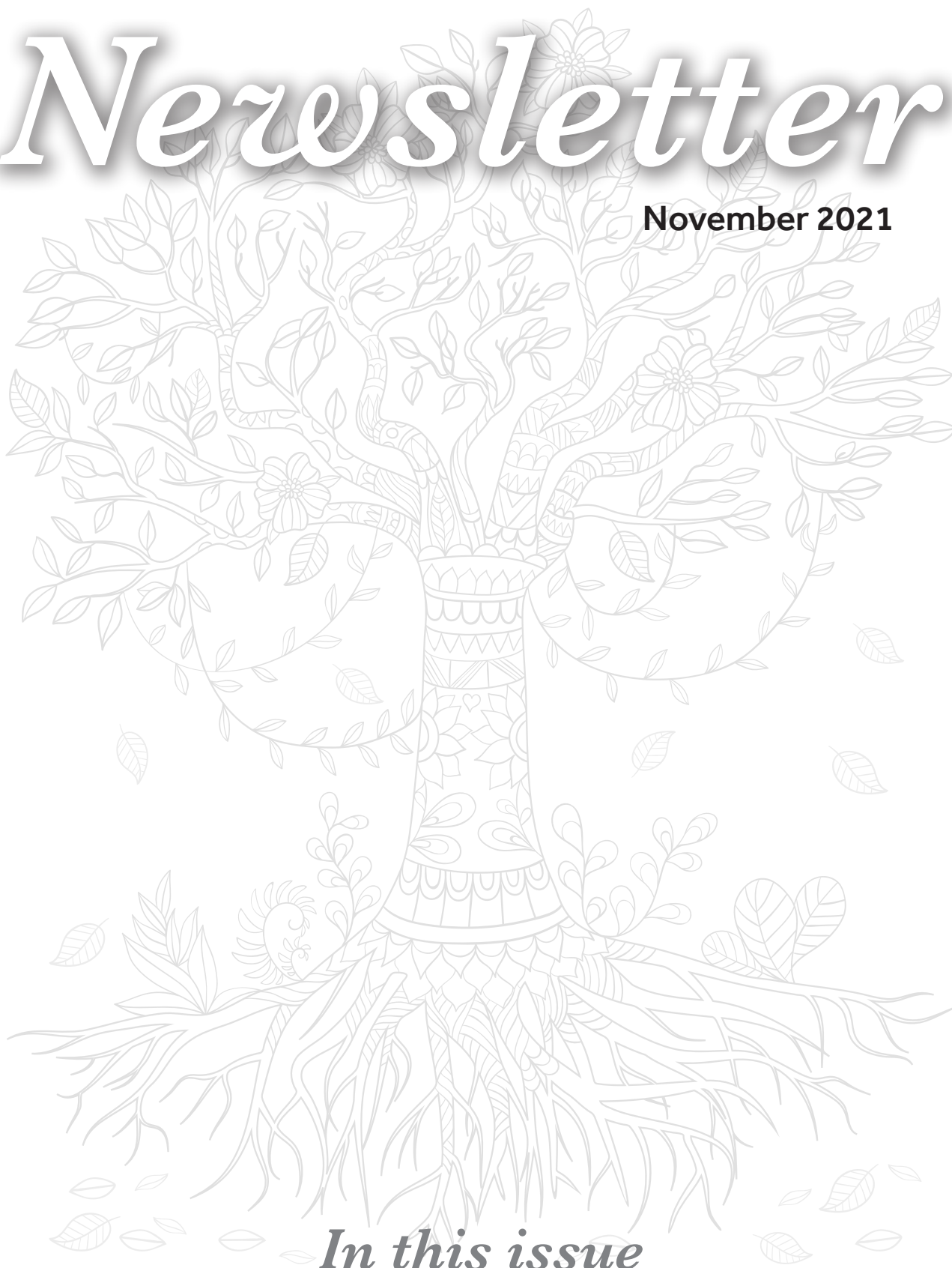


Cheriton Bishop & Crockernwell

Newsletter

November 2021



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Useful Information

Doctors and Healthcare

Doctors Surgery: 01647 24272 or 01647 24025

Surgery: 8am to 9.30am, Monday to Friday - no appointment needed. **Out of Hours:** Call 111. **Emergency:** Call 999

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Emergency Services

Electricity: 0800 365 900

Gas: 0800 111 999

Water: 0344 346 2020

Highways Agency: 0300 123 5000

Streetlights, potholes: 0345 155 1004, email: csc.roads@devon.gov.uk

Police

Non-emergency: 101

Crimestoppers: 0800 555 111

Neighbourhood Watch: Jean Martin - 01647 24586

Schools and Local Organisations

Cheriton Bishop Primary School: 01647 24817 (term time only)

Head Teacher: Robin Scott, Secretary: Linda McCracken, Chair of Governors: Jo Carter, PTFA: Dee Studholme-Côté

Cheriton Bishop Pre-school: 01647 281205 - Play Leader: Christine Grist

Acorn Community Support: 01647 252701

Beavers, Cubs and Scouts: Ollie Milverton - 07706 695928

Young Farmers: Georgina Bowden - 07713 164553

Walking Group: Dennis Milton - 01647 272844 and Jon Whitehead - 01647 281454

Farming Community Networks (FCNs) helpline: 0300 111999 or Joanne Jones - 07897 540278

Churches

Anglican Team Ministry: Rev. Martin Wood, The Rectory, Church Lane, Cheriton Bishop - 01647 24119, Tuesday to Sunday
Church Warden: Alan Greenslade - 01647 24002

Crockernwell Church: Rev. Julian Albrow, 21 Dunsford Road, Exeter, EX4 1LG - 01392 255791
Church Secretary: Mrs A MacDonald - 01647 24446

West Down Chapel: Derek Coren - 01647 24264

Halls & Meeting Rooms

Village Hall: Tim Gorringe - 01647 24789

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Local Authorities

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Welcome to the Newsletter

November 2021

This month's newsletter is jam-packed full of interesting information and wonderful articles! It has taken me quite some time to squeeze it all in while maintaining the 'highly professional' look of the thing!

I think you may particularly enjoy the two full pages dedicated to our school. They have an end of term round-up of what they've been up to plus lots of open day information available. If you do have a youngster starting school, I would definitely recommend attending one of the 'Welly Walk' open days on Tuesdays throughout November!

This newsletter has various groups with 'Christmas Wreath' making events. We have events organised with West Country Embroiderers, The Gardening Club, and the PTFA! You can attend all three and make various styles of wreaths in a range of media!

Other Christmassy events coming up are: Christmas Pudding workshops with Ground

Up Cookery School; Acorn's Christmas Lunch at the Red Lion; the 'Santa's on the Run' event for the children's hospice; the PTFA Village Fayre: a Christmas Concert from The Chagford Singers; and finally, we have exciting news that our very own St. Mary's are assembling a choir who will be learning and singing Christmas Carols.

But, back to November, we also have Remembrance Day events including: Act of Remembrance on Sunday 14th November, 10.55am at Cheriton Cross followed afterwards with a Remembrance Service, 11.15am at the Village Hall.

Please don't forget that the next Newsletter is a joint edition and the deadline for articles and information for December and January will be 20th November.

Take care all.

