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Editorial by Sarah

"Ohhh, I did the puzzle page, I do it every time, I really enjoy it!" Right, so why didn't you send it in, what part of £10 to spend up at Wainhouse Stores do vou find offensive? I must hear this conversation every edition we produce, and it totally puzzles me (excuse the pun!) This is not just a moan that the puzzle page is not supported, poor old Mike Clay who enters every time ends up feeling really guilty! It's the feeling we sometimes get that we are slaving (yes..slaving) away to produce the Journal and it's just going into a big black hole. Some editions we have to remove the Letters Page because we haven't received any; any appeal we put into the Journal we do with a bit of a sigh, because we just know the response. Please don't think I'm berating this village in particular, I think it is a sad reflection on modern life that everyone is busy busy and sometimes you look at something and think "Oh yes. I must get round to that" and time goes on and then it's too late, this is from personal experience! However, it would be nice if this year we could really try to go that extra mile, probably not a mile to be honest, that sounds exhausting, but just do that little bit to add to the community. How many times do you think, "Nothing ever goes on around here?" Well, scratch the surface, look at the Events Page in here; there is plenty going on, manned by people who would love to see a new face and just get that boost to their flagging energy, knowing that someone is acknowledging their effort. So pick that pen up, yes YOU and get that Puzzle Page done...baby steps!!

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The Parish Council meets in the Parish Hall on the 1st Tuesday of every month (except for August). Meetings commence at 7.30 pm. Members of the Public are welcome to attend but any items for inclusion on the Agenda should be submitted to the Parish Clerk at least 10 days before the meeting. There is an opportunity to raise questions at the beginning and end of the Council meeting but questions (and answers) raised at these times are not recorded in the Minutes. Agenda and Minutes of previous meetings on the village website **www.jacobstowvillage.co.uk**

<u>Editor's Note</u> The report on each month's Parish Council Meeting is a summary prepared by the Parish Clerk. <u>We have omitted certain minor items for brevity</u> but a full version of the Minutes is displayed on the Parish Hall Notice Board (after formal approval) at the following month's Parish Council meeting.

Summary of Minutes of Meeting held on 7th February, 2017 Cllr. Norman Osborne chaired the monthly meeting with three Councillors, County Cllr Nicky Chopak and three members of the public attending.

Information received in respect of the forthcoming Unitary, Town & Parish Elections due to be held on 4th May, 2017

Regarding Donations it was unanimously decided to give the usual amount of £150 each to Jacobstow Church and Eden Graveyard Fund. Also to various charities: Cornwall Air Ambulance £200, Children's Hospice SW £200 and Bude Memory Café £50.

Planning Application PA17/00229 – Mr & Mrs Smith – Application for removal of Condition 2 of Application Ref No 2006/00550 (occupancy condition) – Land South of Cottage Barn, Jacobstow. – Reply saying Councillors do not support this Application.

Planning Application PA17/94471 – Mr & Mrs Jones – Honeys Meadow, Jacobstow – Renewal of planning permission for verandah. Clerk to reply saying Councillors have no objection to this application.



Nicky Chopak, your County Councillor contact details mobile no: 07810 302061 Email: nickychopak@gmail.com. Mail: The Post House, Tresmeer, Launceston, PL15 8QU Summary of Minutes of Meeting held on 7th March 2017

Cllr Charmaine Smith chaired the monthly meeting of the Parish Council with four Councillors, County Cllr Nicky Chopak and three members of the Public attending.

The Meeting began with the Annual Parish Meeting for which there were two Speakers, Cllr. Nicky Chopak and Mrs. Hilary Workman. The third Speaker, Mrs Sue Russell was unable to attend so the Annual Report on Jacobstow School was read by the Chairperson Cllr.Smith.

Cllr Smith thanked the Speakers for their talks after which tea & biscuits were served. This was followed by the monthly Council Meeting.

Correspondence read regarding the Local Footpaths Maintenance.

The Local MP Scott Mann will be attending the next Council Meeting on the 4th April, 2017.

Planning Application PA17/01598 –Ms J Marriott – Demolition of existing outbuildings and construction of new extension, Langdon Hill Cottage, Canworthy Water, Launceston- Reply to Cornwall Council saying Councillors support this Application.

