

THE LYMPSTONE HERALD



‘HAPPY TO CHAT’ BENCHES ...coming to Lympstone 23rd March 2020



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PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Cllr Young took the position of Acting Chair for the meeting. He announced to all members that Cllr Rogers was unable to be present due to an accident and would be away from public duties for 6-12 weeks, all members wished her well and a speedy recovery. He then opened the public session.

Public Session – A member of the public raised a query about the nursery S106 agreement regarding the car park. The owner of the land was present and explained the car park area would have to be, for legal reasons, passed to the PC then immediately transferred to the Church.

Clerk's Report – The Clerk explained that EDDC were happy to support the Parish with a creation of a responsible dog owners' group and train volunteers. If you are interested in being part of a group, please contact the Clerk for more information. EDDC will also support the primary school in heightening awareness amongst the children. The Clerk opened tenders received for a refurbishment of the public toilets and a contractor was agreed. An internal auditor for the PC was also agreed. Full support was given for the return of the Merlin helicopter visit in May for the local schools and children. The removed bin at the top of Candy's Field would currently not be replaced. If you feel

that this bin should be reinstated, then please contact Streetscene at EDDC and quote the ref no: 931422 to express your concerns. The Clerk informed all of DCC's Drainage Maintenance Responsibilities which identified who was responsible for maintaining and clearing drainage systems on and around the highway. Please visit <https://www.devon.gov.uk/roadsandtransport/factsheet/roads-and-farmers/> to find out more and raise any queries with DCC. There is also a public consultation for 'Public Spaces Protection Orders for dogs, seagulls and anti-social behaviour in central Exmouth and Sidmouth' please visit: www.eastdevon.gov.uk/communityengagement/public-space-protection-order-consultation to have your say. The public consultation closes on 20th March.

Free Tree Scheme from the Woodland Trust – The PC fully supported the planting of more trees in the Parish. Locations will be identified and depending on the number of trees available will be planted in the Autumn.

Reports from the Chairman, East Devon District Councillors and Devon County Councillors – The Chair was pleased to report that the FOGBG application for a Heritage lottery grant had been successful for the full amount of £66,500! This was for a full

repair of the wall and tombs at Gulliford burial ground. He gave special thanks to Jane Moffat and FOGBG for all their hard work with the application and their continued efforts. There was also a new notice board outside the ground for the public to be kept updated with ongoing activities and information. The Chair reported that due to vandalism, the public toilets had been closed. He thanked the Globe for offering the use of their facilities in the interim. The Chair added that Coronavirus information had been added to all notice boards and the website. The Chair congratulated Cllr Atkins on his long service certificate received from EDDC for his 51 years dedication as a Parish Councillor. He was also pleased to announce that Mr Tyrrell had made it into the national papers for his Brexit bell tower erected and the funds raised for the Royal British Legion. The Chair reminded all that the Happy to Chat benches had been advertised and were going live on 23rd March. The Chair also firmly reminded all present to understand that the Clerk was an employee of the Council. She should not be personally challenged when acting for the PC as her actions were instructed by the Council. District Cllr Ingham congratulated Cllr Atkins on his long service award. Cllr Ingham announced that EDDC had just received a platinum 'Investors in People' Award. He also reported the

council were investigating how they were governed and changes from the current Cabinet structure may return to a Committee structure. The change potentially would not take place until May 2021. District Cllr Jung congratulated FOGBG on their successful funding bid. Cllr Jung explained that EDDC had set their new budgets and there would be an average rate bill increase of £5 per household. He added that due to the recent weather conditions there were additional high costs involved with troubleshooting immediate issues. County Cllr Trail also congratulated Cllr Atkins on his long service award. He went on to explain that potholes and highways had their schedules put back due to the recent poor weather conditions. He added that DCC climate change committee information had been sent to the Clerk to distribute and asked that if there were any queries, please direct them to himself or go online. Cllr Trail also added that he would be looking at other options for a road sign for Gulliford Burial Ground.

