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PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Twenty members of the public attended the Parish Council Meeting held on 5th May, when John Channon, one of three Land Agents for the National Trust for the Devon region, described the work of the Trust, particularly 'Enterprise Neptune'. His informative talk related to the proposed National Trust acquisition of one mile of coastline within the parish. The completion date set for this purchase is 15th May.

Other items for your information:



1. One skip will be available in the Journey's End Car Park, and one at Challaborough Bay, both during 1st - 5th June. You will need to get there early!
2. Young people requiring housing or re-housing need to register, and should contact the District Councillor for further information.
3. A number of Neighbourhood Watchers have been appointed to keep an eye on their part of the Parish.
4. A Public Enquiry is to be held on 8th June at County Hall, Exeter, to consider objections to the proposed parliamentary constituency changes. The Parish Council has objected to the proposed break-up of the South Hams Constituency, and Cllr John Tate has agreed to represent the Council's views at a meeting at Follaton House on 3rd June. If any parishioners wish to express their views, please drop John a line before the end of May.

John Tate

It is obvious from the public turnout at the Parish Council Meeting that the imminent purchase of land by the National Trust is a matter of enormous local interest. However, we feel that it would be prudent not to expand further on the issue until completion has taken place.

Rob Batten

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Looking back on Easter, with Good Friday's message that Jesus carried the sin of mankind to the Cross and Easter Sunday's shout that death could not hold Him, we are bound to ask - what happened then? With death overcome and Jesus alive, He could have remained the focus for the Church's life and direction. That is not God's way - Jesus' earthly work had been completed and the spread of the good news was to be put into the shaky hands of His followers.

Once the terrified disciples had been convinced of Christ's resurrection, He then spent a brief time preparing them for their future work which, as he taught them, would be done by the power of the Holy Spirit. Thus the stage was set for the end of Jesus' earthly ministry. Clearly this was not to be marked, as it is for us, by death - nevertheless, the disciples had to be brought to understand that the familiar sight and sound of their Lord had gone.

Acts, chapter 1, gives the account of the way Jesus left this earth and how the bewildered disciples were reminded that He would return in the same way - and in the meantime, there was work to do!

SUNDAYS THIS MONTH

<u>At Ringmore</u>		<u>Sundays at Bigbury & Kingston</u>
May 10th	9.00am Holy Communion	11am Morning Prayer & HC at Bigbury 6pm Evening Prayer at Kingston
May 17th	6.00pm Evening Prayer	9am Holy Communion at Bigbury 11am Family Service at Kingston
May 24th	9.00am Holy Communion	11am Family Service at Bigbury 6pm Choral Evensong at Kingston
May 31st	6.00pm Evenng Service	9am Holy Communion at Bigbury 11am Morning Service at Kingston
June 7th	11.00am Family Service	9am Holy Communion at Kingston 6pm Choral Evensong at Bigbury

WHITSUNDAY

NOTES FOR MAY

We'day May 20th - our annual Christian Aid Coffee Morning in the garden (we hope!) of Lt.Col. & Mrs. George Grimshaw, at Middle Manor, Ringmore. This is a united effort for Bigbury, Ringmore and Kingston, to share something of our plenty with those who have so little. There will be "Bring and Buy" and Plant stalls as well as information about the worldwide work of Christian Aid, a recognised Third-World agency.....please give it your support.

Bank Holiday Monday 25th at 2.30pm - Bigbury Church Spring Sale at Sedgewell Sands, Bigbury-on-Sea (by courtesy of Jack and Joan Smith). All sorts of stalls including 'Bring and Buy' - please come and support us!

Ascension Day - Thurs. 28th, 7.30pm in Ringmore Church Hall, we look forward to welcoming Jim and Diane Girling, of the Far East Broadcasting Association. An "Agape" (or Love Feast) gives us the opportunity to hear of FEBA's work, share some refreshments and conclude with a Communion, all in the Hall. Jim is also the preacher at 9.0 & 11.0am services on Sunday 31st. at Bigbury and Kingston.



Thu'day 4th June 2.30pm The Afternoon Fellowship meets at Belle Vue Farm, by kind invitation of Susan and David Freeman. The programme is always informal and all are welcome to sample Susan's cakes!

The Rectory
Ringmore TQ7 4HR (810565)

ARTHUR DROWLEY
Rector

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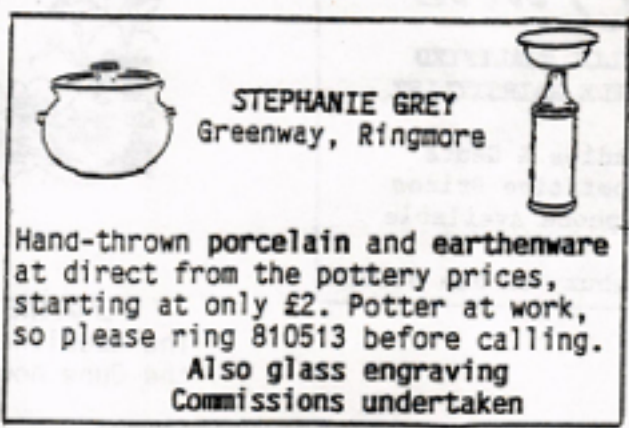
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Challaborough : 2.15 - 2.30p.m.
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The skips will be later than usual this year, and will both be from 1st - 5th June, one at the Journey's End Car Park and one on the rough area of car park adjacent to the slip road at Challaborough. Cllr Thelma Mann informs us that the allocation of the two skips works out to approximately 1 cubic inch of space each for our rubbish. No wonder the skips fill up early!

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