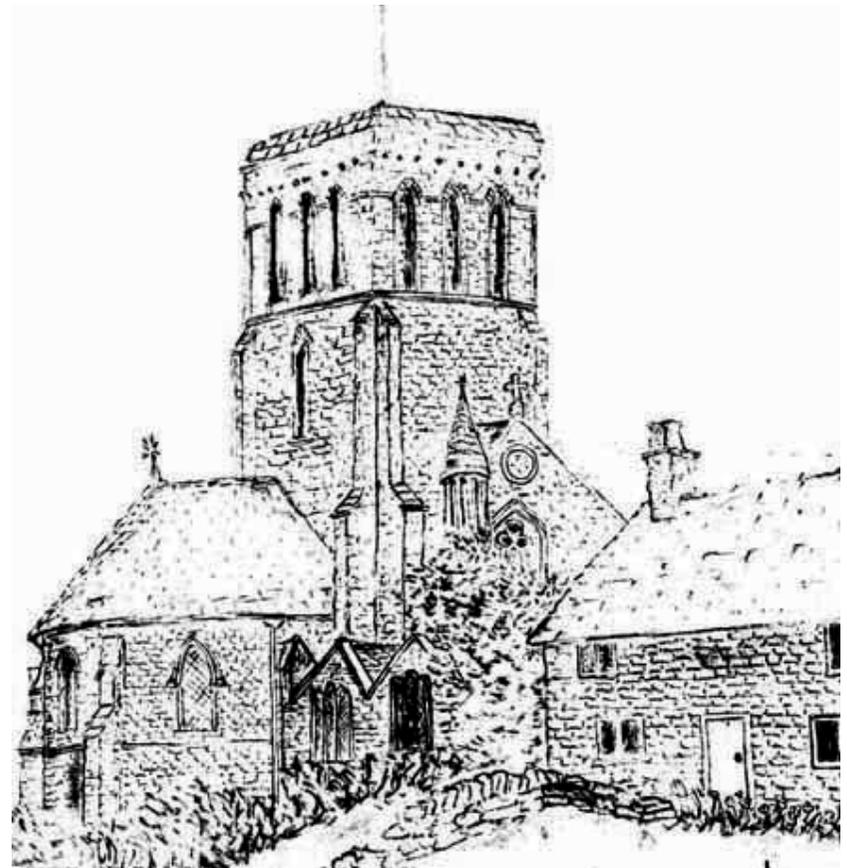


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Editorial

Many of you will remember the party in the Village Hall back in June 2015 to say farewell to Ian Tarbotton when he moved out of the Post Office. Ian has now wrapped up the business associated with finally moving out of the old post office premises and has left the village to go and live in Devon. In addition to being Postmaster Ian organised the football club and was a founding member of the Sports Trust. His sporting activities are recalled elsewhere in this magazine in an article by Jim Rosewarn, who was, himself, another founding member of the Sports Trust.

Ian was a tireless worker for the football club organising his fundraising pig racing evenings in the village hall. These were enjoyed by many and raised much needed funds for the football and sports clubs. We wish him well.

We will all remember the power cut during February which affected most of Purbeck. However Scottish Power (our network provider) were very quick to have information available. This could be obtained by calling one of the numbers below - 105, or 0800 0727282. However to do so you need an old fashioned phone which does not need mains power to work – ie is not a carry around, but plugs straight into the telephone point. Make sure you have one available to use when a power cut occurs.

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by Ken Williams

CORFE CASTLE PARISH COUNCIL

FEBRUARY AT THE PARISH COUNCIL

Mr Stephen Mepham of Dorset County Council attended the meeting to discuss highway issues with the Councillors. Various issues that have been outstanding for some time were addressed and some understanding ensued, particularly in regard to road works coming soon to the village but also in respect of pavement issues such as unsightly tarmac repairs to stone surfaces. Mr Mepham pointed out the reduction in the Highways budget to the current £4.8 million from the £12 million that was available around 6 years ago.

There will be night time closure of the A351 (East Street) in Corfe Castle either side of the Spring Bank Holiday from the 24th April to the 5th May between 7pm and 6am. The work will extend from the Studland junction to the Kingston turning. There will be one lane kept open so residents can access their properties although there may be some delay. The work will cease from 6am on Friday the 28th April to 7pm on Tuesday the 2nd May.

The Parish Council will be complying with a request for a temporary summer Traffic Regulation Order. This will enable two parking spaces outside the National Trust shop to be used for parking a shuttle minibus in the Square before returning to the Norden Park and Ride. Hopefully, this initiative will help reduce parking pressure in the village during the busy summer tourist season.

The twinning signs are to be removed as the village no longer has any formal connections with towns elsewhere in the World.

The First School has again requested Dorset County Council change the Zebra Crossing outside of the school to a light controlled Puffin Crossing. A request has been made to MP Richard Drax and this may result in another vehicle, pedestrian and speed survey. However, as Dorset County Council funding is still being cut there is no guarantee that a Puffin Crossing would be built in the near future even if survey results meet the criteria.

The toilets in the West Street car park have been refurbished by the District Council and are available for visitors.

The Council considers all planning applications and submits comments to the District Council. The Parish Council had no objection to proposals for the following: The erection of a first floor side extension and the conversion of the roof space to habitable use, including 6 roof lights and a window on the east elevation of 17 Colletts Close, Corfe Castle. The

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erection of a replacement shop and reception building and new equipment store at Woodyhyde Campsite, Valley Road, Harmans Cross.

The Council did object to the erection of a two storey, 4-bed dwelling and detached garage with associated parking and amenity space at The Eye, Higher Filbank, Corfe Castle. *The Council suggests the position of the proposed dwelling is too close to the plot boundary and is likely to result in the unnecessary removal of trees adjacent to that boundary (not shown on the plans). The Higher Filbank access road is unsuitable for further development. Any grant of planning permission to be subject to a condition that an archaeological dig be carried out first due to the close proximity of other early settlement evidence.*

Jeff Dunn, Parish Clerk

(phone 555266) (e-mail CorfeCastlePC@aol.com) - 8 Old Kiln Road, Ridge, Wareham BH20 5BY. The Parish Council meets on the second Monday of each month at 7pm in the Town Hall, West Street*. Have your say at the start of the meeting, speak to any parish councillor, or write to me. Full minutes of the meetings are available in Corfe Castle library or on the Website (www.corfecastlepc.org.uk). [*Sometimes elsewhere.]

The next Parish Council Meeting is on the 13th March in the Town Hall.



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NEWS FROM CHURCH KNOWLE PARISH COUNCIL

The February meeting was a designated “mini-meeting” to discuss Planning and Financial matters only. However, the recent and future road closures at Steeple, etc., by the military which have been causing so much inconvenience and increased transport difficulty to the parishioners of Church Knowle, Steeple, Kimmeridge and Lulworth as well as other road users from other parts of the country who may require to travel along the Corfe to Grange Hill road was an additional Agenda item. At the invitation of the Parish Council, “Defence Infrastructure”, the firm that organises the Lulworth ranges for military and other agencies training gave a presentation to Members, Parishioners and visitors from Kimmeridge (inc. the Kimmeridge Parish Chairman) about the history and future of the training ranges and the probability of further road closures halfway up Steeple Hill and at the top of Grange Road between 9:00am and 5:00pm on weekdays. These closures effectively render the valley road from Corfe Castle to Grange Hill a dead end. The meeting heard how the ranges developed from small beginnings at Bovington during the 1800s to tank training being carried out during WW1 at the Weld Estate through to the current set-up we have today. Lt.Col Davies (Rtd) the Range Officer for Defence Infrastructure, who gave the presentation, envisaged the amount of training involving road closures in the future is likely to increase thereby resulting in more disruption.

Following on from the formal Powerpoint presentation, Lt Col (Rtd) Davies invited questions from those attending. Concern was raised about the lack of effective signage by the MoD’s contractor to announce dates of road closures as required by the Military Byelaws of 1978. It was pointed out the military were keen to enforce the Byelaws with regard to the ejection of “unauthorised” civilians from the ranges and turning away road users from progressing along roads, byways, footpaths and BOATs closed by them. Unfortunately they were not so efficient at ensuring their compliance with byelaw requirements for providing adequate warning of road closures both through public media and with signs positioned at the points specified in the Byelaw of 1978. It was pointed out it would be almost impossible for a laden lorry to safely reverse down a hill along a narrow, winding road as would be the case when Steeple Hill is closed halfway up. It was also pointed out that the road closures had previously not been effected since the Gulf War of the 1990s.

