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• Free children's games & entertainments (inc. bouncy castle and crazy golf) • Face painting • Craft & plant stalls • Refreshments, cream teas, light snacks, hot pasties • Ice creams • Tombola • Raffle inc. a £50 cash prize • Country dancing by children of Cusgarne Primary School • Vintage cars & tractors • Funny funky planters competition • Book stall • 'Find the wine' • Cake stall

Parish Council News



Weed Control

Our trial of a new weed control system, as mentioned in the last issue of the Newsletter, is underway. The system involves hot water and plant based foam which is made from 100% biodegradable organic materials and is herbicide free, so is completely safe around pets and children. You may notice the foam on the kerbsides or at the cemetery and churchyard for a short while after it has been applied.



It appears that somebody sprayed the paths at Frogpool Cemetery in April, before our contractor had a chance to treat the area. The Parish Council appreciate that the person did it with best intentions in mind, but kindly request that treatment of weeds in public spaces be left to the Parish Council who have a schedule of work and approved contractors and methods, including the trialling of this new environmentally friendly, herbicide free method.

Bonfires

I continue to receive complaints about bonfires being burnt at unsociable times of day in Frogpool. The smoke blows across and into many houses and gardens and is unpleasant for those neighbours, and also very inconvenient for anyone who has washing hung out.

Bonfires are definitely **not** the most environmentally friendly way of getting rid of waste. Garden waste can be disposed of in other ways:

- Composting
- Take the waste to a household waste and recycling centre, we are lucky enough to have one at United Downs.
- Sign up to Cornwall Council's Garden Waste Collection service (information at http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/environment-and-planning/recycling-rubbish-and-waste/garden-waste-collections/

There is lots of information about bonfires, including how to complain to Cornwall Council about nuisance fires (repeated incidents by the same person) at https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/environment-and-planning/environmental-protection/environmental-protection-bonfires/.

If you do wish to have a bonfire, please be considerate to your neighbours, choose a time of day that should cause minimum disturbance to neighbours, and perhaps tell them that you intend to have a bonfire at that time, so they have a chance to close their windows and bring in their washing.

Richard Jory playing field, Pulla Cross

Playpark

Unfortunately a few pieces of the play equipment at the Richard Jory playing field have come into disrepair due to wear and tear. The Parish Council have arranged for repairs to be carried out, and are also looking into the possibility of replacing some of the play equipment. If you see equipment taped off, please respect it and do not use the equipment.

Pétanque court

The Parish Council are delighted to have restored the pétanque court at the Richard Jory playing field, back to its former glory. We would like to install some benches and perhaps a picnic table (if you or your business would be interested in sponsoring a bench or picnic table please get in touch), and will also soon have some boules sets and a copy of the rules available to loan (free of charge). With the light summer evenings, why not meet up with friends and try your hand at the game, it's lots of fun! I have already been approached by a few people who would be interested in starting up a team, if you are also keen please contact me on clerk@gwennap-parish.net or 07970 730629.





Before

After

Getting in touch with Gwennap Parish Council Contact our Clerk, Fiona Barnard on: Tel: 07970 730629

E-mail: clerk@gwennap-parish.net Facebook: Gwennap Parish Council



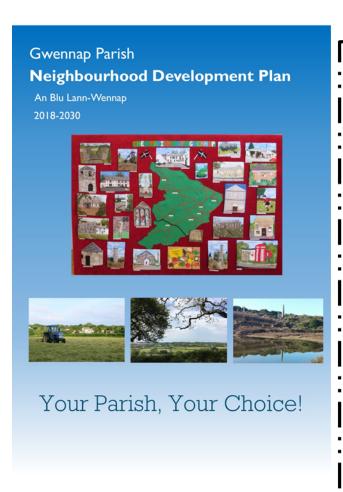
Gwennap Parish Neighbourhood Development Plan

This is YOUR chance to make a difference!

Greetings from GPNDP HQ!

NDP approaching Public Consultation

After almost a year of analysis, surveys, discussion and reviews we are approaching the time when all that hard work will be presented to you for your thoughts. We will start a formal, 6 week consultation with our community in mid June and this will be followed by another round of roadshows in the first 2 weeks of July. There will also be an open day at Richard Jory Playing Field where you can drop in at your leisure for a quick, or long, look. This consultation will be your last chance to make comments before the NDP is formally submitted to Cornwall Council.



Any questions? clerk@gwennap-parish.net

I Roadshows

Cusgarne School Tue 3rd July 6-9pm
Frogpool Chapel Thurs 5th July 6-9pm
Crofthandy Village Hall Mon 9th July 6-9pm
Gwennap Church Hall Wed 11th July 6-9pm

6-7pm view information boards7-7.30pm presentation7.30-9pm view boards, questions, feedback

Open Day

Richard Jory Playing Field Parish Rooms Sat 7th July 1-9pm

A chance to drop in to see the information, view a presentation, ask questions and discuss the proposals with the NDP team.

Watch out for a mailshot through your door with full details of the events and how to view and comment on the documents.

Cornwall Councillor Mark Kaczmarek

Dear Resident

Unity Woods Many users of this very popular public area have been outraged after large areas of trees in this much-loved woodland were suddenly cut down leaving what some have described as "a scene of devastation". Unity Woods, in the Chacewater, St Day and Scorrier area, is an expanse of land owned by Tregothnan Estate that has for decades proved popular with walkers, horse riders, mountain bikers and nature lovers who flock to take in glorious bluebell and primroses blossoms each spring.

