

# THE LYMPSTONE HERALD

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## PARISH COUNCIL

**A Casual Vacancy**, not JK Rowling, but here in Lymestone. There is a vacancy for one Councillor on your Parish Council. There won't be a formal election and so the Parish Council will be able to co-opt a new Councillor at its next meeting. Notices about this are on the Notice Boards. If you think that you would like to help and encourage things in Lymestone why not consider joining the Parish Council. It is not just a talking shop as some would believe but all Councillors have specific areas of work that they do as a lead Councillor. Any new Councillor won't have anything thrust upon them but will be encouraged to help and take part.

*(Knowledge of IT would be especially useful. Ed/Chairman)*

**The Toddler's Play Area in Candy's Field** is looking better now that two new seats have been provided to

replace those that had fallen apart. The new ones are made from recycled plastic and should last for many years. The play equipment will be painted by the Handyman as time and the weather permits. A similar seat has also been provided at Sowden End to replace one that had rotted and ended up on the beach.



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**Dog fouling in Candy's Field** is still a problem. Did you realise that dogs should be kept on a lead in the Field? Not

many people do but there is a dog control order to this effect. The Dog Warden can and will issue an on-the-spot fine of £80 to anyone who does not keep their dog on a lead. The same fine can be issued for not picking up after your dog. The Dog Warden visited last month and is proposing to make more visits in future. She met a dog walker in the field with a black collie dog, old in age and this dog was not on a lead, when she approached her and asked if she was aware the area was a dog on lead area, she replied yes, but no one keeps their dog on a lead here, all dogs are allowed to run free. The dog walker was advised that in general EDDC can serve a fixed penalty for £80 for not keeping a dog on a lead, however, the usual approach is to educate the first time and if they are caught a second time then a fixed penalty can be served. The dog walker said it is not very clear that the field is a 'dog on lead' area, the signage is very poor, and therefore not many people would understand. There are signs at the main entrances to the Field and dog waste can be

deposited in a special dog waste bin or in any litter bin. There is one on Candy's Field on the way to Trafalgar Road and there will soon be one at the end of the path to Burgmanns Hill. There is no excuse for not using these bins.

### **A Beacon bonfire party**

will be the first celebration of HM The Queen's 90<sup>th</sup> birthday. The other celebrations are moving forward, with much interest from many Groups in the Village. The first event will be a Birthday party on Cliff Field on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2016. There will be a beacon bonfire which will be part of the national chain of beacons around the UK, music and food. The last Jubilee party and bonfire on Cliff Field was a great success and a great evening out so put this date in your diary now! Help will be needed especially in bringing firewood and setting up the bonfire so if you think you can help please contact Cllr Peter Acca on 07801 365097 for a chat about how you can help make this an evening to remember.



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## PARISH CHURCH



Dates of services in March as we approach the Easter Season.

20th Palm Sunday. Meet at the Methodist Church by 9.40am to process to the Parish Church for 10am service.

21st Compline 6.30pm

22<sup>nd</sup> Stations of the Cross 6.30pm.

23rd Said Eucharist 11am

Taize meditation service 6.30pm

24<sup>th</sup> Maundy Thursday service with Eucharist 6.30pm

25th Good Friday re-enactment of the Passion of Christ. 11am all age service with rehearsals from 9am.

26th Easter Vigil 7.30pm First Eucharist of Easter.

27th Easter Day services at 8am and Family Worship at 10am.

EASTER LILIES – If you would like to buy a lily in memory of a loved one, to be displayed in church for Easter, please sign up on the list at the back of the church. Envelopes are available for your contribution which should be placed in the usual service collection bag, or alternatively, put through the letter box of Glenhaven Cottage, next door to the church. Please do not put envelopes in the donation box in the porch as some have been stolen in the past. Many thanks. *Carol Major*



EASTER GARDEN: Volunteers needed to build an Easter garden on Holy Saturday (March 26<sup>th</sup>)

ELECTORAL ROLL: As the Annual Parochial Church meeting approaches, the Electoral Roll must be updated. Please would all members check their entry on the notice board at the back of the Church and make any amendments. All new applicants may obtain a form from the yellow folder at the entrance door. Please complete by Easter Sunday (27th March) to allow time for the new Roll to be printed. If you have any queries, please contact Diana Winterforde-Young on 260307.

