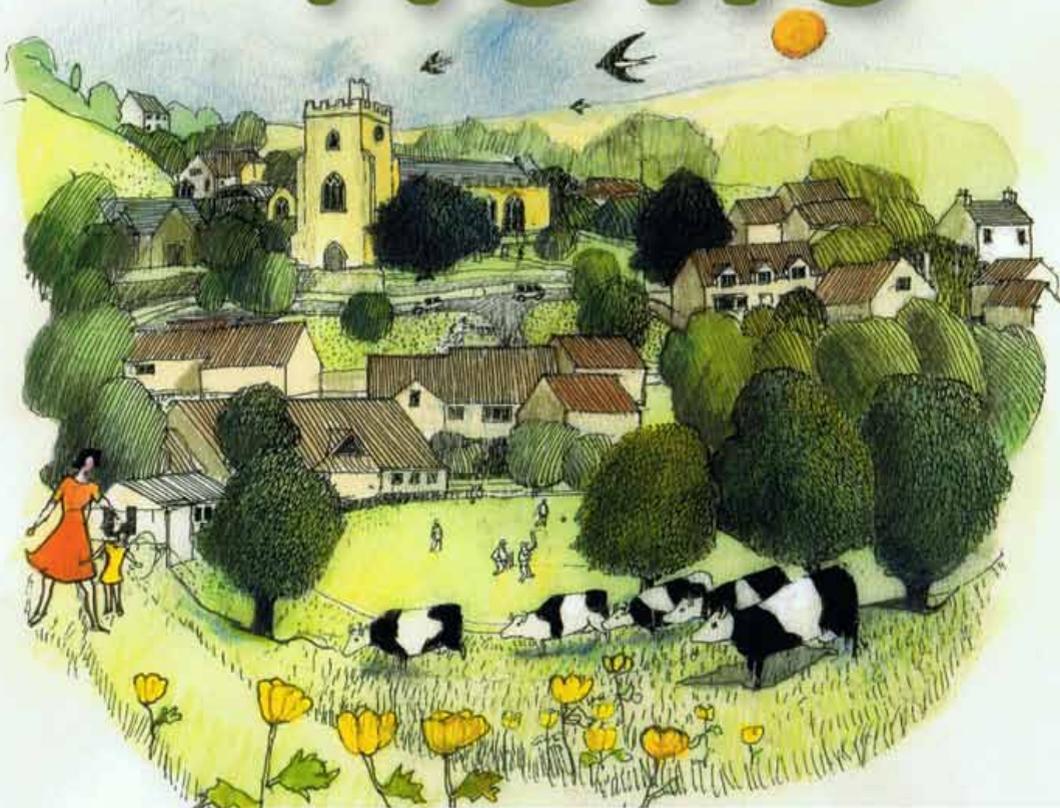


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# Parish News



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# Worship in August, September and the beginning of October

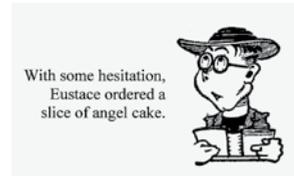
## August

7th	10am 6pm	Morning Worship Evening Prayer
14th	10am 6pm	Morning Worship Holy Communion
21st	10am 6pm	Family Communion Evening Prayer
28th	10am 6pm	Morning Worship Holy Communion



## September

4th	10am 6pm	Family Communion Evening Prayer
11th	10am 6pm	Morning Worship (children's groups 9.50am) Holy Communion
18th HARVEST	10am 6pm	Family Communion Evening Prayer
25TH	10am 6pm	Morning Worship (children's groups 9.50am) Holy Communion



## October

2nd	10am 6pm	Family Communion Evening Prayer
9th	10am 6pm	Morning Worship (children's groups 9.50am) Holy Communion

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

## FROM THE REGISTERS

### Baptisms/Thanksgivings:

nil

### Marriages/Blessings:

25th June Kinsey Turner and Christopher Keeffe  
15th July Amanda Jones and Stuart Wooster

### 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  
7th July Mary Powell



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## More Tea Vicar

Dear Friends

There's this lovely bit in Paul's letter to the Christian community in Corinth (an ancient city in Greece), where he says, "I am a fool for Christ." I have to confess that I looked a bit like a fool to the world when I published on the church blog (website) that I wanted to see a Harvest of Underpants in the church building. I used a bit of hyperbole when I said, "I don't want to see a single windfall apple or marrow in church" to provoke our congregation into thinking about their offerings this harvest festival. The writer in the mid-week herald faithfully reproduced my blog article but also added that I was banning fruit and vegetables – something I had and have no intention of doing! The national press took this story up, and then various national radio stations based their stories on the national press. Each time the story was retold, it morphed a little until the Reverend Gavin Tyte was banning oranges and cabbages in favour of underpants! Of course, to those who thought I was banning harvest festival, this was the last straw, and murmuring could be heard across our lovely village.

However, quite an extra-ordinary thing started to happen. A local vicar said that he thought this was a great idea and wished he had thought of it, then I started receiving emails from all over the world from people, nearly all non-church folk, who wished to support the project. People contacted me from all over the UK and I even had responses from Italy and Florida. In the post, a bag of new packets of socks appeared from a mysterious person called Dave in Billericay. A Harvest of Underpants had caught the attention of the masses.

Our Harvest Festival takes place on 18th September. We will, of course, be decorating the church building, as the church has been doing since the late 1800s (after Robert Hawker introduced the festival to worship in 1843). However, we must remember that the tradition dates back to biblical times in ancient Israel, where the Israelites presented their firstfruits to the temple to be set aside for the poor. To this end, any fresh produce will be auctioned and the money given to St. Petrock's along with our practical offering. So, if you would like to contribute to our Harvest Festival, please donate:

- New men's underwear (pants and socks)
- Jeans (they don't need to be new, smaller sizes preferable)
- Men's belts
- Dry dog food
- Men's toiletries (toothpaste, toothbrushes, shampoo and disposable razors)
- Kitchen consumables (eco washing powder, washing up liquid, J-cloths, sponges and scourers)

I am not ashamed of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, a 'good news' that puts the needs of the poor at the very forefront of our minds. I am not ashamed to be a fool for Jesus. If it raises the profile of St. Petrock's (Exeter's charity to the homeless) then so be it – even if I get slightly misquoted or maligned. I am thoroughly proud to be part of the community of Uplyme Church – perhaps the most generous and giving community to which I have ever belonged.

May God bless you this summer and harvest time.

**Gavin Tyte**

# From the Editor

Welcome to the late summer edition of the magazine.

Inside the magazine are Jack Thomas's final jottings for the Parish News. He has finally decided to hang up his quill after 23 years of contributions! Quite a feat, and one much admired by us in Uplyme. Jack spent a period of time editing the magazine when Stuart Worth retired and before I took over. He and Bill Halden were known as "Maxwell & Murdoch of Uplyme" respectively and Uplyme's monthly tome was the envy of Fleet Street! I'm sure you would all like to join me in thanking Jack for his many years of contributions - The Parish News has been a better magazine for them. Oh, by the way, if you ever need to ring me, my numbers on the back of the magazine. Just leave a message and I'm sure "The News of the World" will get back to you shortly! Jack's final article "Howlers" can be found on page 18.

I've heard that Sam Nunn's treatment has been going well, and we are all grateful for that news, and the village is still hard at raising funds for him & his family. A number of groups have reported this issue on their fundraising efforts. It's never too late to contribute, just drop something into the Pub, every little helps, and Wendy's article on page 4 Gives you the update on the pub's fundraising progress. Watch out for further fund raising events later in the year.

I hope you all have a good Summer, and look forward to catching up in October.

Time now for me to put my feet up and find out how that young Harry Potter is getting on at School!



**Ed**

## Parish News Deadlines

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

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

Robin Hodges



## News From The Pub.

Another successful Beer Festival.

Before an event like this can take place Steve spends weeks and weeks of preparation organising all that needs to be in place, including choosing all the beers and ciders for us to enjoy. This year we had six different ciders and over thirty five different real ales.

The feedback we have already had has been great and it seems everyone who came had a brilliant time. Of course events like this would be impossible to put on with out the reliability of exceptional staff, Steve and I would like to thank each and every one of our 'exceptional staff' for every hard working hour they put in over the weekend.

