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Editorial by Sarah

I was studying my shampoo the other day, and saw that the first line on the front of the bottle was “used by professionals,” good to know, I thought. Then I stopped to ponder this; I know, I know I need to get out more. Professional what..bogsnoorkelers? Dog yoga instructor? This got me thinking about how advertising impacts on our lives. I don’t know about you, but channel hopping on the telly on the hour, quarter past etc just leads to an endless stream of adverts. Sometimes I will find something I’m interested in watching but the adverts are on and by the time the programme starts I’ve forgotten what I’m waiting for.

Adverts also pop up all over your web browsing with the slightly creepy Big Brother effect; you search for something, I don’t know what, maybe a snorkel for the bog snorkelling and suddenly they are popping up all the over the place. I had a phone call today from Anglia Windows on my mobile. How on earth did they get my number?

A brown official looking envelope arrived in the post this morning, “Ooh this looks important, but no, more advertising. I know some advertising is normal in life, but it feels to me as though it’s getting more aggressive and intrusive as time goes by.

Oh well, enjoy your Journal, and don’t forget to check out our adverts if you need any local services....I know!

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Members: Mrs Charmaine Smith Mr Dennis Adey Mrs Caroline Pallett
Mrs Ilona Franklyn Mr Andy Vogel Mr Peter Chapman

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.

Editor's Note The report on each month's Parish Council Meeting is a summary prepared by the Parish Clerk. We have omitted certain minor items for brevity 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 also the Agenda and Minutes of previous meetings are on the village website www.jacobstovvillage.co.uk

Summary of Minutes of Meeting held on 5th February, 2019

Cllr. Charmaine Smith chaired the monthly meeting of the Parish Council with four councillors and two members of the public present.

Polling District & Polling Places Review – This is giving the Council advance notice that the review begins in 4th March, 2019. By law, Cornwall Council must conduct a Polling District and Polling Places review every five years. The latest review is due now and must be completed by the end of January, 2020.

Extraordinary Meeting of the Bude Community Network Panel. This is solely to discuss the night time closure of Stratton Minor Injuries Dept. Ask Cllr. Osborne if he is able to attend and reply as necessary.

Climate Change and Neighbourhood Planning Conference – Correspondence received saying that Cornwall Council has just declared a Climate Emergency.

To learn more, councillors are invited to attend a conference on Sat 9th March, 2019.

Planning Application – PA19/00088 – Land East of Tayharr, Jacobstow. Outline Planning permission with all matters reserved: Proposed dwelling. Councillors support this Application.

The Parish Council have funding available, provided by a grant from the Primrose Solar Farm, for community groups.

Please contact Doreen Turner on 01566 781269 for further details.

Summary of Minutes of Meeting held on 5th March, 2019

Councillor Osborne chaired the Annual Parish Meeting.

There were three speakers, Mrs Sue Russell gave a report on the school activities for the previous twelve months,.County Cllr Nicky Chopak talked about her Council work and Mrs Sarah Smith gave a talk on the work of the Jacobstow Journal.

This was followed by the monthly Council meeting. Mrs Mary Carter explained what needs to be done with the footpaths.

Planning Application – Land East of Tayharr. It was noted that Cornwall Council had refused this.

Planning Application – Land at Wainhouse Corner, Jacobstow – Proposed Affordable dwelling and garage. Councillors support in principal this affordable type property.

It was reported that the post box in Jacobstow village has still not been re-instated. Clerk to contact Royal Mail again.

The pot holes on the road from Ferretts Cross to Eden Chapel are very dangerous. Clerk to contact Oliver Jones regarding these.