Your MP Scott Mann is attending YOUR Parish Council

meeting on Tuesday 4th April 7.30, Jacobstow Parish Hall. Come along, meet him and bring up any burning issues you may have.



I was delighted to join my neighbouring MP Geoffrey Cox to meet with farmers from Devon and Cornwall recently for a Q&A session on agriculture and Brexit. Understandably, this is a challenging time for farmers and it's important that local MPs including Geoffrey and I take feedback from farmers to give to the ministers and provide assurances wherever we can. Farming is one of three Brexit priorities for me as North Cornwall's MP, the others being fishing and regional funding. The EU's one-size-fits-all Common Agricultural Policy has hindered farmers and I am lobbying for a domestic policy for both farming and fishing which puts Britain first and promotes our fantastic produce.

In Parliament I recently took part in debate and scrutiny of the Bus Services Bill, which will pave the way for Cornwall getting a much better bus network. The Bill will introduce new partnerships for local authorities and bus companies, as well as an option for local authorities to have franchising powers if they need them. The Cornwall Devolution Deal includes these same franchising powers, and by the mere fact of Cornwall being given the permission to use them, we are seeing better cooperation between Cornwall Council and bus companies. It has been hard to deliver quality public transport in rural North Cornwall, and I'm looking forward to seeing the contents of this Bill coming to fruition on the ground to provide better services for us all.

Surgeries : Launceston Royal British Legion Friday 31st March 1-3pm

Bude Parkhouse Friday 21st April 10am to 12pm

01208 74337 to book which is recommended; drop in is first come first served.



Jacobstow Neighbourhood Watch

FLY TIPPING

The Parish Council is concerned at the amount of rubbish being dumped in the area. Vodka bottles and Red Bull cans litter the roadsides. In the last year two of the three journalists for the Journal have seen a washing machine (in a field gateway) and a TV set on the roadside heading to Wainhouse. Fly tipping is a crime.

You can be fined up to £50,000 or get 12 months in jail. Personally I think Fly Tippers should be made to eat fly sandwiches! Joking aside, we ask the public to be vigilant and report any suspicious behaviour to Neighbourhood Watch.



Any urgent information will be posted on the Jacobstow Village Facebook page; don't worry if you do not use Facebook, go to the Jacobstow Village web page and follow the link from there

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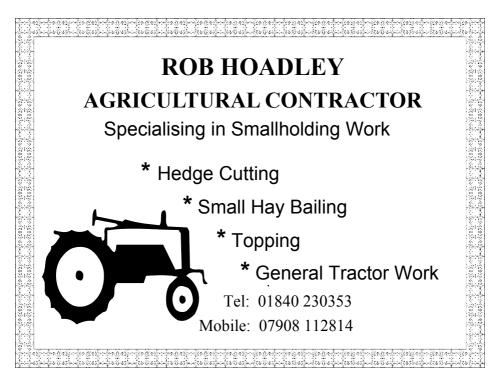
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WIDEMOUTH SHEPHERD



Daniel Heard lives in Widemouth with his fiance and baby daughter. He works as a shepherd, renting land to keep his sheep at The Wier. He also does contract work as a shepherd for two other farms in the area. Dan did not come from a farming family and on leaving school he did a sports diploma. However, he as worked on farms all his life and always kept Border Collies. Dan is

dedicated to his work and is keen to keep the lost art of shepherding alive. A good collie can command the same price as a quad bike but is capable of doing the work of five men. At present Dan has two dogs, Nell and Tan. Dan spoke to me about his work training his dogs. He explained that it takes about three to four years to get the dog really well trained, using the phrase "A year under each paw" as roughly what is needed! A puppy is usually introduced to sheep at about five months. Border Collies are extremely intelligent and have a natural herding instinct.



Interestingly, unlike other breeds, food is not used as a reward when training - the reward is allowing the dog to work the sheep. The dog is eager to please. The commands are given using word and whistle. The whistle can be heard across four or five fields. Dan uses a shepherd's whistle (shown in the photo) which is flat and rests on the tongue. It can take up to four months to be able to get a sound from it. Dan learned a lot about training border collies from David Henderson who represents the England sheep trialling team world wide. Daniel does not breed his dogs specifically for others but in order to bring on younger dogs to work with. He keeps two from the litter, a dog and bitch and any others go to approved homes.



