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Editorial

Welcome to the start of a New Year and a new decade. I'm sure we all hope that it will bring some resolution to the many problems currently facing the world. In Corfe we are trying to do our bit, and the Parish Council's environment working group is continuing to hold events highlighting the problems and what we can do about them. They are also looking for stories about what people are doing to reduce their carbon footprint. If you have any input to this please send it to the parish clerk so that it can be shared.

We've put a new set of telephone numbers in the middle of the magazine on the page after the list of what's on. If you spot any problems with these please let us know; hopefully they are accurate having been provided by Dorset council.

Are you any good at writing, or sketching? We are looking for contributors to write articles for inclusion in the magazine. We feel we need some more regular contributions to break up the advertising a bit so we are looking to you, our readers, to send in some material. What you write can be about anything, but it would be nice if it was relevant to the Corfe valley and our environment.

Stephen

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DECEMBER AT THE PARISH COUNCIL

A member of the public came to address the Council with their concerns about the proposed merger of the Saturn Trust who manage the village Primary School. The parishioner raised a number of concerns involving the leadership within the Trust and the short time given to consultation on the merger.

Cllr Haywood spoke as a member of the public to advise the Council that an **anonymous beneficiary wishes to grant the parish £2000** and is seeking ideas from the Parish Council about how it could be best spent. The Council resolved it would invite **suggestions from Parishioners which can be addressed to the Clerk.**

James Gould from the National Trust wanted to clarify the Trust's position on the **proposed cycle path from Norden to Caste View** and into the village. He asserted the Trust are fully supportive of the implementation of the first stage of the plan; to get cyclists and walkers from Norden to Castle View. They have reservations about phase two of the plan which would direct cyclists along the permissive footpath running parallel to the Corfe River. The path does not have the width to accommodate a cycle path and moving it into the neighbouring tenanted field would create obvious problems.

Cllr Dru Drury said he believes the bollards installed by the Trust on the Arne road are making the road impassable and are not doing a good job. This had been raised before with the Trust. James will take this back to Mark Singleton.

Cllr Fooks advised she had been liaising with ranger Jonathan Kerhshaw about **levelling the ground around a gate accessing the halves**; at present it is not flat enough for a mobility scooter to access and Jonathan is looking at improving this. This is unconnected to the request to make the kissing gates on the halves more accessible. The area at West Mill is currently fenced off. James said the land is unstable and they are not yet sure if it will require archaeological surveys or if it can simply be repaired. He will keep the Council updated.

The Council asked James was there any update on the archaeological dig that was planned at the site of the old tannery? There is no progress to date.

The Council considered their draft budget which proposed an increase to the precept of 1.08%. The precept was set at £30800. The adopted budget will be soon be published on the Parish Council website should you wish to view it.

Cllr Fooks reported that she has received 21 responses to the survey that was circulated asking **what parishioners would like to see in the Middle**

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Halves play area. Many people asked for the same things and the following were noted; a zip wire, a sandpit, a bucket swing, a natural play area, a running track, a trampoline, a hard surface around the basketball ring, equipment for older children and for toddlers, a witches hat, balancing apparatus, seating area within the fenced playground, a bike riding trail. She emphasised this is very much a 'wish list' but hopes some of it will be achievable. Cllr Fooks is initially consulting the landowner to see what is considered acceptable to go into the space and to find out potentially how much of the Middle Halves play area could be used. There would also be a requirement to consult the National Trust and the rights holders of the middle halves. The Council resolved that the next step would be for the playground working group to convene and to decide on a plan, this can then be presented for consultation to the landowners neighbours and the parish.

The Environment Group's Draft Action Plan was approved and the Council approved monthly meetings which will take place on the third Thursday of each month. The public are welcome so do come along and join in. Details of meetings can be found on the Parish Council website <https://www.corfecastlepc.org.uk/corfe-castle-parish-council-environment-working-group/> or contact the Clerk for details.

The Council discussed the merger proposed by the Saturn Trust to merge Corfe Castle Primary School with a newly created much larger trust, the Coastal Learning Partnership. Concerns were raised that the promises being made by the Trust may not materialise and that the needs of a village school may not be recognised as the other schools were generally large urban schools. After a lengthy discussion it was resolved that a letter be written to the Trust summarising the discussion.

On planning matters the Council had no objection to erect a conservatory to rear elevation at 1 Mead Road Corfe Castle, to reconstruct existing flat roof, replacement ground floor window, reduce height of north boundary wall. Internal alterations to include a new staircase at 41 East Street, Corfe Castle and to alterations to existing access at 2 The Lane Kingston. The Council had no objection to the renovation of cottage and barns as a single dwelling with single storey link extensions at Old Dairy Cottage, Woolgarston but did ask the planners take note of neighbour comments and wished to emphasise that there should be no separate habitation in the development. The council had raised an objection to a **premises licence** at 18A East Street on the ground of preventing crime and disorder. The application will now progress to a hearing at which the details can be discussed with the applicant.

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The next meeting will be held on the 13th of January 2020 at 7pm in Corfe Castle Town Hall.

Do **check the Parish Council website** where we will be putting links to the presentation from the Environment Group Meetings as well as other useful links www.corfecastleparishcouncil.org.uk

(phone 01929 426125) (e-mail CorfeCastlePC@aol.com) – 41 Bell Street, Swanage, Dorset, BH19 2RY. 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, Alison Burnett. 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 of January 2020 at 7.00pm in the Town Hall.

An **anonymous beneficiary wishes to grant the parish £2000** and is seeking ideas from the Parish Council about how it could be best spent.

How do you think £2000 could be used to benefit a broad cross section of the Parish?

Please send your suggestions to the Clerk, Ali Burnett, by the end of January.

Corfe Castle PC Environmental Group

The Corfe Castle PC Environmental Group is holding regular meetings on the 3rd Thursday of every month.

Our first meeting will be **Thursday 16th January 2020 at 7.30pm in the Bankes Arms** (Corfe Castle).

The current environmental group wishes to open its meetings to the community, so that we can work on environmental projects together and share information and ideas. We look forward to seeing you there!

Please also keep an eye on our Environment Group web page <https://www.corfecastlepc.org.uk/corfe-castle-parish-council-environment-group-page/>

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NEWS FROM CHURCH KNOWLE PARISH COUNCIL

The December meeting of the Parish Council was once again held at Furzebrook village hall. Unfortunately two Parish Councillors were unable to attend neither was our Dorset councillor nor the Clerk to the Parish Council, all having given their apologies beforehand; however the remaining three councillors were present and so we were quorate and the meeting could go ahead with one councillor taking notes in lieu of Minutes. Fortunately the numbers in the village hall were increased with the attendance of four parishioners although a representative from the company replacing the finger posts had also apologised as not being able to attend.