Many thanks

PALM SUNDAY: We will be erecting a large cross outside the church on Palm Sunday to mark the start of Holy Week and covering it on Good Friday. We will be unveiling it on Holy Saturday as we celebrate the Service of Light and decorating it with some flowers on Easter Sunday. If you would like to place some flowers on or near the cross in memory of a loved one please feel free to do so. It would be lovely to see you, so please join us on Easter Sunday or any time over the Easter period, and look out for the posters around the village.

*Rev'd Sid Humphries*

DROP-IN COFFEE MORNINGS: Please sign up on the sheet at the back of the church if you are able to host one of the church's monthly coffee

mornings - these are held on the last Tuesday of each month, from 10am till 12 noon (there are some dates in the list waiting to be filled). These are opportunities to meet socially with other members of the congregation, and their neighbours and friends.

#### MEN'S

**BREAKFAST:** You may have missed the Breakfast meeting which was at the Methodist Church in the

village centre Saturday 12th March at 8.30 am. We have secured the use of the kitchen to enable our amazing volunteer Chef, Roger, to delight us with a full breakfast £5. Names soonest please for catering and to avoid disappointment. The guest speaker is one of the CTCRM Service Chaplains. For the date of the next one see or phone Graham Pearson 01395 225153

The APCM. Our annual meeting will be on Sunday 10th April following the 10:00 am service. In preparation for the annual report please could leaders of all our church groups and activities write a short report and send it to me by 20th March. Either by email to [fbmather@btinternet.com](mailto:fbmather@btinternet.com) or leave written report in church. Thank you. Also needed – Candidates for Nominations for membership of PCC and also Churchwarden. Proposal forms in folder in church.



**PCC OPEN MEETING** The PCC meets on Tuesday 15th March at 7.15pm in church. The main items will be the approval of the Annual Report and the Finance report. The PCC has decided to open the meeting to all parishioners who may wish to hear and comment on the reports.

*Brian Mather PCC Secretary*

#### LYMPSTONE FILM SOCIETY



**Lympstone Film**  
Society's next two films are very different and both well worth seeing: Our Sunday Matinee on March 20<sup>th</sup> is Alfred Hitchcock's famous **Vertigo**. At the village hall; door open 2pm for 2.30 start. Free to society members; £3 for others on the door (no booking).

Our April attraction is a delightful French film, **Cycling with Moliere** on April 8<sup>th</sup>. Again free to members; £5 for others on the door (no booking).

The season rounds off with our AGM and bonus film on Friday May 6<sup>th</sup>. Film details to be announced shortly. At the April and May screenings we will be signing up members for next season at a special rate.

*Don Mildenhall*

**VILLAGE PARTY – TO  
MARK THE QUEEN’S  
90<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY.  
SATURDAY JUNE  
11<sup>TH</sup>**



As part of the Queen’s 90<sup>th</sup> birthday celebrations, Lypstone will be holding a village event in Candy’s field to celebrate with the Nation.

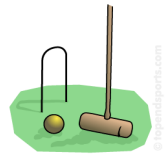
In honour of the Queen’s birthday the organisers of this village event would like some of our very talented bakers to get involved in the first ever Great Lypstone Bake Off with a ‘Fit for a Queen’ inspired competition in the village hall. We will host an adult’s cake decorating competition and a children’s biscuit decoration competition which will be judged and awarded prizes.

Application forms will be available (as from 14<sup>th</sup> March) from Jenny Clark, Lypstone Pre and Primary Schools and the village shop. The closing date for applications will be Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> April. As we are limited for space, there will be a maximum number of entry places available and successful applicants will be advised of confirmation of their place in the competition by Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> May for both the adult and children’s events.

If you want more detail – please call Jenny Clark (evenings) 274292 or [merryfield@etcpm.com](mailto:merryfield@etcpm.com)

*Mrs J A Clark*

**COME AND TRY  
CROQUET OR  
BOWLS**



Budleigh Salterton Croquet Club (EX9 6ST) is holding Open Days on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> April between 10am and 4pm.

Come along and meet us, have a go, have a cuppa and enjoy the best view in Budleigh. All for FREE!

These Open Days have been a great success in previous years with about 50 new members last year. There will be a warm welcome for Lypstone visitors on the Open Days.

Please remember to wear flat soled shoes. All croquet and bowls equipment will be provided.