Your MP Scott Mann - - For full version of this letter follow the link on www.jacobstovillage.co.uk

This year one of my priorities is the Bathing Waters Bill, which I believe will be incorporated into the wider Environmental Bill which sets out how we will maintain environmental standards as we leave the EU and build on the vision of the 25 Year Environment Plan. This will be a great achievement for North Cornwall, and if the bill becomes law then we will have contributed and led on water quality standards which will be rolled out across the entire country. I was delighted with the news that Canadian firm Saputo decided to invest almost one billion pounds by purchasing Dairy Crest last month. This shows that the UK is open for business and I am very happy that the existing relationships with North Cornwall's farmers and workers will be built upon. Foreign direct investment in the UK is already at record levels and this illustrates the strength of the food and drink sector in the South West. This should help the popular business grow in the area creating new jobs and increasing the stature of the production site in North Cornwall. I have a meeting planned with Saputo in Westminster in the next few weeks and I look forward to updating you all in due course.



Jacobstow Neighbourhood Watch



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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

www.devonandcornwall-pcc.gov.uk

This is your link to the Police Commissioner's Report



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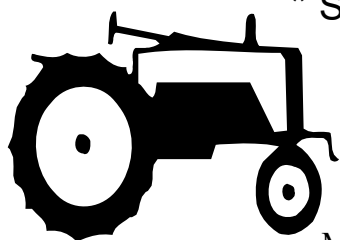
If you register you and your circumstances on the Cornwall Housing list, you may find out that there are opportunities within your Parish you didn't know about. Your name on their list will also show Cornwall Housing planners and developers and that properties are needed in your area. Jacobstow has just such a potential opportunity, so do not delay and register on www.cornwallhousing.org.uk/find-a-home. For any further information give me a call; Nicky Chopak 07810302061

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Speedy or Not?

There seems to be a huge range of Broadband Speeds in the Village, could you please let the Journal know if you are a hare or a tortoise !



Parish Hall Parking

A polite reminder from the Parish Hall Committee

The parking places adjacent to the Parish Hall are reserved for Parish Hall users. The Parish Hall is the venue for various group and family activities and those involved may have awkward or heavy equipment to unload and carry in. The car park is shared with school users during term time and it can be very busy. So please, if you have to use this car park, remember to leave those spaces free for Parish Hall users. Thank you.



CHURCH AND CHAPEL SERVICES

Services at Jacobstow Church unless stated

April

7th 9.30 Holy Comm

14th 11.00 Palm Sunday

Cluster service -
Crckgton Inst

19 Good Friday Cluster S
4pm -St Gennys Church

21st 9.30 Easter Sunday
Holy Comm - Warbstow Church

28th 9.30 Morning Prayer

May

5th 9.30 Holy Comm

12th 6.30 Evensong

19th 9.30 Holy Com -
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26th 9.30 Morning
Prayer



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Mondays Mums and Tots 11am

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1.30-3.30

4th Wed Library van & refreshments

For more information contact :
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Glenys Poorta on 01566 781205.



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CHURCH AND CHAPEL NEWS & EVENTS

St Piran's Day Pasty Day Lunch



Fundraising
chicks

A total of £341 was raised for church funds, at a very well attended Pasty and Pudding lunch. Thank you so much to every one for your most welcome support.



The Big Clean

The Parish Hall committee would like to welcome you to their AGM on

Tuesday 9th April at 3.30
followed by an invigorating
Spring Clean of the Hall



Church Lottery Results

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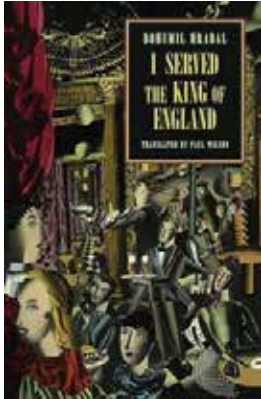
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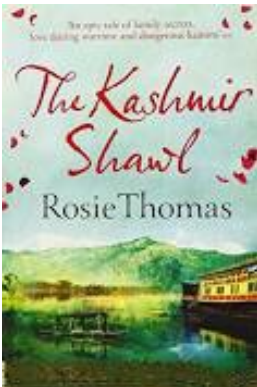
I SERVED THE KING OF KINGLAND by Bohumil Hrabal, translated by Adam Thirlwell

A comic masterpiece following the misadventures of a simple but hugely ambitious waiter in pre-World War II Prague, who rises to wealth only to lose everything with the onset of Communism.

