

LANDULPH NEWSLETTER



Your guide to what's happening in the area

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Parish Council October

Public Forum A member of the public questioned the planning application for two dwellings at Landulph Cross. The timing of Parish Council meetings meant that this had been considered as a 'delegated decision'. Perhaps the application's timing was tactical, but the Chair said that there were no public comments on Cornwall Council's planning web site. Tamar Valley AONB had objected, Highways was sitting on the fence, but the PC had no objections. The Chair concluded that the correct process had been followed.

Planning An application to replace a Nissen-type hut next to 'Newlyn' in Church Lane with a bungalow was supported. The hut had been used by a farm worker years ago, and still contained a tin bath and dart board. The Council felt this was a replacement for an existing building, not infill or rounding-off of the village. The application did not address carbon neutrality, but this was not enforceable.

Landulph Parish Climate Action Group reported feeling smug as they had been judged to be 12 months ahead of similar groups in the area.

Taxi use The PC had been asked to complete a questionnaire about licensed vehicles in Caradon – (hackney carriages, not mobile bars!) The number of licensed vehicles is fixed and they are restricted to a set area – Caradon in our case. The questionnaire was confusing about the distinction between, and need for, private hire taxis and hackneys, but the council filled it in on-line, stressing there was no public transport and taxis of any kind were usually difficult to get. (For information: hackneys can be hailed, private taxis must be booked.)

Queen's Platinum Jubilee Would Landulph be arranging formal celebrations of the event? A Working Group was proposed and would involve other village organisations (Hall Committee, Yacht Club, school etc). The Gardening Club would be delighted to help with the three-colour flower planting. The Chair promised an update soon.

Defibrillator training had been delayed but was now expected after Christmas. Multiple sessions would be needed.

There was an initiative by the County Council to raise awareness about support for **care in the community**. We should expect something soon about services available, and about recognising need. The PC agreed that, should it go ahead, they would underwrite the cost of hire of the Memorial Hall. Finally, there is urgent consultation going on about the **Saltash Leisure Centre**. The message was 'use it or lose it', and the Chair had both visited and signed up for membership. A thousand members are needed and only 464 are currently signed up.

International boules The game of petanque/boules had been lost to the Breton group, Nordet, who had un-nerved our team by singing!

Parish Council November

Three **planning applications** were given the Council's approval. A first floor extension to the bungalow at Treconna, Rosehill Nurseries, not only looked fine but few would know where it was, let alone see it. The window extension at Southbound Slip was better than suggested in the pre-app, though the Council still liked the planners' suggestion of supporting brackets. Finally a garden machinery store for the boarding kennels was well out of sight.

The Council has received a 125-page report on the **Recreation Ground** play area. At a cost of about £1 per page, this report was considered extraordinary value for money. However, councillors mused that perhaps it had lost a sense of proportion – never mind the quality, feel the width! The Council will deal with the 'red lines', then consider the remainder. The fence around the area is not essential, but is there to keep dogs out. Notices to this effect were in place, but some parishioners and visitors needed to be reminded.

Councillors had discussed signage at **Spaniards Quay** with the County Council's Footpath Officer. He agreed the changes to make the signs accurate. A parishioner had also suggested putting a hand rail on the public steps down to the foreshore. This is being pursued, but as a consequence the life-ring will need to be moved a few feet onto the Spaniards car park.

Footpaths The stile near Salter's Mill had been fixed by the landowner, but water-logging at Paradise Lane needed to be formally reported by a parishioner. There were now plans for a Parish Walk later this year. The suggestion to hold an event for the **Platinum Jubilee** was shedding moss and starting to roll, with the identification of suitable organisers. On to the 'C' word....the PC would again be putting up a Christmas tree and lights at the crossroads to make you feel festive.

Precept In the last few years, Landulph has had high precept (parish rates) increases to generate a reserve fund should the play area need replacing.

Lockdowns had affected plans, but this fund would be considered as part of the precept proposals. Figures for representative precept increases were shown, and unbelievably suggested that a 2% increase would give a reduction in charge to a Band D property. Watch this space!

Did you know that 14% of those who live in Cornwall identify as being Cornish? Neither did most of us (86% in fact), but the Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities had been communicated to the Council, who duly noted it.