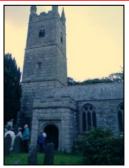
Dan currently does not take dogs in for training but will work with a dog and its owner, doing regular training sessions. In the future he plans to do residential courses at The Wier. He is also going to be doing shepherding demonstrations in the Easter holidays at The Wier, using runner ducks! Dan is working on a website which should be up and running soon. He will be competing in Belgium later this year with his two year old dog, Tan.

TIMES OF CHURCH AND CHAPEL SERVICES

April

May

- 2nd Evensong 6.30
 9th Morning Prayer 9.30
 16th Easter Sunday 9.30 HC
 23rd Holy Communion 9.30
 30th UBS 10.30 St Gennys
- 7th Evensong 6.30 14th Morning Prayer 21st UBS 10.30 Whitstone 28th 9.30 Holy Communion



Jacobstow Church



Eden Chapel

Services on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month at **5pm**. Refreshments provided afterwards. Young at Heart 1st and 3rd Tuesday each month 1.30-3pm Contact Alison 781418



Canworthy Water Chapel Sunday Services 11am Rev Doreen 01566 781854



Dimma Chapel For full details Please contact Audrey Wicket 01840 230268

Coast Church Family Church Sunday Services 11am Jacobstow Village Hall Come and join us, all are welcome. Non-denominational



CHURCH AND CHAPEL NEWS & EVENTS

Fundraising Project for Jacobstow's History



The church has a pair of oil paintings of angels, one either side the altar but the artist has long been forgotten, until we decided to try and restore them and an application to Historic Churches Trust discovered this: The artist was Anne Batchelor who was born in Jacobstow whilst her father was rector here. She

was born in 1876 and was one of 15 children. Her father, Frederick Batchelor married Charlotte Trelawny of Calstock in 1855 and it would seem to have been a love match because when Charlotte died in 1894 she was buried at Jacobstow next to the priest's door so that Frederick could talk to her as he went into church. Her grave, marked with a large stone cross is still there beside the priest's door up the little flight of steps on the south side of the church. I think this is a beautiful love story and it's part of Jacobstow's history. As for the artist, Anne, by 1901 she had moved to Stratton and soon afterwards emigrated to British Columbia, Canada where her brother was living. She taught art in Vancouver and died in 1963 in her 96th year. Her obituary tells us she was a 'Christian Science Healer'.

The money to restore the paintings is proving hard to raise and we were on the point of giving up and throwing them away when we discovered this. Now we will redouble our efforts to save them as they prove to be a part of Jacobstow's story. On the churches Gift Aid Day in June we will also be fund raising for the picture restoration and hope to raise £1,000 of the £3,000 we still need.

	1st	2nd	3rd
January	Mrs A Connell	Mrs F Franklyn	Mr W Renshaw
February	Mr D Addey	Mr J Cobbledick	Mr K Shelley

Church Lottery Results

Food Assembly in Jacobstow



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THE UNIVERSITY OF THE THIRD AGE

This concept started in France in the 70's, it is based on our 'third age' when people are free to get together to follow interests for which they may previously not have had the time. Members with similar interests meet in small groups, either in members' homes or some other suitable venue. Study groups are relaxed and non-competive, and can often create new friendships. Requests for new groups are always welcome and if a group is full another one can be formed. Bude and District U3A holds 10 open monthly meetings a year with a speaker. These are held at 2.30 at the Parkhouse Centre, Bude on the 3rd Thursday of every month except October and December. The open meetings are free and include refreshments. Visitors are welcome to come along to a meeting and see what we do and to decide whether they would like to join us.

For information about their programme of speakers at the open monthly meetings please look at the Diary page on the website www.budeu3a.co.uk or in the folder in Bude Library. Annual membership is currently $\pounds 20.00$.



Quiz Night

Another successful quiz night was held in February, and a total of £355 was raised for the Parish Hall fund.