GIRL READING by Katie Ward

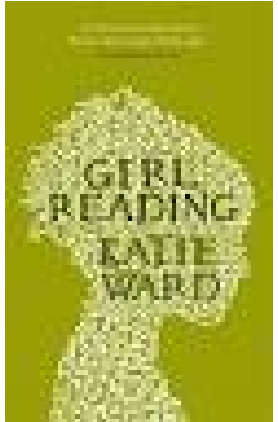
A series of short stories which were only brought together in the last tale.

These two were hard going for most of us, however a number of the club had persevered and managed to finish the books. But on the whole “not a gripping read.”



THE KASHMIR SHAWL by Rosie Thomas

This book on the other hand turned out to be quite an enjoyable read. It was a beautifully descriptive story of love and secrets in 1940's Kashmir. The granddaughter, Mair Ellis, discovered the antique shawl and a lock of hair in her father's belongings after he died. Mair decides to trace her roots back to Kashmir and uncovers a story of a great love and sacrifice. Voted a good read by the whole club.



Mobile Library - Enquiries phone 0800 0322345 or 01872 272702

The Mobile Library Service stops at Canworthy Water monthly on a Wednesday from 11.15ish - Coffee and Chat.

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Poundstock Gildhouse - Saturday May 18, 10-12.30pm

Julietter GC Tuesday, 23 April - Camellias by Ken Wilcock

Julietter GC Tuesday 28 May - Plant Heritage by Caroline Hone



IT'S BACK !

In the Aug/Sept issue of the Journal one of our distributors (Mike Quance) posted an article about the removal of the Post Box at Ferret's Cross. He had written to Royal Mail asking what had happened to it and this was followed up by a similar letter from the Parish Council. Royal Mail replied that the original box had rusted away and it would take 6 months for a new one to be fitted. Luckily Mike had kept copies of the correspondence and was reluctant to "just forget about it". In late February (8 months after removal) he again contacted them to ask for an update. No reply was received but in March two Royal Mail vans arrived and a new Postbox was concreted into the ground. Apparently they no longer fit postboxes into walls but this seems a very acceptable alternative. Our local Postman (Mark) says that an "Activation Ticket" has been raised and this will result in the black plastic wrapping being removed and a "Times of Collection" insert fitted. After this it will be officially added to the collection rounds. The important thing now is to make use of it. Remember the old saying? **"USE IT OR LOSE IT."**



WEATHERWISE by Monitor



January was very much as one would expect, but somewhat more benign than usual. No really hard frosts were recorded here at Canworthy Water, although the last day of the month saw -3.7°C with a substantial frost. Later this day Cornwall saw its first disruptive snowfall of the winter, with heavy accumulations on any high ground and many transport routes south of the moors impassable.

Overnight on the 27/28th, storm conditions were observed locally, when a developing polar storm decided to track SE across the area. Normally, such events can be relied on to transit NE, but this one decided otherwise. A number of hail showers followed on the front passage with attending squalls, with NW winds gusting 40 mph at the station. Around 0400 Monday morning, a very fierce squall went through the area lasting about 3 minutes. This was associated with a weather phenomenon which I'm pretty sure was either a rear flank down draught or a microburst. Such are normally a feature of severe thunderstorms and tornado events, and tend to be caused by air being rapidly drawn down behind the squall or hail downpours.

Unfortunately, by the morning the Met Office rainfall radar track had moved out of the time-period so there was no means of verifying this, but observing the tree damage locally, including a 65' conifer down here then such an event as described would be highly likely.

The rain collected for January was 2.7," a fairly small figure similar to 2017. Normally, January is a wet month in Cornwall.

February needs little comment! Very mild and spring-like, several days saw 18°C early in the afternoon, with the 27th reaching 19.6°C . Sometimes, we are lucky to get this warm in June! All very pleasant, no particular sharp frosts and again no notable rain events apart from the 10th. Total collected was 3.05."

