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### **Editorial by Sarah**

I am sat writing this editorial, looking out at the rain and wondering where the summer has gone, I don't think we have had two decent days of summer weather one after the other this year. If you have small children who are due to start their summer holidays you must be quaking in your boots thinking how you are going to fill the next six weeks without breaking the bank!. Pat has done a very interesting article in this edition on how the weather is affecting various aspects of life, I was particularly interested to read how the farmers are struggling with the unseasonal climate. Still, hopefully the long awaited change in the Jet Stream would have happened and you are reading this in shorts and flip flops, we can but hope.

I am also interested to see how the church roof repairs are coming along, it is really interesting to see how the hard earned funds are being put to good use. That really is the whole point of the Journal, to keep you informed of developments in the village, so that you are not left in the dark thinking "I wonder what happened to..." So don't forget, if you have any news you want to share with the village, just drop us a line, all the contact details are below

Talking of fund raising, we are planning another quiz night on the October in the village hall, and we are also doing another car boot sale in August, please have a root around in the loft or garage and pass on any saleable items to one of the Journal staff, we are totally self funded, all the Journals are delivered free and so to quote Scrooge "every penny counts"!

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### Jacobstow Parish Council

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Members:	Mrs Charmaine Smith	Mr Dennis Adey	Mr. Bob Reason
	Mrs Ilona Franklyn	Mr Jim Cory	Mrs. June Rose

The Parish Council meets in the Parish Hall on the 3rd Tuesday of every month (except, usually, for August). Meetings commence at 7.30 in Winter months and 8 pm in the Summer. 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.

<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 held on 19th June, 2012

Mr Norman Osborne chaired the monthly meeting of the Parish Council with four Councillors, Cllr. Phil Tucker and three members of the public attending. <u>Affordable Housing</u> – The meeting began with a talk on local needs affordable housing by Mr Andrew O'Brien. First of all we need to find out if there is a need for affordable housing in the Parish. For this a questionnaire needs to be sent to every household with a prepaid envelope for their reply. Cornwall Council would print these.

<u>*Traffic Calming Consultation*</u> - Cllr Tucker showed the traffic calming suggestions which was agreed by Councillors.

<u>SLCC Membership</u> – It was agreed to renew the annual membership amounting to £46. Prop. Mr R Reason Sec.Mrs I Franklyn.

<u>Code of Conduct</u> – Councillors adopted the Interim Code of Conduct for Parish and Town Councils prepared and published by Cornwall Council.

Planning Application – Mr John Moy – Conversion of redundant barn into two holiday home cottages at Kerley, Week St. Mary. Councillors support this application.

**Parish Seat** – It was agreed to pay Cyan for the Jubilee seat, this amounted to £429.99. Prop. Mr R Reason Sec. Mrs C Smith.

Please could you take a minute to read and complete the questionaire that is included in this edition of the Journal. The more completed replies that are received the better picture that can be built up. Thank you - Jacobstow Parish Council

Summary of Minutes of Meeting held on 17th July, 2012

Mr Norman Osborne chaired the monthly meeting of the Parish Council with four Councillors and two members of the public attending. Apologies received from two Councillors and representatives of the Jacobstow Journal.

**Camelford & District Old Cornwall Society** – An Email received from the Society saying how much they enjoyed their visit to Jacobstow and for the warm welcome. They also said they were delighted to hear reminiscences of the Parish from John Ward. The walk to the older part of the village including the church, the old school and the old cottages was full of interest. They thanked the Parish Council for arranging this.

<u>Code of Conduct Training Programme</u> – CALC joining with Cornwall Council to hold training programmes for the new Code of Conduct. Looking for venues to hold this. Email to say a meeting could be held in Jacobstow Parish Hall.

**Dog Bins** – A new lid is required for the Dog bin at Wainhouse Corner and it was proposed we purchase a new one. The cost of this is £39.00 plus VAT. Prop. Mrs C Smith Sec. Mrs I Franklyn.Mr Adey to order this. It was noted the Dog Bins are now emptied on a Saturday by someone in a van.

<u>Review of Polling Districts & Polling Places</u> – The majority of polling stations in the initial consultations proposals have been retained because they were either considered to be fit for purpose or there were no obvious alternatives where issues were identified.

Planning Application – Mr & Mrs P Sousek, - Installation of a single small-scale wind turbine (up to 35m tip height) and associated equipment. Councillors support this application

Dog bin update - well, that just proves that the pen is mightier than the sword!. Following the letter in our last edition and some hard phone bashing by one of your parish councillors, we have a firm agreement with One Cornwall to empty the dog bin at Wainhouse Corner on a regular basis. I am sure you all agree it looks much tidier, and the Parish council have also arranged for a new lid to be fitted to it soon.



Cornwall council officials are calling on people to register now to make sure they can have their say and vote in the Police and Crime commissioner election taking place in November 2012 and the local council elections in May 2013.

Electoral registration forms are being posted out in mid June to all 250,000 households in Cornwall.

