

LANDULPH NEWSLETTER



Your guide to what's happening in the area
Issue no.107 October/November 2023

Parish Council September

Public Forum A report of the discussion about the future of the Crooked Spaniards Inn follows this article separately.

There was a question about signs warning of horses on the roads. The Chair noted that these were part of the upgrade being processed by the Highways Department. No dates were available, but surveyors had been seen in our area (Councillor Gawith admitted to being excited by the sight of a man with a theodolite).

The PC were also asked why letters to the PC were not made public (as appears to be the case in Botus Fleming). The response was that the Clerk is meticulous in complying with GDPR. She requires permission from respondents even to release letters to councillors and would only publish if a respondent requested it. The PC has no control over Botus' actions.

Planning The battery storage facility at Elbridge was discussed at length and the report follows separately.

Councillors heard that an appeal against refusal of planning permission for building at Landulph Cross has been dismissed and a barn conversion at Elbridge had been approved.

Pedestrian Walking Route The agenda had got this mixed up. There are two aspects; Firstly, a temporary 20mph speed limit was requested for construction traffic to and from the substation. Secondly councillors had suggested that pedestrian road markings from the school to the Memorial Hall were a good idea. Councillor Worth to investigate.

Governance and Finance Working Group A Safeguarding Policy has been written based on the County framework. This was many pages long, so key points had been extracted and listed at the front. Councillor G Braund would lead. A Whistleblowing Policy was now required with the Clerk as lead. (Note; Do we need a policy for policy writing?)

Climate Action Group See their report elsewhere. Of interest is that Bere Ferrers has seen more visitors along the new Tamar Coast to Coast path. This does not seem to have happened at Cargreen... but then we don't have a pub.

Landulph Orchard Group A new group has been proposed – Friends of LOG. FLOG would act like a PTA does for a school – supporting but with no formal responsibilities. The first fruit trees have now been ordered through an FIPL grant. The group had agreed to ban dogs from the orchard, at least to begin with. No decision has yet been made on how to pay for maintenance costs.

Playing Field The clatter bridge has been repaired and the traversing trees installed, but the contractor has churned the ground up. Councillor P Braund has put grass seed down.

Bus shelter There are proposals and sketch ideas for decoration. These include a bridge scene on the north side, a lane scene on the south side

and a montage of winter/spring/summer/autumn around the inside. The legend 'King Charles III Coronation – 6 May 2023' would be above the entrance. Funding was approved.

AOB Councillor Braund pointed out that 19 October is the 100th anniversary of Landulph school on the current site.

Peter Plume

Spaniards Inn change of use rejected.

Landulph Parish Council voted not to support an application from the owners of the Crooked Spaniards Inn, Mr and Mrs Arnold, to change the use of the site from pub to a private residence. The rejection was made on the grounds that due process had not been followed and that there was no evidence to support the argument that the pub was not viable.

The application proposed no external changes to the building. Internally the building would be divided into a ground floor two-bedroom flat and a first floor three-bedroom holiday let retained and managed by the owners. During the public forum session at this month's Council meeting, Janet Stone pointed out what she described as 'some inaccuracies' in the application. The statements that the site was not in a high flood risk zone, was not in a Conservation Area and that the Yacht Club was a licenced premises were all wrong. She also asserted that the proposal ran counter to both the County and Local Plans.

She suggested that the Parish Council should consider recommending a 'delegated' decision including a site visit by the County Planning Office. She also pointed out that the applicants had not established that the pub was no longer a viable business, and had not complied with the County Council's planning rules by advertising it on the open market for at least nine months. She added that, in claiming there was no support for the pub locally the applicants had ignored the evidence of the Local Housing Needs survey in which 51 per cent of local residents had said they wanted a pub.

In a written comment on the application, the Tamar Valley AONB also noted that the applicants had not presented any evidence to support their assertion that the pub was not viable. Further, they suggested that the viability of the business could be improved by combining facilities and services and introducing complimentary activities at the pub.