The Meeting commenced with the Public Discussion Period during which two parishioners voiced their concerns and objection to a proposed re-routing of a public footpath which would cross their garden; one parishioner requested information on planning applications and one parishioner expressed an interest in becoming a councillor. With regards to the proposed re-routing of the footpath CKPC had suggested an alternative easier route across a field at the November meeting which the parishioners believed to have been the original historical route since the late 18th century. Councillors agreed the parish council records would be made available to search for evidence; CKPC would support their case and speak with our elected Dorset Councillor on their behalf. The request for information on Planning Applications was also discussed with the suggestion of a pre-planning application being discussed with the Purbeck Planning Officer; it was also recommended the parishioner has his architect attend that meeting. Finally the councillors were delighted by the parishioner who expressed an interest in joining CKPC; in the absence of the Clerk it was pointed out the necessity to apply in writing with a 2 weeks' notice being given and published before being co-opted onto the parish council (there being 4 vacancies an election would not be necessary).

The Chairman and Vice-Chairman agreed to continue in their roles until the January 2020 meeting. The Minutes of the November meeting were approved with the proviso of checking the length of time given to the council by Dorset Council to respond to Planning Applications. Under Matters Arising the single street lamp in Church Knowle was discussed and it was decided to have it adopted by Dorset Council who would then install and maintain LED lighting. It was requested by one of the parishioners present if LED lighting was used could it be angled so that pedestrians and drivers were not blinded by it. The discussion of the finger posts and the Corfe River environmental project were postponed until the January meeting as was the matter of maintenance of the playing field and its equipment. The store for the council archives had arrived having been collected and transported by a parishioner; it has been sited behind the village hall with some additional work to be completed.

Only 2 Planning Applications had been received both of which were for tree works within the Conservation Area (TWA/2019/250 and TWA/2019/256). Following the recommendation by the council's designated Tree Officer, the Parish Council had no objection to the work proposed.

Under Highways and Rights of Way it was reported the blocked gully/culvert at East Creech had been "jetted" by Dorset Council and the local farmer would be contacted to seek his co-operation in clearing the adjoining ditch so hopefully resolving the problem with flooding. The Corfe Castle BOAT (Byway Open to All Traffic) came up for discussion once again with damage being caused to West Hill by 4x4 vehicles using an unauthorised route. Whilst the Green Lane Association (GLASS) has issued a notice warning of possible closure of the route if recreational drivers are abusing the system there are difficulties in obtaining the evidence and identity of the culprits.

Councillors then went on to consider the Church Knowle Cemetery and rights of access. A letter from the Diocese had been received giving comprehensive details about seeking a formal Right of Way or alternatively an "Easement". The latter could provide a permanent agreement for a right of access across the churchyard (owned by the Diocese) to the consecrated cemetery (owned by the Parish Council). This could be to the benefit of all concerned. Discussion continued on the potential legal costs which might be incurred in drawing up an appropriate agreement and how these might be met in co-operation with the Church.

Finances: to quote previous reports in the CVN "The Parish finances were reported on, found to be in good order and bills were paid"!

Following the sad and untimely death of Cllr Les Bugler who had voluntarily maintained the playing field and equipment in such pristine order for so many years, the Parish Council must look to its future maintenance. Discussion ranged from having a rota of volunteers to using professional contractors. All were unanimous in ensuring the playing field was maintained to the same standard as set by Les. With the "growing season" starting perhaps as early as February the Council decided to explore the possibilities as a matter of some urgency.

There being no other items for the reduced number of councillors being able to consider, the December Meeting was closed at 8.30. Seasonal mince pies etc were then enjoyed by all. Next meeting ~ Tuesday 14th January 2020 in the main hall, Furzebrook village hall.

Wishing all our parishioners a Happy Christmas and a healthy and peaceful New Year. Oh yes, there are still vacancies on the Parish Council should anyone wish to become a councillor. 2020 could be the year of opportunity!!

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Surplus funds are used to provide items for the benefit of patients and this year we have provided funding to purchase a piece of equipment for the new minor surgery unit at Corfe Castle Surgery.

We currently need to recruit more drivers to join our existing team. If you could spare some time for this very worthwhile cause, please contact the co-ordinator: Kathy Morris, on 01929 425890 for more details

Happy New Year from all at Corfe Castle Surgery

Tina Sturgeon

The Patient Participation Group

It is 2020, a new decade! We would like to wish you the happiest and healthiest year possible.

Health talks.

Before Christmas, Howard Thomas gave a fascinating talk on liver problems. Ranging from alcohol use to hepatitis he gave us so much useful information and advice about what we can do to look after our liver and what treatments

are available. Thank you, Howard. A great finale to the year's programmes of talks.

The talks don't stop there! Dr Jonathan Snook, consultant gastroenterologist at Poole Hospital, will give the first talk of the year on Thursday 13th February at 7.0 p.m. in Corfe Castle Club. More details here next month but meanwhile please make a note of the date.

Carers' Time

Carers' Time is the opportunity for those caring for a partner, friend or relative to have a short break from their pressures and responsibilities over a friendly cup of tea or coffee in informal surroundings. We hope you will make a little time for yourself and that we might be able to listen to your needs and concerns and help you towards a life outside your role as a carer.

Carers' Time is on the LAST Thursday of each month in the small and comfortable new Hub Room in the Village Hall. We would welcome the chance to meet you and offer any comfort and support.

The Purbeck Leg Club

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The Surgery

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PPG meeting

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Pam White, Corfe Castle historian revisits the castles rich history on walk and talk tours. Discover the fascinating 1000 - year history of the castle ruin as a royal palace, a stronghold and a place of romance and betrayal. Tours at 11am to 12.30pm and 1.30pm to 3pm.

Sat 15 Feb to Sun 23 Feb

A series of interactive activities will be on offer this half-term.

Bring your brave teddy to escape King John's castle on the teddy bear zip wire. Watch missiles launch from the castle's medieval siege engine with Trebuchet launches at 11:30am, 12:30pm and 3pm. Have fun with friends and family playing historic games. Explore the castle with the family castle quest and crafts in the Outer Bailey. Try your own medieval costume and be a knight or a maiden for the day.



Tracey Churcher – The new NT General Manager for Purbeck



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We're looking forward to welcoming a new General Manager for Purbeck — someone with roots in Dorset and a passion for protecting its treasures.

Tracey Churcher is due to start work early in the New Year. Her predecessor, Laurie Clark, is retiring after a long and distinguished career with the National Trust, culminating in 10 years at the helm in Purbeck.

Tracey has most recently been Country Parks Service Manager at Eastleigh Borough Council and was previously Recreation Manager for the Forestry Commission in Dorset.

As a consultant she has worked on a number of interesting projects including creating the Brecon Beacons Tourism Ambassador project.

She also worked with Visit Wales as Sense of Place advisor, the New Forest Access Forum and was for nine years a business advisor to the Welsh Government specialising in rural affairs, voluntary organisations, forestry and tourism.

In addition to her paid roles Tracey has been a non executive director of an NHS trust and worked with the Duke of Edinburgh Award scheme.

“I grew up in Dorset and Purbeck was a place I fell in love with as a child”, said Tracey.

“From early starts for the Sandbanks ferry on summer mornings, playing in the perfect turquoise sea of Shell Bay, through to learning very quickly about map contours on my silver Duke of Edinburgh expedition as a teenager, it has always been a place close to my heart.

“I find it one of the most beautiful landscapes in the UK and I am so looking forward to learning more and being part of a team caring for it.

“Much of my working life has been about understanding and sharing the critical role cultural and natural heritage plays in peoples’ lives. I am passionate about making it as accessible as possible, as when people experience and understand it, they inevitably care for it.