Peter Plume

Landulph School

It has been so wonderful being able to invite parents/families back into school again. For some it is the first time as they joined us during the height of Covid restrictions and for others it was great to hear them reminiscing about their own school days at Landulph.

As part of their home learning this term, the children had to - 'Imagine the setting of their favourite children's book'. Perhaps the Hundred Acre Wood, or Willy Wonka's Chocolate Factory? They then created this setting within the tiny space of a shoe box. The results were incredible. There is a virtual tour on our school Facebook page if you would like to see more

Thank you to Rev Chris Painter for welcoming us back to Landulph Church for our Harvest celebrations. Thank you to all the children and staff for working so hard to put on such a fantastic performance for us. It was wonderful. We were able to support the Saltash Foodbank with our kind donations.

Our Cross-Country team have taken part in two races this term. There was rain, there was mud, there were rivers to cross and shoes were



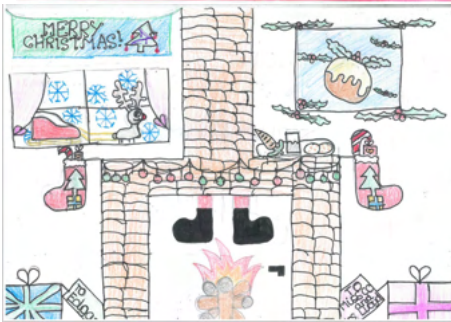
lost mid run! We are really proud of their determination and growth. They are great runners but much more importantly they really are a proper team supporting each other emotionally and being there for each other for the ups and downs

Finally, I would like to take the opportunity to wish you all a very happy and safe festive season.

Here's to 2022 from all at Landulph Primary

Karen Ball, Headteacher

Below you can see a collection of pictures produced by the pupils for Christmas. We have selected one for the front cover of this newsletter.



Stay and Play sessions for parents

From January 2022 when toddlers, babies and their carers come to Landulph Stay and Play there will be taster sessions for new parents and mums experiencing social isolation. It's been particularly difficult for those who have given birth during the pandemic.

There will be professional 'themed' sessions such as relaxation techniques, mindfulness, personal wellbeing, weaning and expression art. The group meets on a Thursday morning at Landulph Memorial Main Hall. Funding received from Cornwall Volunteer Bureau will help provide the sessions.

To learn more contact: info@landulphunderfives.co.uk or [07718 830149](tel:07718830149)

Landulph Under 5s

As part of our fundraising efforts we have produced a Landulph Calendar which can be bought by emailing committee@landulphunderfives.co.uk. This would make an ideal Christmas present, with its lovely pictures of our area.

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Our Pre-school topic for the second half of this term is 'Seasons and Christmas'. The children have explored what happens in each season during the year.

Our role play area has now been turned into a 'woodland campsite' with a pretend fire pit, wooden teepee, pots & pans and fruit and vegetables that the children can chop up.

The children have enjoyed learning about Diwali – The Festival of Light. They have learnt a Diwali dance and made and eaten chapatti bread.

For bonfire night we talked about staying safe around fireworks and sparklers.



Masterchefs at the Under 5s



It's in the tasting

Exploding Hedgehogs!

Hedgehogs are classed as 'vulnerable' in the UK because their population has fallen rapidly, but Cargreen seems to have a population explosion. Monty the cat first discovered a strange creature in our courtyard. We moved it but a few days later two babies (hoglets) were wandering about in the daytime. Another baby got trapped by the front door and screamed very loudly! We contacted 'International Rescue - Hedgehog Division' who said: 'Nest too small; Mum probably not feeding them properly; make another shelter; put some cat food down.' I put an unused cat box out, plus a pukka nest from Carkeel with a load of hay and a trail camera. The camera showed three



babies plus Mum, but she started sleeping outside in a totally different corner. I put a slate roof over her, but the trail camera showed the problem - not just three babies, but six! We bought



shares in chicken cat food, and industrial quantities of cat biscuits. Four or five bowlfuls would disappear each night as well as the same amount of water.

