

Cheriton Bishop & Crockernwell

Newsletter

July & August 2022



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Useful Information

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Young Farmers: Georgina Bowden - 07713 164553

Walking Group: Dennis Milton - 01647 272844 and Jon Whitehead - 01647 281454

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Welcome to the Newsletter

July & August

This year is flying by! I can't believe this is the introduction to the Summer edition.

We had a busy month last month with the Platinum Jubilee Celebrations around the village, and this Summer, in and around the village, looks set to be just as jam-packed. There's so much to do on our 'What's On?' pages.

We've been having some very hot summer days recently, so remember to keep hydrated and to wear sun cream and a hat if you're going out. I've been walking the dogs in the evening as the road is a little cooler on their paws. I will be taking them for long walks on the moors once we've broken up from school on Friday 22nd July. Can't wait!

I've said it before, but it's worth repeating that we are incredibly lucky to live in this part of the world, and I will be staycationing (as always). I am very grateful for all the good things in my life, as we all are. The only thing missing is The Old Thatch, and she is looking very sorry for herself at the moment. I may pay her a visit during the school holidays to tidy up the front area and do a bit of weeding. I really do hope that we get a new landlord / lady in there soon, it's such a waste and I really miss quiz nights.

If anyone knows what is going to happen with the pub in the future, please let me know and I will put the information in the newsletter.

In the meantime, we have Open Mic Nights back, now at Higher Eggbeer on the first Wednesday of every month (see page 6). The first one will be on 6th July. The bar opens from 6pm, music starting at 8pm. I will definitely be attending as it's such a wonderful venue and only a little bit further to walk. What a lovely way to start the month! I hope to see some familiar faces.

Lucy x

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Regular Diary Dates

Meetings, Hobbies & Interests

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Beavers (6 - 8 yrs) - Every Thursday (term time only). Contact: Ollie Milverton - 07706 695928

Cheriton Bishop Baby & Toddler Group - Fridays, 9am - 11am, School Hall. Find us on FaceBook

Cheriton Bishop Lunch Club

The first Tuesday of each month at The Red Lion. Contact: Jean Martin 01647 24586

Cubs (8 - 10 yrs) - Thursdays (term time only). Contact: Ollie Milverton - 07706 695928

Cuppa and a Chat at Spalding Hall - Every third Monday in the month, 2pm - 4pm

Contact: Paul Mitchell 01647 24405 or Jean Martin 01647 24586

Gardening Club - Every third Monday evening in the month (Autumn & Winter)

Contact: Janet Jeffery - 01647 24414

Open Mic Night - Every first Wednesday evening in the month at Higher Eggbeer

Contact: Steve Colderick - colderick@btinternet.com

Parish Council

Every second Monday evening in the month. Contact: Rachel Hodder - 01363 85523

Pilates - Thursday morning, 8.55am (term time). Contact: Adele - 07976 427941

Pre-School - Monday to Thursday, 9am to 3.15pm, Contact: Christine Grist - 01647 281205

Scouts (10 - 14 yrs) - Monday evenings (term time). Contact: Ollie Milverton - 07706 695928

Short Mat Bowling - Wednesday evenings 7.30pm - 9.30pm, September to May,

Contact: David Tripp - 01647 24582

Spiritual Discussion Group - Contact: Penny Gare - 01647 24639

Monthly Walking Group - For daytime walks see the CB Walking Group FaceBook page

Contact: Dennis Milton - 01647 272844 or Jon Whitehead - 01647 281454

West Country Embroiderers - Every first Tuesday afternoon in the month

Contact: Elaine Clark - elainejclark@hotmail.co.uk Website: wcecheritonbishop

West Down Bible Study & Prayer

Every Monday evening from October to May. Contact: Derek Coren - 01647 24264

Young Farmers

Every 1st and 3rd Tuesday evening in the month. Contact: Georgina Bowden - 07713 164553

Keep Me Updated

Please email cheritonnews@gmail.com if you need to add a fixture, or update / delete details and information on an existing fixture in this section. Thank you.

Dates for your Diary

July 2022

1st	Sculpture Exhibition	Stone Lane Gardens	
2nd	Dunsford Show	Dunsford	12-5pm
5th	Acorn Lunch	Red Lion, TSM	12.30pm
5th	West Country Embroiderers	CB Village Hall	12-4pm
6th	Open Mic Night	Higher Eggbeer	from 6pm
7th	Summer Bingo (YFC)	Tedburn Village Hall	7pm
11th	Acorn Minibus trip to Sainsbury's		(page 9)
16th	Pizza & Prosecco Quiz (YFC)	Tedburn Village Hall	7pm
18th	Cuppa & a Chat	Spalding Hall	2-4pm
19th	Acorn Minibus Outing	Otter Nurseries	(page 9)
25th	Acorn Minibus trip to Sainsbury's		(page 9)

August 2022

2nd	Acorn Lunch	Red Lion, TSM	12.30pm
8th	Acorn Minibus trip to Sainsbury's		(page 9)
13th	The Village Show at CB Village Hall		(Details on page 8)
15th	Cuppa & a Chat	Spalding Hall	2-4pm
22nd	Acorn Minibus trip to Sainsbury's		(page 9)
24th	Twelfth Night at Stone Lane Gardens		(Details on page 8)

Mobile Library

Tuesday 26th July & Tuesday 23rd August 2022

Village	Stop	Arrive	Depart
Drewsteignton	Square	12:10	12:30
Clifford Bridge	Clifford Bridge	13:30	13:50
Crockernwell	Stanbury's Orchard	14:10	14:40
Cheriton Bishop	Glebelands	14:50	15:45

Future visits, 2022: 26th July, 23rd August, 20th September, 15th November, 13th December

For information, visit [Facebook.com/devonmobilelibraries](https://www.facebook.com/devonmobilelibraries), twitter.com/devonmobilelibs, [devonlibraries.org.uk](https://www.devonlibraries.org.uk) or contact info@librariesunlimited.org.uk or **0345 155 1001**



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20th August**

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What's On?

Sculpture Exhibition

Sir Tim Smit is set to open the Ashburner Prize sculpture exhibition at Stone Lane Gardens to the public on **1st July**. Sir Tim Smit is a co-founder of the Eden project and first gained notability with his re-discovery of the Lost Gardens of Heligan.

The prestigious exhibition will showcase the South West's emerging artists and will be open to visitors until October 31st.

Now in its 30th year the exhibition has received a record number of entries from artists competing for the prize (sponsored by Caradon Granite).

Located, near Chagford, only minutes from the A30 and Castle Drogo, the Gardens have been described as "a gem" by horticulturist and broadcaster Jo Swift. Stone Lane Gardens is an RHS Partner Garden, which holds a unique National Collection of Birch and Alder trees from around the world. The Gardens are an inspiration to artists and visitors.