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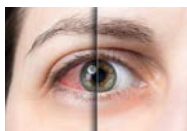
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LYMPSTONE PRAYER NETWORK A group of Christians ready to pray for ANYONE in need. If you have a request for yourself, another or a situation, our Prayer Network is ready to carry it to the Lord. Contact Vanessa Simpson vanessamsimpson@gmail.com t:01395 224 734

Or drop a note into Honeysuckle Cottage, The Strand. Or contact Demelza or a Minister. All requests are confidential.

Geoffrey Wrayford's tasty **LENT BOOK CLUB** 10:30am Thursdays for about an hour (coffee served) March 19, 26, April 2 @ Little Garth. Reading Mark Oakley's book My Sour-Sweet Days on George Herbert's poems & savouring the poetry.

A MORNING OF QUIET PRAYER for LENT At the Parish Church. 9:30am-noon (not the usual 10am close) Monday 9th March. Come and join us for a morning (part or all) of worship,

meditative readings, prayers & music, with time for your own silent prayers. Coffee/Tea.

More info: Demelza: 01395 272 243.

CONTINUING QUIET PRAYER TIME

At the Parish Church 9.30-10.00am on the 2nd & last Mondays of each month (not Dec/Bank Holidays). Just drop in for a time of quiet & reflective prayer, a short Bible reading, extract from a meditative writing/poem, sometimes music & 20 minutes of silence. More info: Demelza: 01395 272 243.

HAPPY HOUR TEA PARTY At the Parish Church (Social Area) 3pm Wednesday 25th March. Do pop in for a time of fellowship, tea, cakes. Open to everyone in Lympstone - so please invite friends/neighbours, especially if they are feeling lonely.

TICK TOCK For toddlers & babies + Mum/Dads/ Grandparents @ Parish Church (Social Area). 9 to 11am (term-time). Music, toys, fun, friendship, Coffee, Tea, Toast & Jam. More info - Fiona Upchurch 07935 594 030.

LYMPSTONE UNLOCKED For Children. at the Parish Church (Social Area) Sundays once a month 5 - 6:30 pm. Fun, games, Bible stories, supper. Fiona Upchurch 07935 594 030

HUW RYDEN will be leaving us in

June /July to undergo preparations at Sandhurst(!!) for military chaplaincy after successfully completing the selection course. Apparently we now call him Captain.

OPEN PCC MEETING is your chance to consider the Church Accounts and developments. 23 March at 7:30pm in the Vestry.

ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING Sunday 5th April at 11.30 am. Seeking to make a difference? Think about seeking nomination for Church Warden, PCC member or Deanery Synod member. Papers from Jeff.

Mothering Sunday service on 22nd March at 10am

Easter

Palm Sunday, 5th April - Walk of Witness starts at 9:45am from the Methodist Church in time for the 10am service at church.

Also on the 6th Stations of the Cross at 6pm

Taize style service Wed 8th April at 8pm. Eucharist of the Last Supper, Thurs 9th April at 7:30pm.

Good Friday service at 11am on 10th April

Easter Sunday, 12th April - usual communion services at 8 and 10am.

Brian Mather



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‘HAPPY TO CHAT’ BENCHES...

There is clear evidence that loneliness is a major factor today in the UK, not only in the elderly, but equally with younger people as well. It has a major impact on people's physical and mental health. But we can all play our part in changing it

Did you know:

- Young adults are more likely to feel lonely than older age groups, says a study from the Office for National Statistics. The research found that almost 10% of people aged 16 to 24 were "always or often" lonely - the highest proportion of any age group.
- In the UK, more than a million older people say they are always, or often feel lonely, according to Age UK. Silverline get over 10,500 calls per week with many callers saying to their volunteers that they are the only people that they are likely to talk to that week.

How did “Happy to Chat” benches start?

A lady called Alison Owen-Jones from Cardiff came up with the simple idea following a walk in a Cardiff park, whilst watching an elderly man for 40 minutes who was sat on a bench in a busy City Centre park, alone.