Warm Februarys are actually not that unusual, 1998 was so, and my own observations are that they tend to follow solar activity with such warm events occurring during minima, but there is not really a close association here. We are, incidentally, just about at the minimum of the current cycle, with the entire of February virtually spot-less.

HIGH TIDES and SUNSET - APRIL - MAY 2019

Date	5 April	12 April	19 April	26 April	3 May	10 May	17 May	24 May	31 May
AM	6.13	10.38	5.49	10.38	5.06	9.36	4.42	9.25	3.46
PM	18.27	23.06	18.12	23.10	17.24	21.57	17.06	21.46	16.09
Sun set	20.00	20.11	20.22	20.33	20.44	20.55	21.05	21.14	21.20



JACOBSTOW GUIDES

A group of 50 brownies and guides along with 10 of their leaders from Launceston District had a sleepover with a difference recently, sleeping in the galleries of the National Maritime Museum in Falmouth.



It was an action packed evening. On our arrival we ate our packed tea, after which it was straight into the challenge for the evening, where in pairs, the girls had to make a sailboat from scrap materials which were then raced across their boat pool, with some very close fought rounds before the climax of the final where again although it was very close, it was won by Chloe and Wren of Marhamchurch Brownies.

It was then time for a snack, where we also sang "Happy Birthday" to a brownie and ate some of the birthday cake that her mum had provided for us. After this we were split into 3 groups and given torches to go on a tour of the museum in the dark, we explored several areas of the museum including the Titanic exhibit, where we were all surprised by the size of the boats when we were told how few were on them. We also went below the tide line of Falmouth Quay where it was very cold!

It was then time to set up our beds for the night which we did in two of the galleries. When we were ready for bed there was time for a hot chocolate, and to watch some cartoons before we went back to our beds to get some sleep.



In the morning, after varying amounts of sleep, it was time to pack up our beds have breakfast, say thank you and goodbye to the museum and head for home after the thoroughly enjoyable evening.

If you would like to help provide experiences like this to girls in the area, we are always on the look out for more volunteers to support our units. We are especially looking for people to help out with Marhamchurch and Jacobstow Brownies at the moment. If you want to find out more, please register your interest by calling 0800 169 5901 or going online; someone will then contact you to discuss your interest further.

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WORDSEARCH - one of the words listed below does NOT appear in the grid, which one?

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Letters Page

Something you want us all to know about? Email and address for letters is on page 2

This letter from a satisfied customer/Journal reader, shows that advertising in the Journal works and also, credit where credit is due.

“Back in the heat of last summer, I decided that I needed a bit of help with making my small, somewhat overgrown and tangled wilderness plot more manageable. “Edwards Small Tractor Jobs” on page 18 of my journal came to mind, so I got in touch and up he came a few days later for a quick reccy to confirm that “Yes” he could indeed “knock it back into shape”. He was as good as his word, cutting back, removing roots, levelling off and leaving the end results commendably neat and tidy with as far as I could see, no piles of anything left to show for it!.

Thanks Edward, you did a great job.”

As I'm the one responsible for keeping the Parish Hall loos sparkling, I am sorry, I totally forgot to get up there and give them a wipe round before the St Piran's Day celebration. A bunch of daffs and not a grubby sink should have greeted the user.

The luncheon was jolly good by the way. A good pasty and delicious puddings. Thank you! Mick and I enjoyed ourselves. Mick did comment on the cobwebs in the eaves, and that maybe we should take the vacuum cleaner and have a go. **SO! Volunteers.. The Parish Hall committee would love to welcome you to the AGM on 9th April at 3.30 followed by a little spring clean at 4.00pm, it would be great to get a band of Mrs (or Mr!) Mops up together.**

Dyw Genes!

Mary Carter





Community Transport Service



I recently had a meeting with the Community Transport Service in Holsworthy with a view to arranging a better option of Transport for the village.