Anna Imrie

Press Liaison, Stone Lane Gardens

www.stonelanegardens.com

Dunsford Show

Saturday 2nd July, 12 noon to 5pm
(Horse Show opens at 9.30am)

Dunsford Village Show is a quintessential country show at its very best and is the perfect way to spend a fun packed family afternoon in the country. Nestled in the Dartmoor National Park with a woodland backdrop.

Entertainment includes:

- M.A.D Team
(Mountain Bike Aerial Display Team)
- Street Motion Parkour Workshops
- Kryton Archers
- Dartmoor Hawking display on horseback
- Bouncy Castle, vintage games, artisan stalls
- Dog and Horse Shows

Refreshment includes:

BBQ, cream teas, local ales, cider, Pimm's and strawberries, ice cream and lots more!

The Dunsford Show is run by the Dunsford Community Primary Academy PFTA.

<http://dunsfordshow.co.uk>

Supporting Devon's Creative Artists

The Business and Intellectual Property Centre in Devon (BIPC) has worked with experienced artists and experts to create a new FREE course designed to help early stage creatives to develop their business.

The 4 week Art of Business course starts on **Monday 4th July** and can be accessed both online and in person. Local Artists will be sharing their knowledge and experience, through interactive sessions at Exeter and Barnstaple Libraries, and online. The course will incorporate business skills for those working with: Written Word, Photography, Film-Making, Music, Painting & Sculpture.

Our skills-based workshops include marketing, branding, social media training, and web design. There will also be networking events for creatives to meet other like-minded individuals.

BIPC Devon's ART of Business Course runs throughout July and features weekly webinars and online workshops, interactive sessions, networking opportunities and 1-1 support.

Attendees will grow their business skills and learn how to find their niche, build an audience, grow a career as an artist, and find inspiration from the creatives delivering the course. The material will be recorded so participants can review it at their own pace. There will also be opportunities to join up with existing creative communities for networking sessions.

The course is free to any resident of Devon and more information is available at: <https://bipc.librariesunlimited.org.uk/the-art-of-business/>

Lisa D'Alberti

Resources and Information, Libraries Unlimited

What's On?

Acorn Lunches at The Red Lion

July Menu

Tuesday 5th July, 12.30pm

1. Sausage & Mash
Veggie Sausage available
2. Scampi, Chips & Peas
3. Ham Salad
4. Strawberry Cheesecake
5. Apple Crumble & Custard
6. Ice Cream

Lunch is £10 per person,
£11 with Tea or Coffee

Book Your Place

Call Jean on **01647 24586** to book your places, order menu number choices, and request transport if needed *before 2nd July please*.

August Menu

Tuesday 2nd August, 12.30pm

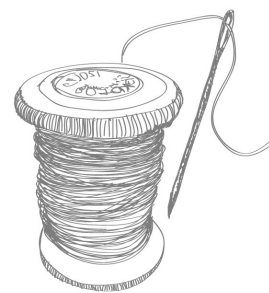
1. Lasagne with Garlic Bread
2. Fish, Chips & Peas
3. Jacket Potato with
Cheese & Beans
4. Chocolate Brownie
5. Syrup Sponge & Custard
6. Ice Cream

Lunch is £10 per person,
£11 with Tea or Coffee

Book Your Place

Call Jean on **01647 24586** to book your places, order menu number choices, and request transport if needed *before 30th July please*.

West Country Embroiderers, Textiles & Mixed Media



Thank You

Thank you to everyone who attended the West Country Embroiderers Fair earlier in June and made the event such a success.

Calico Gardens

Tuesday 5th July, 12 - 4pm, CB Village Hall

In July we welcome Lyn Bennett to our meeting. This will be a hands on session using fabrics, old lace and many more 'bits' to create Calico Gardens. You are more than welcome to drop in and see what we do. The afternoon will be spent manipulating and stitching fabrics; there is no right or wrong way, just what you personally prefer. In August we will take a break and return on the 6th September with a well known tutor, Barbara John, making fabric bowls using dissolvable fabric!

Cathedral Exhibition

If you are visiting Exeter, pop into the cathedral and see the 12 spectacular panels created by local textile artist. As residents of Exeter Diocesan, you do not have to pay.

The panels, 8ft (2.4m) by up to 13ft (4m) each, are inspired by Genesis, the first book of the Bible. They have been designed by Devon textile artist Jacqui Parkinson, who has used silk, hand-dyed materials, metallic leathers, gold leaf and over eight million stitches in her work. The 'Threads through Creation' exhibition will run until 24th July.

Become a Member of the Club

Annual membership is just £25 and new members are always welcome.

Elaine Clarke

elainejclark@hotmail.co.uk,

01647 24218

What's On?

Open Mic Night is Back!

Wednesday 6th July, Higher Eggbeer
Bar opens from 6pm, music starts 8pm

Live music is coming back to the village with Open Mic nights at Higher Eggbeer, and will run on the first Wednesday of each month (with occasional shifts to first Tuesday or Thursday of the month).



Higher Eggbeer: An Amazing Venue

With no pub in the village at the moment what an opportunity to come and socialise and enjoy some music and a drink.

Any of you who have been to see artists playing there will know that the medieval cob barn is a fantastic venue for music, and over the years has hosted such artists as *Tom Odell, Show of Hands, Seth Lakeman* and *Wildwood Kin* to name a few.

Well now you have the opportunity for a great night of music and fun and see how talented our local musicians are, and the opportunity to dust off your guitar and have a go yourself. Looking forward to seeing you on the 6th for a great night
For more info, please email me to colderick@btinternet.com

Steve Colderick

Teign Valley Men's Shed

6th & 20th July, and 3rd & 10th August from 9:30am to 12:30pm

'Sheds' are kitted-out community spaces where men can enjoy practical hobbies. They're about making friends, learning and sharing skills - and for a bit of banter over a cup of coffee or tea.

The initial focus will be on woodwork, but this could broaden depending on the available skills. We hope to introduce a regular programme of visiting speakers.

As we are still setting up, the sessions are free - once we open in September, there will be an annual fee of £10, and a session fee of £4 for each session. For details or to register an interest, or to arrange transport, please email tvmensshed@gmail.com

If you have some unwanted tools (in good condition) or good quality, unwanted wood that we could use - then please contact us - we'll arrange for someone to call and see if we could take them off your hands!

Everyone is welcome - don't miss an opportunity to meet new friends and learn/share some practical skills.

Steve Cook

Administrator, Teign Valley & Haldon Hill Mission Community

Cheriton Bishop Walking Group

The walking group continues to flourish with regular walks around the area.

Please see our FaceBook page for details of other walks, or join our email list for notifications.

Jon & Dennis



What's On?