Lt Col (Rtd) Davies was advised that as a result of road closures, some emergency vehicles, (eg ambulance) would be subject to a 17 mile extra trip to Kimmeridge/Steeple when the roads are closed and there was insufficient warning signage. He was unaware that South West Ambulance service was based in Exeter. Considerable further discussion took place and it was pointed

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out the traffic usage is very different from the past when the byelaws were made and road closures by the military do not appear on “TomTom” in-vehicle navigation systems. The meeting pointed out the legal issues involved when the roads are closed with inadequate signage and hence non-compliance with the law. Lt Col (Rtd) Davies accepted the difficulties faced by road users affected by road closures but the lack of adequate signage was a matter of economic policy dictated by his superiors. Following further discussions the Chairman thanked Lt Col (Rtd) Davies for his presentation and openness, pointing out the military and the locals need to work together to get resolution. The meeting then went on to discuss other matters.

There were no declarations of pecuniary interest although one Member declared an interest as the occupier of a neighbouring property at Buckknowle. The draft minutes of the January meeting were approved subject to minor alterations and the meeting went on to discuss Matters Arising during which the placement of the Church Knowle cardiac defibrillator was again discussed. The Clerk advised that following his meeting with the landlord of the New Inn and discussions with Punch Taverns, the pub’ landlord had offered to site the unit in the outside disabled toilet which had a power supply, was open twenty-four hours a day and would protect the unit from the ravishes of the South Westerlies. Members felt if possible it should be located in a more prominent position under the lamp-post on the gable wall of the old skittle alley at the pub’. Failing that, the old ‘phone box outside the Reading Room could be the stand-by option. It was decided to approach the landlord again.

Planning matters, the main reason for the “mini-meeting” were then discussed. It was decided to hold back discussion on a planning application for Puddlemill Farm because PDC had received other applications for that property but these had not been received by CKPC. It was felt the Parish Council could not really make an informed decision regarding the development without looking holistically at all the proposals. The Clerk advised he had spoken with the planners who had extended the dates for CKPC’s comments.

Members felt the proposal by the Mgt Green animal sanctuary to erect the planned fence around Hedgehog Cottage was out of keeping with the environment. They decided to object to the proposals preferring a boundary of native hedging to replace the proposed fencing. They then examined proposals to carry out renovations and alterations at 2 Cotness, East Creech (6/2017/0028 & 0029) and whilst they had no objections, they felt that it would have been better if the proposed extension was more in keeping with the old building. The owner agreed, it was what he had wished for but PDC had thought otherwise. A planning application for the fire-destroyed buildings at

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Cotness Cottages (6/2016/0720) was discussed: CKPC had no objections to the works being carried out.

Under "Past Planning" matters, the planning application for Rachel's Plantation, which had been objected to at a previous meeting, was brought up and the District Councillor advised the meeting that he was having a meeting with the head of the PDC planning department to try and sort out matters of concern to both PDC and CKPC. He would report back at the next meeting.

The Chairman then reported the working party of Members and Parishioners set up to critique the PDC proposals to reduce the East Creech conservation area boundary had completed its work and subject to approval by Members he would send their report off to PDC. Members approved the report which will form the submission to PDC when it will be discussed and CKPC has its time at the enquiry.

All bank accounts were shown to be in a healthy condition although there will be an expense of a few hundred pounds involving replacement of fencing, etc., around the playing field and playground having to be paid out of the playground fund. The monthly accounts were found to be in good order and bills were paid.

General correspondence was postponed until the next meeting as it was only of minor importance

During other matters of importance the reorganisation of hospital services for the Purbeck area was brought up for discussion and in the end it was felt that rather than a single set of comments being made by the Parish Council, it would probably be better if each Member wrote individually.

Concerns were raised at the increased level of Fly-tipping. This appears to be due to Dorset County Council now charging for disposal of some types of rubbish at their household waste sites. It was decided a representative from CKPC would attend the PDC council meeting on 21st February to complain about the situation; DCC and Dorset Waste Partnership would be contacted to express the Parish Council's concern about the increase in fly-tipping.

After all this the Chairman thanked those attending and closed the meeting.

Next meeting will be at Church Knowle Village Hall on Tuesday 14th March 7:30pm.

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Annual AGM



Yes it's that time of year again! Oh, no it's not! Oh, yes it Stop that! Our March meeting is the usual AGM so all members really should attend to influence the future directions we take.

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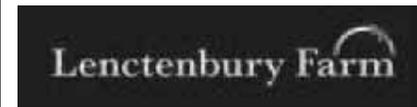
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Possibly the best Aquarius party yet!

At the February meeting the members voted for the charity that we will support for the coming year, the choice being Admiral Nurses, for the provision of a dementia care specialist nurse in Purbeck.

Sophie Dixon, owner of Seasons Green and a talented garden designer, gave an inspirational talk on how to get the best from our own gardens. The first and most essential element is to have a plan! She explained how she works with a client to draw up a detailed design to include materials, heights, landscaping and planting. Sophie offered simple, practical ideas on how to enhance our outdoor spaces, such as a collection of pots for a focal point, using diagonal lines to give a sense of movement and space or using an arch to frame a view. Roll on spring so we can try out some of these ideas!

Subscriptions: Membership renewal is due by the end of this month please and no later than the April meeting. The cost is still only £22. Committee members will be ready to take your subscriptions at the March meeting.

Stella's Stall: The March theme is Bulbs (the ones you plant of course!). What can you bring to add to the attractions?

Dates for your diary:

7 th March	AGM
4 th April	Sisters! Hazel Wilson and Jenny Linwood
22 nd April	Afternoon Tea Fundraiser. Please make a note of this date, the annual event run largely by the members. This year we are trying an afternoon instead of the usual coffee morning and we need lots of volunteers to run or help with stalls.

Visitors are welcome to attend any two meetings in the year for a small charge of £3. Aquarius meets at the village hall at 2pm, usually on the first Tuesday of the month.
Alison Palmer 480096 News Editor

CORFE CASTLE SPORTS TRUST

Ian Tarbotton

Ian came to Corfe Castle from Yorkshire in the mid nineteen eighties to take over the post office. A keen sportsman, Ian was disappointed to find no football or cricket clubs in the village. Kingston, Corfe's much smaller neighbour, did have a football club playing in the Dorset League, so, Ian joined the club and played for Kingston for a number of seasons. Determined that Corfe should have its own team, Ian had heard that historically, until the mid-1950s, there had been a club in Corfe Castle playing at the West Street ground. Ian established that the site was owned by the National Trust and leased to the Parish Council. However, because there was no interest in using it for sport, the Parish Council had allowed a local farmer to use it for grazing. Ian obtained the support of both organisations to re-establish the site as a sports field and form a village football club. In 1988, with some local help, Ian got the field into a playable condition and had installed the most basic of facilities in the form of a portacabin with no electricity or other services, but, nonetheless, adequate for the lower reaches of the Dorset league.

Ian was player, manager, trainer, kit man, groundsman and much more for Corfe Castle Football Club which went from strength to strength and became much respected as it moved up the ladder. Sadly, in 1993, the temporary planning consent for the changing facilities, expired. To continue with league status a more permanent structure was required and with no money to build this, the club had no option but to withdraw. However, the club continued to function by playing friendly fixtures at both Corfe Castle and elsewhere. The field was maintained as a sports facility, particularly when Corfe Castle Cricket Club took up residence, and the footballers used it occasionally.

Undeterred, Ian obtained the support of other local enthusiasts and formed a small committee to endeavour to raise the funds needed to build a pavilion on the West Street site. Plans were drawn up and some progress was made. In 1997, as a result of a Parish Council initiative, The Millennium Association was formed with the aim to appropriately celebrate the Millennium within the community. The Association decided that, amongst many other things, a capital project should be undertaken to stand as a lasting legacy for future generations. Ideas were sought and Ian proposed the Sports Field Project. Although more ambitious than the type of project envisaged by many, the Association agreed to adopt Ian's proposal and a sub committee was formed of which Ian took a leading role.