Sunday was about raising money for Sam's Tree. We would like to thank Rose and Tracey for all their hard work organising the afternoon stalls and entertainment, and all their helpers who made the afternoon such a success. Thanks to Phil for organising the skittles and Donna for doing the raffle both, Saturday and Sunday. Thanks also to everyone who made scones and cakes for the Cream Teas. The evening entertainment was brilliant. Papa La Gal, Synoza and the Uplyme Morris Men very kindly donated freely their time and efforts for our enjoyment, and my, my how we all enjoyed! Thank you all so much.

In total a fantastic £812.54 was raised!

In the June edition Steve and I asked for your support to raise £10,000 in order to colour in the branches on Sam's Tree.

I am so incredibly amazed and pleased to tell you that:

## 'YOU'VE DONE IT'

Sam's Tree looks truly wonderful each and every branch has been coloured in from a kind, caring and generous heart. It was especially moving to have The Uplyme Guides, Children from Mrs Ethelstons School and the whole of The Uplyme Pre School (*see pictures opposite*) come into the Pub and colour in their branches. In our Village we truly are blessed to live amongst the most caring and supportive friends and neighbours and I know Sam and his family are grateful to you all. Sam has started his treatment in Germany and I will update you in the next edition of his progress.

Well that's it for this month, just one last Thank You to all our immediate neighbours for bearing the noise of the Beer Festival!

Best Wishes and Kind Regards

Wendy



Uplyme Pre-school visit The Talbot Arms to hear about Sam's Tree and to colour in their branch.

## **1st Lym Valley Scout Troop**

1st Lym valley scout group.

We have a thriving group of Beavers,Cubs and Scouts who meet at our scout hut in Rhode lane.

Over the years the hut has been completely renovated and is now used by many other groups and as a venue for children's parties.

We have one last large job to complete,re-roofing with a fully insulated tiled roof.We hope very much to be able to raise enough funds to complete this job before the winter. Please support our Jumble Sale in October, "Every little helps"!

Any information about our on going projects, joining the group, or hiring the scout hut, please call 01297 678 351.

Paula

## **Glebelands children are being put in danger by dogs fouling their communal land**

This grass cut land on either side of the foot path going down into Glebelands (adjacent to the old village shop – see photo below) is private land owned by us Glebelands residents.

Children who live in our close regularly play on this land. Please don't exercise dogs here to avoid a health risk to our children.

Thank you very much.



## Uplyme & Lyme Regis Cricket Club (U&LRCC) - 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

We are delighted to report that in the last few weeks the Club, in partnership with The Woodroffe School has received three generous grants to be used to support the Youth Section. One for over £3000 from the Dorset Youth Opportunities Trust will be used to purchase a double practice net and artificial pitches to be used specifically for coaching, and the other two grants from Lyme Regis Town Council and Lyme Regis Club for Young People to be used for Youth equipment specially designed for youngsters. This will enable us to expand the, currently stretched, facilities and increase the number of youngsters we can accommodate for the 2012 season.

### September 4 Candles on the Cricket Ground - Sam Nunn Appeal

The Cricket Club, in partnership with Candles on the Cobb, are organising a special King George Candles event to be held at the King George V Playing Fields in Uplyme. The event will be a 40 over cricket game starting at 13.00 followed, at 20.00, by the lighting of over 2000 candles around the cricket ground. People are encouraged to buy a candle "to remember somebody". The Candle on the Cobb Committee has agreed that the candles will be "sold" on behalf of the Sam Nunn appeal. We aim to raise several thousand pounds.

The event is generously sponsored by: By the Bay, Lyme Bay Holidays, Pinhay Residential Home for the Elderly, River Cottage, Town Mill Cheesemonger and Uplyme Village Stores. In addition to the game of cricket, there will be stalls and entertainment around the ground with refreshments, barbeque and the cricket pavilion bar. If any local organisations would like to provide a stall or amusements to support this event please let Paul know.

Candle Certificates can be bought for £2 each from the Cricket Pavilion or from:

Along Came Polly	Rock Point Inn
Lamb Inn, Axminster	Talbot Arms
Nags Head	Travis Perkins
Old Black Dog	Town Mill Cheesemonger
Paul's Barber Shop	Uplyme Village Stores

Please do buy a candle and try to attend this very special event.

### 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner 10 September - Lyme Regis Golf Club

As a finale to the "Cricket Year", the Club will be holding its 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary dinner and Presentation night on Saturday 10 September at 7.30. The guest speaker will be former England Bowler Peter Lever. There will also be comedians and live music from Something French. Tickets are £25 each. The Cricket Club intend to make it a wonderful evening and hope as many people as possible will be able to join us.

### 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Magazine



Long time member, Vice President and very generous sponsor, Philip Evans, has published a 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Magazine which is devoted to the history of the club. It also gives some insight into the humour which has sustained us through the good (and bad!) years. The magazine includes many pictures of past and recent events plus articles and reminiscences from many individuals who have been associated with the club. It costs £2 and can be purchased from the pavilion or the players.

### Souvenir Print of the Cricket Ground and Church

We are pleased to report that the print sales have been very successful and have generated some well needed funds to support our youth cricket activities. If you would like to buy a print they are available to purchase from the Uplyme Village Stores or directly from the club, in which case contact Paul.

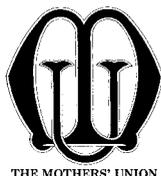
## A Time to Remember

This special memorial time of worship for the bereaved will be held 4 - 5pm on **Sunday 6th November** in Uplyme church building. More details in the next issue.

Fixtures for the rest of the season are:

Date / Team		Opponents		Sponsors
<b>August</b> (Games start at 14.00 except those marked with an * which start at 13.30)				
6	1 <sup>st</sup> XI	Upottery	H	Town Mill Cheesemonger
6	2 <sup>nd</sup> XI	Tiverton & Bickleigh	A	Pattimore Butchers
7	Club XI	Berkhamstead	H	Royal Standard
13	1 <sup>st</sup> XI	Babbacombe*	A	Philip Evans Media
13	2 <sup>nd</sup> XI	Exmouth III*	H	Alexandra Hotel
16	Club XI	Crewkerne (18.15)	H	
20	1 <sup>st</sup> XI	Tiverton & Bickleigh*	A	David Gear
20	2 <sup>nd</sup> XI	Countess Wear*	H	Volunteer Inn
27	1 <sup>st</sup> XI	Kentisbeare*	H	Mighty Hop Brewery
27	2 <sup>nd</sup> XI	Kentisbeare *	A	Fortnam, Smith and Banwell
<b>September</b>				
3	1 <sup>st</sup> XI	Kilmington*	A	Graham Turner Property Maintenance & Management
3	2 <sup>nd</sup> XI	Whimple*	H	Town Mill Brewery
4	Club XI	Candles on the Cricket Ground (13.00)	H	The Mariners Hotel & Rock Point Inn
18	Club XI	Salamagundi Gardeners*	H	Michael Hankey

For more details about the King George Candles or any other aspect of club, contact the Club Chairman, Paul Messer 01297 444181 or at [paulandjune@uplyme.com](mailto:paulandjune@uplyme.com), or the Club Secretary and Youth Section organiser Eddie Clarke on 01297 443050.



THE MOTHERS' UNION

### UPLYME MOTHERS UNION

We concluded our programme of meetings with our garden party at Fern and Alan's home and planned our programme for the Autumn. The weather was kind, the food delicious and the company good! Our programme will be published in the Autumn.

*Audrey Coussens*

### DON'T MAKE IT EASY FOR CAR CRIMINALS

Disconnect and remove your satellite navigation system every time you leave your car and take it with you together with the support cradle and suction pads. Wipe away those tell tale suction pad marks on your windscreen. Leave the glove box open so potential thieves can see breaking into your vehicle will not be profitable!

Lock your doors and close your windows and sun roof whenever you leave your vehicle.

Security of your vehicle should not end at your car door. Look after your vehicle keys.