- Did he want company? Did he want to be alone? Did anyone actually care?

- Wouldn't it be nice if there was a simple way to let people know you're open to a chat, so she came up with the idea of a sign on a bench that would open the avenues for people. She wrote,
- 'Happy to chat bench. Sit here if you don't mind someone stopping to say hello'.
- "All of a sudden, you're not invisible anymore."

So **YES** you can make a difference, either by sitting and having a chat with someone there, or encouraging someone to sit with you, everyone can win.

For more information -

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-wales-50000204>

or email

Happytochatlympstone@gmail.com

LYMPSTONE WI

Meeting 4 March 2020

Our talk was about our very own Jurassic Coast by Chris Woodward from the Jurassic Coast Trust, called 'the Full Jurassic'. We were shown a collection of rock samples, representing different rock types which incredibly showed us the millions of years of Earth History. Some rocks originated from volcanic activity.

The sailing club lunch on the 25th of Feb was agreed upon as a very pleasurable (and tasty) experience. The WI performers at the Village Concert were congratulated on their resounding success of their rendition of 'Jerusalem'

with a very different take!

Our next meeting on 1 April will be our Annual meeting with no speaker, but..... We will host the Estuary group meeting on Thursday 16th of April and a repeat performance of 'Jerusalem with a difference' has been promised.

Elly Cordwell

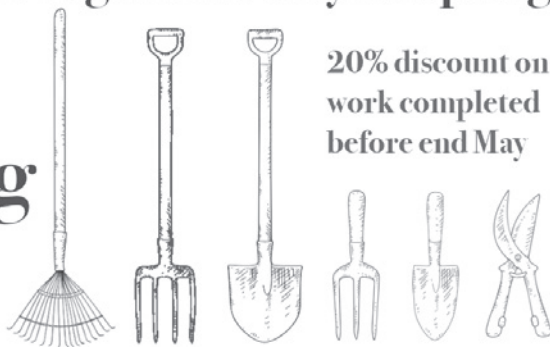
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LYMPSTONE GARDEN CLUB

Tuesday 18 February 2020 saw a packed Function Room for Sue Fisher's talk on Gardening in Small Spaces. We all came away with lots of ideas for our gardens, whatever their size.

Our next talk is on Tuesday 21 April at 7.30pm in the Village Hall Function Room. It's the much-awaited talk on Moon Gardening by Stephanie Hafferty. For those who aren't familiar with this subject, it involves using the phases of the moon for planting and harvesting to facilitate better growth, less watering and improved vegetable storage. There'll be refreshments, and plants for sale.

The famous Garden Club Coffee Morning is on Saturday 9 May from 10am in the Methodist Hall. There will be the usual flower and vegetable plants for sale together with a raffle and cake stall. Fresh coffee and biscuits – all for £1. You'll also be royally entertained by the Lymptone Band. All in all an event not to be missed.

There's a new class for the Annual Show – Please join in this fun entry, but you must act now.

Purchase a seed potato from the Garden Club for 50p and grow it in a pot, bucket or bag and bring it along to the Annual Show on 15 August in the morning, where the potatoes will be removed from their pot and weighed. The heaviest yield will be declared the winner. Seed potatoes available

from Sheila Parker, tel 01395 264507. There's a significant amount of prize money!

For information of Lymptone Garden Club events and news look online on the Garden Club page of the village website www.lympstone.org If you'd like to receive the latest Garden Club news by email please send you name and email address to windygardener@yahoo.co.uk

Sheila Parker

HARBOUR MATTERS

The Harbour Board of the Lymptone Fishery & Harbour Association once again plans the annual craning of boats from the Harbour hardstanding to the brook to take place on Thursday 9th April 2020 from 7.00am until about noon. As this is a potentially hazardous operation, public access to the Harbour will be denied during this operation. For more information browse www.lympstoneharbour.org.uk

The crane will be arriving earlier that morning and departing in the early afternoon, so those who park on its route along Nutwell Road, Burgmann's Hill, The Strand and the route to the Harbour by the Swan Inn are asked for their co-operation in allowing it clear passage.