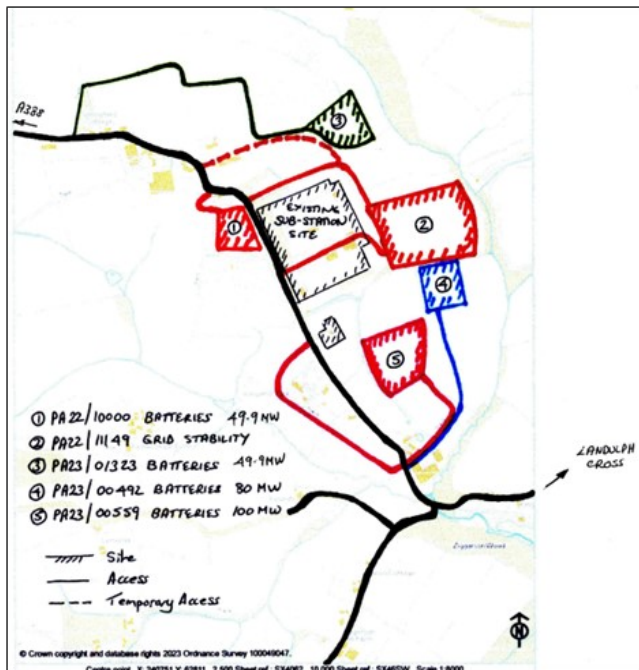
The applicants pointed out they had been paying business rates throughout the closure and no longer felt this was supportable. If the change of use was not approved, they would consider selling the property.

Councillor Tagg declared an interest and took no part in the discussions. The chairman, Councillor Martin Worth abstained. All other councillors voted against.

Peter Plume

Confusion over Elbridge battery storage proposals.

The Landulph Parish Council's Energy Working Group and County planners have met with two of the three parts of National Grid (NG) to discuss developments of battery storage facilities and other works at Elbridge. This is a nationally important project which could have a major impact locally.



There is a detailed report on the meeting on the Parish Council website, but the overall impression is that none of the three parts of NG talk to the others, and only two of the five planning applicants who have proposed battery storage units have talked to the relevant parts of NG. The PC is therefore by default in the best position to co-ordinate and get the parties talking (a position supported by the County).

To summarise, the first battery storage

facility (Number 1 on the diagram) has planning approval and will go ahead. The Grid Stability Facility (Number 2) is approved, but was planned without the knowledge of the National Grid Transmission Group who actually own the field. The Transmission Group want the facility moved sideways anyway but knew nothing about the access road requirements. The remaining three battery sites (3, 4 and 5) have been accepted by the Distribution Group but the Transmission Group cannot connect them until 2036. No-one appears to know about the access roads and not all the landowners appear to have been consulted. The 2036 date for connection is because the battery power will be sent nationwide and major infrastructure works are required at Melksham to allow this. Confused? Join the club.

There has also been a local area energy planning for Cornwall meeting. This was attended by Councillor Tagg, but seemed to avoid discussion on planning and instead focused on whether residents wanted PV cells.

Peter Plume

Landulph School

After a temperamental summer, it was wonderful to welcome both the children and the sunshine (temporarily!) back to school for the start of the new academic year. We are thrilled to extend a welcome to our new Foundation children that have started school for the first time, and any new families that have joined us. We have also welcomed a new member of staff, Mr Finnimore as Class 3 teacher.

Our learning this term is: Class 1 – Where do I live? Class 2 – What is the River Tamar used for? Class 3 – Where do you want to go? Look out for our newsletter on the Parish noticeboard to see what we get up to.

Class 1 has also been learning and retelling the story of the Three Little Pigs as part of their Literacy. They were then able to get creative in Wild Tribe and make their very own pigs!

Class 2 has started learning about the River Tamar and the myth of the Cornish fairy Tamara. The children are planning to do some river exploring this term, which will give them a great opportunity to bring their learning about the River Tamar into life. They have also been learning to play the ukulele as part of their music topic.

Class 3 has also been very creative in its learning, comparing artistic styles across different cultures and creating Maths posters to help them remember their rounding procedure.

If you have a child who is due to start school in 2024,

we would love to welcome you to Landulph to show you our school. We also have a few places in other year groups. If you are interested in finding out what we can offer your child, please contact us to arrange a visit.

Landulph School centenary On the 19th November 2023, Landulph School celebrates the centenary of the school opening on its current site, we will keep you all informed on how we plan to mark the occasion. If you have any memories or photographs to share, we would love to hear from you .

Karen Ball, Headteacher

Under 5s return

Welcome back to all our wonderful pre-school children. We started in September with 11 children on our register which is amazing; a warm welcome to our new starters - we are sure you will have an absolutely brilliant time settling in and making new friends. Another welcome goes



to our newly enlisted committee members- Lisa, Elaine and Jemma! This half term the topic is 'My Family' and our topic story book is 'The Tiger who came to tea'

Some of the ideas the children have been working on for this topic are making cardboard tube families, drawing our own family, creating faces using play dough, reading our topic book and making a paper house craft using family photos.

