

# Pillaton Village News

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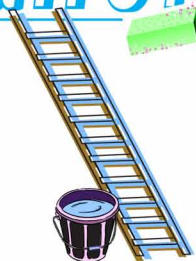
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# HARVEST 2022

Monday 3rd October

Harvest Praise Service

at St Odulph's

at 7.00 pm

followed by

## HARVEST SUPPER & AUCTION

in the Village Hall at 7.45 pm

*Donations of puddings & sweets for the supper and contributions of good quality bric-a-brac for the auction, together with cakes, vegetables, fruit, flowers, plants, jams and pickles would be gratefully received.*

*Please take to the Village Hall before 7.00 pm.*

Glass of wine & supper of pasty and pudding  
£5 (on the door)

(Feel free to bring own drink)

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(helping the single homeless of Cornwall)

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In the normal course of events this editorial would almost certainly have been commenting on the fact we have a new Prime Minister and trying to make some vaguely witty comment about pork and cheese markets. However, another event has completely overshadowed everything else; the passing of our beloved Queen, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II on Thursday 8 September, who dedicated her life in the service of this country.

Hearing the news of her passing is one of those events such as the assassination of President Kennedy, the death of Princess Diana, or 9/11 that people will remember exactly where they were. During the course of that Thursday afternoon, it was becoming clear that the news about Her Majesty's health was not going to be good and I suspect by the time the news finally broke many people would have been settling down to their evening meal. Rather curiously and perhaps fittingly I was wearing full black tie when I heard the news. Now before everyone runs away with the idea that the Dwane family always dress formally for dinner in a throwback to Edwardian times, I should point out I was in the ballroom of the Duke of Cornwall Hotel about to attend a retired naval officer's function, when a member of the hotel staff gave us the sad news. Being too late to cancel, the dinner started with a minute's silence and concluded with the loyal toast, as tradition would dictate to, "The King."

Enough of me, the closest I ever came to meeting Her Majesty was through a pair of binoculars, when she met President Clinton at the 50th Anniversary of the D-Day Landings. There are bound to be individuals in Pillaton who have their own very personal memories and much more telling stories of meeting her in person. For the rest of us it has been a case of witnessing everything though the medium of television and newspapers. It is probably true to say that no-one in history has had their life documented in such minute detail and for such an extended length of time, but what a life.

By way of a memorial to Her Majesty's life on the front cover, rather than use a contemporary image I have used one taken by the society photographer Dorothy Wilding on 26 February 1952. If it looks familiar this is because the photograph formed the basis of all British stamps and coins for the first 15 years of the Queen's reign. It was taken less than three weeks after the death of Her Majesty's father King George VI, and despite this she was still able to combine her natural film star looks with elegance and poise and perhaps an early precursor to the manner in which she selflessly served her country throughout her life.

The next copy date is 7 November - full details on page 27.

*Robin Dwane,  
Editor*

## **COFFEE MORNING**

Come and keep us company with tea, coffee, cake & chat.

A chance for locals to get together to make some new friends and have a change of scenery.

**The Weary Friar, Friday 23rd September**

from 11.00 am until 1.00 pm.

No charge.

For more information contact Sue 07771 756125  
or Trina 07957 496227.

## **CONCERT OF TALENTS**

Youngsters - please read on -

Do you have a talent or skill that you would be willing to share with the village community?

Can you sing, play, read, recite, perform magic ...?

We would like to invite young people in Pillaton to take part

in a ***"Concert of Talents"***

**at Pillaton Church on Sunday 16th October**

at 6.00 pm.

All ages (under-18) and abilities welcome, accompanist available if required. If you would like to take part please contact Sue McClaughry on 07771 756125 or [smcclaughry@coronis.co.uk](mailto:smcclaughry@coronis.co.uk)

## MINUTES OF PARISH COUNCIL MEETING 6 SEPTEMBER 2022

ATTENDANCE Cllrs, Dolley, Bunkum, Warne, Moore, Ley, Johnson and Floyd.

APOLOGIES None.

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST None.

### PUBLIC FORUM

There were no members of the public present.

### MINUTES

The minutes of 5<sup>th</sup> July 2022 Council meeting were accepted unanimously.

