

Early evening – adult tug of war:

teams of 5 from local businesses, pubs, shops etc.

Royalty-themed fancy dress adult wheelbarrow and obstacle course

Evening – bar, barbeque, music from ‘Strange Brood’

Tug of war teams: to enter please contact :

Jennie Siddalls (321319, pete.jennie@gmail.com or on facebook)

Or Martin Cross (07484 147056, martincross60@gmail.com)

AUCTION

GRENVILLE ROOMS, 2PM SATURDAY 23rd APRIL

VIEWING FROM 12 NOON

ANYONE WISHING TO DONATE ITEMS FOR THE SALE

PHONE REG ON 01288321340

PROCEEDS FOR KILK METHODIST CHAPEL

THE TREE BOOK GROUP

HAG-SEED by Margaret Atwood

The Tempest – William Shakespeare

A Storm, a shipwreck, an enchanted island.....

A violent storm shipwrecks the King of Naples and his noblemen on what appears to be an uninhabited island. What the king doesn't know is that they have been brought here by powerful magic.

Prospero, the mysterious ruler of the island, has a plan, but will he use his magic for good or bad against the castaways? His daughter Miranda, has never seen another man except her father. What will she think of the stranger who stumbles into her life? Prospero's monstrous servant, Caliban, sees a chance to overthrow his master. Will he succeed?

Published as part of the Hogarth Shakespeare Project that re-imagines the Bard's plays in a modern context, Atwood's Hag-Seed is one of riotous fun and yet sobering sadness. In her version of "The Tempest", artistic director Felix Phillips of the renowned Makeshiweg Theatre Festival finds himself deposed of his position and usurped by his assistant Tony just before his monumental staging of that same play could be realised. Felix retreats to a shanty on the edge of town to escape the prying and judging eyes of the smallish community, nurse his wounds and plot his revenge. The parallels between the characters and those of the play take on another dimension when Felix, with a new pseudonym, Mr Duke, takes up a temporary position at a correctional institution as the instructor for the Literacy through Literature programme. There, he finds his place and purpose in the most unexpected environment of barely literate inmates, who embrace his teaching and reinterpretation of Shakespeare plays with open arms. That is, until he finds his past catches up with him and he must, like Prospero, protect his sanctuary and its inhabitants.

It is very much evident that Atwood had a lot of fun writing this novel, and longterm readers who have come to expect her irreverent wit would not be disappointed. She also throws up surprisingly catchy verses that the inmates write in tribute to the Bard, in authentic language. However, most importantly, she gets under the skin of Felix/Duke/Prospero, who has a back story that makes this multi-layered narrative come alive. It is a play within a play within a play and Atwood pulls it off convincingly.

Contact tel: 01288 359590 (Dorothy Flaxman)

KILK KRAFTS

Since the last edition, there have been 2 more meetings. On 23rd February, Joyce demonstrated how to make mini cheese souffles which were delicious. Then on 9th March, Keith Taylor gave a very interesting talk about his school years after the war, travelling to school on trolley buses through Greater London. His humorous talk was well attended and jogged a few memories of life in post-war Britain. Many thanks to Keith.

April activities

Methodist chapel rooms, 2 - 4.30pm

£2 per session (including refreshments)
plus material costs

Wednesday 11th April: Easter arts and crafts

Wednesday 27th April: 'Guess the baby' competition

Phone Joyce (321292) or Lorna (321870)
for more information, or just come along!

COFFEE, CAKES & CRAFTS

The Grenville Rooms

Penstowe Road, Kilkhampton

EX23 9QT



Saturday, 16th April

9.00am - 1.00pm

*We would like to invite you to join us for
morning refreshments at our Easter eggstravaganza!*



*Enjoy some of our delicious homemade cakes,
browse through the various artisan craft stalls then
enter our prize raffle and try your luck at our tombola.*

Exhibitor fee £10.00 per table

please call 01288 321461 to book a place or for further information

Free Entry

but donations gratefully accepted at the door on behalf of Holsworthy, Bideford & District Branch



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Kilkhampton Parish Council

Report of the regular meeting held on 7th March
2022 www.kilkhampton-pc.gov.uk

Attendance: Kingsley Bryant (KB), Reg Hambley (RH), Keith Ovenden (KO), Tim Cottle (TC), Ian Heard (IH), Lee Bond (LB), Vinnie James (VJ).

Apologies: Roland Nancekivell (RN), Phil Sluggett (PS), Shorne Tilbey (ST).