David Cunningham, Cornwall's Deputy Electoral Services Manager explained that it is vital that people complete and return their forms as soon as possible so that their names can be included in the register.

You can register your form by phone, via a website , sending a text message or using a prepaid envelope. If you do not receive a form you should contact the registration team on  $0300\ 123\ 1115$ 

# **CHURCH AND CHAPEL NEWS**



A very successful BBQ was held at Trelay Bungalow by kind permission of Mr. and Mrs. G. Harris. Approximately £250 was

raised in aid of Jacobstow Church despite the cloudy but luckily dry evening. It was well supported with various stalls selling cakes, bric a brac, raffles, etc. Janet and Gordon were kept busy cooking delicious



hot dogs and burgers and serving welcome cups of tea and coffees and Brian winning the star prize of the evening!

**A Reminder!.....**Songs of Praise with St.Gennys Silver Band at Broom Park on **July 29th** at 7.30p.m.

**September 22nd.....** Jacket Potato Evening at the Parish Hall 7.30p.m. Please contact Pat Lane 01840 230743 for tickets.

The Gift Day appeal raised approximately £500 and Ruth very much appreciated the help received in organising the Gift Day and serving the teas.

**Dimma Chapel** ladies have also been busy raising over £200 for Chapel funds by holding a cream tea which was well supported and are planning their annual **Harvest Festival** Service followed by **lunch** on September 23rd. The congregation of Dimma put in a lot of effort in keeping the Chapel viable and in tip top repair. Tickets for

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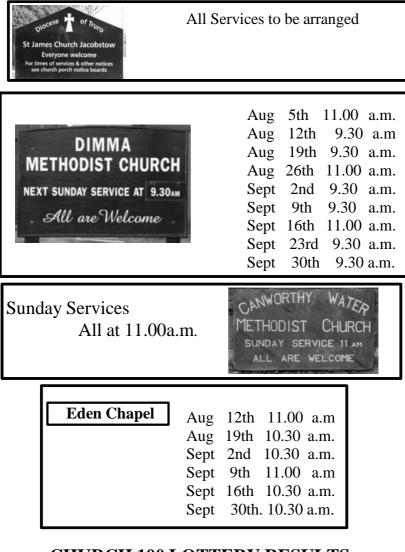
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# **CHURCH 100 LOTTERY RESULTS**

June

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- 2nd Mr and Mrs Fox
- **3rd Mr. And Mrs** 
  - Kingsley Bennett

July

- 1st Miss C. Cowling
- 2nd Mrs. R. Braund
- **3rd** Mr. J. Cowling

# JACOBSTOW COMMUNITY SCHOOL



The staff, children and governors of Jacobstow Community Primary School and Preschool would like to say 'goodbye and good luck' to the Year 6 children who are about to start the next stage of their education adventure at Budehaven, have fun, we will miss you.

Anyone for Tennis!



Ziggy, Thomas, Ellie and Anouck, represented Jacobstow Primary School and Preschool at the Cornwall School Games held in June at Newquay. The children had won through their local competion at Budehaven and competed against children from 9 other primary schools from across the whole of Cornwall at the Newquay games. They came third in their league and we are very pround of them!

# WEATHERWISE by MONITOR

May was very much what one would expect. There was a slight frost overnight on the 6th, most days saw rain showers with fairly wet days on the 1st and 7th. A total of 1.91" of rain was collected at Canworthy Water.

Cool generally, the last week showed signs of promise with quite warm and dry conditions from the 23rd onwards - A rare 27°C recorded here mid-afternoon on the 25th. A notable absence was the lack of any sea-breeze on these days which usually restricts any really warm days locally. Again, despite a high humidity during the afternoon on the 26th no thunder-showers developed locally although they were reported in West Cornwall.

June rainfall was quite exceptional. A total of 6.5" was collected here with high and prolonged river flows also suggesting even more amounts on high ground. A severe gale was observed on the 7th, with heavy rain through to the following day. Only the 11th was completely dry over a 24 hour period, and a large river flow was noted on the 13th resulting from heavy rain showers late afternoon.

During the day on the 28th, NE England had a thunderstorm which produced tennis-ball size hail, torrential rain along with gust-fronts exceeding 75mph being reported. A large tornado was seen in Lincolnshire and 110,000 lightening strikes were recorded. These events are known as "high precipitation super-cells" and are fairly rare in the UK.

# MINSTREL MUSIC CENTRE

On 10th June there was an excellent concert by the Hartland Chamber Orchestra with conductor Malcolm Woodcock. There was a varied programme including pieces by Mozart, Vaughan Williams, H Parry and F Schubert. The highlight was an amazing piano solo by Sylvia Goldspink. All enjoyed by large appreciative audience.



Bude Rural Inter-Parish Shields (Run in partnership with Devon & Cornwall Constabulary are holding a fun afternoon on Wednesday 29th August at Bude FC from 2pm to 6pm to give school children of all ages the opportunity to try out several sports under adult supervision. Drop in for an hour or so or stay the whole afternoon. They are planning Quick cricket, Softball, Table Tennis, Volleyball and penalty shoot out football (depending on the weather!)



