

# RINGMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

October 2013

Issue 334 Edited by Lynn

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The Church Fete raised an amazing £3400 - Well Done



## **DIARY DATES:**

Monday Short Mat Bowls  
Tuesday Table Tennis, Parish Rm, 8.00pm  
Wednesday Cameo Coffee 10.30-12.00  
Friday Thai Buffet, Journey's End (ends 26 Oct)

## **October**

2 RBL Meeting, Journeys End 7.30  
5 Harvest Church Flowers, 10.00-2.00  
6 Harvest Festival, All Hallows 9.30  
7 Short Mat Bowls re-commences  
13 Tearfund Lunch—12-2pm—WI Hall  
18 Concert, **NEW LOCATION:** Parish Room, 7.30  
19 RBL Film, Memorial Hall 6.45 for 7.30  
22 Parish Council Meeting W.I Hall 7.00  
23 Choir Practice, 7.30pm Barnford  
26 Film Show, Parish Room 6.45 for 7.30  
26 Modbury Caring Craft Fair

## **November**

1 RBL Auction JE Inn 8.00  
4 Tearfund Lunch—12-2pm—WI Hall  
6 Film/fish&chips Memorial Hall

6 RBL Meeting, Dolphin 7.30pm  
9 RBL Coffee Morning, Reading Room. 10.00-12.00  
10 Remembrance Service, All Hallows  
12 Basic First Aid Session—7-9pm Bigbury Memorial Hall  
16 Poetry evening, Memorial Hall  
16 Film Show, Parish Room 6.45 for 7.00  
9 Parish Council Meeting, W.I Hall 7.00  
20 RHS AGM

## **December**

4 RBL Meeting, Journey's Inn, 7.30  
7 Christmas Bazaar, Parish Rm 10.30-2.00  
14 Film Show, Parish Room 6.45 for 7.30  
22 Carol Service, All Hallows

## **January 2014**

8 Film Show, Parish Room 6.45 for 7.30

## **February**

3 Tearfund Lunch—12-2pm—WI Hall  
15 Film Show, Parish Room 6.45 for 7.30

## **March**

3 Tearfund Lunch—12-2pm—WI Hall  
15 Film Show Parish Room 6.45 for 7.30

A BIG  
THANK  
YOU

*As the village reflects upon yet another successful Fete, this year held in glorious sunshine and with a wonderful atmosphere again, we want to thank the whole team of people who helped and made it all possible, led by Tracy and Andi this year, but the whole village also wants to say an enormous THANK YOU to Phill Errett for his seven years of service as fete organiser and for the superb fete we have inherited from him. Thank you, Phill.*

## Ringmore Towns and villages quiz

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Tearfund Lunches are starting again!

-The first one is on Monday, October 13th from 12noon - 2pm at the WI Hall. Do come and sample delicious homemade soup and roll, followed by fruit crumble, ice-cream, and a cup of tea or coffee.

-We ask for donations for Tearfund, a Christian charity working with troubled areas in the world.

-The other dates are: Monday 4th November, Monday 3rd February 2014 and Monday 3rd March 2014.



Dear Ringmore News,

One of the items auctioned at recent RBL auctions in the JE has been a "Trojan Picnic" in which the successful bidder and companion are conveyed in my 1927 vintage Trojan via a scenic route to a local beauty spot, where a sumptuous picnic lunch is served by my wife Rosemary while I act as chauffeur and wine waiter.

Brian and Anne Lambell should have had their picnic last year but I snapped my Achilles tendon and so it had to be put on hold until June this year. Phill and Sally Errett who were the successful bidders last November also had a picnic this year in September.

I attach a few pictures to give you a flavour of this very special treat!

Best wishes

Christopher Piercy





ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984

SECTION 14

THE COUNTY OF DEVON (TEMPORARY RESTRICTION) (ROAD FROM BIGBURY BAY HOLIDAY PARK TO MARWYNNE HOUSE, CHALLABOROUGH) ORDER 2013

TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC

NOTICE is hereby given that Devon County Council has made the above titled order.

From **TUESDAY 1 OCTOBER 2013**  
for a maximum of 18 months

Anticipated Finish **THURSDAY 3 OCTOBER 2013**

No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to proceed on the sections of Affected Roads except for access to land or premises on or adjacent to those lengths of roads.