### MATTERS ARISING

- a) Signage The Council accepted Cllr Johnson's kind offer to donate an additional line to the new Playing field sign informing visitors to report any problems at the Playing field to the Chairman.
- b) Zip Wire It was noted that the zip wire was the correct length purchased and that the Chair and vice Chair had tightened the wire thus improving the performance of the equipment.
- c) Slide The Council believed that there was no requirement to have additional matting at the bottom of the slide and that with the end of the unusually dry weather the grass would re-establish itself.

### FINANCE

The Council approved the following payments; £42 to Mr Sticker for playing field sign and £45 to Mr Lawson for web hosting.

### ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- 1. The Council endorsed the offer of the Playing Field Support Group to pay for an independent new risk assessment at the playing field following the installation of new equipment.
- 2. The Playing Field Support group offered to seek replacement netting for the goal posts.
- 3. It was noted that the repainting of the telephone box was in progress.
- 4. As dedicated WI-Fi connection for the defibrillator had now been installed thanks were recorded to Phil Ruby for allowing use of his Wi-Fi for communication to the defibrillator up to this point.
- 5. The Council decided not to progress with any official Neighbourhood Watch scheme as they felt that neighbours already alerted fellow neighbours of unusual activity and that the Police appeared inactive in this field.
- 6. The poor state of the road surface at Briars Ryn was noted and would be kept under review by the Council.

*Chairman Mr. Dolley*

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## **Pillaton Village Hall 200 Club Winners**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Winner</b>
3 Jan 2022	£128	121	Graham Heap
7 Feb 2022	£128	90	John Archer
7 Mar 2022	£130	29	Jan Simms
4 Apr 2022	£130	82	Wendy Lee
2 May 2022	£131	32	Brian Henderson
6 Jun 2022	£131	40	Brian Hutfield
4 Jul 2022	£132	11	Malcolm Smith
1 Aug 2022	£132	99	Suzy Renfree
6 Sep 2022	£132	114	Jan White

**NEXT DRAW**  
**3 OCTOBER 2022**

### **\*\*\*\*\* RENEWAL & APPLICATION REMINDER\*\*\*\*\***

Renewal reminders for 2022/23 will shortly be sent out to existing members of the 200 Club.

Renewal and annual payment of £24 per ticket must be made by 1 November to qualify for the first draw on 8 November for all members who subscribed prior to 1 November 2021. Members who joined subsequent to this date will be separately contacted and requested to pay a pro rata amount to align future renewal payments. Pillaton Village Hall CIO trustees have amended item 7. of the club's Terms and Conditions regarding this. The amended Ts & Cs are included in this post and will be issued with the renewal reminders.

A monthly draw will be made for one prize consisting of a twelfth of the prize fund up to **£200.**

The club is open to residents of Pillaton and the surrounding area, their families and friends, over 16 years of age.

If you wish to join the club, please contact Chris Ley for an application form by email ([chris@chrisley.plus.com](mailto:chris@chrisley.plus.com)) or Mobile: 07972 817086

# GARDENING CLUB SUMMER SHOW



On Saturday 3 September the Gardening Club was able to hold its Summer Show in the Village Hall without any constraints for the first time since 2019.

The response from the Parishioners was fantastic, well over forty entrants and an increase in entries by over 25% from the 2019 show. This included several newcomers to this event who had settled in the Parish since the start of the Covid lockdown and other related restraints.



What was also equally pleasing to our Committee members was the huge gathering of interested people to view the displays of flowers, fruit and vegetables, preserves, wine, art and crafts, cookery, and needlecraft as well as the children's efforts who also remained for the presentation of prizes to the category winners by our President, Dick Harnett.

As Chairman, I wish to thank the efforts of the Committee in staging the show and in particular to Carole Hoskin who, without her considerable input, the show could not have happened.



There were a variety of winners, some winning in more than one category as follows:

Cut Flowers and Best Herbs - Clare Page



Family award to Spencer Symons and his family for most points in Wine, Junior Section, and Children's Cookery.

For Handicrafts, mainly mosaics and the Specialist Potted Plant Class - Richard Warwick.

Alison Downing won the awards for Art and Coloured Photography.

Floral Art was won by Sue Archer, whilst hubby John, won the prize for the Best Leeks.

Chris Barwell won the award for the Most Points in Potted Plants whilst Esme

Garland won the Needlecraft trophy and Susan Wyman in the Cookery Classes.