Summer



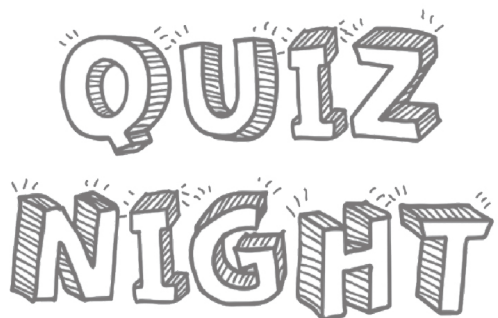
Cheriton & Tedburn YFC

**Thursday 7th July, eyes down 7.30pm,
Tedburn St Mary Village Hall**

Doors open at 7pm
BBQ Themed Prizes

For information, please email:
cheritonandtedburnyfc@gmail.com

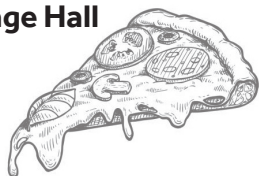
Pizza & Prosecco



Cheriton & Tedburn YFC

**Saturday 16th July, 7pm for 7.30pm,
Tedburn St Mary Village Hall**

£24 per team of 4 to
include a bottle of
Prosecco and a pizza.



To book your team please contact
Georgia on **07795 650866**

Ground Up Cookery School

Fish & Shellfish Cookery

Saturday 9th July

This course is designed to give you the
confidence to cook a range of dishes.

Wild Food Foraging & Cookery

Saturday 23rd July

Create a range of tasty food and drinks
using foraged, seasonal and local
ingredients.

Bespoke Event

Tuesday 26th & Wednesday 27th July

For details, prices & booking, visit:
www.groundupcookeryschool.co.uk

Ground Up Cookery School
Higher Fingle Farm,
Crockernwell,
EX6 6NP

taste@groundupcookeryschool.co.uk
01647 782022 (please leave a message)

Cuppa & A Chat

**Monday 18th July & Monday 15th August,
2 - 4pm, Spalding Hall**

Everyone welcome; coffee,
tea, soft drinks, biscuits
and sometimes cake.

No charge but
donations are always
welcome to help with the costs.

If you'd like to, please bring something of
interest that we could talk about!

Paul Mitchell, 01647 24405



What's On?

Gardening Club News & Events

The Village Show

Saturday 13th August, Village Hall

Hard copies of the schedule will be in a box outside the Village Hall and in the church porch with links on the Village Website and FaceBook page.

There are 93 classes in 6 categories plus another 15 in the children's section, so most people will find something they could join in! Entry forms go to Fallow End, half way up Church Lane on the left, (courtesy of Pat English) by 7pm on Thursday 11th August.

We are looking forward to seeing the entries for the potato growing competition – these do not need an entry form, just bring them to the Village Hall by 10.30am on Sat 13th August. There are also classes for other things grown by children – if they haven't planted anything yet there is still time to grow a few radishes and if they leave it even later there is always mustard and cress!

The show opens for visitors at 2.30pm, presentation of prizes at 4pm. Entry is free and refreshments available. Our membership year starts at the show and it still costs only £5 per family to start or renew your membership.

Future Lectures

The winter lectures start again in September and we will have a joint meeting with Drewsteignton Gardening Club. This year it is our turn to visit them. They meet on the second Monday of the month, so the meeting will be on Monday 12th September at Whiddon down Village Hall.

Janet Jeffery, 01647 24414



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★★★★★
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Update from Acorn



*And so with the sunshine
and the great bursts of leaves
growing on the trees, just as
things grow in fast movies,
I had that familiar conviction
that life was beginning over
again with the summer.*

F. Scott Fitzgerald, The Great Gatsby

Well what a triumph the Jubilee Bank Holiday was. Up and down the country the celebrations continued throughout the four days. There was plenty to enjoy in all our areas too. From Pathfinder and Longdown to the Teign Valley there were beacons to be lit, street parties to attend and bunting galore. There is nothing quite like an occasion such as this to dispel the gloom of the last two years. Finally, well done to Her Majesty. 70 years is no mean feat for anybody but staying under the microscope of half the world must be a little irksome at times!

As always, we managed some great trips out to Powderham, Buckfast Abbey and Dawlish. All thanks to our wonderful volunteers without whom we would achieve very little social activity. Acorn Community Support are always looking for compassionate community spirited people to help maintain our high-quality service commitment to elderly and vulnerable people living in the Cheriton Bishop and Teign Valley area. If you are interested in finding out more then please visit our website www.acorncommunitysupport.co.uk/get-involved or contact Mandy or Fran on **01647 252701**.

The Lunch Club, at The Red Lion in Tedburn St Mary is very popular the next one being 5th July followed by 2nd August. Always room and a big warm welcome for a few more so please do contact Jean Martin on **01647 24586** to book.

Shopping Trips

**Mondays 11th & 25th July and
Mondays 8th & 22nd August**
Cheriton Bishop to Sainsbury's

**Friday 8th & 22nd July and
Fridays 5th & 19th August**
Teign Valley to ASDA

Minibus Outings

Cheriton Bishop

Tuesday 19th July Otter Nurseries. *Phone to book.*

Destinations for **August** is a drive along the coast to Dawlish & Teignmouth, and for **September** to Widecombe in the Moor.

Please phone nearer the time for dates.

Teign Valley

Monday 4th & 18th July

Considerations are Babbacombe Cliff Railway and Lady Chapel and Bishops Garden at Exeter Cathedral. *Please phone for details.*

Monday 1st August, Topsham

Mon 15th Aug, Postbridge & Warren House Inn

Monday 29th August, Jacks Patch

Please phone for details and bookings.

Tuesday Events

Lunch Clubs: 12th & 26th July

Lunch Clubs: 9th & 23rd August

Our very popular Lunch Clubs are at different venues each time.

Coffee Mornings: 5th & 19th July

Coffee Mornings: 2nd, 16th & 30th August

Teign Valley Community Hall

Bingo, Quizzes and much more with plenty of chatter to go with your coffee and cake!

Please contact the office if any or all these activities appeal, and we will book you on.

Memory Lane Café

Thursdays 7th & 28th July

Thursdays 11th & 25th August

Please contact the office if you know of someone who would benefit. We have a great time.

If you would like to book a seat on the minibus for any of our trips, lunches or coffee mornings, then please contact Mandy or Fran at the Office on **01647 252701**.

Acorn continues with all its usual services so please do call us and if you just want a chat then you know where we are.

Best wishes,

The A(corn) Team

Letters to the Editor

Parish Councillor Vacancy

Do you have a few spare hours each week to make a difference? Become a Councillor and have a say in what happens where you live...

Be involved in decision making, community projects, local planning applications and other issues affecting your community. All you need is time, enthusiasm and to enjoy working as part of a team. No experience is necessary as support and training will be provided.

To become a Councillor, you must be at least 18 years old and meet citizenship, residence and other criteria.