With so many bureaucratic hoops to jump through, progress was slow and by the time the Millennium Association was effectively disbanded in 2001, an agreement was reached with the National Trust with regard to the appearance of the building (the biggest stumbling block) and planning consent had been granted by the local authority. It was decided that the work of the Millennium Association should be taken over by a charitable trust and Corfe Castle Sports Trust was formed. Ian became a Trustee along with four others, and he was appointed Chairman. In the meantime he continued to keep the football club 'ticking over'. With the support of Sue Hough, the then Development Officer for Dorset F.A, fundraising was the priority. The Trust needed to raise close to three hundred thousand pounds to build the pavilion and refurbish the field which included the installation of a field drainage system. By local activities and successfully applying to other fund providing organisations and trusts, much of this was achieved. However, to bring the dream to reality, the Trust needed to convince the Football Foundation to provide a grant for the greater percentage of the funds needed. In 2004 the application was granted and the Sports Trust could move ahead with its plans. In 2006 the facility was officially opened and the football club returned to the site in competitive football with Ian at the helm and wearing his many hats. He has continued as Chairmen of the Sports Trust which is now looking at expanding the facility to include an all-weather surface.

As a general comment, it has been Ian's determination to see the facilities we all now enjoy come to fruition. He would be the first to say that it was not all down to him. He did receive great support from his Sports Trust colleagues but it was his enthusiasm that kept others involved and equally keen to see the job



through. He really has been an inspirational character. The football club is now enjoying the best time ever in the modern era of the club which, we are sure, is the legacy of his leadership and example over many years.

Jim Roseworn

Jim Roseworn (l) and Ian (r) – the two people without whom the sports club and facilities would not exist.



The Spring Term is exciting with Pancake Day and Mother's Day to look forward to, and we can start thinking about Easter! We were lucky to have some new children start with us in February who have settled in beautifully and the arrival of the Spring sunshine has made playing in the garden a wonderful activity. We also recently welcomed Ofsted to our setting, and are proud to announce we retained our rating of 'Good' and would like to thank all of our staff, parents and children who make this such a fantastic place to be.

Our next Baby Sale and Coffee Morning is on Saturday 18th March at Harman's Cross Village Hall from 9.30am - 11.30am, these are really popular and at only £5 a table great value if you have bits and pieces to sell. Please call Claire on 01929 481631 to book a table.

From April 2017, we will offer 30 free hours for eligible 3 and 4 year olds weekly in term time at Pre-School. We will continue to offer the universal entitlement of 15 hours weekly for eligible children also.

Our popular Easter Egg Hunt will take place at Scoles Manor, Kingston on Good Friday at 2pm, free entry, donations welcome. Talking of Easter, Kids Club will be open if you need some childcare, call 01929 481631 to book a space.

Our 100 Club lucky winner for January was Number 100. We have a few spaces in our 100 Club and it only costs £4 a month to be a member and each month you have a chance of winning £100. We run taster sessions on Wednesday mornings from 9:30am for up to two hours where you and your child can get to know us. Children are welcome at the taster sessions up to a term before their second birthday.

For more details about any of the above, or any other queries, please pop into the Pre-School and speak to Claire or phone her on 481631 or email at corfecastlepresch1@uwclub.net



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NEWS FROM THE KIDS CLUB

February Half Term was brilliant fun, and we made some fantastic displays of our arts and crafts based on our favourite film characters. Booking forms are now available for Easter Holiday Club, 10th- 13th and 18th-21st April, where there will be lots of Easter and Spring activities, please call or email to book on 01929 481631 or corfecastlepresch1@uwclub.net

Kids Club also runs an After School Club during term time, from 3pm-5.30pm every weekday at a cost of £5 for an hour, £8 for 2 hours and £9.50 for 2 ½ hours. We also run an Early Birds Session from 8:00am each weekday morning at a cost of £4 for ¾ hour, £3 for ½ hour and £2 for ¼ hour. Please call 01929 481631 to book.

This means if you are a working parent or someone with caring responsibilities we can offer full day care for 2, 3, and 4 year olds from 8am - 5.30pm.

We hope you are enjoying the start of the Spring sunshine, and are looking forward to Easter.



Busy Bees is back, following Half Term, on Friday 24th February and will be running throughout March and into April. It has been great fun recently, with lots of exciting activities including painting fun, soft play as well as the ever-popular ball pit; the group runs in the Corfe Castle CE VC Primary School Hall from 10am - 11.30am every Friday morning in term time. We have recently welcomed new families and there are a range of ages from babies to pre-schoolers. Our sessions are run by an experienced childcare practitioner. There are refreshments available for grown-ups and a healthy snack is provided for the children. We are really excited about seeing you there. For more information call 01929 481631, these are drop in sessions, there is no need to book and they cost only £1.50 a session



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Flowers and cards are perennial ways to show you care, and we also have lots of floral themed ideas that last year-round.



Lots of our spring lines will be in stock, including a lovely new **Burgon & Ball** range with a houseplant inspired print. We have trays, pencil cases, watering cans and gloves – all featuring the fresh pattern in blues and greens on white.

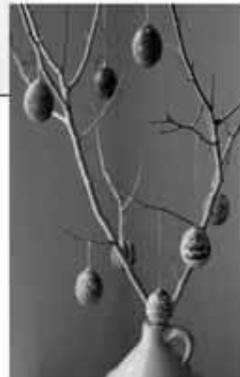


Our **'Mother and Daughter'** necklace set is a favourite. Two necklaces with birds which fit one inside the other.

It's also nearly **Easter**, and we are, once again featuring **Jenny's** hand-blown, hand-decouped eggs.

If you haven't seen them they really are special; each is a real free-range egg, which is blown, dried, wrapped with paper (which has been carefully cut to fit), and then varnished several times. Finally they are finished with ribbon, and a bead.

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A Patient's Participation Group has also been established to enhance the fantastic work that the Friends of Corfe Castle Surgery are already doing. The PPG will meet 4 times a year and I will update you in the next newsletter on their work.

Anyone at the age of 75 should be aware that we offer a healthcare check with the GP, so you are welcome to make an appointment by contacting the surgery. This is proving to be a very popular service to our patients.

We are working with the Diabetic Eye Screening service to enable them to use our surgery to complete annual eye screenings at our surgery instead of patients going elsewhere. We hope to commence this service from April this year.

Many Thanks
Tina Sturgeon



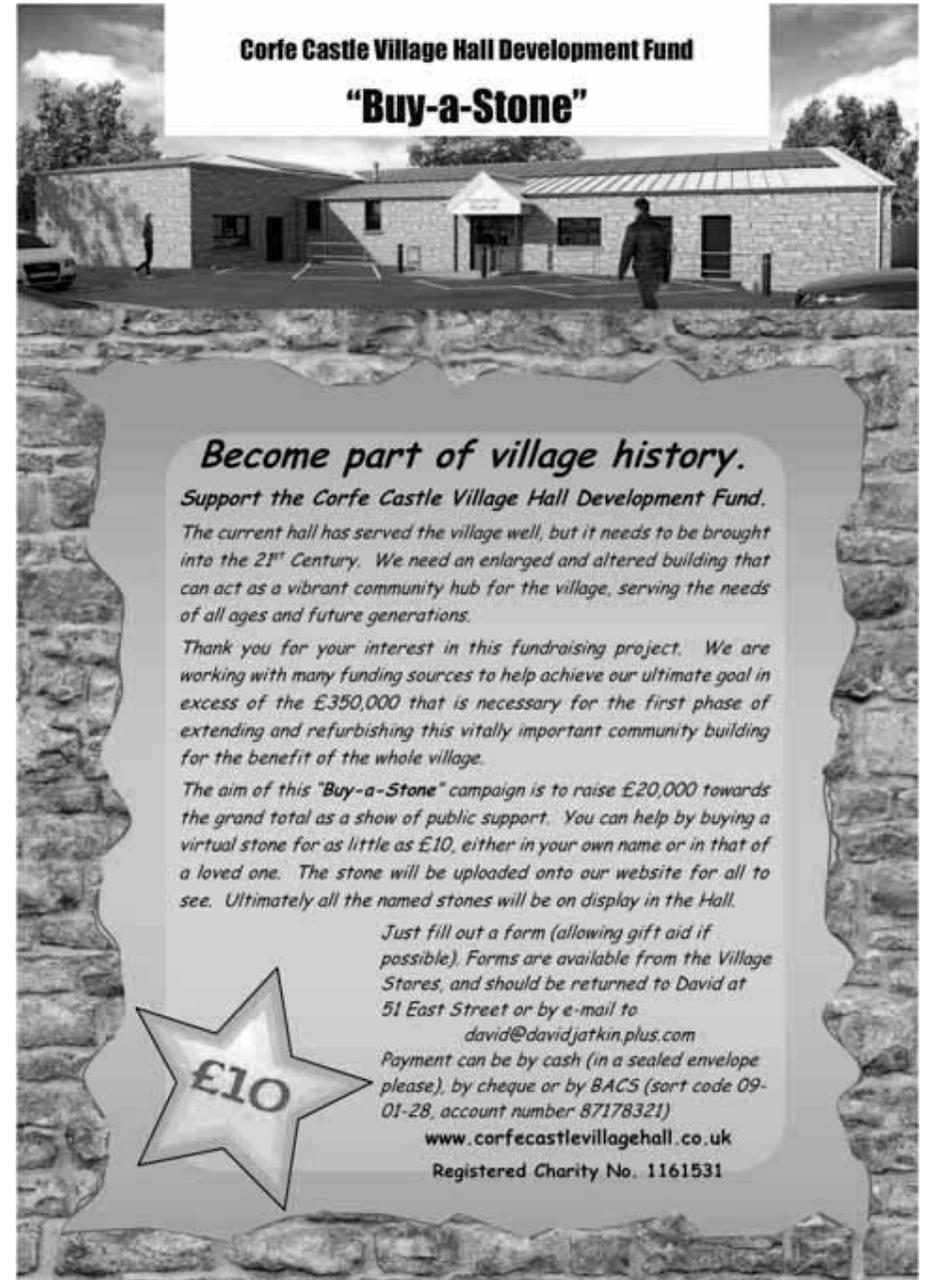
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The aim of this "Buy-a-Stone" campaign is to raise £20,000 towards the grand total as a show of public support. You can help by buying a virtual stone for as little as £10, either in your own name or in that of a loved one. The stone will be uploaded onto our website for all to see. Ultimately all the named stones will be on display in the Hall.