Roads affected -  
**ROAD FROM BIGBURY BAY HOLIDAY PARK TO MARWYNNE HOUSE, CHALLABOROUGH, OUTSIDE PEREGRINE COTTAGE TO OUTSIDE MARWYNNE**

The alternative, signed, route for vehicles will be via - **ROAD ALONG CHALLABOROUGH SEA FRONT - ROAD FROM BOWLING GREEN CROSS TO CHALLABOROUGH SEA FRONT - ROAD FROM BIGBURY GREEN CROSS TO BOWLING GREEN CROSS - CHAPEL CROSS TO ZC249 AT BIGBURY - BULLHORN CROSS TO CHAPEL CROSS - BULLHORN CROSS TO RINGMORE - ROAD FROM ALL HALLOWES CHURCH TO BIGBURY BAY HOLIDAY PARK AND VICE VERSA**

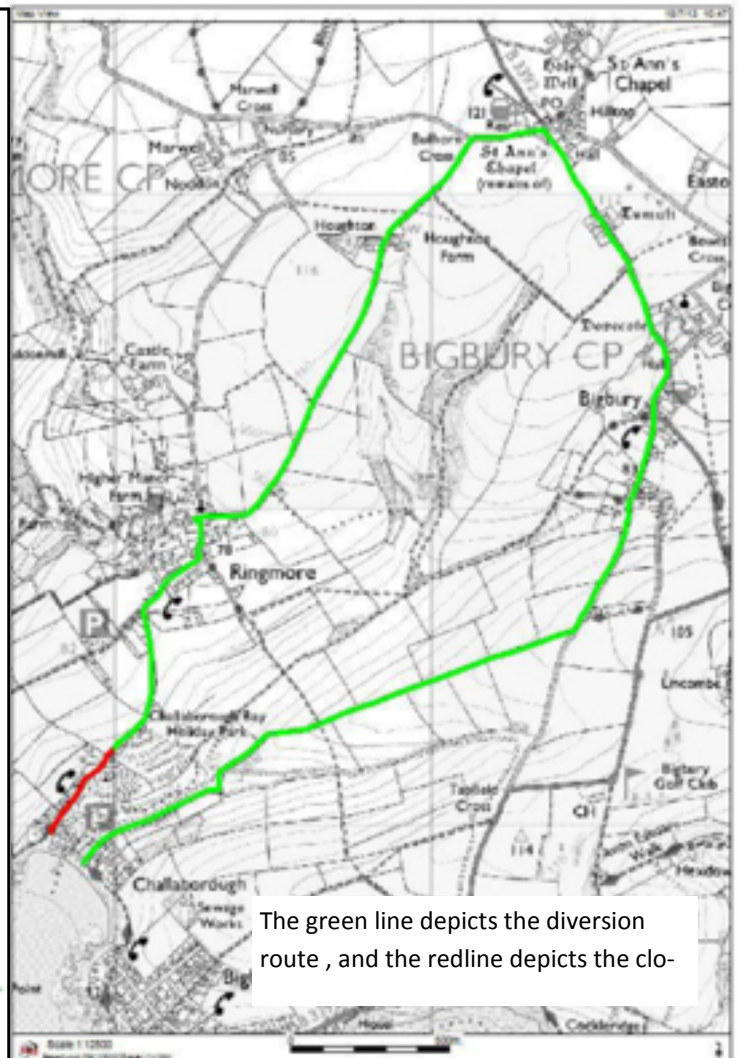
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**MAKE TEMPORARY REINSTATEMENT PERMANENT**

For additional information contact:  
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Dated: **TUESDAY 24 SEPTEMBER 2013**

David Whitton  
Head of Highways, Capital Development and Waste  
Devon Highways  
Devon County Council  
PO BOX 494  
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TQ12 9GL

Ref: TTR01304556



The green line depicts the diversion route, and the red line depicts the closed route.

# RICHARD.THE EARL GREY



THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR LOVELY KIND THOUGHTS, CARDS, LETTERS & TELEPHONE CALLS FOLLOWING THE DEATH OF MY LOVELY BOY.

WILL & I WOULD LIKE TO INVITE YOU TO AN INFORMAL CELEBRATION OF HIS LIFE IN THE GARDEN OF THE W.I. (A MARQUEE WILL BE PROVIDED!) ON OCTOBER 15th AT 1430hrs

RICHIES FUNERAL IS BEING HELD AT 'GOLDERS GREEN CREMATORIUM' ON OCTOBER 15th AT

1430hrs. HE IS BEING KEPT 'ON ICE' AS WILL IS AWAY UNTIL EARLY OCTOBER.