To apply, and for more information, please contact Rachel Hodder, the Parish Clerk to clerk@cheritonbishop-pc.org.uk or call **01363 85523**. Closing date: **4th July 2022**



Citizens Advice: Minimum Wage

citizens
advice

At Citizens Advice we value diversity, promote equality and challenge discrimination. In a difficult economic climate our need to earn a living is especially important. Our Advice Column this month highlights useful information for anyone in the jobs market.

"I recently applied for a job at a local pub which offered the National Minimum Wage. After a short interview the manager asked me for some documents and also how old I am. After telling her I am 25 she said she would be in touch but it was unlikely I would get the job as they wouldn't be able to afford to pay me the required wage. She said she would prefer someone younger. Is this legal?"

Here is our advice:

Nobody should be asking you your age at an interview. At 25 you're entitled to the National Living Wage. Details of the legal pay people are entitled to are on the Citizens Advice website. However, the rules don't mean that employers can avoid hiring people because of their age. That is 'direct age discrimination' as stated in the Equality Act 2010.

You're also protected by the National Minimum Wage Act 1998 which says employers can't not hire you or fire you because your age means you are entitled to a higher rate of pay.

Citizens Advice website has a wealth of information about what to do if you're being treated unfairly when applying for a job and there are steps you can take to either get compensation or persuade the employer to give you a job. The website gives advice and guidance with every step. www.citizensadvice.org.uk/work

- As soon as you can make a note of what happened, what questions were asked and other remarks made by the interviewer
- Write a letter of complaint to the employer and keep a copy
- If that doesn't result in a satisfactory outcome you could take the employer to an employment tribunal but you will need to pull together as much information as possible including the job advert and your full notes on what took place

If you are taking the tribunal route you have three months minus one day from the date of the interview to start proceedings and if you need help and advice with this you can also contact ACAS who specialise in employment issues and provide advice free of charge.

Anyone in our area experiencing similar issues can contact us on our free, local AdviceLine on **0808 27 87 999** or visit our website www.ruraldevoncab.org.uk and click on 'get advice'.

If you would be interested in working with us to help people with their problems, please contact us on recruitment@ruraldevoncab.org.uk.

Letters to the Editor

News Update from the Spalding Hall

Thank You Steve!

After many years, Steve Colderick has decided that the time has come for him to stand down as a committee member and secretary of the Spalding Hall. Thank you, Steve, for your time and all your hard work. It has been very much appreciated.

I have now taken over as the Spalding Hall secretary and will have big boots to fill.

Hall Hire

The Spalding Hall is available for hire for local organisations and private groups. Have you thought about having a children's party at the hall? With the cost of fuel rising, we have had to increase the price of hiring the hall but it is still very reasonable. Depending on the event it has capacity for 30-40 people. It has a cosy hall area, kitchen, and toilets. Please contact Jean Martin for bookings on **01647 24586**.

Smile Amazon

Amazon shoppers, did you know that you could be helping The Spalding Hall each time you shop at no extra cost to you.

What do I need to do?

1. Log into **smile.amazon.co.uk**
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4. Remember to log into **smile.amazon.co.uk** whenever you make a purchase

Thank you,

Ruth Unsworth, 01647 24773
ruthunsworth67@gmail.com

Street Party



A very big thank you to Lisa who organised and to all the helpers and providers that made the Queen's Platinum Celebrations Street Tea Party such a success. It was a great achievement all around and the weather agreed by staying fine for the afternoon.

An event to remember. Well done everybody.

Dennis Milton

Jamboree Diary

Hello, I am back to tell you that so much has happened since I last wrote. Firstly, thank you so much to those who attended and contributed to my first individual fundraiser, the *Jubilee Big Breakfast*. I would like to say a massive thank you, in no particular order to Persis, the Dunnings, Tim, Janet, Peter & Sarah, Julia & the boys, and my parents; without them all, it wouldn't have been possible. Also, a huge thank you to Oinkers Farm Shop who generously sponsored the event. I raised the amazing sum of £430.

I have been to Simmons Park, Okehampton, fundraising with Scouts from Mid Devon who are part of the World Scout Jamboree (WSJ) contingent. We have also been making lots and lots of woggles for regional Scout camps – my fingers and thumbs are getting rather sore!

I had my first training camp at Watcombe, Torbay, with all the other scouts and leaders. This was the first time that all 80 of us from Devon who are going to Korea have come together. We had a great weekend teambuilding that helped us get to know our units and patrols from all over the county.

We have our next training camp in late July, back in Watcombe, but this time it will just be my unit. As a small group from Mid-Devon, we are hoping to have a fundraising stand at Okehampton Show and I am planning more big breakfasts, in Drewsteignton, and Tedburn. Who knows, I could be persuaded to hold another one here in Cheriton Bishop, hopefully next time without the fire alarms!!!

Alice Smith

Letters to the Editor

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Louise Turley

Marketing Executive, Business Information Point

Health & Lifestyle

You Are Your Captain

I'd like to share a powerful quote which can be a useful reminder when life throws the occasional curve ball:

*We cannot direct the wind,
but we can adjust the sails*

Without adjusting the sails on a boat, the wind would carry the boat off wherever it pleases. To stay on course, the boat must work with the wind and adjust its sails to continue on its path.

Similarly in life, there are some things that happen that are out of our control. Like the wind. At this point, we can let these things push us around, or we can make choices to be more adaptable and flexible so we can cope with these things better.

This way of thinking can be applied when unexpected occurrences happen in our

relationships, in our work, to our health and other aspects of life.

When we choose to adjust the sails, rather than fight the wind of life, we choose resilience rather than resistance.

Resistance results in a struggle, exhaustion and ending up reluctantly somewhere where the wind took you, rather than where you want to be.

Resilience results in heightened awareness, confidence, and strength to tackle the next storm.

Remember, life can be turbulent, but you are your Captain - happy and healthy sailing to you!

With love and appreciation!

Joe Arnold

Dartmoor Chiropractic

www.dartmoorchiropractic.co.uk

Health & Lifestyle

Cheriton Bishop & Teign Valley Practice

We are now 2 years down the line from the beginning of Covid-19 pandemic. Over that time a lot has changed within general practice across the land. We have tried despite this to continue providing an accessible family practice and have had to rely increasingly on new ways of working to be able to manage the increasing demands.

The days of being able to provide a walk-in service are now unrealistic in-view of the on going risks of a busy waiting room. We continue to aim to provide an acute on the day service for those in need. To enable us to do that we ask that patients contact the surgery with their request. This can be accessed from the website **www.cheritonbishoppractice.co.uk** or from the phone system. We appreciate some will need to speak directly to reception. Calls can then be directed to the most appropriate member of the team for advice and routine or urgent appointments.

Due to the huge backlogs in secondary care, please ask questions directly to the appropriate hospital team. We recommend accessing the hospital **My Care** computer system at **www.patient-services.co.uk/login** for up to date information on your hospital records and appointments.