This was all happening in a sunken courtyard, so the hogs were effectively trapped. HR (Hedgehog Rescue) advised that the babies need to reach hibernation weight (about 1/2Kg) before we let them escape. I started building ramps, but the first hoglet to try one slipped at the top and fell over the edge. Back to the drawing board! Now six growing babies plus Mum divided by four nests equals not

enough nests... so we bought another. However we started seeing bluebottle flies - hardly surprising - the amount of food equalled a lot of hedgehog poo! HR thought differently - either we had a dead baby or the hoglets had fly-strike (fly maggots around the anus!). They suggested we open all nests, check Mum and surviving babies, put them back with clean straw and take any problem animals to them. We made a plan. Libby and wildlife-savvy friend Amanda would weigh and examine. I would attack the virgin jungle to reach the nests. The original nest turned out to be tiny – a slate covering a hole barely big enough for one hog let alone a family! One hoglet was at home, but the top of the slate was the communal toilet and source of the flies. Don't know what he had done to deserve that! Second nest, two hedgehogs; repurposed cat basket, three hedgehogs; six in total. On to the final nest... four hedgehogs! So we've got 10 in total, no dead ones, all healthy and above hibernation weight except two only just under. No wonder they were eating so much cat food! So, were they massing ready to take us by storm? We'll never know. With the ramp up to the rest of the garden now installed, the rate of cat

food consumption has gone down. Presumably some at least have escaped. However, there is at least one other hedgehog living elsewhere in the garden, at least three next door and more in all sorts of places like Cuple Park (Slow Hedgehog - not sure why hedgehogs are slow up there!) and in Coombe Drive. Perhaps they are bent on world domination after all. I'm also sure I heard one shouting 'Dinsdale' ... (and if you are under 60, just google Spiny Norman!)



spiny norman is watching you...

PS. If you want to feed hedgehogs, you need dried cat biscuits with chicken for adults, cheap chicken cat food in jelly for hoglets and a lot of clean water.

Peter Plume

Christmas Carols on the Quay

On Thursday 16 December at 7.00pm the Cargreen Village Choir has organised Carols on the Quay.

Please come along, join in and enjoy the festivities. There will be warmed mulled wine, mince pies and of course plenty of Christmas spirit !



Landulph Parish Climate Action Group

The Climate Action group has celebrated its first year, one of intense activity. Set up by the Parish Council in response to the County Council's declaration of a climate emergency, it is made up of a mix of Parish Councillors and interested parishioners. The Group has produced regular articles for this Newsletter and Landulph.org.uk; manned a stall at the Landulph Celebrates day and the Christmas Craft Show. It has also conducted a survey of parishioners' concerns over climate change, the results of which are on the next page. Two members of the group plus myself in my capacity as a County Councillor also attend the recently formed Cornwall Gateway Climate Change Working Group to share ideas with other town and parish council groups. We were proud to be seen as being pro-active in our drive to help to reduce the impact of climate change. The community is very lucky to have many unsung heroes who, without being asked, just quietly get on and 'do stuff' around the parish, from litter picking - on land and on water - maintaining areas of green space, including the church yard, to planting wild flower plugs at Penyoke.

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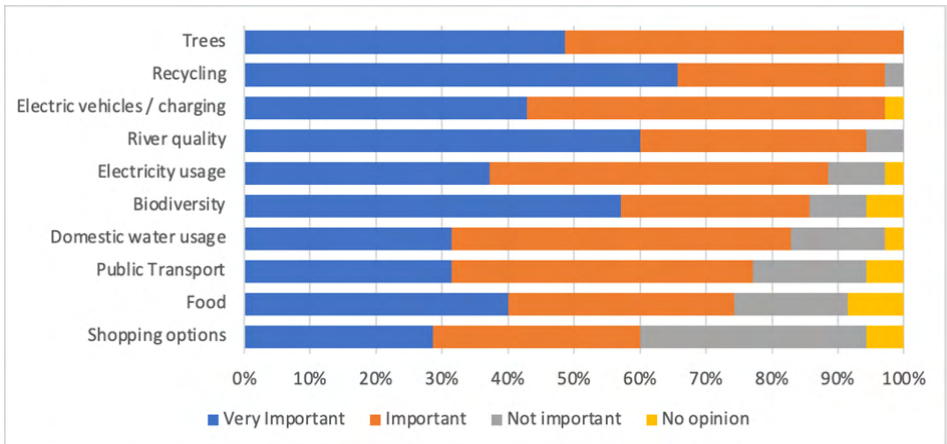
If you are interested in joining the group please contact:

Marilyn Dennis 0790 4860463 or Clare Tagg 0786 6680971

Martin Worth

What you said

During the summer, LPCAG asked you about climate change. 35 people from the parish responded and everyone thought climate change was concerning but were concerned about different issues:



There were some very interesting comments on the questionnaire. Overall opinion was divided between *we, in Landulph Parish, can make a difference but we need action not words* and *this is really a problem for the government and world leaders*. The LPCAG aims to encourage individuals to make changes to reduce their impact on the environment.

We've used the questionnaire to guide our first two winter talks. The first talk will be about the river including the Tamara project (on 7 February) and the second talk will be about household use of energy particularly for heating (7 March). Please put these dates in your diary – more information in the next newsletter.

PARISH WALKS

Monday 27th December

Starting from the Cargreen Yacht Club
at the following times :

Long Walk - 9.30 am

Middle Walk - 10.30 am

Short Walk - 11.30 am

Finishing at the Yacht Club
around 12.30 pm



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Parish Diary December 2021 / January 2022

Regular readers will know that the parish diary lists forthcoming local activities. As Covid 19 restrictions ease dates for events known at the time of publication are listed below, together with contact details for organisers of groups, including those that haven't yet reconvened.

Please keep safe and well, and we hope there may be more dates for your diaries in the next issue

Film Club	3 rd Tuesday in winter 8.00pm Not reconvening yet	John Hall Johnhall1500@gmail.com	01752 841598
Gardening Club MHA	2 nd Wednesday 7.30pm	Jen Hambly jen@wayton.eclipse.co.uk	01752 846504
Good Companions	3 rd Tuesday 2.30pm	Terry Darke	01752 846040
Landulph Stay & Play, MHA	Thursdays 9.45 – 11.30am during term time	Kelly Welsh	07718 830149
Lively Ladies LMH	1 st Tuesday 7.30pm	Cindy Zimmer cinders696@hotmail.com	01752 842187
Mah Jongg 5 Coombe Drive	Every Wednesday 2—5pm	Cindy Zimmer cinders696@hotmail.com	01752 842187
Mobile Library Coombe Lane	Every 4 th Friday 1.45 – 2.05pm: 17 Dec, 14 Jan See Mobile Library - Cornwall Council		
Parish Church	For further details of services listed below and other events and information please see https://sites.google.com/tamar7.org/tamar-valley-benefice/home (note new link) including Cornish Evening Prayer, first Sunday of month, 3pm, Halton Quay and Taizé Services, last Sunday of the month, 3pm (see website for venue)		
Parish Council LMH	3 rd Monday of the month		01752 240541
Post Office	Open Tues & Thurs 2 – 4pm		Hatt PO

Recycling Collection	Tuesdays fortnightly, next collection on 7 December; Recycling alternates with garden waste collection	03001 234141
Short Mat Bowls LMH	Weds 2 – 4pm , Thurs 7—9pm Shirley Kitney tregwheal@yahoo.co.uk	01752 846808
Taiji LMH	Wednesdays 10.00 – 11.00am Helen Manning helenmanning50@hotmail.com	01822 258208
Under 5s MHA	Monday - Friday 9am—3pm during term time Claire Fry info@landulphunderfives.co.uk	07718 830149
Village Choir	Thursdays 7 – 8.30pm Chris Bowman christenebowman@hotmail.co.uk	01752 841573

Venues: LMH = Landulph Memorial Hall MHA = Memorial Hall Annexe.
PC = Parish Church CYC = Cargreen Yacht Club
Contacts for booking: LMH and MHA Landulphhall@gmail.com 845280

