

THE BUZZ

SEPT/OCT



Dear Buzz Readers,

Another very successful Carnival Week for the various local organisations of our village. Full details and some pictures are printed later in this edition.

It seems that summer has come and gone and we will soon be back playing football, darts, skittles, euchre or pool once again and of course Christmas Cards are available!

I would just like to say that the books of The Buzz are available for viewing if anyone wishes to see them and thank you to all those who continue to show their financial support in sponsoring it.

Please remember that if you have an event you wish to advertise in the Christmas edition of The Buzz it must be with me by the 20th of October.

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Tony, Dawn & staff wish to thank all their customers in the village for their support over the last 5 years. Unfortunately, due to the recent sale of Victoria House, we will have to close on 1st December due to our lease not being renewed. The shop will be shut due to repairs for at least 3 months and when it is reopened we will not be able to continue as the retail space is not suitable but mainly due to security for the Post Office & health & safety reasons for the storage space that has been allocated.

What will happen when the repairs have been completed is obviously down to the new landlords.

It has been a pleasure working in the shop and meeting everybody and we are sad that this will now end.

The Buzz has received the following response from Daniel Marsh and David Harker

We are sorry Dawn and Tony have chosen to vacate the shop at the end of their tenancy. We will now be approaching possible interested parties to try and secure the future of the village shop and Post Office. Should you know of anyone who is interested in this opportunity please contact info@jubileeterrace.com and we would be pleased to discuss it with you. We will keep you informed of progress through the Buzz and the website www.jubileeterrace.com

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**CONGRATULATIONS
CHRIS AND RACHEL!**

Unfortunately for us this is not an update of more travelling details, rather an announcement. On the first weekend of July Rachel and I got engaged in the Brecon Beacons. After initially saying yes a wave of unsettling silence came over Rachel, which took a very worrying 40 minutes and two vodka and cokes to cease. We can now confidently confirm we are happily engaged! We have tried to keep ourselves busy since returning from travelling. We attended the Brit awards and witnessed Adele being cut short by James Corden. A trip to Manchester to watch Goyte, whose 'Somebody I Used to Know' hit was first introduced to us in Australia. It was nice to come back and hear it again in the UK.

While in LA we went to a small gig headlined by Frank Turner, an English folk rock musician and we were fortunate enough to meet him after the gig. In April of this year Frank Turner headlined the O2 Arena in Wembley, being fans we went along. The following day we walked into a Camden pub to have a drink with an old friend. As we were sat at the bar chatting away Rai and I simultaneously noticed that also standing at the bar was none other than Frank Turner drinking with his friends. It was surreal to think that we had met him in America and then again in a pub in London, what a small world it is after all!

Rachel has resumed teaching and is currently teaching reception in a primary school in Evesham. While I was away the company I was working for was bought out by another called Adler and Allan. They invited me to apply for the role of Assistant Environmental Geologist, which I was successful in getting. After four months I was offered promotion to Environmental Geologist and have taken control of all projects in Gloucester and the surrounding area. After many months of looking we have finally bought a property in West Malvern, just south of Worcester on the Hereford and Worcestershire border. We are eager to move into the property as soon as possible but our backpacks are calling once more. As soon as the summer holidays start we are off to the south of Spain and are travelling up passing through Madrid, Toulouse and then Paris to London.

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Spotlight on Derek and Marie Field

Derek was born in the village of Sonning in Berkshire in 1932 and since the age of seven has had close associations with the church. As a young lad Derek joined the local Scouts. Later taking groups on camp and becoming a District Commissioner. Derek left school the day after his 14th birthday and began work at Miles Aircraft factory as an apprentice. When the factory closed he became an apprentice with the Southern Electricity Board. This was now the time of the 1948 Olympics and as the Henley Regatta course was to be used for the boat races Derek saw many of the teams competing. In 1953 Derek was called to start National Service in the R.A.F. After Recruit Training (square bashing) he was posted to Locking near Weston-Super-Mare on an eight month course where he passed out as a Ground Wireless Fitter and posted to RAF Leuchars in

Fife responsible for the transmitter/receiver equipment and later promoted to a Corporal. He later left the RAF and returned to the Southern Electricity Board. In 1960 Derek became a Technician in the Physics Department at the University of Reading and continued working there for 37 years becoming Chief Technician in charge of the Electronics Laboratory and carrying out many experiments with the students of the university. Derek has had a long association with the Royal British Legion and on moving to Bridgerule has become a member of the Holsworthy Branch. In 1984 Derek was a standard bearer for the Remembrance Service at the Royal Albert Hall. He has represented the legion on occasions at ceremonies abroad but one of his proudest moments as a Standard Bearer was in 1996, the 75th Anniversary of the formation of the Royal British Legion, when Derek was leading Standard Bearer for a ceremony at the Royal Academy at Sandhurst.