Lucy x

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Regular Diary Dates

Meetings, Hobbies & Interests

Art @ Caribarn Studio, Pitton Barton

Every last Friday of the month 9.30am - 12.30pm. Contact: Sue Bloomfield - 01647 24840

Beavers (6 - 8 yrs) - Every Thursday (term time only). Contact: Ollie Milverton - 07706 695928

Cheriton Bishop Baby & Toddler Group

Fridays, 9am - 11am, School Hall. Find us on Facebook

Cheriton Bishop Lunch Club

The first Tuesday of each month at The Red Lion. Contact: Jean Martin 01647 24586

Cubs (8 - 10 yrs) - Thursdays (term time only). Contact: Ollie Milverton - 07706 695928

Cuppa and a Chat at Spalding Hall - Every third Monday in the month, 2pm - 4pm

Contact: Paul Mitchell 01647 24405 or Jean Martin 01647 24586

Curry and a Quiz at The Old Thatch Inn - Every last Sunday in the month, Curry from 6pm - 7pm. Quiz at 7.30pm. Contact: 01647 24204

Gardening Club - Every third Monday evening in the month (Autumn & Winter)

Contact: Janet Jeffery - 01647 24414

Live & Kicking in the Village

Every first Tuesday evening in the month at The Old Thatch Inn. Contact: 01647 24204

Parish Council

Every second Monday evening in the month. Contact: Rachel Hodder - 01363 85523

Pilates - Thursday mornings, 8.55am and 10am (term time). Contact: Adele - 07976 427941

Pre-School - Monday to Thursday, 9am to 3.15pm, Contact: Christine Grist - 01647 281205

Scouts (10 - 14 yrs) - Monday evenings (term time). Contact: Ollie Milverton - 07706 695928

Short Mat Bowling - Wednesday evenings 7.30pm - 9.30pm, September to May,

Contact: David Tripp - 01647 24582

Spiritual Discussion Group - Contact: Penny Gare - 01647 24639

Monthly Walking Group - For daytime walks see the CB Walking Group Facebook page

Contact: Dennis Milton - 01647 272844 or Jon Whitehead - 01647 281454

West Country Embroiderers - Every first Tuesday afternoon in the month

Contact: Elaine Clark - elainejclark@hotmail.co.uk Website: **wcecheritonbishop**

West Down Bible Study & Prayer

Every Monday evening from October to May. Contact: Derek Coren - 01647 24264

Young Farmers

Every 1st and 3rd Tuesday evening in the month. Contact: Georgina Bowden - 07713 164553

Keep Me Updated

Please email cheritonnews@gmail.com if you need to add a fixture, or update / delete details and information on an existing fixture in this section. Thank you.

Dates for your Diary

November 2021

1st	Acorn Minibus trip to Sainsbury's	See page 10
2nd	Acorn Lunch	The Red Lion 12.30pm
2nd	Open Mic Night	The Old Thatch Page 4
2nd	West Country Embroiderers	CB Village Hall 12-4pm
13th	St. Mary's Churchyard Working Day and Lunch	10am
14th	Remembrance Day	Cheriton Cross 10.55am
15th	Acorn Minibus trip to Sainsbury's	See page 10
15th	Cuppa & a Chat	Spalding Hall 2-4pm
15th	Gardening Club: Fungi Talk	CB Village Hall 7.30pm
23rd	Acorn Minibus Outing to Tavistock Market	See page 10
29th	Acorn Minibus trip to Sainsbury's	See page 10
29th	PTFA Wreath Making (pg 7)	School Hall 7pm-9pm
30th	PTFA Wreath Making	SOLD OUT 7pm-9pm

Mobile Library

Tuesdays 2nd and 30th November

Village	Stop	Arrive	Depart
Drewsteignton	Square	12:10	12:30
Clifford Bridge	Clifford Bridge	13:30	13:50
Crockernwell	Stanbury's Orchard	14:10	14:40
Cheriton Bishop	Glebelands	14:50	15:45

For information, visit [Facebook.com/devonmobilelibraries](https://www.facebook.com/devonmobilelibraries), twitter.com/devonmobilelibs, [devonlibraries.org.uk](https://www.devonlibraries.org.uk) or contact info@librariesunlimited.org.uk or **0345 155 1001**

Waste Collection: November

Mon	1	8	15	22	29
Tues	2	9	16	23	30

Food waste, recycling boxes & black sacks
 Food waste, Opt-in garden waste



Copy Deadline

All articles and info for the December 2021 & January 2022 joint issue needs to be received by:

Saturday 20th November

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What's On?

Live Music in the Village

**Tuesday 2nd November,
The Old Thatch Inn**

Open Mic nights have been revived after a lapse of a few years at The Old Thatch Inn, running on the first Tuesday of each month.



Musicians and performers can chalk their name up on the board and get a slot to sing, play or recite. These evenings provide an opportunity for musicians to practice playing in a relaxed, friendly and supportive environment, pick up tips and swap information, and see who else is playing music in the area. Also of course just to have a lot of fun. Beginners are as welcome as more experienced players, as is anyone who just wants to come along and enjoy the music.

So... if you're still reading, and you want to find out what it's all about, join us at the next Open Mic – see you there. Let's keep music alive and kicking in the village!

Steve Colderick

Ground Up Cookery School

November Classes:

Fish & Shellfish Cookery

Saturday 6th November - £155, full day

Christmas Pudding Workshop

Sat 20th & Sat 27th November - £45, 2 hours

Family Christmas Pudding Workshop

Sat 20th November - £45, £10 Children, 2 hours

December Classes:

Christmas Shopping Open Day

Friday 3rd December - Try, taste & buy!

For details, visit: www.groundupcookeryschool.co.uk
Ground Up Cookery School, Higher Fingle Farm,
Crockernwell, EX6 6NP **01647 782022** (9:30am - 5pm)
info@groundupcookery.co.uk

Acorn Lunch

**Tuesday 2nd November,
12.30pm, Red Lion, Tedburn SM**

Menu

1. Scampi Chips & Peas
2. Sweet & Sour Chicken
3. Vegetable Jambalaya
4. Ice cream
5. Treacle Tart with Custard or Cream
6. Chocolate Brownie and Cream



£9.00 per person.

£10 to include tea or coffee.

Call Jean on **01647 24586** to book your place (including transport, if required) and to give her the numbers of your menu choices *before 30th October please.*

Xmas Lunch

**Tuesday 7th December
12.30pm, Red Lion, Tedburn SM**

Menu

Glass of wine or Fruit Juice

1. Turkey with all the trimmings.
2. Festive Nut Roast
3. Ice cream
4. Christmas Pudding & Custard
5. Chocolate Yule Log & Cream

Tea or Coffee

£13.00 per person.



Call Jean on **01647 24586** to book your place (including transport, if required) and to give her the numbers of your menu choices *before 4th December please.*

What's On?

WC Embroiderer, Textiles & Mixed Media

Christmas and Autumn wreaths with Louise Nichols. Following a very successful AGM last month and a Day School with Cat Rowe, textile illustrator from Cornwall, we welcome Louise back to Cheriton Bishop.

Xmas & Autumn Wreaths

**Tuesday 2nd November, 12pm-4pm,
Cheriton Bishop Village Hall**

Inspirational textile crafter, Louise Nichols, will guide us through decorative wreaths.

Members have a choice of working together on a wreath or purchasing their own kit. This will be an opportunity to decorate felt leaves and manipulate to create our one-off designs.

New Members are Always Welcome

You do not have to be an accomplished crafter, just bring enthusiasm and have a go. Annual membership is just £25. Contact me via email if you have any questions.

Elaine Clarke, elainejclark@hotmail.co.uk

Churches Together Remembrance Day

Sunday 14th November

Act of Remembrance, 10.55am at Cheriton Cross followed by a Remembrance Service at the Village Hall at 11.15am.

Cuppa and a Chat and 'The Great Little Book Swap'

**Monday 15th November, 2-4pm,
Spalding Hall**

Everyone welcome; coffee, tea, soft drinks, biscuits and sometimes cake. No charge but small donations always welcome to help with the costs.

Bring up to two paperback novels, biographies or the like – preferably lately published (in good condition please), and swap for up to two on the shelf.

Then if you wish - stay with us for a drink and a bit of company for as long as you like.

**Paul Mitchell
01647 24405**



Gardening Club News

We had a good meeting in October when the new projector and larger screen did justice to Paul Moody's wonderful photos of local woods, and their flora and fauna. There is currently a display of his work at the Anglers Rest at Fingle Bridge for those who missed the meeting.