I recently visited the area to meet with a group of worried users of Unity Woods, which is part of the Cornwall and West Devon World Heritage Site and is an area of natural beauty that also contains underground mine workings. The felling was contracted out to a local individual for the production of firewood. The result of these works has seen great chunks of this much-loved Historic woodland area totally devastated in appearance and emotions have, quite understandably, been running high. I and the local parish councils will continue to keep a close eye on what is happening in Unity Woods ,Cornwall has few wild woodland spaces left. This is an ancient woodland with vulnerable wildlife species that will be disturbed by the cutting but we don't even know all that's there because there was no wildlife survey before the chainsaws were started up.

"Tregothnan Estate has claimed its commitment to biodiversity but clearing Unity Wood within three or five years will not do this. We totally accept that coppicing can be good for wildlife but the advice we've had is that it needs to be sensitively done."

Wheal Jewel Travellers Site. An update meeting has taken place recently to discuss the actions and assurances that were given back in January to provide better management and enforcement on site. The meeting was very positive and a great deal of work and effort has been put in by the council to improve conditions both on and off site, as a result complaints have dramatically reduced. I will still ask the community to let me know if there are any issues relating to this site and I can hopefully try to get them resolved.

Speed Limits A393 Burncoose to Lanner I have had a number of people contacting me supporting my request to have the speed limit along the A393 reduced to a 40mph. The current limit is the national speed limit of 60 mph past Burncoose and the 50mph from Comford to Lanner. Recent speed surveys demonstrate that most vehicles are driving within the existing speed limit but for most people this limit is too fast especially for this stretch of road. The road has had its fair share of accidents and there was another one on the 30th of May between a car and a bus at Burncoose resulting in the road being closed. Gwennap and Lanner Parish Councils have all written into the Highway and Environment department at Scorrier supporting my request of getting this speed limit lowered.

Community Chest Funding I have now received my annually Community Chest Funding of £2,000 which I can use to support local community groups and organisations across the parishes of Carharrack, Gwennap, St Day. If you want to apply for some funding for your community group or organisation then please contact me.

International Mining Games competition. On the 30th and 31st of March Cornwall hosted the 40th International Mining Games Competition which is like the Olympic games for mining students. Teams of mining students from across the globe competed using many skills now no longer used in modern mining. The events are very challenging and included students shovelling 2 tonnes of stone into a mine wagon as fast as they could, laying railway track, hand drilling, using Holman's Jack Leg/ rocks drills, surveying and cutting through a 6 inching square timber with a hand saw. The two day event was very well attended and was held at King Edward Mine near Troon . On the 1st of April the Man Engine was at Heartlands and presented awards to the overall winners of the competition, and for the first time ever Camborne School of Mines won the competition. The Camborne School of Mines men's and women's teams had received a lot of the mining training and coaching from me and all of their hard work and determination paid off and did Cornwall proud.

Cornwall Councillor Mark Kaczmarek Tinner's Lodge, Pennance Road, Lanner, TR16 5TF Email: mark.kaczmarek@cornwallcouncillors.org.uk Tel: 01209 211366 Mob 07791 746210

Police Community Support Officer's update

We have begun to again receive calls from members of the public regarding the illegal use of Motorbikes in the Wheal Maid Valley. Not only is the Wheal Maid site a Privately owned location but it also has lots of Public Bridleways through it. To ride any motor vehicle on a Public Bridleway is an offence under the Road Traffic Act. If you want to find out more information about this issue, the laws regarding off-road biking and where you can do this legally please visit the Devon and Cornwall Police Website and visit the Your Area part of the site, the area you need to select is Penryn Town, Mylor, Flushing, Perranwell, Gwennap (followed by other rural areas). This will then take you to the Neighbourhood Policing website for the area. Some of the individuals using Off-road bikes at Wheal Maid have been abusive towards members of the public when they have challenged them. It is our advice to stay clear of the Off-road vehicle users, it would be better to observe them and obtain as many distinguishing details about the vehicle and the driver such as colour, make model, registration, name or details of the driver and then report this to the Police as soon as possible using 101. If we are able to dispatch someone to the area then we will but good details about the vehicle and the driver may enable us to catch up with them at a later date if we cannot dispatch someone or if they leave the area prior to our arrival.

We have also had a small number of calls regarding thefts from Motor vehicles which have been left insecure or have had valuable items left on show in the vehicle. Obviously the evenings are a lot lighter now so opportunistic offenders will notice valuable items on show in vehicles (which could include valuable clothing) and take the opportunity to take the items from the vehicle. Please remember to lock your vehicles and homes when you leave them and keep valuable items out of the view of passing people. It is generally very difficult to trace the offenders in these types of crimes therefore making it even harder to retrieve stolen belongings.

I hope that you all have a fun and safe summer, whether you spend it at home or away.

Regards

Ashley PCSO 30640 Ashley Fuller Falmouth Police station PCSO for Penryn Rural

Wheal Maid litter picking volunteers event

A group of down-hill cyclists carried out a litter pick and trail tidy on Sunday 20th May and it was a great success. In total about 30 volunteers helped throughout the morning and collected a good amount or mixed rubbish from across the site.