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Booking essential by Thursday 6 September

Bookings to Janet on O1840 230329

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# **County Councillors Report**

Continuing Pressures on Budgets

In 2009-10 councillors made some quite serious decisions in the funding and cuts needed to meet Government targets.

Some £170 million pounds needed to be removed from the budget over 3 years. It was decided and I supported, reducing the budget



quickly because a pound saved in year one equated to 3 pounds over the period thus reducing the effect of reduction by one third. These projects are ongoing with further savings being made in all areas. For instance street lighting costs have been reduced by 1.2 million pounds per year. If the saving was made by slowly reducing the cost then perhaps over the three year period it would mean 2 million saved but by implementing it in year 1 then 3.6 million is saved over the 3 year period.

I applaud the group for suggesting where changes could be made and then discussing this with the community. This has allowed a period to consult service users on how people think it will affect them.

Some of these reductions have been made by buying smarter (such as waste collection services which will save over £3 million per year and will be able to change without heavy cost implications) and some are actual reductions in real costs. Sports Centres and Pools have been moved into 'Arms Length Management Organisations' (Almo's) which means they are able to operate much more efficiently and can reinvest directly back into their business. The same with the housing stock which now has a ring-fenced income which can be used to insulate and refurb properties.

The problem I see is the Government are asking for another 30% (ish) reduction from 2014-2018 and this will be harder to implement because a lot of the efficiencies have been made and where will this reduction be made. Much more than two in every three pounds of the Council's spending is on adult care and children's services; protecting the young and old from people who they should be able to trust. These have been predominantly ring-fenced by Councillors in the past. I can't see that this can continue. The costs of these two areas have been rising 5, 10 or even 15% a year and this is unsustainable.

If you have any issues which you feel are not being properly addressed or which you need help then please don't hesitate to give me a call.Phil Tucker 01288341617 philip.tucker@homecall.co.uk Page 11

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Your summer fruiting Raspberries now need pruning after gathering in the crop. Also, Blackcurrants need to have their old wood trimmed off to allow new branches for your next years fruit. I always remove about one third of the plant every year there by renewing the whole plant every three years. Remember to feed both of these fruits after pruning and give a good mulch around the base.

Now is the time to prune evergreen hedges e.g. Yew, Holly and Laurel. Beech and Hornbeam need pruning now, Lavender hedges should be trimmed and any 3-4 inch prunings can be planted in sandy soil in the shade to get new plants. You can do the same with Pinks, Carnations and Geraniums but pot them around a four inch pot. Tomatoes seem to start putting on extra growth about now but remember that soon the light will be reduced so stop them when they reach the roof or a full supported height. September is the ideal time to propagate new plants for next year. Fuchsias, Heliotropes, Penstemons, Calceolarias and Marguerites are all good candidates for this process with a little care and a warm window sill. This is the best time to give your lawns a good rake, to aerate plus a feed of autumn food. If you want a new lawn do it now giving it time to become established before the winter

### Picture on front cover - Journal fundraising

I hope you have admired the stunning picture on the front cover of this edition of the Journal. It was kindly donated to us by the artist to raise funds for your Journal. We are holding a silent auction for the picture, so if you would like to make a bid, just let one of the Journal Team have your sealed bid. We will be naming the lucky owner during our quiz night on 6th October 2012. You can also pass us bids on the night. This picture usually retails for £40.00

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# JACOBSTOW SCOUTS



**DUTS** The Scouts have, as usual, been busy! We have made aeroplanes out of polystyrene pizza bases. Some of them actually flew up on to the Scout Hut roof! Then we had a pioneering evening making ladders to cross the river at Crackington.

We went on a four mile Geo cache hike, and found fifteen caches around Jacobstow. Two we simply could not find.

Some of our Scouts also went for a week long camp near St. Austell. With the Cubs, and several parents, we visited Davidstow, Cornwall at War Museum, enjoying the exhibitions, especially the air raid shelter. Later, we were thoroughly spoilt by the owner Steve Perry, with biscuits, crisps and drinks in the NAAFI, provided we knew what the letters 'NAAFI' stood for, which luckily Millie did! That evening helped us gain our Air Activities badge.

On another occasion, the Scouts slept out, not in tents, but in cardboard boxes for the night. This was great fun but would be miserable if you had no other home.

We also spent an evening at Trelana Nursing Home, at Poughill, weeding the round flower bed in the driveway. This is our Community good turn. We have been invited back to continue the great work down the drive. This will be on Saturday so that the more able bodied residents can come out to give advice. This should be a good experience for the Scouts and the elderly!

The Cubs have been pond dipping, cycling, racing through the woods, damming the river on the beach, fire lighting and cooking eggy-bread.

We all camped at Treyeo Farm, Bridgerule, as part of the national 'Giant Sleepover' where we had great fun in the mud and the rain. The proceeds of the camp allowed us to buy ten treated mosquito nets for families in Africa, provided through UNICEF.

