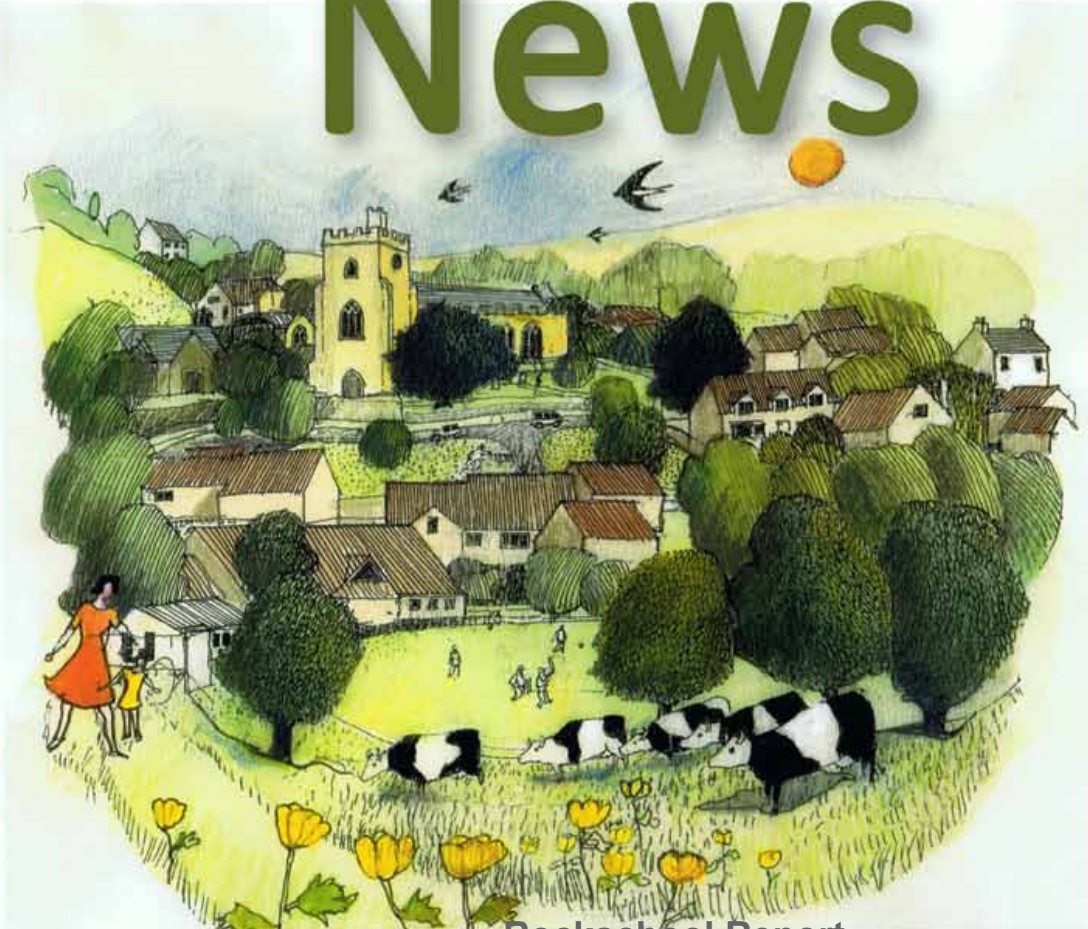




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# Parish News

# JULY 2011



Rockschool Report

Sam's Tree Update

A Plea for Spree

Harrie Sowerby's Story

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## Worship in July and beginning of August

### July

Sun 3rd	10am	Family Communion
	6pm	Evening Prayer
Sun 10th	10am	Morning Worship (children's groups 9.50am)
	6pm	Holy Communion
Sun 17th	10am	Family Communion
	6pm	Evening Prayer
Sun 24th	10am	Morning Worship (children's groups 9.50am)
	6pm	Holy Communion
Sun 31st July	10am	Creative Worship
	6pm	Holy Communion

### August

7th	10am	Family Communion
	6pm	Evening Prayer
14th	10am	Morning Worship (children's groups 9.50am)
	6pm	Holy Communion

Details available on [www.uplymechurch.org.uk](http://www.uplymechurch.org.uk)

## FROM THE REGISTERS

### Baptisms/Thanksgivings:

nil

### Marriages/Blessings:

nil

### Funerals/Interment of Ashes/Thanksgivings:

4th May	Michael Halden
16th May	Doreen Palmer
20th May	Helena Saunders
21st May	Grace Carson
12th June	Margaret and Kenneth Nicholson



# July



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## More Tea Vicar



Dear Friends

I recently upgraded my digital camera (for those into photography, I am now running a Nikon D5100 with a 35mm 1.8 lens), and to test it out, I took it on a walk around Uplyme. Photography enables me to look afresh at the world; the delicate petals on the dog rose, wild honeysuckle or sweet pea; the unfurling ferns; the view through gate and gap in a stone wall. Photography slows me down and forces me to be still. Only when I stop can I truly see the world around me.

The same is true in our spiritual lives. We live life at such a frenetic pace, and it seems that those who are retired are often busier than those in full-time employment! If we wish to hear God, to know his presence with us, and to feel close to him, then the first thing we need to do is stop. That doesn't mean taking time out to read a book, weed the garden, or even go for a walk. Stopping means stopping.

Do try this at 5-minute exercise at home. Find a place that you can be alone and quiet. Sit comfortably with your back straight. Release the tension in your neck and head, and then all of your body. Listen to the sounds around you, first the distant ones, then the nearer ones. Wait quietly on God; trust him; let yourself go into his hands. You might like to say quietly to yourself the name 'Jesus' or 'Lord' to the rhythm of your breathing. Let God's peace and calm fill you. For it is only when we stop that we allow the Creator of the universe to speak.

May you, at this time of abundant summer life, know the peace of God in your own life.

Yours in Christ

*Gavin*

### Parish News Deadlines

Please remember the next issue of the magazine is for **AUGUST & SEPTEMBER** and all articles up to and including things in early **OCTOBER** should be with us by the **10th JULY**

**Email to - [parishnews@uplymechurch.org.uk](mailto:parishnews@uplymechurch.org.uk)**

Robin Hodges

# From the Editor

Welcome to this July edition of the Parish News!

As I write this, we have just had the Village Fete and despite the weather trying to halt things, a good afternoon was had by a host of people, and just to round of a good day I won a raffle prize!! Not something that happens often I can tell you. Paula has sent in a report which you can find on page 21.

Nigel Balls gardening tips on page 23 are full of good ideas about conserving the moisture in the soil (not that it's a problem at the moment!) and it was great to see the Help 4 Heroes day raised over £1500 for a worthy cause.

Many of you will know of the fund raising to help send Sam Nunn to Germany for the treatment he desperately needs. Talking with his Mum at the Fete, he is in good spirits and heads for his treatment on 25th June. We all wish him the best of luck, and he is in our thoughts and prayers.

The Parish News has it's uses, as I heard that a family who no longer live in Uplyme, have the news sent to them in the North of England every month. They saw the appeal and have bought a branch on "The Tree of Life"! They also always send in a donation to the magazine to help it's costs.

If you enjoy the magazine and feel you could help with the costs, any donation would be most helpful.

***Enjoy July..... Ed***

## **What NOT to do before you go on holiday**

Criminals just love Twitter and Facebook. Now they can locate unattended homes so much more easily - often within seconds of people posting comments about being on holiday on these social networking websites.

Thieves once had it hard - having to wander about neighbourhoods, peering over hedges, bribing milkmen, looking for empty houses. Now it is so much simpler: they stay at home and surf the internet - and can track down your address from a one-line posting within 60 seconds, according to researchers. Thieves look for messages such as 'packing my cases' and 'just landed' with a smiley face, only hours after the sender's location was given as an airport.

How do they do it? A check on the family name and, for instance, the name of their child's school, cross referenced with an online address database, shows the location of the home. The study, by Co-operative Travel, goes on to warn people that their children are the worst offenders, as 51 per cent of young people tell their all their friends about the forthcoming holiday....

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# Uplyme Church Holiday Club 2011

## Pirates at the Village Hall



Wednesday 27th - Friday 29th July 2011  
Uplyme Village Hall  
10am to 12pm each day  
Family BBQ on Friday at 12.30pm

Holiday club is back and for 2011 a new theme:  
**Pirates at the Village Hall - Ahoy there!**

The theme this year stars **Captain Jack Wheelbarrow** and **Nigellica** leading the morning with their own brand of humour and wackiness. The morning will be a fun packed mixture of activities, sketches, games topped off with Bible stories - making a brilliant start to the summer holidays!