The Vegetables and Fruit Classes, along with Preserves was won by Ian Edwards and the Infants Garden on a Plate was won by Primrose Smith.

The next event being run by the Gardening Club is the Halloween / pumpkin carving event on Sunday, 30 October, in the Village Hall. There will be plenty of pumpkins but much smaller than previous years due to the very dry summer.

*Ian Edwards, Chairman, Pillaton Gardening Club*



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## Party Nights



2nd Dec - Tribute Party Night - "Jersey Boys" ~ £45pp  
3rd Dec - Hollywood Party Night ~ £35pp  
9th Dec - Hollywood Party Night ~ £35pp  
10th Dec - Hollywood Party Night ~ £35pp  
16th Dec - Live Band ~ £45pp  
17th Dec - Hollywood Party Night ~ £35pp

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# PILLATON ARTS AND CRAFTS SOCIETY EXHIBITION



Finally! We have been able to stage a PAAC exhibition. Our last one was in 2018 and the following one should have been in 2020 but of course we have had to postpone it because of Covid and lockdowns until this year.

Initially we were unsure how many exhibits we would receive and were astonished at the number of exhibitors and the quality and range of the exhibits.

We were pleased to be able to use our brand-new screens for the first time. They were perfect for the large number of stunning paintings, lovely needlework and quilting items.



The 'Knit and Natter' group did us proud with their vast and varied array of craft work. There were displays of the work produced in the workshops of the last 2 years and excellent videos of photography. We had demonstrations of their specialities from various members – including mosaics, jewellery making, lino-cuts and calligraphy.

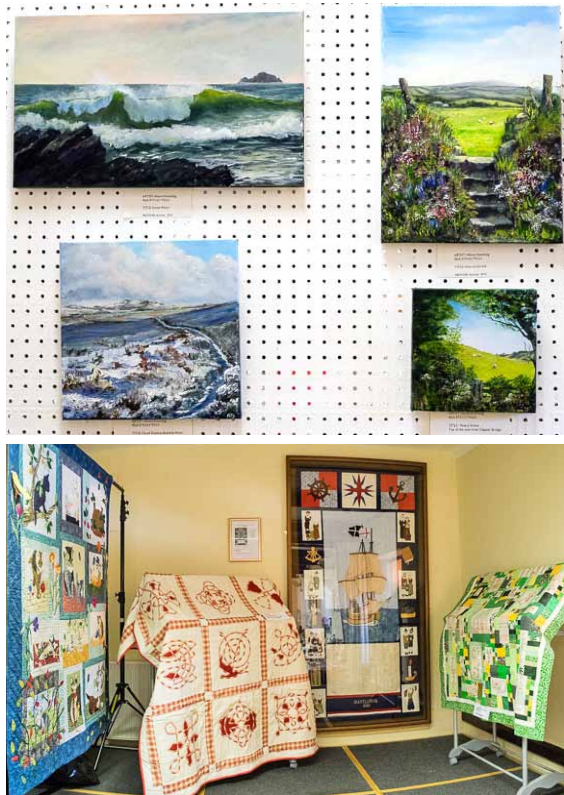
The children were also represented by their lovely Jubilee artwork hosted by the Weary Friar.

Our thanks go to everyone who supported us by visiting the exhibition. We were particularly pleased to meet newcomers to the village and hope that some of them might decide to join us at our regular meetings.

The whole weekend was a great success and created a lovely social atmosphere.

John Wheeley has taken some superb photos of the exhibition which can be viewed either on the Pillaton Facebook page or on the Pillaton website at: [https://pillaton.org.uk/gallery/paac\\_exhib\\_jul2022.html](https://pillaton.org.uk/gallery/paac_exhib_jul2022.html)

*Josephine King*



## PUMPKIN FESTIVAL

Pillaton Gardening Club will once again be celebrating the autumn harvest of pumpkins and Halloween on **SUNDAY 30 OCTOBER**, in the Village Hall from 3.00 to 4.30 pm.

Prompt arrival for all children is recommended, to pick your pumpkin and carve it. For more details please contact Linda Mavin on 350956 or Carole Hoskin on 350063.



# MZIMVUBU

No, not a tongue twister, nor even a useful Scrabble word to use up all those awkward letters! So, what is it and where?