If you are interested but unable to come then, please contact me on 224759 or phone the club on 442548 or email [budleighcroquet.org](mailto:budleighcroquet.org) to arrange an alternative date. You could also try the website at [budleighcroquet.org](http://budleighcroquet.org)

*Ian Stratford*

**MOBILE LIBRARY  
TIMETABLE**



March 18<sup>th</sup> & April 22nd  
Meadow Close. 10.15 - 10.35  
Car Park. 10.45--11.45

*D Letcher*

## QUIZ AND SUPPER FOR HOSPISCARE



Saturday April  
30th, 7pm  
Lympstone Sailing  
Club. An

entertaining evening of music and general knowledge combined with a delicious 2 course meal, all in aid of HospisCare. Tickets are £15pp including your meal. A wide range of wine and beer is available at the bar. Open to members and their guests. Tickets from Lesley on bbwh04@hotmail.com

operate as usual in parking with extra care. Thank you. The Harbour Board

*Richard Crisp*

## VILLAGE WEBSITE

Any updated  
information please  
contact

Update@lympstone.org or call Tony  
the Parish Clerk

Office 01392 427776

Mobile 07879427333



*Lesley Anderson*



## HARBOUR CRANING – 9<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2016

The annual craning afloat of winter dry-berthed boats to the brook is planned to take place on the morning of Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2016 from 7am to midday. A large mobile crane will arrive in the village mid to late afternoon on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> and depart early afternoon on Saturday. Owners of vehicles normally parked on the route between the Harbour via The Strand, Burgmanns Hill, Nutwell Road and the A376, particularly on the corner turning into the Harbour outside the Swan Inn, and at the parking bays on The Strand furthest from and in sight of the railway bridge are asked to co-

## OPEN EVENING AT SAILING CLUB: APRIL 15TH 7.30PM



LSC welcomes members and prospective members to an open evening at the sailing club on Friday April 15th. We will be putting on a few short presentations including an overview of the sailing programme for 2016, training events, social calendar and plans for the Exe Regatta which is hosted by LSC this year. If you haven't renewed yet, or you are thinking of joining, please join us to meet some LSC members and hear about what's going on in this busy, friendly Club!

*Lesley Anderson*

## **CALLING ALL LYMPSTONE (AND SURROUNDS) GOLFERS!**



A group of local casual golfers, not necessarily associated with any golf club, are looking to expand such that on a monthly basis we can meet up and enjoy a game of golf at various clubs around beautiful Devon. As a reasonable sized group (usually 10+) we can get preferential rates at most golf courses.

A 2016 calendar has been drawn up and games are scheduled for the last Friday in the month, starting from this month (March) through to November. The first three venues have been identified and are:

March 25<sup>th</sup> – Dawlish

April 29<sup>th</sup> – Wrangaton

May 27<sup>th</sup> - Dainton

Golfers with or without official handicaps are welcome; for non-handicap golfers we have our own handicapping system and those with a club handicap use that.

Pre-match we meet at The Globe pub so that transport can be organised/shared and post-match we often return there for snacks and a drink.

The group is still in its infancy and is finding its way in terms of organisation; we are not a registered society. It is possible that forming a society could be something to consider in the future but presently

this is a casual group of people who enjoy playing golf for fun.

If you are interested in coming along for a one-off game or preferably becoming a regular player then please contact either:

Bill Lake – Mobile: 07759 150 938

Email: [cruisingsu@live.co.uk](mailto:cruisingsu@live.co.uk)

Greg Crum – Home: 01395 274 551

Email:

[hubblecrum@gmail.com](mailto:hubblecrum@gmail.com)

## **ART TALKS AND WORKSHOP**

Lympstone Art Group has a talk on the 22nd March by Michael Gordon-Lee on “Making a Bronze Sculpture from Start to Finish”. It will be at 7.30pm in the Methodist Church in Chapel Road. Entry is free for members and £3 for non members.