Fourteen Cubs and some very eager Dads, built and raced rafts across the canal in Bude, on one of the sunniest days this summer. We have also just completed the Figure of Eight Hike near St. Austell. This is a very tough challenge, a fifteen mile hike, as the crow flies, carrying your kit and then camping. The weather report was horrendous but we came romping home, muddied but unbowed. I was so proud of us all. This wet July weekend we are off to camp again at Dizzard. We are now so used to mud and rain we will hardly notice it!

The Beavers have had fun on the beach. They have been making darts and shooting water rockets around the Scout Hut. They cleaned and checked their bicycles and then took part in a cycling event.

They also joined the Scouts and Cubs at Crealy Fun Park near Wadebridge. After getting sopping wet on the Log Flume, drying out in the Haunted House and the Roller Coaster, they returned to the Scout Hut for their sleep over. Lucky Beavers!

We all held a Fancy Dress parade around Wainhouse Corner as our contribution to the Queen's Diamond Jubilee celebrations. Forty eight young people, leaders and even some parents, took part in the parade. Cars on the A39 hooted as they went by! We then returned to the Scout Hut with members of the Community, for tea and cakes. This was a fun occasion, really enjoyed by all.

As readers can see we all have a busy exciting time at Jacobstow Scout group.

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# Jacobstow Art & Craft Group

This is an open group for anyone, beginners or long term makers. We try anything and everything, from weaving to pottery and painting!. Please come along to our first meeting if you are interested. We meet at the Village Hall from 2pm to 4pm starting Monday 1st October and thence every two weeks. Normal fee £2.50 per session. Look out for posters and further news of the winter programme.

### . <u>Early Warning</u>

We are also having a **special event on Monday 3rd December - Felting for Beginners - full day workshop with Jill Denton** 

Jill is an expert in this field and holds workshops in many places. We are lucky to be able to book her for this day, (and we hope to run a follow on day in Spring 2013) The fee for the day will be circa £20 depending on



how many attend, we hope to come away having completed a piece of felt jewellery or decoration. Could be just right for a Christmas present. More details re: this in the next Edition of the Journal (early booking advised)

*contacts for all the above : telephone Jeanne 230113 or Judy 230900 Page 16* 

# PUZZLE PAGE

Welcome to your puzzle page, The winner of our last puzzle page is Sharon Patient, who wins £20 to spend at Wainhouse Stores. If you would like a chance of winning this prize, please return your completed entries to Sarah Smith, Almar or via Wainhouse Stores by 20th September 2012. Thank you to Vera Davies and Wainhouse stores for sponsoring this page.

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# **BUMPER GENERAL KNOWLEDGE QUIZ**

- 1. Found in both Irish and Indian flag: what is the most sacred colour of Hinduism?
- 2. Lutz, Axel and Camel are terms associated with what sport?
- 3. What is currently the UK's longest continuous running game show?
- 4. What is the stage name of Sir Thomas John Woodward?

5. What is the name for a treat with currants squashed between two thin, oblong biscuits?

- 6. The world heritage site of Petra is located in what country?
- 7. Allegro is a musical direction meaning to play how?
- 8. How many squares/spaces on a chess board?
- 9. Name the French cartoon skunk that is madly in love with a reluctant cat?
- 10. Gavin and Stacy: Name of Smithy and Vanessa's baby?
- 11. What British chocolate company takes its name from its environmental concerns and the high level of cocoa solids it uses?
- 12. What is the unusual talent/skill of Sally Morgan?
- 13. What is the name of Sherlock Holmes' housekeeper?
- 14. The M20 motorway runs through what English county?
- 15. Henry Cooper and Kevin Keegan both appeared in adverts for what after shave?
- 16. Who is the wife of musician Jamie Cullum?
- 17. Philip Treacy is known as a designer of what?

### Last edition answers

Word search missing word TOWER Olymipic Quiz 1. Madrid, Moscow, New York, Paris and London 2. 1908 & 1948 3. Wenlock 4. Lord Sebastian Coe 5. The Aquatic Centre 6. Aluminium 7. True 8. Nike Goddess of Victory 9. XXX The 30th Modern Olympiad

# CAMELFORD OLD CORNWALL VISIT

On the 9th July the ladies of the Journal warmly welcomed the members of the Camelford Old Cornwall Society in the village hall with refreshments before an interesting talk by John Ward recalling his memories of the area. We saw some old Deeds including a conveyance dated 1680 when Hele Farm was bought from the Aclands and also a fascinating typed list of articles which would be provided for the war effort by parishioners. Also details of how you could sell a mole skin for 1/- and an auction held to raise funds for the Hall extension. We also learnt about the market and selling pigs from the back of a cart and food from Gertie Cowling.

We also learned about the eight different walks around the parish and how the village was effected by the Boscastle Floods in 2004.The Group then walked down to the Church and were told the story of how a Rector in the 1970's wanted the granite altar stone returned to inside the church having previously been turfed outside!!!

The Group learnt about the map of the parish which was to be kept under the Parish Chairman's bed and how it had been carefully copied and was now on show. Also how the old pew ends were





incorporated in the pulpit, the roode screen, how there used to be arms of local families in the windows and many more interesting facts.