The Diocese of Mzimvubu is in the Eastern Cape Province of South Africa and since 2000, when the then Bishop of St. Germans visited the area, has been linked with the Diocese of Truro. The Mzimvubu river, 250 km long, is one of the most important rivers in South Africa. Work has been under way for several years on the Mzimvubu Water Project, intended to maximise use of the river's resources for irrigation and power by constructing dams.

The area has many problems, including extreme poverty, exacerbated by Covid-19 and climate change. Children who were orphaned when their parents died from HIV, but were cared for subsequently by grandparents, are alone again as grandparents themselves succumbed to Covid-19.

Many people in the area have no source of income other than their farms and livestock. Whereas previously, work was available in the mines or sugar cane fields, the slowdown in the economy has left the majority of families with no work.

To alleviate the suffering, the Diocese of Truro has been contributing on a quarterly basis to a feeding programme, helping support some of the most desperate families in the region. As well as food, the programme supports the children with blankets and school uniforms.

So, what has all this to do with Pillaton? Well, our two churches at St. Mellion and Pillaton fall within the Tamar Valley Benefice, which in turn lies within the Diocese of Truro. Traditionally, our church congregations have always looked beyond the local communities to those less fortunate than ourselves. Over the years, we have helped charities such as Callington Foodbank, Children's Hospice Southwest, St. Luke's Hospice, St. Petroc's Society for the homeless and others.

We shall continue to support our local charities – this year we will be donating to St. Petroc's Society again, as their work is needed more than ever in these troubled times – but we are looking at ways of developing a relationship with Mzimvubu too.

The Diocese of Truro's "International Links Programme" aims to build links with communities in other countries and offer mutual support between cultures. We hope to be a part of this and as a PCC (Parochial Church Council) we are actively exploring ways of working with Mzimvubu. We expect to learn and gain from the sharing experience as well as hopefully giving something in return.

Watch this space!

*Ann Henderson for the PCC, St. Mellion with Pillaton.*

## THE BUILDING NEXT TO THE PUB (2)

What a sensible and sensitive article about 'the building next to the pub' was contributed by Sue McClaughry in the last issue of the Pillaton News. Personally, I rarely attend church services having little time for some of the outdated rituals of the Church of England, but I completely respect the beliefs and views of those who find comfort and solace in their religion. However, like Sue, and I suspect most Pillaton villagers, I consider the church building beautiful and appreciate its historical significance and so would not wish it to fall into disuse or disrepair. For any public building in the twenty first century to be without running water, toilet facilities or adequate heating seems to me to be scandalous, especially since this could so easily have been rectified when the church underwent major renovation after the lightning strike in 2012.

The 'On the Way' Steering Group, concerned with the future of our local churches, focuses exclusively on their use for worship and ministry, and if this prevails then Pillaton Church will almost certainly be closed. This would be an enormous loss to the wider social life of the village, and in my view, it is imperative that worship is not the only criterion to be considered. Inspection of the membership of the Steering Group suggests that it is only this activity that is represented; of particular relevance to me - there are certainly no bellringers! So, I hope the Group will invite representatives of other social activities to join it, so that decisions regarding church closures can be made based on human logical reasoning and not just on what the committee regards as "God's given vision."

Previous generations have often altered and modernised church buildings to suit the needs of the community at that time, not always so sensitively as it is possible to do now bearing in mind the preservation of historically important structures. I know that making the church more comfortable and more adaptable to other activities would cost money but there are numerous sources of funding available in the form of grants from charitable foundations and the formation of an organisation such as 'Friends of Pillaton Church' as Sue suggests would enable local fundraising to take place on a much more formal basis.

So far, the maintenance of Pillaton Church has been adequate to ensure that it remains in good condition, but with dwindling congregations and the church's continued failure to attract younger supporters may mean that the future is less certain. Whether we are believers or not, churchgoers or not, if we all work together to look after this quintessential part of our village it could continue to play an active part in village life for generations to come.

*Maire Warwick*

# **A DIFFERENT KIND OF CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL 2022**

## **REPAIR, REUSE RECYCLE, ST ODULPH'S CHURCH PILLATON**

The baking hot summer has moved on into history, the rain dances proved successful, drenching the gardeners on their way up to the Village show. Children have gone back to school in real classrooms, Trago is selling tinsel, it must be time for Pillaton to return to normal and start planning Christmas.