Thanks

**Amanda**  
PCSO 30200 Amanda Jones  
Axminster Police Station

**Villages in Action are delighted to announce their next show.**

**Harpist Claire Jones, who performed at the Royal Wedding this year.**

**Friday 18th November at 7.30pm,  
Uplyme Village Hall.**



Claire is a graduate of the Royal College of Music and was appointed as the Royal Harpist in June 2007. She has performed for His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales and for members of the Royal Family on a number of prestigious occasions, the most notable, at the Royal Wedding earlier this year. Claire has also performed on a number of television and radio programmes including appearance on GMTV, BBC, HTV, S4C, Classic FM, Radio Cymru and Radio Wales.

More information in next month's magazine.

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## Brownies

This term we had a "Pirate BBQ" night, visited the chained library at Wimbourne Minster and the model town where the girls finished their 'out and about' badge by completing a series of compass challenges. The model town proved to be ideal for this as coordinates could easily be calculated as the whole town was on view. As an introduction to mapping and using the compass all the girls did really well.

We raised over £96-00 on our stall at the village fete, and matched that amount from funds making a total of £200-00 to support 'The Tree of Life' fund for Sam Nunn. The girls coloured in two branches at the pub, determined theirs' should be the most artistic, without forgetting the serious reason behind their efforts.

Our last Brownies was at Pinhay House where we sang a selection of guiding songs for the residents. We also enrolled, Lauren Taylor, Abigail Greenslade and Imogen White and said a final farewell to Charlotte Tweedale, Juliette Hughes, Ella Hawkins, Kerry Ann May and Gemma Bowditch. We hope you all enjoy whatever you go on to do and remember your time at Brownies with fondness.

Next term will be my last as Guider in Charge. After 14 years in guiding, it's time to move on and let some new blood in! I'll still be around for help and advise but Donna and Clare will need more parental help on a weekly bases. Please support them as they take on this challenge.

Brownies will be back as usual in September, initially with a smaller number until Donna and Clare feel comfortable to run a full pack.

Regards **Chris Edwards**

## Music News June

As I write Charis (pronounced with a hard C as in charisma by the way) has just sung its last service before our summer break. Amongst other things we sang my own setting of 'Take my life', which was appropriate for a meeting theme of generosity. As a choir we have enjoyed our voyage over the past few months as we have developed in skill and confidence. We are looking forward to our next outing at Harvest in September when we will get the chance to sing Stopford's 'For the beauty' again. The Gospel choir is still hard at work; we are cramming in as much of our material as possible into our gathering on the 17th as we work towards our first 'gig' on the first Saturday of Lifeboat week. These dates will have past by the time you read this, so I hope that you did manage to catch us at one or both of these occasions. When I took this job on almost a year ago, I didn't realize how much fun these choirs and their associated rehearsals would be. For most of us, the weekly or bi-weekly rehearsal is a highlight of the week. And where would we be without our regular shot of Maria's cake or Strawberries etc.

In my page last month I invited any singers, would-be singers and musicians out there to come and join us and I'm repeating that invitation now. September is really the new year for us as we begin to look forward to the major festivals of harvest, then the advent season and finally of course Christmas itself. If you want to join us, regardless as to whether you are a regular Uplyme attender or not, get in touch with me at [hague161@btinternet.com](mailto:hague161@btinternet.com) or phone 01297 552436

*Andy Hague*

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### **Uplyme Village Fete 2012**

Thanks again to everyone who helped make this years fete so successful, it really was a great day, despite the changeable weather!

After 10 enjoyable years of being involved in the organising of the fete we have decided that the time has come for perhaps a younger and more energetic group of people to take the fete forward into 2012 and beyond.

All help and advice freely given to a new group. If you feel that you could help organise and run this wonderful Village Event, are able to give your time and expertise please call us on 01297 678 351.

*John and Paula Wyon-Brown*

## Stewardship

Hello everyone,

A number of months have gone by since my last update. A big thank to all who helped the Church with regards to their own stewardship, the community of Uplyme and the surrounding area who benefit from all our giving are truly grateful.

I felt it was only right that I provide an update on our financial situation. You'll recall that I reported that we ran deficits in both 2009 and 2010 (our expenditure exceeded our income), unfortunately we'll have a deficit in 2011 also, it is expected to be in the region £15,000 to £20,000. We have already taken measures to reduce this for 2012, our aim is to run a balanced budget (income = expenditure) for our day to day expenditure in 2012. We are to reduce our Youth Ministry work, we have also managed to secure some funding to support part of the Youth Ministry work we do. While this helps our deficit reduction plan, it is not enough to balance the books and therefore we are examining what other areas we can reduce our spending. We hope to do this without affecting the way the Church blesses and serves the community of Uplyme and surrounding areas. If you can offer time to help with certain things then that is a way we could possibly reduce our expenditure, please do speak with one of the Church Wardens, Gavin our Vicar or of course myself.

As previously advised, regular planned giving by people does help our planning, it helps us to predict our income and thus we can commit to expenditure, if you have been thinking of a regular monthly payment to Church then please do not hesitate to ask Neil Pullinger our Treasurer or me about this. If you want to adjust your current giving then again do not hesitate to ask us about it. The Church office on 01297 444499 can also help with these matters. For some people a one-off donation can be better, we are truly grateful for any donation, small or larger, cheques should be made payable to Uplyme PCC. The blue and pink envelop schemes are also vital to us, as is the weekly collection. We'd prefer planned giving and with 'gift aid' to boost the amount received, but if a weekly giving it best for you via the collection then we are truly grateful.

We'll continue to spread the knowledge of Jesus Christ to our Community here in Uplyme and the surrounding areas and we thank you all for your support in that effort. We know that if people come to know that Jesus Christ is there for them, and they form a relationship with him, then their lives will be better. Church things have changed in recent times, and things will continue to change, that is the way of the world, we each change as we grow older! However, many Church things remain the same. We are trying to offer a very varied programme of events for all within our community; we are trying to cater for as many as we can. Please do come and join us, we'd like to share the God's love with you.

If I, other members of the Church council, or the Church Treasurer can help in any way, please do not hesitate to contact us. I will be providing more updates on our income and expenditure in due course.

Thank you and may God Bless you,  
*Mark Trafford, PCC Stewardship Advisor*

## Val Hatcher - Helper - Singer - Knitter - Natterer!

We found Uplyme Church through our children who met Irve, the Uplyme Church Youth Minister, at Woodroffe. He invited them along to a youth service and we tagged along too.

We left knowing about thirty people more than we did when we arrived - you are a right royal friendly bunch! We have always been a Christian household but we had a seven day a week business and I'd been ill - we hadn't fully committed to a church family for many years but we instantly knew that this was the place it was going to happen. A few weeks later Irve turned up at our coffee shop for a drink and I asked him if I could help, he suggested X-plosion and I soon learned not to hit a rounder's ball too hard so you don't have

to run around all the bases at once! I'm fifty five and I think the only time I did that, Irve thought he'd have to put his first aid training into practice!

Over time it came to me that I could support Irve and his mission for youth by helping with some of the inevitable paperwork and I also started doing a bit of art and craft with the young people. When we sold our shop at the end of last year, the church offered us a great deal of support, it was hard, but we have gained much more than we lost.

I have a passion for Gospel music and when Pete Linnett and Andy Hague set up the choir in the church, my daughter Ellie and I were first in the queue. I can't read music but they are very patient with me and we come home from rehearsals so fired up it's hard to get to sleep! I've joined Mellow Birds, been on the Alpha Course, we are on the prayer list, the coffee rota and I'm now doing the Sean Course.

A couple of years ago I started up a Knit and Natter Club at the back of St. Andrews Church in Charmouth on a Thursday afternoon to swap skills, chat and knit for an orphanage and school out in Kenya. I keep them amply supplied with tea, coffee and cake which they donate a £1 if they are able and the money goes out to Kenya with a mother and daughter who live in Charmouth. They visit the country three or four times a year and bring back lots of photos. I taught them how to knit and there is now a Knit and Natter for widows in Kenya, the women knit squares and sell the blankets at market, earning enough to keep their children in school. We also have some older members who are no longer able to knit themselves but join us for a cuppa and offer advice and has become a real community event.

I have started another Knit and Natter Club at Uplyme Church on a Monday afternoon from 2-3.30pm do drop in and see what we do.

Life is full and I'm loving it. Thank you God and all his people who have made it so!