Bob's Gardening Spot

If you grow vegetables they should be sown in small amounts every few weeks, that way you obtain a nice regular supply and avoid the dreaded glut!. You can get summer and autumn peas, cabbage and other veg crops; just have a look at your seed catalogues. Plant main crop potatoes and earth up your earlies so you keep the sun off the spuds. Pot up strawberries and put them in the warm for an early crop. If you want to plant a fruit tree, buy one in a pot because bare rooted ones will have problems growing and settling in.

May is the best month to sow runner and french beans outside. I sow climbing french beans, they are slower to crop, but they produce beans over a longer period.

Don't forget to cut and feed your lawn, you could also apply a weed killer but be careful to be aware of moss. If you kill it off you might be left with bare ground. If you have any questions or queries you can contact me through The Journal or just leave me a note up at Wainhouse Stores.

Happy Gardening











We were really lucky with the weather for our weekend camp at the end of July with sunshine on both the Saturday and Sunday. It was a great weekend

with the girls arriving on the Friday evening and setting up camp. We then joined the Sea Cadets who were camping in a different field for their final night camp fire, joining in with our favourite camp fire songs. We finished the evening by joining them for some hot chocolate before returning to our own field and getting in our tents for the night.



On the Saturday we had an action packed day with Adventure International in Bude, spending the morning on their high ropes course and the afternoon canoeing, which ended with everyone getting very wet



in the canal. We then spent a chilled evening on the beach watching the sun set.

On the Sunday morning, we took down all the tents, played some games, made pizzas for lunch before having fun on a slip and slide. Then it was time for all to go home, feeling tired but having had a great weekend with friends both old and new.



The Scout Group have been working towards getting the chef's badge so they have been cooking a 3 course meal. Starters included soup, prawn cocktails and garlic bread. Mains were roasts, pasta and rice dishes and desserts were mousses, pavlovas, cakes and crumbles. They also took part in the annual district night hike, the Camel Run on 4th March, hosted by Wadebridge Scout Group, walking 12 miles in the dark and completing it in 7 hours! Along the way they had to achieve challenges like making a stretcher to carry a member of the team, light a fire and tie a team reef knot

stretcher to carry a member of the team, light a fire and tie a team reef knot as well as crack a code. A huge thank you to both teams and to the parents who walked with them.

Robert Medland, Assistant Scout Leader. Contact details at back of Journal.

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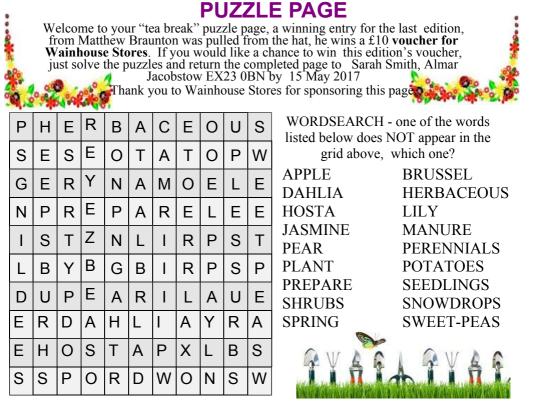
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A SLIGHT ERROR

An English lady of title, who was suffering from a nervous breakdown, having been recommended to stay in a small German village in the mountains, went there to inquire about lodgings and knowing no German, secured the assistance of the local schoolmaster who had a smattering of English. Securing what she wanted, she returned home to make all arrangements. She then remembered she had omitted to enquire whether or not there was a W.C. attached to the house. She wrote therefore, to the schoolmaster for full particulars as to the W.C. but as he had never heard of the abbreviation and did not know its meaning, he consulted the local pastor who also knew a little English. He came to the conclusion that the lady was a devout churchgoer and wished to know where the Wesleyan Church was situated and so wrote



the following letter:

The W.C. is situated about 7 miles from your lodgings in the centre of a pine forest, 'midst lovely surroundings and open on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. It is unfortunate for you if you are in the habit of going regularly but you will no doubt be glad to hear that a number take their lunch and make a day of it. Others who cannot spare the time go by car and arrive just in time. As there are many visitors during the summer, I would advise you to go early. The accommodation is good and there are 80 seats, but should you at any time be late there is plenty of standing room. The bell will

ring about 20 minutes before the W.C. is opened. I should especially advise your Ladyship to pay a visit on Thursdays as on that day there is an organ accompaniment. The acoustics on the premises are excellent and even the most delicate sounds are audible. Hymn sheets are provided at the door. My wife and I have not been for 8 months and it pains us greatly but it is such a long way off. I shall be delighted to reserve the best seat for your Ladyship and have the honour of taking you.