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LYMPSTONE SAILING CLUB

The 2020 programme for Lympstone Sailing Club has now been published and is available on LSC's website.

This year the club spent a lot of time asking its members, and others in the village, what the club could do differently to get more people on the water - whether in dinghies, cruisers, kayaks or paddleboards - and whether racing or just having fun. The result is a programme for members this year which is designed to appeal to a much broader set of people, while keeping in place the things that people have enjoyed in the past.

For families, this year the club will be running a series of Sunday afternoon BBQs through the summer, with on-the-water treasure hunts and fun events on the water for the kids. The club has the usual full programme of dinghy races on the high tides, but there will be a number of coaching sessions with video feedback to help people new to racing, as well as second starts to some races for people who are nervous on the start line. There are camping trips, pub trips and trips to the River Exe cafe; for motorboats, paddlecraft or sailing boats. For cruisers there are various events in company, and the club is running a scheme to allow prospective yacht sailors to have a go, and perhaps meet yacht owners in need of a crew.

As ever there is a full programme of social events, including the friendly Mariners Munches and Friday evening talks through the winter, and this year LSC will again be hosting the party for the Exe River Regatta on 25/26 July.

The club hopes this expanded programme will appeal to new or lapsed members, and to reflect that, the club is waiving the joining fee for new members joining in March and April. For membership enquiries please contact Cheryl Scudamore at membership@lympstonesailingclub.co.uk.

Craning in this year is on Thursday 9th April, with dinghies returning to the dinghy park from Easter Sunday.

Dougal Scott

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 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.

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The Friends have their annual general meeting on Thursday 25th March. It starts at 7.30pm in the social area at the back of the church. Do come along if you would like to know more about the work of the Friends or ask any questions.

Clive Wilson 01395 264753

VOLUNTEERS PLEASE!

The Village Hall would like to expand their team of volunteers to help launder table cloths and chair covers used for weddings. Wedding income is vital to the smooth running of the hall. Two wash loads per person approx. 6 times

a year. All costs covered plus a little thank you. If you can join the team please contact Carrie on 279939, events@lymptonevillagehall.co.uk
Carrie Darby, Lymptone Village Hall

LYMPSTONE HISTORY SOCIETY

Our March talk on Thursday 19th March is with Mary Solway who will be talking to us about 'Pilates, Plonk and Poppies: the continuing legacy of the Great War', and then on Thursday 16th April our talk will be 'Roman Glass: An Introduction' with Prof. Denise Allen. All talks are in the Methodist Hall, and the entry fee, which includes refreshments, is £4 (£3.50 for members).

LHS Oral History Project update: We now have quality recording equipment and are ready to start conducting interviews. We just need volunteers to be interviewers and suggestions as to who should be interviewed. Topsham Museum, who have a well established interviewing programme running, have offered us a training session for interviewers. If you would like to be involved please contact Graham Banks either at gthbanks@gmail.com or 223048.

Finally, if you have any artefacts for the VE Day exhibition in May then please contact the History Society at lymptonehistorysociety@gmail.com
Mary Turner, Secretary, Lymptone History Society



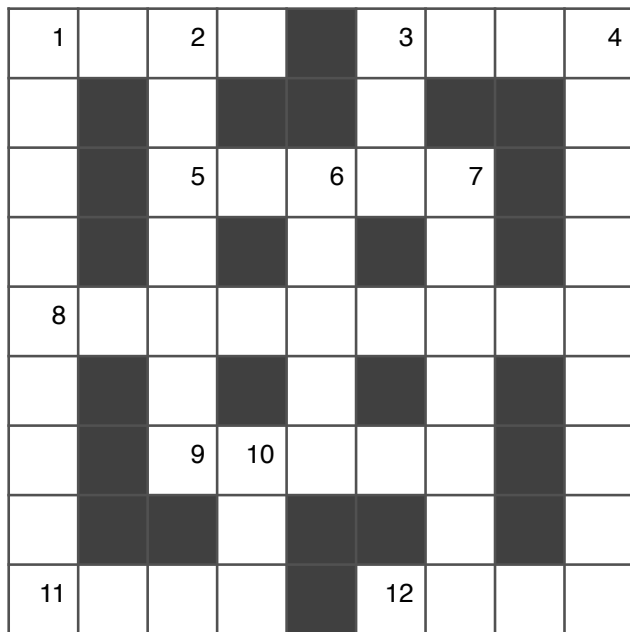
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CLUES