# PROPOSED SOLAR FARM

A meeting was held on Friday 20th July at Week St Mary Parish Hall where discussions were held between the parishioners and The Good Energy Company. The point of the meeting was to discuss The Good Energy Company's proposal to erect a 235 acre solar panel site. If you have any objections regarding the above please go to littleexecottage.wordpress.com for full details

Did you know that Greta Trewin nee Cowling was the Jacobstow Carnival Queen? A few years ago, but still looking good on Page 29 (Jacks Gran) Page 18



# Proud bearers of the Olympic Torch

Janet Macauley and Lillian Quinn proudly display the Olympic torches they were honoured to carry through St. Austell and Lanivet. They were nominated because of their contribution throughout their lives to their local communities and mainly for setting up the very successful Exercising for Mobility group in Bude.

Lillian, who has Parkinsons disease, has been treasurer of Lancells Church, founder member of the Bude Tourist Board and founder member and branch secretary of the National Federation of Small Businesses She has also been involved with the Mothers Union holding various posts over 49 yrs. Lillian has been a tireless and devoted supporter of the Diocese of Truro. Lillian was born in Dublin before moving to Manchester and finally to Holsworthy..

Janet, who also has Parkinsons disease, was headmistress of a school in Nottingham and was involved with youth clubs and Girl Guides there also running in several half marathons..

The invitation to take part in the torch relay came "like a bolt from the blue" from the Olympic Headquarters in London. They were told where they would be carrying the torch and had to be at the Eden Project at a specific time where they were briefed on what to do and expect and then on to coaches to their destinations.

They were surprised by the crowds and the noise and the number of people who knew them calling out their names. They were delighted by the lovely support from their own families and the coach load of members from the Mobility Group.

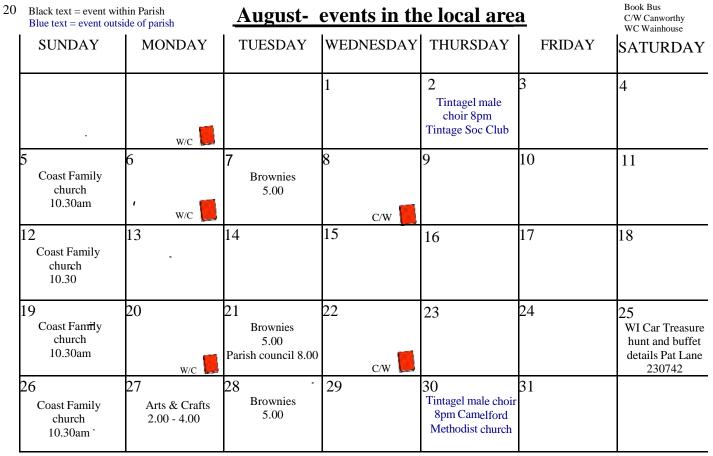
Since carrying the torches they have become local celebrities! They have been visiting schools and attending and opening several Jubilee celebrations. Lillian and Janet both feel it was a great honour and were overwhelmed. It was a lovely day and one they will always remember.

Lillian was impressed by the cheers and clapping in the pub afterwards and Janet's lasting memory was her granddaughter saying, "I'm so proud of you!".

My name is Nick Jessop and I am the Bude Rural Neighbourhood Beat Manager.



Contact me at Bude police station on 01288 357502, email us at bude@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk (Bude Police) or www.devon-cornwall.police.uk. Please remember however that these are not monitored 24hrs a day and should only be used for non-urgent enquiries. In other instances continue to use the force enquiry centre on 08452 777444 or dial 999 in an emergency. Dial 101 for non-emergency.



NOTE. Activities are in Parish Hall unless stated otherwise.

# Jacobstow Jubilee celebrations

# Pull out memento



Cream Tea





















# More Activities











# Jubilee Beacon lit by Mrs Winnie Smith

















# Dog Show



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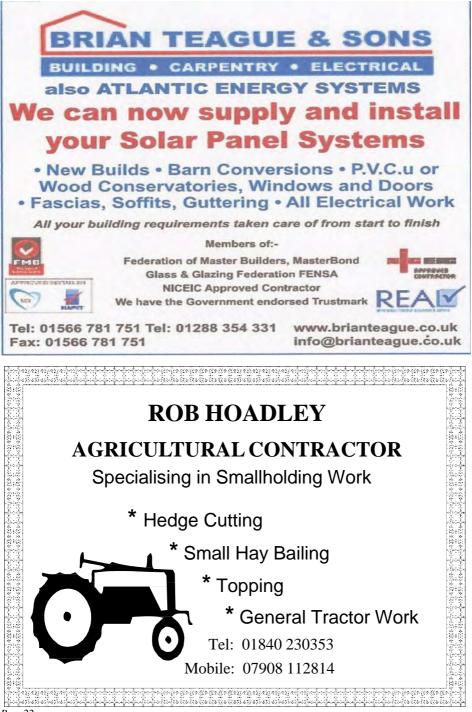
# September - events in the local area

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# WARBSTOW SCHOOL

Old Boys and Girls were invited to join the school to celebrate the Jubilee. There was an entertaining show by the children featuring news through the decades and a huge tea.