WITH THANKS TO YOU ALL

STEPHANIE & WILL GREY

## CHURCH SERVICES & THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

	Bigbury 11.00 am	Kingston 9.30 am	Ringmore 9.30 am
6 <sup>th</sup> October	Harvest Family Communion	Family Communion	Harvest Festival
13 <sup>th</sup> October	Sunday Worship	Sunday Worship	Holy Communion*
16 <sup>th</sup> October	Komiloff Communion (2.30 pm)		
20 <sup>th</sup> October	Sunday Worship	Sunday Worship	Village Service
27 <sup>th</sup> October	Holy Communion*	Village Service	Family Communion

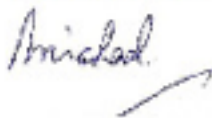
\* Service in traditional language

### Are Leaders Born or Made?

Leadership in the Church is taking on more significance with the reduction in the number of ordained priests. As clergy have to cover more parishes, there is a growing need for lay men and women who can assist in the leadership of the local church.

Whilst there are techniques and aids to assist people, in the final analysis it is the character of the leader which determines good leadership. Next month in the Modbury Team we begin a series of studies to look more closely at what makes a good leader. The title of the course is "Growing Leaders" and will be particularly useful to PCC members and those involved in any kind of leadership in the Church. The meetings will be in Aveton Gifford Church, generally on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday afternoon of each month, from 3 to 5 pm, and start on 27<sup>th</sup> October. There is no charge, and no commitment to undertake a particular job at the end of the course. The course is in four parts and, whilst we hope that people will want to attend the whole course, if you are not sure, come along to the first couple of meetings and decide whether this is for you or not. Neil and I will gladly give you more details.

In one sense most (perhaps, all) of us are engaged in leadership of one sort or another. Whenever we meet someone, we influence them by what we say and do, and nobody more so than parents and grandparents. The task of leading a new generation to be good citizens and loving people is a particularly crucial and awesome one. In the Church there are leaders in a variety of positions, whether Sunday worship, home groups or as those responsible for the various rotas which enable churches to run smoothly. Not to mention church officers and council members! To all of you we say a big "thank you". We value your support, and look forward to many others trained and willing to undertake leadership in God's Church.



Michael Tagent

*Team Rector: The Revd Neil Barker (830260: any day except Mondays)*

*Team Vicar: (vacant)*

*Team Readers: Chris Lally (521587), Michael Tagent (810520)*

**Website: [www.modburyteam.org](http://www.modburyteam.org)**





## POPPY APPEAL AUCTION of PLEDGES and USEFUL ITEMS

This will be held at the Journeys End on Friday 1 November by kind permission of Tracy and Conor. Viewing beforehand in the conservatory. Auction starts 8pm. Deliver your useful items to Brian Lambell – just drive up the slope and unload into his ever-open garage. To offer a pledge telephone Phil Errett on 810547

### BRITISH LEGION FILM SHOW

Saturday 19 October, Bigbury Memorial Hall  
Bring a bottle and some buffet supper to share

Doors open 6.45. Film starts 7.30

THE WORLD'S FASTEST INDIAN is a true story. Pensioner Burt Munro (Anthony Hopkins) lives in New Zealand, takes nitro pills for his heart and has spent years tinkering with a 1926 Indian motorcycle preparing it for an attempt on the world speed record for "streamlined motorcycles under 1000 cc." To make the attempt he must ship the bike to America and then trailer it to Bonneville Salt Flats. By 1967 all is ready and the bike is shipped followed by Burt. During the long overland haul to Bonneville he's beset by problems, but helped along the way by some remarkable, eccentric and very funny well-wishers. Without doubt this is one of Anthony Hopkins' most endearing performances.

## THE WORLD'S FASTEST



"WONDERFULLY  
UPLIFTING AND  
CHARMING"



EMPIRE

"BONE SHAKING  
EXCITEMENT"

JONATHAN ROSS,  
FILM 2006



ALL MY LIFE, I'VE WANTED  
TO DO SOMETHING BIG



## UNFORTUNATELY IT'S IN MY GENES

My balanced personality can cope with smooth or rough.

I never flap or panic in a jam.

I'm good looking, I am charming, and if that's not enough,

Reliable as clockwork's what I am.

My gifts abound but can you guess from whence they all have come,

The reason why I'm good and never bad?

My charm, good looks, good temper, I inherited from Mum.

The rest of it was given me by Dad.

My daddy walks the tightrope in a famous circus show

He met my mum, who flies the high trapeze.

They fell in love, they tied the knot, and soon I was in tow

So now it all can be explained with ease.

My balance comes from Daddy and the tightrope that he walks

My nerves of steel from Mother's flying act.

They gave me all these assets on which everybody talks.