Thank you to everyone who played a part in making the Jubilee Flower Festival such a fitting tribute to the Queen on her 70 years on the throne, it was beautiful and will be a hard act to follow, so the next enterprise must be very different.

Pillaton Church now invites you to have a go at making something from nothing. an eco-friendly Christmas Tree Festival- repair, reuse, recycle is the theme for this year.

'Oh, are they wanting us to fill the church with a load of rubbish?' you ask. Well, no, not exactly, but there could be some of that recrafted into treasure. The idea is to either make a Christmas Tree from recycle materials, use a rooted tree, repair an old artificial tree, even prune a branch from growing conifer, anything that has had a previous use will do, just do not cut down a living tree and put it in a pot.

The trees can be three dimensional or flat to hang up, just as long as it is in the recognisable triangular shape of the traditional Christmas Tree Decorations may be made out of anything too, it depends where your talents lie, knitting. Fabric, glass, metal, plant material, clay or just paper. Lights used need to be battery operated on a timer as there are limited power points in the church.

Plastic can be used for decorations as long as it is re-fashioned from its original purpose, thereby reducing the amount of single use plastic going into our waste bins. Plastic cannot be eliminated; it is now an essential part of our lives, but it can be used with more care to limit the damage it can do to our environment. Your trees can illustrate your individual interests, carry a message, or represent your hobby groups, the choice is yours, this is not primarily a competition but there could possibly be prizes?

Trina has offered to host an afternoon in November, at the Weary Friar, for children to make little Christmas trees to be included in the main display in the Church ready for the Toy Service on 11 December.

Entry is open to all residents of Pillaton Parish.

There is a small charge to cover admin costs:

Societies/Groups/Clubs £5

Households £3

Children Free

Local Businesses by Arrangement

For information contact Alison Downing tel. 01579 351241 -mob 07516179323



# THE JUBILEE FLOWER FESTIVAL

Here is a little tribute in verse to everyone who helped make the Queen's Jubilee Flower Festival in Pillaton such a beautiful display, it really was fit for the Queen. The great number of people who contributed their time, flowers and expertise to make this such a success does mean it is almost impossible to name them all, therefore it is easier to use no names at all!

I am sure you will find yourselves somewhere in these verses -you know who you are and so I say "thank you one and all"

*Alison Downing*

*The folks in the village heard somebody say  
Shall we gather some flowers for Jubilee day?  
The Queen so loves flowers, that much we all know  
I feel sure we can make it a fabulous show.*

*The church was transformed to a garden, it's true,  
Quite how it all happened no one really knew  
The people turned up with great armfuls of blooms,  
Soon ran out of vases so raided our rooms.*

*The wonderful Nursery sent many a tray  
Of plug plants, still blooming in gardens today!  
The paths were a wonder of red, white and blue  
Small boys came running with flags in pots too.*

*Tall men climbed up ladders, hung baskets in trees  
The weight of containers made some gardeners wheeze!  
And over the porch there appeared a great garland  
A red, white and blue wonder made by one magic hand.*

*The bell ringers climbed in a small human chain  
To take up bright orchids, and come down again.  
Great urns framed the altar, all red, gold and green,  
Arrangements to show favourite things for our Queen.*

*A day at the races or sail in Britannia at sea,  
A Garden Party with hats and a nice cup of tea.  
Patient ladies were Sitting for so many long hours  
Crafting orbs, crowns and numbers from thousands of flowers.*

*From the Pub came the children's Artwork from the day  
When they had a great time on their works for display.  
Wild flowers in the porch all those bees loved the best  
They are welcome to visit along with the rest!*

## PILLATON 1922 plus

Robin Dwane's interesting article on "Pillaton 1922" which appeared in the last Village News had a section on the unveiling of the village War Memorial in August 1922. The Rev Somerfield is quoted as being unhappy that our country was failing to meet the expectations of the Fallen. When Lieut. Colonel W. P. Drury was called upon to unveil the memorial, he began by wondering what the Fallen would think of the "criminal bungle we have made of the fruits of their victory." He said that we would search "in vain for the smallest sign of that golden age of universal peace and prosperity, that new world, that land fit for heroes so glibly promised us by politicians." We need to "uproot the poisonous weed of class hatred, which is choking our growth, to put our backs into restoring our country's old prestige and prosperity and work for peace in the world."