Because of the lockdown the club has not really functioned over the last 18 months, so at the AGM, all the current officers were re-appointed and we ignored the 3-year rule. The committee would love to have another one or two people join the committee to learn the ropes. We usually meet 3 to 4 times a year, where we drink coffee, eat cake, laugh a lot and make a few decisions about holding shows, booking speakers and when to have the annual dinner. (We are considering holding it in the Spring).

Fungi with Michael Jordan

Monday 15th November, 7.30pm, Village Hall

The importance of fungi in the plant world is gradually being understood, especially in the world of trees, and all are welcome to join us.



Christmas Wreaths

Monday 13th December, Village Hall

Making Christmas wreaths and serving seasonal refreshments. We are very happy for older children to come with a parent.

Seed Catalogues

If you would like a catalogue, please contact me. Orders have to be in by 22nd November in order to get the maximum discount.

**Janet Jeffery
01647 24414**

What's On?

Cheriton Bishop School PTFA

Wreath Making Event

Monday 29th November, 7pm - 9pm,

Tuesday 30th November, 7pm - 9pm,

Cheriton Bishop School Hall

Christmas wreath making with Jo of Brambleside Flora. Nibbles and hot drinks included. Bring your own wine!

£25 per ticket - take home your creation

Tickets in advance, contact ptfacheritonbishop@gmail.com



Limited tickets available



Village Christmas Fayre

Friday 10th December, 5pm - 7pm,
Cheriton Bishop Village Hall

- Bar & Food • Grand Raffle •
- Stall Holders • Silent Auction •
- Meet Santa • Music • Games •
- And more...

For more information please contact ptfacheritonbishop@gmail.com or [Facebook.com/CBSchoolPTFA](https://www.facebook.com/CBSchoolPTFA)

A free event for the whole community to enjoy!

The Old Thatch Inn

Opening Times and Information

Mondays CLOSED ALL DAY

Tuesdays CLOSED ALL DAY, except Open Mic Nights - 1st Tuesday of the month only, 4pm-11pm. No food service

Wednesdays Bar is open from 4pm - 11pm
Food served 6pm - 9pm

Thursdays Bar is open from 12pm - 11pm
Food served from 6pm - 9pm

Fridays Bar is open from 12pm - 11pm
Food served from 12pm - 2.30pm and from 6pm - 9pm

Saturdays Bar is open from 12pm - 11pm
Food served from 12pm - 2.30pm and from 6pm - 9pm

Sundays Bar is open from 12pm - 11pm
Food served from 12pm - 2.30pm only

'Santa's on the Run' Goes Freestyle

Sunday 5th December,
RHS Garden Rosemoor,
near Great Torrington

Children's Hospice South West's spectacular Santa's on the Run Goes Freestyle is returning in December. The festive, fun 2k course is suitable for all ages and abilities and there will be plenty of festive treats and surprises to enjoy along the way.

"It's the perfect way to get everyone in the mood for Christmas and raise a few pounds for your local children's hospice," says CHSW fundraiser Emma Perry.

Tickets are £10 per adult, £5 per child (under twos are free).

www.chsw.org.uk/santas

Join the Santas on the Run Goes Freestyle Facebook group: www.facebook.com/groups/santasontherun

Andy Keeble

Senior Media Officer
Children's Hospice South West



children's hospice
SOUTH WEST

What's On?

The Scout's Christmas Tree Sale

Sunday 5th and Sunday 12th December, 10am till 4pm
Crofters Mead Scout Field

Netting will be available (of trees, not scouts!) and we will be operating handwashing and social distancing. We look forward to welcoming you.

Andrew, Chair & Group Scout Leader



Walking Group



Now we've entered into autumn, we have ended our very successful evening walks and resumed the daytime walks. It is our intention to do a couple of longer excursions, weather permitting, so keep an eye out on the Facebook page.

It is pleasing to meet new faces on our walks and everyone is welcome, not just from Cheriton. We are now averaging between 10 and 20 people on each walk (plus dogs) which is very pleasing!

Jon & Dennis

Chagford Singers

Wednesdays, 7.30pm, Jubilee Hall, Chagford

Chagford Singers are pleased to announce that we will be meeting to sing again under the direction of our new Musical Director, Daniel Maw.

We are a friendly, non-audition SATB choir, singing mainly sacred but also secular works.

This term we will be preparing for a Christmas concert in St. Michael's Church, Chagford on Saturday 11th December.

All are welcome to join us. We believe strongly that singing together is good for health and well-being so, if you've ever considered singing in a choir, or are a seasoned choral singer, come along and see what we are about.

Jan Baker

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www.chagfordsingers.co.uk



Bag it... Bin it!

Always
clean up
your dog's
mess.



Thank you.

Polite Notice to Villagers



Dog Walkers

I have been asked to remind villagers that dogs are not allowed onto the school grounds at any time and should not be exercised there. Thank you.

Lucy Cooper

Letters to the Editor

Free Driving Workshop For Senior Drivers!

Devon County Council and Red One share a mutual goal to reduce the number of collisions/deaths on our county's roads, at present we are focusing on helping senior drivers and have formed the Driving Safer for Longer partnership. Together we are committed to helping people to retain their independent mobility whilst remaining safe on the road and are currently offering FREE Driving Safer for Longer workshops.

Our FREE workshop is informal, interactive, fun and very informative. We offer various modules according to the requirements of the group, topics covered can include:

- Health, eyesight & medical conditions
- Highway Code
- Advice on aids to driving
- Speed and hazard awareness
- Challenges facing drivers today

For many older people, a driving licence is an important symbol of independence. Cars make it easier to go shopping, get to appointments, keep in touch with friends and attend social events - without having to rely on others. While some drivers may be able to continue driving well into their 80s and 90s, it's important for them to regularly assess their driving and make adjustments if necessary. Driving is one of the most risky activities we are likely to do in our lives, and yet once we pass our driving test many of us have no further training. Driving techniques have and do change over the years.

How long do the workshops last?

The workshops can last for a minimum of 45 minutes and a maximum of 1.5 hours, the choice is yours.

Do the sessions take place on set dates? If so, where?

The workshops take place at a location, date and time that suits you. You will need

to provide us with a venue to host the workshop, a community hall, drop in centre or church perhaps?

Is there minimum numbers for a workshop to go ahead?

We would require a minimum of 10 delegates for a workshop to take place however there are no maximum numbers, the more the merrier!

How do I book?

Use the link below to complete our online booking form, we will then contact you to organise your workshop. Please provide us with as many suitable dates as possible, this will help us fit you in. **www.red1drivertraining.co.uk/pages/free-driving-safer-for-longer**

We will also provide the workshop organiser with a FREE driving assessment. This one hour assessed drive with one of our approved friendly local driver instructors will give advice about your personal driving performance and a written report at the end the assessment.

Many people use the assessment to give them peace of mind that they are still a competent driver, others use it to brush up on their driving skills. Driving assessments start from the delegates home and in their own car, they will be asked to drive the roads and routes they usually use.

Please spread the message of this great initiative and forward this email to any other groups who may also benefit from this workshop.

Megan Cox

Business Support Administrator
drivers@red1ltd.com

01392 444773

www.red1ltd.com



Letters to the Editor

Village 'Tidy Up'

A big thank you to all volunteers who turned up to help with the tidy up of the village. Also thanks to organisers Tim & Amanda Vooght, Peter Endacott and Derek Coren.

It was a bit damp to stain the bus shelters, so this will be done in the springtime. The spring tidy up will take place in April.

Dennis Milton

Do You Know Gerald?

Does anyone reading this, know of a Gerald R Hawkins who was born in Cheriton Bishop in 1935 and lived for a time at Gorwyn Farm? His father was my great uncle.