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This is a very important decision which will, if passed, affect all club members, and therefore

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general news:

Thank you for the coffee morning support in February; £172.99 was raised. Our 100 club draw is made at the coffee morning; first prize of £17.50 was won by member 65, with member 49 getting second prize £8.50 and member 52 winning the third prize £4.50.

To join the growing list of villagers who are supporting their local village hall in this way, please contact Penny Barker on 01929 481477.

regular weekly events:

Monday evenings	Double Act
Tuesday mornings	Toddlers
Tuesday evenings	Rainbows
Tuesday evenings	Brownies
Tuesday evenings	Badminton
Wednesday mornings	Wool Workshop
Wednesday evenings	Youth Club
Thursday mornings	Metafit

regular fortnightly events:

Thursday evenings	Bingo
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regular monthly events:

1st Saturday morning	CCVH coffee morning
1st Sunday all day	Antiques Fair
1st Tuesday afternoon	Aquarius
2nd Friday afternoon	U3A MOTO

more great fund-raising news:

We are delighted to announce that Purbeck District Council have voted to provide a very generous grant of £40000 toward the Village Hall Developments fund. We have already raised almost £1200 via our Buy A Stone campaign and now have more than 80 names on our Wall of Names. If you haven't yet added yours yet, see advert elsewhere in the CVN, look on our website and leaflets in the village shop.

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AGM:

Our AGM will be held in the Village Hall on Monday 20th March at 7.00pm. All parishioners welcome.

featured regular user:

Aquarius

Aquarius is open to women living within the distribution area of the Corfe Castle Valley News. Our monthly meetings include a speaker, tea and a chat. There are also outings, a summer picnic and a Christmas party. We raise funds for a charity chosen annually by our members, but our main aim is to enjoy ourselves and make new friends. We like to think that we can particularly help those new to the area. Several subsidiary groups offer the chance to enjoy friendship in a smaller unit. We have 3 book clubs, a walking group, a strollers' group and a lunch club, all well attended and much enjoyed.

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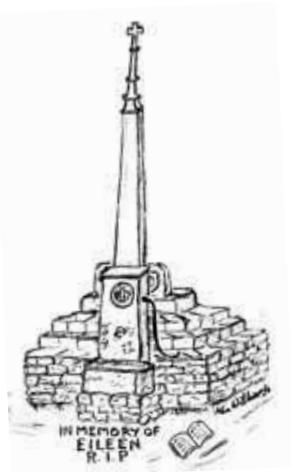
For those who were unable to attend Eileen's Memorial Service, it was suggested to repeat the Tribute as dictated to me in Poole Hospital early December, on the back of a makro bill!

Her date of birth was 22.11.1932, the middle of three girls in the Crone family, then living in St. Ann's on Sea, who were initially educated in a private school run by Miss Wickes. Not long after that, the family moved nearer to Leeds, where Eileen attended Ilkley Grammar School, from where, in 1951, she entered Leeds University and qualified in Social Services. Through the Institute of Personnel Management, she joined Biscuit Factories, first in Halifax and later Fox's, before in 1961, she joined P&O for about 10 years. She then joined Dorset Education Department, following a postgraduate course in Vocational Guidance, after which she was based at Purbeck School, covering the whole of Dorset.

In 1971, P&O asked her to train up a crew for a new ferry to Portugal, the Eagle, which later extended to Tangier. In the process, Eileen and I met 'under the bridge in Lisbon'

along the Tagus river. Our marriage was blessed in this Church, in September 1977, after which she joined me in Dubai, where I had started what she later called 'expat life', which lasted for 20 years until our return to Corfe Castle in 1996.

Her 'village activities' started with the Millennium 2000 Diary, followed by the CVN Village Pump and Aquarius, of which she was one of the founder members; furthermore, she was very much involved with the Christmas Festivities Committee, and enjoying village life with its various events. Lucas



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News from the Castle

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26th March Mothering Sunday. It's time to spoil your mum, and where better, than the Castle Inn. We are offering 2 courses for £15.95 and a lovely gift for every mum. Come and let us, help spoil her.

Whatever the season, there is always a warm welcome at The Castle Inn. Have a brilliant March!

CORFE VALLEY NEWS

1	March	Wednesday	7.30 pm
2	March	Thursday	7.30 pm Talk
4	March	Saturday	6.45 for 7 pm start
4	March	Saturday	4 pm
4	March	Saturday	10.30 am
5	March	Sunday	9.30 am - 4 pm
6	March	Monday	7 pm
11	March	Saturday	7.30 pm
13	March	Monday	7 pm
14	March	Tuesday	7.30pm
16	March	Thursday	7.30 pm
18	March	Saturday	10.15 – 12 noon
24	March	Friday	2 pm
25	March	Saturday	10 am – 12.30 pm
25	March	Saturday	6.30 pm
25	March	Saturday	7 pm
30	March	Thursday	7.30 pm

If you know about any forthcoming events please let us know. Similarly please tell us if any of the regular dates are wrong or if there is a regular event which should be included

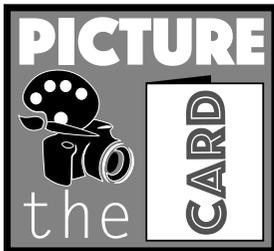
1	April	Saturday	7.30 pm
5	April	Wednesday	7.30 pm
5	April	Wednesday	7.30 pm
8	April	Saturday	10 am – noon
8	April	Saturday	7.30 pm
14	April	Friday	2 pm
14	April	Friday	7 pm
19	May	Friday	6.30 pm
23	June	Friday	
24	June	Saturday	
20-23	July	Thu-Sun	
10	August	Thursday	

CALENDAR for MARCH 2017

Langton Arthouse Cinema “Things to Come”	Langton Matravers Village Hall
Bingo	Corfe Castle Village Hall
Grand Corfe Castle Quiz Championship	Corfe Castle Village Hall
Concert	Emmanuel Baptist Ch, Swanage
Coffee Morning	Corfe Castle Village Hall
Antique and Collectors Fair	Corfe Castle Village Hall
Double Act AGM	Corfe Castle Village Hall
Ball & Socket	Corfe Castle Village Hall
Corfe Castle Parish Council Meeting	Corfe Castle Town Hall
Church Knowle Parish Council Meeting	Church Knowle Village Hall
Bingo	Corfe Castle Village Hall
Coffee Morning	Corfe Castle Village Hall
“Dunshay Manor and the Spencer Watsons”	Corfe Castle Community Library
Table Top/Craft Sale	Corfe Castle Primary School
Bingo with Fish and Chips	Church Knowle Village Hall
Spring Concert	Lady St Mary Church, Wareham
Bingo	Corfe Castle Village Hall

If you know about any forthcoming events please let us know. Similarly please tell us if any of the regular dates are wrong or if there is a regular event which should be included