Chairman: Clive Vanstone (CV)

Clerk: Hannah Collett

Good evening and welcome to all by Chairman.

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

Adopt Code of Conduct

Declaration of Interest None

Public Speaking Session Nothing to be said
Just before we began the meeting the Chairman wanted to state how the Parish Council all support the Democratically Elected Government of Ukraine.

Planning Applications

1) PA22/00934 Proposal Change of use of detached garage into self-contained annexe ancillary to main dwelling and removal of self-contained annexe from Main House together with reconfiguration and extensions to single dwelling Location Castle Coombe Penstowe Road Kilkhampton Bude Applicant Mr Simon Clayton. RH said most will have seen these drawings. Will need to be linked to the original house. Parish Council to comment to this effect. RH proposed to approve on these conditions – nothing to be sold off separately. Annexe cannot be used for anything other than ancillary to the main house. TC seconded and all in favour.

2) PA22/00520 Proposal Erection of alpaca shelter (retrospective) Location Land North West Of Aldercombe Cottages Kilkhampton Bude Cornwall Applicant Mr and Mrs Field AND PA22/00523 Proposal Retrospective consent for the construction of a rainwater harvesting shelter. Location Land North West Of Aldercombe Cottages Access To Aldercombe Kilkhampton Bude Applicant Mr and Mrs Field.

Email from Mr Adrian White at Cornwall Council received and read through by Chairman (PA22/00520/00519/00523). LB felt the plan is virtually a mobile home. Chairman feels we cannot decide without knowing the end details. Chairman asked if there was a proposal for refusal if nothing else on the table. Enforcement officer has been and this email from Mr White is the result. LB felt the address on planning application is their old one and questioned where they reside now. Feels we should state this. Chairman said they may have been living there when the application was originally put forward. LB wants to know their current address. Drawings viewed of area. Chairman suggested we say we don't wish to comment on these as a plan

due to investigations going ahead. LB proposed we just say "refuse". RH stated we put "We realise the enforcement officer was working on our behalf as we raised the concerns about people living there – so therefore we refuse any application on this land until the enforcement officer has come to their conclusion." LB proposed and TC seconded. All in favour.

Matters

1. Car park and Toilets: £88.70 taken. No other issues.

2. Lamb Park Development: LB stated Mrs Bond has asked VJ if heard anything on lease from Diocese? Chairman stated nothing heard. Under the impression it's all going along. Chairman to chase.

3. Skatepark Maintenance: KO stated nothing sorted as yet, is all in hand.

4. Queens Jubilee Celebrations: IH stated they have had a meeting. Approximately 17 people came. Started to sort some ideas out. Another meeting on Thursday 10th March. Currently got the following planned: Scarecrow Competition – Jubilee-related to show all week long. Celebration information to be done showing the last 70 years in Kilkhampton (pictures, information etc). Big Breakfast on the Friday morning being overseen by Joyce. 2pm at Lamb Park will be the scarecrow competition results. Metric Band. Ukulele playing by Sally. Children's Sports. Cream Tea. Entertainment in the evening (band booked already). Sunday is the combined Church service - RH to talk to Luke Francis regarding this. Gerald Strong sorting the financial side of the events. £2000 proposed by KO and seconded by KB to be forwarded to Lamb Park Trust for necessary items etc. Thanks to IH for organising per Chairman.

5. Defibrillators: KO putting in great work on the kiosk, per Chairman. TC spoke to SWEB and informed they need duct to be there – they are sending someone to check cable in ground and let TC know outcome. Clerk to pay bill received. VJ will chase her side and send invoice to Clerk for payment. KO to put base down this week. Changing contract on defibrillator at garage to Dutchy Defibrillators per RH. Mr Trebilcock is sorting with new box etc. RH mentioned that the light around this defibrillator is poor. Can't read the instructions when it is dark. Electric light supply is done via the MOT station. All ok with everything so far.

6. Bunnyhomes name: Email been received asking if we could make a decision on name for Bunnyhomes development. All agreed on Blackberry Lane. KB asked if news on our sign being moved? Nothing yet. LB mentioned mud on

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the road again. Chairman stated our County Councillor is aware and trying to keep on top of.

7. Other matters arising from the minutes: CV mentioned the Clerk had been asked to draft a letter to Ms Helen Fisher. Read through by Chairman. Thanks to Clerk for content of letter.