We recently took delivery of our new mud kitchen which the children have had great fun setting up and playing with. We are lucky to have our undercover outdoor space so the children can still play outside even in our unpredictable weather!

As always, we have some pre-school fundraising events coming up. The first is our Halloween theme party on 31 October - see our poster for more details. We then have a

Bags2school collection on 24 November, so if you are clearing out the summer wardrobe in preparation for winter garments then please



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The committee has kindly been invited to provide refreshments at the Christmas Craft Fair on 25 November, all monies raised from refreshments will go to pre-school, so if you are able, please join us for a cup of tea and slice of cake.

A note was received from Santa and his elves to say that they will be visiting Landulph on 17 December - Save the date. If any local businesses or parishioners are interested in sponsoring the Santa event do get in touch.

Places are still available for two-to five-year olds so if you are interested in booking a viewing please get in touch. Our pre-school leader Claire will be delighted to meet you and answer any queries about the setting and funded places.

Thank you to the community for your continued support and we hope to see you at our events throughout the coming school year.

Jess Howells

Gideon marries Penny (see front cover for wedding photo)

At midday on 2 September 2023, the sun shone and the bells rang out at St Leonard & St Dilpe Church, Landulph, for the first 'Barrett' wedding to take place there in 94 years. According to our family historian, Andrew Barrett, there were 45 weddings prior to this, showing just how big the Barrett family was in Cargreen.

Many of you might have thought that we were already married, but it was just a coincidence that we shared the same surname – no relation – and were in fact Mr and Mrs Barrett but not of each other. So, on this very sunny morning, Mr and Mrs Barrett got married and became - Mr and Mrs Barrett!

You might have been there, you might have seen the camper vans, you might have seen the old wedding cars – *Daisy* and *Mabel*, or heard the bells or the music and singing that went on late into the night... it was a wonderful occasion.

Thank you to everyone for all your good wishes and for those who helped us to celebrate the day. There were many people behind the scenes – thank you too.

We decided to collect for Alzheimer's, rather than have presents, through the Just Giving page [https://www.justgiving.com/page/penny-gideon-barrett-1692263377001?](https://www.justgiving.com/page/penny-gideon-barrett-1692263377001?utm_medium=fundraising&fbclid=IwAR0TUd7_tUML2LtQpabET_bZWGvtFGRY_dHB7FUMogitlpq395BHEVbxMSE)

[utm_medium=fundraising&fbclid=IwAR0TUd7_tUML2LtQpabET_bZWGvtFGRY_dHB7FUMogitlpq395BHEVbxMSE](https://www.justgiving.com/page/penny-gideon-barrett-1692263377001?utm_medium=fundraising&fbclid=IwAR0TUd7_tUML2LtQpabET_bZWGvtFGRY_dHB7FUMogitlpq395BHEVbxMSE). With donations collected

on the night, we raised £1862.94, which is an amazing result – again, Thank You!

Penny Barrett

Landulph and Botus Fleming Churches working together

At present Landulph Church is part of the Tamar Valley Benefice (group of churches) whilst our closest neighbouring Church at Botus Fleming is part of the Saltash Team Benefice. Locally the Church Benefices are being restructured and our Church at Landulph will also become part of the Saltash Benefice.

This presents the opportunity for Landulph and Botus Fleming Churches to work closely together and representatives from both our Parish Church Councils (PCCs) have been meeting over recent months on an informal basis to start planning together. The PCCs want to support and promote each other's activities so many Botus Fleming events and their services are now included in our Diary.

The PCCs will also be entering a joint Landulph/Botus Fleming tree in the Annual Christmas Tree Festival at St Nicholas and St Faith Church in Saltash this year. They invite local people, organisations and the School in Landulph to make decorations for the tree. The theme for these could be anything relating to either parish, the churches, unity between the parishes or just something Christmasy. The set-up day for the trees is the 24 November so the decorations will need to be made before then and if you can help please contact Andrew Barrett on 07724 187042 or via Facebook

Film Club launches winter programme

Challenging, entertaining, thought provoking, gripping; the Film Club's choices for this winter season offer all this and more in a varied line-up of six, often award-winning, films. The club meets on the third Tuesday of each month at the Memorial Hall. The doors will open at 7pm, with the film starting at 7.30pm using the excellent new projector.

This year the price of a season ticket is £30 and includes a free glass of wine/soft drink on arrival. Single screening tickets cost £6 (including wine).