Yours faithfully Cannon Fodder

St Piran's Day Lunch

This year was the 3rd pasty lunch the church has held to celebrate St Piran's Day, so I suppose it is now a tradition. 32 people came to enjoy a lunch of pasty with salad and puddings in the Parish Hall There were



plenty of puddings to enjoy, both hot and cold so most people got at least 3rd's! Rob Dickenson said grace and Maureen Chambers did her best with a welcome in Cornish for us. It was a great opportunity for us all to meet together and celebrate our love of Cornwall. Thank you to those who supported the lunch and see you all next year!

ART & CRAFT GROUP

We meet at the Parish Hall on every other Tuesday throughout the winter at 2pm. We would welcome new members; please feel free to bring your own craft work or just come along and we can help you to start something new. There will be a special event on Tuesday 11th April when we will have a felting day, 10.30 am - 4pm run by Mary Carter. To book for this and get further details please ring Jeanne on 230113. We are also starting outdoor sketching. These are the proposed dates and venues on the following Tuesdays:

- 25th April, St Gennys' Church. Meet in parking place.
- 9th May, Davidstow old airfield: meet at the main runway.
- 23rd May, Widemouth Bay: meet at parking area 200 yards below Widemouth Manor on the Bude road.
- 6th June at High Cliff: meet at the layby on the road marked High Cliff off the Boscastle road,
- 20th June at Warbstow Church: and Downinny meet outside the church area, (parking limited but we can do car sharing.)

If the weather is a bit precarious the venue may be rearranged to include members' gardens or local churches.

The Bridge Mill will be open for National Mills Week

Sunday 14th May 11am to 4pm

This year we celebrate the 20th anniversary of opening for National Mills Week and are planning a day of special events:

Mill grinding, plant sale, local crafts, tombola, books, slide show of mill restoration, lake and riverside walks through wildflower meadows, refreshments served all day £3 per adult 50p per child.





We have decided to change the diary format, lisitng events instead of the diary format. What do you think? If you have any comments or things you would like included please get in touch.

Re	gular Events In the Parish hall unless stated otherwise
Monday	Cubs 6.30 - 8.00 Scout Hall Wainhouse Corner
Tuesday	Scouts 6.30 - 8.00 Scout Hall Guides 5.30
Wednesday	Beavers 6.00 - 7.00 Scout Hall
Sunday	Coast Family Church 10.30
	Tuesday of the month Young at Heart - Eden Chapel 1.30 of month Parish Council 7.30
2^{nd} and 4^{th}	Tuesday Arts and Crafts Club 2.00 - 4.00
2 nd Thursda	y of month WI 7.30
2^{nd} and 4^{th}	Thursday of month (recycling weeks) Coffee Club 10.30
1 st Friday o	f the month Walking Club Parish Hall car park 10am

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Friday 4th April - BIG BREAKFAST - 9.30-2pm - £6.50 - in aid of Hall funds Thursday 4 May - Local Elections - 7.30 - 10pm Saturday 6th May WI Coffee Morning in aid of Air Ambulance

AND a bit further away

Warbstow Monday Club fortnightly 1.30-3.30 - Eve Thain :01566781452 Darts, Carpet Bowls,Scrabble etc or just a cuppa and a chat Badminton - Tuesday - 8 - 10 Neil : 01566781279 Otterham Hall Juliotter Garden Club 7.30 4th Tuesday - Pat Thorn : 01840261237 Happy Crafters - 1.30 - 3.30 2nd and 4th Thursday

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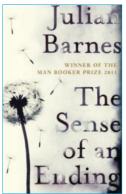
The Jacobstow Amblers have secured a grant to upgrade the footpath network. You can help by shopping in Tesco and asking for a token and putting it into our designated box. We have until 29th of April. The most votes win £5000, 2nd £2000 and last £1000.