There is a Workshop on “ Using Colouring Pencils”, run by Linda Hampson on Wednesday 16th March and on Wednesday 6th April there is a WORKSHOP on Gouache Art, run by Phil Creek . Both workshops will run from 10am to 4pm at Lympstone Sailing Club. The cost of each Workshop is £30 for members and £40 for non members. To book a place on either workshop, please contact Mai Targett, 1 Harefield Cottages, Lympstone, EX8 5EX Tel 01395 271915 email [maitargett@btinternet.com](mailto:maitargett@btinternet.com)

*Lizzie Hodge*

## FRIENDS OF THE CHURCH LOTTERY



Our winner of the £25 prize for March is Mrs J Harrison. The Lottery helps to maintain the fabric of our Church. Many Herald readers already support us by buying a ticket. If you'd like to do so and no-one knocks on your door to sell you one in the next month please let me know and I will happily do so -- £6 gives you a chance of a prize every month for a year -- and the certainty that you are helping to keep our finest old building in good repair.

*Clive Wilson*

## POLICE WARNING



Police are warning members of the public to be vigilant when buying items from free advertising sites such as Gumtree. The warning comes after several incidents have been reported to police in the Exeter, Lymington and Brixham areas. Suspects have been advertising white goods for sale on internet websites and delivering the items to customers. However, when the items are delivered they are not of the description that was advertised on the adverts.

One Exeter woman had ordered a fridge from Gumtree and was left distressed after a man delivered an item wrapped in black plastic. Before

the woman had chance to unwrap the package the suspect took the cash and drove off in a white transit van.

Police Constable Keith Bradshaw said: "When the victim removed the black plastic, the item was old, broken and worthless; possibly from a recycling centre. The suspects are keen to deliver goods right into the homes of victims and then leave quickly before the condition of the item can be seen. On one occasion a man from Brixham had a washing machine delivered to his home, whilst he was unwrapping the item to have a look at it, the suspect took the cash from the man's hand and drove off in a Ford transit van."

Reports have also been made of similar scams on Facebook 'buy and sell' sites. Police are asking people to report anything suspicious. Please contact police on 101 or email: [101@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk](mailto:101@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk) quoting crime reference CR/13217/16. Alternatively information can be passed anonymously to Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111 or online at [www.crimestoppers-uk.org](http://www.crimestoppers-uk.org)

*Jan Teague*

## EASTER WORSHIP AT THE METHODIST CHURCH



There will not be a service at the Methodist Church on Palm Sunday,

March 20th, as we are going along to the Parish Church for Morning Worship. Please meet in Chapel Road if you wish to join the 'walk of witness' at 9.30 am.

Our Good Friday Service will be held on the 25th at 2 pm, led by our Minister, Rev. Bruce Sawyer. Tea/coffee and hot cross buns will be served.

Easter Sunday Morning Worship at 10.30 am will be led by Rev. Sawyer. Tea/coffee and toast served from 10 am-10.30 am, with tea/coffee and biscuits after the Service.

*Julia Tolman-May*

## **LYMPSTONE WI**

Once again we were delighted to welcome more new members to the Lymptone WI at Wednesday's meeting in the Committee Room, which is beginning to seem too small for our growing group. Our final speaker of the year, before our AGM in April and a new season of monthly speakers, was Margaret Barnes, a retired barrister, who told us "Have wig, will travel"! And indeed we were very impressed that she was able to give us such an entertaining account of her work only hours after stepping off a flight from Australia.

Before the business of the day, Anne Briers took the opportunity once again to thank the Committee for the delicious and beautifully presented

Winter Warmer lunch that they had prepared and served to members the previous Thursday at the Sailing Club – an extremely enjoyable event that also generated a profit. Our President, Diana de la Rue, then reminded us that the WI Spring Group meeting will be held at the Countess Wear branch on Friday the 8<sup>th</sup> April at 2.30 pm, followed by the Spring Council meeting at Torquay on Wed. the 13<sup>th</sup> April from 10.30 am to 4 pm. Another date for the diaries is Sunday the 17th April, when Lymptone WI will be featured on Bay Radio (FM 106.4) between 11 and 12 noon. We will also be serving morning and afternoon teas and coffees, as well as ploughman's lunches, in the Village Hall as part of the Devon History Society's Spring Meeting on Saturday the 23<sup>rd</sup> April.

Our AGM is on Wednesday the 6<sup>th</sup> April at 2.30 pm in the Committee Room of the Village Hall, when our WI Adviser will pay us her 3-yearly meeting to observe our election process. Time allowing, we will also be showing a short film about the WI and social history. We welcome anyone interested in finding out about the Lymptone WI. For more information please phone Diana de la Rue on 01395 274099 or find us on the village website.