Films

21 November: *The Good liar* (2019)

19 December: *The Green Book* (2018)

20 January: *Barbie* (2023)

February: *Living* (2022)

March: *Oppenheimer* (2023)

April: *Widows* (2018)

The Good Liar - Helen Mirren and Ian McKellen duel hypnotically in this mystery thriller, and the film has such storytelling gusto that you'll overlook bits of implausible silliness.

The Green Book - Mahershala Ali plays a jazz musician who confronts the racism of his driver, played by Viggo Mortensen, in a warm but tentative real-life story with shades of *Driving Miss Daisy*.

Barbie – Don't be mislead! This riotously entertaining romp is no plastic fantastic. It has a serious and slightly unexpected message about the current state of gender politics.

Living – Bill Nighy. The terrible conversation in the hospital consulting room – that final rite of passage – is the starting point for this deeply felt, beautifully acted movie from screenwriter Kazuo Ishiguro and director Oliver Hermanus: a remake of Akira Kurosawa's 1952 film *Ikiru*, or *To Live*.

Oppenheimer - This is billed as a biopic of theoretical physicist J Robert Oppenheimer, dubbed the 'father of the atomic bomb'. But biopic seems too small a word to contain the ambition and scope of Christopher Nolan's formidable film set around the development of the 'doomsday' weapon.

Widows – Director, Steve McQueen delivers an outstanding thriller as a group of women pick up the baton from their deceased criminal husbands.

Handshake Across the Tamar

To build links with our Devon neighbours and share experiences, Landulph Climate Group caught the train from Gunnislake, crossing the Tamar over the Calstock viaduct. With a Groupsave ticket of £3.20 each and free parking, we soon arrived at the lovely old station of Bere Ferrers. We were welcomed by representatives from the Parish Council who showed us the memorial to the ten New Zealand soldiers killed in an accident at the station.

We began our visit by walking a section of the new Coast to Coast path that has brought more visitors to Bere Ferrers. The path took us through familiar fields and reed beds with views of Cargreen. Tired and ready for lunch we met up at The Old Plough for a lovely meal and a lengthy chat sharing ideas about our parishes.

We have so much in common, despite Bere Ferrers being in a different county and a bigger parish as it includes Bere Alston.

They were interested in our nature recovery work. We visited the quay and their spacious recreation ground which includes a tennis court, table tennis table, zip wire, orchard and a loo; lots of ideas for us. After a quick visit to the church (dating back to 1258) it was time to catch the train home. We hope to welcome Bere Ferrers Parish Council in Landulph soon.

A Night at the races

I regret to inform you that this event has been cancelled but will hopefully be rescheduled in the New Year.

Unfortunately several of our key volunteers will not be available for various reasons and the request for assistance in the August/September issue has not materialised. We cannot proceed with this uncertainty. Apologies to all who were looking forward to the event.

John Wright Chair LMH



Beat the October Blues at the Landulph Festival

The Landulph Festival is more than great events with a galaxy of international renowned and locally popular stars each weekend in October; it is an opportunity to meet your friends and make new ones. The Festival Bar opens an hour before each event and throughout the evening. This year in addition to our competitively priced beers and wines, we will be selling cocktails. The art exhibition, with local artists' pictures for sale, is open at all events and at the week-ends from 2pm to 5pm with cream teas on Sunday 8 and 22 October from 2pm to 4pm.

Tickets for some events are selling fast, so if you want to come, please book yours quickly either online at www.landulphfestival.co.uk or by ringing the box office on 078 666 80971. If an event is shown as fully booked online, please send a text with your details to the box office and we will add you to the waiting list.

This year's line up:

- 6 October: ***Murder by Appointment***
an evening of mystery. Dinner included
- 7 October: ***Medical Maelstrom***
a light-hearted cabaret
- 13 October: ***Philippa Mo (violin) & Romano Viazzan (accordion)***
concert with a varied programme of Baroque, Piazzolla and gypsy show pieces
- 14 October: ***Freshly Squeezed***
an exciting funk & soul band guaranteed to get you dancing all night
- 20 October: ***The Stowes*** –
a four-piece Celtic harmony band playing traditional Cornish folk and rousing sea shanties
- 22 October: ***Derek Gow on Bringing Back the Beaver.***
Having started his own sanctuary, Gow recounts the myths, legends, exploitation and reintroduction of this iconic animal.
- 27 October: ***Johnny Cowling***
Cornish comedy and a pasty
- 28 October: ***Barrett's Privateers*** – needs no introduction

Local Christmas Cards

Parishioners who, instead of sending local Christmas cards, subscribed to the Salvation Army charity 'Children in Need' raised a record £630 last year.