Thank you Val and all the Hatcher Family for bringing your skills, your smiles and your spirit to come amongst us with such energy and joy spreading happiness and being prepared to get stuck in.



## OUT AND ABOUT WITH JOHN PENNINGTON

Whilst the subject of sports is everywhere in the press at the moment due to the Silverstone Grand Prix, Wimbledon, Le Tour De France, football transfers and of course the saga of Olympic tickets (of which I got none, despite requesting several events), it is easy to forget that closer to home there's plenty going on - Uplyme is a sporting hotspot! Walk through Uplyme on the average weekend and you are likely to see tennis being played, or perhaps cricket, football or croquet at the village playing field. And in addition to this there's plenty of runners, cyclists and power walkers to be spotted. Also, the more sedate pub sports of darts and skittles (and more energetic pursuit of Morris dancing - is that a sport I wonder?). And not forgetting the marshall arts, dance, yoga, aerobics and pilates courses that run in and around the village and scout hut.



I wonder whether Uplyme has produced any National or even International sports stars in the past? A quick look at my copy of the 'Book of Uplyme' and a search on the internet produced no results, but I'm sure if there have been any (or are any) I'll be told once the Parish News is circulated.

Now if driving cars round circuits and swimming in formation are classed as sports, I don't see why driving planes in formation across the skies of Lyme Regis and Uplyme should not be one. The Red Arrows will have (weather permitting) done their Lifeboat week display by the time you read this. I've loved to watch them since I came to Lyme Regis as a Grockle in the 1970's and over the years do not get bored of their fantastic display of high speed aerobatic skill. Given they mostly perform over Lyme Bay, the best view is in Lyme Regis, but walk to the top of any of Uplymes peaks and you get a pretty good view. Readers of out and about will remember that recently I talked about vapour trails from aircraft. The Red Arrows produce a patriotic triage of red, white and blue during their display and although I'm not sure its particularly environmentally friendly, I am more than prepared to put up with it.

Have a lovely summer and I hope the weather stays fine.

Until next time....

*JP*

## CHOICES by The Full Poodle - 443819

The Full Poodle is often asked for advice on replacing the ageing slow old thing under the desk. No, not grandpa, the family computer.

It used to be simple - a desktop. Then laptops arrived but were very costly - now there are notebooks, laptops, desktops - the list goes on & on ...

So which is best? Do you want a large screen? Portability or stay at home?

Cutting edge technology or something basic ...

	Netbook	Laptop	Desktop
Screen size	10"	15"-17"	19" - 22"
Portability	☆☆☆☆☆	☆☆☆	
Costs from:	Under £300	£400	£500 (inc.monitor)

Netbooks are small and handy with a long battery life, ideal for portability. While the simple processor will do all most of us ask, the small screen is a pain to use for any time with constant scrolling needed even on the most simple of websites, but the one-fingered typists among us find the small keyboard less of a handicap than we'd expect.



Laptops vary enormously, but the 15" size is the norm. With built-in wireless networking they are reasonably portable and nowadays have a normal size keyboard due to the widescreen format. Apart from the system memory and the hard drive, they are very difficult to upgrade.

Desktops typically squat under the desk, with a separate monitor, keyboard and mouse. They are easy to upgrade & you can choose monitor size - plus, drink spilt on the keyboard will only wreck a £20 keyboard. Drink spilt on a laptop will finish the laptop which is how about 30% of them die. However, they will use more power than a laptop.

So the choice looks relatively straightforward, it depends on the level of portability we need. Well nearly. Take your £400 laptop, spend another £150 on a USB keyboard and mouse, and a full HD 22" monitor and for not much more than the price of a desktop you have the advantages of both. A big screen with a separate keyboard & mouse, which you just unplug for full portability. Not easy to upgrade, but when did you last upgrade a desktop anyway? Just check that the laptop will run a full HD external monitor.



Increasingly, laptops come with an HDMI port as standard, ready to plug into your flatscreen TV. Aah, the family slideshow is back, but is that an Aah or an Aaargh?

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## Uplyme & Lyme Regis Horticultural Society



Our coach trip on 6th July was a great success with 45 members enjoying a day at the "Lost Gardens of Heligan" in Cornwall. Setting out at 8-45am from Uplyme, we arrived at the gardens at 11.00am and were greeted by a garden guide who took us on an interesting and informative tour of the large site. A quick lunch time snack at the Stewards House Cafe' left enough time to explore the "Jungle Garden" and purchase gifts and plants from the Heligan nursery and shop. Leaving at 4-00pm and arriving back in Uplyme at 7pm, having spent an enjoyable day, we now look forward to next year's outing.

### **AUTUMN SHOW and BRING & BUY PLANT SALE**

Already we are planning our competitive Autumn Show and Bring & Buy Plant Sale which takes place at **Uplyme Village Hall, Saturday September 10th 2-00 till 4pm**. Schedules are now available at local shops, including Uplyme Post Office, Ginger Beer, Broad Street, Lyme and Raymond's Hill Post Office. Donations of produce, cakes, jams, fruit and vegetable plants to sell to help raise funds will be gratefully received at the hall from 9am on the morning of the sale.

Diary Dates :-

**24th August 7-30pm** Uplyme Village Hall Roger Stuckey gives a talk "A Miscellany of Bulbs" featuring bulbs throughout the year.

**6th September Evening** visit to "Peppers by Post" West Bexington. Departing in shared cars at 5-15pm from Uplyme Village Hall. Members £3 Non Members £5 including refreshments. Please phone 07831-533580 to book your place.

**28nd September 7-30** Uplyme Village Hall. Talk "Wild Life in the Garden Friend or Foe" by David Manners.

*Brian Cursley*



## **Uplyme Ladies Group**



On behalf of all of us at Uplyme Ladies Group, can I say a very big Thank You to everyone who supported and helped us in any way at our two Charity stalls, which we held at The Village Fete and again now at The Horticultural Show. We were given some lovely articles to sell, as well as generous donations, and of course we had some very nice people who bought from us. Despite the wet,

windy weather on both occasions we took a wonderful £534.00, which we are sharing between, our 18 year old village boy, Sam Nunn's Fund, to help with his Cancer treatment, and The Devon Air Ambulance.

Uplyme Ladies Group are a small friendly group, who meet the 3rd Monday evening of the month, usually in The Village Hall. We have some very interesting talks, slide shows, visit gardens and go for walks. We would love to have some more members, so please phone Paula on 01297 678351 for more details.

Thank you all once again for all your support and help at our Charity stalls.

## **Sheila Booth.**



## **Uplyme WI**

The Vice-President Lilian Bagnall welcomed members to the July meeting. Jerusalem was sung and three 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.

The Devon News could be read by members who were asked to take note of events in the area. The National Raffle was pointed out as very good prizes were on offer. Details for the outing to Pecorama were finalised. Numbers were taken for members interested in going to the Autumn Council meeting in Barnstaple.

The flower of the month was won by Enid Gorman. Mrs Bagnall said that all who had contributed to the entry in the Axevale show were to be congratulated on coming third with their presentation of Scotland.

The speaker, Tamsin Loudon was introduced. She gave a very interesting talk on "The House of Colour", she spoke on skin colour and how it affected the colours we could wear and also how best to enhance figures. She had a colour wheel which showed hot and cold colours. She was thanked by Linda Curson.

The next meeting will be on September 14th at the Village Hall when Ken Cherfett will explain all about "Chicks". The competition will be A Decorated Egg.

Visitors and new members are always welcome. Contact us on 01297442399

**Lilian Bagnall**



The children at the Pre-school have been carefully watching the progress of the extension. We have finally made a start on the new storeroom and children's toilets and it is now progressing very quickly. The builders have been very patient and have taken time to explain to the children what they

are doing and why. We are hoping to use the new area in the autumn term and we will hold an open morning to officially celebrate this.



The children have had a visit from a few different animals this term. The first visitor was Flower the ferret and then they had a very friendly raccoon! They also had a visit from Donna's pet dog and a goat.

Sports day went very well and we managed to get through the races before the rain set in properly. The children all joined in well and were very good sports, they were all rewarded with an ice lolly afterwards. At sports day we held a sponsored lap of the field run for the children; we raised a fantastic £263.50

towards the extension fund. Thank you to all family and friends who sponsored the children we are very grateful for your continued support.