Marie, Derek's wife, was born in 1933 in Islington, London, moving to Greenford on the outskirts of London. In 1939 war was declared and by 1941 life had become difficult in inner London. The bombings meant that schools had to be closed and so Marie was evacuated to Buckinghamshire. The Chiltern Hills were a far cry from London and Marie loved the surrounding countryside. Later London became rather quieter and having won a scholarship to a London school Marie's future seemed more secure but Hitler had other plans. The V1 and V2 rocket bombs meant it far too dangerous to return and so those plans had to be dashed. Marie was keen on sport and represented her county in the schools All England Finals at Eton College in 1947 for high jump and sprint. Leaving school at the age of 15 Marie entered an Engineering Drawing Office to train on the drawing board. This was interesting but painstaking and exacting work. The plans, then drawn by instruments on shiny linen by Indian ink had to be one hundred percent accurate for copies to be taken for blue prints for the components to be made up in the factory.



No computer software or Tippex then!! Marie told me that some plans would take about two months to complete! If a mistake was made it was where the old saying 'back to the drawing board' rang true ! All Marie's family loved ballroom dancing and on every Saturday night everyone would pile into an old Austin 7 and trundle off to the town hall. Although Marie loved dancing it was her brother who became an accomplished dancer winning many medals. Derek and Marie first met through a mutual friend at a supper party and later married in 1962 when Derek was employed at Reading University. Their first home was a little terraced house with every penny of Derek's savings going on the deposit. As Marie had now become quite ill, money was very tight and all the couple had in the world was a small table, 2 canvas deck chairs and a bed, given to them by a member of the family. As Derek was now paid monthly it meant that the couple had to wait even longer to have some money. Their larder at that particular time consisted of a sack of potatoes and one dozen eggs from the farm. So for one week Marie learnt how to cook potatoes and eggs in a different way each night, but Marie said Derek never complained. They did have a rented television but as one of the deck chairs was so uncomfortable Derek and Marie would change seats half way through viewing their programmes! The couple's daughter, Melissa was born in 1969 and in 1970 the family moved to a larger home with a much larger garden. Here everything they grew in the garden was either frozen or given away but the house was not in good repair and so Derek and Marie had to spend all of their spare time using their DIY skills. Unfortunately Melissa was unable to have much formal schooling because of severe eczema and asthma and so it was therefore decided that Melissa attend a hospital boarding school in East Sussex to get her education. Here her health showed much improvement and later she was able to begin working for a while in a theatre. Marie looked after her mum for a number of years and when she passed away coupled with the ill health of their daughter, Melissa and the retirement of Derek it was decided to look for a smaller property, preferably by the sea.

10 Southfields, Bridgerule was the chosen destination. Both of them remembering their first day when the heavens opened and Southfields was a sea of mud! The family soon settled and have found the residents of our village very friendly and kind. They enjoy the peace and tranquillity of the beautiful countryside coupled with the little church on the hill and feel they have found a little corner of paradise and very privileged to live in such a friendly and neighbourly village.

Derek and Marie celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary on the 30th June of this year and wish to thank their kind friends for their good wishes of gifts and cards.

On behalf of The Buzz I wish to thank Derek and Marie for their time. Marie for the past four years has been diagnosed with ME and this has affected her health dramatically but she enjoys Listening Books, a little sewing and writing poems for The Buzz.



COME BACK SUMMER By Marie Field

Our English Summer is here again,
With strong winds and relentless lashing rain.
Sunshine and Warmth on strict ration,
And Wellington boots the current fashion.
But today Bridgerule is calm and still,
For a stray sea mist drifts over the hill.
To descend on the village and to later
Shroud, in a fine white gauze of vapour.