If you would like to have your name added or removed, to the list published in the December Newsletter, please let me know.

Sylvia Bedbrook (sylvia.bedbrook@btinternet.com)

Parish Diary October and November 2023

Contact details for organisers of groups

Venues: LMH = Landulph Memorial Hall MHA = Memorial Hall Annexe

PC = Parish Church, CYC = Cargreen Yacht Club, BFC = Botus Fleming Church

Contacts for booking LMH and MHA Landulphhall@gmail.com

Film Club LMH	3 rd Tuesday in winter 7 for 7.30pm John Hall Johnhall1500@gmail.com	01752 841598
Gardening Club LMH	2 nd Tuesday 2.30pm Jen Hambly hambly.wayton@gmail.com	01752 846504
Good Companions	3 rd Tuesday 2.30pm Wilma Oakes	01752 843784
Hopper Shopper from Landulph to Tamar View / Waitrose / B&M / Lidl and return	Every Wednesday. First of six pick up points 11am from LMH, returning from 1pm to as close to your house as possible. Book at least the day before. Return trip costs £3 (cash to driver) —no bus passes. hub@CEPL12.co.uk	01752 848348 / 07916 259263
Hopper Trips run by Community Enterprises PL12	Run by Community Enterprises PL12. For details see www.CEPL12.co.uk. Booking essential. hub@cepl12.co.uk	01752 848348
Lively Ladies LMH	1 st Tuesday 7.30pm Cindy Zimmer cinders696@hotmail.com	01752 842187
Mah Jongg at Annemarie's	Every Wednesday 2.00—5pm Annemarie Nathan annemarienathan@hotmail.com	01752 844127
Mobile Library Coombe Lane	Every 4 th Friday 12.25—12.45 See Mobile Library - Cornwall Council	
Parish Church	Landulph is to become part of the Saltash Benefice, so we are now working closely with Botus Fleming	
Parish Council	3 rd Monday of the month except August, LMH, 6.30pm Details on PC website & village notice board	01752 240541
Post Office	Hatt Post Office open 11am—4pm Mon—Fri	Hatt PO
Purrfect Pilates	Tuesdays 5.45—6.45pm with Chris Juckes, LMH purrfectpilates1@gmail.com	07888 704917

Recycling Collection	Tuesdays fortnightly, next collection on 10 October. Recycling alternates with garden waste collection	03001 234141
Bus Service to/ from Saltash Tuesday 452 Thursday 454	452 8.55 Cargreen Fore St, to Saltash 9.58am 1.45 Lower Fore St Saltash to Cargreen 2.57pm 454 10.45 Cargreen, Fore St to Saltash 11.45am 1.50 Lower Fore St Saltash to Cargreen 2.40pm Full details of local services and connections on https://www.gocornwallbus.co.uk/services#top	
Short Mat Bowls LMH	Wednesdays 2.30pm, Thursdays 7pm 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 morning and afternoon sessions during term time Claire Fry committee@landulphunderfives.co.uk	07718 830149
Village Choir CYC	Thursdays 7.30– 9.00pm Chris Bowman christenebowman@hotmail.co.uk	01752 841573



OCTOBER

Festival events in italics, details on page 10

Sun 1	10am	Landulph Church Harvest Festival Holy Communion Service with Brunch. Donations in aid of the Royal Agricultural Benevolent Institution with a collection of appropriate food items for the Food Bank.	PC
	6.30pm	Evensong, Botus Fleming Church	BFC
Mon 2	9am	Under 5s Monday—Friday during term time	MHA
Tues 3	8.55am 5.45pm	Weekly 452 bus to Saltash (see above) Purrfect Pilates LMH, Tuesdays with Chris Jukes. Lively Ladies are going to Saltash on the Hopper Bus!	LMH
Wed 4	10am 11am 2pm 2.30pm	Taiji meets weekly Weekly Hopper Shopper (see page 11) Mah Jongg meets weekly at Annemarie Nathan's Short Mat Bowls weekly	LMH LMH LMH
Thurs 5	9.45am 10.45am 7.30pm 7pm	Landulph Stay & Play, weekly in term time Weekly 454 bus to Saltash (see above) Cargreen Village Choir meets weekly Short Mat Bowls weekly	MHA CYC LMH