There was an interesting display of old photos - the oldest dating from the late 1800s. Some were school groups some were of group activities. It was quite difficult to identify all the pupils. Many old pupils attended.

CANWORTHY WATER SCARECROW FESTIVAL

Scarecrow Festival 8-15 September 2012 The subject can be anything - the Olympics - the Jubilee - rhymes - topical.



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# JACOBSTOW W.I. NEWS



June and July have been two busy months for Jacobstow members. The June meeting was well attended to hear a talk by Mr. Tim Sutton Woodhouse about very clever dogs who have been specially trained to sense or smell potential illness in people. They can even detect certain types of cancer and some are placed with sufferers of epilepsy and diabetes as the dog can detect and warn their owners of the danger of an oncoming fit or diabetic coma and steps can be taken in time to prevent these. The competition was won by Mrs Eve Thain. Members were delighted to hear that Jacobstow came a very close second in the Royal Cornwall W.I. Cup competition and only lost out to the winners by a whisker! Well done Pat Lane, Sue Osborne, Frankie Franklyn and Jen Spettigue. Again the July meeting was well supported when Mrs D. Lawer gave a very amusing slide show of postcards entitled "Wash Day Blues". Mrs D. Lawer is an avid collector of postcards and showed members how they illustrated through the years by cartoons and photographs how our grandmothers and mothers coped with keeping themselves and children clean by using the tin bath etc. and coping with the clothes washing using dolly tubs and the old skiffle board until the luxury of the single tub electric washing machine and mangle. Mrs Gill Curtis won the competition. Sadly one of our members, Mrs Margaret Linforth has died. As a mark of respect members observed a minutes silence.

Members held a very successful coffee morning in aid of the Cornwall Air Ambulance and were able to send a cheque for  $\pm 150$  plus donations in the collecting tin to this very worthy cause. Many thanks to all the helpers, donations and support.

The next meeting will be on Thursday September 13th at 7.30p.m. in the Parish Hall, the Speaker will be Mrs Francesca Vincent "A Mixed Media Textile Artist"

The W.I. are planning to hold a fund raising Car Treasure Hunt and a buffet supper please refer to the flier in this Journal for details

The W.I. always welcomes new members and if you are interested in joining why not come along to a meeting at Jacobstow or contact the president, Mrs Pat Lane 01840 230743

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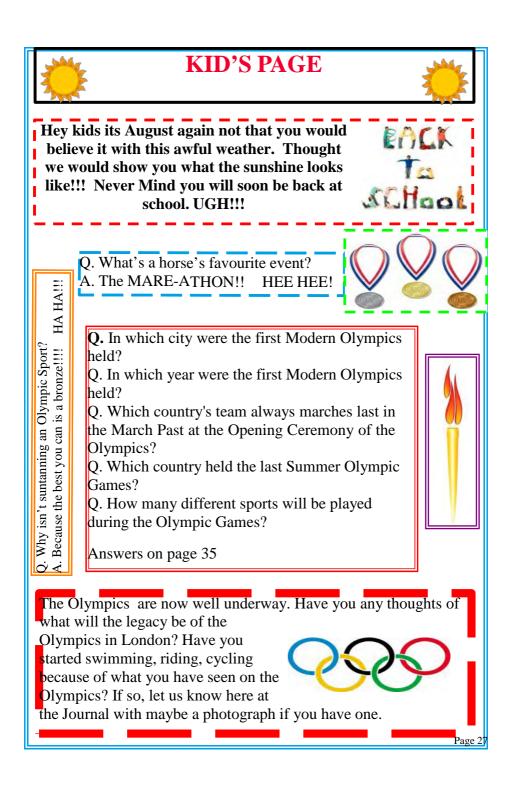
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Announcements, appeals and forthcoming events



Coffee Mornings in the Village hall are taking a summer break and will start again on Wednesday 12th September and every other Wednesday after that

Have you any friends or relations who live away and would like a posted edition of the Journal? The annual cost of £5.00 for 6 editions includes postage and packing. To order please contact any staff member of the Journal.

Dimma Chapel Harvest Festival Lunch Sept. 23rd Tickets available from Mrs Wickett tel 01840230 268

Jacket Potato Evening In aid of Church Fund To be held in the Parish Hall on September 22nd at 7.30 p.m. Tickets available from Pat Lane Tel. 01840230743

Are you organising a community event? If so, we can advertise it for you for free and we will even help you design it!!!!!!! Journal staff are having another car boot sale stall, could you please have a root around and drop any donations into one of us. Thanks!

# TINTAGEL ORPHEUS MALE VOICE CHOIR

Tintagel Orpheus Male Voice Choir is always open to new members, at any level of ability.

Rehearsals are on Tuesdays at the Methodist Church Schoolroom in Tintagel, 7.15 0 9.30pm.

