

## The Wells at Ringmore Vean

Ringmore Vean was not mentioned in the list of wells around Ringmore so I thought I would let you know about them and boost the total so far. We have four wells at the property, the first is at the furthest corner of our garden and is fed from somewhere under the King's property Mandava. This feeds into a second well close by and the water then runs under ground and comes out into our stream, leading to our pond and then out to the pond in the King's field. The third is a butter well, with its tiny trickle of icy cold water flowing through it all the time. The fourth is fed from the butter well and this too drains out into the stream and away down the valley. The fourth well used to have a pump attached to it (the pump is still in the garden) and this was used to pump water into the slate water tank (this can still be seen perched on top of our back hallway). This would have given the household gravity fed running water in the house. Karen Purdy

