LANDULPH NEWSLETTER

Oct / Nov 2008 No 17

Landulph Life and News

Your guide to what's happening in the area





Parish Council Meeting 18 August 2008

This brief meeting was convened because there were planning applications; usually, Council skips an August meeting and skips off on summer hols.

They were pleased to approve cooption of Terry (Theresa) West) of Wadavers, Church Lane, to the Council.

Planning. Council recommended refusal for:

Variation of Condition 11, to allow use as holiday accommodation (summer) and tenanted (residential) use in the winter months. The Grain Store, Stockadon Barns, St Mellion. Mr & Mrs D'Crus. Inappropriate development.

Council recommended approval for:

Construction of single storey extension to rear of Evergreen Cottage, Fore Street, Cargreen. Mrs J Donner.

Morton Macleod

Parish Council Meeting 15 September 2008

Tall and tan and young and lovely, councillors returned from their summer hols to a busy meeting at which new councillor Terry West was made most welcome. Among other matters raised during the public open forum, school governor Dr Paul Gorham asked for Parish Council's (PC's) help in enforcing speed limits around the school with the additional recommendation that a 20 mph limit be applied on its immediate approaches. Later in the meeting, PC agreed to raise both parking and speeding concerns with the appropriate authorities.

Here are a few points from the general meeting that may excite your interest... **Caradon still has surplus funds** available for community projects and has extended its deadline for applications to 1st November. PC will encourage an application for maintenance and upgrades in the cricket pavilion, and hopes that other organisations will take advantage of this unrepeatable *largesse*.

BT has informed PC that after consultation (what consultation? said PC), it has decided to **remove the phone box** from Cargreen Fore St, but that the box may remain, minus a phone, if PC purchases it for £1, or may remain with a phone if PC pays them £500 p.a. Och, you had to have been there to appreciate the broad sweep of the ensuing debate, but suffice to say, our local Masters of the Universe decided to buck City trends by investing in property, and agreed to blow all of £1 on an empty box. We'll soon all be stakeholders, and shall visit it with pride.

Then as if that wasn't enough good news for one night, we learned of a possible pilot study to provide reliable and fast **broadband** in the parish by making a wireless link from a transmitter in Saltash to a high spot in the parish, with signal then relayed by wire to our homes.

Whatever next? A proper two-lane road all the way to the A388?

Morton Macleod

This Months Cover

Liz Dunn, who lives at Salter Mill, has again provided us with a cover for the newsletter. Those of you who have seen the festival programme will recognise it.

Liz has donated the framed original to be raffled for newsletter funds.

You can buy raffle tickets at the Art Exhibition which will be held in the Rectory room from October 4^{th} -12th.

Devon and Cornwall Police

08452 777 444

This is the phone number on which to report a crime, and for information and advice.

Why don't you store this in your mobile phone in case you need it or write it on your notice board at home?

999 is the number for emergencies.

Landulph Memorial Clock

The Landulph Memorial Clock, sited at Landulph School, is now in need of urgent repair. The cost will be £2700 plus VAT.

The Parish Council, which is responsible for maintenance of the clock, had not precepted (not funded) for this amount.

A Parish Projects Group has been formed to raise funds, through grant applications, donations and fund-raising activities, for this and for future projects which are not able to receive money from public funds.

Some donations have already been received and this is a reminder to anyone else who would like to make a contribution that it is not too late.

If anyone would like to make a donation, please contact the Treasurer of the Parish Project Group,

Nikki Gill (01752 846941).

CHEAPER OIL – Landulph Oil Syndicate

Like many local residents, we are alarmed by increasing oil prices and have a suggestion which would save us all 3p or more per litre.

I have rung some of the oil companies and the most helpful seems to be Keltic. Our contact there is Rita on 01566 775558. They say that if we order as part of a syndicate, they will offer bulk discounts e.g. for an order of 5000 litres or more they will give a discount of 3p per litre.

On a combined delivery with at least 1000 litres per customer, that would be a saving of £30 per customer.

They would co-ordinate deliveries and aim eventually for 2 or 3 visits per customer per year. Initially they will be happy to juggle smaller top-ups with a view to eventually getting all our deliveries co-ordinated. They also offer boiler service contracts etc.