In addition to the litter pick the group spent time assessing some of the key crossing points where popular riding trails intersect with other paths sometimes used by walkers. By clearing back some of the bramble cover and selectively pruning low branches they hope to have improved safety at these intersections by enhancing sight lines so walkers and riders can see each other more easily, thereby helping to avoid potential collisions.



United Downs Deep Geothermal Power Project

We began site preparation work in mid-March and were initially hampered by bad weather and wet ground conditions. The work involves the removal of waste, levelling the surface, creating concrete pads, constructing drilling cellars, providing power, water and waste infrastructure, installing fencing, gates and lighting, and building temporary site offices. We now hope to finish groundworks by the middle of June and have the site office and visitor facility ready by the end of June.

During June we will also install 'conductor casings' at the location of each deep well. These are 30" diameter steel pipes installed to a depth of 10m to protect any near-surface loose material from the drilling operation. They will be installed by a small water well drilling rig.

The drilling rig we will be using is currently being used to drill and test a geothermal well in Finland and unfortunately this project has fallen further behind schedule. As a result, the rig won't be released for mobilisation to Cornwall until the middle of July. We therefore now expect drilling to begin in early August and finish in February 2019.

The first four stations of our microseismic monitoring system have been installed and are now collecting data. A further three to five stations will follow soon.

Our education programme continues to pick up. We have visited five secondary schools so far and have visits planned to about a dozen primary schools before the end of the school year. We are also in contact with schools about visits and sessions in the Autumn term. Our second educational film, aimed at secondary schools and above, is almost complete.

Once we have the site finished and the office ready for use, we will be organising drop-in sessions for local residents and businesses to visit and find out more about what we are doing.

The project website provides information about geothermal energy in general, and the UDDGP project in particular, and will be kept up to date with news on the programme and site activities.

www.uniteddownsgeothermal.co.uk

Cornwall Search & Rescue Team (West)

Cornwall Search and Rescue Team provide a voluntary inland search and rescue service for Cornwall with the West section operating from a base near St Day. Team members can be called out to help in an emergency 24 hours a day, 365 days a year and so it is vital that we are well trained and prepared. As such we are grateful to Gwennap Parish Council for allowing us access to the Wheal Maid valley for training purposes and the variety of terrain in the valley provides a great range of opportunities to practice our search skills, rescue techniques and casualty evacuations.







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Tues - Sat pm	6.00 - 11.00pm	6.00 - 9.00pm
Sunday am	12.00 - 2.30pm	12.00 - 2.00pm
Sunday pm	6.00 - 11.00pm	6.00 - 8.00pm

^{*} Sat 23rd June - pub closed at lunch time for parish fete *

Quiz Nights

Wednesday 27th June - 8.30pm start (No Quiz Nights in July or August)

Folk Music Evenings continue on the first Sunday evening of the month, 8.30pm start - come along and bring your instrument or just come along to listen.

Our chosen charities this year are Children's Hospice South West and CLEAR (a Truro based charity for abused and deprived children).

Tim, Jane and staff look forward to welcoming you.

FROGPOOL METHODIST CHURCH

Minister Revd. Liz Harris Tel: 01209 820077

Sunday Morning Services 10.45 a.m.

Coffee Mornings are held at the Church from 10.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. each month

Thursday 28th June Thursday 26th July Thursday 30th August Thursday 27th September

Come and enjoy a cup of great coffee or tea and meet other members of your community. Bring & Buy Stall.

175th Chapel Anniversary

Sunday 15th July 10.45am
Preacher Revd. Mo Wills of Camborne

Frogpool's Harvest Festival Services

Sunday 23rd September 10.45am Mrs Rachel Carbis 6.00pm Revd. Liz Harris

Monday 24th September Harvest Supper at 6.00pm followed by sale of perishable goods for Charity

Frogpool Methodist Sunday School Hall or Stable Room (including kitchen facilities) are available for hire.
Enquiries to Mary Richards 01872 863143.

We have a large collection of Jigsaws for hire, cost £1/month.

Reporting direct to Cornwall Council

Did you know that incidents of pot holes or other highways matters and fly tipping can be reported direct to Cornwall Council.

Highways (inc. pot holes, blocked drains, road surfaces, overgrown hedges and verges): www.cornwall.gov.uk/ transport-and-streets/roads-highways-and-pavements/ report-a-problem-with-a-road-highway-or-footway/

Fly tipping: www.cornwall.gov.uk/environment-and-planning/street-care-and-cleaning/refuse-flytipping/ or by telephone 0300 1234141

Wheal Jewel: Complaints about anti-social behaviour, can be reported to Cornwall Housing's Out of Hours Service who will record the complaint and alert staff on the following working day. Their telephone number is 0300 1234 161.

Cornwall Council Mobile Library

The Mobile library will visit Chellean Vean in Frogpool between 4.20-5.00pm on Tuesday 19th June & 17th July.

The library holds a selection of books, novels, large print books, children's books and talking books. DVDs, CDs and music scores can be borrowed on request. More information at www.cornwall.gov.uk/leisure-and-culture/libraries/your-local-library/mobile-library-service or by phoning 01872 272702.