Please call 01566 781559 for further information, or visit www.tintagelmalevoicechoir.org.uk

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Dont forget the Parish notice boards outside the village hall and Wainhouse Stores for up to date information. You can also use these to promote any community activity you want people to know about

Did you know that you can hire Jacobstow Parish Hall for parties and Meetings?.. For further details speak to any Committee Member or ring the Secretary on 01840 230173

# Webbed Feet and Wellingtons!!



What a wash out this summer! Does anybody remember what the sun looks like? The Jet Stream has a lot to answer for supposedly shifting south over us instead of staying "up north" where it belongs. Perhaps its all these

new fangled windmills attracting it!

Seriously though, the wet weather is causing massive problems to the tourist industry which Cornwall is very dependant on and even greater problems for the local farmers.

While we moan about not being able to cut the grass and the flowers not blooming through lack of sunshine the local farmers are having a much tougher time.

Many have had to bring their cows and cattle in to the cattle sheds and feed them on their winter silage due to the "poaching" of the fields

and becoming knee deep in mud in the gateways etc. Some farmers have not even been able to make the first cut of silage while a few have just had one cut so far. The grass has been beaten down by the rain and is rotting underneath.



The Launceston Show has been cancelled because the owner of the fields used for car

parking has not been able to cut the grass. A lot of work has gone into preparing for the Show all to no avail and to the disappointment of the potential visitors.

Harvesting of winter corn should be in full swing but unless there is



a dramatic change in the weather in many cases combines will be unable to get onto the fields The tourist industry is also suffering with visitors, tired of the incessant rain and packing up early. Unable to enjoy Cornwall's beautiful beaches the alternatives are theme parks which are costly, petrol expensive and traffic jams irritating. The empty

beach car park with the ever hopeful ice cream van is depressing.

Its not all doom and gloom as St. Swithins day was actually sunny so perhaps we can be optimistic and we will see the sun shine again by the time this edition is published!!! Pat Cottell Recipe of the Month by Marion Reason

# Banana and Apple Loaf

# Ingredients

5oz Light muscovado sugar 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> oz soft unsalted butter 2 large eggs beaten 4 medium banana's mashed 1 apple grated 8oz self raising flour <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> tsp cinnamon <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> tsp nutmeg pinch of salt



Oven 180c 350f gas 4

# Method

Cream the sugar and butter together, beat in the eggs. Stir in the banana, apple, flour, cinnamon, nutmeg and salt. Put into a lined 21b loaf tin and bake in the oven for 50 minutes to an hour depending on the oven. Leave to cool in the tin for at least 30 minutes before turning out

Add anything you want to this mixture: Blueberries, halved strawberries, any dried fruit or chopped nuts

Cook in paper cases in a muffin tin and adjust the cooking time to 20-30 minutes

# LETTERS PAGE

Dear Sir,

There seems to be some confusion about the existence or otherwise- of a worshipping and active church at Eden Chapel.

it is widely known that JAF, beginning as a children's club met at Eden for several years. During that time it grew and developed until about a year ago it became a recognised Methodist Church. Consequently, following the suggestion of the Circuit Steward, the congregation decided at a Church Council Meeting in December to change the organisation's name from JAF(Jesus For Fun) to Eden Church, picking up the traditional name of the building, while continuing to celebrate the fun of knowing Jesus, with lots of activities for the youngsters.

The congregation at Eden meets on a regular basis (see other notice) for worship and also offers monthly in depth Bible study, Light Band and Little Lights (music groups for young people and children) and from September - our brand new Children's Club "Lighthouse Kids"

We also join with other circuit churches for Messy Church, Cafe Church and other Circuit events.

Also, for those who would like to improve their physical fitness, there is "Keep fit for Jesus" (Zumba and Rosemary Conley on Friday afternoons). We would be very grateful if you could make this known to all your readers. I hope that this will clarify the situation and apologise for any confusion which may have been caused

Yours sincerely

Doreen M. Sparey- Delacassa Minister (Camelford and Week St Mary Circuit)

### Dear Sir,

Everyone will be pleased I think, to hear that the work on the church roof is to begin at last. After all the set backs with the bats and all the surveys, tenders, health and safety experts to satisfy, the scaffolding goes up on the 3rd September.

While we have now raised most of the money we need, we have until December to find the last £10,000, so the fund raising is not quite over and any donations will be gratefully received. We are very grateful for all the support we have received so far. The response to Gift Aid day exceeded our hopes. If we get to the end of the work and have enough in the bank to pay the builder, we will celebrate with the best Christmas Party ever in the Parish Hall.

Ray Fox - Church Warden

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# **LETTERS PAGE**

Good morning

I am writing on behalf of Camelford and District Old Cornwall Society who visited Jacobstow yesterday evening to say how much we enjoyed it. We were most warmly welcomed and were delighted to hear reminiscences of the Parish from John Ward. Our walk to the older part of the village, including the church, the former school and the old cottages was full of interest on what was, for most of us, the first time we had been to Jacobstow. I would be most grateful if you would pass on our thanks to all those who made our evening so informative and enjoyable. Thanks too to the Parish Council for supporting this visit. With kind regards Grace Keat

Secretary Camelford and District Old Cornwall Society.