Please send a message to my email below if you have any information. Thank you.

Jane Taylor (nee Hawkins)

janeanddavetaylor@hotmail.com

The Spalding Hall

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1. Log into **smile.amazon.co.uk**
2. Nominate The Spalding Hall as your chosen charity.
3. Remember to log into **smile.amazon.co.uk** whenever you make a purchase.
4. The charitable contribution comes out of the sale price with no additional cost.

Steve Colderick

'Book Swap' Update

I hope everyone took as many books as they wished at the recent Book Swap and thank you for donating books.

There is still a 2 metre tower of boxes full of books in my garage, and charity shops, at the moment, are not willing to receive boxes of books, so if anyone has an urgent need to read during the winter months, feel free to search in my garage.

Anyway, the most important thing was that I acquired some new reading material.

Persis Bower, 01647 24303

South Orchard (on the Woodbrooke road)

Situations Vacant

Job Vacancy at Cheriton Bishop Primary School

Catering Assistant

Monday to Friday, 10.45am to 2pm
(16.25 hours per week, term time only)
£513 per month (paid 12 months a year)

Full training given and uniform provided.

Devon Norse DBS check will be carried out for this role. Use of own vehicle required.

Duties to include:

- Collecting meals from Exeter kitchen
- Setting up school hall
- Serving lunch to the school children
- Washing up
- Returning boxes to Exeter

Please contact philippa.ruggier@ncsgrp.co.uk

News Update from Acorn

Acorn Community Support

Welcome sweet November, the season of senses and my favourite month of all

Gregory F. Lenz



Where has the year gone?

Here at Acorn, we can tell you that it's gone on trips and fun, lunches and laughter, coffee and cake and sunny smiles all round. Time flies when you are having fun as we are sure everyone will agree!

The Cheriton Lunch Club, always looked after so well at The Red Lion in Tedburn St Mary, has been well attended with numbers growing. There's always room for a few more, so if you are interested then please contact Jean Martin on **01647 24586** to book. The next CB lunch is on **2nd November**.

Dunsford Coffee Mornings

**Wednesdays 3rd & 17th November,
Dunsford Village Hall Dressing Room**

Everyone is welcome. No booking necessary, just turn up and enjoy.

Social Trips

The Cheriton Bishop area outing to Sidmouth was an eventful occasion with the weather being one of the worst days so far this Autumn. Despite the rain and wind, the participants all claimed to have enjoyed themselves immensely.

However, as we journey through the Autumn our day trips have taken a less blustery approach and turned to more indoor pursuits. Garden Centres and covered markets being the order of the day.

From Cheriton Bishop

Tavistock Market: **Tuesday 23rd November**
Shopping at Sainsbury's:
Mondays 1st, 15th and 29th November

From the Teign Valley

Outing Destinations TBA:

Mondays 15th and 29th November.

Shopping at Sainsbury's:

Fridays 12th and 26th November.

Acorn's 'Tuesday' Events

Fortnightly Coffee Mornings

**Tuesdays 2nd, 16th and 30th November,
Teign Valley Community Hall**

Coffee Mornings are now interspersed with the Lunch Club so that's Tuesdays taken care of in the Teign Valley!

Lunch Club

Tuesdays 2nd, 16th and 30th November

Lunches have been enjoyed at the Artichoke in Christow, The Royal Oak in Dunsford and Brookside Café in Bovey Tracey.

Please contact the office if either or both of these activities appeal to you and we will book you on.

We ask that EVERYONE on our bus trips however short the trip, wears a face mask and observes safe hand sanitising practices. We want you all to have fun and keep safe!

If you would like to book a seat on the minibus for any of our trips or coffee mornings then please contact Mandy or Fran at the Office on **01647 252701**

Acorn continues with all its usual services so please do call us and if you just want a chat then you know where we are.

Best wishes.

The A(corn) Team

Health & Lifestyle

Triad of Health

I've recently rediscovered a concept called the 'triad of health'; a core concept in many alternative healing professions. It is the supposition that there are three aspects to a balanced state of health:

- **Physical health** - quite straightforward, it's the balance of all the physical parts of the body; maximising exercise and movement, whilst minimising strain and overly repetitive actions.
- **Chemical health** - involves keeping the body, and in particular the gut, nourished and in balance with healing food, drink, and where appropriate, supplements. Also, trying to moderate harmful chemical agents such as stimulants, alcohol, sugar and processed food.
- **Emotional health** - can be nourished by loving and open relationships, honest communication, asking for help, and support from others.

I like to think of the triad as a 3-legged stool. The stronger these three aspects are in your life, the

healthier and more stable you will likely be - just like the legs of the stool; if one leg isn't strong, the stool won't be strong.

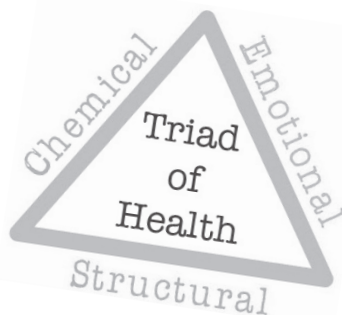
In everyday practice, these three aspects are rarely in isolation. For example, movement is known to affect emotions, emotions affect the internal chemistry, and the internal chemistry affects the energetic capacity for movement. It's a circular process!

There are many aspects to holistic health, and small changes to any of those can make a big difference. Of course, like all things - everything in moderation, including moderation!

With love and appreciation!

Joe Arnold

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Earth Corner

Dishwashers or Machines?

Government spokesperson, Allegra Stratton, suggested that people help reduce UK climate emissions by not rinsing their dishes before putting them in the dishwasher, sparking controversy over whether it is extravagant of energy to use a dishwasher at all.

Our house has a dishwasher: my husband. In a small kitchen, he needs no cupboard space and is quicker than a machine. However, since the installation of a dishwasher in the village hall, users may like to know that Radio 4 'More or Less' found that, if used when full, a dishwasher often uses less hot water per item, and hence less fossil fuel energy, than is typical with several manual washups.

The difference does depend on whether the hot water from your tap is heated by oil or gas, electricity, or sunshine (the latter a low carbon option, more likely if you wash up at the sink); and also whether you use the dishwasher long enough to save more than the carbon cost of manufacturing it.

Environmental Impact

It's what goes into the dishwasher that is crucial for nature. Phosphates in detergents tend to reach the watercourses causing a lot of extra algae to grow, which in turn produces toxins that reduce oxygen levels and kill fish and other aquatic life in our streams and rivers. These watercourses, also laden with fertiliser residues, other chemicals and untreated sewage, eventually reach the sea and contribute to ocean pollution which is reducing our main source of oxygen – micro-organisms called plankton, which are the bottom of the food chain for all marine life and chief absorbers of CO₂.

It's true that some phosphate free dishwasher tablets don't clean well and leave filminess or spots, but Naturaler recommends Ecover dishwasher tablets



and Bio D dishwasher powder. (This takes account of other ecological impacts too eg. packaging, and the fact that some scents include endocrine disrupters.)

Some regret that loading the dishwasher doesn't provide the same social opportunities as a prolonged spell at the sink. My dishwasher and domestic oracle says:

For a hospital kitchen – yes, I can see the point. Possibly for a busy hotel (though Orwell's accounts of washing dishes in Down and Out in Paris and London are classic). But for a family... why else would you have children except to help wash and dry up?

We entertained all the time, and the whole family shared in the process, jigging about to Steeleye Span or Leon Rosselson. Common tasks are the root of socialisation.

Recollecting the old crammed kitchen, steamy marathon washups after village feasts or Harvest supper, though amazingly good spirited and speedy for the quantity of crockery and cutlery processed, I think these sessions won't be greatly missed!

Gill Westcott

In The Garden

November Gardening

Gardeners are generally optimistic people and November is a good month to order seeds for next year. You can imagine all those wonderful plants thriving in your garden just like the pictures in the catalogues!