At the moment they operate in a total of 8 areas spanning Morwenstow in the North, Sheepwash in the East, St Giles on the Heath in the South and Week St Mary in the West. They are very keen to expand their service into our area, but need to know what sort of interest there would be. So, they are approaching Jacobstow, Poundstock, Crackington and Widemouth to see what sort of numbers would be involved.

A flyer is included in this edition of your Journal explaining the services on offer. As an example, for the Ring and Ride buses, the timetable for April includes trips to Tavistock for £5.50, Atlantic Village for £5.00 and St Ives for £8.50.

Check out their website at www.pickme-up.co.uk and if you need any help with this please let us know. The scheme is part funded by Torridge District Council, and the National Lottery.



SCOUTING MOVEMENT

Daphne - Cubs - 01288 352785

Robert - Scouts - 07842084971

Josie - Beavers - 07855001284

EVENTS YOU MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN

Friday 5 April -7.30 Cousin Jack Pasty and Cider - Guildhouse

Sunday April 7 -7.30 Launceston and Bude Joint Concert at Bude Methodist Church

Saturday May 4, 2pm Poundstock Revel

Sunday May 5, 2.30pm Well Blessing

Wednesday May 8, 7.30pm Talk about Rev Hawker of Morwenstow

Friday 10 May, eve St Gennys Silver Band Concert - Institute Crackington

Sunday 12 May 9am till 4pm Bude Rugby Ground

Regular Events In the Parish Hall unless stated otherwise

Monday Cubs 6.30 - 8.00 Scout Hall Wainhouse Corner

Brownies 4.30 - 5.30 Canworthy Water Sunday School

Tuesday Scouts 6.30 - 8.00 Scout Hall

Rainbows 5.45 - 7.00

Guides 7.00 - 8.30

Wed Beavers 6.00 - 7.00 Scout Hall

Living Water Kids Club 4.30 - 5.30 Canworthy Water

Sunday Coast Family Church 10.30

1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month Young at Heart - Canworthy Water 1.30

1st Tuesday of month Parish Council 7.30

2nd and 4th Tuesday Arts and Crafts Club 2.00 - 4.00

2nd Thursday of month WI 7.30

2nd and 4th Thursday of month (recycling weeks) Coffee Club 10.30am

Jacobstow Amblers meet monthly - Tel Mary Carter on 01840 230656

2nd & 4th Friday Living Water Youth Club 7 - 8.30 Canworthy Water



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Jacobstow Primary School



The Year 5 and 6 children at Jacobstow Primary School spent 3 fabulous days in London culminating in a visit to the Houses of Parliament. We took a tour of the building, visiting the Houses of Commons and Lords and learning about the history of the building. Then we had a lesson in democracy and how we use democratic process to elect our MPs; they had a go at electing their own MPs and explaining what principles they believed in. They then met the MP for North Cornwall, Scott Man. The girls had their photo with a statue of Emmeline Pankhurst and sat in the Betty Boothroyd chair.

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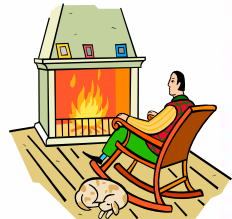


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In February members enjoyed an excellent talk and slideshow when Mrs Sue Ede described her Grand European voyage from Amsterdam to Budapest. It was a fascinating journey taking in many countries, each with its own character and culture, with lots of castles and beautiful scenery along the way.

In March we held our Annual General Meeting when we looked back over 2018 and our 80th Birthday year activities and achievements, before looking ahead to this year's Cornwall WI Federation Centenary and more celebrations!

A group of members made this Centenary Banner for a county-wide competition. It depicts the WI Logo and County badge, the old and new County HQ buildings and WI traditions. We were very pleased to discover that our entry was Highly Commended by the judges.



To commemorate the Centenary, Jacobstow members are also: Making 100+ bonding squares and incubator/cot sheets for the Neonatal Ward at Treliske Hospital, walking 100 miles, local litter picking (more than 100 pieces already!), going on a 100 mile coach trip and beach cleaning.