The staff and children are looking forward to the end of year trip to Pecorama. We are hoping that the weather will be better than it has been for the last couple of years. The children will all have unlimited free train rides and face painting, and there will be an entertainer at the stage area during lunch time. After numerous train rides the staff will be found in the café enjoying their annual cream teas!

We still have a few sessions available for children to start in September but these are filling up fast. We expected to be much quieter in the autumn term, due to the single point entry at school but this does not appear to have affected our numbers. The lunch clubs are very popular and are full on both Tuesday and Friday. If you would like more information about the Pre-school please visit our new web site [www.uplymepreschool.co.uk](http://www.uplymepreschool.co.uk), email [uplymepreschool@aol.com](mailto:uplymepreschool@aol.com) or ring Annie on 01297 24318

We send 30 children to school in September and we wish the all the best in their futures. We are also looking forward to meeting at least 17 new children over the autumn term and hope they all enjoy their time with us

The staff and committee would like to thank everyone for their hard work and support over the last year. We are really looking forward to the new school year and to the opening of the new extension. We would like to wish everyone an enjoyable and restful summer holiday.

**Annie Thurgood**

Uplyme Pre-school Manager





## Mrs Ethelston's Primary School

As another school year ends, and another group of children move on, I reflect on all the opportunities that our children receive. Our year 6 children have been to Barton Hall in Torquay for five days, learning a variety of adventurous skills such as climbing, abseiling and, most importantly, learning to be independent. We have had numerous trips further afield to the Eden project, Winchester Cathedral, Powderham Castle and the local area. Our sporting opportunities have ranged from tennis, to tag rugby, cricket, golf, cross country (Stockland champions) and football (Teamtheme champions). Many children have had opportunities to learn an instrument and perform in our Spring concert, as well as taking part in art projects with the Woodroffe. All of these things give our children a fantastic experience with a wide variety of ways for children to develop their individual strengths. In a caring and encouraging environment, Mrs Ethelston's children become well rounded, happy and confident individuals, because of the hard work of a dedicated team of teachers, support staff and members of the wider community who are always willing to go the extra mile! I would like to thank them all for every thing they do to make our school such a success.

Following the discussion to federate with St Andrews, Chard stock, we are looking forward to a year with new opportunities for us all. We say goodbye to Penny Jones, who is leaving us after 22 years at the school. We wish her well in her new ventures and as Penny leaves, we welcome Phillipa Hodder as a new member of staff. One thing you can be sure of in education is that things never stay the same for long! We need to make the most of new opportunities and continue to grow and learn.

May I wish you all a restful and enjoyable Summer:

**Andrea Rice**

Head teacher



### Crossword Answers for July

**ACROSS:** 1, Dove. 3, Offender. 9, Alcohol. 10, Loses. 11, Horam. 12, Ophrah. 14, Archbishopric. 17, Samuel. 19, Dwarf. 22, Lacks. 23, Imagine. 24, Military. 25, Revd.

**DOWN:** 1, Drachmas. 2, Vicar. 4, Fellow-soldier. 5, Eglah. 6, Despair. 7, Rust. 8, The mob. 13, Scofield. 15, Chancel. 16, Ordeal. 18, Upset. 20, Alike. 21, Elim.

## Howlers

The tedium of teaching can be considerably alleviated by pupils unintentionally committing howlers. Here are some genuine examples accumulated over 34 years:

Classics: The Forum was shaped like a square with three sides.

One of the early Romans' greatest achievements was learning to speak Latin.

History: The Cabal was a very thick telegraph wire going to America.

The 1920's saw rising employment and falling prophets.

The Spinning Jenny appeared in the Industrious Revelation.

Gladstone is a growth in the stomach which has to be cut out.

Sir Walter Raleigh invented cigarettes and started a craze for bicycles.

Question: Where was The Declaration of Independence signed? Answer: At the bottom of the page..

Geography : Question: Where was Hadrian's Wall built? Answer : Around Hadrian's Garden

Biology: A pistol is a flower's only defence against insects.

Theology: Remember that thou keep holy the Sabbath Day for in six days shalt thy neighbour do all thy work.

Blessed are the weak in mind for they shall inherit the earth.

Salome was a naughty girl who took off all her clothes and danced in front of Harrods.

There are Seven Deadly Sins – Pride, Covetousness, Anger, Gluttony, Envy, Sloth and Chastity.

Jesus was troubled by rabies.

Mythology The wife of Orpheus whom he attempted to save from the underworld was Mrs Orpheus

French: Translate *assez joli*. Answer : sitting pretty

Translate *ils étaient très emus*. Answer : They were three emus.

Definitions : Casuistry is taking things as they happen.

A polygamist is a student of parrots.

A polygamist is one who studies wild flowers.

Geometry teaches us how to bisect angels.

Music : There are two quakers in a crotchet.

English Literature : Macbeth was killed at one foul swoop.

Mathematics::

**Expand  $2(x + y)$**

$$2(x + y)$$

*Jack Thomas*

# Cream Tea

**Sunday 28 August from 2.30 - 5.00**

In the garden of Cliff Cottage, Cobb Road, Lyme Regis  
through the generosity of Merry Bolton and Carl Salter

Enjoy a delicious cream tea in one of the most beautiful locations in Lyme Regis

All proceeds in aid of Amnesty International's support for prisoners of conscience the  
world over

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## **Public security and private freedom: can we have both?**

A public discussion led by

The Rt Hon Oliver Letwin MP, Minister of State at the Cabinet Office

Clive Stafford Smith, Legal Director of the charity 'Reprive'

No easy answers exist to this classic dilemma, one that applies urgently in the modern world. Our two lead speakers are shrewd actors at the sharp end of its relevance, who think keenly about the issues. Expect no contrived arguments but a sincere and incisive exploration of the challenge.

**Friday 16 September. 7.15pm. Woodmead Halls, Lyme Regis. Free admission.**

Sponsored by the Lyme Regis Group of Amnesty International.

Dear Home Owner,

For many years I was an active burglar in your district. Nothing big, just the small opportunist stuff, but it kept me in beer and baccy for a good number of years. Now I'm reformed and trying to keep to the straight and narrow.

However, it now grieves me to see how easy it is to pick out the empty house as I walk around the streets of our neighbourhood. So many people stuff rubbish through our doors – the ones who are paid a pittance to deliver advertising blurbs to every house on the street. They don't have time to make sure that the leaflets go right through, and mostly leave part of the bum sticking out for all to see.

These guys used to be my friends. I would watch them do a street or two and about an hour later walk the same route that they had followed. I could be pretty sure that where their leaflet was still visible the residents were not at home. So down to the front door, a quick ring, no reply, and then round the back to get in; so easy.

This August when you go away, please don't tempt me. Please tell those who deliver leaflets advertising pizzas, fried chicken, Chinese cuisine, holidays, insurance and so on, (or even church magazines), to ensure that the items they are delivering are pushed right through the letter box. Or get a neighbour to keep a watch on your front door, and to push everything through. Don't leave those fliers sticking half out – an empty house is just irresistible!