CANWORTHY BOOK CLUB

The Light Years by Elizabeth Jane Howard

In 1937, the coming war is only a distant cloud on Britain's horizon. As the Cazalet households prepare for their summer pilgrimage to the family estate in Sussex, readers meet Edward, in love with but by no means faithful to his wife Villy;



Hugh, wounded in the Great War; Rupert, who worships his lovely child-bride Zoe; and Rachel, the spinster sister.

Most agreed it was a good read but some found it dull.

The Sense of an Ending by Julian Barnes

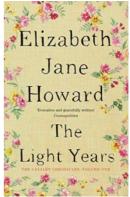
of an with obsessive guilt and rather self pitying.

Interesting twist at the end.

Mobile Library - Enquiries phone 0800 0322345 or 01872 272702 The Mobile Library Service stops at Canworthy Water monthly on a Wednesday from 11-11.15am.

The Wainhouse Inn - the Pub is the Hub has a good Library of books supplied from Truro. Enter by backdoor to avoid drinkers!!

Note that **Bude Library** will be closed on Tuesday and Friday





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WEATHERWISE BY Monitor

January was a fairly normal winter month, with a wide mix of weather here in North Cornwall. A severe frost was recorded at Canworthy Water on the 3^{rd} , - 6°C overnight and still - 5° at 10 o'clock that morning. This has not been observed in

recent years. Many days were quite mild however, with extensive hill fog on many occasions with 12°C by early afternoon on the 7th and again on the 29th. No severe gales were of note, and the only really wet day was on the 12th, 0.89" collected. The total amount for the month was 2.74", and this amount was about 30% of what one would expect for January locally.

Persistent high pressure to the south-west of the UK kept most of the bad weather away from us, but early February saw a windy and wet start, gusts of up to 43 mph were recorded in the garden here, with extensive rain over the 2nd and 3rd, (1.26" in 24 hours) resulting in the Ottery breaking it's banks somewhat. A total of 3.42" was collected for the month, which finished with a local thunderstorm with small hail around mid-day. Of note this year, was the persistence of easterly winds, sometimes for days on end.

Storm "Doris" (23rd) did not trouble us much, but the narrow wind-field through the middle of the UK saw storm force 10 inland for a while. I noted 70mph gusts even in the London area during the afternoon. Winter closes and Spring arrives!

Date	7 April	14 April	21 April	28 April	5 May	12 May	19 May	26 May	2 June
AM	3.14	7.59	0.53	7.21	1.38	7.01	11.50	18.38	***
PM	15.50	20.14	13.37	19.42	14.26	19.17	***	6.14	12.35
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HIGH TIDES and SUNSET - April and May 2017





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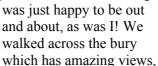
Next walks: Friday 7th April and Friday 5th May 10am Parish Hall Meet . Phone Mary: 01840 230656



On Friday 3rd March, just Sue, Jeanne and myself did the walk as unfortunately Mary and Anne were both ill. We met at Sue's house in Canworthy Water and drove for two minutes up the hill to Warbstow Bury car park. It was a bright and breezy day and it was good to be out

in the countryside after all the rain. Warbstow Bury is one of the

largest and best preserved hillforts in the county. It is not the most well known of Cornwall's ancient monuments, simply because it is "off the beaten track" in the "little known parish of Warbstow."The great British public's loss is our gain! Sue and Jeanne had brought their dogs. Jeanne's border collie spent most of the walk fetching his ball whilst Sue's dog







being so high up. In the Second World War Warbstow Home Guard had two sentry boxes where they could watch over the landscape for enemy aircraft, with views as far as Plymouth and Wales. Our walk took us on to the road where we walked for a little while heading for Warbstow

Church. Then through the pretty churchyard, on the road again briefly and through fields via footpaths back to our starting point.



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Happy Easter Baking!

Easter Biscuits

Ingredients makes 30 175g Stork, diced 50g golden caster sugar 50g icing sugar 1 medium egg Half tsp ground mixed spice 300g plain flour, plus extra for rolling Coloured icing and sprinkles, to decorate

Method



1. Preheat the oven to 180°C, gas mark 4. Beat together the Stork and both sugars until creamy, then mix in the egg. Add the spice and flour and mix to make a firm dough. 2. Roll out the dough on a lightly floured surface to a thickness of 2-3 mm and stamp out biscuits using Easter cookie cutters. Transfer to baking sheets that have been lined with nonstick parchment and bake for 8-10 minutes until pale golden. Leave to cool on the tray for 1–2 minutes, then transfer to a wire rack and leave to cool completely.