Each customer would pay individually - by account or credit/debit card over the telephone on ordering. Also, they offer a budget account scheme whereby customers could pay a regular monthly amount by direct debit and whenever there is credit on the account, they say they will pay 6% interest.

So far 10 people have e-mailed me to say they are interested in the saving and guestimated their approx annual requirements - about 9000 litres so far. So do please email me if you are also interested. Few of us have gas, so I think that between us there is good potential to make this work for everyone's benefit.

I feel that any saving, albeit small, is worthwhile, and if we could increase the numbers in the syndicate we may achieve a higher discount. *Valerie Taplin*

Valerietaplin@btopenworld.com



ThePCMedic.org.uk

Computer expert based in Landulph for all your I T needs

Fully trained to upgrade and repair computers-

Personal Computers (all versions of Windows) and Apple MAC.

Networking installed and repaired. (both wireless and wired)

Backup advice and solutions offered.

Spyware and antivirus recommendations offered.

Advice offered on purchase of hardware helping you find the most reliable solution at the best price. Discount on hardware purchased (highly likely to beat PC World on price). All data from old computers transferred to new one and help with customising the computer to suit your needs.

Did you know that you should?

- Backup up all your personal data on a regular basis. What about an external hard drive for this?
- Always ensure that your updates are up to date (including windows/MAC OS, antivirus and antispyware).

Please call for an informal chat to discuss any of your IT needs.

Contact info@thePCMedic.org.uk

Dr Paul Gorham 01752 849787 or 07973 344912

Landulph School

Landulph School welcomes you to their Harvest Festival Assembly in the school hall on Friday 3rd October 2008 at 9.15am.

Please stay afterwards and enjoy the refreshments as part of the 'World's Biggest Coffee Morning.'

All proceeds will go towards Macmillan Cancer Support.

Recycle your old mobile phone

We are collecting old mobile phones to help raise funds for Shelter who believe "everyone should have a home". To donate your old mobile phone just remove the SIM card and please don't include phone chargers.

Vacancy

A lunchtime supervisor is urgently needed 12pm–1pm, term time only; please contact the school office for further information. 01752 845572





D CompTIA

A+ Certified

T Technician

Network+[™] Certified

Sunday Afternoon Tea

There will be no Cancer Research Christmas Catalogue in the village this



year. However, the Cargreen committee hope you will put on your Sunday best and come and have afternoon tea at Landulph Memorial Hall at 4pm on Sunday Nov 16th. It may not be the Ritz Hotel but the food and company will be wonderful.

Tickets- Adults £6; Children under 12 £4; under 3yrs of age free.

This is in aid of Cancer Research.

Tickets available from Gaye Braund 01752 847774

Gaye Braund

Christmas Cards

In 2006 a scheme was introduced into the Parish when <u>local</u> Christmas cards were dispensed with and in its place a suitable donation was made to the Salvation Army Christmas Children's Appeal. A similar scheme will be followed this year.

For those of a like mind please contact me at Laxtons. Tel. 844519, or email <u>jack@bedbrook.co.uk</u> by 16th November. Participants will be published in the December edition of the Newsletter so that you will know who will <u>not</u> be sending you a Christmas card.

Jack Bedbrook

Mahjong Change of day

Wednesday is now the afternoon when you can play Mahjong.

Please contact Phillida Jermain – see front of diary insert for details.

Memorial Hall Quiz

Put the date in your diary -Sat Nov 22nd - details later on notice boards

JOYCE COX

I would like to thank everyone who sent cards and messages of sympathy on the recent death of Joyce.

Also I would like to thank all those who came to the Service of Thanksgiving at the Landulph Methodist Church on September 8th.

Alec Cox

NHS Dental treatment.

An examination of the Cornwall NHS website <u>www.cornwall.nhs.uk/</u> <u>dental</u> reveals that although most local dental practices are registered to treat patients under the NHS almost all have their NHS lists closed.

Cornwall NHS have a dental advice helpline 01872 354375. This also gives the availability of emergency services out of normal surgery hours.

NHS Direct 0845 4647 is able to give advice on dental emergencies.

Flu Vaccinations

It's nearly time for the jab again

Patients of Saltash Health centre who are eligible for immunisation against influenza are invited to attend an open Clinic at Saltash Health Centre.