I'm near perfect, it's an undisputed fact.

Near perfect, yes, but I confess to something really bad,

One single fault, one ugly little flaw.

It's something I'm ashamed of and it makes me rather sad

When folks say I'm a pompous little bore.

Submitted by James Stevenson

## Baked apple & toffee crumble

EASY 

SERVES 6 • PREP 20 mins plus resting •

COOK 1 hr

### FOR THE APPLE LAYER

100g/4oz raisins

100g/4oz pitted soft dates, snipped into small pieces with scissors

85g/3oz light muscovado sugar

3 tbsp dark rum (or use orange juice)

25g/1oz unsalted butter

1 tsp mixed spice

zest and juice 1 lemon

4 Bramley apples, about 800g/1lb 12 oz, peeled, cored and cut into 1cm rings

### FOR THE CRUMBLE

125g/4½oz plain flour

100g/4oz unsalted butter

50g/2oz light muscovado sugar

3 tbsp jumbo oats

25g/1oz flaked almonds (or use any other nuts you like)

custard or ice cream, to serve

1 Heat oven to 190C/170C fan/gas 5. Put everything for the apple layer, except the lemon juice and apples, into a bowl and microwave on High for 1½ mins until the butter has melted and the sugar is syrupy. Toss in the apples and lemon juice, then spoon into a medium baking dish, making sure the dried fruit is evenly distributed.

2 Rub the flour and butter together, first into fine crumbs, then keep going until the mix forms bigger clumps, a bit like a rough biscuit dough. Stir in the sugar, oats and almonds. Scatter over the fruit, then cover with foil and bake for 1 hr, removing the foil for the final 30 mins, until golden and bubbling. Rest for 10 mins, then serve with custard or ice cream.

Good Food Guide—October 2013

## Seared Scallops with Pureed Cauliflower & Pancetta

12 scallops cleaned and de-roed

4 slices Pancetta

Half a cauliflower

Half a pint of semi skimmed milk

Salt & Pepper to taste

### Method:

Place milk and cauliflower in a pan with a good pinch of salt and bring to the boil. Simmer until the cauliflower is tender. Drain the cauliflower from the milk making sure you do not throw away the milk. Puree the cooked cauliflower in a food processor until smooth and add some of the milk if the puree is too thick. Season to taste.

Preheat the oven to 180, place the slices on pancetta between two sheets of baking paper and then between two baking trays, place in oven for 8 minutes. Uncover the pancetta and leave to cool. It will crisp as it cools.

Heat a frying pan until very hot. Season the scallops with salt and pepper and then fry in a drizzle of oil. Cook on each side for two minute until golden brown.

Place three spoonfuls of cauliflower puree on each plate, put the scallops on top and finish the plate with the crispy strips of pancetta and garnish with microcress.

This is one of the Shack's most popular dishes and I hope that you will enjoy cooking and eating it at home.

Martin Benjamin Head Chef, Oyster Shack



## Well Well Well!

How many wells are there in Ringmore, both those still in commission and those now defunct? Does anybody know? We all know of at least one or two, but it would be interesting to know how many the village has had in the past and how many are still usable.



At Barnford there is one in the shed by the back gate and this has several unusual features; perhaps previous owners have written about it. There is still a big cast iron hand pump in the shed, although this is both rather inaccessible and appears to be rusted solid and doesn't work any more. The previous owners of Barnford installed an electric pump to enable water to be used for gardening, but the water quality wasn't good enough for drinking even before a torch was dropped down it! Perhaps, as an elderly neighbour once observed to us years ago regarding a well at Church Cottage, our thatched cottage in Worcestershire, 'There's too much gravy coming down from the churchyard.'

In any event, this summer's dry weather has lowered the water level a long way. I measured it

recently and found that the water was 23 feet (7m) below ground level, but there was still 10 feet (3m) of water at the bottom, so the well is more than 33 feet (10m) deep. As it is obviously quite ancient (well, older than I am, anyway!) it might have quite a bit of silt in it and this might reveal other objects which have dropped down it in the past. Does anyone know how deep it has been in the past, or how old it is, or how low the water might have been in previous dry summers, maybe even 1976? The highest we've ever seen the water level (last December) was 7 feet (2,1m) below ground level.

Although it is only about 3 feet (1m) wide at the bottom, the well is quite wide at the top, over 6 feet (2m) across and actually extends under the shed wall and a little way under the cobbles outside by the road, as well as under the shed floor. The shed wall is supported by an arch which appears to have been added later, presumably when the shed was built, but again we don't know when this was. Most of the way down it appears to have been hewn out of solid rock, which isn't surprising as the Journeys Inn car park is only a few yards away and that was once a quarry.