3. Decorate the biscuits with coloured icing and dust with a few sprinkles. Leave to set.

then store in an airtight container until ready to eat.



Wooly Lamb Cupcakes **Ingredients** - makes 12 For the cake 150g unsalted butter, softened 150g caster sugar 175g self raising flour 3 eggs, beaten 1 tsp vanilla extract

To decorate: 50g Greek yoghurt

175g icing sugar, plus extra for dusting

¹/₂ x 130g pack black food colouring (from a four-colour pack of ready-to-roll icing) Method

Preheat the oven to 180°C, gas mark 4. Line a 12-section tartlet tray with paper cake cases. Put the cake ingredients in a bowl and beat with a hand-held electric whisk until pale and creamy. Divide among the cake cases and bake for about 15-18 minutes until risen and just firm to the touch. Transfer to a wire rack to cool. (You might have enough mixture to make about 4 extra cakes.) To decorate, beat the yogurt and icing sugar until smooth. Pack into one corner of a small, new plastic food bag and snip off the merest tip so the icing can be piped in a thin line. (Alternatively, use a piping bag.) Pipe squiggly lines all over the cupcakes. Using your fingers, dusted with icing sugar, mould the black icing into oval shapes and press gently onto the cakes. Shape little ears and push into the icing on either side. Pipe eves using white icing and position little balls of black icing for the centres. Use a knife to mark a little mouth on each to finish.

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KIDS' PAGE

Most of you will have heard of Rory Graham, the 32 year old singer better known as Rag'n'Bone Man, who wrote and performed the song "Human." However almost all the young people I have spoken to have no idea what a Rag & Bone Man actually is.

A rag and bone man collects unwanted household items and sells them to local traders. In the 1800's they were usually men who had fallen on hard times who

scavenged unwanted rags,



bones, metal and other waste from the towns, carrying their load in a bag on their backs.

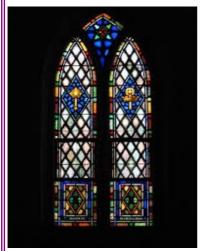
By the 1950's work had improved and rag and bone men used hand carts or a pony and cart to go round the streets calling on houses to collect unwanted items -rags, furs, shoes, scrap car parts and furniture. By the 1970's most rag & bone men had moved into the scrap metal trade and by the 1980's were mostly gone.

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JACOBSTOW WI

In February, Mary Philips gave a most entertaining and inspiring talk about her tractor rides for charity, filled with stories of what happened along the way and the people she met. Our AGM was held in March, combined with a members' evening.

Once again we are entering the Royal Cornwall Show (8-10 June) and we are organising the WI Competition at this year's Holsworthy and Stratton Show, to be held on 24th August, with the theme "The Seasons".

In support of the Cornwall Air Ambulance's 30th Anniversary we will be

holding a Coffee Morning in the Parish Hall on Saturday 6th May (see Flyer for details) so please come along to help us raise funds for this vital service.

Our next meetings:

13th April AbbieAnne Searle, a Textile Artist who describes herself as a Patchwork & Quilting Nut, Teacher, Speaker and Author will be giving a talk/demonstration. This will be an Open Meeting - **ALL WELCOME**. £3 including refreshments so do come and join us for what promises to be a fun evening.

11th May will be a members evening.

The WI always welcomes new members and if you are interested in joining why not come along to a meeting at Jacobstow Parish Hall or

contact the President, Mrs Jill Baker 01840 239829. We meet on 2^{nd} Thursday of each month at 7.30pm and you can be sure of a warm welcome.



An Evening of Spring Music

An enjoyable hour was spent listening to choir music and some very impressive solo performances too. All rounded off by a substantial supper in the village hall. A resounding success, and funds raised for the church, win win!.

CHSW - Over 25 years caring for short and precious lives.



Last year Children's Hospice South West celebrated the 25th anniversary of the very first Children's Hospice being opened in the South West. It was the brain child of Eddie Farwell who had two children, Katie and Tom, born with a rare genetic illness – Sanfilippo syndrome. The children did not develop normally and slept for only three hours a night. It took a very long time to achieve a diagnosis but that's when Eddie and his wife Jill realised that their children would only live to the age of 10 or 20 years.