“There has never been a more important time for people to ‘get it’ as the need to not just share, but also conserve, protect and enhance for future generations has never been greater.”

Corfe Castle Christmas Festivities Switch on and Arrival

Corfe Castle Christmas Festivities team met the challenge of re-routing “electric string” and modifying connections in good time to deliver a sparkling switch-on of the Christmas lights which was carried out by four children from Corfe Castle Primary School on Saturday 30 November.

A combined switch-on and arrival of Father Christmas and his attendants in his magnificently lit and fashioned sleigh pulled by four reindeer was enjoyed by an enthusiastic crowd of over 350 adults and children.

The Festivities Committee began setting up the lights in October and would like to thank local business who provided very welcome and much appreciated refreshments for our hard working volunteers on those cold Sunday mornings.

We were once again entertained by the Children of Corfe Castle Primary School who sang a selection of Christmas songs with characteristic enthusiasm under the direction of Sarah Painter.

To mark the event, the children who switched on the lights were each presented with a china mug inscribed with details of the occasion and the date.

Following the crowd inspired count down and illumination of the village, Wareham Town Band provided more music, giving an authentic Christmas sound as Santa and his fantastic helpers made their way to the Grotto. Almost 100 children met Father Christmas in his Grotto which was decorated in magical style and everyone received a pre-Christmas gift. Outside, the waiting line was entertained by a display of very impressive balloon building.

We would like to thank everyone who joined us for what was a very happy, bright and colourful Village event.

Thanks also to our magnificent team of volunteers, safety marshals, helpers, “bucket shakers”, hot dog makers, mulled wine servers. Without you we could not stage this enjoyable event every year. Thank you for your support we raised £400 for the Christmas lights.



Our December meeting was designed to set us in the Festive Mood with a visit from the ladies of Wareham Lady St Mary’s Handbells. We all enjoyed singing along to many old Christmas favourite carols, accompanied by the beautiful sound of the bells of various sizes.

Handbells were used first in the late 1600’s and because they are so much quieter than traditional church bells, were useful to practice bell ringing outside without disturbing the neighbours too much! They are rung by numbers rather than notes so music reading skills are not required. The group are looking for new members to create their melodic, traditional sound.

Afterwards, the Committee provided a festive tea with a variety of sweet and savoury treats - on tables decked with holly if not actual boughs - and the Village Hall’s new decorations and tree provided an attractive backdrop.

Dates for your diary:

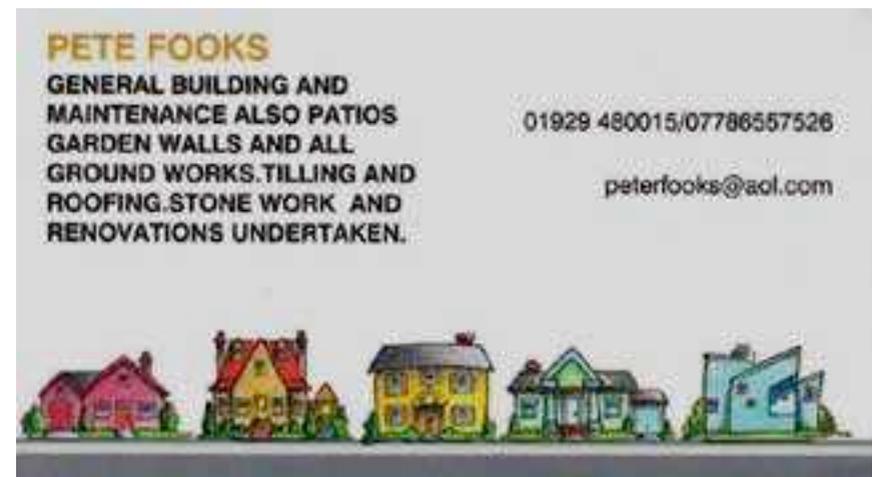
January 7th Charity Presentations and Headdresses.

January 18th Medieval Banquet [7.30]

February 4th My Life in Patchwork

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 on the first Tuesday of the month.

Margery Clevett: News Editor





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general news:

Thank you for the coffee morning support in December; £229.94 was raised. Our 100 club draw is made at the coffee morning; first prize of £20 was won by member 85, with member 47 getting second prize £10 and member 33 winning the third prize £4.50. If you would like to become one of the villagers support the local village hall in this way, please contact Penny Barker on 01929 481477.

regular weekly events:

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| Monday evenings | Double Act |
| Tuesday mornings | Toddlers |
| Tuesday afternoons | Diabetes Prevention |
| Tuesday evenings | Brownies |
| Tuesday evenings | Dance (Latin & Ballroom) |
| Tuesday evenings | Badminton |
| Wednesday mornings | Wool Workshop |
| Wednesday evenings | Youth Club |
| Wednesday evenings | Pilates |
| Friday mornings | Pilates |
| Friday evenings | Beavers |
| Thursday evenings | Bingo |
| 1st Sunday all day | Antiques Fair |
| 1st Tuesday afternoon | Aquarius |
| 2nd Thursday afternoon | Carpet Bowls |
| 4th Thursday morning | Corfe Castle Carers |

regular fortnightly event:

regular monthly events:

Village Hall Coffee Morning Date Change

The monthly Village Hall coffee morning is almost always held on the first Saturday of the month. So January's get together will be on January 4th. However please note that **in February the coffee morning will be on Saturday February 8th and not February 1st.** Back to normal in March!

Exciting Artsreach events coming up soon

The multi-talented dancing, joking, singing string quartet **Bowjangles** who last visited us back in 2013 are bringing us their "Excalibow" show on Saturday January 11th (see advert elsewhere in the CVN).

Then on Saturday February 29th the innovative actors from **Scratchworks** Theatre are putting on their "Womans (like Romans but with a W)" show (see advert elsewhere in the CVN).

We are looking for volunteers who have a spare room and could provide a bed (and a bite of breakfast) for some of the performers after the show. It is a great opportunity to get to know them, and you also get to see the show for free! Contact David on 07590 352219 for more details.

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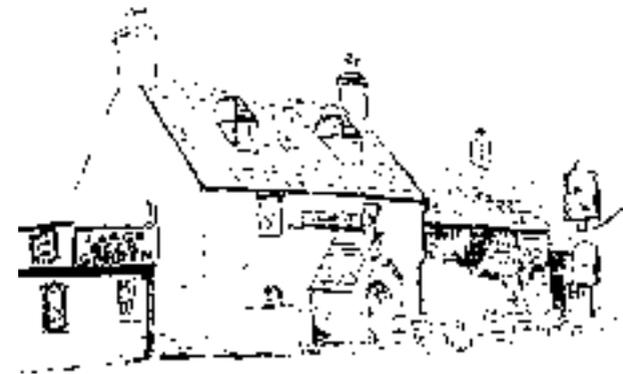
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News from the Castle

Happy New Year everyone, from all of us here at The Castle.

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Thank you all who came along for our amazing party on New Year's Eve ...
What a Night!

January and winter weather it might be, but the fires burning and it's big smiles with business as usual at The Castle, no blues in sight. ... So if you need cheering up; pop in and enjoy the warm glow of the lights.