Next meetings: 11 April - Visit to the Heritage Centre, Bude Castle
9 May - Members Evening to discuss the 2019 Resolutions

18th May 100 WI members from across Cornwall (4 from Jacobstow) will be “flying” across the Zip Wire at the Eden Project to mark the Cornwall Federation Centenary.

The W.I. welcomes new members so do come along to a meeting at Jacobstow Parish hall or contact the President, Mrs Jill Baker 01840 239829 and you can be sure of a warm welcome



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JACOBSTOW WALKING GROUP

Friday 22nd February Walk Near Bossiney to Ladies window.

OS map 111 Bude Boscastle and Tintagel : SX067 889

We met at 10.30 in the car park by the public loos, (marked PC on the map) on the B3266 north of Bossiney. It was only three of us, Mary, Ann and myself, as well as Ann's enthusiastic Labrador, Inca, as various others hoping to come were busy. The weather was warm and sunny, with a balmy, blustery breeze banishing all thoughts of the freak snow storm only three weeks earlier. Walking down to join the Coast Path, it was hard to believe it was not early summer looking at the glowing colours on the towering cliffs and blues and jade on the relatively calm sea. We ambled north, pausing to look at the gulls and jackdaws swooping in the breeze. The path wound down to the head of Rocky Valley, then climbed out of the valley, towards a bench at the top of the incline, which looked down to Ladies Window below. This is a dramatic window in the rock face about six feet tall and framing the sea. There is a small path down to it and climbing over a rocky lintel brings you to a narrow shelf perched above the sea. The rocks there had Pennywort, Sea Campion and Buckthorn Plantain clinging to them and we decided it would be good to return to see the spring flowers. The advantage of the coast path is that the return route showed us completely different views of the scenery and it was a real pleasure to walk in such a beautiful place in good company and we are looking forward to our next amble.

Next walks: phone Mary: 01840 230656. All welcome.



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Jubilee Club

Monday 15th April Train trip
to Buckfastleigh



Monday 13th May Otter Nurseries
and Escot Park

CHANGES IN THE LAW REGARDING FOOTPATHS by Caroline V Pallett

The Coalition Government of 2010 introduced changes in the law regarding footpaths and other rights of way, which may be of interest to parishioners. In a nutshell the law states that

'All unrecorded footpaths and bridle ways created before 1949 cannot be recorded after 1 January 2026'. This means that old rights of way not currently officially recorded as public footpaths or bridleways etc will effectively disappear from the records and not be legally recognised. Though 2026 may seem rather a long way into the future, it really isn't! This means that it is essential that old footpaths that need to be recorded to preserve them, must be registered as soon as possible. According to footpath custodian Mary Carter, there are old maps in existence showing old routes. If it is beneficial to the public's enjoyment of the countryside, it could be worth recording these.

According to the government's website, the reason for these changes is to reduce the bureaucracy associated with public rights of way and



ensure that recording or changing any rights of way is made more efficient. It is also, of course ultimately a money-saving exercise. As I understand it, existing rights of way will still be protected and no change will be made regarding their legal status.

If anyone in the Jacobstow parish has any views on this please contact me via email:
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Bude starts its own Repair Café

What do you do with a broken toaster? Or a bike whose wheels are out of alignment? Or with a sweater full of moth holes? Bin it? No way! In late 2018, a group of like-minded volunteers came together to establish Repair Café Bude. The first session was held on the 23rd February at Neetside Community Centre and from now on will be held on the last Saturday of every month.



The Repair Café is manned by volunteer repair experts and the organisers were overwhelmed with support from the local community with over 25 volunteers coming forward to help make repairs free of charge. The response via social media has also been huge with the Bude community bringing along their broken items,

from toasters and lamps to clothes, bikes, toys, and crockery. Repairs are made at Neetside Community Centre with repairers sitting alongside the owners, passing on valuable skills. If a job proves too big, repair volunteers signpost visitors to professionals in the area.