These comments repeated the sentiments of other speakers at the ceremony, but Colonel Drury went further. He doubted whether the League of Nations would be able to keep the peace given the failure of conference after conference while Europe was in greater turmoil than in 1914. Using a biblical reference, he reminded the crowd listening that "a strong man armed" came close to overwhelming us. We should be aware that "he is already massing hidden forces which are intended to be employed again one day against us." Colonel Drury doesn't identify who this mystery "strong man" is, but we can assume that he is referring to Germany and the rise of nationalist and fascist leaders in Europe. Benito Mussolini, leader of the National Fascist Party of Italy, became the leader of the Italian government in

October 1922 and Adolf Hitler became chairman of the Nationalist Socialist German Workers' Party in 1921.

By coincidence immediately alongside this report in the Western Morning News was a piece noting that Mr Isaac Foot MP (who had won the by-election for Bodmin in February 1922 and was speaking at a Liberal Party rally in Pensilva), is reported as regretting the deteriorating relations with France under the threat of bankruptcy in Germany which was experiencing hyper inflation. Mr Foot also blamed the failure of the Versailles conference to settle fully the amount of reparations Germany had to pay and this was a key factor in the financial disturbances facing Europe. Mr Foot had clearly noted the piece on the Fallen in Pillaton and three days later the Western Morning News carried a column by Mr Foot contesting some of Colonel



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Drury's comments. He agreed with Colonel Drury in that he found "a deadly lethargy among the people as regards political affairs which he attributed to the disillusion and disappointment of the electorate over the country's recovery from the war. He went on to correct "in a friendly manner" the biblical quote made by Colonel Drury referring to a "strong man armed" which affected its meaning. He also argued that spending on defence was still very high with an army of occupation to pay for, but if there was further expansion of military spending it would leave nothing for dealing with the nation's serious social problems. As for the League of Nations, could Colonel Drury think of any better way of achieving peace?

In October 1922 Conservative back-benchers (now known as the 1922 Committee) met at the Carlton Club and decided to ditch Lloyd George as Prime Minister and chose Baldwin instead. A general election was called in November 1922 and many Liberal Party MPs lost their seats, including Winston Churchill who was at that time a Liberal Party member. Isaac Foot managed to hold on to his seat for Bodmin.

In the end, Colonel Drury's dire predictions were more accurate than Mr Foot's. The League of Nations was unable to prevent World War II while a series of dithering British governments failed dismally to either prepare effective military defences or deal with a range of deteriorating economic and social conditions. A hundred years later we are still familiar with the rise of belligerent dictatorships and the sacking of Prime Ministers by the 1922 Committee. Unfortunately, we also have global warming and nuclear threats to cope with.

*Don King*

## **THE 4<sup>th</sup> THURSDAY IN THE MONTH IS FILM NIGHT IN CALLINGTON**

*Join us at Callington Town Hall in October for:*

**"BELFAST"** Academy Award Winner 2022 Running Time: 1hr 37m

**Thursday 27th October**

*Doors open at 7.15pm for membership registration ).*

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*Members' entrance: Adults: £4 U18s: £3*

**Start time: 7.30pm (Doors open at 7.15pm)**

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**7.30pm on Saturday 29th October**

**Callington Town Hall**



*Rock & Roll Bingo gives a new twist on bingo by replacing the standard bingo numbers with popular music clips. As the songs on your bingo card are played, mark them off. Two prizes with each game. Pasty supper included. Bar available.*

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*Prizes for the best costume.*

*For details, and to book your tickets contact*

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# CITIZENS ADVICE CORNWALL

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Citizens Advice Cornwall is appealing for people to come forward as volunteers to not only help with providing advice and support, but to also help with fundraising and raising awareness. Like many charities, Citizens Advice Cornwall relies heavily on volunteers to be able to continue its work. As the cost of living and energy crisis deepens, the demand for the charities services across the county is increasing. Fundraising Ambassadors are needed for a variety of roles including organising and attending fundraising events, talking to groups and organisations, organising collection tins etc. Opportunities are also available for volunteer advisors and administrators.

Last year, Citizens Advice Cornwall helped more than 9,000 people with almost 40,000 issues, write-off debt worth a total of over £1 million and gain income worth more than £8.1 million. It costs Citizens Advice Cornwall around £1.5m to run the service each year, a figure that is set to rise as the need for help increases.