Fri 6	7pm	<i>Murder Mystery evening with dinner</i>	LMH
Sat 7	8pm	<i>Medical Maelstrom, cabaret comedy</i>	LMH
Sun 8	11.15am	Combined Harvest Festival Service for Botus Fleming and Landulph Churches, Botus Fleming Church	BFC
Tues 10	2.30pm	Gardening Club: Clare Woodbine talks on the work of the National Gardens Scheme	LMH
Thurs 12	7pm	Harvest Evensong, Botus Fleming Church	BFC
Fri 13	8pm	<i>Philippa Mo & Romano Viazzani, classical concert, violin and piano accordion</i>	LMH
Sat 14	6pm	Auction of Produce and Mega Pumpkin Competition, Rising Sun Inn	LMH
	8pm	<i>Freshly Squeezed, funk & soul band</i>	
Sun 15	10am	Morning Praise Landulph Church	PC
Tues 17	2.30pm	Good Companions: talk from Sqdn Leader Peter Hearn MBE, Queen's Messenger	LMH
Fri 20	8pm	Mobile Library 12.25—12.45 Coombe Lane <i>The Stowes, folk harmony band</i>	LMH
Sun 22	8pm	<i>Bringing back the Beaver, Derek Gow presentation</i>	LMH
Fri 27	8pm	<i>Johnny Cowling, comedy</i>	LMH
Sat 28	8pm	<i>Barrett's Privateers, folk & shanty group</i>	LMH
Tues 31	3.30pm	Under 5 Halloween Party £4. Book via Facebook page	
NOVEMBER			
Wed 1	10am 2.30pm 2.30pm	Weekly Hopper Shopper (see page 11) Taiji meets weekly Mah Jongg meets weekly at Annemarie Nathan's Short Mat Bowls weekly	LMH LMH LMH
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Sun 5	10am 6.30pm	Holy Communion, Landulph Church. Evensong, Botus Fleming Church	PC BFC
Mon 6	9am	Under 5s Monday—Friday during term time	MHA

Tues 7	8.55am 5.45pm 7.30pm	Weekly 452 bus to Saltash (see above) Purrfect Pilates LMH, Tuesdays with Chris Juckes Lively Ladies	LMH LMH
Sat 11	10.30am	Botus Fleming and Landulph Churches Combined Armistice Day Coffee Morning with two-minute silence at 11am , Botus Fleming Church Hall	
Sun 12	10.45am	Remembrance Day Service, Landulph Church	PC
Tues 14	2.30pm 6pm	Gardening Club: <i>Flowers in the City</i> Newsletter Committee AGM followed by Committee meeting at Allen and Con's house, Penyoke Farmhouse	LMH
Fri 17		Mobile Library 12.25—12.45 Coombe Lane	
Sun 19	10am	Morning Praise, Landulph Church	PC
Tues 21	7 for 7.30pm	Good Companions shopping outing to Truro Film Club: The Good Liar (see p 8) . All welcome. Bar open and soft drinks available from 7pm	LMH
Thurs 23	7pm 7.30pm	Short Mat Bowls, weekly Village Choir meets weekly	LMH CYC
Fri 24		Bags2School collection for Under 5s	
Sat 25	10am-2pm	Christmas Craft and Gift Fayre; lots of stalls and gifts, refreshments provided by Landulph Under 5s	LMH

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100 CLUB WINNERS

August: 1st A Butcher £21, 2nd P Soper £16, 3rd G Braund £12
September: 1st P Braund £21, 2nd J Pearson £16, 3rd S Hassan £12



Landulph Orchard Green (LOG) is the new Parish Council project to create a community orchard and green space near Landulph Church. The Duchy of Cornwall (who own the land) and Marsh Farm (who farm it) have agreed that the community can use two

fields for the project. Initially the project is funded by grants from Farming in Protected Landscapes (FIPL) for the trees and fences, and Tamar Valley ANOB Sustainable Development Fund for a rain-water harvesting system for the trees.

The first field above the church, **Duke Orchard**, will primarily be an orchard containing about 40 apple, pear, plum, damson and nut trees. Planting will start this winter and in time we hope it will look like this. There will be a firm path from Church Lane to a shelter with seating and a lovely view of the church. The grass between the trees will be left long in summer to encourage wild flowers to grow but with mown paths between the trees and additional seating areas.



Plans are in an early stage for the second field, **Duchess Green**. This will contain the rest of the 60 orchard trees from the FIPL grant but also a pond, a grassed meeting space and some wild areas. We've got lots of ideas for this second field but please let Martin Ansell

(martin.ansell@landulph.org.uk) know if you have any suggestions. There will be more information on the Parish Council website and updates in the Parish Council monthly email (contact Clare Tagg at clare.tagg@landulph.org.uk to be added to the list.