If you're in school years 1 to 6 (inclusive) you can join in the fun each day at Uplyme Village Hall from 10am to 12pm. On the last day (Friday 6th) we'll be having a BBQ at 12.30pm for all the family.

There will be a small charge for the club to cover costs of £2/day per first child, £1 per sibling.

For more information speak to **Helen Tweedale 01297 444133**, pick up a **Booking Form** from Uplyme Church or from the church website at [www.uplymechurch.org.uk](http://www.uplymechurch.org.uk)



## News From The Pub.

Firstly, Steve and I would like to say a huge Thank You for the response we have had since last month when I shared with you our efforts to raise money to help Sam.

We have been overwhelmed by your kindness and as I write this, the branches which have been bought on Sam's Tree has raised over £5000. This is a tremendous amount and I know Sam and his family are so grateful for your generosity. We are of course continuing in our efforts to reach our target of £10000 please let us know if you would like to help.

Our annual Beer Festival is creeping up on is fast. This year it will be on **Saturday 16th and Sunday 17th July**, we will be having music and food on the Saturday evening. On Sunday afternoon Rose and Tracey have organised some stalls, majorettes, music and cream teas, all profits from the afternoon will be used to buy more branches on Sam's Tree so do please come and enjoy the afternoon with the whole family. We will end the beer festival with live music on the Sunday evening.

As you will have noticed our Summer hanging baskets are up and the pots in the garden are filled, lets hope the display will be as good as last year, we are eagerly awaiting the 'return for the summer' of our student university staff and I think the last one home has to paint the fences!!

Our Staff are all in the middle of their exams, and we wish them all the very best in this stressful time. We will lose Richard ,Jack and Peter this summer when they start their university lives. It has been lovely having Abi back for the past few months before she leaves for Thailand and Australia in August, Steve and I will miss them all.

Amanda and Stuart are getting married on July 15th, all their friends at the Pub wish them a long and very happy life together and we are looking forward to sharing their special day with food music and merriment at the Pub.

Poor Bronny has recently undergone an operation, I am pleased to say she is now on the mend, I hope Steve will be as concerned about me if I ever need my sick bed!!!

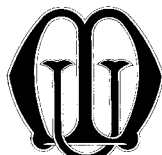
Running a village Pub is becoming increasingly more difficult in this economic climate and we are very grateful to everyone who continues to support our efforts .

Well that's it for this month, big thanks as always to all our friendly and hard working staff.

Kind Regards and Best Wishes

**Wendy**

## MOTHERS UNION



THE MOTHERS' UNION

The Mothers' Union Chief Executive, Reg Bailey, has been asked by David Cameron to head up a campaign against the sexualisation of children.

This we are privileged to do and it is our project for the year, entitled 'BYE BUY CHILDHOOD'.

The Mothers' Union wishes to raise awareness amongst parents and children about their consumer habits, as we believe that children should be valued as children, not consumers.

We will be challenging retailers and advertisers who sell and advertise inappropriately to children, lobbying our political representatives to prohibit the 'sex sells' approach aimed at children under 16 and lobbying political representatives to ensure that children under 16 are not exposed to the marketing and display of sexualised products.

Join us at [www.byebuychildhood.org](http://www.byebuychildhood.org)

### **Audrey Coussens**



### **Uplyme W.I.**

The President, Sue Kennedy welcomed members to the June meeting.

Jerusalem was sung and six Birthday posies were presented.

The Secretary and Treasurer's reports were given and the Secretary said all correspondence was on the table for everyone to read including the W.I. bulb scheme. Names were being taken for anyone

interested.

The Devon News could be read by members who were asked to take note of events in the area. The Axminster Group meeting is on 14th June at 2.30pm in the Allsaints Village Hall. Details for the outing to Pecorama were finalised.

The flower of the month was won by Enid Gorman. The competition for a poem written on Music was won by Lilian Bagnall.

The speaker, Amelia Marriette was then introduced. She gave a talk on Gustav Holst - His Life and his Music. She said that she had worked for some time in The Holst Museum in Cheltenham and gave a comprehensive cover of his most interesting life and works and played small pieces of his music. Very entertaining! She was thanked by Lilian Bagnall

The next meeting will be on July 13th at the Village Hall at 2.30pm when Tamsin Loudon will speak on "House of Colour"

Visitors and new members are always welcome. Contact Tel.no. 0129744239

**Lilian Bagnall**

# Uplyme & Lyme Regis Cricket Club (U&LRCC) - 125th Anniversary

At time of writing this article we have had an up and down season for both 1st and 2nd XI sides. Some weeks we have encouraging wins with some high scores and impressive bowling and others we don't like to talk about! We struggle on. The good news is that we have some extremely good youngsters coming through the system which looks good for the future. The joint venture with Woodroffe School is paying off and doing wonders to promote cricket across the town and the village. The youngsters enjoy their cricket and play in the West Dorset leagues for U11, U134 and U15.

Sales of our 125th Anniversary print featured in last month's Parish News are going well and if you haven't got yours yet then contact Paul and he will arrange to drop one off to you.

We have now started organising our special King George Candles event in partnership with Candles on the Cobb, the Lyme Regis based charity which raises money for youth and other local causes. The event on 4th September, will be a 40 over cricket game starting at 13.00 followed, at 20.00, by the lighting of over 2000 candles around the George V Playing Field in Uplyme. The Candles on the Cobb committee have decided that all proceeds from selling the Candles will be donated to the Sam Nunn appeal.



Another special event not to be missed is on Friday 29 July at 18.00, a twenty over game against the Lifeboat men, in aid of RNLI Lifeboat week. There will be Mark's world famous (well, in Uplyme!) chilli, hot dogs and a bar. Lasts year's event was great fun and we hope to continue where we left off.

Fixtures for July and early August are:

**July** (Games start at 14.00 except RNLI T/20 at 18.00)

2	1st XI	Kilmington	H	Paul's Barber Shop
2	2nd XI	Wimple	A	
9	1st XI	Kenn	A	Total Plumbing
9	2nd XI	North Devon III	H	Lyme Bay Holidays
16	1st XI	Filleigh	H	Pilot Boat Inn
<i>The above "home" game to be played at Chardstock - Horticultural Society</i>				
16	2nd XI	Feniton	A	Old Forge Fossil Shop
17	Club XI	North Perrott	A	
23	1st XI	Honiton	A	
23	2nd XI	Honiton	H	Jurassic Seafood & Steak Restaurant
24	Club XI	Taunton St Andrews	H	
29	Club XI	RNLI T/20 (18.00)	H	The Mariners Hotel
30	1st XI	Woodbury	H	The Old Watch House
30	2nd XI	Axminster III	A	

**August** (All games start at 14.00)

6	1st XI	Upottery	H	Town Mill Cheesemonger
6	2nd XI	Tiverton & Bickleigh	A	Pattimore Butchers
7	Club XI	Berkhamstead	H	Royal Standard

For more details about the King George Candles or any other aspect of club, contact the Club Chairman, **Paul Messer** on 01297 444181 or the Club Secretary and Youth Section organiser **Eddie Clarke** on 01297 443050.



## Axminster and District Lions Club

Dear Uplyme Residents

### *LIONS CHARITY SWIMATHON*

Flamingo Pool on Saturday October 8th from 5.30pm – 8.30pm.

Help your organisation or favourite charity to raise much needed funds without the worry of organising an event – just collect sponsors and the Lions do the rest

Any sponsor money would be split as follows:

50% to your organisation or chosen charity

25% to Flamingo Pool – an invaluable Axminster charity

25% to Lions Charities

Any swimmer would then be helping their chosen organisation, the local community pool and others in need locally.

Each swimmer may swim a maximum of 20 lengths.

Swimmers can be sponsored for as little as a couple of strokes with armbands. Non swimmers will be identified and will remain in their depth in an outside lane where they can easily be monitored by the life guards.

One swimmer or many swimmers may represent their organisation as appropriate Lions will provide a copy of all the necessary paperwork including letters to parents, a small number of sponsor forms, posters and detailed procedures. Each swimmer will receive a certificate of achievement and be part of a big community event.

A member of the Lions Club would be delighted to come and talk to you or your organisation about it and answer any questions or feel free to phone Anne for further information. This could help many individuals and organisations who are having difficulties fund raising. If you start collecting sponsors now you could raise a lot! Get the children on the job in the summer holidays!

Yours sincerely

**Anne Hardman** (Secretary) Freephone 0845 8332817 twinprincipals2000@yahoo.co.uk

# Brownies\*

Since Easter the girls have been working on the 'Out & About badge, which includes, the country code, water safety code, being safe in the dark, how to prepare for a hike and compass work.

We have also welcomed, Abigail Greenslade, Lauren Taylor and Imogen Winter, to the pack.