DECEMBER

Wed 1	Taiji meets weekly, LMH	10 -11am
Thur 2	Landulph Stay & Play, Thursdays weekly during term time Village Choir meets weekly. For venue call 841573	9.45-11.30am MHA 7—8.30pm
Sun 5	Morning Praise, Pillaton Church Santa is coming to Cargreen. FULLY BOOKED Cornish Evening Prayer, Halton Quay Chapel	10am 2—5pm 3 pm
Mon 6	Under 5s Monday - Friday during term time	9—3 LMA
Tues 7	Carols in the Courtyard, Pentillie supported by Melodi Liskerret and Cargreen Village Choir. No booking required. www.pentillie.co.uk/whats-on/carols-in-the-courtyard	6pm 7.30 LMH
Wed 8	Gardening Club Christmas lunch at the Who'd a Thought It, St Dominick	12.30 for 1pm
Sun 12	Holy Communion, St Dominick Church Toy Service, Pillaton Church	10am 10am
Wed 15	Service of nine lessons and carols, Pillaton Church	7pm
Thur 16	Last Landulph Stay & Play of 2021 Carols on the (Slipway) Quay	9.45am 7pm

Fri 17	Last Under 5s of 2021	9—3 LMA
Sun 19	Morning Praise, Landulph Church Service of nine lessons and carols, Landulph Church Carol Service, St Dominick Church Carols around the tree, St Mellion Church	10am 3pm 3pm 5pm
Mon 20	Service of nine lessons and carols, Harrowbarrow Church Parish Council meeting	7pm 7.30pm LMH
Wed 22	Service of nine lessons and carols, Calstock Church	7pm
Fri 24	Christingle, St Dominick Church Holy Communion, St Dominick Church Midnight Communion, Calstock Church	5.30pm 10pm 11.30pm
Sat 25	Christmas Day Christmas Praise, Landulph Church Christmas Family Communion, Pillaton Church	10am 10am
Sun 26	Holy Communion, St Mellion Church	10am
Mon 27	Village Walks 9.30, 10.30 & 11.30am (see elsewhere for details)	Starting from CYC
JANUARY		
Sun 2	Church services for January not available at the time of going to print. Please check https://sites.google.com/tamar7.org/tamar-valley-benefice/services	
Mon 3	Under 5s Monday - Friday during term time	9—3 LMA
Wed 5	Under 5s Mon—Fri during termtime Taiji meets weekly LMH Short mat bowls meets weekly, LMH	9—3 MHA 10—11am 2—4pm
Thur 6	Landulph Stay & Play, Thurs weekly in term time MHA Short mat bowls meets weekly, LMH Village Choir weekly 7-8.30. For venue call 841573	9.45-11.30 7—9 LMH
Sun 9	For today's services please see https://sites.google.com/tamar7.org/tamar-valley-benefice/services	
Mon 10	Under 5s Monday—Friday during term time	9—3 MHA

Tues 11	Lively Ladies Dinner	TBA
Wed 12	No Gardening Club this month	
Sun 16	For today's services please see https://sites.google.com/tamar7.org/tamar-valley-benefice/services	
Mon 17	Parish Council meeting	7.30pm LMH
Tues 18	Landulph Good Companions reconvenes and looks forward to welcoming new members	2.30pm LMH
Sun 23	For today's services please see https://sites.google.com/tamar7.org/tamar-valley-benefice/services	
Sun 30	For today's services please see https://sites.google.com/tamar7.org/tamar-valley-benefice/services	
ADVANCE NOTICE		
Mon 7 Feb	River Tamar: Come and hear about the exciting £2.3m Tamara Project to enhance the Tamar Valley alongside	6.30-8.30pm LMH
Mon 7 March	Green Energy Advice: Learn about options and grants for heat pumps and other green energy sources, and	6.30-8.30pm LMH

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100 CLUB

OCTOBER

1st	Cindy Zimmer	£21
2nd	Margaret Walker	£16
2rd	D & M Pirie	£12

NOVEMBER

1st	Ken Eastment	£21
2nd	Margaret Rimmer	£16
3rd	Danusia Masterson	£12

Music and Arts Festival triumph

Events have the power not only to bring people together, to entertain and inform, but also to educate and inspire: The Landulph Festival does all these things, challenging perceptions and providing a new point of view via a wide variety of media for the whole parish.