While access via texts has in many ways improved access to getting in contact with GP's, we would be grateful if you would seek advice by calling **111** or use online NHS resources at **www.nhs.uk** for minor ailments or the 'handiapp' for children's illness **<https://devonccg.nhs.uk/health-services/children-and-young-people/handi-app>**

Our call volume has doubled with no additional workforce, which can mean less time available for those with more serious issues.

Those with chronic health conditions will continue to be invited for their routine check up's in the month of their Birthday. If this month has passed without review please contact the surgery as above.

As we rely more on communicating via text and email, please ensure that we have your up-to-date land and mobile numbers and email addresses.

We are aware that communication is important so please do check the Parish mags and the website for details regularly

Julia Mercer
Practice Manager

Surgery Vacancy

Secretary / Administrator (Cheriton Bishop Surgery)

27 hours per week (3 days, 8am-6pm, including one hour for lunch). Salary according to experience.

Please send CVs and application letters to:

Julia Mercer, Practice Manager,

Cheriton Bishop & Teign Valley Practice, Yeoford Road, Cheriton Bishop, Exeter EX6 6JA

Tel: **01646 24272** Email: juliamercer@nhs.net

Closing Date: Friday 29th July

Cheriton Bishop School

We all really enjoyed welcoming you back into school to celebrate the Queen's Jubilee at the end of last half term. We are an incredible community and could not hold events like this without you; thank you to everyone who took the time to join us, baked for us and supported the children on the day.

The Cherry B Challenge

The money you help us to raise through the PTFA gets put straight back into improving your children's experiences at school. The PTFA puts money aside after each event to help pay for the class trips from the virtual trip to the London Transport Museum at the start of the year to Class 3's planned trip this term, it has helped to pay for the vast majority of these costs.

The PTFA also sets aside money for bigger projects and has, most recently enabled us to order nearly £9,000 worth of equipment to encourage child initiated play which our Pre-school, Reception and KS1 children will all soon benefit from.

Our next aim is to further improve the outdoor space at school. We would like to build an outdoor classroom big enough to house a whole class. Alongside that we would like to improve the equipment we have which encourages communication. We are in the middle of a 2 year project to up skill our children's oracy skills and want to enhance our offering during playtime and

lunchtimes for the children to play in spaces and with resources that further develop this. Things like building a stage to rehearse performances on, building seating and tables, to play with small world or construction toys, are top of our list.

We are currently getting quotes on the cost of this and if you know any carpenters, have contacts in builders merchants or anyone who can donate large or small cable drums we would love to hear from you! Once we have an exact cost we will share this with you so we can all work towards the goal.

The Cherry B challenge is well underway and will help massively with this. Your children are doing everything from building bird houses to growing tomato plants. We would love you to share these by @ting us in via FaceBook which is

@CheritonBishopCommunityPrimarySchool

We would also welcome your children to bring and sell your creations and goods at the end of the day. Please let Mr Scott know before you do this so we can organise a rota.

Thank You Elaine Clark

We would like to say a big thank you to Elaine who has been a community governor at our schools for around 8 years. Elaine has now stepped down as a governor but we're hoping she will still pop in for Diwali celebrations and cookery classes.

Pre-School Spaces Available!

Taking children from ages 2 - 5 years



We provide pre-school education with fun and exciting activities linked to the Early Years Foundation Stage Curriculum. All in a spacious setting with a wide variety of equipment and secure outside play area.

Up to 15 hours free for over 3 year olds, using Early Years Funding, 25 hours of the extended entitlement for those who qualify, or just £4.25 per hour. We accept funding for 2 year olds. For free places for 2 year olds, please call for details.

Please contact Play Leader Christine Grist via email: christine.grist@thelink.academy and visit our pages on the school's website for more information: **www.cheritonbishop.thelink.academy**

Sessions: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday. **Drop off:** 9am to 9.15am,
Pick up: 3pm to 3.15pm

We have spaces available for all sessions. Please call or email to book your child's place.

In the Garden

Time to Harvest & Take Cuttings

July is the month you can really start to harvest in the garden. Dry lavender whilst it is at its best - just before the flowers are fully open. Hang it upside down in a cool, airy place to dry slowly with plenty of circulating air so that it doesn't shrivel. Flowers like achillea, gypsophila, zinnias and honesty seedpods can also be successfully dried.

If you have a shady place to put pots, or a cold frame, now is a good time to take semi-ripe cuttings of shrubs and conifers. Lavender, for instance, is a short-lived shrub and new plants are necessary every few years, to maintain a good, compact display.

Tip cuttings of non flowering shoots will soon produce new growth if conditions are right.

Remove the lower leaves and insert the stems into pots of compost. Keep them slightly damp and shaded until they start to grow.

Propagate clematis by taking internodal cuttings. This means cutting above a pair of leaves. From one shoot you can take several pieces, each with one pair of leaves on a long

stem. Place them around the edge of a pot with leaves resting on the compost and seal in a clear bag, or put them in a shaded cold frame.

New potatoes will be ready to harvest this month and look clean and bright as you lift them from the soil. Shallots and garlic can be lifted as the foliage begins to turn yellow. Leave them in the sun, or a dry place, to ripen.

Cut back herbs such as mint, tarragon, marjoram and sorrel. The new leaves they produce are much tastier than the old ones. You can still sow lettuce seeds to make sure you have a continuous supply of green leaves to accompany your ripening tomatoes.

Sally Rix



Polite Notice...

Please pick up after your dog.

Dogs are not permitted on the grounds of Cheriton Bishop Primary School at any time.

Keep your village clean and tidy.



Neighbourhood Watch

Lovely Weather

It looks very much that summer weather is coming as I draft these notes. Temperatures are rising bringing the chance to get outside and enjoy the sunshine and the lovely area where we live. However, if it gets too hot for too long, there are health risks. Take care if you are vulnerable and look out for those most at risk.

All of us should make sure that we stay safe in the sun by covering up, using sunscreen and keeping hydrated. Also avoid being out in the peak heat from 11am - 3pm, move to shaded areas, take cool showers, drink plenty of water, wear a wide brimmed hat and loose fitting light coloured clothing and try to get air flowing through the home along with closing curtains during the day. Take care all and don't leave anyone / children or animals in a closed parked vehicle.

Suspicious Person

A warning to all that a phone call scam is taking place in Devon by a person calling himself Sergeant Martin Spencer, a police officer in London. He is apparently investigating the unauthorised use of a person's bank card. As has been said on occasions the Police will never contact people asking for banking details or requesting that they withdraw money from an account to aid the investigation. The police advise that anyone receiving such a call not to give any information and hang up their phone. Wait until you hear the dial tone and then call their bank using the number on the back of your card and also the police on 101.