Where are the hot summers of yesteryear,
When strong men would down a long cold beer.
And days lie panting in the shade,
And children in warm sea waters wade.
Or run laughing on soft wet sands,
With iced lollies melting in sticky hands.
And grown ups seek a welcome shady seat,
To shelter from the sun's fierce heat.

For in these latter years, for some unknown reason
We have no clear definition between the seasons.
And wild life and plants hoodwinked to know,
When to emerge and when to grow.
Temperatures differing one day to the next,
And folks uncertain and perplexed.
On what clothes to don for the best,
A cool bikini or warm woolly vest.
Farmers and gardeners needing their expertise,
To decide when to plant or sow their seeds.

Of the weather we know not what to make,
If only one morning we could wake,
To hot summer sunshine lasting for days.
Giving farmers time to harvest hay.
Then a gentle Autumn leaves a crimson red,
Glowing Fires, hot toast on retiring to bed.
Bringing winter with trees now stark and bare,
A hint of frost in cold sharp air.
Dare we hope to experience definable seasons again,
With blazing sunshine and much less rain.
But we will soldier on in our wellington boots,
Defying the weather and not give two hoots.
For we are British and will take it on the chin,
And enjoy our Summer.....TWO whole scorching hot days in SPRING!

Sheila's Mentions:

Congratulations and belated birthday wishes to **Mrs. Bessie Jones** who was **100** on the **19th August** and now resides at Southlands Court Residential Home. Mrs. Jones and her late husband farmed for many years at Merrifield. Mrs. Jones has one son and five daughters, 11 grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren and 6 great great grandchildren. A celebration family party was held in our Parish Hall.



Kelsey Peschke on the 4th September.

Terry Brock on the 17th September.

Mr. Walter Lashbrook will be 91 on the 18th September.

Daniel Abbott for the 19th September -

Congratulations on gaining your degree.

Tony Goodman also on the 19th September.

Samantha Seymour-Smith on the 21st September.

Rachel Cann also on 21st September.

Lisa Pinn on the 30th September

and Alan Jones will be 70 on the 1st October.

Congratulations to Joanne Gardener of Buttsbear in gaining her degree from Loughborough University.

Our best wishes go to Melissa Field and hope that she will be home soon. Our best wishes also goes to Mrs. Joan Green.



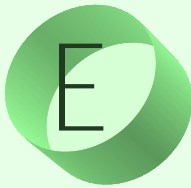
Runners-up at the recent carnival skittle tournament were The Glebe and I know Pauline really wanted her photo in the Buzz. Anything to oblige!

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Once in a lifetime opportunity.....

Jill Knightley and her husband Bill have lived at Littlebridge Meadows since 2003. Jill plays international table tennis for England as a veteran and is a qualified table tennis umpire. Her enthusiasm for the sport of table tennis led her to apply in January 2011 to become a 'games maker' at the 2012



Jill Knightley

Olympics. In August of last year she heard that she had become successful and of course she has just returned from what she says was a once in a lifetime opportunity.

Jill was based at the Olympic Village and the Excel Arena on alternate days. Her role at both venues was with the Table Tennis Sports Information Team with licence to roam, depending on how busy she was. Her Olympic uniform consisted of 2 pairs of trousers, shirts, a jacket, trainers, socks, an umbrella and a watch. Her daily shift was either from 6.30am to 3.00pm or 2.00pm until 11.00pm. with one day a week off which she said was desperately needed. Jill said the accommodation at the village was superb. The athletes did not have to buy anything. If one needed a doctor, a massage, the hairdresser or even the dentist they were on tap together with live entertainment. Special designated areas for food and drink throughout the village but no alcohol being permitted. Jill, the games maker rubbed shoulders with many athletes at the village, including some of the Great Britain gold medal winners and some of the high profile International Olympic Committee not to mention the Queen, the Duke of Edinburgh and Princess Anne.