*Lindy Newton*

## TENNIS CLUB NEWS



Adults: if you're interested in joining our club please come along on Saturday 2 April from 2pm. We're a friendly club with twice weekly club sessions, tournaments, coaching and 2 well maintained courts for general play. Meet existing members, play a few games and find out more about what's on offer.

Juniors: save this date; Saturday 23 April! James, our junior coach, will be signing up players for the summer coaching programme. More details will follow in next month's Herald and will be posted on the village and club websites <http://lympstonetc.co.uk/> or contact Jill Dixon [jilldixon100@hotmail.com](mailto:jilldixon100@hotmail.com)

*Liz Griffiths*

## POLICE



We have had a spate of thefts from garages and sheds recently in the East Devon and Exeter area. Can I please remind residents to secure their property appropriately and note down any serial numbers or distinguishing marks on valuable property. Please remain vigilant at this time.

We have had a spate of burglaries in the East Devon and Exeter area. These have all occurred at properties

when the owners have been away on holiday or out for the evening. We recommend leaving lights on if you are going out and possibly a radio to deter the thieves. If you are away on holiday we suggest timer lights and ask a trusted neighbour or relative to check on your property. If you are going away, be mindful who you tell – you never know who might be listening!!

Courtlands Lane: Please can I ask residents in the area of Dawlish Terrace to be mindful of their parking in the small lay-by. I have had complaints that larger vehicles have been struggling to get through and have had to reverse. The gritter lorry also needs to access this area to keep the road open when icy. Can residents also remind any visitors to park appropriately so we can keep the traffic flowing. Thank you in advance.

Best wishes

*PCSO Sarah Trayhurn 30110*

*Emergency 999 Enquiries 101*

*Email: [Sarah.trayhurn@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk](mailto:Sarah.trayhurn@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk)*

## LYMPSTONE GARDEN CLUB



Following on from the popular Blueberry Brothers talk and delicious tasting in February, we're now

looking forward to one of our big events of the year this month.

Saturday 12 March, at 2.30pm in the Village Hall do join us for our spring event. This year we're very lucky to have Mark Diacono with us, who'll be talking about his exciting New Kitchen Garden venture that's just taking off.

Mark led the Garden Team at River Cottage for Hugh Fearnley-Whittingstall. He's also the author of several gardening books and writes regularly for national newspapers. Mark set up Otter Farm in East Devon to grow popular and often-forgotten fruit, herbs and vegetables – from mulberries and medlars to more exotic kiwis, Szechuan pepper and autumn olives. He has written a 'The New Kitchen Garden' book and is now planning a New Kitchen Garden School.

We're advising booking in advance for this March event – it's just £5 – please contact Suki on 01395 269989 or [suki.commin@googlemail.com](mailto:suki.commin@googlemail.com). But if it's too close to book then you can get tickets on the door. There will be homemade afternoon tea and cakes, plants and Mark's books for sale.

Next date for your diary – the ever-popular Gardeners' Question Time with local experts – on Tuesday 19 April at 7.30pm in the Village Hall Function Room.

You'll also find more information about the club and forthcoming events at [www.lympstone.org](http://www.lympstone.org)

*Gail McKenzie*

## **DEVON HISTORY SOCIETY SPRING MEETING**

Hosted by Lympstone History Society at the Village Hall, Saturday April 23rd, 2016, starting at 10.00am until 4.00 pm.

This prestigious conference is free to Lympstone History Society and Devon History Society members (£10 to non members). Pre - registration is essential to reserve your place and pre-payment is essential to book your lunch and morning and afternoon refreshments provided by Lympstone WI.

To reserve your place and book refreshments, contact the Bookings Secretary, 2, St. Olaves, Murchington, Chagford. TQ13 8HJ. Or [bookings@devonhistorysociety.org.uk](mailto:bookings@devonhistorysociety.org.uk) or 01647 433492 up to Friday, 15th April.

*Diana Letcher*

*(Tuesday the 8<sup>th</sup> of March's performance of "The Regina Monologues" to a full house was excellent – Ed)*

## LYMPSTONE PLAYERS PRESENT 'THE REGINA MONOLOGUES'

Due to schedule clashes, we have had to make a slight change to the dates and times of our two performances of *Regina Monologues*. We will next be performing on Saturday, 12th March at 8.30 pm in the Sailing Club. The bar will be open from 8.00 pm so do come along early for a drink and a chat.