Password Strength

There are 3 easy steps that can be taken to be more secure online:

- Use a separate password for your email account
- Use 3 random words
- Turn to two factor authentication

More information on these three items can be found online from Neighbourhood Watch by visiting: ourwatch.org.uk/passwords

Theft

Recently in the Crediton area farm and garden machinery has been reported stolen. A Williams trailer with ramp and side mesh sides and a

Mountfield ride on mower. Both taken on the same night. Any information on these should be reported to the police on **101**. This type of crime can happen in any area and all machinery must be made secure and locked away if at all possible.

Ofgem

Apparently there are fake emails from Ofgem around stating that the recipient is due for a rebate from a newly announced government scheme. The links on the email lead to websites that are designed to steal personal and financial information. As N W has said many times, official organisations and banks will not ask for personal information via email or text. To check out contact the company using details from their official website. Forward a suspicious looking email to report@phishing.gov.uk

Going Away

You may be lucky enough to be going away soon so here are a few tips to help ensure your safety.

- 1 Do research on accommodation, flights, cruises, package holidays etc, to check that they are authentic.
- 2 Check that accommodation does exist.
- 3 Check reviews on Trip Advisor or similar sites.
- 4 Pay by credit card with a good chance of getting your money back if things go wrong.
- 5 Travel agents and tour operators should be members of ABTA or ATOL.
- 6 Be wary of cheap holidays or high deposits.
- 7 Check terms and conditions.
- 8 Keep all paperwork and check statements for irregular payments and entries.
- 9 Be on your guard of callers who can arrange holiday refunds.

That's it for this edition of Neighbourhood Watch. We hope that you all enjoy a break and keep safe and well. It is hard to believe that by the next Newsletter it will be September.

Always be observant & vigilant and keep your eyes open when out and about.

Keep well and safe everyone.

Contacts

Jean Martin: **01647 24586**

Police: **101** or **999** for an emergency

Church Messages

Churchwarden's Ramblings

The Platinum Jubilee was a busy time so a big thank you to everyone who provided food and helped with the Teddy Bear Zip wire afternoon, and the Sunday Service with Cream Tea, many thanks to you all. The heaviest Bear was 'Finlay' and only just fitted through the gap in the stonework at the top of the tower and the smallest was 'Little Cat', no toys were harmed during the event.

The display of artwork in St Mary's over the 4 days from the School and a few parishioners was quite impressive. There was heavy use of Red, White and Blue together with a few other vibrant colours which brightened up the church, a good effort from all.

There are significant changes in the Service Rota so please take careful note of the times and service

types; there will always be a Communion Service somewhere in the Team on Sundays.

The Bell Ringers would also welcome anyone who would like to learn, or indeed any ringers who have semi retired and would be able to help in making up a Team. Please contact me for more details.

Dates For Your Diary

Saturday 1st October: Harvest Supper

Sunday 2nd October, St Mary's: Harvest Festival

I know this is quite a way ahead but if anyone would like to help with the church flower decoration please contact Juliet on **01647 24415**.

Alan Greenslade, 01647 24002

Holy Trinity, Yeoford

Sandra Grigg our treasurer for the past thirty-eight years planted a Horse Chestnut tree, kindly provided by Michael and Sandy Hall, to celebrate the queen's platinum jubilee. Lewis said a prayer and we sang the national anthem and toasted the queen with sparkling wine.

We now have new and much more comfortable chairs in church a much-needed addition.

Thanks to Revd David Francis for coming to our rescue and taking our Holy Communion in June.

Carol Price, 01647 24468

Regular Events

Café Company: Mondays, 10am till 11am

Community Lunch: Monday 18th, 12.30pm

Please note: No café or Lunch Club in August

Services for July

Sunday 10th, 9.30am: Holy Communion

Sunday 31st, 5pm: Songs of Praise

Services for August

Sunday 14th, 9.30am: Holy Communion

West Down Evangelical Chapel

Yeoford Road, Cheriton Bishop, EX6 6HG. Telephone **01647 24264** or **01647 24660**

July 2022

Communion and Service, 11am

Sunday 3rd: with Gerald Downs

Sunday 10th: with Bob Werrett

Sunday 17th: sermon from internet

Sunday 24th: with Chris Andrew

Sunday 31st: with Rev David Cole

Family Service, 3pm

Sunday 17th: with Stowford Meadow Singers

Friends & Neighbours Meet, 2-4pm

Thursday 21st, Med Aldys, Hittisleigh

August 2022

Communion and Service, 11am

Sunday 7th: with Mark Perkins

Sunday 14th: with Rev Maurice Harrison

Sunday 21st: sermon from internet

Sunday 28th: with Samuel Oliver

Family Service, 3pm

Sunday 21st: with Laurence and Sharon Garnett from Love into Action

Friends & Neighbours Meet, 2-4pm

Thursday 18th, West Down Chapel

Services at St Mary's

St Mary's, Cheriton Bishop & North Kenn Mission Community Churches

Welcome to St Mary's: We invite everyone, including children, to attend all of our services.
Spalding Hall is open for the use of the toilets during *highlighted* service times.

July 2022

Sunday 3rd: St Thomas

9.30am	Whitestone	Morning Prayer	Lay Led
9.30am	Holcombe Burnell	Holy Communion	Rev'd Martin Wood
11am	Tedburn St Mary	Informal Worship	Rev'd Martin Wood
6pm	Cheriton Bishop	Evening Prayer	Rev'd Martin Wood

Thursday 7th

10.30am	Pathfinder	Holy Communion	Rev'd Martin Wood
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Sunday 10th: Trinity 4

9.30am	Holcombe Burnell	Morning Prayer	Lay Led
9.30am	Whitestone	Parish Communion	Rev'd Martin Wood
11am	Cheriton Bishop	Family Service	Rev'd Martin Wood
3pm	Pathfinder	Prayer and Fellowship	Rev'd Martin Wood
6pm	Tedburn St Mary	Evening Prayer	Rev'd Martin Wood

Sunday 17th: Trinity 5

9.30am	Cheriton Bishop	Parish Communion	Rev'd Martin Wood
11am	Whitestone	Family Service	Rev'd Martin Wood
3pm	Pathfinder	Evening Prayer	Rev'd Martin Wood
6pm	Holcombe Burnell	Evening Prayer	Lay Led

Thursday 21st

10.30am	Pathfinder	Holy Communion	Rev'd Martin Wood
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Sunday 24th: Trinity 6

9.30am	Cheriton Bishop	Morning Prayer	Lay Led
9.30am	Tedburn St Mary	Parish Communion	Rev'd Martin Wood
11am	Holcombe Burnell	Family Service	Rev'd Martin Wood
3pm	Pathfinder	United Service	Rev'd Martin Wood
6pm	Whitestone	Evening Prayer	Rev'd Martin Wood