Your reformed neighbourhood burglar

## VILLAGE HALL DATES FOR AUGUST, SEPTEMBER & early OCTOBER 2011

### **AUGUST 2011**

**Monday 1 August**  
7.30pm Short Mat Bowls  
**Meeting Room**  
7.30pm Horticultural Soc  
**Tuesday 2 August**  
No bookings - work in hall  
**Wednesday 3 August**  
1.30pm-4.30pm Patchwork Group  
**Thursday 4 & Friday 5 August**  
No bookings  
**Saturday 6 August**  
11.00am-3.00pm Private hire  
6.30pm-11.30pm Mainly Ballroom  
**Sunday 7 August**  
9.30am-12.00pm Quakers  
**Monday 8 August**  
7.30pm Short Mat Bowls  
**Tuesday 9 August**  
Nil  
**Wednesday 10 August**  
6.45pm-9.45pm Parish Council  
**Thursday 11 August**  
7.00pm-10.00pm Prayer Meeting  
**Friday 12 August**  
5.30pm-10.00pm Private hire  
**Saturday 13 August**  
11.00am-5.00pm Private hire  
**Sunday 14 August**  
9.30am-12.00pm Quakers  
7.30pm-10.30pm Sequence Dance  
**Monday 15 August**  
7.30pm Short Mat Bowls  
**Tuesday 16 to Friday 19 August**  
No bookings  
**Saturday 20 August**  
6.30pm-11.30pm Mainly Ballroom  
**Sunday 21 August**  
9.30am-12.00pm Quakers  
**Monday 22 August**  
7.30pm Short Mat Bowls  
**Tuesday 23 August**  
Nil  
**Wednesday 24 August**  
6.30pm-9.00pm Hort Soc Talk  
**Thursday 25 August**  
Nil  
**Friday 26 August**  
*From 4pm through to midnight on*  
**Saturday 27 August**  
Private hire  
**Sunday 28 August**  
9.30am-12.00pm Quakers  
**Monday 29 to Wed 31 August**  
No bookings

### **SEPTEMBER 2011**

**Thurs 1 & Friday 2 September**  
**Saturday 3 September**  
6.30pm-11.30pm Mainly Ballroom  
**Sunday 4 September**  
9.30am-12.00pm Quakers  
**Monday 5 September**  
9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
5.30pm-7.00pm Brownies?  
7.30pm Short Mat Bowls

**Monday 5 September**  
**Meeting Room**  
7.30pm Horticultural Soc  
**Tuesday 6 September**  
9.00am-12.30pm Pre-School  
12.30pm-1.30pm Lunch Club  
1.30pm-3.30pm Toddlers  
**Meeting Room**  
7.30pm VH Committee  
**Wednesday 7 September**  
9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
1.30pm-4.30pm Patchwork Group  
5.00pm-10.00pm Private hire  
**Thursday 8 September**  
9.30am-4.30pm School  
**Friday 9 September**  
9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
12.15pm-1.30pm Lunch Club  
1.30pm-4.30pm School  
**Saturday 10 September**  
8.30pm-5.00pm Autumn Plant  
Show & Sale  
6.00pm-midnight Private hire  
**Sunday 11 September**  
9.30am-12.00pm Quakers  
**Monday 12 September**  
9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
5.30pm-7.00pm Brownies  
7.30pm Short Mat Bowls  
**Tuesday 13 September**  
9.00am-12.30pm Pre-School  
12.30pm-1.30pm Lunch Club  
1.30pm-3.30pm Toddlers  
4.30pm-5.30pm Tai Chi  
**Wednesday 14 September**  
9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
2.00pm-4.30pm WI  
5.00pm-6.00pm School?  
7.00pm-10.00pm Parish Council  
**Thursday 15 September**  
9.30am-4.30pm School  
4.30pm-7.00pm Ballet?  
**Friday 16 September**  
9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
12.15pm-1.30pm Lunch Club  
1.30pm-4.30pm School  
**Saturday 17 September**  
10.00am-4.00pm JUMBLE SALE  
6.30pm-11.30pm Mainly Ballroom  
**Sunday 18 September**  
9.30am-12.00pm Quakers  
**Monday 19 September**  
9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
5.30pm-7.00pm Brownies  
7.30pm Short Mat Bowls  
**Tuesday 20 September**  
9.00am-12.30pm Pre-School  
12.30pm-1.30pm Lunch Club  
1.30pm-3.30pm Toddlers  
4.30pm-5.30pm Tai Chi  
**Wednesday 21 September**  
9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
5.00pm-6.00pm School?

**Thursday 22 September**  
9.30am-4.30pm School  
4.30pm-7.00pm Ballet?  
**Friday 23 September**  
9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
12.15pm-1.30pm Lunch Club  
1.30pm-4.30pm School  
**Saturday 24 September**  
8.00am-1.00pm Table Top Sale  
2.00pm-midnight Private hire  
**Sunday 25 September**  
9.30am-12.00pm Quakers  
**Monday 26 September**  
9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
5.30pm-7.00pm Brownies  
7.30pm Short Mat Bowls  
**Tuesday 27 September**  
9.00am-12.30pm Pre-School  
12.30pm-1.30pm Lunch Club  
1.30pm-3.30pm Toddlers  
4.30pm-5.30pm Tai Chi  
**Wednesday 28 September**  
9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
5.00pm-6.00pm School?  
6.30pm-9.00pm Hort Soc Talk  
**Thursday 29 September**  
9.30am-4.30pm School  
4.30pm-7.00pm Ballet?  
**Friday 30 September**  
9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
12.15pm-1.30pm Lunch Club  
1.30pm-4.30pm School  
**OCTOBER 2011**  
**Saturday 1 October**  
Nil  
**Sunday 2 October**  
9.30am-12.00pm Quakers  
**Monday 3 October**  
9.00am-12.15pm Pre-School  
2.00pm-4.30pm Royal British Legion  
5.30pm-7.00pm Brownies  
7.30pm Short Mat Bowls  
**Meeting Room**  
7.30pm Horticultural Soc  
**Tuesday 4 October**  
9.00am-12.30pm Pre-School  
12.30pm-1.30pm Lunch Club  
1.30pm-3.30pm Toddlers  
4.30pm-5.30pm Tai Chi  
**Meeting Room**  
7.30pm VH Committee

**NOTE:** *the extension being built to the rear of the Hall is progressing well. Works will continue through August/early September. There should be no disruption for Hall users. See the notices at the Hall for more information.*

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



**Hi & Welcome to our 22<sup>nd</sup> newsletter.** We 've had a jam-packed year so far & we have more to come! So far this year we've had a total of 22 sessions & out those 19 have been outdoors! We are indeed very outdoorsy! Our Troop has grown from 20 to 30 Scouts full time! & we now have 4 full time Scoutmaster's as well. *So far our Scouts have learned or practised the following skills:*



- Knife sharpening & care of pocket knife, with intro to whittling.

- First aid, bandaging casualties, moving casualties, stretcher race
- Shooting at Charmouth tunnel ranges target shooting, rifle & pistol
- Cycle check, skills check & cycle serviceability
- Map, Compass work, Orienteering, Night navigation using stars



- Tentage maintenance put up tents, folding tents
- Making a wooden "spreading knife"
- Foraging skills, birch tree sap collecting, & potting bean plants
- Mother's day craft, basket making, learning weaving techniques
- Building our raised platform
- Magnetic compass & sundial making



- Signs & trail marking, how to ensure water is clean to use
- Casualty evacuation, stretcher building & race
- Tenderfoot Training & Investiture. *we've invested 10 Scouts this Summer. We've 6+ in training*
- Making butter from scratch & "Scout -Jam"
- Uplyme village fete, 18 june. *Photo in local paper!*
- Staff making, inc; marking measurements, Scouts "burnt" their names on their staff.'s Using staff's for measuring objects at distance, river crossings, etc



We've got really low Scout Subs: £1.82/session (£25.00/term) great value we think. The **FIRST Couple of Sessions are FREE** as a taster, **ages 10-18, boys & girls, come along, you'll enjoy it we think!** All Uniform provided FREE. **Our Group Area is Huge!** we've scouts from Uplyme, Charmouth, Axminster, Bridport, LymeRegis, Seaton, Rousden, Musbury, Colyton, Hawkchurch, Thorncombe even! **Scoutmaster's & Lay-Helpers:** *we're growing at a huge rate! We want to keep growing & offering Traditional Scouting to as many as possible. Do you like the outdoors, enjoy teaching & passing on skills to others, give us a try, it is very Rewarding & Fun!*

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## Recipe & Poem submitted by Iris Cox

### Soused Mackerel in White Wine

2 mackerel  
½ pint dry white wine or cider  
½ pint water  
1 onion, sliced  
A little fennel  
Strip of lemon peel  
4 whole peppercorns  
A bay leaf  
Salt, and French mustard  
Chopped parsley



1. Clean the fish, remove fins and tail
2. Simmer wine, water, onion, fennel, lemon peel, bay leaf and a pinch of salt together for ten minutes.
3. Poach the cleaned fish in this bouillon as gently as possible for about ten minutes or until the fish is no longer pink in the middle.
4. Carefully lift the fish from the liquid and remove skin and divide each fish into 2 fillets and remove bones.
5. Strain off 1 pint of liquid and stir in a little French mustard to taste.
6. Pour over fish, and garnish with parsley.
7. Chill before serving with a cucumber salad.