ACROSS

1. Breaking waves! Come up for air but leave champion behind (4)
3. Leave port slowly without direction or room to manoeuvre (4)
5. Learner joins special forces and ends with a dance (5)
8. Order extra large for the lads who board the train at the request stop (9)
9. I get confused and lose a glove at the back of the ship (5)
11. America backs out of the attack leaving a sailor (4)
12. Tame zebra has eaten an appetizer (4)

DOWN

1. Village across the estuary puts sailor in a very bad mood (9)
2. Marines employ mixer to start again (7)
3. Spots oddly abbreviated cry for help (3)
4. I hear there's an aging rock star in need of Viagra in the village (9)
6. Depart from Le Havre without personnel department aboard (5)
7. Play the piece slowly and volcano erupts (7)
10. A drop of the hard stuff for teetotaler who drinks nothing (3)

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“Oh my GOD what a beautiful night was had by all!” said one audience member who saw them in an English village. “So brilliantly musical and rhythmic,” said another. “Electric personalities and very inspirational. Everybody loved them.” You will too.

In the afternoon, at 4.30, there will be a workshop in Zulu dance run by the performers for up to 40 people, including a light supper.

You can also see an exhibition of Zulu craftwork at the Village Hall, and if you choose to buy some you will be contributing to the charity Devon Centcow Link, a Devon-based charity that supports and funds education and training for young people in KwaZulu Natal and their teachers. And the craftwork is delightful.

Tickets for both the concert and the workshop are available from boxoffice@lympstone-entertainments.net, or from Demelza, 2 Brookside Cottages, tel. 01395 272 243.

DIAMOND WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Alan and Jeanette Child 5th March 2020
Alan was born in Lympstone in 1939 and grew up in the Village attending Lympstone Primary School and Exmouth Grammar School. He met Jeanette while working in the Midlands and they were married in Lympstone Parish Church on 5th March 1960

After working for several years in different parts of the country they returned to the Village in 1971 with their children Jeremy and Amanda

They now have four Grandchildren and two Great-grand children. The eldest of which, Amelia, is the fifth generation of Alan's family to attend Lympstone Primary School.

Their whole family now live in the area.



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LYMPSTONE COMMUNITY HUB

**VE Day 75th
Anniversary**

8 – 10 May 2020

STREET PARTIES

Would you and your neighbours like to hold a Street Party to help celebrate the 75th Anniversary of VE Day?

Parties should be planned for Sunday 10 May from noon. Everyone is then invited to Candys Field from 3pm for cake, jelly, ice cream and pudding. Live entertainment will be also provided.

Lympstone Community Hub can provide 'Party Boxes' for each street which will contain:-

- Detailed Guidance Notes
- How to organise the party and get support
- Bunting
- Guidance on food and drink quantities
- Posters and flyers

Your Community Hub can also help with :-

- Event Insurance
- Road Closure applications
- Putting you in touch with other street parties

Please talk to your neighbours as soon as possible and make your application to the Hub by **Wednesday 18 March** as we need to place bulk orders and get in road closure applications

Please contact Jenny Clark if you need any further information

Email : merryfield@etcpm.com

Phone : 07967 147152 (please text during daytime)