Just to clarify, our publicity material has described *Regina Monologues* as a "fringe theatre event" to reflect the style, content and venue - it's not a new group. It's very much a Lymptstone Players event, albeit small in size and an integral part of our varied production programme. Here's the "blurb" again to jog your memories. Limited seating so do get your tickets early!

This funny and moving play by Rebecca Russell and Jenny Wafer presents the six wives of Henry VIII in a contemporary world, each wife providing an insightful perspective on living with one of our most famous monarchs. As it contains adult themes and some strong language it is perhaps more of a "fringe" rather than mainstream event and therefore recommended for an adult audience only.

*Sharon Wayland*

## PIAF AND FRIENDS REMEMBERED



Seven years ago Lymptstone Village Hall, in the guise of a Paris café-theatre, was filled with enthusiastic Francophiles, thrilled to hear the heartfelt chansons made famous by Edith Piaf. The South Devon-based group Affinitée who delivered that exciting and atmospheric performance are coming back, by popular demand, to Lymptstone Village Hall on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> March, with their talented songstress and an accordion-led backing.

December marked the centenary of Edith Piaf's birth, and now Lymptstone Entertainments is providing the opportunity to celebrate her legacy and musical influence in another evocative evening of French chansons; in a Paris-style café setting, with a supper to match, washed down with carafes of rouge et blanc.

Tickets at £12.50, to include supper, available from the LympEnts Box Office, c/o Demelza Henderson, 2 Brookfield Cottages (opposite former Post Office), Telephone 01395 272243 or 07516 322853 or 01395 274356. For more information please contact Viv Day 01395 268653 or [vivday@exmouth.demon.co.uk](mailto:vivday@exmouth.demon.co.uk)

*Viv Day*

## DRAMATIC NEW VENTURE



## DOG FOULING IN CANDY'S FIELD

Would you like to be involved in the next Lymptstone Players' Community Production?

DAVID COPPERFIELD by Charles Dickens. Lymptstone Village Hall, 20<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> October, 2015

This charming classic, and one of Dickens's best-loved and most autobiographical stories, will be our next production in October. Many of Dickens's most famous characters will be brought to life: Mr Micawber, Uriah Heep, Mrs Peggotty, Murdstone, Steerforth and Betsy Trotwood. Wendy Watson will lead an ensemble cast, creating an intimate atmosphere in which our audience can be fully immersed in the world of Dickensian England.

So would you like to be involved? On stage? Back stage? Front of house? Set design and construction? Props? Lighting? Sound? Music? Costumes? Background research? Playreading? Publicity? Box office? Bar? There will be many ways in which you can contribute to this exciting new production.

For further information contact Sharon on 01395 274 551 or [lympstoneplayers@gmail.com](mailto:lympstoneplayers@gmail.com) or Wendy 01395 225 844 or [wendy21watson@gmail.com](mailto:wendy21watson@gmail.com).

*Sharon Wayland*

*From EDDC Technical Officer  
Karen Arnett, Technical Officer  
East Devon District Council  
[www.eastdevon.gov.uk](http://www.eastdevon.gov.uk)  
Direct Dial 01395 517455  
EH General 01395 517457*

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My main observation is that further entrances need clear signage showing dogs on lead area and I would suggest these are posted by the gate entrance to each section. The costs would have to come from the parish town council and not EDDC, so maybe this is something you could take up at a meeting in the near future. Then the constituents of Lymptstone would

need to be informed in a newsletter when the new signage goes up and that penalties will apply if they are witnessed with dogs off leads.

If you would like to discuss in more detail please do not hesitate to contact me.”

*Chris Carter*

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*Chris Carter, Editor*

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*Jenny Moon*



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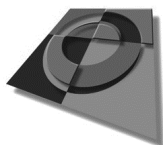
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- 11 Enjoying the Night Sky TAP
- 12 Gardening Club- Mark Diacono
- 16 LAG Coloured Pencils Workshop
- 18 Mobile Library
- 19 Lympstone Entertainments
- 20 Film Club
- 22 LAG Bronze Sculpture, Talk
- 25 Golf group
- 25 Good Friday services
- 27 Easter Sunday services

### APRIL

- 2 Tennis Club Open Day
- 6 WI AGM
- 6 Art Group workshop
- 8 Film Club
- 9 Craning Afloat
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