Does anyone know how to establish the age of a well or know how they were excavated? Quite apart from the problem of digging down below the water level, there is the question of whether the workmen ran out of oxygen when working down there. I daresay I could research much of this on the Internet, but it would be far more interesting to hear from other villagers who have experience of wells.

Have you got any quirky features on your property which the village might be interested to hear about?

Adrian Bull

## Christmas Choir

Choir practices start on Wednesday 23rd October at 7.30 p.m. at Barnford and will continue on Wednesday evenings until Christmas. If you have even half a mind to join us, do come along. There is no need to be able to read music and a plain and simple voice is preferable to a powerful or operatic voice. If you like singing carols, as we do, we're sure you'll enjoy these evenings.

For further details contact Adrian & Judy Bull on [adrianandjudy@btinternet.com](mailto:adrianandjudy@btinternet.com) or telephone 810420, or just turn up on the night. The Carols by Candlelight service at All Hallows will be on Sunday 23rd December at 6.00 p.m. It is also hoped to muster a children's choir for this service



# THE RINGMORE CALENDAR 2014

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James 810303  
Barry 810359  
Proceeds to Parish  
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## Autumn Celebration Modbury Caring Craft Fair

Greeting Cards, Jewellery, Paintings  
Bags, Gifts and Refreshments.

Contact Details Charlotte Aylward (Possum),  
01548 830592 possumaylward@aol.com

Where: **Modbury Memorial Hall**  
Back Street, PL21 0RF

When: **Saturday 26 October**

Time: **11am to 4pm. ~**  
Admission Free



## FLOWERS FOR HARVEST FESTIVAL

WE WILL BE IN THE CHURCH  
FROM 10.00—2.00

ON

SATURDAY 5TH OCTOBER

PLEASE COME AND ASSIST

GIFTS OF PRODUCE/FOOD WOULD  
ALSO BE GRATEFULLY RECEIVED.  
PLEASE LEAVE IN THE CHURCH  
DURING THE WEEK BEFORE THE  
FESTIVAL

MANY THANKS

ROSEMARY WILSON



## Thefts from cars

Last week a resident's car was broken into in the National Trust car park, causing considerable damage.

Make sure you don't leave anything visible in your car which might tempt the opportunist thief, whether it is in a car park or parked on your drive.

Neighbourhood Watch Co-ordinator



The newsletter is now being edited by Sally, Gillian and Lynn in turn, so please ensure you use the Ringmore news email below and not personal email addresses. If you have any news, views, jokes, interesting articles, recipes, book reviews, or something to celebrate, or share, please send information to : [ringmorenews@btconnect.com](mailto:ringmorenews@btconnect.com)  
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#### **MOBILE LIBRARY**

**Tuesday October 8th and 22nd**

Ringmore Church 11.20—11.55



#### **Rainfall**

September 2013 59mm  
10 year high 105mm (2008)  
10 year low 17mm (2009)  
10 year average 57mm



#### **FRIDAY BUS SERVICE**

Departs Challaborough 09.47/Ringmore 09.55—Arrives Plymouth 10.49

Departs Plymouth 13.30—Arrives Ringmore 14.34/Challaborough 14.38

#### **Village Transport Scheme**

Please remember, if you need a car and driver to get you to hospital or to the dentist, then phone Phill or Sally Errett on 810547.

#### **FARE CAR SCHEME – USE IT OR LOSE IT**

Fare Car is operated by Ivy Cabs 01752 895555 by formal agreement with the Devon County Council. You need to phone them to book in advance

To **Modbury** £2.80 per single journey : Tuesdays, arrival 09.20, departure 12.30

Saturdays, arrival 11.35, departure 17.40

To **Ivybridge**, £3.50 per single journey: Saturdays only, arrival 12.05, departure 17.10

To **Kingsbridge**, £2.80 per single journey: Wednesdays, arrival 10.30 and 11.30, departure 12.30 and 13.30. This service is wheelchair accessible. Passengers can travel in an ordinary car seat or in a wheelchair. Anyone can use this service.