Remember: Wednesday nights are now amazing curry nights. A great choice of curries and accompaniments. This is proving so popular even though it's January and midweek it's still best to book!

By popular demand, Steak nights are back on Thursday: 2 top quality steak meals for only £12, limited space please make sure you book!!...1 Starting on January 9th 2019

Corfe Castle, again looked very beautiful this year, thanks to the hard work of the festivities committee Congratulations to them all.

Finally, thank you to all the members of the CVN team who work relentlessly throughout the year to produce and deliver this amazing Parish publication.
Well Done!



seasons green



As we welcome the New Year we would like to say a big thank you for your continued support and custom in 2019.

Last year saw big changes to the staff at Seasons Green, as we said goodbye to Jon, Molly and Lottie, and welcomed Chloe, Katy and Kiera to the team (along with Dawn and Sophie of course).

Many of you know Chloe and share our delight that she is now with us full time. Katy is an artist and illustrator who has just moved to the area – you can see some of her work to the right. Kiera will help us at the weekends and is currently studying during the week. Please do come and say hello!



We have lots of exciting changes we are keen to start implementing in the coming months, and look forward to sharing those with you.

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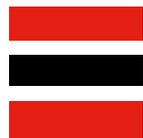
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1	January	Wednesday	7.30 pm
4	January	Saturday	10 am
5	January	Sunday	10 am – 4 pm
11	January	Saturday	7.30 pm
13	January	Monday	7 pm
14	January	Tuesday	7.30 pm
14	January	Tuesday	7.30 pm
16	January	Thursday	7.30 pm
17	January	Friday	2 pm
29	January	Wednesday	7.30 pm
31	January	Friday	7.30 pm

CALENDAR for JANUARY 2020

Langton Arthouse Cinema “3 Faces”	Langton Matravers Village Hall
Coffee Morning	Corfe Castle Village Hall
Antiques Fair	Corfe Castle Village Hall
Bowjangles	Corfe Castle Village Hall
Corfe Castle Parish Council Meeting	Corfe Castle Town Hall
Church Knowle Parish Council Meeting	Furzebrook Village Hall
Movie Night “The Current War”	Harmans Cross Village Hall
Corfe Castle PC Environmental Group	Bankes Arms, Corfe Castle
Talk “Is there a Crisis in Trust in our Society?”	Corfe Castle Village Hall
AGM	Corfe Castle Club
Kimmeridge Keilidh	Kimmeridge 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

5	February	Thursday	7.30 pm	Langton Arthouse Cinema “Apostasy”	Langton Matravers Village Hall
5	February	Thursday	8 pm	Gardening Club	Corfe Castle Club
8	February	Saturday	10 am	Coffee Morning	Corfe Castle Village Hall
29	February	Saturday	7.30 pm	Womans	Corfe Castle Village Hall

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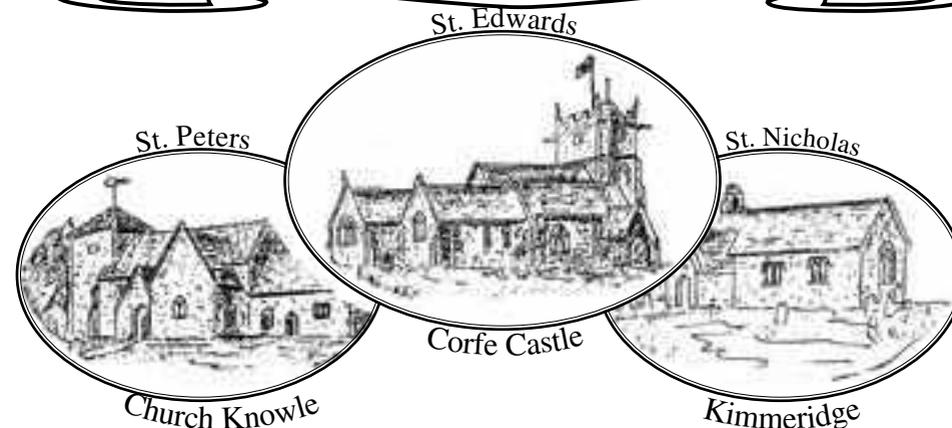
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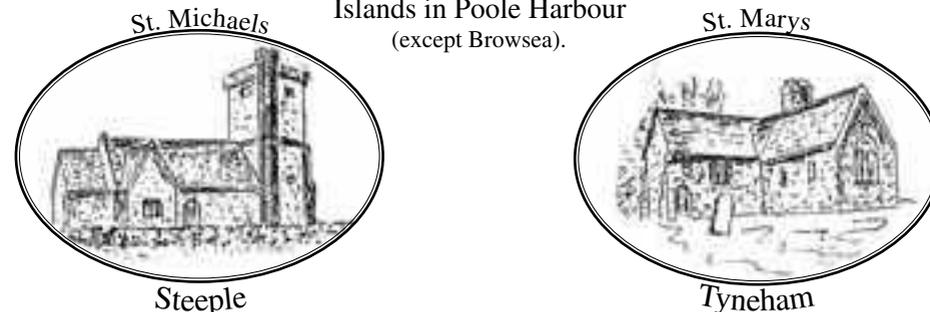
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CHURCH OF ENGLAND



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,
Steeple (with Tyneham), the small
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CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Church Sketches by kind permission of Ron Burniston

The Reverend Anne Bond writes:

I wrote this poem in 2010 as part of a creative writing exercise during my training and happened upon it the other day. After the excesses of Christmas, I thought it might serve as an interesting Clergy Letter to you all for January, and an unusual start to the new year. I hope you like it.

Gentle Jesus Meek and Mild

Sweet Jesus? Meek and mild?
Always smiling never riled?

Not so, my love! Our Saviour dear
was just like us. Emotions near
the fragile surface, heart a-beating,
temper rising, anger heating,
righteous rage at man's misdoing,
as God forgotten, sin's outgoing.

Love the Lord your God with all your heart and mind.
Loving so, dear love flows out to compass all mankind.
Love your neighbour as yourself. Selfless love outpour
As Jesus, steely strong as love, man's sins his shoulders bore.

But it cost him. Sweat and tears,
humiliation, agony, dread fears
of God-forsaken solitude.

His attitude
blazed from the cross of shame,
(not his, but ours),
'Father forgive them; in my name!'

Sweet Jesus? Meek and mild?
Christmas babe, obedient child?

Not so, my love! Human passions
rose fierce and true in Jesus' breast
like me and you. We needn't fear emotions strong;
he knew them all; they're not wrong.
It's what we do with what we feel
that tips the scales for good or ill.

Love the Lord your God with all your strength and soul.
Selfless may your motives be, and others' good your goal.
Love your neighbour as yourself, so love yourself full well.
Such love, reflecting God's own heart, defeated death and hell.

So, make us like him O God, we pray,
claimed as your own, the Potter's clay.
Close to God, the old block's chip;
let people see God's eye and lip
in every face, loving and loyal,
born to serve this mortal coil.

Not meek or mild, this Christmas child.
Yet always giving, and ever living.