This term we' re planning an evening with Axminster guides, a pirate BBQ, our usual visit to sing for the residents of Pinhay House, and a trip to Winbourne Model Town to continue with some map work.

I would like to thank all those who have helped with Brownies this year, without additional help the unit would not be so successful.

**Chris Edwards, Guider in charge 445213**

## Development Team Report to PCC Meeting 6th June 2011 Re-Ordering the Interior of Uplyme Church

The Public Consultation and Exhibition was held from Saturday 2nd April 2011 until Friday 15th April.

The church was manned all day on Saturday 2nd April with a Question and Answer session at 4.00pm

25 people came during the day and 29 attended the Q&A time.

There were 78 responses to the questionnaire following the Public Consultation and the results were:

Bell Tower	73 Yes	4 No	1 partial
Chancel	48 Yes	27 No	3 partial
Nave	44 Yes	32 No	2 partial

The Development Team recommend that the Bell Tower should go ahead subject seeking three competitive quotations from contractors and fee tenders from structural engineers.

The Development Team recommend that the Chancel should go ahead.  
Subject to consultation with English Heritage

The Development Team recommend that the Nave should go ahead subject to getting alternative quotes for carpeting and chairs.

It would like to point out the Health and Safety risks around the kitchen area.

The Boiler Inspection had been completed and a second quote coming in for re-siting the two radiators in the Nave.

The Electrical Inspection had been completed.

The Development Team would be visiting churches that have been re-ordered in Sidmouth, Litton Cheney and Puddletown – these visits were postponed due to adverse weather conditions.

### **Save save save**

There's a new species out there: YUFTIEs. They are Young, Ultra-Forward-Thinking Savers who have appeared out of the storm clouds of the recession. They are in their mid to late twenties, responsible, serious and ambitious, focussed on achieving their life goals. Oh - and in the meantime, says Barclays, who did the research, they are saving almost a fifth of their salaries - £258 - a month. Nearly a quarter of them have already purchased their first home.

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## Royal British Legion Women's Section

Our meetings in April and May included speakers: We marvelled at pensioner Joyce West's "Tall Ship Adventure" – not for the faint-hearted of any age!; and Don Foster, a descendant of the founder of a children's charity in the Philippines, gave an interesting account of her experiences during World War II, hidden from the occupying Japanese, and of the growth of the charity worldwide.

We were favoured with a glorious afternoon for our Mystery Tour in June, when after shopping in the morning at the Cider Press Centre in Dartington we enjoyed splendid views over Dartmoor on the road to Widecombe. The coach-load of about 40 members and friends were very grateful to Pat Day for organising this lovely day.

On July 4th we shall again be in the Village Hall for our "Garden Meeting", to be joined by members from neighbouring branches.

*Ursula Everett*

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### **Rock School?**

Heard it mentioned.

Happens every year

Thought....doesn't mean much to me

Got curious

Offered to help

Got blown away.....

Fifty young people from all over the South West gathered at a school in Exeter during half term.

They brought along an assortment of guitars – drums – voices.

Some had been several times before – for some it was the first time.

There was an atmosphere of calm and camaraderie amid the very, very loud music.



*Lily on guitar and Bethany on drums.*

Old friendships re-kindled and new friendships forged.

Our Youth Minister Irve in full flow encouraging the young people "not to be afraid to be yourself" and getting the very best out of the youngsters as they composed, had fun, practiced and then recorded their music onto a CD. At the end of the three days and nights a performance for the parents rounded off an inspiring confidence building time – for some it had been a life changing experience.

**Sue Wells**

## Harrie Sowerby

Went to Thailand with the OMF (a Christian Mission Agency) at the beginning of January and spent a couple of months helping at one of the Mission houses in Lop Buri.

After a thirteen hour flight she arrived in Bangkok and took a taxi to her first port of call. She says that the first three weeks were a bit of a jumble and she found it extremely hard in all sorts of ways.

Firstly the language - Harrie did not speak any Thai, secondly she had been sent to a Mission House with only two Thai girls who did not know very much English, and thirdly she became ill with food poisoning. She became very disheartened and had doubts about her purpose for being there.

But all that changed when she became involved with teaching English in a secondary school to thirteen to nineteen year old Thai girls and meeting other young people from the Netherlands, NZ, Australia and Germany. She took her guitar into class and taught the songs, one being "He's got the whole world in his hand" explaining the meaning of the words as she went along.

Harriet felt that she had reached out to a nineteen year old Thai girl, "Mas", who became interested in the bible and wanted to know more and was fascinated to hear Harriet explain some of messages in the bible as a result she joined in baking classes, went on outings and attended worship and prayer. Harriet really felt she had made a difference to Mas's life and felt blessed to have met her and been able to work one to one with her.

The most difficult part of the time in Thailand was adjusting to a very different culture and some of the best bits were the fellowship with the other people there and in particular with Mas.

A rewarding time and one she will remember for a long while.

*Congratulations Harrie for gaining a place at Newcastle University to develop her artistic talents, which will sit very well with her parents who have recently moved to Yorkshire.*



## OUT AND ABOUT WITH JOHN PENNINGTON

I've just been wandering around my vast .2 of an acre estate looking at the woe-ful state of my vegetables. It's just not been warm enough recently, especially at night time and there has not been enough rain either. I find it very hard to believe its been the warmest spring on record (April was warm for sure, but its gone down hill from then on). What is looking good though is the lavender in our garden. I really like the smell of their flowers and cant resist running my fingers through a bush and releasing the scent. When we are in our cottage in Provence in summer, there is a lavender distillery near by. If we are lucky and they are harvesting lavender whilst we are visiting, the subtle smell of their flowers drifts over the entire village from the smoke that is released from the distillery.

Lavender (*Lavandula* in Latin) are a genus of 39 species of flowering plants in the mint family. So common are they that the plant has a colour named after the flower. Lavender is a versatile flower that does far more than grace the flower-beds of gardens in Uplyme and the rest of Europe. It can be eaten (popular these days in posh restaurants), makes great honey and its essential oil has many uses. Studies have also shown the flower can have beneficial effect on sleep quality. The essential oil is anti-bacterial and is an anti-inflammatory. It was used during the first world war to treat wounded soldiers and to disinfect floors in hospitals. Even today in Rosans - *the village where we have our cottage* - many locals still clean their floors with lavender water!

And there's more! According to folk wisdom, lavender has many other uses. Infusions of lavender soothe and heal insect bites and burns. Bunches of lavender repel insects. If applied to the temples, lavender oil soothes headaches. In pillows, lavender seeds and flowers aid sleep and relaxation. Essential oil of lavender heals acne when used diluted 1:10 with water, or witch hazel. So, readers, next time you pass a lavender plant, take a deep sniff and marvel at this wonderful flowers many other talents.

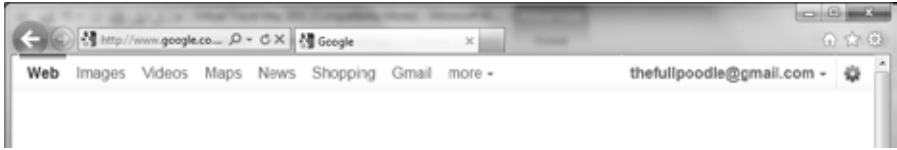


Until next time....

**JP**

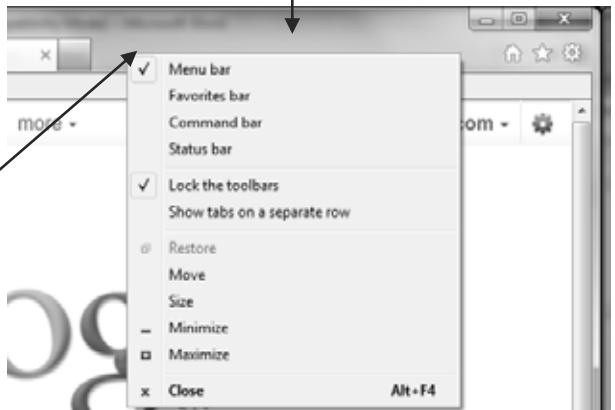
## FREE WILL by The Full Poodle - 443819

But is Will totally innocent? Especially as we are often upgraded against our Will which tends to leave us all a bit tetchy & inclined to fire at Will...