Reports

Footpaths: IH stated nothing to report. Repairs still in hand

Playing Fields and Lamb Park: TC stated the recent storms had hindered the meeting. All in hand.

School: LB said Governors meeting on Wednesday and will ask what the children are to be doing for the Jubilee.

Grenville Rooms: RH stated small amount of damage from the storms – KO sorted.

Month's work Read through and approved by all.

Members

VJ – Mentioned that someone had asked about residents vans being parked at the bottom of the square and garage also. Asked to bring up at the meeting. Unfortunately nothing we can do about this issue. Some are large vehicles obstructing the views to drive around them etc. Notice to be included in Parish report. "Parking of vehicles/large vehicles for long periods of time and/or unused, are not helpful to the safety of everyone crossing, walking and driving around the village. In light of the recent accidents, please can people park sensibly and in consideration to others"

Chairman mentioned at the last meeting we queried a bill on election charges. Apparently they still have to be paid even if we don't have an election. Chairman also mentioned that he has spoken to Mr Tom Westlake and he has quoted £144 per annum for the uptake/maintenance of the website. He can look at our website and make vast improvements. Will send form to Clerk for approval and then Mr Westlake can organise the move over from Sieretto. Proposed by VJ and seconded by KO. All in favour.

TC, IH, KO, LB, KB, RH – Nothing.

Correspondence Nothing extra.

Finance Read through by Chairman. Invoices to be paid: £54.00 K J Building Services (storm damage repairs); £36.00 Sign O Times (Defibrillator sign); £63.00 S Gifford (Litterpick); £2,000.00 Lamb Park Trust; £746.29 Western Power. All in favour to be paid.

Date of the next meeting: 4th April 2022, 7.30pm at The Grenville Rooms.

Thanks to all by Chairman and declared the meeting closed.

STALLS

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SATURDAY 2nd April
10.30AM - 12.00 NOON at
METHODIST CHURCH HALL

A VERY WARM WELCOME TO ALL!

The charity this month is
Corey's Farm
A brand new charity helping children and young people
facing emotional challenges in their lives

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ON
Friday 29th April
At 12.30pm
AT



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transport could be arranged

BUDE LOOK GROUP

AGNES MARTIN

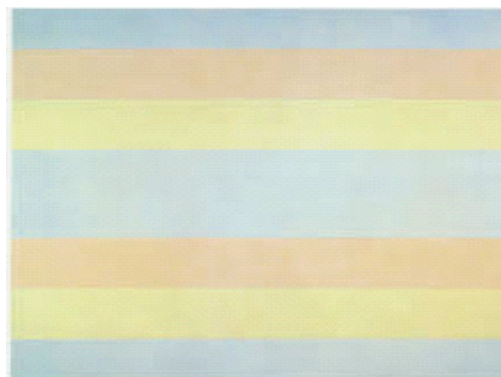
In the summer of 1967, Martin left New York and went off-grid before reappearing in New Mexico. The art she made there – with its buoyant bands of colour – offer no clues to the turbulent life of an artist who was diagnosed with paranoid schizophrenia.

Art must derive from inspiration, Agnes Martin said, and yet for decades she painted what seems at first glance to be the same thing over and over again, the same core structure subject to infinitely subtle variations. A grid: a set of horizontal and vertical lines drawn meticulously with a ruler and pencil on canvases six feet high and six feet wide. These restrained, reserved, exquisite paintings came as visions, for which she would wait sometimes for weeks on end, rocking in her chair, steadying herself for a glimpse of the minute image that she would paint next. "I paint with my back to the world," she declared, and what she wanted to catch in her rigorous nets was not material existence, the Earth and its myriad forms, but rather the abstract glories of being: joy, beauty, innocence; happiness itself.

A late starter, Martin kept on going, working at the height of her powers right through her 80s; a stocky figure with apple cheeks and cropped silver hair, dressed in overalls and Indian shirts. She produced the last of her masterpieces a few months before her death in 2004, at the grand old age of 92. But she was also so deeply ambivalent about pride and success and the ego-driven business of making a name for yourself that in the 1960s she abandoned the art world altogether, packing up her New York studio, giving away her materials and disappearing in a pickup truck, surfacing 18 months later on a remote mesa in New Mexico.

When she returned to painting in 1971, the grids had gone, replaced by horizontal or vertical lines, the old palette of grey and white and brown giving way to glowing stripes and bands of very pale pink and blue and yellow.