Landulph Orchard Green Needs

- Cardboard to be used to mulch the trees
- Large logs to provide some of the seating
- Materials for building the shelter (eg wood, corrugated iron etc)

Please let Martin Worth (martin.worth@landulph.org.uk) know if you can help.

Clare Tagg, Landulph Orchard Green

Cargreen Yacht Club Regatta

Cargreen Yacht Club's annual Regatta took place on Saturday 9 September and Wow... What a fabulous day it turned out to be. The day dawned brightly, and the sun continued to shine all day.

There were 44 boats registered to take part and many of them made it back upriver to join in the fun at the club. Sadly, for many the light winds meant that the racing was a challenge, but that did not deter the crews who all enjoyed the day.

Back at the club, whilst waiting for the boats to arrive, the Club Cadets took part in a mini triathlon, organised by Clarissa Newall. The young people who



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took part did themselves proud, each one receiving a rousing applause as they swam the last leg back to the club causeway. Many of the Cadets helped during the day and special thanks go to Pippa and Hannah Ross, James Gee, Edward-Lee Armstrong and Ruben Newall.

As the boats began arriving there was great excitement with the klaxon going and rousing applause. Once the crews were on dry land, thanks to our three amazing water taxis, the social part of the afternoon began. Our sailing guests and club members were able to enjoy a cold refreshment from the bar and a selection of foods from the menu, all whilst being serenaded by the band Cornish Jam. Clare Tagg spent much of the afternoon diligently calculating the results, from the sailing course set by Richard Barrow and Tony Head. Ross Dyter, Club Commodore, then awarded prizes to the winning crews in each category.

Sadly, the tide turned, and it was soon time for our visitors to leave and we hope that they will return for next year's regatta on Saturday 14 September 2024.

Finally, such an event cannot be successful without the army of volunteers who helped throughout the day from organising the sailing, crewing the water taxis, cooking and serving the food, working the bars, and tidying up - thank you all.

Helene Ansell , CYC Social Secretary.




All welcome, please come along to

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Saturday 25th November


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Old Cargreen's wells and pumps

Before Cargreen was connected to a mains water supply in about 1938, households relied on wells and pumps for their daily needs. The village then was much smaller – imagine it before developments in Coombe Lane, Coombe Drive, Karrek Parc, Hodders Way, and Church Lane. The 1931 census for Landulph had 390 residents, growing to 527 in 2011. In what was then a tight cluster of homes there were a few with their own wells in back gardens, while others relied on publicly accessible taps and pumps.

Life-long village resident Tony Channings (born in 1935) remembers that water from a well in a field which is now in Three Corner Meadow's garden (Andrew & Jo Butcher) was piped downhill to a standpipe & tap at the Fore St/Coombe Lane junction at the top end of the grassy triangle, and to another standpipe at the garage of The Old Post Office (Shirley Wilson). Farther down Fore St in the centre of the village there was a well & pump at the front door of Roseland (Jill Evans). That pump has been removed permanently, refurbished by Pete Plume and will be relocated near the grassy triangle. Another well and pump was situated outside Penyoke Cottage (Mac Armstrong) and the well can still be seen behind a metal grill. There was yet another pump on the gable end of the Old Stores in the short lane to Sammy Sands.

Until mains water reached the village domestic loos coped with bucket & chuck-it if they had river access; others used buckets or Elsan and cesspits. Mains water enabled the installation of flushing loos, underground soil pipes and the discharge of untreated sewage into the river. The modern sewage treatment plant at Coombe was installed in 1992.

It takes no great stretch of the imagination to picture a hard and rather grubby life before the village was connected to mains water, electricity and modern sewage disposal. Pity the poor housewife who had to get all the household's cooking, laundry and washing water from a pump and whose home was lit by candles and paraffin lamps, heated by coal and logs. So, although the restored pump at the grassy triangle no longer issues cool clean water, it may just remind us of our good fortune in the here and now.

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Gardening Club has active year

The South West is a great place to indulge an obsession for plants and gardening. The choosing where to go each year is something I look forward to. In our area we have some exceptional gardens to explore. The Royal Horticultural Society, with its professionalism, is recognised throughout the world, but on a lesser, though equally amazing scale, is the National Garden Scheme under which private gardens are opened and where the entrance fees are donated to charities, such as St. Luke's Hospice. What lies behind the garden gate of ordinary mortals can provide a wonderful small environment to enjoy. There are also the National Trust gardens which are marvellous for their historical insight. The Landulph Gardening Club tries to visit some of this diversity. This year we went to a historic house with woodland, lake and formal areas, two NGS gardens belonging to enthusiasts who used to work for the Duchy of Cornwall Nursery and recently three members' gardens. The latter were very different and interesting, reflecting their owners' personalities and preferences. In September we visited the Hidden Valley Garden in the woods between Lostwithiel and Fowey which was full of late summer colour. If anyone would like to try the Gardening Club, talks for the Winter and Spring begin on Tuesday 10 October at 2.30pm in the Landulph Memorial Hall. The first visit is free. My contact details are in this newsletter should you need them.