Did you know that if you're a member of the local libraries, you can download eBooks, eAudiobooks, newspapers and magazines to read or listen to at any time on your tablet, smartphone, PC or Mac. Find out more at

ww.cornwall.gov.uk/leisure-and-culture/libraries/your-library-online/ebooks-eaudiobooks-and-emagazines/



Cusgarne Primary School

We are now into the second half of the summer term, and life at Cusgarne School is as busy as ever! During Healthy Schools week KSI enjoyed an active afternoon at Raze The Roof, while KS2 children went climbing at Granite Planet - everyone had a great time, and it was brilliant to see the children enjoying all the physical challenges and having so much fun together. In April some RNLI lifeguards visited and talked to the children about how to stay safe this summer. We have also enjoyed celebrating World Book Day, and it was brilliant to see some of the fantastic costumes worn by pupils and staff alike!

Class I welcomed the children who will be joining Reception in September for some fun activities and story time before half term, it was lovely to meet them all and we look forward to getting to know them. Class 2 have enjoyed a fantastic trip to King Edward's Mine and Class 3 have been to London for a fun-packed trip, visiting the Royal Observatory at Grenwich, the

and Harry Potter World too! We are currently looking for a couple of members supporting the school on the Local Advisory Body, if

London Eye, the Science Museum, the Lyceum Thea-

tre to watch the Lion King, the Houses of Parliament

from the community who would like to be involved in you would be interested please contact the school.

Over the coming weeks we will be enjoying a whole school outing to watch Dr Dolittle at the Minack Theatre, our annual sports day, country dancing at the parish fete, our summer production and the Friends of Cusgarne's Summer Festival at the Richard Jory playing field. Tim Barnard (Acting Head of School)

Useful dates:

13th June Minack Theatre trip, return at 5.30pm 18th June Sports Day (reserve day 19th June) 6th July Cusgarne School Festival at the Richard Jory field 9th July Summer production, afternoon 12th July Summer production, evening 20th July Last day of term, I pm finish (tbc)













Cusgarne Manor

Work has continued at the Manor over the winter and things are gradually taking shape indoors and out. Now the weather is better the repointing work has resumed; nearly the whole house has been pointed now and it's looking great. The back of the house will be painted white with a lime paint as it originally was and the whole of the front of the house will be left as stone. We're taking the level of the driveway behind the house down about 18 inches to its original level and it will receive a nice new granite surface.

We thought it would be interesting to show some pictures of the window renovations being done by our carpenter, Don Kennett. The windows are very special, and are the main reason that the house has a Grade II* listing. The glazing bars are unusually wide at 1½ inches and only the top sashes were designed to open, which dates them to about 300 years old.

The condition of the sashes and boxes were very variable. Some of them were in remarkable condition under all the lead paint but some were badly rotted. Don has

managed to save most of the original glass and is rebuilding and repairing them using a combination of good old-fashioned joinery and a specialist resin repair system which is approved by Historic England. They will all be put back in situ over the summer and will look amazing.

We've been carrying on with our hedge laying and planting schedule over the winter, and are looking forward to our new stable block going up soon. The location of the stables has been a big challenge because there is an enormous water main going across the field exactly where we wanted to put it! Anyway, we've now arrived at a compromise which works well and conforms to the linear layout of the farmstead requested by Historic England.

The plans for all the barns are now complete and we're just waiting on some more bat survey results before they are finally submitted for planning.

Fiona and Graham









Wild flowers in the parish

Spring is such a wonderful time for wild flowers, and they have been spectacular this year. For the last two years the Parish Council have left a patch of grass on the area of land by the bus shelter in Frogpool to grow up, to allow the Lady's Smock to grow (also known as the Cuckoo flower). They are a herbaceous early Spring perennial, with delicate lilac or violet tinted flowers with obvious dark violet veins, and yellow anthers on a sturdy stem, varying in size to around 40cm long, seen from April to June. Look out for them next year! Photo on the right.









Other flowers from around the parish, taken by Joanna Picton https://m.facebook.com/pictonography

Cusgarne & Frogpool WI

Beetles, bakes and booby prizes! The beetle drive that followed voting on our resolution "Mental Health Matters" at our May meeting was a fairly raucous affair with several excellent prizes and a wooden spoon for Mary to whom a six to get started proved elusive on many occasions! I am sure that Mary found the spoon very useful for her contribution to our cake stall at the Gwennap Street market. We raised a wonderful £75 for our funds and would like to thank everyone who bought from us and who stopped to have a chat.

There is always something new to learn about when you are a member of the WI. At our April meeting the speaker was Genevieve Rosier who is a volunteer with Cornwall Air Ambulance. We learnt that it costs £3 million pounds to keep the helicopter service running each year and that this money is made up entirely of donations by members of the public. Parts of Cornwall can be extremely inaccessible making the Cornwall Air Ambulance service an essential charity. Donations from our members that evening totalled almost £60.

The Cornwall Federation held its Spring Countdown meeting at the Hall for Cornwall last month. Two of our members attended and heard speakers inform us of the need for good mental health provision in Cornwall to prevent suicide and of the plans for the new adolescent mental health unit that is being built at Bodmin. Our WI has been proud to campaign for this and to raise money for the charity Invictus Trust which is our charity again for this year.

Come and try your luck as we "man" or "woman" the tombola stall at the village fete on June 23rd at the

Richard Jory playing field. Any donations for the stall would be welcomed, we need prizes for adults and children please.