Sunday 31st: Trinity 7

10.30am	Tedburn St Mary	Team Communion	Rev'd Martin Wood
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August 2022

Thursday 4th

10.30am	Pathfinder	Morning Prayer	Lay Led
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Sunday 7th: Trinity 8

9.30am	Whitestone	Morning Prayer	Lay Led
9.30am	Holcombe Burnell	Holy Communion	Lay Led
11am	Tedburn St Mary	Informal Worship	Lay Led
6pm	Cheriton Bishop	Evening Prayer	Lay Led

Sunday 14th: Trinity 9

9.30am	Holcombe Burnell	Morning Prayer	Lay Led
9.30am	Whitestone	Parish Communion	Rev'd Martin Wood
11am	Cheriton Bishop	Family Service/Baptism	Rev'd Martin Wood
3pm	Pathfinder	Prayer and Fellowship	Rev'd Martin Wood
6pm	Tedburn St Mary	Evening Prayer	Rev'd Martin Wood

Thursday 18th

10.30am	Pathfinder	Holy Communion	Rev'd Martin Wood
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Services at St Mary's

Sunday 21st: Trinity 10

9.30am	Cheriton Bishop	Parish Communion	Revd Martin Wood
11am	Whitestone	Family Service	Revd Martin Wood
3pm	Pathfinder	Evening Prayer	Lay Led
6pm	Holcombe Burnell	Evening Prayer	Revd Martin Wood

Sunday 28th: Trinity 11

9.30am	Cheriton Bishop	Morning Prayer	Lay Led
9.30am	Tedburn St Mary	Parish Communion	Revd Martin Wood
11am	Holcombe Burnell	Family Service	Revd Martin Wood
3pm	Pathfinder	United Service	
6pm	Whitestone	Evening Prayer	Revd Martin Wood

Message from St Mary's

New possibilities & exciting things to look forward to

Summer is notable for many things this year. The most important is the end of the summer term and the beginning of the school holidays.

Secondly, the Commonwealth Games start in Birmingham on Thursday 28th July. When I was at school the summer term seemed to go on forever, the weeks in July were the last gasp of a long school year. The prospect of six weeks of holidays with no school seemed impossibly long with lots of exciting things to be done.

The weather was usually hot when we had to be stuck inside and the rain seemed to wait for sports day! Sadly, the rain also seemed to wait for the beginning of the school holidays, the best weather usually happened over the exam period. Given that the 2022 Commonwealth Games in Birmingham, starting around the beginning of the school holidays, I have great concern that they may have quite a bit of rain. I went to university in Birmingham and I was struck by how much rain seemed to fall there. One of my first purchases was a raincoat that I carried everywhere. Aside from the chance of rain, I am sure the games will create fantastic chances for sporting excellence.

The Commonwealth Games are also known as The Friendly Games. Interestingly they were the first to integrate para-athletes making it a very inclusive event, this happened twenty years ago.

The Commonwealth has been very much part of the Queen's great unifying works. There is a Queen's baton relay which started on 7th October 2021, it will take 294 days to visit 72 nations. Behind the games are the ideas of

bringing people together, and helping people to achieve their full potential. There is also a legacy of inspiring people to try new things that they might not have known about.

It is very easy to become so preoccupied with the great anxieties that we face both locally and internationally. At the moment everything seems so bleak, rapidly rising prices creating real hardship and impossible choices. There is still no end in sight to the war in Ukraine.

The Christian faith has a legacy of enduring great hardship yet still believing in God. God promises that there are new possibilities still to be discovered. There is hope in the face of despair.

The most important aspect is that people work together for good, it allows the possibility of a change for good

The more dangerous path is that people act selfishly for their own good, with things inevitably only getting worse.

Perhaps as we watch the Commonwealth games on television we might remember what they aspire to 'Games for Everyone'. They remind us of our common humanity and the need for equality but they also remind us to look to our future and new possibilities it may hold.

Rev. Martin Wood

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CB Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting

Held at Spalding Hall, Cheriton Bishop on Monday 13th June 2022

Present: Cllr Benjamin, Cllr Edwards (Chair), Cllr O'Neill, Cllr Salmon, Cllr Westcott, Cllr Letch (DCC) and Cllr Coren (MDDC)

In attendance: The Clerk and one member of the public

1. To elect the Chair of the Council and receive the Declaration of Office:

Cllr Edwards was elected Chair having agreed to take on the role for 3 months. The Declaration of Office was received.

2. To receive and accept apologies: Received and accepted from Cllr Ball.

3. To receive declarations of personal and disclosable pecuniary interests in respect of items on the agenda:

Cllr Benjamin declared a pecuniary interest in Planning Application 22/00774 and a personal interest in Planning Application 22/00261.

4. Public Discussion – an opportunity for members of the public to make representations, answer questions and give evidence in respect of any item on the agenda: A member of the public asked if the PC had up to date information on Bunnyhomes' proposed development of housing on Church Lane. It was confirmed that the PC had not been notified by MDDC that they had received an application and that there had been no further contact from Bunnyhomes since the April PC meeting, which they attended.

5. Cheriton Bishop Parish Council Meeting Minutes 9th May 2022 – to consider the approval of the minutes as a correct record: It was resolved to approve the minutes as a correct record.

6. To receive reports from MDDC Councillors - for information only:

Cllr Coren reported he had attended a MDDC Environment Public Discussion which included a session on sustainable farming.

The Homes Policy Development Group had given an illustrated talk on Ukrainian refugee issues in Mid Devon. Most of the refugees received in Mid Devon are women and children. Cllr Coren will forward the presentation to the Clerk for circulation to Councillors. Cllr Coren reiterated how disappointed he was that, at the ongoing Parish Boundary Review, it will not be possible to add Moor Park to the Parish as it is in the Teignbridge District Council area. Councillors discussed this issue at length and asked the Clerk to write to MDDC setting out the reasons, with evidence, for correcting this anomaly. Contact also to be made with Teignbridge DC.

Cllr Coren explained that a new gateway, which has been created on the Yeoford road, has been reported to MDDC Planning. Councillors asked the Clerk to support Cllr Coren's report as the gateway is a potential road safety hazard.

7. To receive a report from Cllr Letch (DCC) – for information only: Cllr Letch has presented to DCC a petition from Bow parishioners about the poor state of roads in the parish. Cheriton Bishop could consider doing this in future as it opens up an opportunity for Cllr Letch to speak to DCC officers and members. He has attended a briefing about the DCC Apprentice Scheme which, since 2017, has helped more than 600 young people. He will forward information so that the PC can put it on FaceBook.

8. Mid Devon District Council Planning Applications – to consider the following applications upon which the Council has been asked to comment:

(Cllr Benjamin left the meeting)

Reference: 22/00964/HOUSE

Proposal: Conversion of garage to ancillary accommodation

Location: Fairview Cheriton Bishop

Applicant: Miss E Benjamin

It was resolved (3 in support, 1 neutral) to support this application on the understanding that use will be restricted to that which is ancillary to the existing dwelling.