Requiem for Humanity and Faure Requiem	St. Mary’s Church, Swanage
Extraordinary General Meeting	CC Royal British Legion
Langton Arthouse Cinema “Chevalier”	Langton Matravers Village Hall
Coffee Morning	Corfe Castle Village Hall
Gold Cup Race Night	CC Royal British Legion
Easter Egg Hunt	Scoles Manor, Kingston
St Matthew Passion	Lighthouse, Poole
Village Hall AGM	Church Knowle Village Hall
Jazz Concert with the Sunset Café Stompers	St Edwards Church
Coffee Morning	St Edwards Church Lawns
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Church Fete	St Edwards Church



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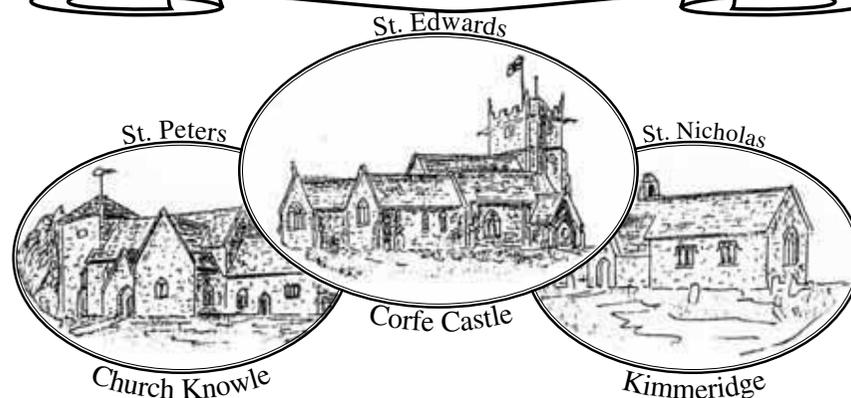
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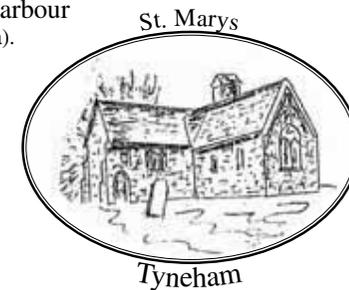
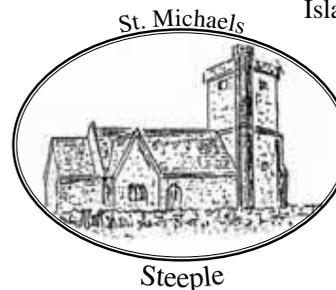
CHURCH OF ENGLAND



The Benefice of the Corfe Valley on the Isle of Purbeck is within the Church of England, the Diocese of Salisbury and the Deanery of Purbeck. The liturgy is from the Book of Common Prayer (BCP) and Common Worship (CW). The geographic area covered by the valley Church includes the villages of:-

Corfe Castle, Church Knowle, Kimmeridge,
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communities of Bradle, Bucknowle,

Bushey, Norden, Rempstone, Woolgarston and the
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(except Browsea).



CHURCH OF ENGLAND

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The Reverend Anne Bond writes:

Lent. What do you think of when someone mentions Lent? Is it giving things up ‘for Lent’? Some people give up alcohol ‘for Lent’ - others give up chocolate. I once tried to give up reading novels ‘for Lent’. My resolution lasted about 2 days, until my family begged me to plunge into a nice escapist volume by Dick Francis (skulduggery in horse racing) or Georgette Heyer (boy meets girl in the 17-hundreds) because my temper had become so atrocious. By why ‘for Lent’?

The forty days between Ash Wednesday and Palm Sunday known as ‘Lent’ commemorate the forty days Jesus spent in The Wilderness. He was 28 or 29 years old, and a few days before, he had been baptised in the River Jordan by his cousin, known to us as John the Baptist. Immediately afterwards, impelled by the Holy Spirit, he retreated into the expanse of arid scrubland between the river and the desert, to allow God to prepare him for the task he had been sent to undertake.

It didn’t rain much in Judea. The weather was uniformly hot, the ground dry and dusty. There were occasional low, berry-bearing thorny bushes, you could harvest honey from bees living in burrows underground, and there was water in the river – but otherwise nothing edible grew in The Wilderness. Jesus had no camping equipment such as a lilo-bed and tins of baked beans, and no mobile phone for emergencies. He was entirely absorbed in communication with his Father God - so much so he almost forgot about food altogether.

But in spite of his absorption and perhaps to his surprise, he became very hungry. Large stones began to look like loaves of bread. The Devil, a shadowy presence never very far away, said “If you really are the Son of God, tell that stone to become bread.” But Jesus, his head full of God, retaliated with a quote from Scripture: ‘Man doesn’t live on bread alone but by every word that comes from the mouth of God.’ (Deut 8:3) Twice more the Devil tempted him, with world power, and with proof of divine protection, and twice more Jesus retaliated with quotes from Scripture. And the Devil, defeated, went away.

‘Giving up’ things ‘for Lent’ is to identify with Jesus who for forty days gave up food and the other comforts of ordinary daily life. But why did he do it? At the beginning, it may have been that he was steeling himself to resist the temptation to give up his God-given task, but as time went on, he found himself concentrating exclusively on communication with his Father God. Everything else was put to one side. Rather than ‘giving up’, he was

‘taking up’. His whole being was directed towards God, all of his person was striving to understand what God required of him and how he was supposed to do it. He was so single-minded he forgot the need to eat to keep himself alive.

During our lives, we all become subject to temptation of one sort or another. Perhaps we might better identify with Jesus during Lent if we ‘took up’ rather than ‘gave up’; and perhaps the best things to ‘take up’ would be prayer, and the reading of one of the four Gospels in the Bible. The Diocese has issued a little notebook of Lent prayers to be given away; you will find copies in St Edward’s church, Corfe Castle. Jesus was able to banish the Devil and his temptations by having the Scriptures at his finger-tips, ready to hand. He had armed himself with the word of God; it was like having a sharp sword, or a James Bond hand-gun, or Harry Potter’s wand, just where he wanted it, just when he needed it.

with love, Anne.

Corfe Valley Church Services – March 2017

Sunday 5 th March		
10.30	Corfe Castle	Benefice Communion
Sunday 12 th March		
8.00	Corfe Castle	Holy Communion (BCP)
10.30	Steeple	Family Communion (BCP)
10.30	Corfe Castle	Matins
Sunday 19 th March		
9.00	Church Knowle	Holy Communion (BCP)
10.30	Corfe Castle	Parish Communion (CW)
Sunday 26 th March		
8.00	Corfe Castle	Holy Communion
10.30	Kimmeridge	Parish Communion (CW)
10.30	Corfe Castle	Parish Communion (CW)
6.30pm	Church Knowle	Evensong
Sunday 2 nd April		
10.30	Corfe Castle	Benefice Communion

BCP - Book of Common Prayer CW - Common Worship

Please note: Sunday 26th March Church Knowle Evensong will be at 6.3p.m. (British Summer Time begins.)

Ash Wednesday 1st March 10.30 Holy Communion at Corfe Castle

The Corfe Valley Churches - Scripture Readings March 2017

Sunday 5 th March	1 st Sunday of Lent Romans 5: 12 – 19 Matthew 4: 1 – 11
Sunday 12 th March	2 nd Sunday of Lent *Genesis 12: 1 – 4A Romans 4: 1 – 5; 13 – 17 John 3: 1- 17
Sunday 19 th March	3 rd Sunday of Lent Romans 5: 1 – 11 John 4: 5 – 42
Sunday 26 th March	4 th Sunday of Lent *1 Samuel 16: 1 – 13 Ephesians 5: 8 – 14 John 9
Sunday 2 nd April	5 th Sunday of Lent Passion Sunday Romans 8: 6 – 11 John 11: 1 – 45

- To be read at Matins or Evensong

St. Edward, King & Martyr - Electoral Roll Revision

The annual revision of the Electoral Roll is due. Anyone who is **not** on the current Roll and who might wish to be added, should contact the Electoral Roll Officer to obtain a form. Also, if you think there may be anyone on the current Roll who has moved or passed away, please let me know, as I may not have been informed.

All forms have to be returned by 18th **March**, at the latest, in order to be included in the revised Roll for 2017.

Anyone may enrol provided that they are baptised, live in the area, or are regular worshippers here and are 16 or older.

Please contact me on **480925** for a form. Philip Carter

Contact Details for the Corfe Valley Churches

Rev Ian Jackson 480257 Assistant Curate - Rev Anne Bond 480249

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Kimmeridge	Contact Ian Jackson	
Steeple	Contact Ian Jackson	

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Easter bunnies and all things chocolate

Easter bunnies and all things chocolate in the spirit of commercialisation. That is how Catholic artist Sean Curley feels about Easter.