If you love traditional Cornish food i.e. pasties and a cream tea then look out for posters around the village over the coming months for details of events we are planning both to fundraise for our WI and chosen charity. Our pasty and bingo night was a roaring success last year and our cream tea has become an annual village event. Both will be held at the Parish rooms so please come along and support us.

We have welcomed Gerry; a new member both to the village and our group, and our membership now totals eighteen. If any ladies would like to join us please contact Sandy on 01872 863041. Prospective members can attend their first two meetings for free then pay a reduced subscription of £30.75 at the time of writing. Visitors are charged £3.50 towards the cost of the hall rental and speaker. We are happy to offer lifts or someone to walk into the meeting with the first time. We meet on the first Tuesday of the month at 7.30 pm in the Frogpool Methodist Chapel hall.

We are looking forward to meeting some new speakers during the summer:-

5th June – Glyn Abrahams talking to us about the history of leather

3rd July – Ron Stewart, a resident of Frogpool will play hits from The Shadows on his guitar

7th August – At home with our President, Sue

4th September – Our harvest auction

Sandy (Secretary)

Gwennap Church Town News

SERVICES AT ST. WENNAPA CHURCH

1st Sunday Holy Communion (Book of Common Prayer)

2nd Sunday All Age Worship

3rd Sunday Holy Communion (Common Worship)

4th Sunday Matins (service of morning prayer)

5th Sunday Holy Communion (Common Worship)

Special services:

Sunday 7th October, Harvest Festival I Iam, Holy Communion Monday 8th October, Harvest Supper 6.30pm, in the Church Hall

Everyone is most welcome to join us at our services.

GWENNAP LADIES GUILD

The Guild meets on the fourth Tuesday of each month in the church hall at 2.30pm unless an outing has been arranged. We are always pleased to welcome new members. Contact Sue Martyn on 01872 862670 for further details.

THE COFFEE STOP

We meet each Tuesday from 10.00-11.30am in the Parish Rooms at the Richard Jory Playing Field. We always welcome new comers, so do come and have a cup of coffee/tea and meet neighbours. We plan to have some games of pétanque now the court is ready. We make no charge, but donations for refreshments go to a charity of our choice. Our charity this year is the Cornwall Hospices.



Gwennap Churchyard, May 2018

Phone Vanessa for details if you have not joined us before on 01209 820355.

Gwennap Church & the Coffee Stop will have a stall at the Community Fete on 23rd June, we hope to see you there.

A MUSICAL SUMMER IN GWENAPP CHURCH

In June and July we have a concert each Wednesday evening, 7.30pm – 9.15pm.

June 6th Lowena Singers

June 13th Goonvrea Singers

June 20th Trengilly Singers

June 27th Eight – in –a – bar

July 4th Jazz

July I Ith Menherion Ladies Choir

July 18th St. Stythians MVC

July 25th Kerrier Male Voice Choir

Refreshments and Sale table

We look forward to welcoming you

For more information ring Vanessa on 01209 820355

Gwennap Horticultural Society

21st June - Visit to Trevenna Cross - Propogating Nursery, Breage, Helston

16th August - Coach Visit to Marwood Hill Gardens, Barnstaple

20th September - Talk by Robin Hill - Garden at Andrew's Corner - Fifty Years Gardening on Dartmoor

22nd September - Visit to the National Dahlia Collection at Varfell Farm, Long Rock, Penzance

11th October - Annual Dinner

18th October - Talk by Darren Hawkes (Chelsea Flower Show 2017 Gold Medal Winner) on "Landscape Design and the Preparation of a Show Garden for Chelsea"

Full details can be obtained from Secretary - Susan McCrossan on 01872 870320.

Hicks Mill & Point Mills News



HICKS MILL METHODIST CHURCH

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Morning Services are held at 10.30 am

All are welcome

Some services are shared with neighbouring chapels, please ring 01209 821474 to confirm location.

<u>Chapel Anniversary</u> – Sunday 19 August, to be led by Mrs Linda Baines

<u>Harvest Festival</u> – Sunday 9 September, to be led by Rev Mark Liddicoat

You are invited to come and celebrate these special days with us.

Do you have old mobile phones or used printer cartridges?

Regardless of their condition Robert Cook is collecting them for **The Camborne Town Band Music Society** (registered charity no: 1135992), Cornwall's most famous and successful Town and Youth Brass Bands.

Please contact Robert on 01872870114 or 07763407227 for further details or alternatively just wrap and put them through his letterbox at 14 Treneglos, Frogpool, TR4 8RT.

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Having a party or function? We deliver freshly baked pasties etc any time of the day or evening.

07891 434 446

Richard Jory Playing Field Youth Group

First of all, we would like to thank everybody for continuing to support and attend our youth group. We have had great attendances ever since we launched and we hope that we can continue to do so in the future. However, we do have room for more young people to come along – especially in the older group – and we always welcome new members!

We write this as May half-term approaches, in which we are planning to run a fun day of team competitions, of both a sports-based nature and more random and silly tasks. We hope that this runs as smoothly as our activities in the Easter holidays, in which we took a trip to Jump4 trampoline park and also held a small football competition at Richard Jory playing fields!