All accredited staff and athletes, as one would expect, had to go through very thorough security each day. Jill said it was even stricter than at the airports with no liquid allowed to be taken in. Once cleared Jill would receive a bottle of water each day together with a meals voucher. When at Excel her job was to support the members of the table tennis teams competing in the Olympics from 69 countries. She booked practice and preparation times for pre-match. This she said involved lots of negotiating and amendments to times due to the number of teams involved. When she was not being a 'games maker' Jill had what she called field clearance and could see any event that was happening. The accommodation was built as part of a zero waste programme with all plasterboard in the housing only been glued and British Gypsum have guaranteed to buy it all back. These interiors are then to be changed into private dwellings. The atmosphere throughout Jill said was terrific with all nations mixing together. Jill and Bill have recently celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary and in a few weeks time Jill is due to return to assist in the Paralympics. Thanks Jill for your report so quickly after the Olympics.

Celebrating their Emerald Wedding Anniversary

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Congratulations to Ron and Marion Abbott who will be celebrating their Emerald Wedding Anniversary on the 12th September 2012, being married for 55 years.



Ron was born at Tileyard, Red Post and went to Grimscott Primary School for a short while before the family move to Marhamchurch. Upon leaving school Ron took up employment with the late Mr. Raymond Dell as a farm contractor. In 1954 he joined the Royal Air Force for three years. Marion was born in St. Giles but at the time of their wedding she was living in Pyworthy.

They both enjoyed going to dances and it was at a dance in Pyworthy Rectory that a Mr. Ron Abbott met a Miss Marion Abbott. Marion at the time was working in Holsworthy as a secretary for J.P. Whitlock.

They were married on 12th September 1957 at Whitstone Methodist Chapel. Ron's Best Man was Dave Martin from Bude their bridesmaids were Marion's sister, the late Joan Heard and Margaret Ellacott nee Yelland. The reception was in The Olde Cafe in Holsworthy and the honeymoon was spent in Weymouth travelling from Holsworthy by train.

The newly married couple moved to their first home at Furze Bridgerule. Here they resided for 7 years. No car then but they had a motor cycle and Marion recalled travelling on one occasion on this motorcycle just before Gary their first son was born and both Ron and her ending up on the ground. Luckily everything was fine. In 1963 the family moved to 2, Bridge Park Bridgerule where after 48 years Ron and Marion still live today.

Ron worked at the Whitstone and Bridgerule Brickworks for a time before being employed by the late Jack Rees as a builder and for 18 years prior to his retirement he was employed by Devon County Bridges. It was during this time that he received an award for best mason.

Ron played Football for Pyworthy and Bridgerule for many years and Marion was a founder member of Bridgerule ladies skittle club and played for 20 years. They both could recall when 4 gallons of petrol was eighteen shillings and six pence and bread was four pence a loaf.

Ron and Marion have 3 children. Gary and his wife, Shirley live locally. Trevor and his partner, Marilyn live in Holsworthy and Lynda and her husband, Bill live in Canada. Their grandchildren Alex, Michelle, Ryan and Carolyn live in Canada. Tracey, daughter of Gary and Shirley sadly died, and Daniel their son lives with them in Bridgerule

Ron and Marion have strong ties with Bridgerule Methodist Church and attend regularly. Ron being at present a chapel steward. They both enjoy attending Bridgerule Over 50's Coffee Club, various other chapel functions when possible and always support all local events.

Ron and Marion celebrated with family and friends five years ago their Golden Wedding at the Falcon Hotel.

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Our Wedding by Mr & Mrs P Cholwill

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The 7th July was fast approaching and we didn't expect to have flood warnings out for the river Tamar and Torridge, in what is supposed to be a summer month!

This however, didn't dampen our spirits, just made more work to keep our marquee afloat and watertight at Kiming Marhamchurch but this was down to our great family and friends who made it all happen for us. Without their help and hard work it would definitely have been a wellie boot wedding. Paul's dad decided to make a new ten foot entrance so our guests didn't have to walk too far and our special friends helped to make two 50 metre roadways to the marquee. One for the caterers and one for our guests. Terrain was laid first followed by 20 tonnes of woodchip topped with carpet so people could walk freely in and out of the marquee without getting muddy.

Paul and I got married at St. Michael's Church, Shebbear where I grew up with my family for many years. Although Paul, his Best Men, Ushers, Pageboy and some family and friends had to make a detour out of Bridgerule on the morning of the wedding due to floods, we were very lucky with the weather as it only drizzled a little bit as we came out of church, and the rest of the day the sun shone and we had a beautiful sunset over looking our marquee.