#### **Ringmore Parish First Aid Responder**

**In an Emergency First Call 999 then call any of us**

Lizzie Andrews 01548 810615

Sandy Hammond 01548 810572

Andi King 01548 811210

Emily Bohnet 01548 811210

Mike Wilson 01548 810211

Alan Eaves 01548 810648

Karen Purdy 01548 810382

Jane Reynolds 01548 811218

Debbie Mercy 01548 811276



The Newsletter editorial team are delighted to welcome a new member. Carmen Henderson has kindly offered her assistance and we know her services will be invaluable

Please send items for inclusion in the newsletter to e-mail: [ringmorenews@btconnect.com](mailto:ringmorenews@btconnect.com) or contact any of the team:

Jane 811218, Gillian 810303, Karen 810382, Lynn 810093, Sally 810639 Carmen 810028

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A chill is in the air and the leaves are changing colour – autumn is on its way. This time of year sees the transition from our summer work plan to our winter plan. Our team will be busy with woodland management, scrub management and footpath improvements, to name but a few of our winter tasks.

September saw three new Interns join our team: Helen, our Community Ranger Intern, and two Practical Ranger Interns; Chris and Wynona. They will be with our team for 6-9 months, learning skills which will prepare them for paid employment. If you see them out on site make sure you stop and have a chat with them.

Last month footpath improvements were completed over Noss cliffs along Revelstoke Drive. The improvements included scraping off the excess soil from the carriage drive and improving drainage. These works will help to alleviate the problem of the thick mud areas encountered last winter which made sections of the track almost impassable

At the beginning of October we will be improving the footpath at Ayrmer, with a view to resolving the drainage issues that occur near the viewpoint. We will replace a broken section of pipe which runs across the track and also dredge out the small spring water holding-area to ensure that the water flows away from the footpath.

Last but by no means least, a big thank you to the Orchard volunteers. They have done a great job tidying up the orchard; the trees are flourishing with what looks to be a bumper crop this year! We are looking forward to tasting the delicious apple juice.

**Helen Pattison**

### **Community Ranger Internship**

Please contact your South Devon Rangers on 01548 562344 or email [lornasher-riff@nationaltrust.org.uk](mailto:lornasher-riff@nationaltrust.org.uk)

To keep up to date with the South Devon ranger team visit our blog at: [www.ntsouthdevoncountryside.co.uk](http://www.ntsouthdevoncountryside.co.uk)

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## **VILLAGE BOY SAVES DAD'S LIFE!**

Our very own Alex (Emily's son) is a hero! Whilst staying with his father, Alex's quick recall of past first aid sessions he attended in Ringmore saved Tim from possible death, stated the Paramedic who attended. Tim returned home from a bike ride feeling "light headed and not well" and wanted to go to his bed. Realising this was not a normal occurrence, Alex insisted his father lay down on the settee so as to remain under his watchful eye. Within minutes of laying down Tim had a violent seizure. The fit ceased but due to the position of his head and neck, he was not breathing. Alex pulled his father to the floor, placed him in the recovery position (thus opening his airway), dialled 999 and called to a passerby through the open window for help.

Tim has made a complete recovery and Alex phoned to thank us for the first aid sessions that probably helped him save his father's life.

A basic first aid session including a defibrillator refresher is to be held on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November at Bigbury Memorial Hall 7-9pm. *Free and everyone is welcome.*

**BASIC FIRST AID KNOWLEDGE SAVES LIVES!**

*Sandy*



**RINGMORE WI MEETING**  
**"LAND'S END TO JOHN O'GROATS"**  
Thursday September 12

Those of you who have made this epic journey in an open car will be able to identify with the experiences of Mike and Ann Oakins, who entertained us with an account of their own journey, which raised a magnificent £3,500 for St. Luke's Hospice. Julia, their car, has old Reliant parts with a new chassis and body. Luggage was one suitcase strapped on the back, but as Ann said, when you are sitting in a car all day there are only so many clothes that you need.

The route north avoided large towns and motorways - which are not Julia's favourite kind of road. After Land's End they took the Atlantic Highway to the Severn Bridge, and through the Welsh mountains, to the Lake District with fabulous views from the awesome Hardnott and Wrynose passes. Once in Scotland they took the Gourock ferry to Dunoon and the "Rest and be Thankful hill", giving the owner of the road a bottle of malt whisky as payment. At John O' Groats the occupants of all 5 cars in the convoy enjoyed a couple of bottles of champagne! Mike and Ann then drove to Dunnet (apty named?) Head, the most northerly tip of the British Isles.

And the best part of the trip for Ann? "When it was raining hard and Mike eventually agreed to put up the hood." This writer, also married to a car enthusiast, can agree with that.

Our next meeting on October 11th will be all about lace making when Jeanne Curtis will tell us about its history and give a demonstration. Do join us.