"As religion's role in secular societies, such as the UK's, diminishes, some of its festivals, such as Easter, are increasingly commercialised, diluting, sometimes obliterating, their true meaning and message," says Sean. Despite being a frequent attendee at his local church, St. Mary's in Poole, Dorset, he has recognised his own culpability in this phenomena and has channelled these emotions into the production of his triptych, 'Easter bunnies and all things chocolate'; an image of Christ's final harrowing moments on the cross. Each individual painting has its own title, the narrative running purposefully from right to left and reading, "Why have you forsaken me?", "It is finished" and "The end". The painting's purpose is not to chastise, but rather is an invitation for the viewer to share in the artist's introspection.

These paintings represent a shift away from the floral, landscape and seascape subjects Sean is well-known for and which have been, and still are, exhibited and sold in many galleries in the UK and Europe.



The End

It is Finished

Why have You Forsaken Me



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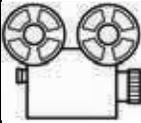
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Have you ever been in the position of feeling that you have been physically assaulted, but you know that this is impossible, because nobody is close enough to deliver such a blow. This happened to me the other Monday. I had been taking the Assembly at our local School, and I had been talking to them about perseverance, particularly the way God perseveres with us. But then, right at the end, I asked the whole School of about 90 children, how many of them had been to Church or to Sunday School the previous day - not one hand went up! Ninety children, at a Church of England School, and not one hand went up. I felt as if somebody had punched me in the stomach!

Perhaps I should have known better. Perhaps I should have known how bad the situation was. I knew that no children attend the Chapel in Corfe Castle, and I believe that the same is true of St.Edwards, but I had hoped that some of the children, who don't live in the village, might have found somewhere closer to home, where they might be discovering the important truths of the Christian faith, and the importance of belonging to a group of people who were trying, but not always succeeding, in putting those truths into practice.

That Monday morning experience left me reeling, not just for a few hours, but for a whole week. I couldn't just shrug my shoulders and declare "This is the way that society is, at the moment." Surely, something could be done, but what? I started wondering about the possibility of doing something other than on a Sunday. What about during a Lunch Break? I made enquiries. The Lunch Break is 45 minutes long, or should that be short, but then I remembered the various groups that children can belong to. I was staggered to find that there are 13 different groups that our children can belong to, and, every Lunch Break, there is at least one group that is meeting.

In case you didn't know, the person writing this letter, went to Sunday School just one Sunday, and declared "Never again!" I started going to an Anglican Church when I was 16, because, almost by accident, I discovered that it was a great place to meet girls of the same age as myself. Such is my spiritual background, so what right have I to be so shocked and assaulted when I discover that the children of today are doing exactly as I did 70 years ago?

Last night I watched a T.V. programme that told the horrific story of children and teenagers who are now refugees, but refugees without the presence and support of their parents. Many had come from Syria. Their homes had been bombed. Their fathers had been killed or kidnapped. Some of their mothers had died of hunger, and others had frozen to death in the snow. For all sorts of reasons, they were now on their own. If you have a heart that cares, it didn't make easy viewing, and the limits that we place on helping orphaned children seemed abysmal. Who could deny that the nations of Europe were neglecting the needs of these children and young people?

This morning I was watching a programme about the help that is being offered, in a farm setting, to children who, for various reasons, have been excluded from school. Did you know that every day, on average, 31 children are excluded from school? The needs of children.

The same week in which I took the school Assembly, they were talking on television about the problem of loneliness being experienced by a large percentage of our children, and, because of the anguish of that loneliness, some are taking to "self harm" and some that are engaging in this practice, haven't even reached their teenage years.

When children have needs, and they certainly do, to fail to provide for those needs, is to be guilty of neglect. But what are those needs that we must seek to meet? There are the obvious needs such as food and a decent standard of accommodation. There are the obvious needs of clothing and health care. But is that it? When the needs of the body have been met, can the parents be content that they have done everything that is required of them? What about the emotional needs of a child?

What about the need to be loved? What about the need to be guided? What about the need to be encouraged? What about the need to be corrected, when the child has done something wrong, but then forgiven and restored? What about the need to be given the gift of hope? As a society, we are guilty of neglect, when these emotional needs of children are not being met, and we have no excuse, because the cost of providing for these needs is a great big £0.

But this is where we may begin to disagree. When the physical and the emotional needs of a child are being met, is that the end of the story? I want to ask the question, "What about a child's spiritual needs? Whatever a parent believes, or doesn't believe, doesn't a child have the right to hear that there are those of us who believe that every child is a miracle of creation? That every child is loved by a Heavenly Father? That every child is precious to Him?

Doesn't every child have the right to hear the Christmas story, and the Easter story, and to be told about Jesus, and the reason for His life on earth? Doesn't every child have the right to hear about the promise of eternal life, not to those who are good, but to those who know that they are not? And to fail to provide for a child's, or a teenager's spiritual needs, isn't that still neglect?

The Church is far from perfect. It fails in all sorts of ways. But it still has a role to play. Within the Church, the truths of the Christian Gospel are taught, and together, as a spiritual family, we try to put into practice the teachings of Jesus Christ.

On that Monday morning I was left gasping for air, but I haven't given up. Somehow, some way, the children and the young people need, not to be forced, as many have been forced in the past, but need to be able to hear and experience the love of God made known in Jesus Christ, and then decide for themselves whether it makes sense, and whether they believe. If there are others who think and believe as I do, and can guide me in providing the help that the children need, then I would love to hear from you.

Yours

Barry

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Has Spring sprung?

We have reason to believe that Spring is on the way down in Kimmeridge Bay. There are tell-tale signs to be found along the seashore if you know what to look for. A bit of rough weather may result in piles of kelp, a type of large brown seaweed, thrown up onto the beach by waves. If you look closely at the fresher pieces you might spot golden shoots sprouting from the bottom of the stipe (stem) just above the old holdfast. The long, brown, strap-like fronds are also displaying new growth just at the top of the stipe. The frond looks like the palm of a hand from which the long fingers extend. The base of the palm is where the new growth occurs, while the tips of the fingers gradually wear away.

Egg-laying is already happening around the coast and sometimes, rough weather can wash the eggs of sea creatures ashore. The orangey egg masses of squid look like pale sausages, packed with baked beans and held together by a rubbery anchor which would normally be buried in the sand on the seafloor. They can look quite alien when stranded on the beach and will not survive for long. At the Fine Foundation Marine Centre we collect these and keep them in our aquarium to enable the baby squid to hatch, before returning the miniscule hatchlings to the sea.

You can learn more about Dorset's marine wildlife and see our eggs and baby squid at the Marine Centre, by the slipway in Kimmeridge Bay. Why not sign up to receive our regular Living Seas e-newsletter, delivered straight to your email inbox www.dorsetwildlifetrust.org.uk/e_newsletter ?We would also love to hear about your marine life sightings, so send us details and photos to kimmeridge@dorsetwildlifetrust.org.uk

Julie Hatcher
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Dorset Wildlife Trust Isle of Purbeck Group talks for March 2017

Monday 13th March Langton Matravers Village Hall, 2.30pm. Brownsea Island: an illustrated talk by Chris Thain, DWT Brownsea Island Manager. All welcome

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CORFE CASTLE GARDENING CLUB

At February's meeting we heard, with regret, that our Chairman, Stella Gibson, was stepping down. We are all very grateful to her for her contribution to the health of the club. We shall still be able to tap into her encyclopedic knowledge when she is able to attend our meetings or outings. By a unanimous vote the members decided to offer Stella and Ron Life Membership.



Our new Chairman, me, could just about fill the back of a postage stamp with gems of gardening information! However, we have a wealth of knowledge among the other members and I think my appointment is intended to highlight the fact that the club welcomes both those aspiring Titchmarshes and the labourers who just dig and plant where and when they are told by She Who Must Be Obeyed.

Lupins create such colour and variety in the garden, even I have grown some. Rob will encourage us to grow more on March 2nd.

I am delighted that so many of us have trees in our gardens and I look forward to Mark Himsley's talk on "Trees in your garden." on April 6th. Do come and join us as we hear how to care of them and get the most from them. For this meeting we start earlier than usual – 7.30pm, to accommodate our Plant Sale. Bring anything you have spare to raise funds for the club.