We are also currently in the stage of planning our summer activities. We tend to run a number of activities and trips over the summer holidays. There will be a list of trips available to the young people

issued at youth club soon and we operate on a first-come, first-served basis in terms of booking on these. We are very welcome to new ideas for trips, activities and destinations though, so let us know if you can think of any!

Finally, thanks to the Parish Council, we have been lucky enough to receive some new football goals for the youth group, which are much larger and sturdier than the ones we have been using up until now, so hopefully we can continue to make use of the outside area and the great weather we have been treated to recently. We also have some funding bids in, so we are always keeping an eye out for new resources we can buy which will benefit the young people. Again, any suggestions for this would be great.

We have applied for some funding through Calor gas community fund for equipment in the youth club. Voting is between May 25th and June 29th. Please vote for us by going to www.calor.co.uk/



communityfund, sign up and find us: 'Richard Jory Youth Club' - you can vote up to 10 times!

Thank-you once again to everyone helping and supporting the youth group. We hope that this will continue and that we can keep our regularly high numbers of young people attending!

As a reminder, we run every Friday evening, with few exceptions. 5:15-6:45pm for 8-11 year olds and 7:00-8:30 for those aged 11-18 (11 year olds can decide which group they would prefer to attend, but can not attend both)! Please check our Facebook group for regular updates – search 'Richard Jory Playing Fields Youth Group' or call our office with any urgent enquiries – 01872 222477.

Cusgarne & Frogpool Football Club

Frogpool have enjoyed good 2017/2018 campaigns on the whole.

I start with the first team who have finished 5th and just missed out on promotion to division one. A few defeats in 2018 have cost them from finishing third. The first teams record was played 26 games, won 12, drawn 5 and losing 7. We scored 46 goals and conceded 46. Special thanks to Ltc Scaffolding for their continued support, new kit is on the way for next season as they continue as sponsors, which they have done since 2006.

Thank you to Nick and Michelle Mallaber who have done a great job despite a small squad of players to pick from and a small group to assist and the massive task of keeping two teams going. Nick and Michelle have been associated with Frogpool Fc for 27 years, and have worked amazingly hard at creating a family atmosphere at the club and making both teams competitive. They have decided to step down from managing the first team squad to concentrate on their family. We wish them all the best, and from all of the supporters, players and football people in Cornwall they will be sorely missed.

The second team have performed amazingly well and

secured the division 3 title on Saturday the 19th of May in a top of the table clash against New inn Titans. They have scored an incredible 109 goals a Special mention to Jack Froud for scoring 27 goals in 25 appearances, Lewis Bax for starting all 28 league games, club captain Tom Campbell has also been instrumental with Charlie Martin and forming a solid spine through out the side along with talented Sam Bromley. The second team is based on youth and a vast majority of the squad are in their early 20s. Their talented manager Dan Templeton has really got them playing some entertaining football and to score over 100 goals is a great achievement.

Both teams would like to thank Tim and Jane at the Cornish Arms for their support and friendly pub atmosphere. Great that the local pub supports their local football teams.

We would like to thank all of the Frogpool supporters including local parishioners Tom Hamblin, Alan Blamey, Brian Pill and Paul Withey.

For a small village to have two football teams competing and doing well is very rare these days.

See you all next season.

Parish Rooms, Richard Jory Playing Field, Pulla Cross

Gwennap Parish Community FeteSaturday 23rd June 12-3pm

Come along with friends and family to this year's fete at the Richard Jory Playing Fields Pulla Cross on Saturday 23rd June 12.00-3.00pm. The fete is our annual get together for ALL parishioners.

Wonderful new events as well as our favourites

To name but a few:-

- * Pimm's & Ale
- Double Bounce Rhythm and Blues 10 piece band supporting Lanner Silver Band
- * Competition with prizes so do enter Funny Funky Planters. Yes kids have a go too! Anything goes!
- * Free face painting
- Free children's entertainments (including a bouncy castle, zorb balls & crazy golf)
- Pete's pasties- always hot and fresh on the day
- * Circus workshop for all
- Displays of vintage cars and tractors
- * Steam tractor huffing and puffing
- * Country dancing by children of Cusgarne School
- * Craft stalls

Plus loads of other goodies so do come, especially if you have never been before!

If there is anyone who would like to have a stall at the Fete please contact Mary on 01872 863143. You will need to provide your own table and gazebo. We ask that you donate 10% of your day's takings to Fete funds. There is still space available for a few more.

Would you be willing to help run a stall or sideshow on behalf of the Fete committee, please contact us?

Once again there will be a display of vintage vehicles. Vehicles must be parked by 11.30 am. If you have a car, motorcycle or tractor you would like to bring along we would be pleased to accommodate you. Further details from Mary on 01872 863143.



• Free children's games & entertainments (inc. bouncy castle and crazy golf) • Face painting • Craft & plant stalls • Refreshments, cream teas, light snacks, hot pasties • Ice creams • Tombola • Raffle inc. a £50 cash prize • Country dancing by children of Cusgarne Primary School • Vintage cars & tractors • Funny funky planters competition • Book stall • 'Find the wine' • Cake stall

Donations of books wanted for the Fete book stall please, in particular children's books. Will willingly collect. Thanks. Alan Blamey, 01872 864601.