Tulip bulbs can be bought and planted now, later than most Spring bulbs. This is to avoid getting the fungal disease, tulip fire.

After such a warm October, you might have delayed moving all your tender plants to a more protected winter shelter. By November however there must be more risk of chilly nights. If you decide to leave borderline hardy plants, such as dahlias or agapanthus, in the ground they might benefit from a thick mulch. This can be garden compost or



simply a heap of bracken held by sticks just to prevent damage from hard frosts.

Electric pumps should be removed from ponds, cleaned and dried and stored ready for next year.

You can still sow green manures on bare ground to benefit the soil. Field beans are very hardy and can be sown up until December.

Sally Rix

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Cheriton Bishop School

Dear all,

I'm Robin Scott, the new Academy Head at Cheriton Bishop Community Primary School. I wanted to introduce myself to you and show you some of the incredible learning that has happened this term.

Since joining the school, I have very much enjoyed getting to know the fantastic children, parents and incredibly passionate, dedicated and hard working staff. As well as this, I have been astounded by the goodwill of the wider community; from cutting our hedges to baking cakes for the Macmillan Coffee Morning, the wider community has shown their support.

If you would like to get involved with what is happening at the school, we would love to hear from you; perhaps you have some time to give, a passion you want to share, or run a local business and could tell the children about your journey?

Robin Scott

Open Days 2021!

A small school with big opportunities.

We are passionate about wellbeing.

Most class sizes are under 20 children.

Why not come and see what we could offer you and your children?

See our wonderful pupils in action on a normal working day and get a feel for what it is like to be a part of our community.

Call us to arrange a personalised tour of our school: **01647 24817**



Welly Walk Open Day Invitation

We value learning in the great outdoors. Every week, Preschool, EYFS and Year 1 children join together for a walk at the nearby woods. During our Welly Walks this November, we will be celebrating the amazing author, Julia Donaldson, be exploring one of her favourite books every Tuesday between 10-11am. We will be enjoying everything the outdoors has to offer and creating some lovely woodland crafts.

Tuesday 9th
November



Tuesday 16th
November



Tuesday 23rd
November



Tuesday 30th
November



Whether you are new to us and would like to bring your child, or currently have a child who attends, we would like to invite you along. Just give us a call to let us know you're coming **01647 24817**. Join us for a Welly Walk to find out what makes our incredible setting unique.

Cheriton Bishop School

Autumn Term

Pre School & Class 1: Pre School have been exploring natural materials and enjoying their *Welly Walks* with Class 1.

Class 2: Class 2 have been learning lots about the great outdoors in their *Forest School* sessions. Thank you to the Scouts for letting us use the woods!

Class 2 have also learnt all about the *Great Fire of London* and can clearly see why house design and materials have adapted!

Class 3: Our year 3 and 4 children returned from their *Tag Rugby Festival* in Yeoford with the Cup! Everyone had a great day participating in such a well organised event. Please read Evie's report about the Tag Rugby Tournament.

Class 4: Year 5 and 6 children have been exceptionally busy; one area they have learned more about is the *UNCRC Articles* and how they apply them and others. The Articles cover all aspects of a child's life and set out the civil, political, economic, social and cultural rights that all children everywhere are entitled to. It also explains how adults and governments must work together to make sure all children can enjoy all their rights.

*UNCRC: UN Convention on
the Rights of the Child
(UNCRC) - Unicef UK*

Eco Council: Our *Eco Council* have a lot planned this year and started out painting the bike shed to promote sustainable travel to school, so get cycling!

Tag Rugby Tournament

On Thursday 14th October, Class 3, aka the worker bees, went to Yeoford hall for a Tag Rugby game. The idea was to have fun and enjoy ourselves. But we won!

We were all split into three teams of six one group was called the Cobras the other team was called the Bears and the other team the winning team was called the Tigers. Mr Luxa was in charge overall. Yeoford, Tedburn and Cheriton all joined in the games.

The team captains were Charlie, the leader of the Cobras. Jacob, the leader of the Tigers, and Evie, that is me, was the leader of the Bears. The best Referee of the day was Mr Bosence. In the final, the Tigers played Tedburn and the Tigers beat them 2-0.

Evie (Class 3)

Pre-School Spaces!

For children from 2 - 5 years

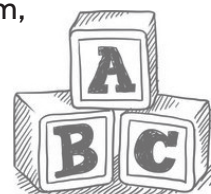
We provide pre-school education with fun and exciting activities linked to the Early Years Foundation Stage Curriculum. All in a spacious setting with a wide variety of equipment and secure outside play area.

Up to 15 hours free for over 3 year olds, using Early Years Funding, 25 hours of the extended entitlement for those who qualify, or just £4.25 per hour. We accept funding for 2 year olds. For free places for 2 year olds, please call for details.

Please call Play Leader Christine Grist on **01647 24314** or **07977 777318** or email: *christine.grist@thelink.academy* and visit our pages on the school's website for more information:
www.cheritonbishop.thelink.academy

Sessions: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday. **Drop off:** 9am to 9.15am, **Pick up:** 3pm to 3.15pm

We have spaces available for all sessions. Please call or email to book your child's place.



Neighbourhood Watch

As the mornings and nights are drawing in and with the clocks going back an hour at the end of October (a daft idea and should be abandoned, this the view of one N W person) we felt a few reminders to safeguard us would not be a bad thing. We have been through these before but another go will do us no harm.

Shorter Daylight Days Reminder

With the dark mornings and evenings coming, it is well worth reminding ourselves of safety measures we should take when walking on our narrow roads and lanes.

On dull days, there is more of a risk of an accident involving a walker and a vehicle. Walkers should not wear dark clothing as this merges into the background. Walkers must be seen by motorists and bright reflective clothing in the form of tabards, jackets, armbands, sweatshirts etc should be part of your kit. Children can have additional reflective stripes or material fixed to their backpacks when going to school. Also, walk on the correct side of the road to *face oncoming traffic* so that you can see that the driver has noticed you and has taken the necessary action to avoid you.

Take great care around school opening and closing times when there could be a lot of vehicle movements. Drivers around these times should also expect there will be walkers on the road and lanes and take particular care.

Burglary Prevent Reminder

- Don't leave keys in accessible places.
- Lock external doors and ground floor windows and remove keys from the locks on the inside.
- Set the burglar alarm.
- Keep valuable items out of sight.
- Draw curtains to prevent internal viewing.
- Use timer light switches and the radio on when leaving the house unoccupied.
- Keep a photographic and a written record of items of value.
- Keep the outside of the house free from items that could help a burglar break in and lock garages, sheds and outbuildings.
- Lock vehicles at the property when not in use and remove any items from view. Lock items in the boot or remove altogether.
- Toys and bikes should be locked away at night.

The list above only deals with the basic safeguards a person should take to protect their property and goods. It is hoped it will make you more aware of what you can do or should be doing.

Abandoned 999 Calls

The police are reporting that there have been an increase in accidentally dialled and abandoned 999 calls recently. A 999 call which is abandoned before speaking to the operator at the control centre will find the operator then spending time researching the phone numbers and details to ensure there is no risk to the caller and will try to return the call several times. If you dial 999 stay on the line and if it is a mistake say so otherwise they will call you back. All of this takes time with the operator who could have been in touch with a genuine emergency call.

Also keep the phone out of reach of children, lock the phone before putting it into your pocket, talk to children how to call for help in an emergency and that the phone is not a fun thing.

Tool Theft From Vans

This is on the increase with power tools being stolen. Police advise the public not to leave tools and equipment for long periods in their vans especially overnight. To report a theft or if you have information, contact the police on 101. The police website has a lot of information and advice on how to protect tools and equipment.