Started in the Netherlands, in 2009, Repair Cafés have grown throughout the world with the aim of reducing waste, providing a space for social interaction and an opportunity to share skills.



Eilidh points out that, *“Repairs can save money and resources, and can help minimise CO₂ emissions but above all, the Repair Café Bude just wants to show how much fun repairing things can be, how easy it often is and how, as a community, we can share our knowledge and expertise in a welcoming and friendly environment.”*

The next Repair Café will be held at Neetside Community Centre on

Saturday 30th March, 10.30am – 12.30pm.

You can follow the project via Facebook – Repair Café Bude. Any questions or to volunteer contact Neetside Community Centre direct on 01288353403 or enquiries@neetside.co.uk

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KIDS' PAGE - HAPPY APRIL FOOLS DAY!

For all our Jacobstow readers, here are some cow jokes:



- What do you get when you sit under a cow?
- A pat on the head.
- What do cows use as text messages?
- Emoojis.
- Why do cows lie down in groups when it's cold?
- To keep each udder warm.
- Where do cows go for entertainment?
- To the moo-vies.
- What do cows read in the morning?
- The moospaper.
- What do you get from nervous cows?
- Milkshake

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News from Jacobstow Art and Craft Group



Meetings have been held fortnightly through January and February and March. We have enjoyed watercolour demonstrations by Brian Littlejohn and learned how to tackle painting clouds and trees. This was a very full and interesting session, although not as easy as Brian made it look, we enjoyed the practice.

We also had two pottery sessions where a variety of ideas were formed into clay then fired and glazed with some great results including puffins, sunbursts, pots and candle burners.

We have welcomed two new members who joined us this spring. We are always open to new members, so if you're interested in trying out a new craft or just continuing with one you already enjoy, please think of coming along. We are not experts and enthusiasm is the main qualification we all share! Sadly we are coming up to Easter when we shall take a break until the Autumn, although if the weather is kind some members hope to get together to go out sketching.



OLD CORNWALL - Bude, Stratton and District

The Bude, Stratton & District, is but one of forty-two branches that make up the great tree that is the Federation of Old Cornwall Societies. The OCS founders aimed to 'Gather the fragments, that none be lost'. Those fragments being the histories and culture of the people of Cornwall including their indigenous Celtic language; yet forever alive within many a Cornish place-name. Talks are about a Cornish connected topic of interest followed by a cuppa and a biscuit. Members get a twice-yearly journal.

All welcome. Young and old, Cornish or other, been living here five minutes or fifty years.

The next OCS 'talk' at The Parkhouse Centre, 29 April at 7.30pm will be about Truro Cathedral. Then in May there will be a visit to the Cornwall Regimental Museum at Bodmin. For further information, contact helenhocking@yahoo.co.uk

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Get ready to ReFill!

April is here which means it's nearly Easter time, spring is in the air and a new style of shopping is coming to Bude! After months of research, planning and fundraising, ReFill Shop is almost ready to open its doors and welcome you all.

Following the success of the crowdfunder (thank you so much to everyone that donated!) the ReFill team have been able to secure the perfect premises in the heart of Bude town centre. The shop hopes to open on the 6th April (check our social media pages for latest updates) and is located in Belle Vue Lane (opposite Grumpy's Pasties!)

The shop will be stocked with a range of dry goods and pantry items, household cleaning, laundry products and toiletries! You simply bring a container (or use one of ours) to fill with what you need. The ReFill system means you are not paying for packaging and there is no single-use plastic used - WIN WIN! Don't worry about the weighing and filling, there will always be a member of staff on hand to help you out and there's no need to go out and buy fancy glass jars or new containers, you can use whatever you have at home (the more ingenious the better!) So keep hold of those empty sauce jars, biscuit tins or juice bottles and dig out all your missing tupperware lids - as long as it's clean and is sturdy enough to get your products home the ReFill shop will fill it up!

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