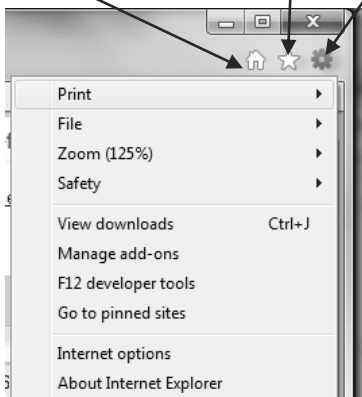
If you are running *Vista* or *Windows 7*, and you use *Internet Explorer* as your web browser, it is likely that you have recently been upgraded to version 9. The Poodle insists that *Internet Explorer 9* is a huge improvement on earlier versions but many people are confused by the new look with no visible menu bar or favourites ... never mind the weird, floaty, transparent top bar which seems detached from the rest of the page.

**To restore the Menu Bar** (File, Edit, View, etc), **RIGHT** click an open space in the 'floaty' bar to get a mini-menu. Select "Menu bar" and you've got it back. From the menu, you can now access printing, favourites & all the other usual suspects.



Alternatively to carry out functions like printing or viewing favourites, use the icons in the top right hand corner just below the Min/Max/Close buttons.

Home page (House)      Favourites (Star)      Tools (click on this to display menu) (Cog wheel)



Printing is under the "Tools" icon as shown opposite - along with other possible actions.

However ... a note to users who are still on XP: you will not be able to upgrade to IE9 but must remain with IE8. So, as the Poodle points out: no free Will for XP.

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# A PLEA FOR SPREE!

The SW Spree 2011 weekend between Friday 15 and Sunday 17 July is fast approaching with plenty of young people and leaders from Uplyme already signed up for what promises to be a weekend of fun guaranteed. All of the usual activities are being rolled out with the additional treat of kayaking. What makes this annual weekend such a resounding success is the non-stop action packed programme, with the exception of the usual Friday night BBQ, although I am reliably informed that marshmallows toast very well on a calor gas cooker! Life under canvas never looked so good.

There is however a problem in respect of the funding - parents are asked to contribute £40 + £15 for transport and an optional £7.50 for kayaking but since the cost of the South West Youth Ministry entrance fee has risen to £33 we are now having to cater on just £3.50 per day per person.

This is quite a challenge as you can imagine and we have to be more creative than ever in the planning of menus and procurement of ingredients. This year we are taking a gas fridge and water heater, the fuel for these have also to be found from the £7 per head food cost. We are therefore seeking gifts towards the cost of these items and would be happy for individuals to sponsor a particular component our exhaustive list. If you are able to help in any way with the budgeting for these essential resources than please contact either Karen Yelland or me directly so that we can deliver the most imaginative and healthy way of feeding the youth and leaders of Uplyme Church at this brilliant event.

*Kim Sankey*

## **TAKING THE PLUNGE.....!**

A baptismal service was being held outside on a Sunday afternoon down by a river in a rural southern state of America. The keen young minister noticed that a very drunken local man was blearily watching proceedings. He called out: "What about you? Are you ready to find Jesus?"

The drunk looked startled, but responded: "Yes sir, I am."

And so the minister decided to baptize him, there and then. He led him into the river, and dunked him under the water, and pulled him to his feet. "Well, have you found Jesus?"

"No, I didn't!" said the drunk.

The minister then dunked him again. "Now brother, have you found Jesus?"

"No, I did not!" protested the drunk.

Disgusted, the young minister held the man under for at least 30 seconds and demanded again: "For goodness sake, why haven't you found Jesus yet?!"

The old drunk wiped his eyes and gasped: "Well, are you sure this is where he fell in?"



## News from 1st Lym Valley Cub Scouts

Hi all we have just taken over the pack from Gillian, Sam & Charlie and we would like to take this opportunity to say thanks for their hard work over the last five years and would like to wish them all the very best for the future.

We have an exciting time ahead planned with all of us bringing in new ideas and activities; they will include walking, grass sledging, camp building, cooking, knots, tracking, games, swimming and many others. We aim to help get the cubs as many badges as they can in their time with us, this term the Cubs will be working towards their emergency aid, local knowledge, swimming and challenge badges.

Brian, Joe, Claire and Scott.. 07738 177977

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### 1st Lym Valley Scout Troop

What's the point of waking up at 6 am for a 12 year old? Well today, the 7th June, was the day when I would visit the palace of Westminster. So we boarded the train off to London Waterloo, the 3 hours journey to London went by pretty quick with all the conversation. Kit Kats and coke was what we needed for a good breakfast! So when we got to Waterloo we were faced with our first challenge of the day; finding out how to get to the Science Museum on the London underground! Luckily we had time and after 5 minutes of debating and a bit of arguing, we decided where to go and we got there. After the Science Museum we headed off to Westminster for lunch. Sitting down on a lawn right outside Westminster where this photo was taken, I tuck into a chicken tikka roll with a Twix what could be better!

So after lunch we made our way off to Westminster; we got through security, we reached Westminster hall. We got a quick tour of the Hall then proceeded into the reception area where we were greeted and met by the MP of Tiverton who let us view the House of Lords and the House Commons in session which was enjoyable. After all this we were led into the Speaker stateroom where we were greeted by food for our afternoon tea. The Speaker of the House of Commons arrived a bit late, but he made a defiant speech, which we enjoyed listening to. Afterwards we headed back to Waterloo where we missed our 6pm train but we got onto the 7pm train that took us back to Axminster where we arrived at 10 o'clock. That was a 16-hour day that tired me but I heavily enjoyed it

-Joshua Yelland  
Scout Of 1st Lym Valley Scouts





## EVENTS AT LYME REGIS MUSEUM IN JULY

### SUNDAY 3 JULY AND WEDNESDAY 6 JULY 3.00pm

#### THE LYME REGIS BIG READ OF THE KING JAMES BIBLE

A celebration of the 400th anniversary of the King James Bible and its contribution to English language and culture. Three local speakers read well-known passages on a theme – of 'beauty' (Sunday) and 'hope' (Wednesday).

### THURSDAY 7 JULY 2.30pm

#### LYME'S MONMOUTH RISING

John Lello talks about the anti-royalist town-folk's support of the Duke of Monmouth in 1685 as he attempted to seize the Crown.

### WEDNESDAY 13 JULY 7.00pm meet at life-boat station

#### THE COBB AND ITS HISTORY

Walk around the Cobb with local boatman Ken Gollop as he discusses its fishermen, fossils and French Lieutenant's Woman.

### THURSDAY 14 JULY 2.30pm

#### HOW OUR GRANDPARENTS LIVED

The health and welfare of Lyme's residents in the first half of the 20th century – talk by Martin Roundell-Greene.

### SUNDAY 17 JULY 2.30pm

#### PLAYING WITH FIRE – JAMES McNEILL WHISTLER IN LYME

A talk by Sandra Lello on this influential American-born artist – a wit, dandy and shameless self-promoter who worked in Lyme in the late 1800s.

### THURSDAY 21 JULY 2.30pm

#### EBB & FLOW - THE STORY OF MARITIME LYME REGIS

Maritime author Peter Lacey discusses the sea's influence on the fortunes of Lyme through the centuries.

### SUNDAY 24 JULY museum open free for FAMILY FOSSIL DAY

Fossil hunters Paddy Howe and Chris Andrew talk and answer questions all day on the big fossils of the Jurassic Coast – the vertebrates: ichthyosaurs, plesiosaurs and fish. See the museum's impressive fossils and take the rare opportunity to see Paddy and Chris's personal collections. Bring your own fossils for identification.

### THURSDAY 28 JULY 2.30pm

#### GEORGE SOMERS AND THE BERMUDA CONNECTION

Barbara Austin talks on Lyme's links with Bermuda and the town's naval hero, George Somers, who discovered the island.

### FOSSIL HUNTING WALKS IN JULY

Find your own 190-million-year-old fossil on the beach with museum geologist Paddy Howe and marine biologist Chris Andrew. Walks last 2½ to 3 hours.

Friday 1 July 10:30

Saturday 2 July 11:15

Sunday 3 July 12:00

Monday 4 July 12:45

Wednesday 13 July 09:00

Thursday 14 July 09:45

Friday 15 July 10:45

Saturday 16 July 11:30

Sunday 17 July 12:00

Monday 18 July 12:45

Tuesday 19 July 13.15

Friday 29 July 09:15

Saturday 30 July 10:15

Sunday 31 July 11:00

### GUIDED ROCKPOOLING IN JULY

Investigate the rock pools of Broad Ledge with museum geologist Paddy Howe and marine biologist Chris Andrew. Sessions last 1½ hours.