Livestock Theft

This is of concern with sheep aimed for especially from the open moorland. An idea put forward is for the farmer to put up signs stating when and time his sheep will be moved. If the public come across sheep being moved outside of the time stated, then phone the number on the sign to call the farmer to check or otherwise contact the police on 101.

*Always be observant and
vigilant and keep your eyes open
when out and about*

Christmas is not very far away now and there is so much between now and then to think about. There is the added consideration of your own family and friends health and wellbeing. To add to all of this and especially important is to safeguard your finances, yourself and the family when shopping online

Contacts :

Jean Martin: **01647 24586**

Police: **101** or **999** for an emergency

Keep well and be safe

Message from St. Mary's

Success In The Face Of Huge Challenges

I wonder how much of the Paralympic Games you managed to watch. You will have seen the headlines about Dame Sarah Storey who has won the most medals by a British athlete, an amazing total of twenty-eight medals including seventeen gold medals. I am always in awe of the achievements that are made in the face of severe disabilities.

I was interested in the comments on how participating in sport has many benefits. The obvious one being, growing in physical strength but less obvious are the benefits for mental health and socialising with other people.

We are only too aware of the real damage that isolation can have on us, and we have all had some experience of this during the national lockdowns.

One of the things that you cannot help but notice while watching the Paralympics, is the number of people who compete who have been injured as a result of war. Part of the paralympic movement sprung out of the need to help injured war veterans with their rehabilitation.

One of the pioneering places was Stoke Mandeville Hospital and Stoke Mandeville Games 1948. All the athletes provide great role models for other people to try and to participate whatever their circumstances might be. It is the taking part that really makes a difference.

Remembrance

The month of November is a time when, as a nation, we remember. Remembrance Sunday this year falls on the 14th of November. Due to lockdown last year, it was particularly hard to have the normal services for Remembrance on the 11th November.

It is right that the people that have died in conflicts are remembered. Equally important

are the people who survive and are often physically and emotionally scarred by military conflict. This has been brought into sharp focus with the military withdrawal from Afghanistan and that twenty-year war.

Part of the Annual Remembrance is the Poppy Appeal and raising money for Help for Hero's and military welfare charities. This fundraising does make a huge difference in the ongoing support of veterans and their families.

It comes as no surprise that the bible tells stories about the people who society has wrongly dismissed as not important, coming good. In fact, in Jesus' life, he goes out looking for those marginalised by society and offers practical help.

The sad truth is that prejudice is often responsible for people being marginalised. It is the majority who have to change how they think about other people.

The Paralympics rightly challenges us to view people for the talent and potential they already have, but also to look for it in others and to encourage them to develop unique gifts whatever their life situation might be.

Rev. Martin Wood

The Rectory, Church Lane, Cheriton Bishop
01647 24119 (Tues to Sun)
revwood163@gmail.com



Services at St Mary's

St Mary's, Cheriton Bishop & North Kenn Mission Community Churches

November 2021

Thursday 4th

10.30am	Pathfinder	Holy Communion	Revd Martin Wood
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Sunday 7th 3rd Before Advent

9.30am	Whitestone	Holy Communion	Revd Prof Tim Gorringer
9.30am	Holcombe Burnell	Holy Communion	Revd Martin Wood
11am	Tedburn St Mary	Informal Worship	Revd Martin Wood
6pm	Cheriton Bishop	Evening Prayer	Revd Martin Wood

Sunday 14th Remembrance

9.30am	Whitestone	Parish Communion	Revd Martin Wood
10.55am	Holcombe Burnell	Remembrance service	Lay Led
10.55am	Tedburn St Mary	United Remembrance Service	Lay Led
10.55am	Cheriton Cross	Act of Remembrance	Revd Martin Wood
11.10am	CB Village Hall	United Remembrance Service	Revd Martin Wood
3pm	Pathfinder	Remembrance Service	Revd Martin Wood

Thursday 18th

10.30am	Pathfinder	Holy Communion	Revd Martin Wood
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Sunday 21st Christ the King

9am	Tedburn St Mary	Holy Communion	Revd Prof Tim Gorringer
9.30am	Cheriton Bishop	Parish Communion	Revd Martin Wood
11am	Whitestone	Family Service	Revd Martin Wood
3pm	Pathfinder	Evening Prayer	Revd Martin Wood
6pm	Holcombe Burnell	Evening Prayer	Lay Led

Thursday 25th

10.30am	Pathfinder	Holy Communion	Revd Martin Wood
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Sunday 28th Advent 1

9.30am	Tedburn St Mary	Parish Communion	Revd Prof Tim Gorringer
11am	Holcombe Burnell	Family Service	Lay Led
3pm	Pathfinder	United Service	
3pm	Whitestone	Evening Prayer	Lay Led

Welcome to St Mary's

We invite everyone, including children, to attend all of our services.

If you attend a service please use a face covering whilst in the building and be prepared to leave contact details, to use hand sanitiser and to follow social distancing guidance.

Spalding Hall is open for the use of the toilets during *highlighted* service times.

Church Messages

Churchwarden's Ramblings

Thank you for the donation of goods and money at Harvest. Following our Service I was able to deliver a mix of 8 bags and boxes of tinned and dry goods to the Churches Housing Action Trust foodbank (CHAT) at Tiverton. In their thank-you email, they tell us that in the last financial year they have dealt with 543 cases and issued 2,582 food parcels across Mid Devon. We also donated the collection of £104 to St Petrock's, supporting the homeless and vulnerable people on the streets of Exeter.

Please note the change of date: due to changes on the catering front, the churchyard working day and lunch will be held on **Saturday the 13th November** from 10am, work as usual will involve a good tidy up with trimming hedges, cutting back brambles and ivy, and weeding flower beds.

Please bring your own tools and stay as long as you feel able but do stay for lunch.

Looking forward to Christmas, the Carol Service will be on **Sunday 19th December** at **6pm**.

We are once again assembling a choir. The choir is open to everyone and aims to introduce some part singing and to support the congregation. If you would like to learn and sing some Carols please come along, you don't have to be an experienced singer. So if you want to give it a go practices will be held at the church Friday evenings between 7-8pm on 12th, 19th, 26th November and 3rd 10th and 17th December, you do not need to attend every session.

Alan Greenslade
01647 24002

Holy Trinity, Yeoford

Our Harvest Service was enjoyed by all with representatives from the school bringing produce that they had grown in the school garden. There was also a box of produce from Yeoford Community Garden. A collection of dry goods was collected for the Crediton Food Bank. The Harvest lunch was served in church and we all had an enjoyable time. The first Messy Church for a long time was held in the village hall and was supported by more family's than ever before.

Carol Price, 01647 24468

Community Lunch

1st November at 12.30 for 1pm

Café Company

Mondays, 10 till 11am (when there is no lunch)

Services for November

14th, 9.30am - Communion for Remembrance

28th, 9.30am - Family Service

Messy Church

November 20th, 3.30 - 5pm, Village Hall

West Down Evangelical Chapel

**Yeoford Road,
Cheriton Bishop,
EX6 6HG**

**01647 24264 or
01647 24660**

*Please remain aware
of social distancing
and the use of hand
sanitisers*

Services for November 2021

7th, 11am: Services with Communion with sermon from the internet

14th, 10.55am: Act of Remembrance at Cheriton Cross followed by:

11.15am: Service of Remembrance in Village Hall

3pm: Service with Communion with sermon from the internet

21st, 11am: Service with Communion Speaker Rev David Cole

28th, 11am: Service with Communion with speaker Mr Ken Harris

Friends and Neighbours

Thursday 18th, 2-4pm

Workshop: Lighting and decorating jars and bottles for Christmas with Mollie. Everyone welcome.