Mon 13th Oct- Fri 17th Oct between 2pm and 5.15pm

Mon 20th Oct- Fri 24th Oct between 2pm and 5.15pm

There are also appointment only sessions available on some Saturdays and some evenings.

Eligibility All over 65 years are eligible for a vaccination, as are those in a clinical risk group, those in receipt of Carers Allowance, and poultry workers (among others).

Please check with the surgery if you are not sure if you are eligible for a flu immunisation.

The times of the Landulph Clinic at the Memorial Hall have not yet been arranged; please watch the notice board for details.

Toe Nail cutting service- update

You may have seen the advert for a toe nail cutting service in the last edition of the newsletter or listened to the presentation at the Good Companions meeting.

Currently while the search continues for a suitable room Sharon will continue to offer home visits in the area until such time as a room becomes available.

Sharon's tel no is Saltash 847352.

Highcroft Gardens

The gardens opened by Karen and Barry Richards in August, raised £1503.25 for the National Gardens scheme, whose main charities are Cancer Care and Marie Curie. Many thanks to Landulph Methodist Church for doing the teas and this raised £236.00 for church funds. Many thanks also to Neil and Rose Cradick for allowing the use of their field for car parking.

Barry and Karen Richards

Stop Press The BBC Gardeners World film crew have recently spent a whole day filming the gardens, broadcast date as yet unknown! *Ed*

Gardening Club



Wonderfully coloured South African plants are grown by Mark Wash from Trecenna Nursery. He is coming to talk on Oct 8th about his plant finding trip to South Africa. He exhibited a new crocosmia at Hampton Court flower show this year. He always

brings good selection of bulbs and plants to sell after the talk.

November sees an interesting talk about tea growing in Cornwall. Did you know that tea plants are part of the camellia family?

Non-members are welcome to attend any meeting.

Jo Butcher

Hodge News, Newsagent

Daily Newspaper Deliveries to

Landulph & Cargreen

Phone 01752 845141

Aerial & Satellite specialist Freeview Aerial Upgrades Extra Points: Telephone extensions Competitive Prices Contact Mike Pendered 01752 294386 Mobile 07745 027 625

Tidal Privies

Tidal Privies - do we have a knowledgeable expert in our village? There were two tidal privies down here at Salter Mill, a one-seater and a two-seater (Bonding on a scale now lost to modern technology forever I fear.)



A charming lady on a nostalgia trip popped in to check us out and was very keen to know if the privies were still in action. Having lived there as a child, she had fond memories of cold winter mornings, when, preferably Gran and Granddad - or even better visiting dignitaries - were settling down comfortably, relaxed, if a little chilled, and the children would dash along the beach and scream "boo" or, if her brothers were with her, obscenities, up the outlet, and then run like the wind.

I was wondering if tidal privies ever faced the river. I expect sitting exposed to a sharp north easterly wind might freeze you up a bit, even in summer, but think of the wonderful view.

No, I think you would have sat quietly, watching the rain come pouring down and the grass growing steadily up , and maybe , if you were very lucky, have found a few peaceful minutes to read the latest edition of the Landulph Newsletter. What a treat!

Liz Dunn



Locally produced stabiliser beef from Park Farm Landulph

Packs approx 25 kg contain a variety of beef cuts packed,

labelled, and ready for freezing

Phone Richard Brown 07788 725 748 to order

Next edition copy date is 13th Nov but earlier would be even better.				
Jo Butcher	01752 844302	Mavis Edmonds	01579 350385	
Morton Macleod	01752 846520	Sylvia Bedbrook	01752 844519	
Reg Rice	01752 844858	James Jermain	01752 847546	

Thank you for reading the Newsletter.

The Newsletter Committee reserve the right to edit or refuse material. If there are any mistakes, we apologise.

The Parish newsletter printer is available for use by local organisations Please contact any member of the committee with suggestions for new items,

or other helpful comments.

Letters to the editor can be given to any committee member or e-mailed to <u>joanna@threecornermeadow.wanadoo.co.uk</u>

Signed articles do not necessarily express the views of the committee.

If you are a new resident to the parish and would like to write a small article introducing yourselves we would be delighted to receive it.

If you feel inspired to create a cover for the next newsletter please contact one of the committee.