Our Bridesmaids were my two sisters Lucy Luxton and Bonnie Hillier and my best friend Lucy Cannicott but not forgetting our beautiful daughter Ella. The older bridesmaids wore dusky purple dresses and Ella had a lace dress made by Nicky Macfarlane (the dressmaker of the Duchess of Cambridge's wedding gown.)

Our Ushers were David Gregory and David Short, Paul's Best Men were David Risdon and Mark Vickery. All have been great friends with Paul while growing up. Our Pageboy was our handsome son, Harvey. They all did a cracking job for us and we can't thank them enough.

Before returning to our marquee Paul and I were chauffeured in a cream wedding camper van to Black Rock for some photographs to be taken.

Anytime Anywhere, the caterers provided exquisite food throughout the day and Erica of Bleu Jen florists provided wonderful floral creations both in the church and in the marquee.

We also decided to have a charity bar for our evening guests. Our chosen charity was Rob Johns Leukaemia Fund. We both have family who have suffered and are still suffering today with this disease. The result of our charity bar was a **profit of £2100** so we again would like to say a big thank you to everyone who brought a beverage or four!!!

We would recommend that all Bride and Grooms where possible use there special day to help raise money for their favourite charity.

We now have to choose photographs for our wedding album and out of 1500 photos this is proving to be a difficult task as we love them all!

We had an amazing day, one that we will treasure for many years to come.

Paul and I would like to say a massive thank you to all who helped us celebrate our special day and we hope you enjoyed it as much as we did.

Paul and Stacey



KEEP A PENNY HANDY!!

A couple a weeks ago a friend was stung by a bee whilst working in the garden. Her arm began to swell so she went to the doctor who gave her some cream and an antihistamine. Next day the arm was progressively worse and so returned to the doctor and because of an infection she was given some antibiotics.

BUT the doctor told her that if it happened again **put a penny on the bite for 15 minutes.**

Some time later, this ladies niece was stung and so a penny was taped on to her arm where the bee had stung. Within 15 minutes the sting had completely gone and the next morning only the mark where it had stung remained. The doctor had told her that the copper in the coin counteracts the bite and she proved that it definitely works.

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I also do childrens Zumba-Tomic birthday parties Which have become very popular. Well first of all I would just like to thank everyone who has taken part in the Zumba Fitness sessions at Bridgerule Village Hall every Wednesday 6:30 – 7:30pm. It has been a great success!! It has also been so nice to see the hall being used by so many women from teenagers to ladies 60+ (not mentioning any names ha ha!!). Not only has it been a great way to get fit, it is also a nice social event to come to each week where us ladies can dance, chat and have fun.

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I have a great portable sound system and over the weeks I have bought disco lights and a Zumba banner to make the hall feel more like a party venue! All you ladies have done so well with picking up the dance routine’s, you all look amazing when are all in time with the music, so keep up the good work, I have lots more new fun routines coming your way.

**He didn’t like the casserole
And he didn’t like my cake,
He said my biscuits were too hard
Not like his mother used to make.
I didn’t perk the coffee right
He didn’t like the stew.
I didn’t iron his clothes the way
His mother used to do.
*I pondered for an answer,
I was looking for a clue.*
**Then I turned around and smacked him one,
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Ha Ha ...My kind of humour!****



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DIDN'T YOU ALL DO WELL.....



Another successful Carnival Week with all events being well supported. Even after the torrential rain late on Carnival Day resulting in flash floods everyone came together making the carnival one of the best we have seen for a few years. Although we had had heavy rain back at home we did not have the deluge the village

witnessed and I could not believe it when I drove over the bridge with all the carnival cups etc to be greeted with Clarice and daughter Valerie wading in water making it impossible to get into The Ham by car. What do we do now? was the question but in true community spirited style within a short while things began to be sorted. All certificates and cups were quickly put into the Environmental Agency vehicle and I entered The Ham in style! I then proceeded to enter each tableaux and fancy dress into the carnival and as I did this the water began to rise in my tent, so I quickly evacuated!! Nevertheless things were soon sorted and thankfully and gratefully with the help of certain people we all managed to form a carnival procession be it a little later than normal. I and others who have been associated with Carnival Week for a number of years have seen the entrance to The Ham flooded on many occasions but never on that particular day.