(Cllr Benjamin re-joined the meeting)

CB Parish Council

Reference: 22/00774/HOUSE
Proposal: Erection of single-story extension
Location: Waddington Church Lane Cheriton Bishop
Applicant: Mr D Milton
It was resolved to support this application.

Reference: 22/00983/CLU
Proposal: Certificate of Lawfulness for the existing use of land as a caravan site for a period in excess of 10 years
Location: Woodleigh Touring Park Cheriton Bishop
Applicant: Hoey's Caravans Ltd

After discussion it was resolved to support this application with a request that the use be restricted to touring and/or static caravans used for holiday lets, as this will provide the greatest benefit to local businesses and trade. The use of caravans as permanent or long-term residences should not be permitted.

Reference: 22/00261/FULL
Proposal: Erection of extension to scout hut and erection of groundskeeper store
Location: Tedburn & Cheriton Bishop Scout Group HQ Cheriton Bishop
Applicant: Mr O Milverton

Councillors were content with the erection of the extension to the scout hut and recognised that a groundskeeper's store is needed. However, some Councillors were concerned about biodiversity and environmental implications of the proposed site of the store. It was resolved to ask for an extension of time to comment to allow a site visit by Councillors. It was also resolved by a majority (4 for, 1 against) that: 1) if an extension is not allowed for the site visit, the Council will object to the application due to the potential biodiversity implications and suggests that an alternative, less sensitive site, be found; and 2) that the application should be called into Committee if the Planning Officer is minded to approve the Groundskeeper's Store in the proposed location.

9. Mid Devon District Council Planning Decisions - to note that MDDC has approved the following applications with conditions as filed:

Reference: 21/02539/FULL
Proposal: Erection of agricultural building
Location: Woodland at NGR 278916 95136 Road from Froggy Mill to Twisted Oak Cheriton Bishop
Applicant: Ms E Roblyn

Reference: 22/00650/CAT
Proposal: Removal of 2 limbs from 1 willow tree and removal of 3 cyprus trees within the Conservation Area
Location: Cottage Lawn Cheriton Bishop
Applicant: Mr K Unsworth

10. Additional Defibrillator for the Parish – to receive an update and consider a service agreement:

The Clerk reported that an updated quotation has been received for the defibrillator. The cost will now be £1885. Confirmation is awaited from the Link Academy that they are content to carry out the regular checks required and also from the MDDC Conservation Officer that the proposed site is agreed as it is in the Conservation Area. It was resolved that, once confirmation of these two points has been received, the PC will purchase the defibrillator via Community Heartbeat Trust's managed solution and with an Annual Service Agreement.

11. War Memorial – to receive an update on renewed efforts to replace the surface:

The Clerk reported that an application to the War Memorials Trust is in progress.

12. Annual Internal Audit Report 2021/22 – to note the contents:

The Report had previously been circulated to all Councillors and its contents were noted.
The Clerk reported that the Auditor had raised no concerns.

13. Certificate of Exemption 2021/22 – to resolve to certify that the Council is exempt from the limited assurance review under S9 of the Local Audit (Smaller Authorities) Regulations 2015:

It was resolved to certify that the Council is exempt as the higher of gross income and gross expenditure did not exceed £25,000 in the accounting year ended 31 March 2022.

CB Parish Council

14. Annual Governance Statement 2021/22 – to consider, approve and sign the annual governance statement:

It was resolved to approve and sign the Annual Governance Statement with respect to the Accounting Statements for the year ended 31 March 2022.

15. Annual Accounting Statement 2021/22 – to consider, approve and sign the annual accounting statement:

It was resolved to approve and sign the Accounting Statement for the year ended 31 March 2022.

16. PC Priorities and Performance – to consider a performance and review process:

Councillors discussed the draft which Cllr O'Neill had previously circulated. A few amendments were suggested. Cllr O'Neill will update the draft and circulate it again for discussion at the July meeting.

17. Accounts & Budget – the following payments were approved:

Payee	Budget	Amount
Clerk - Salary May	Salary	£326.58
HMRC	Salary	£2.00
DCW Furniture (Invoice P823012) (already paid)	New Assets	£1717.20
Wilson Gardening Services (May)	Playground	£100.00
Penny Clapham (Internal Audit)	Admin	£55.00
Savills (Invoice 735983) Rent	Village Green	£327.00
Clerk – refund to paper and toner	Admin	£35.60
Village Hall (Inv 22/04/04)	Hall hire	£82.00
Clarity (Invoice 2283894)	Newsletter	£80.66
E Benjamin (refund for repair of noticeboard – materials)	R & M	£30.62
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18. To receive a report from the Chair (for information only): None.

19. To receive reports from Councillors (for information only):

Cllr Benjamin reported that the hole in the Glebelands Play Area hedge will be repaired shortly. Cllr O'Neill reported that he had cut back the euphorbia at the War Memorial. At the Devon & Cornwall Community Speedwatch update he learned that Devon & Cornwall Police are planning to co-ordinate speed initiatives better and planning to work more closely with communities. He has requested a meeting with the Road Casualty Reduction Officer.

Cllr Westcott reported that she has arranged a meeting to discuss the way forward for the Community Land Trust. A coordinator for the Wildlife Warden Scheme has been appointed and it is hoped the pilot scheme will start in July. Cllr Edwards agreed to be the PC's point of contact for the Scheme.

This was Cllr Westcott's last PC meeting as she is moving away from the Parish. Councillors expressed their disappointment but gave thanks for all her work for the Parish over many years.

20. Correspondence/Clerk's Report (for information only):

No-one has shown interest in filling the currently advertised vacancy for a Councillor. The closing date for applications is 4th July.

21. Dates of Next Meetings (all commencing at 7pm at the Spalding Hall unless otherwise notified):

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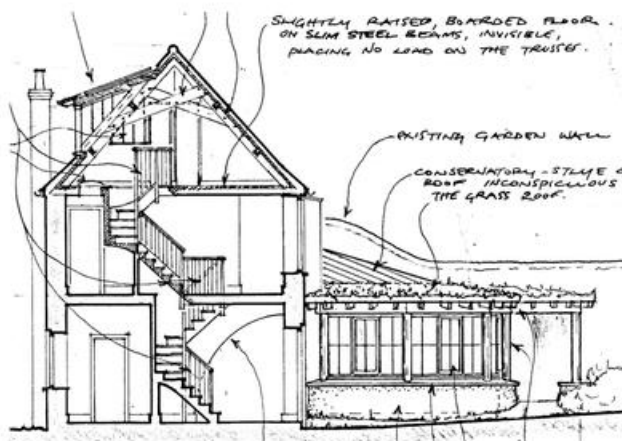
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