Tuesday 5 July 3.00pm

Wednesday 6 July 3.30pm

Booking advisable for walks and rockpooling:

Telephone: 01297 443370  
Email [info@lymeregismuseum.co.uk](mailto:info@lymeregismuseum.co.uk)  
or call in at Lyme Regis Museum,  
Bridge Street, Lyme Regis DT7 3QA



## Uplyme & Lyme Regis Horticultural Society

A busy month lies ahead for the Society with two high profile events during July  
The big one first our popular and ever expanding



# SUMMER SHOW 2011

## Saturday 16th July 2-00pm-5-00pm

This will be held in the Marquee erected on the Uplyme, Village Hall Sports Field. Vast arrays of classes are available, for adults and children, from Flowers to Succulents, Fruit and Veg. to Eggs from Preservers to Baking, and from Handicrafts to Home Made Wine. Not forgetting the Junior section the Photographic competition and a Dog Show. Ten judges will be awarding over twenty Trophies so whether you are a seasoned competitor or a relative newcomer to gardening please enter as many classes as possible and make this year's event a show to remember.  
Plus Sideshows, Craft Stalls, Games, Races, Live Music and Refreshments



Show schedules are now on sale at Uplyme Filling Station and Post Office, Ginger Beer, Broad St. Lyme Regis and Raymond's Hill Post Office.

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**Lights-Camera-Exhibit !** Kero Films will be filming at this year's show for inclusion in a future edition of the Channel 4's "River Cottage" series. To make this possible there will be two additional special competitive show classes open to all.  
Special Class 1 Three Varieties of Vegetables prepared as Crudités to be judged on taste.  
Special Class 2 Tastiest Carrot. Three of one variety, tops on and washed  
Entry forms for these special classes are available at our show schedule sales points.

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Wednesday 27th July 7-30 Uplyme Village Hall "LIFEBOAT WEEK" fund raising evening. In conjunction with the Lyme Regis and Charmouth Lifeboat Guild's Lifeboat Week we are hosting a "Birds of Prey" demonstration by Hawkridge Birds of Prey. Take a close up look at live Hawks and Owls and learn all about these fascinating predators. We are expecting that large number of people will be interested in attending this fund raising event so admission, will be by ticket. Tickets



Adults £3-00 Children (under16's) free are available from Uplyme Post Office, RNLI Gift Shop, Cobb Square and (during Lifeboat Week) RNLI Lottery office, The Shelters, Marine Parade.

*Brian Cursley*

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**DEAR PARENTS, SCOUTS & FRIENDS.** Hi & Welcome to our **21st Newsletter!** We have a fun packed SUMMER in store. Please read our Jam-Packed Fun & Scouty Programme & make sure you pass on a copy to anyone who is interested in outdoor fun & traditional scouting. We post a copy <http://www.uplyme.com/debate/> (under the community topic) & also on our web site too.

**S.O.P'S: (SCOUT OPERATING PROCEDURES)**

**TIMINGS:** Start time: 5:30pm Pick up: 7:30pm. Flag Break , Inspection, evening outline.

**SIGNING IN:** all scouts must sign in & sign out at the end of the meeting, thank you.

**RUCKSACK:** with: water bottle, appropriate jacket (seasonal), a small penknife (blade 3 inches max. & subject to parental agreement),

Scout folder, torch, gloves, hat, waterproof jacket, Scout Staff. "Be Prepared" Points awarded for complete kit.

**UNIFORM WEARING:** On normal meeting evening, Uniform Shirt, Neckerchief & Woggle, Shoulder Flash, Dark Coloured Trousers / Shorts, Clean Shoes. (Bring Scout Tee-Shirt to change into)

We've the lowest Scout Subs: **£1.82 / session (£25.00 / term)**, great value we think. **As always the FIRST Couple of Sessions are FREE as a taster, So come along, you'll enjoy it more than you think! SUBS ARE NOW DUE, PLEASE PAY PROMPTLY THANKS WE'RE GROWING! Want to get involved? We've need for 2 Assistant Scout Masters & 2 Lay-Helpers, Contact Ed Blundell: 01297 444 037 or: 07857-905-464** for full details.

Warmest Regards to you all & See You at SCOUTS !

Ed Blundell, Juliet Hendry, Liz Penrose, Darrell Holmes of BADEN-POWELL LYME-BAY SCOUTS

Please Note: Cheques should be payable to: BADEN-POWELL LYME-BAY SCOUTS, if you have the facility, and prefer to do so, you may pay using Bank Transfer, to: BADEN-POWELL LYME-BAY SCOUTS Account no: 72531630 Sort code: 51-61-23 Bank Address: Natwest Bank Plc, Axminster Branch, Victoria Place, Axminster, Devon, EX13-5AR

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**PROGRAMME OF ACTIVITIES: for 05/05/11 till 21/07/11 SUMMER TERM**

<b>DATE &amp; Location</b>	<b>ACTIVITIES. Parent assistants rota, is yet to be decided, if dates allocated aren't suitable &amp; you need to swap, please liaise with whom you wish to swap with &amp; let us know, thanks!</b>	
<b>05/05/11</b> <small>(sunset:2038)</small> <b>MARGRET'S WOOD</b>	<b>FORAGING SKILLS</b> (wild things to eat & drink ) TENDERFOOT training (Baden Powell/Life) FRIENDSHIP Badge, Scouts who have introduced a friend will be helping them to train & learn about scouting <b>Toward Woodmanship badge &amp; Friendship badge</b>	None, parents can attend if they want
<b>12/05/11</b> <small>(sunset:2049)</small> <b>MARGRET'S WOOD</b>	<b>REBUILDING RAISED PLATFORM</b> (Knots & Whipping) TENDERFOOT training (Scout Law & Motto) <b>MAGNETIC COMPASS &amp; SUNDIAL MAKING, FRIENDSHIP Badge. Toward Woodmanship, Friendship &amp; 2<sup>nd</sup> Class Scout badges</b>	None, parents can attend if they want
<b>19/05/11</b> <small>(sunset:2059)</small> <b>MARGRET'S WOOD</b>	<b>TENDERFOOT Training</b> (Sign, Salute, handshake) FRIENDSHIP Badge, <b>WOODCRAFT SIGNS &amp; TRAIL MARKING, HOW TO ENSURE WATER IS CLEAN TO USE Toward Woodmanship, Friendship &amp; 2<sup>nd</sup> Class Scout badges</b>	None, parents can attend if they want
<b>26/05/11</b> <small>(sunset:2108)</small> <b>MARGRET'S WOOD</b>	<b>TENDERFOOT Training (flag) FRIENDSHIP Badge, CASULTY EVACUATION, STRETCHER BUILDING &amp; RACE Toward Woodmanship, Friendship, 2<sup>nd</sup> Class Scout &amp; 1<sup>st</sup> AID badges</b>	2 adult please we'll road testing scouts
<b>Half term break (no meeting on 02/06/11)</b>		
<b>09/06/11</b> <small>(sunset:2123)</small> <b>MARGRET'S WOOD</b>	<b>TENDERFOOT TESTING, QUESTION &amp; ANSWER SESSION, OLDER SCOUTS TO ALSO PARTICIPATE, WITH PRIZES ETC.</b>	None, parents can attend if they want
<b>16/06/11</b> <small>(sunset:2127)</small> <b>MARGRET'S WOOD</b>	<b>TENDERFOOT INVESTUTURE, MAKING BUTTER &amp; SCOUT JAM &amp; TOASTING ROLLS. PARENTS PLEASE ATTEND IF YOUR SCOUT IS BEING INVESTED.</b>	None, parents can attend if they want
<b>UPLYME VILLAGE FETE, 18 JUNE, TIME TBC, ALL SCOUTS PLEASE ATTEND IN FULL UNIFORM. PARENT ROSTER COMING OUT TOO, PLEASE HELP IF YOU CAN. ALL FUNDS WILL GO TOWARDS OUR SUMMER CAMP</b>		
<b>23/06/11</b> <small>(sunset:2129)</small> <b>MARGRET'S WOOD</b>	<b>STAFF MAKING &amp; MARKING MEASUREMENTS ON STAFF'S. BRING YOUR STAFF IF YOU HAVE IT &amp; IF NOT WE WILL BE PROVIDING YOU WITH ONE. SCOUTS WILL GET THE CHANCE TO "BURN" THEIR NAME ON THEIR STAFF.</b>	None, parents can attend if they want
<b>30/06/11</b> <small>(sunset:2129)</small> <b>MARGRET'S WOOD</b>	<b>USING STAFF'S FOR MEASURING, WOODMANSHIP. Toward 2<sup>nd</sup> CLASS SCOUT BADGE</b>	None, parents can attend if they want
<b>07/07/11</b> <small>(sunset:2126)</small> <b>MARGRET'S WOOD</b>	<b>MAKING BIV'S, BASHAS &amp; ROUGH SHELTERS.</b>	None, parents can attend if they want
<b>14/07/11</b> <small>(sunset:2120)</small> <b>MARGRET'S WOOD</b>	<b>QM DAY, &amp; KIT PREPARATION PRIOR TO SUMMER CAMP.</b>	None, parents can attend if they want
<b>21/07/11</b> <small>(sunset:2112)</small> <b>MARGRET'S WOOD</b>	<b>BADGE AWARDS &amp; AWARDS, CAMP FIRE LIGHTING DEMO, &amp; OTHER SCOUT SKILLS, LOG SAWING, WOOD CHOPPING, &amp; TEA MAKING &amp; FOOD PREPARATION. ALL PARENTS &amp; SCOUT FAMILIES INVITED ALONG TOO.</b>	None, parents can attend if they want
<b>22 to 25 JULY</b>	<b>POTENTIAL SUMMER CAMP Details to be confirmed closer to the time.</b>	Rota to be issued

**SUMMER HOLIDAYS, BACK 1ST WEEK IN SEPTEMBER**

## **Helen Tweedale**

.....is the mastermind behind the Holiday Club at Uplyme Village Hall.