With love, Anne

Corfe Valley Church Services - January 2020

Sunday 5th January

10.30 Corfe Castle
3pm Corfe Castle

Epiphany

Valley Parishes Communion
1st Sunday in School: Informal
Worship & Tea in the School Hall

Sunday 12th January

8.00 Corfe Castle
10.30 Steeple
10.30 Corfe Castle

Baptism of Christ

Holy Communion (BCP)
Family Communion (BCP)
Matins

Sunday 19th January

8.00 Church Knowle
10.30 Corfe Castle

2nd Sunday of Epiphany

Holy Communion (BCP)
Parish Communion (CW)

Sunday 26th January

8.00 Corfe Castle
10.30 Corfe Castle
4pm Church Knowle

3rd Sunday of Epiphany

Holy Communion (BCP)
Parish Communion (BCP)
Evensong

Sunday February 2nd

9.30 Kingston
3pm Corfe Castle

Presentation of Christ in the Temple

Benefice Communion – for St Aldhelm's Benefice
1st Sunday in School: Informal
Worship & Tea in the School Hall

CW - Common Worship BCP - Book of Common Prayer

Please note: on Sunday February 2nd there will be one main morning service for all the 7 parishes of our St Aldhelm's Benefice. This is at St James Church Kingston at 9.30. This is the first time we have worshipped together in this way on a Sunday morning.

Scripture Readings - January 2020

Sunday 5th January	Epiphany Ephesians 3: 1 – 12 Matthew 2: 1 – 12
Sunday 12th January	Baptism of Christ *Isaiah 42: 1 -9 Acts 10: 34 – 43 Matthew 3: 13 – end
Sunday 19th January	2nd Sunday of Epiphany 1 Corinthians 1: 1 – 9 John 1: 29 – 42
Sunday 26th January	3rd Sunday of January 1 Corinthians 1: 10 – 18 Matthew 4: 12 – 23
Sunday 2nd February	The Presentation of Christ in the Temple Hebrews 2: 14 – end Luke 2: 22 – 40

* To be read at Matins

Contact Details for the Corfe Valley Churches

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THURSDAY

- **Health Qigong** – Penny Youssef - Tel 07969925502
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FRIDAY

- **Short Mat Bowls** – @ 14.00
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SUNDAY

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

Corfe Castle Congregational Church

It's A Wonderful Life

As the seasons change, many of us find that the annual arrival of Christmas and the few days after is the passing of yet another year. For some, Christmas marks the passing of yet another year brimming with happy and joyful memories, whilst others remember only sadness and disappointment. Perhaps the dreams for the past year were never realised and last year's resolutions seem nothing but a distant past.

A very popular Film which is often shown at Christmas time and first made in 1946, called 'It's A Wonderful Life'. This highly acclaimed film directed by Frank Capra and starring James Stewart and Donna Reed, remains one of the most popular Christmas films. Although those of us who have seen the film would class it as a 'feel good' movie, the first part of the film is far from a perfect story. The scenes are about the darkness of George's (the leading character) mood as his mounting personal and financial troubles plunge him to the brink of ruin and into an abyss of despair and suicide. This is a story about broken dreams.

If someone were to ask us if we had a 'Wonderful Life', what would our response be? In fact, how would we define a 'Wonderful Life'? Perhaps one filled with material gain, financial prosperity or a successful and ever thriving career? Maybe a life packed with adventure, enriched by frequent and luxurious visits to far off distant lands?

Yet realising that Christmas has swiftly come and gone, do we wonder if there is something more? More than we have yet to experience or even discover? Is there some other ingredient to life that without which, we simply cannot call our life 'Wonderful'?

The original working title of 'It's A Wonderful Life' was 'The Greatest Gift'. What 'greatest gift over Christmas could have possibly been enough to shatter our previous dulled experiences and reveal to us something new for the years to come?

At Christmas we remembered a man, born in a Bethlehem stable, who promises us exactly this. Indeed, Jesus Christ offers the gift of a 'Wonderful Life'.

Jesus said "My purpose is to give life in all its fullness"

Abundant Life is really less about US and more about GOD.....

May the arrival of the New Year be the perfect opportunity for you to make a change in your life by receiving our Saviour in your heart.

Celia Taylor (Church Secretary)

Fr_ee2talk@yahoo.co.uk

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Wild Seas Centre winter opening

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Volunteers needed

New recruits are needed to join our keen group of volunteers at the Wild Seas Centre, Kimmeridge. With increasing concerns about the climate and ecological emergency and marine litter, alongside a newly created network of protected areas in the sea, DWT's marine conservation work in this area has never been more important. By joining the volunteer marine wardens, you could learn valuable new skills, help your local wildlife and play your part in combating the ecological crisis at the same time!

Local people who would like to do something valuable for our blue planet, and have time to offer on a regular basis, are invited to take part. No expertise is required as all volunteers will be provided with free training to equip them with the basic knowledge and skills necessary. Our aim is to enable our Wild Seas Centre visitors to leave feeling empowered to make simple changes in their everyday lives that benefit the planet and help tackle the environmental issues of our day.

Volunteer training will include topics such as the identification of rock pool animals and seaweeds, geology and fossils and how to carry out simple seashore surveys to monitor wildlife and activities within the new Purbeck Coast Marine Conservation Zone (MCZ).

Why not come along to our open session in February, where you can meet the staff and volunteers and find out more about what they do. There are limited vacancies so if you think you're suited to join the hardworking team then contact Julie Hatcher to register your interest on 01929 481044 or email kimmeridge@dorsetwildlifetrust.org.uk with any queries. For more information visit www.dorsetwildlifetrust.org.uk/volunteering-opportunities

Happy New Year

From all the Dorset Wildlife Trust team at Kimmeridge, we wish you a very Happy New Year and hope to see you soon!

For more information about the centre please visit our website:
www.dorsetwildlifetrust.org.uk

Julie Hatcher - Wild Seas Centre Officer

Notices and Thanks

Corfe Castle Gardening Club

Our next meeting will be on February 6th 2020 in the Corfe Castle Club at 8pm. It is the AGM, but don't let that put you off!! It will probably be the shortest AGM you will ever attend - to be quickly followed by a fun quiz or similar activity.

David

Harman's Cross Movie Night

On Tuesday 14 January we're showing The Current War at 7.30 in Harman's Cross Village Hall. Benedict Cumberbatch as the great American inventor Thomas Edison and Michael Shannon as his rival, revered entrepreneur, George Westinghouse engage in a battle of technology and ideas that will determine whose electrical system will dominate. Backed by J.P. Morgan, Edison dazzles the world by lighting Manhattan but Westinghouse, aided by Nikola Tesla, sees fatal flaws in Edison's direct current design. Westinghouse and Tesla bet everything on risky and dangerous alternating current. Fuelled by their intense rivalry, this film tells the dramatic story of the late 19th century race to light up America and power the world. Tickets £5 on the door, which will open, along with the bar, at 7pm.

Langton Arthouse Cinema

In February we're screening Apostasy on Wednesday 5 at 7.30 in Langton Matravers' Village Hall. As devout Jehovah's Witnesses, sisters Alex and Luisa and their mother, Ivanna, are united in The Truth. Alex looks up to her confident older sister, while striving to follow in Ivanna's footsteps as a 'good Witness'. But when Luisa starts to question the advice of the Elders, she makes a life-altering transgression that threatens to expel her from the congregation. Unless Ivanna and Alex can persuade her to return, they must shun her completely. This challenge becomes more painful when their family is faced with another heartbreaking test of faith. 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 would like to see trailers for this and future films visit www.LangtonArthouseCinema.co.uk.