Dear Editor,

The residents of Wainhouse Corner would like to say a very big **thank you** to the 2nd Jacobstow Scout Group for the wonderful fancy dress parade through the village on Monday July 4th. The imaginative and colourful costumes brightened up a dull evening and the parade was watched by residents who appreciated the efforts of those taking part.

From the residents of Wainhouse Corner



Answers to Kid's Olympic Quiz.

First Olympics were held in Athens. The year was 1896.



The Host Country is always the last to parade. The last summer games were held in the country of China.

26 Different sports will be played

Mobile Library (for enquiries phone 0800-032-2345)

A mobile library service stops at Wainhouse Corner every two weeks on a Monday from 11.05 to 11.20. It also stops at Canworthy Water every two weeks on a Wednesday from 10.20 to 10.40.

# Interview of the month by Jeanne Gimblett RENATE FORSYTHE



The great pleasure of meeting parishioners for these interviews is the diversity of background and occupation; I have talked to musicians, lifeguards, farmers, postmen, builders and parents. This time I am talking to Renate Forsythe a painter and sculptor, who lives in the centre of the village.

Renate has lived in Jacobstow for the past forty two years originally out in the wilder areas of Tucking Mill and for

many years at her house in South Park. Born in Germany and moving to this country as a child. London in 1951 was a bewildering change for Renate. There a new school with the inevitable hostility and language problems, no easy passage. She told me that she received great support from the local church during that time and her approach to life is certainly embedded in her strong faith.

Our church at Jacobstow is a quiet sanctuary. Next time you attend a service or visit the church, take a moment to look at the picture in the side chapel. On the wall beside the old granite altar there is a large oil painting of the nativity. It has a goodly group of people, and animals who have come to welcome the baby Jesus, including a large furry ginger cat. This should have given me a clue, but I had not realised that this picture had been painted thirty years ago by Renate Forsythe.

Renate has exhibited widely. Locally her exhibitions include those held in Camelford, and Bude. She trained as an artist at the prestigious Slade School of Art in London and her work reflects the assiduous and disciplined training that was then a matter of course. Her many pictures are based on reality. She sketches and uses photography to enable her to create a composition which has a touch of imagination and magic when finished.

Renate now spends many hours painting and making her papier -mache sculptures. However she has also brought up her four children and worked as a teacher to earn her living. Artists who become very, very famous have to have a ruthless approach, they rarely have to bring up the children and, dare I say it, that is why they are either male, wealthy or single!

When I see the variety and joyfulness of Renate's work I wonder that she is still in Jacobstow quietly working away, but she would tell you that the garden she has created and the wonderful North Cornwall countryside are stimuli enough. I know she loves the sunshine. We moaned together about this very wet summer , but after a visit to her studio I came away full of sunshine ...... surrounded by sculptures of golden cockerels, silver mermaids, paintings of distant hills and bright sunflowers ,

who could fail to feel better about life ?

Working as a lifeguard.

Steven Turner is an unusual guy, he has two demanding jobs and loves them both! Through out the summer, from May until the end of September, he works at Sandymouth beach as one of the lifeguards . He also runs a farm, rearing cattle and

sheep. So his busy day starts at about five a.m in the summer and he is on duty at Sandy mouth for five days a week.

Steven has been a lifeguard for twelve years. He explained that to become a lifeguard a person has to qualify and pass the Royal Life Saving Society's rigorous exams and practical ability tests. These include a good knowledge of first aid and resuscitation,

high level of physical fitness and, of course, an ability to swim well. To check that each lifeguard is still 'up to scratch' They undertake a weekly 400m, swim to be completed under 7.5 minutes and a 200 m. run in under 40 seconds. They have annual two day first aid course and have to complete a board paddle and tube swim at the start of each season.

I suggested that for some one who has always enjoyed surfing this job must be a delight. Steven told me that: 'Yes', he 'loves it' but not in the recent endless Rain! He went on to explain that it was not just the physical discomfort of fog and wind and being wet, but that there was actually nobody around to guard, and for him one of the best parts of the job is contact with the visitors at Sandymouth Beach.

Now is the beginning of the busy season on all beaches as the school holidays start and we hope for that elusive sunshine.

I asked Steven about the risks in the sea and sensible advice for those of us going to the beach. Here are some of the main points to help us all keep safe this summer; -

1. Do **Swim in the area between the Red and Yellow flags**, these are deemed the safest on the day and are adjusted by the Lifeguards to meet the demands of tide weather etc.

2. It is safer to avoid swimming alone or on an unguarded beach.

3.. Remember that if **your floating on your boogie board it can float out to sea** quite easily, watch where your going.

4. If you do not know the beach or **have any queries or problems do ask the lifeguard** they are there to help keep the beach a safe and happy place.

5. Above all have respect for the sea, it can be dangerous.

A big thank you to Steven who stopped in the middle of his busy "day off" to talk for the Journal.

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