Caring for their two very sick children was exhausting both physically and emotionally because they had virtually no help and advice from local health

professionals. Eventually, in 1984, they were told about the opening of St Helen's House in Oxford, the first children's hospice in the world.

This was a life-line for the family and Eddie and Jill, with their third child Lizzy – who was born without the syndrome – would travel four to five weeks of the year from Devon to Oxford for much-needed support and respite. The journey back and forth did, however, take a toll on the family, until one night Eddie suddenly "...sat bolt upright in bed" and said, "We should build a hospice for children in the South West."

With absolutely no experience of fund raising, nor of setting about such an enterprise, Eddie gathered a few friends together and organised the charity. Despite the hardships of Katie dying in 1991, aged 11 and Jill undergoing treatment for breast cancer, the couple persevered and opened their first hospice, Little Bridge House in Fremington, North Devon.

The hospice was soon catering for more families than the accommodation provided, so Eddie set about raising money for a second. This was Charlton Farm, just outside Bristol. It was opened in 1995 and was converted from old farm buildings and barns.

Now Eddie made his vow that no child in the South West, with a life-limiting illness, would be more than 90 minutes from expert palliative care and he set about raising money for his third hospice, in Cornwall. Little Harbour, at Porthpean, St Austell, our closest children's hospice, was opened in 2011. Its beautiful site above St Austell Bay was a farmer's field and was donated free. BBC Radio Cornwall raised nearly £400,000 and local Friends Groups were set up to carry out a variety of money raising activities.

The Friends Groups eagerly awaited an official opening, which came in 2013 when the Duchess of Cornwall visited and unveiled the commemorative plaque, together with one of the young men who used the facilities. The Duchess, who has since agreed to become Patron of CHSW, commented on what a happy place she had found Little Harbour to be. Contrary to many people's perceptions of a



Little Harbour . St Austell

hospice being a place of death and suffering, the dedicated staff at Little Harbour do all they can to make the short lives of the children who visit and stay there as active and fun-loving as their condition allows. Some of the facilities available are: a games room, a heated pool and Jacuzzi, messy play area, a kitchen for learning to cook and bake and, for those with visual and auditory conditions, there is a

multi-sensory room. Some very poorly children, without

respite care at Little Harbour, would have no option but to spend most of their time at home in bed or in their bedroom, their own homes and conditions not allowing for greater flexibility. A short stay in the hospice allows them to socialise with other children, to play, to go on trips to the beach, to float in the pool and to have one-to-one expert care and attention. It also allows parents and siblings to have some respite - the freedom to go out and enjoy themselves as an ordinary family, whilst secure in the knowledge that their poorly child is safe and secure. Now all three hospices are up and running, the fund raising still goes on. CHSW is financed almost entirely by donations and money raising activities. People bake and sell produce, open their gardens to visitors, have afternoon teas, dress up and take part in marathons and hundreds of shops, restaurants, clubs and pubs have collection tins at their point of sale. Sanders Garage, at Wainhouse Corner has a collection tin and Lisa has taken part in a Midnight Memory walk, so please support her. Many local celebrities also get involved - Rick Stein offers a charity menu for a number of weeks every year at his Seafood Restaurant. The Fisherman's Friends have donated their fee for a local performance and allow collections at their gatherings on the beach in Port Isaac in the summer. Singer and comedian Johnny Cowling regularly performs to raise money.

In 1997 the first charity shops were opened in the South West. Our closest opened in Bude on 3rd February at 7 Princes Street, and is open Monday to Saturday 9am to 5pm, so you know where to take any unused, unwanted items that could be sold to raise much needed funds.

In 2014 Eddie was honoured with a much deserved MBE for services to charity and children's palliative care and last year a Service of Thanksgiving was held at Exeter Cathedral in honour of all those who have contributed to the charity over the last 25 years.

Having celebrated the past, CHSW is now looking to the future, so if you want to get involved just go onto the Little Harbour website and see how you too can contribute.

Marion McDonald, secretary and treasurer for local Friends Group



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