“How did that happen?” I asked and she says that six years ago she was asked to lead a group and then took on more responsibility the year after and has been doing it ever since.

She is married to Keith and they have two children Charlotte and Keir as well as a menagerie of pets – two dogs, two cats, three guinea pigs, three rats, six chickens and tropical fish – she says “No more please!”



Helen and Keith moved to Lyme Regis six years ago from Rochdale as they were concerned about the level of crime and because it is close enough to Keith's work in Exeter. They almost bought a house in Seaton but fell in love with Lyme. Helen is a part time teacher at a school in Chard and is also involved in Junior Church on a Sunday morning and has somehow gained the title of JC Leader, she is not sure how that happened.

Helen is certainly not one for sitting about doing nothing she dislikes unfairness, disorganisation and poor customer service. She is involved with the campaign to save Lyme Regis Library, being taxi driver for her children, she enjoys swimming, reading craft and baking, frequently making her own cupcakes and designing fun birthday cakes. I have recently tasted a piece of sour dough cake called Horace, where you make the dough, split it into four and share three pieces with others – it was delicious. Helen likes to keep in touch with people and has just discovered the joys of Facebook. She loves shopping for bargains, especially when she can find things for other people too.

Helen is full of enthusiasm and has superb organisational skills and she is able to motivate many people of all ages to help run the Holiday Club.

Thank you Helen for bringing fun and frolics to the village hall for so many children to enjoy.

## **Sue Wells**

*Details of Holiday Club can be found on page 4*

## VILLAGE HALL BOOKING DATES FOR JULY & EARLY AUGUST 2011

### JULY 2011

#### Friday 1 July

9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
 12.15pm-1.30pm Friday lunch club  
 1.30pm-4.30pm School  
 5.30pm-12.30am Private hire

#### Saturday 2 July

1.00pm-10.00pm Private hire

#### Sunday 3 July

9.30am-12.00pm Quakers  
 2.00pm-6.00pm Private hire

#### Monday 4 July

9.00am-12.30pm Pre-School  
 1.00pm-4.30pm Royal British Legn  
 5.30pm-7.00pm Brownies  
 7.30pm Short Mat Bowls

Meeting Room  
 2.30pm-4.30pm Royal British Legn  
 7.30pm Horticultural Soc

#### Tuesday 5 July

9.00am-12.30pm Pre-School  
 12.30pm-1.30pm Lunch Club  
 1.30pm-3.30pm Toddlers  
 Meeting Room  
 7.30pm VH Com & AGM

#### Wednesday 6 July

9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
 1.30pm-4.30pm Patchwork Group  
 6.30pm-8.30pm Pre-School EVE

#### Thursday 7 July

9.30am-8.30pm School

#### Friday 8 July

9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
 12.15pm-1.30pm Friday lunch club  
 1.30pm-4.30pm School  
 4.30pm-midnight Private hire

#### Saturday 9 July

6.30pm-11.30pm Mainly Ballroom

#### Sunday 10 July

9.30am-11.30am Quakers  
 4.00pm-9.00pm Private hire

#### Monday 11 July

9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
 5.30pm-7.00pm Brownies  
 7.30pm Short Mat Bowls

#### Tuesday 12 July

9.00am-12.30pm Pre-School  
 12.30pm-1.30pm Lunch Club

1.30pm-3.30pm

#### Wednesday 13 July

9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
 2.00pm-4.30pm WI  
 6.45pm-9.45pm Parish Council

#### Thursday 14 July

9.30am-4.30pm School  
 6.00pm-11.30pm Private hire

#### Friday 15 July

9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
 12.15pm-1.30pm Friday lunch club  
 1.30pm-4.30pm School

#### Saturday 16 July

8.30am-5.00pm SUMMER SHOW  
 6.30pm-midnight Private hire

#### Sunday 17 July

9.30am-11.30pm Quakers

#### Monday 18 July

9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
 7.30pm Short Mat Bowls

#### Tuesday 19 July

9.00am-12.30pm Pre-School  
 12.30pm-1.30pm Lunch Club  
 1.30pm-3.30pm Toddlers

#### Wednesday 20 July

9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School

#### Thursday 21 July

9.30am-4.30pm School

#### Friday 22 July

9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
 12.15pm-1.30pm Friday lunch club  
 1.30pm-4.30pm School

Saturday 23 July

6.30pm-11.30pm Mainly Ballroom

#### Sunday 24 July

9.30am-11.30am Quakers

#### Monday 25 July

9.00am-1.00pm V.I.A. Drum Wk  
 7.30pm Bowls

#### Tuesday 26 July

6.00pm-11.30pm Private hire

#### Wednesday 27 July

9.00am-1.00pm Holiday Club  
 6.30pm-9.00pm Hort. Soc. Talk

#### Thursday 28 July

9.00am-1.00pm Holiday Club

#### Friday 29 July

9.00am-3.00pm Holiday Club

4.00pm-9.00pm  
**Saturday 30 July**

Nil

**Sunday 31 July**

9.30am-11.30am

Private hire

Quakers

## **AUGUST**

**Monday 1 August**

7.30pm

Meeting Room

7.30pm

Short Mat Bowls

Horticultural Soc

**Tuesday 2 August**

No bookings

**Wednesday 3 August**

1.30pm-4.30pm

Patchwork Group

**Thursday 4 & Friday 5 August**

No bookings

**Saturday 6 August**

6.30pm-11.30pm

Mainly Ballroom

**Sunday 7 August**

9.30am-11.30am

Quakers

**NOTE: An extension is being built to the rear of the hall during June, July, August & early September.**

**There should be no disruption for hall users.**

**See notice board at hall for more information**

To book the Village Hall, phone 01297 443819. Booking times are not necessarily start times of events & bookings can change. Check with the individual organisations for event times.

**ADMIRE & PLEASE RESPECT OUR NEWLY REFURBISHED WOODEN FLOOR IN THE HALL**



## **Uplyme Village Fete**

Was a huge success despite the weather. Luckily the rain held off for the procession led by John Pennington in his vintage Bentley, carrying Phil Street, Lyme town crier, and the fete princesses Rose Trafford and Ella Hawkins.

Karizma majorettes performance finished in the pouring rain and everyone was hugely impressed with their new routine and stoicism.

Over £1,500 was taken on the day, netting about £1,100 for the Uplyme Village Hall. 15 local organisations had stalls to raise funds for their own groups.

The organisers would like to thank the following for sponsoring the entertainment and fancy dress:

**Keeley Windows  
Pinhay House  
The Old Black Dog  
Uplyme Stores  
Talbot Arms  
Travis Perkins**

Huge thanks to all the helpers who made the afternoon such a success.

**Paula**

## *Recipe & Poem submitted by Iris Cox*

### **Apricot Syllabub**

4oz (110g) dried apricots soaked overnight in ¼ pint white wine  
2 egg whites  
1oz (25g) light brown sugar  
Juice of ½ lemon  
¼ pint double cream, whipped



Decoration

Flaked almonds

1. Gently stew the soaked apricots in a covered pan for 20 minutes until soft. Add up to an extra ¼ pint of water if necessary.
2. Leave to cool, then liquidise or sieve with some of the cooking liquid to make a smooth puree.
3. Whisk the egg whites till stiff, then whisk in the sugar. Fold in the apricot puree, lemon juice and whipped cream.
4. Pile the mixture into a serving dish and chill for 3-4 hours. Sprinkle with the toasted flaked almonds.

### ***Celtic Rune of Hospitality***



I saw a stranger at yester'een.  
I put food in the eating place,  
drink in the drinking place  
music in the listening place,  
and in the sacred name of  
    The Trinity  
He blessed myself and my house,  
my cattle and my dear ones,  
and the lark said in her song  
"often, often, often  
goes the Christ in the strangers guise."