Full details of the weekend events are available on the Lympstone website

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LYMPSTONE SAILING CLUB

OPERATION 'GET ALAN ON THE WATER' SAILING CLUB DINNER DANCE

Thanks to Cheryl's determination and Alan Harwood for making it happen, Operation 'Get Alan (Dixon) on the Water' was successfully accomplished on a very windy day in February! Joined by his family, friends and grand-children Alan enjoyed a short trip up the Exe Estuary followed by a much needed hot chocolate in the Passage Inn by the roaring fire afterwards to warm up! Thank you to all those who made this possible. Alan is a much loved and respected member of Lympstone Sailing Club who sadly has been diagnosed with a terminal illness. Together with his wife and family he is receiving support at home from our local Hospiscare. A team of local Lympstone men, including Den Evernden, Steve Archer, Steve Streather, Ray Lawry, Rory McDougall, Tony Gratton and Chas McLeggan-Wiggins, Bob Spencer, Andy Voison, Josh Spencer, Roger Stewart, Jeff Bundy, Miles Freeman, Trevor Harris, Graham Wills, Mike Perks, Mike Cole, Adrian Walters, Pete Salter and Ben Masters are taking part in the Men's Walk Exeter on 14th March to raise money for this worthy charity. You can sponsor them at their JustGiving page. (If you'd like to walk with the team email Den at info@theolddairylympstone.co.uk.)

A fantastic night was had by all who attended the Annual Dinner Dance thanks largely to the huge effort and support shown by so many members who made it happen. Stunning floral arrangements by Pat Boaden and her team, raffle organised by Lesley Anderson, set up and clear down by too many to mention but you know who you are! (A willing, well-organised team meant the hall was set up in an hour!) A special mention to those members who, even though they were not attending the event, volunteered their time for the evening; Sarah Dawson, Fran & Gav Lowry, Graham & Louise Banks and Martin Richards who stepped up to manage the bar and Ruth Sealy & Mark Conboy who came along to take pre-dinner wine orders! Excellent food was prepared & served by Proof of the Pudding (Diana Richards) and her team and guests enjoyed dancing the night away to Lord of Soul, Christian Hxxxx. We are delighted to report that despite selling only 62 tickets for this event, and hosting guests from all our sister clubs on the Exe, we made a healthy profit for the club!

SMALL ADS

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Jenny is still digging for Oxfam. £10/hour, all to Oxfam. Tel: 01395 708850

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SMALL ADS (min. charge £5)			
Example: 5 lines or less	£5	£25	£45
Example: 7 lines or less	£7	£35	£63
Example: 10 lines	£10	£50	£90

Copies of the Lymptone Herald are delivered free to every household in Lymptone (approx 1100) every month with further copies being sold through the village shops. Please send your enquiries to Steve Morgan : sjmorgan222@gmail.com

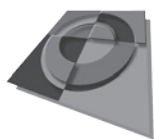
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MARCH

14 Exeter Cathedral Boys Choir

20 Mobile Library

20 T.A.P.

22 Mothering Sunday

23 Open PCC Meeting

25 Happy Hour - Parish Church

25 Art Group Workshop

25 Friends of the Church AGM

28 Spring Forward Saturday - Topsham

APRIL

1 Art Group Workshop

1 Lympstone WI

3 T.A.P.

5 Church Annual Meeting

6 Parish Council

9 LFHA Craning In

16 WI Estuary Group Meeting

16 History Society Talk

17 Mobile Library

17 T.A.P.

18 Zulu Tradition

21 Gardening Club Talk

MAY

6 Lympstone WI

9 Plant Sale & Coffee Morning

10 VE Day Street Parties

11 Parish Council

15 Mobile Library

VILLAGE DEFIBRILLATORS

There are 3 defibrillators in Lympstone. The first was purchased and wired in on the wall outside Central Shop on The Strand by the Parish Council three years ago. The second was installed on the wall of the Village Hall. A third has recently been installed on the wall to the side of The Saddlers.

All three have been installed so they can be quickly taken down and used, by any member of the public, following the inbuilt instructions. You are required to phone 999 for an ambulance and the operator will give you a code to access the defibrillator if this is needed.

Councillor Chris Carter