Also a big thank you for the cash donations that gladden the treasurers heart.



For Sale/ Free

Goldfish FREE to good homes-pond goldfish approx 3"long

Tel 01752 845021

Searle Family Memorial Ground

Highlight of the Saltash Town Cricket Club season was winning the inaugural 20/20 Cup at St Blazey in June. Captained by Ross Braund, the team won the semi-final against Gerrans by a comfortable 57 runs and the final by a rather tighter 23 runs.

Based at the Landulph ground opposite the church end of Church Lane, the side's regular season was less successful finishing in the middle of the table in their league, (Cornwall Cricket League, Division 3 East), having won eight and lost seven of their matches.

More details on -http://www.saltash.play-cricket.com

Reg Rice





Your friendly local camera shop for digital cameras, binoculars & scopes



10 Frankfort Gate, Plymouth, Devon Tel: 01752 664894 Tax: 01752 604248 plymouth@LCEgroup.co.uk

DCB PLANT HIRE

0.75 to 7.5 ton mini diggers available for hire with operator New Micro digger acquired that will fit through any standard doorway and available for self drive



01752 845234

Bulk excavation Landscaping and groundwork's undertaken

Call Dan Billing on or 07725082046

Group Travel

Dunmere Road Garage Bodmin PL31 2QN

Telephone and Fax: 01208 77989

Horse of the Year Show	October 12th
N Petherton carnival	Nov 8th
Tavistcck Dickensian Evening	Dec 5th
Royal Smithfield Show	Dec 6th
Mousehole Lights	Dec14th
Olympia Show Jumping	Dec 21st
Holiday on ice	Feb 21st
Clarks shopping village	Mar 4th
Scottish Highlands	April12th-18th
and Islands 6 nights	

8 to 70 seaters available for private hire:

parties, weddings, Bookings/Enquiries – 01208 77989 / 72669

www.grouptravelcoachhire.co.uk



Daily Deliveries to the Catering Industry Visit Applejack Barn for all your Fruit & Vegetables We also stock a range of groceries & dairy products Get a flavour of the Mediterranean on the first floor

Tel: 01752 848738 Fax: 01752 840414

Chris Billing

Agricultural Contractor, Plant Hire and Garden services



All types of garden work undertaken which includes:

Tree surgery Garden Clearance Hedge trimming Turfing Fencing And many more

Also agricultural work can be undertaken too Mini digger hire with tractor and dump trailer available ALSO SEASONED LOGS FOR SALE Contact Chris Billing 01752 845234 or mobile 0798 057 4104



We are always looking for loving homes for our dogs and cats in your area.

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC ...

Monday	11am - 4pm		
Tuesday 5	7 57 11am - 4pm		
Wednesday	11am - 4pm		
Thursday	CLOSED	LAST VIEWING	
Friday	/11am - 4pm) °	3.30pm	
Saturday	11am - 3.30pm 🖇		
Sunday	11am - 3.30pm	LAST VIEWING 3.00pm	
Bank Holidays	11am - 3.30pm	5.00pm	
S. B.	RESI	a 1	

Closed New Year's Day , Easter Sunday, Christmas Day & Boxing Day

Where to find us:

Gables Farm Dogs' & Cats' Home 204 Merafield Road, Plymouth PL7 1UQ



Tel: 01752 331602 ~ Fax: 01752 331604 Email: info@gablesfarm.org.uk

www.gablesfarm.org.uk

John Wright FCII FPC

John Wright Financial Services

1 Coombe Lane, Cargreen Tel: 01752 847533

Independent advice on

Investments

Pensions and Retirement Options

Inheritance Tax Life Assurance Protection

And Many Other Topics

John Wright Financial Services is authorised and regulated by

the Financial Services Authority



<u>Greg Khan</u>

Professional Plastering Service

> Over 20 years experience

All work undertaken is guaranteed

Tel 01752 846293 (evenings & weekends)

07742 514212 mobile



Riverford organic Vegon your tables

Organic Certification UK5

organic vegetable boxes fresh from our farm to your door

move to a healthier, fresher diet of seasonal vegetables delivered free to your doorstep

our award winning vegboxes start from only **£7.90**



delivering now in Cargreen & Landulph



order today! www.riverford.co.uk 0845 600 2311