This October's Festival featured a blend of music; ranging from local folk to international classical performance; comedy, with the ever-popular Johnny Cowling; interactive and thought provoking theatrical performance



including an 'Allo Allo' night; art, showcasing the works of talented local artists, and an engaging historical talk which gave a human dimension to the events leading to the First World War. A particular highlight was the lively evening of sea-faring songs and



shanties performed with enthusiasm and finesse by Barrett's Privateers and Breton singers and musicians, Nordet. The friendly rivalry spilled over into the following day, in the Autumn sunshine, with a spirited



international competition on the specially created Boules pitch at Landulph Playing Field.

Needless to say the more experienced Breton team won, despite the strong vocal support for the parish team. But local players are determined to hone their skills for future occasions!



All these events culminated with a grand finale ABBA tribute night where there was a brilliant party atmosphere as 'Take A Chance On Me' inspired everyone present to dance the night away.





All in all, this year's festival was a great success, chasing away the post Covid blues and creating lasting memories for all those involved.

As always, the Committee is extremely grateful to those local businesses which offer sponsorship, and to all those who participate,

enabling support to be given to various local charities each year.

Good Companions

The Landulph Good Companions group is to continue after experiencing difficult times during the Covid pandemic. The next meeting will be held at 2.30pm on Tuesday 18 January next year. New members will be very welcome. It is a friendly club which normally has monthly meetings with a speaker. During the summer months coach trips are arranged.

For information contact Terry Darke 01752 846040

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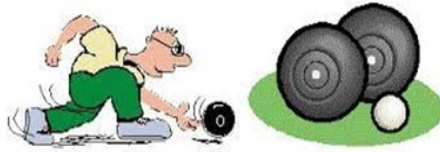
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Callington Food Bank

Christmas can be time when the divide between food 'haves' and 'have nots' is at its most obvious. The Callington Food Bank has thanked Landulph for its support during 2021 and reminds us that the easiest way to donate is via the box in front of Tesco's in Callington. You can find out more about the 'bank' at <https://callington.foodbank.org.uk>. A similar facility exists at Waitrose in Saltash.



Short Mat Bowls Club seeks new members

The Club meets at Landulph Memorial Hall on Wednesdays at 2.00pm and Thursdays at 7.00pm. We welcome anyone wishing to join us, including complete beginners - our friendly Club Members will give help and guidance. All you need are comfortable clothes and soft shoes. The club has bowls (woods) you can use.

The playing season is September to the end of November and January to the end of May for Wednesdays and end of June for Thursdays. There is a weekly fee of £2 per session, with the first three sessions for new members free of charge.

For further information please contact our chairperson Sheila Hosking 01752 846873, secretary Shirley Kitney 01752 846808 or treasurer Ray Oatham 01752 842560.

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Local Christmas Cards – helping *Children in Need*

Instead of popping a Christmas card through your neighbour's door, why not make a donation to The Salvation Army's Charity for *Children in Need*. Since 2006, Cargreen residents have been donating in this way and saving trees by not sending cards.

Last year approx. 35 Cargreen residents participated and raised an amazing £553. Thank you to everyone who contributed to this fund, particularly in these difficult times.

The area we support is Moricetown in Plymouth, where there is a great deal of poverty and the Salvation Army works hard to support all the families, ensuring nobody is forgotten.

If you would like your name added to the list (gift aid forms available),

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Christmas Services in Landulph

We're looking forward to seeing you at our Christmas services this year. While we're aware that some still feel anxious about Covid, and may wear masks and keep distance, a larger number are reassured by their vaccines and boosters, so we hope this year to have 'normal' Christmas worship:

Saturday 18 December 3.00pm

Messy Christmas!

Sunday 19 December 3.00pm

Nine Lessons and Carols

Christmas Day 10.00am

Christmas Praise

Please do come and join with us. It has been a trying 18 months - thank you for your support and patience. On behalf of the Wardens and congregation of St Leonard & St Dilph, we wish you all a very happy (and safe) Christmas, and a normal new year.