Martin's work is in museums and collections across the world, and changes hands for millions of dollars at a time. All the same, she hasn't achieved quite the renown of her mostly male contemporaries in abstraction, partly because the subtleties of her paintings are almost impossible to reproduce in print.



Above: an Agnes Martin painting

ALICE MUMFORD

Alice Mumford is a Colombian born painter who lives and works in Penwith, Cornwall. She teaches life drawing and painting at St Ives School of Painting and is an Academician of the Royal West of England Academy. Alice is known especially for her still lifes in piercingly vivid colour, both cool and hot simultaneously. She has exhibited widely, both in London and Cornwall, and one of her solo shows ran at Badcock's Gallery, Newlyn prior to its closure.




Above and below: samples of Alice Mumford's work



Bude Look Group meets once a month at the Parkhouse Centre, Bude.

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KILKHAMPTON CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP




12th April

FROM 7-9pm

IT'S

TABLE TENNIS TUESDAY

A FUN WAY OF KEEPING FIT!



UNCLE ERIC'S PAGE

Images of this country (continued from last month)

Scotland's many banks and braes where highland cattle roam
With shaggy coats and widespread horns they really seen at home
To jagged mountains climbed by few to others walked by most
Land lochs and sea lochs, castles too, clans living by the coast

Distilleries both small and large produce this world-famed brew
This magic potion much renowned has such a golden hue
And Highland Games where sturdy Scots toss cabers and lift stones
With kilts and sporrans, brawny arms and oat-fed strong-set bones

The Emerald Isle with grass so green bathed oft with lots of rain
Much noted for a rich dark brew produced from Irish grain
With rivers long and coastal views from cliffs to sandy bays
And castles, legends, myths and tales one talks about for days

Now to another ancient land where castles still exist
Some ruined, some still standing proud, so add them to your list!
For railway buffs it's paradise for many lines abound
From narrow gauge to standard gauge, steam locos can be found

Some mountains too obscure the view, some climbable, some not
If Snowdon's peak you vow to seek, by rail or walk a lot!
If seaside holidays you want, coasts north and west and south
Boast widespread sands and harbours too, close by some river's mouth

Let's not forget the southern shores where all of London went!
Dorset, Hampshire, Sussex too until you get to Kent
With sandy shores and pebbly beaches backed by countryside
Busy marinas, seaside towns, all sweet by coastal tied

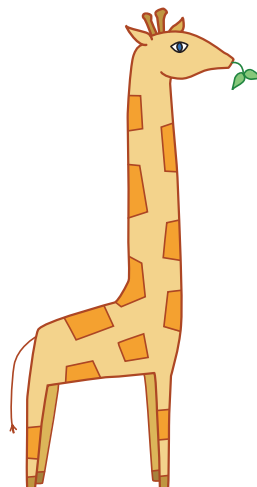
Why go abroad? This land of ours is filled with hidden treasure
To find it out, just roam about; it's bound to give you pleasure!

Eric Latter

What am I?

A space threat, in one word

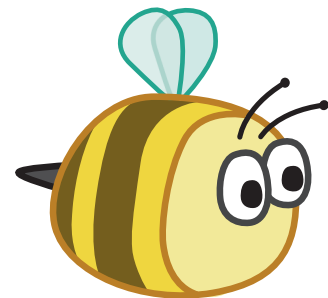
My first's in alarming, but not such a threat
The next is in heaven but no need to fret
The third is in target but no cause to fear
This one's in space and in time and in year
The next is in atmosphere, not found in clear
The sixth's in alarming, when it lands quite near
This one's in fascinating when you're about
The eighth's in terminal (it often burns out)
My last is in speedy and also in race
My whole is a missile which comes out of space



Can you solve these anagrams?

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

- 1 PINK GEESE
- 2 A DEAR LIE
- 3 PINK SCALE CORE (6,7)
- 4 RED TREE RING VOLE (6,9)
- 5 REX FIRE ROT (3,7)
- 6 LONG TOAD PIE (5,6)
- 7 I STEER KERRY (4,7)
- 8 PITH PEW
- 9 RICE DOOR BELL (6,6)
- 10 SOME DAY



ANSWERS

Anagrams

- 1 Pekingese
- 2 Airedale
- 3 Cocker Spaniel
- 4 Golden Retriever
- 5 Fox Terrier
- 6 Giant Poodle
- 7 Skye Terrier
- 8 Whippet
- 9 Border Collie
- 10 Samoyed

What am I?

Meteorite