**Next Meeting**

**Jeanne Curtis**

on

**Lace-making**

and the

**History of Lace**

with

**Demonstration**

and

**Hands-on Session**

**Ringmore W.I. Hall**

**Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October**

**8.00 pm**

*Come and have some fun!*

**Ringmore Parish Room**

**Saturday October 26th**

**Doors open at 6.45 for a welcome drink**

**Film starts at 7.30**



**Admission £5-pay at the door**

RINGMORE PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF A MEETING HELD ON 17<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2013  
IN THE W.I. HALL, RINGMORE AT 7.00PM

Present	Cllr Mike Hammond	MH	Chairman
	Cllr Jeremy Deverson	JD	
	Cllr Sarah Hitchmough	SH	
	Cllr Brian Lambell	BL	
	Cllr John Reynolds	JR	
	County Cllr William Mumford	WM	
	District Cllr Bryan Carson	BC	
Apologies	Cllr James Parkin	JP	
	Clerk Peter Javes	PJ	

Members of the public present: 3

Before the meeting was opened, Bob Wood, who has taken over the Challaborough defibrillator fund raising, requested funds from the Parish, District and County Councils. Two members of the Ringmore Parish defibrillator fund offered support and assistance in operating a Challaborough Defibrillator.

**DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

MH Regarding item relating to defibrillators.

**MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING**

That the minutes of the meeting held on 23 July 2013 be accepted as a correct record.

Proposed: Cllr John Reynolds Seconded: Cllr Brian Lambell.

Resolution carried unanimously.

**MATTERS ARISING**

**Traffic Calming** – this item was carried over to the next meeting.

**Footpaths No. 13** – Work is in progress to erect fence hard against bank. Two concrete steps have been placed at the top. Large stepping stones facilitate the crossing of the Cockle.

No. 10 – Contractor appointed to replace drains on Ayrmer bridal path.

No. 4 - A digger has been commissioned to re establish the causeway.

**Kalchelo Wall** – this item to be carried forward.

**Town Well Boundaries** – A review of the plans and registration documents failed to establish the ownership of the boundary wall. *(Post Council meeting the Chairman has been advised that private land owners usually sought to protect their land from common usage.)* The Town Well is registered as Common Land.

**Challaborough Defibrillator** – It was agreed to request from WM a donation from his residual budget. PJ

**PLANNING** – No objections to application 40/1940/13TCA

**FINANCE**

Current balances – information not available.

Payments	£
All Hallows Church yard	200.00
Defibrillator Box	203.83
Peter Javes – administration	123.66
John Reid – grass cutting	64.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>591.49</b>

The above payments were approved

**COUNTY COUNCILLOR'S REPORT**

WM reported the county budget needs to save a further 100 million pounds over the next 3 years which will unfortunately impinge on frontline services.



#### DISTRICT COUNCILLOR'S REPORT

BC reported that the District Council need to save 10% over the next 3 years: an investigation into having a paperless office with IT handling enquiries. This could result in one central office between West Devon and South Hams Councils.

Boundary Commission propose that a new district called *Bigbury and Modbury* will encompass the Parish Councils of Kingston, Ringmore and Bigbury and Modbury.

#### ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS

The Council is aware of the legal requirements regarding Ragwort and would encourage all landowners to meet the legal requirements.

Footpath no. 3 – the Belle Vue kissing gate is in disrepair.

#### MEETINGS ATTENDED BY COUNCILLORS AND CLERK

JR had a site meeting with Roz Davies regarding kissing gate footpath 3.

#### CORRESPONDENCE

Super Cluster meeting is on 11<sup>th</sup> November 2013 at 6.30pm Ivybridge.

SHDC are holding Pre planning workshops in the autumn.

SHDC Boundary Changes.

Challaborough toilet winter closing.

#### MATTERS FOR DISCUSSION AT NEXT MEETING

Parish tidy up.

Kalchelo collapsing wall.

Meeting closed at 9.05pm

Next meeting: Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2013 at 7.00pm



#### CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

SATURDAY 7th DECEMBER

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#### Operation Christmas Child

Once more we are asking for your generous support for this annual appeal. Rosemary has already been busy covering shoe boxes and these will be available in All Hallows Church from October 7th, if you need one. You can also collect leaflets containing details of suggestions for the boxes and knitting patterns for hats and glove puppets.

Boxes need to be completed by November 16th and can then be left with Judy Bull 810420 or Alison Wynne-Powell 810407.

If you need any help or further information please contact Judy or myself on the above numbers.