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Tractor run raises thousands of pounds

The second Pillaton and local villages Tractor Run was a huge success. Eighty-three tractors left Pillaton on Sunday 5 August in glorious sunshine. The organisers said they were 'blown away' by the numbers who turned up. The road run toured the villages of Harrowbarrow, Landulph, Cargreen and Hatt before returning to Pillaton. We cannot thank the spectators enough for their support along the route and of course the tractor drivers who took part. We have raised a massive £3,163.00 for St. Luke's Hospice.

Chris Billing

Sunday 22 October Landulph Festival talk:

Bringing Back The Beaver Won't be boring. How do I know? Because I heard Derek Gow address a packed Art Centre at Calstock and promptly booked him for our Festival. Why? Because he has converted his farm to a sanctuary/nursery for endangered species and may just inspire you with his ecological convictions. His talk about beavers takes us back to ancient times, complete with myths, legends, exploitation, taxation, extinction and eventual reintroduction. What else? This article in 'The New Yorker' lifts the lid on his many other projects so come along with your questions and enjoy a chat with our guest speaker.

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As a result, - the Newsletter Group has felt it prudent to ask our readers to come to our aid.

We are not asking for large sums but donations of anything from a few pounds upwards will help us to keep going through difficult financial times. You can donate by putting cash or cheques into the secure post box at 3 Hodders Way or electronically to Landulph Parish Newsletter Steering Group account at HSBC, account number 51408976, Sort Code 40-40-15, reference 'donations'.

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Armistice Day Saturday 11 November : The Cargreen Choir have been invited to lead the singing at the combined church Coffee morning at 10.30am at Botus Fleming Church Hall - 'Two Minutes' silence 11.00am

CHRISTMAS CAROLS AND SERVICES

Monday 11 December, 6pm Carols in Pentillie Courtyard - Cargreen Choir in support of Saltash Food Bank
Thursday 14 December, Carols on the Quay, Cargreen
Sunday 17 December 10am Landulph Church, Combined Landulph and Botus Fleming Morning Praise and Carol Service
Tuesday 19 and Wednesday 20 December, meet at Botus Fleming Church at 6.30pm for Carol Singing around Botus Fleming / Hatt
Sunday 24 December, 10am Landulph Church, Christmas Eve Holy Communion Service
Sunday 24 December, 7pm Botus Fleming Church Carol Service.
Monday 25 December 11.15am Botus Fleming Church, Holy Communion.

Life Saving Automatic Defibrillators

There are two defibrillators located within our parish, both for public use in an emergency.

1. Landulph Memorial Hall in Fore Street
2. Cargreen Yacht Club, Coombe Lane.

Landulph Memorial Hall defibrillator:

Located adjacent to front doors

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

Located on the front wall of the building before you reach the front doors.

This unit is left unlocked, and so no unlock code is required.

Please remember in the event that you may need to use one of the above units, that in a cardiac arrest situation: **continuous CPR is essential while someone else goes to obtain the defibrillator.**

Newsletter Annual Meeting 2023 : members of the public are invited to attend at 6.00pm on Tuesday 14 November at Penyoke Farm-house, Penyoke Lane, Cargreen.

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Wedding Preview

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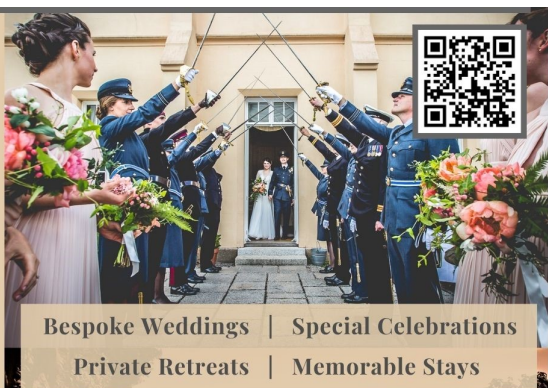
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Carols in the Courtyard

Monday 11th December 2023, 6pm

In support of the local Foodbank, join the Cargreen Choir for an evening of Christmas carols and winter refreshments.

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