We meet upstairs in the RBL Club on East Street at 8pm on the first Thursday of the month. Come early enough to purchase your chosen refreshment at the Bar and bring it up with you.

Enjoy your gardens – revel with me in the fresh growths and colours of Spring!

David Gynes

Langton Arthouse Cinema

In April we're screening Chevalier on Wednesday 5 at 7.30pm in Langton Matravers' Village Hall. This spikey and witty black comedy film is set in the middle of the Aegean Sea, where six men on a fishing trip on a luxury yacht decide to play a game. During this game, things will be compared. Things will be measured. Songs will be butchered, and blood will be tested. Friends will become rivals and rivals will become hungry. But at the end of the journey,

when the game is over, the man who wins will be the best man. And he will wear on his smallest finger the victory ring: the Chevalier. While the film is full of artifice and allegorical implication, it also presents itself as a quasi scientific look at human male pack behavior as well as a drama of some of the sad, ridiculous and tender ways that boys will be boys. In Greek with English subtitles. Tickets £5 on the door, which will open at 7pm. Glasses will be supplied should you wish to bring your own drink with you. If you want to be kept informed about future films visit www.LangtonArthouseCinema.co.uk.



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STEPS FOR STAN



Hello everyone, this is my grandson Stanley (Stan to us). He is four years old and attends Corfe Castle Primary School. The day after Stan's first birthday he was diagnosed with Diplegia Cerebral Palsy. Two weeks after that an MRI showed he also has a condition called Semi Lobar Holoprosencephaly. All

this means that his legs are very stiff so he can't crawl, walk or stand by himself. Stan struggles with everyday play that most children find really easy. He understands everything that is said to him but is not best at replying. However, he is a very happy easy going little chap who loves cars, diggers, Paw Patrol and all things a normal little four year old loves. He loves going to school where he has made many friends and is progressing really well.

Stan was born in Corfe Castle but now lives in Wareham with his mum Samantha, dad Stefan, and baby sister Scarlett. Unfortunately they had to move from their lovely home in West Street as it was getting very difficult to get Stan up the stairs.

Stan has the opportunity of attending a 'Footsteps Centre' in Oxfordshire where he will have intensive therapy with the initial aim to get him to sit up from lying down and try to learn to crawl. The cost for this therapy has to be paid for privately and this is where I am bringing to your attention the second major fundraising event we hope to have to help Stan which is a Table Top/Craft sale at Corfe Castle Primary School on Saturday 25th March. Details below. Thank you for reading this.

Jane Ellwood

TABLE TOP / CRAFT SALE

Saturday 25th March
10:00 – 12:30

Corfe Castle Primary School Hall

(Contact Jane Ellwood – 481129
To book a table)

Concert at Emmanuel Baptist Church On Saturday March 4th at 4.00pm

Marilyn Baker, the renowned blind singer, is coming to Swanage in March (4th at 4pm) to perform a concert. This remarkable lady who travels the country, has a wonderful ministry of singing and telling of stories in between her songs, and her assistant, Tracy, who is deaf, shares her ministry, as does her lovable Guide Dog!

The concert begins at 4.00pm and there will be a cream tea interval and CDs of her music will be on sale. Tickets are available from Emmanuel's office (160 Victoria Avenue) from the end of January. More information from the church office on 01929 427706 or from events@emmanuelbc.org.uk or check the church website at www.emmanuelbc.org.uk

“FAURÉ REQUIEM” & “REQUIEM FOR HUMANITY” BY HELEN OSTAFEW

On 1st April 2017 the Purbeck Arts Choir present the UK premiere performance of Helen Ostafew's "Requiem for Humanity" and the ever popular Fauré Requiem. Helen was very involved in the local music scene a few years as MD for the Studland Youth Music Theatre and the Purbeck Players, conductor of Five High and was resident singer and pianist at the Pines Hotel.

The Stanford String Quartet will accompany the choir with Simon Lole (organ), Dean Temmink (piano) and Ashley John Long (double bass) and Helen herself will be joining soloists Miro Vosper, Grace Lovelass and David Fawcett.

The concert is in support of Marie Curie and will take place at 7.30pm in St Mary's Church, Swanage on 1st April. Tickets are only £10 in advance (£12 on the door) from choir members, Corbens or Liz Roberts 01929 481419. Children and students free.



Presents a Talk by

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Friday 24th March 2017, 2
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Thursday 9 March 2017, Thursday 4 May 2017

Ticket Prices: £5.50 (includes refreshments); £4.50 Access to Leisure

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Wednesday 12 April 2017

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Wareham Choral Society Spring Concert - Saturday 25 March 7pm

Lady St Mary Church, Wareham BH20 4ND

Programme includes: Handel Chandos Anthem 'O praise the Lord with one consent'

Archer: Requiem, Mozart string quartet in C major K157

Conductor: Nigel Groome, Organist: John Radford

Hammig String Quartet

Soprano: Susannah Groome, Alto: Sarah Shipton

Tenor: Nils Greenhow, Bass: Will Thomas

Tickets £12.50 including interval drink available from Joys, North Street, Wareham, by phone: 01929 459319 or on the door.

Details: www.freewebs.com/warehamcs

Corfe Castle Youth Club

**Coffee morning in Aid of Hall Improvement Fund
Saturday 18th March
10.15 -12 noon
In The Village Hall**

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ST MATTHEW PASSION – Good Friday

Performances of the Bach Passions are becoming a tradition at Easter time in just the same way as Handel's Messiah is a Christmas tradition

This year the Bournemouth Symphony Chorus will be performing the St Matthew Passion on Good Friday, April 14th at the Lighthouse in Poole at 7.00 pm in English, with a prestigious line up of soloists including Mark Milhofer singing the Evangelist, who has local connections and the Bournemouth Chamber Orchestra conducted by Gavin Carr.

While the Bach Passions use Biblical text to tell the events of the death of Jesus, they are also political dramas that continue to have resonance with so much of present day world events. The dramatic story is accessible to all through the sheer brilliance and expressiveness of Bach's musical writing – which helps us all understand the significance of the people and politics that surrounded the Easter story.

Come and discover the sheer drama of the story of Good Friday through music and song in this thrilling live performance.

Tickets may be purchased at a discounted price through chorus members who live locally. Please contact Joan Ingafield on 480322 or Lisa Pierce on 480286. Alternatively through the box office www.lighthousepoole.co.uk or 01202 280000

Get Fit With Alex - Newsletter

It's hard to believe we are already into March and I hope you are all feeling the benefits of any new year's resolutions you may have been focusing on. Classes have been really full, with everyone working hard and there is a notable improvement in technique and fitness all around. Next term will end on Friday 7th April for Easter.

On Sunday 26th February I ran the Brighton Half Marathon in aid of The Alzheimer's Society, with my daughter Lucy. We were running in memory of my lovely mum Lily and all donations to this excellent charity, however small would be fantastic.

I will have sponsor forms in class and have also set up a justgiving page if you would like to donate online:

www.justgiving.com/fundraising/alexeversdenbrightonhalf2017

What is Meditation?

Meditation has been a part of human life for centuries, and there are dozens of descriptions of what meditation is about and how it should be practiced. There are obviously many experts in the field of quiet contemplation and meditation who can be studied and followed. For myself, (who is not an expert) I can 'meditate' in my own way through taking time for myself, whether going for a run or walk or just taking time to be still and quiet. This allows me to clear my mind, breathe deeply, contemplate and relax.

Here are a few suggestions you may like to try for a simple **seated meditation**:

***Find a quiet space.** You can meditate anywhere, but it's best to find a quiet place, free of distractions, where you can be alone for 5 to 10 minutes. If you're at work and have an office, try closing the door, or go for a walk in your lunch break and find a peaceful place away from work, phones and computers.

***Get comfortable.** It's important to find a place and position that is comfortable to you. This may be sitting with legs crossed, on a chair or laying on the floor. If it feels right for you, close your eyes.



***Focus on your breath.** Take deep breaths that go all the way down to your diaphragm and concentrate on the sensation of breathing. If your mind wanders, simply return your focus to your breath. Feel the air flow through your nostrils and into your lungs and notice the belly rising and falling with each inhalation and exhalation. You could set a timer or simply breathe until a sense of calm comes over you.

***Open your eyes slowly.** When you are finished, take your time to slowly adjust to your present environment. Avoid rushing and allow the sense of calmness to linger for a moment before gradually starting to move. You can take these little meditation breaks anytime and place to calm down and quiet an anxious mind.