Thank you.  
Alison

## All Hallows Church, Ringmore



### NEWS FROM ALL HALLOWS

#### Harvest Festival: Sunday 6th October

Our Harvest Festival this year will be held on **Sunday 6th October**. The Harvest Festival Service will be held in All Hallows at 9.30am and will be conducted by Michael Tagent. The Harvest Festival Lunch will once again be held in the Ringmore Parish Room at 12.30 for 1.00pm. Tickets priced at £12 (under 14's £6) have been kept the same as last year and may be obtained from Drina 810405, Judy 810420 and Phill 810547. See also the notices around the village and in this Parish Newsletter. We hope once again that All Hallows will be decorated with an abundance of flowers, fruits, vegetables and non perishable food items. Rosemary Wilson will be on hand in the church from 10.00am till 2.00pm to give anybody help if required. Please note that this year we will be forwarding perishable food to the Komiloff at Bigbury and tinned and non perishable items to the Kingsbridge Food Bank. Thank you in advance for any item you can give as it has been an excellent summer and harvest.

#### Friends' Concert: October 18 at 7.30pm.

Please note that this concert will now be held in the **PARISH ROOM** rather than the church. We should have an excellent evening with a variety of remarkably talented performers playing the violin, cello, keyboard and also the saxophone; in addition we have the Singing Sensations from Modbury, plus the Gospel Choir. Tickets only £5 to include not only all this enjoyment but also a glass of wine and refreshments! (Free to Friends of the church)

#### Choral Evensong

On 8th September All Hallows was privileged to welcome the South Hams Choral Evensong Choir conducted by Robin Brett for a traditional cathedral style choral evensong led by Neil Barker. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the service in its entirety, with an excellent sermon and outstanding singing, including an introit by Thomas Tallis, festival responses by Robin Brett, sung psalms and canticles, an anthem by Anton Bruckner, various descants and a sung blessing by John Rutter. The choir then retired to the Journey's End for an excellent meal as the congregation returned home to reflect upon a quite exceptional act of worship

#### Annual Church Fete

On behalf of All Hallows a very big thank you and congratulations to Tracy, Andi, and their team, and all the villagers that made the annual fete on Bank Holiday Monday such a great, successful and enjoyable afternoon. The fete raised the amazing sum of £3,400 which has enabled me to give the go ahead for the following work to be undertaken:- a) Cleaning, inspection and replacement estimates for the gutters, downpipes and gullies. b) Cleaning, de-rusting and preventative coatings of the RSJ's supporting the bells in the Bell tower. Please note that when the work in the Bell tower is being carried out the Clock Bell will be silenced.

#### Other Events.

Notices for the Tearfund Lunch, Operation Christmas Child (Shoe box appeal) and Christmas Carols choir appear elsewhere in this Parish Newsletter.

#### Prayer Chain

From time to time, most of us feel the need for prayer (whether or not we go to church). Over the past few months many have felt the need and benefit of the prayer chain. If anyone has a prayer request, they can phone one of the numbers below and give details of the request (as much or as little detail as they wish). That person will then phone the next person on the list and so on - ensuring at least ten people are praying. Details will be kept confidential at all times. Rosemary Wilson 810211, Jenny Williams 810851, Mary Wilson 830280, Gill Tomlin 810028, Sally Errett 810547, Alice Thornton 810284, Judy Bull 810420, Alison Wynne-Powell 810407, Sally Ness 810639, Drina Williams 810405.

Phill Errett.



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SUNDAY 6th OCTOBER 2013



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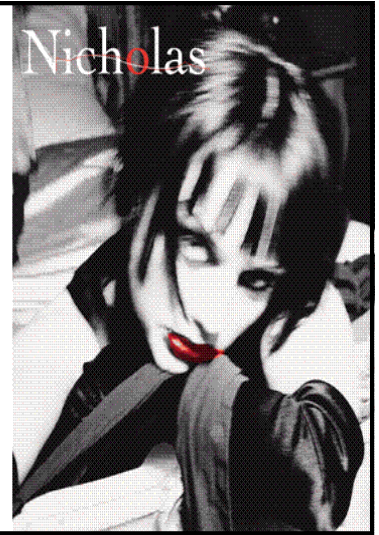
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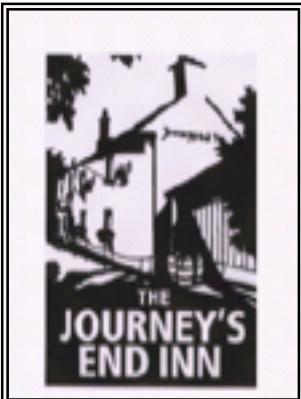
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