*Iris Cox*

### **Knit and Natter Club**

Like to knit, sew, needle felt or similar craft then join us on Monday afternoons in Uplyme Parish Church between 2pm - 3.30pm. Bring your own or we have donated wool and patterns for knitting up into jumpers, snoods or hats for an orphanage in Kenya. Don't knit but love to natter then join us anyway for tea coffee and cake!

£1.00 donation appreciated but not essential  
(All donations for third world charities)



## GARDENING TIPS FROM NIGEL BALL



**Help for Heroes Garden and cream tea afternoon raised £1511. Thank you, to all that helped and donated to this event.**

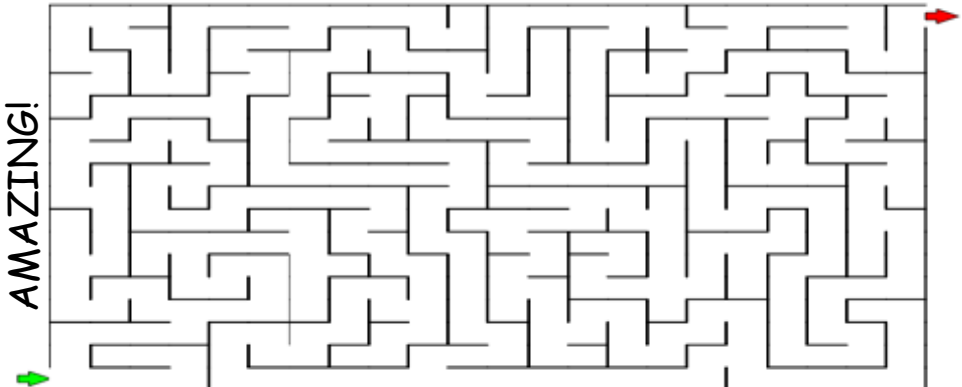
With the dry weather still with us as I write these notes I cannot talk enough about mulch and compost. Compost is so useful to adding to the soil to retain moisture also feeding your plants so get making more for next years use. Another good moisture retainer is farm yard manure, you should aim have a cycle going where you are using rotted manure which is at least a year old. Perhaps you could share a load with a neighbour, before you order make sure that you ask if the manure is pure and not contaminated with spray which is sprayed on some of the corn fields, as this affects the straw which farmers use to bed down there animals. The effects this will have on your plants if you use contaminated manure there will be lack of vigour in your plants and stunted growth so beware! Mulch is great to help reduce watering, there are many mulches you can use for this purpose from wood chippings to manure to carpet and ground cover fabric. What ever you use just remember what your requirements are and budget for it, as this exercise can work out to be expensive if you have a large garden. Well enough about Manure and Mulch lets get on to tips and jobs around the garden.

1. If you have room for more water butts buy now there are bargains to be had.
2. Check on plant supports and tie up plants around the garden.
3. Dead head plants after flowering this helps prolong flowering.
4. Avoid heavy pruning of plants shrubs and trees in summer pencil in what needs pruning in your note book and address this in the autumn.
5. Make sure you keep your garden tools sharp and clean this maintains good clean cuts to your plants and helps prevent infection.
6. Share your produce with others, if you have a glut of produce do a swap enjoy each others garden.
7. Visit gardens in our surrounding area, get ideas and ask the owners for names of plants this will help your plant knowledge.

Happy times in your garden

God Bless

***Nigel Ball***



## Green Light for major investment in Devon Broadband!

I am pleased to be able to confirm that **Devon and Somerset** are to receive a **£30m share of £50m funding**. Our bid was **one of only three** to get the go ahead from the government's **Broadband Delivery UK (BDUK) Unit**.

**Councils** have **pledged an additional £22 million** investment towards the project. Central and local government funds will be augmented by private sector funding, to give a likely **investment of £100million** in our broadband network.

**Broadband** is becoming as **essential** to homes and businesses as electricity and telephone lines. It is now only a **matter of time** before we have access to the connection speeds more commonly associated with towns and cities.

Business leaders have praised the lead given by the local authorities and said investment will deliver a **£750 million boost** to the local economy and could create **50,000 new jobs** in Devon and Somerset. **Superfast broadband** for our rural businesses will give a **level playing field** with urban counterparts.

The **Devon & Somerset plan** is to make sure that **everyone** has access to **basic broadband by 2015**, with at least **85%** of premises having access to **superfast broadband** speeds, and **100% by 2020**.

It is particularly **important that Devon and Somerset secure superfast broadband** as problems experienced by Trinity Ward residents are mirrored in many other areas of the two counties:

- Over **75,000** businesses and households have **no** or **very slow** access.
- **90% of businesses** say poor connectivity threatens their survival and growth.
- **70% of residents** say it unfairly limits access to health services, education resources, job opportunities and prevents home-working.
- We are a **10,000 square kilometre black hole** in the Government's ambition to create the best network in Europe.
- It helps to overcome our **strategic road and rail weaknesses** and distance to markets.
- The **economic growth areas** of our urban centres have poor connectivity.
- **We're being left behind**: businesses are relocating to Cornwall where superfast broadband is being rolled out with EU Convergence Funding.
- It **prevents public services from providing faster, efficient services** via the web.
- The **private sector** alone **will not deliver superfast broadband** to 318,908 businesses and homes 38% of businesses and homes.
- **Individual traders and small businesses** need support to comply with regulations such as completing VAT returns online.

As the newly appointed **EDDC Cabinet member responsible for Rural Broadband**, the major success of a joint bid by Devon and Somerset could not have come at a better time for East Devon. There are **significant areas of Trinity and East Devon** which have **little or no broadband service**. A major improvement in our rural broadband service is fundamental to the economic and environmental future of our area. New EDDC Rural Broadband Champion, Cllr Phil Skinner and the rest of our EDDC team look forward to working with DCC, and local groups, to ensure that the rural areas of East Devon receive **the best possible service - as soon as possible.**"

## East Devon District Council announces new Cabinet.



**NEW** era has started with a **new Leader**, a **new Chairman** and **top team**, and a **fresh outlook** serving East Devon, with a promise of **greater transparency**.

**Paul Diviani** (Yarty) is the new leader, with **Andrew Moulding** (Axminster Town) Deputy Leader.

**new faces on the Council's Cabinet**, with Portfolios aligned closely to the new officer structure. Deputy Leader **Andrew Moulding** picks up **Strategic Development and Partnership**, while **Ray Bloxham** (Raleigh) takes on the newly titled **Corporate Business** portfolio.

**Trinity** is represented on the **EDDC Cabinet**. I have been appointed to lead the **Corporate Services** portfolio. This **mirrors** the responsibilities of the **EDDC Chief Executive**, and **Heads of ICT, Human Resources** and **Legal**. Responsibilities include **Communications & ICT Strategy**, **Electronic Government**, **Democratic Services**, **Legal**, **Councillor Development**, **Human Resources & Rural Broadband**.

Economy Portfolio is led by **Graham Godbeer** (Coly Valley). **David Cox** (Ottery Town) picks up responsibility for Finance. **Iain Chubb** (Newbridges) is Environment Portfolio Holder, with deputy **Chris Wale** (Sidmouth Rural). **Jill Elson** (Exmouth Halsdon) retains similar responsibilities as Sustainable Homes and Communities, **Stephanie Jones** (Seaton) is her deputy.

In his acceptance speech, **Paul Diviani** said: "Some call it **Safe, Clean and Green** – I would add **Seen**".

"**Safe** comes through good design at the planning stage, to working with the Police, Fire and Rescue and all the other services, with particular emphasis on the vulnerable, of whatever age".

"**Clean** is the public realm – paths and pavements on which we travel and which we see every day; the quality of our parks and pleasure grounds; efficient and convenient services, such as waste recycling and collection".

"**Green** Two-thirds of our District is nationally designated as Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty, which makes East Devon such a fabulous place to live, work and play., we also have the internationally designated World Heritage Site – the Jurassic Coast".

"**Seen** is about **perception and reality** and is all about **effective communication**. All too often we read that **EDDC doesn't listen, doesn't care, sits in an ivory tower** – the list goes on. We need to enable **better lines of communication**. The cynical views of the last Government – decide, consult, and do it all anyway – is not my approach".

I am looking forward to serving **both Trinity and East Devon** by bringing the open Communications style we have enjoyed in Trinity to wider East Devon as part of the EDDC Cabinet

**Cllr Ian Thomas – Trinity Ward, East Devon District Council**

*The beautiful coastal parishes of Uplyme, Combyne-Rousdon and Axmouth.*

**Inform - Consult - Participate**

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## Notes from the monthly Council meeting, 8th June 2011

**Audit:** the Clerk was pleased to report that the internal audit was successfully concluded and the papers will soon be on their way to the Audit Commission for external audit – all part of the process to make sure that your precept money is spent wisely and legally.