Reverend Chris Painter (Rector)

Landulph Copse takes shape

To celebrate the start of National Tree Week our Community Copse Pack was planted at the Searle Memorial Field home of Saltash and Callington Cricket Club with the kind consent of Chairman Toby Beresford Power . We are now registered as part of The Forest for Cornwall a Cornwall Council initiative to increase the tree canopy in the county



A sessile oak is proposed as the Platinum Landmark Tree, to be sited Somewhere behind the war memorial.

Group Travel

Day Trips & Coach Holidays

Enterprise Park, Midway Road, Bodmin, Cornwall PL31 2FQ

Coach Excursions & Tours 2021/2

Early 2022

12th March 2022	Crufts, The Worlds Greatest Dog Show
24th - 29th April 2022	Chester, Liverpool & the Beatles
30th April 2022	Toby's Garden Festival, Powderham
6th May 2022	Steam Train & Kents Cavern
7th May 2022	Badminton Horse Trials
19th May 2022	Cruise the English Riviera
14th June	Agatha Christies Greenway House
18th June 2022	Falmouth Sea Shanty Event & Regatta
29th June 2022	Trebah Gardens & River Cruise
8th - 9th July 2022	Hampton Court & Kew Gardens
16th July 2022	Broomhill Sculptures & Barnstaple
6th August 2022	Taunton Flower Festival

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Mavis Edmonds 1940 – 2021

Those who attended Mavis' funeral heard the story of her busy life, written by herself for the family. She was born at Duchy Home Farm, Stoke Climsland, near Callington. Mavis left school aged 16 and worked on the family farm, but amazingly had played the church organ throughout her life from the age of 13. As a teenager she also immersed herself in organisations including the Methodist Church, a youth club and Landrake Young Farmers Club (YFC). In 1958 at the Royal Cornwall show Mavis was presented to the Queen Mother when she visited the YFC tent. Mavis became secretary and treasurer of YFC while still a youngster: her own biopic says 'whatever organisation I've joined I seem to end up as secretary or treasurer'. After marriage to David in 1962 they moved to the Stockadon area of Landulph. They had two children, Nigel and Nikki.



Mavis immersed herself in their market garden business, local organisations, and developed a deepening fascination with local history. The community owes her enduring gratitude for her treasurership of the Memorial Hall for 28 years, her contributions during 13 years as a parish councillor (five as chairman) during which Caradon District Council appointed her to represent towns and parishes on the new Standards Committee. This all makes her sound like a formidable mover & shaker but those who knew her will carry warm memories of her kind and unassuming personality. Her skills at raising grant aid helped many organisations develop and succeed. Last but not least the newsletter is grateful to her as a founding member and for her several historical articles, eg the February/March 2008 edition carries histories of the Pentillie estate, and of the school war memorial clock.

Could you serve your parish?

Landulph Parish Council needs one more Parish Councillor. Becoming a member of the Council puts you at the heart of Landulph life and gives you an opportunity to make a difference to your local community. It is also the gateway to a number of other organisations or working parties on which the Parish is represented including: road safety, footpaths, playground, climate change and emergency planning.

The prospective Councillor would become a co-opted member of the Council.

To qualify for co-option a prospective Councillor must satisfy one of the following criteria:

- Be registered as a local government elector for the parish
 - Have occupied, in the last 12 months, as owner or tenant, land or premises in the Parish
 - Have had their only or principal place of work in the Parish for the last year
 - Have, during the whole of the last 12 months resided within the Parish or within three miles of it.
 - The applicant must not be debarred from standing as a Councillor.
- Applicants will be invited to the Parish Council meeting on Monday 17 January 2022 at 6.30pm in the main hall of the Landulph Memorial Hall. Anyone interested in the role should get in touch (by Monday 10 January) with the Parish Clerk, Katherine Williams, 6 Rashleigh Avenue, Saltash, PL12 4NS, tel: 01752 240541, email: clerk@landulph.org.uk

Landulph Parish Grant Fund applications

Landulph Parish Council is accepting applications for grant funding - deadline for applications is Monday 11 January 2022, to be discussed at the Parish Council meeting on Monday 17 January 2022.

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Landulph Memorial Hall defibrillator:

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To use you are required to input the code 1111 to unlock, and press the green 'tick' button to open for access.

Cargreen Yacht Club defibrillator

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