To find out more about fundraising email: [tamsin@citizensadvicecornwall.org.uk](mailto:tamsin@citizensadvicecornwall.org.uk)

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## WEDNESDAY 5TH OCTOBER 2022

**We're buzzin' to bee back!**



Gifts & Craft Stalls  
Children's Art Competition  
Local School Bands  
and Musicians  
Lots of Family Fun

Animals to Pet

'Teas with the Bees'

Follow the trail of the  
'Honey Fair Window Display'

Town Crier Competition



See how the bees make honey in the hives!

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**Don't forget Honey Fair Bingo Night!**

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## CHURCH DIARY

<u>DATE</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>SERVICE/EVENT</u>		<u>CHURCH</u>
18 Sep	Sunday	1000	Holy Communion	Pillaton
		1000	Morning Praise	Landulph
20 Sep	Tuesday	0930	Holy Communion	St Mellion
25 Sep	Sunday	1000	Celtic Morning Prayer	St Dominic
		1000	Morning Praise	Landulph
		1000	Family Communion	St Mellion
27 Sep	Tuesday	0930	Holy Communion	St Dominic
02 Oct	Sunday	1000	Matins	Pillaton
		1000	Holy Communion	Landulph
		1800	Cornish Evening Prayer	St Dominic
03 Oct	Monday	1900	Harvest Praise	Pillaton
		1945	Harvest Supper	Pillaton Village Hall
04 Oct	Tuesday	0930	Holy Communion	Pillaton
09 Oct	Sunday	1000	Holy Communion	St Dominic
		1000	Morning Praise/Family Service	St Mellion
11 Oct	Tuesday	0930	Holy Communion	Landulph
16 Oct	Sunday	1000	Holy Communion	Pillaton
		1000	Morning Praise	Landulph
18 Oct	Tuesday	0930	Holy Communion	St Mellion
23 Oct	Sunday	1000	Contemporary/Celtic Worship	St Dominic
		1000	Holy Communion	St Mellion
25 Oct	Tuesday	0930	Holy Communion	St Dominic
30 Oct	Sunday	1000	Family Service	St Dominic
01 Nov	Tuesday	1030	Holy Communion	Pillaton
03 Nov	Thursday until Saturday 5 Nov		Craft Fair	St Dominic
06 Nov	Sunday	1000	Matins	Pillaton
		1000	Holy Communion	Landulph
		1800	Celtic Evening Prayer	St Dominic
08 Nov	Tuesday	1030	Holy Communion	Landulph
13 Nov	Remembrance Sunday			
		1000	Service of Remembrance	Pillaton
		1000	Holy Communion	St Dominic
		1050	Civic Remembrance	St Dominic
		1050	Remembrance 1100 Morning Praise	Landulph
		1030	Morning Praise 1100 At the War Memorial	St Mellion
15 Nov	Tuesday	0930	Holy Communion	St Mellion
20 Nov	Sunday	1000	Holy Communion	Pillaton
		1000	Morning Praise	Landulph
22 Nov	Tuesday	0930	Holy Communion	St Dominic



## BENEFICE CONTACT DETAILS

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## Pillaton Village Diary

Fri 23 Sep	Weary Friar Coffee Morning
Mon 3 Oct	Pillaton Village Hall 200 Club Draw
Tue 4 Oct	Pillaton Parish Council Meeting, Pillaton Village Hall
Sun 16 Oct	Concert of Talents, St Odolph's Church, Pillaton
Sun 30 Oct	Pumpkin Festival, Pillaton Village Hall
Tue 1 Nov	Pillaton Parish Council Meeting, Pillaton Village Hall
Mon 7 Nov	Pillaton Village Hall 200 Club Draw
Mon 5 Dec	Pillaton Village Hall 200 Club Draw
Tue 6 Dec	Pillaton Parish Council Meeting, Pillaton Village Hall

## RECYCLING DATES

Along with normal rubbish collections on Tuesdays, recycling and garden waste will be collected as follows:

Tue 20 Sep	Garden Waste
Tue 27 Sep	Recycling
Tue 04 Oct	Garden Waste
Tue 11 Oct	Recycling
Tue 18 Oct	Garden Waste
Tue 25 Oct	Recycling
Tue 01 Nov	Garden Waste
Tue 08 Nov	Recycling
Tue 15 Nov	Garden Waste
Tue 22 Nov	Recycling

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