Purbeck Hills Christmas Tree Festival

Thank you, Thank you, Thank you for helping to raise an impressive £1350 at the Purbeck Hills Christmas tree festival which has been donated to Amelia's Rainbow and the Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance. The trees this year from Putlake Farm were exceptional, our thanks go out to Karen and Steve for all their help, we also thank the organisations who sponsored and took the time to decorated the trees, and not forgetting the cake makers for keeping the refreshment table well stocked. To all those who came along over the three days of the festival we hope you enjoyed your visit and will return again next year. We were delighted to have local singers coming in to entertain our visitors and look forward to working with them again in the future. Finally we must thank the PCC of St George's Church for allowing the festival to take place at such a busy time in their calendar.

Colin & Sandy Garner

Corfe Castle Youth Club

**Youth Club runs in the Village Hall Term time Wednesdays
Ages 11-13 6.30 - 8 & seniors 6.30 - 9**

Cost-£1.00 per session

Trained Staff - Donna & Gabriella

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With support from The Village Hall & under the umbrella of
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Probus Club of Corfe Castle

The Probus club of Corfe Castle meets at Mortons house hotel on the third Thursday of every month. The Christmas lunch is in December. For more information contact the Secretary Stan Layton on 01929 480038

'Climate Change Community Successes'

This will be new feature in the CVN celebrating ways in which our community have reduced their carbon footprint. So, if you've switched electricity supplier to a renewable provider, changed your light bulbs to an eco-alternative or splashed out on a new electric car, we'd love to hear from you! Please email: corfecastlepc@aol.com



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DROP IN TIMES

Mill Lane, WAREHAM	Monday	12.00 – 2.00
	Tuesday	12.00 – 2.00
	Thursday	12.00 – 2.00

Town Hall, SWANAGE	Monday	10.15 – 2.00
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OTHER SERVICES

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Monday 6th January 6PM

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Corfe Castle Library

contact: martynwjessop@gmail.com



Presents a Talk by
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Is there a Crisis in Trust in our Society?



Preceded by Library AGM
Friday, 17th January 2020, 2 pm, in the Village Hall

East Street, Corfe Castle, BH20 5EE t: 01929 480760
 e: corfecastlelibrary@gmail.com

Opening Times:

Monday 2.30 – 4.30 pm

Wednesday: 11.00 am – 12.00 noon & 3.00 – 5.00 pm

Saturday 10.00 am -- 12.00 noon

The Corfe Castle Town Trust Requires a New Trustee

The Trust was set up in July 1889 to repair and maintain the Town Hall and consisted of 8 trustees which has grown to 4 nominated trustees & 8 co-opted trustees. There are 4 meetings a year.

The Trust is now looking for another co-opted Trustee (an interest in insurance would be preferable).

If interested please contact

Emma

emma@elouisa.co.uk

The Etches Collection Museum of Jurassic Marine Life



Kimmeridge Bay Tours Are Back!

Please see below the dates for our popular fieldtrips for 2020!

Sunday 12th January at 1:30pm

Tuesday 28th January at 2:30pm

Sunday 9th February at 1:30pm

Sunday 23rd February at 1:30pm

Tickets needs to be purchased in advance. You can do this over by calling us on 01929 270000. Alternatively, if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

EXHIBITS & ACTIVITIES

The museum is thrilled to see the amazing new app, **PALAEOGO** being used by all our visitors! PalaeoGo was developed by Bournemouth University.

Come to the museum, borrow an iPad or use your own phone and see prehistoric creatures brought back to life using augmented reality!

IN OUR DISCOVERY ROOM

Geologist information – What is a Geologist? – Notebooks, Geological Hammer, Compass-Clinometer, Hand Lens, Ordnance Survey (OS) Map and Grain size chart. All information about what a Geologist is and what you would need when doing fieldwork.

How to be a rocking Geologist – A hands-on display that will explain the basics of Geology. Pick up a worksheet to complete using the display!

How to dress like a Geologist – Take a look at what Steve wears and why each item is important when he is out collecting more specimens!

Geologist Selfies – Take a walk into our dressing up area! Using the information about 'How to dress like a Geologist' you can now do the same!

(tweet us your Geologist Selfies - @etchescollect)

You can also pick up leaflets to take away & learn more about Geology

and fossil hunting!

Please note that the use of hammers is not permitted down on Kimmeridge Bay

Mesozoic Murder Mystery – Match up the teeth with the bite marks & help Ammo the Ammonite solve the mystery? Open the draws on the cabinet for clues!

UPSTAIRS ON THE LANDING

Information on Kimmeridge Bay Cliffs – There is also a wonderful display showing the levels of stone that you will find down in Kimmeridge Bay &

Mystery Box – Guess what's inside our mystery box and see if you are correct!

Activities onsite:

Fossil Friday
Fossil Mould Painting
Lucky Dip
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Take a closer look at our handling collection under the microscope.

The Etches Collection Shop

Check out our online shop for gifts and souvenirs for any Fossil or Dinosaur enthusiast!

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Volunteers Needed To Look After Local Wildlife



Dorset Wildlife Trust (DWT) is working with local landowners/managers along the Corfe River to improve biodiversity in the area and are looking to engage with volunteers from the local community. DWT have a number of practical conservation volunteer work parties taking place during January and February 2020, with the first session due to take place on Friday 10th January.

If you fancy getting involved in helping your local wildlife along the Corfe River please contact Steve Oliver (DWT Rivers Conservation Officer) soliver@dorsetwildlifetrust.org.uk for more details.

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See if you are eligible for extra income.

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Superfast Dorset has a network of 70 volunteer Digital Champions who offer free, one-to-one computer help sessions in libraries and other venues across the county and they can help you get online and develop your digital skills.

Superfast Digital Champions are ready to provide you with all the help you need from switching on a computer and using the internet safely to managing email and digital pictures and, of course, finding information from reliable sources. Visit them on a regular basis or just once to learn digital skills so that you can show your family how to safely use the internet.

To get help from a Digital Champion simply call 01305 221048 and we will match you with a friendly volunteer in your area who will help you feel right at home in the digital world.

There is a Digital Champion in this area; please see below the details of their session: **Tuesdays, 2.45 pm - 5 pm - Wareham Library**

Are you willing to volunteer?



The Corfe Castle Town Trust is looking for **VOLUNTEERS** to help record and maintain the history of the village, assist with putting on exhibitions or help with the maintenance of the old Town Hall and Museum?



Are you interested in local history?

If so please contact Louise on:

Tel: 01925 481375 or mlouisehaywood@gmail.com



Calling all book lovers!

A popular home library service, run by Royal



Voluntary Service, the national volunteering organisation, is looking to grow its service for housebound readers in the Wareham, Corfe Castle and Swanage area.

The Home Library Service brings books to people who can no longer get to a library. It operates from most libraries in Dorset, Poole and Bournemouth.

Volunteers deliver books and share their love of reading with the people they visit. They are a friendly face and a regular visitor to those whose mobility and social interactions are limited, and they provide a useful check on the safety and well-being of their readers, too.