*I hope you have a good week and see you soon
Alexx*

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TUESDAY

Whist Drive – Eileen Cake 01929 552393 (**alternate Tuesdays @ 7.30pm**)
Short Mat Bowls John Holloway - Tel 01929 462828 or jolaho@gotadsl.co.uk
Pilates - : Alex Moore - Tel 07536103364 or almoore1@live.co.uk

WEDNESDAY

Say So Drama – 10.30 – 12.00 with Emma for adults with learning disabilities
– 07725 942609

Yoga – Pam Steele - Tel 01929 556714 or pamsteeleyoga@googlemail.com

Taek wondo for children from 4 years of age – Lottie Roberts - Tel 01202 694887 m 07803 536491 or lottie_roberts92@hotmail.co.uk

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THURSDAY

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SUNDAY

Purbeck Antiques Collectors Fayre – (Last Sunday of each month) phone
Lesley 01929 425402

HARMANS CROSS VILLAGE HALL – MARCH/APRIL

INTER-VILLAGE QUIZ NIGHT !

Teams of 4 from Langton and Worth Matravers welcome! Free entry. Licensed Bar. Trophy for the winning village! Please phone 480540 to enter a team while places are still available.

STALLS IN THE HALL

2ND SATURDAY EACH MONTH 9.30 - 12.00. Come and join us for a coffee and a chat; over a dozen stalls including cards, crafts, cakes, models, bric-a-brac and much more. Free entry. Free parking.

MOVIE NIGHT

March 14th – Sully – Miracle on the Hudson (12a) The story of Chesley Sullenberger, an American pilot who became a hero after landing his damaged plane on the Hudson River in order to save the flight's passengers and crew.

April 11th – Hunt for the Wilderpeople (12a) A national manhunt is ordered for a rebellious kid and his foster uncle who go missing in the wild New Zealand bush. Comedy drama

WEDDING FAIR

March 4th – 11.00 a.m to 4.00 p.m. Come along and meet some of our regular wedding suppliers, and see what we have to offer.

MUSIC NIGHTS

March 11th – from 8.00 p.m. Swing Unlimited – superb 6-piece band bringing you the best of Swing Music from the greats such as Michael Buble, Frank Sinatra, Ella Fitzgerald, as well as modern material from Stevie Wonder, Amy Winehouse, Jools Holland etc. Licensed bar, plenty of space to dance, come along and enjoy! Tickets only £10.

Much More Music - May 27th October 14th. Details of bands to follow – watch this space

**“STALLS IN THE HALL” - (Saturday from 9.30am):
COFFEE AND CAKE, CARDS AND CRAFTS – AND BRIC-A-BRAC !** - March 11th April 8th

POST OFFICE – Every Thursday from 9.30 – 11.30 a.m.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING (7.30pm) - April 4th

COFFEE JUNCTION fortnightly

March 9th, 23rd Mobile Library Service now suspended but we now have a free lending library open from 10.00 till 12.30! Come and have a coffee and a chat with some lovely people, help yourself to a book or two !

CHURCH SERVICES (6.00 p.m.) - March 26th April 23rd

PURBECK U3A ARCHAEOLOGY GROUP (NEW GROUP – ALL WELCOME) - March 24th

PURBECK U3A MONTHLY ‘MEETING POINT’ (9.00 a.m.)
March 23rd April 27th

PURBECK U3A COMPUTER GROUP (9.00 a.m.)
Mar 3rd, 17th April 7th 21st

PURBECK U3A MAH JONGG GROUP (1.00 p.m.)
Mar 7th, 21st – sad to say it's the last one!

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March 20th April 10th

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March 21st – sad to say this is the last one as group has disbanded

HARMANS CROSS COMMUNITY GROUP
Meeting room in the afternoon- March 30th , April 27th

HARMANS CROSS RESIDENTS CLUB
March 17th – from 7.30 pm – drop in for a drink and a chat !
April 21st – Inter-Village Quiz Night – doors open 7.00 p.m.

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Pins & Needles – Monday afternoons from 2.00 p.m

Art with Judy – Tuesday afternoons from 2.00 p.m.

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Yoga with Cathy Monday and Thursday evenings from 6.00 p.m.

Morning Yoga with Cathy – Tuesday mornings from 9.00 a.m

Table Tennis with Mike – Wednesday evenings from 6.00

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Kimmeridge News

Kimmeridge Keilidh

Our Valentine Kimmeridge Keilidh with Arish Mel on 10th February was well attended and raised another £134 towards the new children's playground equipment. We had to be a bit careful where people danced this month because work is underway to install a furniture lift between the hall and the store room underneath. This will allow the tables & chairs to be easily stored away – no more carrying them up and down the stairs!

Creech Hill Road Closures

We have now had a response from the Ministry of Defence about the impact of road closures on local residents. Although still saying that the MOD reserves the right to close the road again in the future, it also says that they have re-designed their firing training area to avoid having to close the road. The letter also goes on to state that there will be no further road closures until new road signs have been put in place. This is certainly good news with the forthcoming summer season and the influx of tourist cars.

Kimmeridge Coastguard

Our local Coastguard Team were out with the Royal Navy Bomb Disposal team to deal with a phosphorous flare washed up near Clavells Hard. The device was safely destroyed but serves as a useful warning to us all of the dangers of these devices. Phosphorous flares are typically cylindrical with a pale green band or pale green paint on them. Never touch, move or disturb these flares; the phosphorous they contain is toxic and causes severe burns. If you find these, or any other suspicious objects on the beach, call 999 and ask for HM Coastguard.

The Etches Collection

Simon Allen left in January after his six months overseeing the successful opening and initial set-up period at the museum. Keith Welsh, who is well known to us all in Kimmeridge through his work with KERV, has taken over as manager and we wish him every success. The visitor numbers in the first three months have exceeded all our expectations, with the excellent television coverage of the opening and more recently on Countryfile making it a "must-see" destination in Dorset. Visits to the Bay with Steve Etches have proved a very popular new attraction. Work is now all on to try and explore ways to cope with the visitor numbers and in particular their cars!

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Lighthouse, Poole
Good Friday
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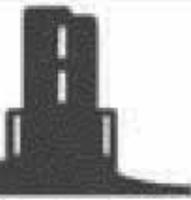
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	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
MONDAY			
Each	8.50am - 2.50pm	Community Pre school	The Pre School
Each	10.00-1 1.00am	Coffee Morning	Springwell Close
Each	2.30 - 4.30	Whist and tea	Springwell Close
Each	7 - 11pm	Chess Club (Sep - Apr)	Morton' s House
1st	7pm	Double Act	C C Village Hall
2 nd	7pm	CC Parish Council	C C Town Hall
TUESDAY			
Each	8.50am - 2.50pm	Community Pre school	The Pre School
Each	9.15 – 10.45am	& 11am – 12 Yoga	Langton Scout Hut
Each	9.30 - 11.30	Intermediate yoga	Swanage - 477169
Each	10.30-noon	Parent & Child Group	C C Village Hall
Each	5pm – 6pm	Rainbows (term time)	C C Village Hall
Each	6.15-7.45pm	Brownies (term-time)	C C Village Hall
Each	7.45 – 9.15pm	Badminton	C C Village Hall
1st	2 pm	Aquarius	C C Village Hall
2 nd	7.30pm	CK parish Council	Odd months Furze brook VH; even months CK VH
WEDNESDAY			
Each	8.50am - 2.50pm	Community Pre school	The Pre School
Each	9.30am- noon	Intermediate yoga	Kimmeridge 477169
Each	9.45am-12.45	Wool Workshop	C.C. Village Hall
Each	6.30 - 9 pm	Youth Club	C C Village Hall
THURSDAY			
Each	8.50am - 2.50pm	Community Pre school	The Pre School
Each	10.00 - 11.30am	Busy Bees	CC Primary School
3rd	11.30am	Probus Club	Mortons House
Each	6.00 - 8.00 pm	Intermediate yoga	Swanage - 477169
Each	6.30 – 8.00 pm	Yoga (439041)	Harmans Cross VH
Each	9.30 – 11.30 pm	Pottery Classes	Rachel 480455
Alternate	7.30pm	Bingo	C C Village Hall
Alternate	7.30pm	Bingo	R.B.L. Club
FRIDAY			
Each	8.50am - 2.50pm	Community Pre school	The Pre School
Each	9.30 – 11.30	Pottery Class Swanage	Rachel 480455
Each	2 – 5 pm	Pottery Class	Sports Pav Rachel 480455
SATURDAY			
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