**Footpaths:** Cllr Whiting reported that the new bridge and diversion by Middle Mill are underway, which should greatly improve this well-used path after the damage that happened last winter.

**Police:** The only reported crime last month was the theft of 2 padlocks.

**Planning:** Applications dealt with by Planning Committee

**Lynwood Lime Kiln Lane** Construction of ground and first floor extensions to include raising of the roof and dormer windows (demolition of existing garage and conservatory). We object to this application.

**Culver Woodhouse Lane** Installation of ground mounted solar photovoltaic system (16 panels). We support this application.

**Apartment 1 Rohaise Court Lyme Road** Replacement window including reduction to opening, replacement front door and combustion ventilation (ground floor works). We support this application, subject to all works being approved by the Listed Buildings Officer.

**Hartgrove Hill Farm Trinity Hill Road** Change of use and alterations to agricultural building to workshop/office and storage. We support this application. Applications dealt with at the meeting by the Council

**Roseacre Red Lane** Construction of replacement garage. The Parish Council supports this application. Any subsequent proposed change of use must be the subject of a new application.

### ***Applications granted by EDDC***

**Lymewood Retirement Home Lyme Road** Installation of platform lift and replacement second floor window.

**Sunnymead Yawl Hill Lane** Extension to form entrance porch.

**Brookfield Wadley Hill** Construction of single storey extension.

Readers can look at [www.uplymeparishcouncil.org](http://www.uplymeparishcouncil.org) for full details of these decisions, which are published in the Minutes section after approval by the Council, and also displayed on the PC noticeboards.

Highway matters: C Cllr Knight has obtained funding for four more salt bins for the parish, and Cllr Forrester will be visiting the eight sites where bins have been requested to see which are most suitable. The lengthsman has visited, and done some rather half-hearted strimming by signs and culverts etc. – This will be followed up.

**Flood relief by the tennis courts:** Cllr Mason reported that Mr Cook from EDDC visited the site and agrees that an overflow pipe and trench to take away excessive storm water would be acceptable, and has checked that the Environment Agency will not object. He is looking into funding sources for the work.

**Localism:** there have been some informal meetings between clerks and councillors of Lyme Regis, Charmouth, and Uplyme, to see how common interests of

these communities can best be served. Although we are administratively in different counties, practically we are closer to our Dorset neighbours than adjoining parishes in Devon, and it is hoped that closer links can be developed to everyone's advantage.

**Parish Plan:** Uplyme's plan was drawn up in 2005, but has not been monitored effectively since, although the design statement has been helpful for planning. The Council will be reviewing it at the July meeting (13th) to see which parts may need updating, so if you want to make suggestions, please bring them to the meeting or let the Clerk have your ideas. Copies of the plan can be obtained from Cllr Whiting.

**Meeting times:** Council meetings will now start at 7:15, and be adjourned immediately after apologies for absence for the first part of the Open Forum, where anyone may ask questions or put points to the Council. This change means that we don't have to sit twiddling our thumbs for 15 minutes if no-one wishes to speak in the forum!

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## A new First Dorset Credit Union Service Point for Lyme Regis

LymeNet at St. Michael's Business Centre in Lyme Regis has set up a new service point for the First Dorset Credit Union (FDCU). The service point is operated by volunteers.

The Credit Union provides an ethical banking service for the community run by the community; members can save money with the Credit Union and also apply for low cost loans from £50. It is a safer and cheaper alternative to high street banking and doorstep lenders in rural Dorset, regulated by the Financial Services Authority.

A variety of accounts are available including a Young Saver account to encourage young people to save and a very popular Christmas account where your savings are totally safe and are sent to you automatically in November. Standing orders can be used to pay into these accounts regularly – so if you can't make a Tuesday morning you can still bank with us.

To become a member currently you would need to either live, work or go to school in Lyme Regis; we are hoping that individuals not fulfilling these conditions, but who live in Uplyme, will soon be able to join also – but this is subject to FDCU board approval.

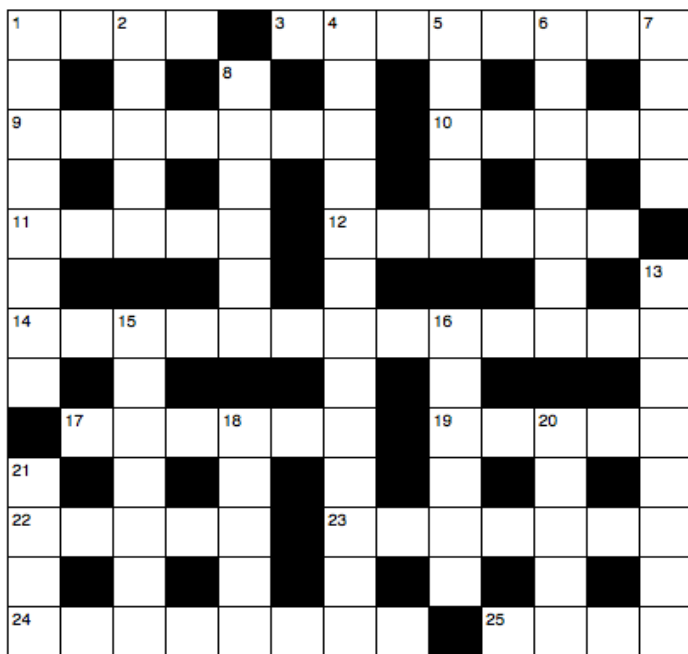
The Service Point will be open between 10 and 12 on a Tuesday morning.

For further information please call in on a Tuesday morning or contact Heather Prior on 01297 445021.

**LymeNet**



## Return of the Crossword!



### ACROSS

- 1 Sent out three times on a reconnaissance mission from Noah's ark (Genesis 8:8–12) (4)
- 3 'The vilest — who truly believes, that moment from Jesus a pardon receives' (8)
- 9 Described by the 19th-century MP Sir Wilfred Lawson as 'the Devil in solution' (7)
- 10 'Whoever — his life for my sake will find it' (Matthew 10:39) (5)
- 11 King of Gezer (Joshua 10:33) (5)
- 12 Gideon's home town (Judges 6:11) (6)
- 14 The area under the jurisdiction of a primate, for example, Canterbury, York (13)
- 17 To him God promised that David would be king (1 Chronicles 11:3) (6)
- 19 A descendant of Aaron who was not allowed to offer food to God (Leviticus 21:20) (5)
- 22 'If any of you — wisdom, he should ask God' (James 1:5) (5)
- 23 I gain me (anag.) (7)
- 24 Relating to the armed forces (1 Chronicles 5:18) (8)
- 25 Title given to 2 Down (abbrev.) (4)

### DOWN

- 1 Greek coins (Acts 19:19) (8)
- 2 Church of England incumbent (5)
- 4 What Epaphroditus was to Paul (Philippians 2:25) (6-7)
- 5 Mother of David's sixth son (2 Samuel 3:5) (5)
- 6 'We are hard pressed on every side, but not crushed; perplexed, but not in — ' (2 Corinthians 4:8) (7)
- 7 It destroys treasures on earth (Matthew 6:19) (4)
- 8 It threatened Paul in Jerusalem (Acts 21:35) (3,3)
- 13 Well-known Reference Bible that espoused dispensationalism (8)
- 15 Where the choir sits in a parish church (7)
- 16 Real do (anag.) (6)
- 18 'Martha, Martha... you are worried and — about many things' (Luke 10:41) (5)
- 20 'One man considers one day more sacred than another; another man considers every day — ' (Romans 14:5) (5)
- 21 A place with twelve springs and 70 palm trees where the Israelites camped (Exodus 15:27) (4)

## BETHANY CHAPEL

The monthly "tea meeting" at Bethany Chapel, Coombe St, Lyme Regis at 4pm on Sunday 31/7/10 will be conducted by United Beach Mission's Beach Team. They will have lots of family fun activities on the beach at Lyme over the 4 weeks 24/7/11 - 19/8/11.

## MAINLY BALLROOM

Sequence and Latin  
Come and join us at Uplyme Village Hall  
**8pm till 11pm**

Dances July 9th and 23rd.  
*Refreshments provided.*  
*Tel 442439 for enquiries*



## Villages In Action

### *Drumming Workshop with Denis Kigongo.*

Monday 25th July, 9.30 to 12 noon  
at Uplyme Village Hall

Limited numbers, £2 per ticket.  
Ages 11 upwards. Refreshments included.  
Contact 01297 445050  
for more information and tickets.



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**Contact Samantha Pennington on 444432 if you are interested.**

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	Martin Wells	444289
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Catering!	Carole Fowkes	35884
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