One of our readers commented: "It is an excellent service; it's a real delight when it is hard to get to the library oneself. The volunteer is so friendly, they may be the only person I shall see all day." Maria Jacobson, service manager for Dorset Home Library Service, says, "For people who enjoy reading or listening to an audio recording but find getting out of the house challenging, this service offers a vital link to the local library. The service enables them to carry on doing something they've always enjoyed and helps alleviate feelings of isolation and loneliness." The Home Library Service is delivered free of charge; it is not only for older people, but for anybody who finds getting to the library difficult, including carers.

To find out more or to request the service please contact the Royal Voluntary Service office on 01305 236666, or e-mail Maria on maria.jacobson@royalvoluntaryservice.org.uk. Alternatively you can speak to staff at your local library.

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Pioneer View January 2020

Dear Friends,

As we enter a new year the usual tradition is to make new year resolutions. Can I suggest that we reflect on last year's resolutions and see how we did with those?

There is a sense that that the past often shapes our future. I am reminded of the moto of Durham University:

“Shaped by the past, creating the future “

I wonder when you reflect on last year and your resolutions how have they shaped you? Here are a few questions to ask yourself to help you reflect:

How have you moved on in the light of the challenges you encountered last year? What are the lessons you learned from you're the decisions you made last year?

These are useful questions to reflect on. It very much confirms my view that we are shaped by past experiences and decisions. However, it throws up another challenge, that it's important we face our past and embrace it before moving on into the future.

With every goodbye there is a hello. I wonder what you will be saying goodbye to before saying hello to 2020.

There are several ways to approach this may facilitate a goodbye and a hello. One that I use a lot is simply writing a letter to the past or situation. Writing a letter in a difficult time provides a reminder of people and friendships we have around us. It can teach us to not take these relationships for granted. It may often give us fresh insight and a deeper understanding of where we find ourselves in life's journey

A quote to ponder

“The first step towards getting somewhere is to decide you're not going to stay where you are.” —J.P. Morgan

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Tuesday Feb 11th – DOWNTON ABBEY - The beloved Crawleys and their intrepid staff prepare for the most important moment of their lives. A royal visit from the king and queen of England soon unleashes scandal, romance and intrigue -- leaving the future of Downton hanging in the balance.

MUSIC NIGHT – Saturday 29th February – 7.30 pm

Jazz with the Amy Roberts Quintet

Amy Roberts is a multi-awards winning saxophonist, clarinetist and flautist. Over the past ten years she has featured regularly in the British Jazz Awards, winning the Rising Star category in 2009 and 2009 and Miscellaneous for flute in 2015. She's earned a reputation throughout the UK and Europe as a charismatic performer and has toured with some of the world's best musicians.

COFFEE JUNCTION fortnightly Thursdays at 10.30

This is a lovely little group of villagers, just meeting to chat and share coffee and biscuits. Why not come along and join us? Free to come in, free car parking, and a warm welcome.

STALLS IN THE HALL

Next one is Saturday March 14th – sorry, no events in Jan or Feb! Coffee, cakes, crafts, warmth and friendly stallholders. Public welcome from 9.30-admission free! Don't be late or you'll miss all the bargains.....

POST OFFICE – Every Thursday from 9.30 – 11.30 a.m. Most PO facilities available with no queues and no parking problems! Most post office services available!

CHURCH SERVICES (6.00 p.m.) - Jan 19th, Feb 16th

PURBECK U3A ARCHAEOLOGY GROUP - Jan 24th, Feb 28th

PURBECK U3A MONTHLY 'MEETING POINT' (9.00 a.m.)
Jan 23rd, Feb 27th

PURBECK U3A QUILTING GROUP - Jan 2nd, 16th, Feb 6th, 20th

PURBECK U3A COMPUTER GROUP - Jan 3rd, 17th, Feb 7th, 21st

NEW! PURBECK U3A ADVANCED DRIVING GROUP
Meeting room – Jan 10th, Feb 14th

PARISH COUNCIL

Tuesday March 3rd - come along and meet your Parish Councillors. Public participation time - first 15 minutes. And still room for you to be co-opted to serve your community – why not?

WEEKLY EVENTS:

U3A French group –Wednesday mornings from 9.00 a.m

Table Tennis group (U3A) Monday mornings from 9.00 a.m

Pins & Needles – Monday afternoons from 2.00 pm

Life Drawing with 'Swanage Lifers' Thursday afternoons, 2.00 pm

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

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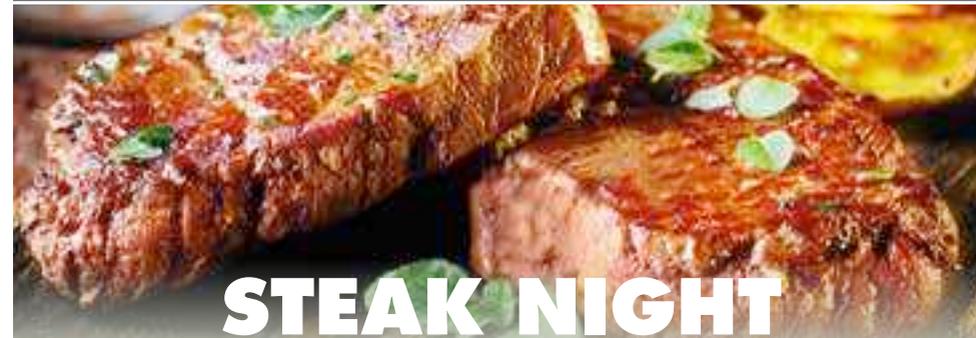
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Saturday 25th January 2020

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to book**

**www.clavellsrestaurant.co.uk
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**Clavells Restaurant
Opening Hours**

Open Monday to Sunday 10am-5pm

Breakfasts, lunches and afternoon teas.

Clavells Valentines Evening Menu

Starters

Thai Duck Salad sliced duck breast on a bed of bean sprouts, spring onions, carrots and peppers with a spicy Thai dressing.

Seafood Chowder a luxurious creamy soup of smoked haddock, prawns, mussels and salmon.

Seafood Sharing Platter King Prawns, salt and peppered calamari, crab fishcakes, seafood chowder shots and salmon ceviche. Served with dressed mixed leaves, and a trio of dips (lemon mayonnaise, sweet chilli and Marie Rose). (£3 supplement)

Chicken Truffle and Herb Terrine served with toasted brioche, mixed leaves and chutney.

Red Orzo Risotto with Parmesan Orzo pasta with chargrilled peppers, saffron, tomatoes and olives finished with Parmesan cheese.

Mains

Tuna Steak pan fried tuna loin on a bed of rocket, served with the classic Italian salsa verde, and caramelised lemons.

Fillet of Monkfish Monkfish with an olive and anchovy tapenade wrapped in Parma ham and served with a roasted tomato sauce.

Kimmeridge Sirloin Steak Sirloin steak cooked to your preference, served with gourmet chips, and a Dorset Blue Vinny cheese sauce.