To check seat availability, please contact Evelyn Coren on **01647 24264**

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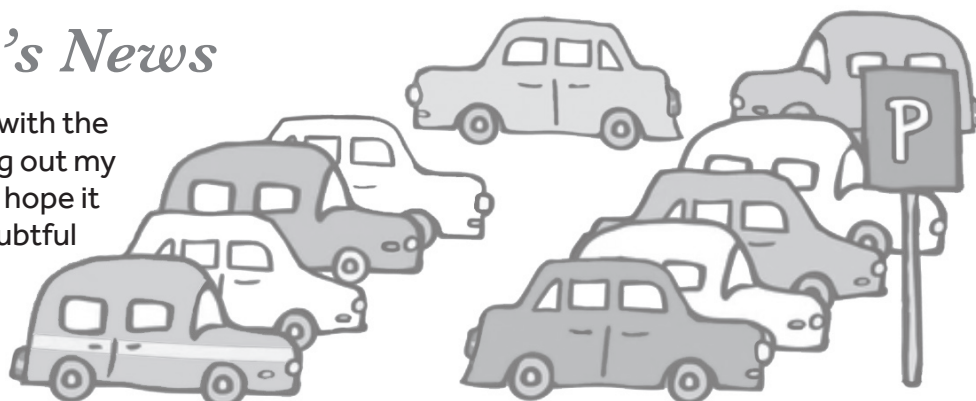
Councillor's News

I have been very lucky with the weather whilst carrying out my surgeries and can only hope it continues, but I am doubtful that I will be able to stand the cold during November to March.

I have not met that many people at my surgeries, and you might think I would be pleased to have received so few complaints. But, my surgeries are more than just getting complaints, and I want to get to know your communities and for you to get to know me. I am more than just a local councillor.

Two areas of complaint that have cropped up revolve around parking. The first is when people park on estate roads because they are too mean to pay the relatively low parking costs in local car parks. I have investigated street parking permits but I have to say that the biggest problem is enforcement. There are too few officers to carry out any meaningful supervision. You may pay for a slot in your street but there is no guarantee that you will keep it. For further information about this topic I would direct you to the Devon County Council website where under Democracy in Devon you will find on page 49 item 593 which deals with the topic.

Parking on pavements is another area of resentment. Driving over a pavement is illegal but unless an officer sees it nothing



will happen unless you are causing an obstruction. By this it means that if a vehicle takes up so much of the pavement that a mobility scooter or pushchair cannot pass then it is causing an obstruction and you should report this to the police on 101. If it is a recurring problem I would advise you to go to the Devon County Council website or www.devon.gov.uk/roadsandtransport/parking/pavement-parking. If enough people report the same sort of incident it helps to build up a picture and the officers can then put something in place.

My final thought is to tell you of my locality fund. Each county councillor has a fund of £10,000 per year to spend in their division, that is their area. It is to help local community groups with projects that benefit the area. If you think a group you know of has such a project do get in touch. There are criteria which can be found on the Devon County website if you type in 'locality fund'.

Cllr Frank Letch MBE

Devon County Councillor

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Cheriton Bishop Website

For more information about Cheriton Bishop, Crockernwell and the surrounding area, please visit our website: www.cheritonbishop.org.uk

Please check out this link to a postcard collection of the village:
<http://cheritonbishop.org.uk/photos-and-postcards/>



Cheriton Bishop Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting

Held at Cheriton Bishop Village Hall on Monday 11th October 2021

Present: Cllr Benjamin (Chair), Cllr Edwards, Cllr Salmon, Cllr Westcott, Cllr Wood,
Cllr Letch (DCC) and Cllr Coren (MDDC)

In attendance: The Clerk and 4 members of the public

- 1. To receive and accept apologies:** Apologies were received from Cllr Ball, Cllr Milton, Cllr Tomlinson and Cllr Penny (MDDC)
- 2. To receive declarations of personal and disclosable pecuniary interests in respect of items on the agenda:** There were no declarations of interest.
- 3. Public Discussion – an opportunity for members of the public to make representations, answer questions and give evidence in respect of any item on the agenda:** 5 members of the public spoke in support of item 8 and provided information about the condition of the existing goalposts and about suitable replacements. They also requested that the grass at the Village Green be mowed more frequently and that the clippings be taken away. Longer grass and clippings left on the ground make the grass slippery and therefore footballers are much more likely to be injured whilst playing.
- 4. Cheriton Bishop Council Meeting Minutes 2nd August 2021 and 23rd August 2021 – to consider the approval of the minutes as a correct record:** It was resolved to approve both sets of minutes as a correct record.
- 5. MDDC planning applications – to comment on the following applications:**
 - Reference: 21/01539/HOUSE & 21/01540/LBC
 - Proposal: Extend height of existing chimney to 1.8m above ridge of thatched roof
 - Location: Way Cottage Church Lane Cheriton Bishop
 - Applicant: Miss S Burton
 - It was resolved to support this application.
 - Reference: 21/01652/LBC
 - Proposal: Listed building consent for internal alterations to create a kitchen with breakfast bar area and provide WC facilities
 - Location: Gorwyn House Cheriton Bishop
 - Applicant: Mr B Macdonald
 - It was resolved to support this application.
- 6. Mid Devon District Council Planning Decisions – to note the following approvals with conditions as filed:**
 - Reference: 21/00492/HOUSE
 - Proposal: Erection of ground floor and first floor extension to detached garage
 - Location: Crooked Chimneys Cheriton Bishop
 - Applicant: Mr C Knott
 - Reference: 21/00704/FULL
 - Proposal: Change of use of agricultural land to residential garden to include tennis court
 - Location: Land at NGR 274310 93634 (Thorne Cross Farm) Cheriton Bishop
 - Applicant: Mr R Toms
 - Reference: 21/00989/FULL
 - Proposal: Erection of an agricultural livestock building
 - Location: Greenacres Cheriton Bishop
 - Applicant: Mr M Kellaway
 - Reference: 21/01418/FULL
 - Proposal: Change of use of land for the siting of a temporary agricultural worker's mobile home - variation of condition 1 of planning permission 18/00832/FULL to extend temporary time period for the siting of mobile home
 - Location: Greenacres Cheriton Bishop
 - Applicant: Mr M Kellaway
- 7. Mid Devon District Council Planning Decisions – to note the following refusals for reasons as filed:**
 - Reference: 21/00646/ARM
 - Proposal: Reserved matters application (appearance and landscaping) for the erection of 2 dwellings and alterations to existing vehicular access following outline approval 18/01633/OUT

Cheriton Bishop Parish Council

Location: Land at NGR 276783 94569 (Little Mounson) Cheriton Bishop
Applicant: Mr G Smith
Reference: 21/01458/FULL
Proposal: Demolition of workshop and store and change of use of yard to residential to include the erection of 1 dwelling
Location: Land and buildings at NGR 276526 94280 (Entrance to Haven Lea) Cheriton Bishop
Applicant: Mrs R Tripp