The moon sinks  
Behind the mountain,  
Across the wide watery darkness  
Fishing lights wink.  
We think we are alone but  
Far out there on the midnight sea  
Oars are splashing  
A long way out.  
Further out than us.

*Manyoshu (A Japanese poet)*



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• **The Harvest** •••••  
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• We thank you God for harvest •  
• time •  
• the fruit, the veg and flowers •  
• for looking after us in Lyme and •  
• Uplyme •  
• with all your magic powers •  
•  
• The colour and the splendor •  
• the stems all good and fat •  
• the growth all tall and slender •  
• how do you really do all that. •  
•  
• You send the sun to ripen •  
• the rain it does quiet hard •  
• the weather we doth liken •  
• on our back garden yard •  
•  
• we would really like to thank you •  
• what can we give you in return •  
• you know the seasons come and •  
• go •  
• and all the harvest we do learn •  
•  
• About the ground lays bare and •  
• plain •  
• when out will come the sun •  
• I hear the pouring of the rain •  
• The harvest nearly done •  
•  
• by Nigel Ball •  
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### 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



Dear Readers

As I sit here in our garden writing these jottings looking over Uplyme pondering what to include in this double issue of the magazine. It occurs to me that we are very much away from a lot of troubles of life including famine, poverty, and social problems. We have a great deal to be thankful for here in Uplyme and Lyme Regis. With news this weekend [as I write] focusing on the new shelters in Lyme we have to accept change in an ever changing world here locally and far and wide. You might ask what is A Horticulturist from Lyme writing about change in a church magazine. Change sometimes is very difficult to grasp, but we must do our best to cope with new ideas sometimes they work and other times fail. As we look forward to our harvest we remember times of produce being gathered for winter store. In particular this reminds me of hauling potatoes back from Branscombe, by tractor and trailer, sometimes at 2am in the morning! Down over Blackberry Castle Hill in to Southleigh village, which if you do not know is out the back lane of Colyton. It has been a tradition in the church to celebrate harvest by the giving of our "first fruits" to decorate the church, this produce was then given to the poor and needy of the parish. We can still give produce today for the St Petrocks centre in Exeter. This is a great way of saying thank you to God for all we reap in our lives now and at harvest time. Gavin has also mentioned that other items are needed (see the churches weekly newsletter) at this time to help the poor, needy and not so well off, I think at harvest time we need to accept some change, as I have said before this does not mean total change but a compromise to meet a need for people that really need our help now.

So now back to Horticultural matters (well I never really got off the subject did I?) This summer season we really have had some adverse weather conditions with temperatures getting up 35c in our garden and 9c at night I'm not sure how plants adapt but they seem to cope well with change. The summer show will have been and gone by the time this magazine comes out, with The River Cottage series featuring Uplyme this Autumn, what a great way to feature village life and vegetable growing so watch out for the programme in October this year.

### Top Tips for approaching Harvest time

1. Only select produce that is fit to store free from damage and imperfections.
2. Collect seed from plants in late summer /Autumn that can be sown next spring.
3. Write down your best varieties of plants grown for future reference.
4. For new ideas visit some other village shows see what plants and exhibits are shown.
5. Harvest fruit when ripe make jam also chutneys can be made from surplus veg eg runner beans and marrows.

Happy times in your garden

God Bless

**Nigel Ball**



## The biggest impact since Brunel!

When writing an article for the Uplyme Parish Magazine, it is often hard to ensure that what is topical at the time of writing is still relevant at the time fellow Uplyme residents actually read it. For the double summer edition, the task is much harder, so I have chosen two major subjects which will shape our future over the next decade and beyond!

July Trinity Matters featured a major victory for the joint **Devon and Somerset Broadband** bid to BDUK (the government's body for broadband funding), with an **initial award of £30Million** towards the delivery of superfast broadband to the two counties. A further **£22Million will be added** by local Councils, with the lion's share from Devon County Council and Somerset County Council. The expectation is that this will be matched by private sector funds to give an **implementation budget** expected to be **just over £100Million!**

This will probably be **the most significant investment** in the two counties **since Brunel** brought rail travel to the area, with an economic impact much exceeding that of the rail network, up to **50,000 new jobs** and a **£750Million boost** to the local economy – yet in this case the infrastructure of buried cables and small transmitters will be **almost invisible to the eye**.

Over in the East of the East Devon District another, **much more visible development** has also started....

## A New Town for East Devon...

After ten years of planning, the **first turf has been cut at Cranbrook**, a new town just off the old A30 road near Rockbeare, east of Exeter in East Devon.

What does this mean for Trinity?



Cranbrook will join us as part of an East Devon which currently has approximately 65,000 households, of which around 1,000 are in Trinity (Census 2001).

Cranbrook is the first new 'free standing' settlement in Devon since the Middle Ages, likely to grow to 6,500 houses by 2026 and which already has outline Planning Permission for 2,900 houses. The first phase of 1,120 houses has just started construction.

The effect on the profile of East Devon is obvious, with a **likely increase of approaching 10%** in house numbers, **over six times** the number of houses in the

**whole of Trinity**. But what is special about Cranbrook?

Cranbrook is to be a **self-sufficient, low carbon community** near to the employment opportunities of Exeter and, as part of the Exeter and East Devon Growth Point. It will include 300 'affordable' homes in the first phase of development together with a new primary school and a full spectrum of services to serve the new community.

Unlike other Devon towns which have evolved over centuries, **Cranbrook will be built in a relatively short time**. This means that residents at Cranbrook, and businesses on the planned neighbouring **Skypark Business Park**, will be served by an Energy Centre supplying them with both heat and hot water. This will be run using biomass fuel in the future. The **£25 million Energy Centre**, which will be run by energy company E.ON, is the **first of this scale in the UK**.

It is estimated that the biomass Combined Heat and Power (CHP), which will also generate electricity for the national grid, will provide an estimated **10,000 tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub> saving per year**, for the first 2,900 homes at Cranbrook. In addition residents will benefit from **reduced energy bills, unlimited hot water, no boiler to maintain and no hot water cylinder**.

When this is achieved, Cranbrook will be **the first mass open market development in the country to provide a district heating scheme on this scale**.

Other planned major developments in the West of our East Devon District, around the airport, include a **Flybe Training Academy** (already open), **Skypark Business Park** - a 107 acre site expected to provide up to 7,500 jobs, and **Exeter Science Park** which will build on the links with Exeter University and the Met Office. An **Intermodal Rail Freight Facility** and Distribution Centre will sit astride the Exeter to Waterloo railway line to provide large scale logistics facilities, and allow transfer of goods between air, rail and road transport modes.

The developments in this area are innovative, exciting and substantial. They will have a fundamental effect on the economy of the whole of East Devon and through this on Trinity. Projects are integrated within the **Exeter and East Devon Growth Point**. If you want to learn more, see their website at [www.exeterandeastdevon.gov.uk](http://www.exeterandeastdevon.gov.uk)

## The LDF is back...

After the May Elections, the Local Development Framework (LDF) Panel is back. There will be a further opportunity to take part in shaping the future of our beautiful Ward, and the process is now much more open.

The **LDF Panel** is an advisory body which reports to the Development Management Committee. **Meetings are now open to the public and press**. It is expected to present to the DMC in September 2011, with and **further Public Consultation is November 2011**.

Meetings are scheduled for 2<sup>nd</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> August and 6<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> September – see the EDDC website for details.

Further information on most subjects discussed here is on [www.trinitymatters.co.uk](http://www.trinitymatters.co.uk)

Have a great summer!

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

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

### **Inform - Consult - Participate**

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## Notes from the monthly Council meeting, 13th July 2011

A dozen members of the public were in the audience and took part in the new arrangement where the meeting starts at 7:15 and is immediately adjourned for public questions and answers.

**Footpaths:** Cllr Whiting reported that the new bridge and fencing by the Mill are complete, but the official diversion is held up by a professional objector from Tyneside. Cllr Forrester has been busy getting various problems for riders sorted out, with the help of both Devon County Council and the Three Counties Bridle-path Group: expect to see some improvements over the next few weeks.