Loin of Venison from "Kimmeridge" Farm with a cranberry stuffing wrapped in pancetta served with a redcurrant and juniper jus. (£4 supplement)

Rack of Lamb Rack of Kimmeridge lamb with a crushed pea and mint stuffing, served with a Madeira sauce. (£4 supplement)

Pork Wellington Pork tenderloin from "Kimmeridge" farm topped with black pudding, wrapped in filo pastry, served with a cider cream sauce.

Mushroom Bourguignon Portobello, chestnut, porcini mushrooms, with shallots, and carrots in a rich red wine sauce.

All of the above dishes are served with dauphinoise potatoes and seasonal vegetables.

Desserts

Chocolate Fondue to Share

Dark Chocolate and brandy, white chocolate and Baileys dipping sauces served with a selection of fresh fruits and marshmallows.

Passion Fruit Syllabub with homemade shortbread.

Mixed Berry Pavlova drizzled with a Raspberry Coulis.

Chocolate and Morello Cherry roulade

Selection of English Cheese and Biscuits.

(£2 supplement)

£32.95 per head

Booking Essential Tel: 01929 480701

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Kimmeridge News

Village Hall Bingo

The Kimmeridge Village Hall Bingo in December Bingo was a great success, we made a total of £408 which will be used to fund the younger children's party along with a trip for the older kids in January, which Claire Goodall has offered to co-ordinate. Special mention must go to Patrick, who as well as calling the numbers also dazzled the audience with his new jacket!

Christmas Lights

The Kimmeridge Christmas Tree lights were switched on at 6pm on 1st December followed by warming mulled wine and lovely nibbles in the hall. Many thanks to the Holes for the superb lights; to Rose for the Mulled Wine and to Emma for the delicious food.



A new member of the Hole Family!

Ben and Emily are delighted to announce the safe arrival of Jasper Jack Hole, born on the 21st November at 9.57am weighing 7lbs10oz.

Kimmeridge Keilidh – Friday 31st January 7.30pm

Our next Kimmeridge Keilidh (Barn Dance!) is on Friday 31st Jan at the normal time of 7.30pm in Kimmeridge Village Hall at The Etches Collection. Come & dance to Arish Mel English Ceilidh Band with our caller Sue Perigo. Tickets on the door £5 adults, £2.50 children. No Bar – so bring your own refreshments.

Steve & Helen Earwicker

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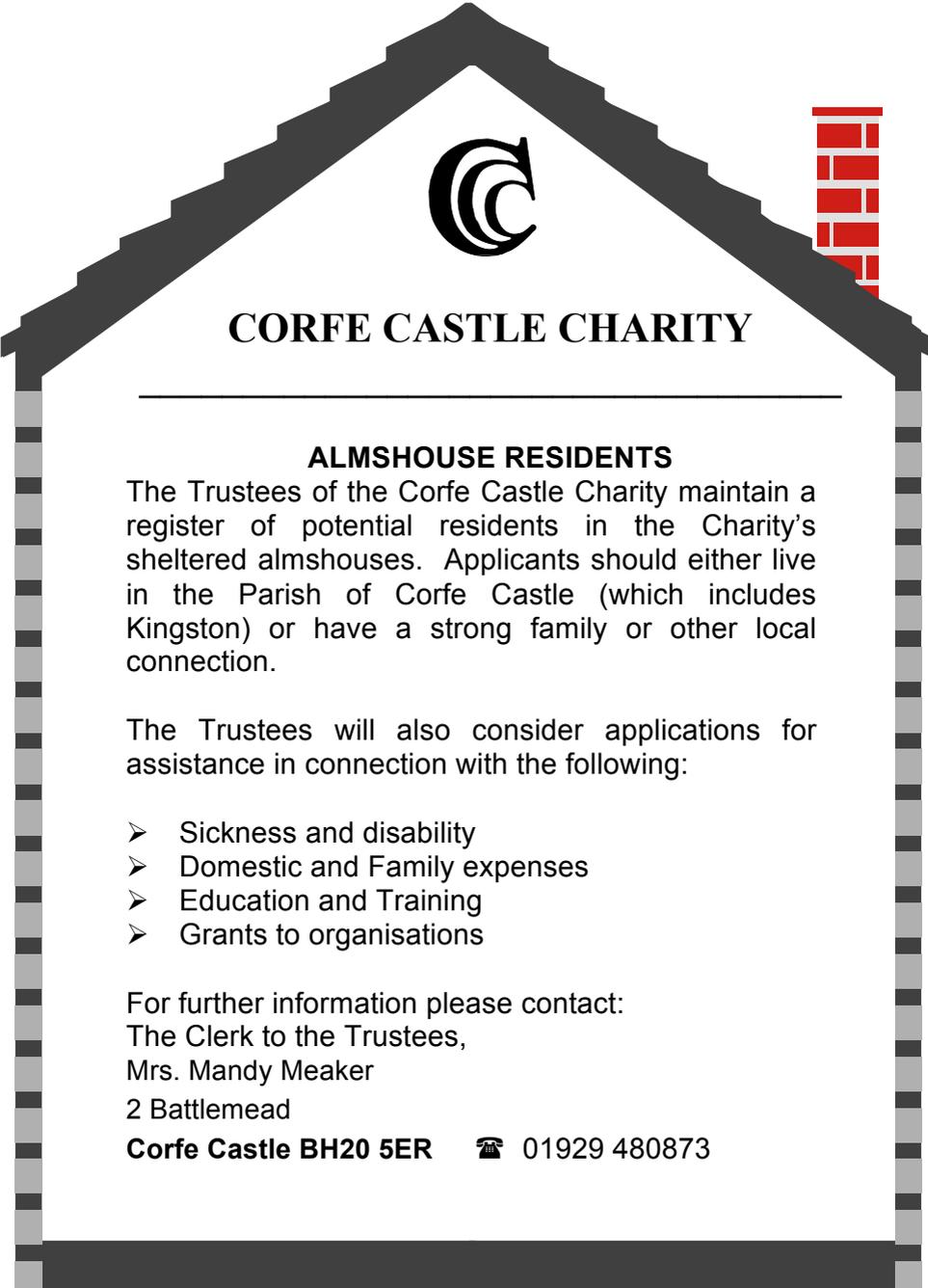
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	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
MONDAY			
Each	8.50am - 2.50pm	Community Pre school	The Pre School
Each	10.00-11.00am	Coffee Morning	Springwell Close
Each	2.30 - 4.30	Whist and tea	Springwell Close
Each	10am – 1pm	Pottery Class	Furzebrook Studios
Each	7 - 11pm	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	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 Furzebrook VH; even CK
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	7-9pm	Youth Club	C C Village Hall
Each	8.30	Poker	Corfe Castle Club
THURSDAY			
Each	8.50am - 2.50pm	Community Pre school	The Pre School
Each	10.00 - 11.30am	Busy Bees	CC Primary School
3 rd	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	10.00 – 1.0 pm	Pottery Class	Furzebrook Studios
Alternate	7.30pm	Bingo	C C Village Hall
FRIDAY			
Each	8.50am - 2.50pm	Community Pre school	The Pre School
Each	10am – 1pm	Pottery Classes	Furzebrook Studios
Each	8.30pm	Bingo	Corfe Castle Club
SATURDAY			
1st	10.30am	Village Coffee Morning	C C Village Hall
SUNDAY			
Each	1.00pm	Bingo	Corfe Castle Club

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