- 8. Village Green – to discuss a request to replace the movable football posts and agree associated actions:** It was resolved to purchase 2 Samba locking football goals 12 x 6 ft for £99.95 each. Cllrs also discussed the request that the grass be mowed more frequently and that the clippings be removed. Cllrs explained that the current mowing regime (which does not include removal of clippings) will cost around £900 for the current cutting season. As a potential compromise Cllrs considered various ways of cutting the grass more frequently and removing clippings during the school holidays, perhaps involving some self help. To go on the agenda at a future meeting.
- 9. Play Equipment – to consider provision of new play equipment for 8 to 14 year olds at Glebelands Play Area and agree associated actions:** Cllr Benjamin reported that she had received a quote of £30,679 from Kompan (the company that refurbished the play area in 2021) for the installation of a Kompan Inground Galaxy & Jumper. Cllr Benjamin had also prepared an application to the National Lottery for a grant towards the purchase of the equipment. Councillors discussed the use of S106/CIL monies for this project. There is just over £9000 in the MDDC S106/CIL General Fund available to the Parish Council. The Clerk is to check when this money has to be spent by. It was resolved that the grant application should be submitted and that the PC will put at least £5000 of the S106/CIL fund towards the project (or all that amount if the time allowed for the expenditure of that money is short).
- 10. ROSPA Inspection – to agree future dates for the annual ROSPA inspections of the play equipment at Glebelands Play Area:** The clerk reported that the last third party inspection was carried out in December 2020, post installation of the new equipment. ROSPA would charge £237 for an annual inspection in December, for which they would make a one-off visit to Devon. The alternative is to arrange a ROSPA visit in March/April, when the inspection will be included in ROSPA's annual visit to inspect many play areas on Devon, for which the cost will be approximately £75. As the equipment is new and is being inspected weekly by volunteers it was resolved to arrange a visit in March/April. Clerk to action.
- 11. Platinum Jubilee 2022 – to discuss how to celebrate/mark the occasion within the Parish:** Councillors discussed several ideas including: a big lunch/bbq at the Village Green; tree planting; lighting a beacon; and decorating the village. Councillors would like to see what residents would like to do. Clerk to write a piece for the Newsletter asking residents to contact her with their ideas. To go on a future agenda.
- 12. Footpath Posts – to discuss the purchase of number signs for footpath posts and agree associated actions:** Cllr Wood reported that 16 public footpaths criss-cross the Parish. Each path has a number on the MDDC definitive footpath map but these numbers are not displayed on footpath signs. Councillors agreed it would be very sensible for each sign to have a number. Cllr Wood will research costs and report at the next meeting.
- 13. Devon Parish & Town Council Wildlife Network – to discuss appropriate action:** Cllr Wood explained how Devon Local Nature Partnership supports Parish and Town Councils to fulfil their statutory obligation to take action for wildlife, a duty which is enshrined in the Natural Environment and Rural Communities (NERC) Act 2006. It was confirmed that the Village Green project had been registered on the DLNP Map which seeks to link up all the local organisations with an interest in nature conservation.
- 14. Climate Change – to receive an update on Climate Change initiatives:** Cllr Wood reported that the two new benches have been installed on the Village Green. Thanks to Cllr Benjamin, Mark Tripp and DCC for their assistance. The benches need treating with preservative and it is hoped this will be done during the Village Tidy. It was resolved to purchase bulbs up to a value of £100 to enhance the Village Green and Glebelands Play Area. Councillors discussed how to further enhance the Village Green by planting willows along the marshy border.
- 15. Social Media – to receive an update on PC social media activity:** Cllr Benjamin reported that the PC FB page now has 121 members. Numbers are gradually increasing and there is a lot of 'cross-posting' with the Village FB page.
- 16. Roads & Footpaths – to receive an update on roads and footpaths in the Parish:** Cllr Edwards reported on comments on FB regarding a truck which has been parked in various places around the Parish to advertise a local business. This is not a PC matter and Cllr Edwards will respond on FB.
- 17. Newsletter – to receive an update on Newsletter activities:** Cllr Edwards reported that the Newsletter team are researching the purchase of a new printer.
- 18. Repairs & Maintenance – to consider any repairs and maintenance needed for PC assets:** Cllr Salmon reported that she had inspected the benches at the War Memorial and felt they can be repaired/renovated rather than replaced. The cost to be included in the 2022/23 budget.

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19. Accounts & Budget – the following receipts and payments were approved:

Payee	Budget	Amount
Clerk	Salary (July)	£322.08
Clerk	Salary (August)	£322.08
Devon Signs Ltd (already paid)	Assets	£49.20
Lawrence Wilson (July – already paid)	R & M	£100.00
Lawrence Wilson (August)	R & M	£200.00
Clarity (meter fee)	Newsletter	£67.27
Spalding Hall June Inv 97600	Newsletter	£48.00
Spalding Hall June Hire Inv 97600	Admin	£15.00
Spalding Hall July Inv 97601	Newsletter	£48.00
Spalding Hall July Hire Inv 97601	Admin	£12.00
Scribble & Ink (Inkcost) Inv 497545	Newsletter	£107.64
Cartridge People (refund to clerk)	Admin	£32.64
Receipt of the second half of the precept		£6835.50

- 20. To receive a report from the Chair (for information only):** On behalf of Cllr Milton the Clerk reported that he had again asked DCC to resolve the long-standing problem with the very noisy drain cover outside 3 Acer Terrace.
- 21. To receive reports from Councillors (for information only):** Cllr Edwards reported that she has taken over responsibility for Community Speedwatch. Cllr Westcott reported on plans to meet with a local environmentalist and that gradual progress on Parish Wildlife Wardens is being made. Councillor Wood thanked the 2 volunteers who have come forward to help with the weekly inspection of the Play Area.
- 22. To receive a report from Cllr Letch (DCC) (for information only):** Cllr Letch reported that his monthly surgery in Cheriton Bishop is now held at the bus stop on the C50. There is plenty of money left in his DCC Locality Fund and he encourages community groups who need support to apply. Clerk to put information about this on FB. Residents do from time to time contact him about vehicles parked on pavements and when they do so he informs the relevant officer at DCC. DCC has put aside £1.4 million for road repairs, in particular repairing the sides of roads where they have fallen away. If anyone is aware of places where that has occurred could they please send photos to him (Frank.Letch@devon.gov.uk.) Cheriton Bishop, Bow and Copplestone all have problems with speeding traffic. One idea is for the three parishes to purchase jointly a Vehicle Activated Sign. Some funding might be available from the Locality Fund. To go on the October agenda. Covid-19 numbers in Devon are now reducing.
- 23. To receive a report from MDDC Councillors (for information only):** Cllr Coren reported that he had been contacted by a parishioner regarding moving the 30 mph signs on the Yeoford Road further out of the village. He has previously contacted DCC about this but DCC had not agreed to move them. Clerk to write to Cllr Letch setting out the reasons for them to be moved and Cllr Letch will forward the email to the DCC officer. Cllr Coren has been told that a MDDC officer will be inspecting the garages at Glebelands (which are in a poor state of repair) during week commencing 4th October.
- 24. Correspondence/Clerk's Report (for information only):** Robin Scott, the new Academy Head of Cheriton Bishop Primary School, has been in touch and plans to attend the October PC meeting to meet councillors and introduce himself.
- Bunny Homes, a South West based house builder will be attending the next PC meeting to explain their proposals for developing the land off Church Lane. They will also be holding a public consultation in the village which is planned for week commencing 18th October. During week commencing 4th October Bunny Homes intends to write to all village residents and local businesses to invite them to the consultation. To go on the October PC agenda.
- 25. Dates of Next Meetings (all at 7pm at Spalding Hall save for 11th October which will be at 7pm at the Village Hall):** 8th November, 13th December, 10th January, 14th February, 14th March, 11th April

Snow Warden Volunteers Needed

The Parish Council is seeking volunteers to manually spread salt/grit on some paths in the village and also on the path to the Doctors' Surgery. In a mild winter you really won't be very busy!

Please contact **Dennis Milton** on **01647 272844**
or dmilton@cheritonbishop-pc.org.uk



Just for Fun!

Tommy's Teaser

What am I? Where am I?

If you're out and about on the outskirts of the village, keep your eyes peeled... Can you identify this cheeky 'eye spy' and whereabouts it is in Cheriton Bishop? Have fun! ~ **Tommy C**



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If you would like to list something here, please email cheritonnews@gmail.com

Village Facebook

The Facebook page is for the residents of Cheriton Bishop and the surrounding area. It has been created to remind people of events that are taking place, clubs etc. somewhere to post photographs of the village, gardening, nature, if you need help that someone in the village maybe able to assist with, plants to swap or sell, pretty much anything really. If you would like to be part of this, please send a request to: [www.Facebook.com/groups/433590694063276](https://www.facebook.com/groups/433590694063276)

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