Car boot sales

The 2018 Car Boot season started in April. The car boots are held on the first and third Sunday between April and September, at the Richard Jory playing field, Pulla Cross. Gates open at 7am. It's only £3.50/boot for sellers, admission and parking is free for buyers and refreshments are available to buy, along with crafts and plants, so come along and support this lovely community event. Contact Ann on 07808 393874 for more information. Sorry, no dogs allowed.

The 2018 dates are:

April 1st & 15th
May 6th & 20th
June 3rd & 17th
July 1st & 15th
August 5th & 19th
September 2nd & 16th

Sue's Recipe





LEMON & ELDERFLOWER CAKE

(serves 10-12)

I had some girlfriends over to watch the wedding of Prince Harry to Meghan Markle. I decided this would be the perfect cake for us to celebrate the occasion with as it was the one they chose for their wedding. My husband, who made himself scarce during the whole event, sampled the cake afterwards and said that I could make it again – praise indeed.

Preheat oven: 180°C/160°C fan/350°F/Gas 4

2 x 20cm/8in sandwich cake tins - line bottoms and sides (to come above top of tins) with baking parchment

Cake

400g/14oz unsalted butter 400g/14oz caster sugar Zest of one lemon 8 medium eggs, beaten 100ml/4fl.oz elderflower cordial 400g/14oz self raising flour 2tsp baking powder



Buttercream

250g/8oz unsalted butter, softened 550g/1lb icing sugar, sieved 70ml/2½fl.oz elderflower cordial Juice of one lemon

Beat the eggs, sugar and lemon zest together until light and fluffy. Stir the elderflower cordial into the beaten eggs. Sieve the flour with the baking powder. Gradually add the egg mixture alternating it with the flour. Pour into the prepared cake tins, dividing equally.

Bake for 30 minutes or longer until the tops spring back and a knife inserted in the centre comes out clean. Cool in the tins before turning out.

To make the buttercream use a food mixer to beat the icing sugar into the butter, a tablespoon at a time, until it is light and fluffy. Gradually beat in the elderflower cordial then add as much lemon juice as you can taking care not to let the buttercream "split".

Sandwich the cakes together with the buttercream and then spread the rest on the top. Decorate if you wish with whatever you have to hand. The cake freezes beautifully if you want to make it in advance.

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Supporting community events



Gwennap Parish Neighbourhood **Development Plan Roadshows**

Don't forget to come along to one of the Neighbourhood Development Plan Roadshow events or Open Day:

Roadshows

Cusgarne School Tue 3rd July 6-9pm Frogpool Chapel Thurs 5th July 6-9pm Crofthandy Village Hall Mon 9th July 6

Gwennap Church Hall Wed 11th July 6-9pm

> 6-7pm view information boards 7-7.30pm presentation 7.30-9pm view boards, questions, feedback

Open Day

Parish Rooms, Richard Jory Playing Field Sat 7th July 1-9pm

A chance to drop in to see the information, view a presentation, ask questions and discuss the proposals with the NDP team.

We look forward to seeing you!

BAT LOVERS WANTED

Are you and/or your children interested in bats? Gwennap Parish need interested members of the community to support an exciting project. Please phone Vanessa on 01209 820355.

Carnon Downs Drama Group News

red charity number 214929

Unfortunately we have been unable to cast our summer Punch & Judy show so we won't performing at the fete as we had hoped.

We are still hopeful that we will get a merry band of full sized humans together to perform the show at Trebah Gardens on 18 August and it would be lovely to see you there.

Our next production is Joe Orton's farce "What The Butler Saw", performances at The Perranwell Centre 4-6 October.

Christmas will soon be here which means CDDG are also gearing up for their pantomime "Toon 'n' Come

In" which has been written by Joyce Bassett and will be directed by Pam Furnish.

The pantomime is open to anyone aged 7 years upwards and it would be lovely to have some new faces join our merry band as they travel through time to the ancient pyramids of Egypt to rescue the princess and find the treasure. The audition date will be late September / early October and all the information will be posted on our facebook page - Carnon Downs Drama Group and on our website.

www.carnondownsdrama.co.uk so please check them out.

Until next time, have a fabulous summer everyone.







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Frogpool Tadpoles Toddler Group

This new stay and play toddler group started up in the spring and is proving to be hugely popular. It is held every Monday morning 9-10.30am at the Parish Rooms at the Richard Jory playing field, for children aged 0-5 and their parents/carers (term time only). Cost £2 for first child, siblings £1. Either Monday or Wednesday morning at 9am. It is run by two DBS checked, Ofsted registered childminders, who hold first aid certificates. Text or phone Ann 07808 393 874 for more information.



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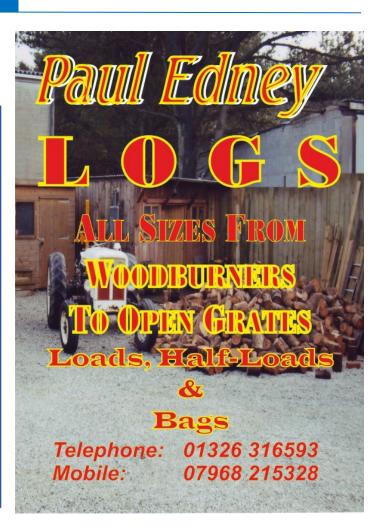
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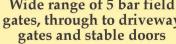
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What's On June - September