### **Applications already dealt with since last meeting**

**Corner Cottage Gore Lane.** Subdivision and conversion of part of existing dwelling, formerly shop into 1no. dwelling. The Parish Council supports this application. (Delegated decision by Clerk.)

**The Havard Church Street.** Remove existing conservatory and construction of extension. Removal of flat roof to the north east and forming pitched roof over to match, raised ridge line to main roof. The Parish Council has no objection to the proposed works. (Delegated decision by Clerk.)

**Lynwood Lime Kiln Lane** (amended plans). Construction of ground and first floor extensions to include raising of the roof and dormer windows (demolition of existing garage and conservatory). Councillors on the Planning Committee have responded as follows: We strongly object to this application.

**The Chantry Rhode Lane.** Construction of extension to form garage (front extension). The Parish Council has no objection to this application. (Delegated decision by Clerk.)

### **Applications dealt with at the meeting by the Council**

**Bulford Lyme Road.** Conversion of dwelling to garden studio and construction of new dwelling. The Parish Council objects to this application.

**South Watch Harcombe.** Two storey extension. The Parish Council does not object to this application.

**Carswell Farm Land Harcombe.** Construction of agricultural storage and live-stock building. The Parish Council does not object to this application.

**Happy Valley Cuckoo Lane.** New dwelling to replace mobile home (outline application with all matters reserved). The Parish Council objects to this application.

### **Applications granted by EDDC since last meeting**

**Primrose Way Lyme Road.** Replacement dwelling, fences and alterations to existing access. Granted with conditions

**Culver Woodhouse Lane.** Installation of ground mounted solar photovoltaic system (16 panels). Granted with conditions

**Thorndon Harcombe Road.** Construction of two storey rear extension. Granted with conditions

**Hartgrove Hill Farm Trinity Hill Road.** Change of use and alterations to agricultural building to workshop/office and storage. Granted with conditions

**Apartment 1 Rohaise Court Lyme Road.** Replacement window including reduction to opening, replacement front door and combustion ventilation (ground floor works). Granted

**Roseacre Red Lane.** Construction of replacement garage. Granted with conditions

**Lynwood Lime Kiln Lane** (amended plans). Construction of ground and first floor extensions to include raising of the roof and dormer windows (demolition of existing garage and conservatory). Granted with conditions

**The Chantry Rhode Lane.** Construction of extension to form garage (front extension). Granted

**The Havard Church Street.** Remove existing conservatory and construction of extension. Removal of flat roof to the north east and forming pitched roof over to match, raised ridge line to main roof. Granted with conditions

**Carswell Farm Lime Kiln Lane.** Extension of existing agricultural building. Permitted development

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:** Part-night lighting is to be introduced in Uplyme at some unspecified time in the future. Although the lights on the main road will not be switched off, those on side roads will be from about 00:30 to 05:30. This scheme has been successful in other areas.

**Flood relief by the tennis courts:** After debating the issue, the Council felt it could not support the current plan for a storm water overflow. It wishes to take time to consider the best solution to this problem before considering offering financial support, since the proposed works would put the children's playground in danger of flooding.

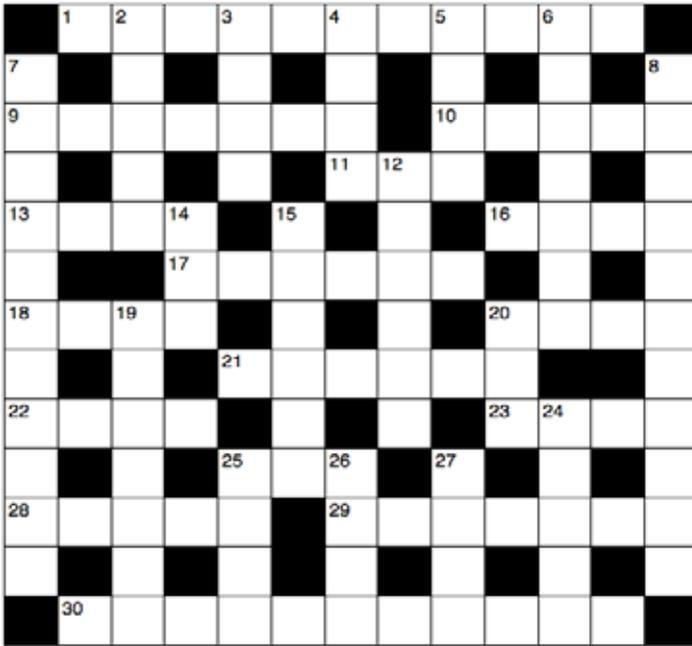
**Parish Plan:** Uplyme's plan was drawn up in 2005, and is due to be revised, so if you want to make suggestions, please let the Clerk or any councillor have your ideas. Copies of the plan can be obtained from Cllr Whiting. The Council is also hoping to recruit some volunteers to the Parish Plan Working Group, so if you have a few hours to spare, please consider taking this important opportunity to set the direction of future development and facilities in the village.

**Noticeboard:** The Village Hall Committee has kindly agreed that the PC noticeboard can be sited outside the Hall, rather than in its current location on the side of the filling station shop. The Clerk is investigating the purchase of a new board, which it is hoped can be installed before the winter rain starts soaking the papers in the old one.

**August meeting:** there will be no regular Council meeting in August; the next is scheduled for 8th September. See you then!

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# Crossword



## Across

- 1 In David's battle with the Arameans, 700 of these were killed (2 Samuel 10:18) (11)
- 9 'No — , impure or greedy person has any inheritance in the kingdom of God' (Ephesians 5:5) (7)
- 10 City on the banks of the River Nile (5)
- 11 Stamped addressed envelope (1,1,1)
- 13 Taverns (4)
- 16 'Be on your guard; stand — in the faith' (1 Corinthians 16:13) (4)
- 17 'He will not always — , nor will he harbour his anger for ever' (Psalm 103:9) (6)
- 18 and 27 Down Where the magi came from and what guided them (Matthew 2:1-2) (4,4)
- 20 Ancient Celtic alphabet of 20 characters (4)
- 21 She married Esau when he was 40 years old (Genesis 26:34) (6)
- 22 A great-grandson of Noah (Genesis 10:7) (4)
- 23 Title accorded to certain Roman Catholic clerics (abbrev.) (4)
- 25 'My house will be a house of prayer; but you have made it a — of robbers' (Luke 19:46) (3)
- 28 Annie (anag.) (5)
- 29 Plead with (Zechariah 7:2) (7)
- 30 Tenth foundation of the new Jerusalem (Revelation 21:20) (11)

## Down

- 2 'We have a building from God, an eternal house in heaven, not built by — hands' (2 Corinthians 5:1) (5)
- 3 Uncommon excellence (Proverbs 20:15) (4)
- 4 'You have exalted my horn like that of a wild ox; fine — have been poured upon me' (Psalm 92:10) (4)
- 5 — Homo ('Behold the Man') (4)
- 6 'He has given proof of this to all men by — him from the dead' (Acts 17:31) (7)
- 7 'Our — is in heaven' (Philippians 3:20) (11)
- 8 'This is a day you are to — ' (Exodus 12:14) (11)
- 12 Assault (Psalm 17:9) (6)
- 14 'Jesus found a young donkey and — upon it' (John 12:14) (3)
- 15 Liverpool dialect (6)
- 19 'Remember the — day by keeping it holy' (Exodus 20:8) (7)
- 20 Nineteenth-century German physicist after whom the unit of electrical resistance is named (3)
- 24 Nazirites were not allowed to eat this part of a grape (Numbers 6:4) (5)
- 25 'If anyone would come after me, he must — himself and take up his cross and follow me' (Mark 8:34) (4)
- 26 Evil Roman emperor from AD54 to 68, responsible for condemning hundreds of Christians to cruel deaths (4)

27 See 18 Across

**JUMBLE SALE**



Saturday 17th September  
2pm, Uplyme Village Hall.  
In aid of Hall funds  
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Sat 8th October 2pm  
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### BETHANY CHAPEL

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The one at 4pm on Sunday 25/9/10 will mark the start of a week's Walk West Dorset mission in Lyme. There will be lots of events publicised in the locality nearer the time.



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