June Mobile Library, Chellean Vean, Frogpool, 4.20-5.00pm 18th Summer Music, St. Stythians MVC, Gwennap Church, 12th Coffee Stop at the Parish Rooms, 10.00-11.30am 7.30- 9.15pm I3th Summer Music, Goonvrea Singers, Gwennap Church, 19th Gwennap Parish Council meeting at the parish rooms, 7.30- 9.15pm Richard Jory playing field, at 7pm Car Boot Sale, Richard Jory playing field, gates open 7am l7th 20th Cusgarne School last day of term, Ipm finish (tbc) 18th Cusgarne School's Sports Day at the Richard Jory playing field 24th Coffee Stop at the Parish Rooms, 10.00-11.30am 19th Coffee Stop at the Parish Rooms, 10.00-11.30am 24th Gwennap Ladies Guild, Gwennap Church hall, 2.30pm 25th Summer Music, Kerrier Male Voice Choir, Gwennap 19th Mobile Library, Chellean Vean, Frogpool, 4.20-5.00pm Church, 7.30-9.15pm Summer Music, Trengilly Singers, Gwennap Church, 7.30-26th Coffee morning, Frogpool Chapel 10.30-11.30am 9.15pm 21st Gwennap Horticultural Society visit to Trevena Cross, Coffee Stop at the Parish Rooms, 10.00-11.30am 31st 21st Gwennap Parish Council meeting at the parish rooms, August Richard Jory playing field, at 7pm 5th Car Boot Sale, Richard Jory playing field, gates open 7am 23rd Gwennap Parish Annual Community Fete 12-3pm, Rich-7th Coffee Stop at the Parish Rooms, 10.00-11.30am Jory playing field ard 7th Cusgarne & Frogpool WI meeting, Frogpool Methodist 26th Coffee Stop at the Parish Rooms, 10.00-11.30am Hall, 7.30pm 26th Gwennap Ladies Guild, Gwennap Church hall, 2.30pm l 4th Coffee Stop at the Parish Rooms, 10.00-11.30am 27th Summer Music, Eight-in-a-bar, Gwennap Church, 7.30-Gwennap Horticultural Society trip to Marwood Hill l 6th 9.15pm 27th Quiz Night at the Cornish Arms, 8.30pm start l 6th Gwennap Parish Council meeting at the parish rooms, Richard Jory playing field, at 7pm 28th Coffee morning, Frogpool Chapel 10.30-11.30am CDDG performing at Trebah Gardens l8th July Car Boot Sale, Richard Jory playing field, gates open 7am l 9th lst Car Boot Sale, Richard Jory playing field, gates open 7am 19th Hicks Mill Methodist Church Anniversary service lst Folk Music evening at the Cornish Arms, 8.30pm 21st Coffee Stop at the Parish Rooms, 10.00-11.30am Coffee Stop at the Parish Rooms, 10.00-11.30am 3rd 28th Coffee Stop at the Parish Rooms, 10.00-11.30am 3rd Neighbourhood Development Plan Roadshow, Cusgarne 28th Gwennap Ladies Guild, Gwennap Church hall, 2.30pm School, 6-9pm Coffee morning, Frogpool Chapel 10.30- 11.30am 30th Cusgarne & Frogpool WI meeting, Frogpool Methodist 3rd Hall, 7.30pm September 4th Summer Music, Jazz, Gwennap Church, 7.30-9.15pm 2nd Car Boot Sale, Richard Jory playing field, gates open 7am 5th Neighbourhood Development Plan Roadshow, Frogpool 4th Coffee Stop at the Parish Rooms, 10.00-11.30am Chapel, 6-9pm Cusgarne & Frogpool WI harvest auction, Frogpool 4th 6th Cusgarne School Festival, 4.30pm til late at the Richard Methodist Hall, 7.30pm Jory playing field, with live music & games 9th Harvest Festival, Hicks Mill Methodist Church 7th Neighbourhood Development Plan Open Day, Parish Coffee Stop at the Parish Rooms, 10.00-11.30am llth Rooms, 1-9pm l 6th Car Boot Sale, Richard Jory playing field, gates open 7am 9th Cusgarne School summer production, afternoon 18th Coffee Stop at the Parish Rooms, 10.00-11.30am performance 9th Neighbourhood Development Plan Roadshow, 20th Gwennap Horticultural Society, talk by Robin Hill Crofthandy Village Hall, 6-9pm 20th Gwennap Parish Council meeting at the parish rooms, 10th Coffee Stop at the Parish Rooms, 10.00-11.30am Richard Jory playing field, at 7pm Summer Music, Menherion Ladies Choir, Gwennap Gwennap Horticultural Society visit to National Dahlia 22nd Church, 7.30-9.15pm Collection at Varfell Farm Harvest Festival, Frogpool Methodist Church, 10.45am 11th Neighbourhood Development Plan Roadshow, Gwennap 23rd Church Hall, 6-9pm 12th Cusgarne School summer production, evening 24th Harvest Supper & Sale, Frogpool Methodist Church, 6pm performance 25th Coffee Stop at the Parish Rooms, 10.00-11.30am 15th Car Boot Sale, Richard Jory playing field, gates open 7am 25th Gwennap Ladies Guild, Gwennap Church hall, 2.30pm 15th 175th Anniversary, Frogpool Chapel, 10.45am 27th Coffee morning, Frogpool Chapel, 10.30-11.30am

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