Thank you to our queen Kimberley and her attendant Angel and to those who entered floats, fancy dress, classic cars and visiting queens and to those who took care of the sideshows etc. A special thanks to David and Vivienne Hale for the use of The Ham, Ray the popular Bideford Pipes and Drums, the judges, photographer Dawn, Alan on the speaker system and to Peter, Michael, Clarice, Valerie and Col for getting the show on the road!

Sheila and the Carnival Committee.

**John and Jean Hammond
The Queen - 60 Years not out.**



**Rob North
and his
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RESULTS OF THE WEEK

Fun Dog Show 20

Grateful thanks to Julie Pike and this year's judge her daughter, Ashlie of Breezlyn Boarding Kennels and Cattery who have supported and sponsored our carnival week dog show for a few years.



Best Pedigree - Laya—Chris Wood, Ruby—Carol Cox, Breeze - Ann Smith and Coco - Christine Bennett.

Best Crossbred— Toffee—Christine Bennett - Alli-Lauren Fearn, Harvey - Pat Rowland and Ellie -Ricki Hallett.

Best Movement - Ruby - Carol Cox, Chimo - Jane Woodward, Harry -Lyn Mitchell and Suquin - Stella Thompson.

Most Handsome Dog - Storm -Paul Woodward, Dozer - Emily Tavinor, Sam - James Davey and Floppy - Dave Mills.

Dog that looks most like its owner - Floppy - Dave Mills, Coco - Christine Bennett, Chips - Lucinda Colomb and Paddy— Paul Skipp.

Waggiest Tail - Ellie - Ricki Hallett, Chalkie - George Skipp, Max - Steve Gomm, Allie - Lauren Fearn.

Prettiest Bitch - Brackon - Emma George, Amber— Skye Davy, Lucy - Eleanor Timlin and Zeeta - Jane Woodward.

Best Long Coat - Layla - Chris Wood, Breeze - Ann Smith, Chips - Samsom Columb and Amber -Skye Davy.

Best Short Coat - Molly - Sue Timlin, Max - Steve Gomm, John - Alex Hallett, and Oscar - Carl Rockell.

Best Veteran - May—Pay Haydon, Paddy - George Skipp, Chimo - Jane Woodward, Sam - James Davey.

Best Condition - Brackon - Emma George, Max - Steve Gomm, Dozer—Emily Kavanagh and Kai - James Brett.

Best Rescue Dog - Storm - Paul Woodward, Kia - Lisa Pinn, John - Katie Hallett and Ellie - Ricki Hallett.

The dog that the judge would most like to take home - Oscar - Dane Tomms, John - Katie Hallett, Sequin - Stella Thompson and Katie Greening and Paddy - Emily Skipp.

Best Fancy Dress - Ruby—Christopher George, Chips - Emily Columb, Sequin - Stella Thompson and Katie Greening and Amber - Skye Davy.

Best in Show - Carol Cox - Ruby.

Reserve - Emily Tavinor - Dozer.

Various other competition results.

Decorated Cup Cake 1st. and 2nd. Brian Meadows .
3rd. Angela Brock.

Decorated Cup Cake Junior 1st. Abigail Cottier.
2nd. Stella Thompson.

Plain Scones 1st. Amanda Linney. 2nd. Chris Hitchings.
3rd. Clarice Harris.

Children's Art Age 2-5 1st . Ethan Pinches. 2nd. Keeton Pinchess.
Age 6-8 1st. William Cottier. 2nd. Jaiden Pinchess.
3rd. Millie Neep.
Age 9-11 1st. Abi Neep. 2nd. Emily Skipp.
3rd. Timothy Cottier.

Tallest Weed - Colin Cholwill - 9' 1 inch.
Skipp Family - 8' 4 inches.
Cottier Family - 7' 10 inches.

Tallest Sunflower 1st. Kalem Gliddon - 8' 2 inches.
2nd. Terry Brock - 7' 9 inches.
(Kalem beat his great granddad by 5")
3rd Harvey and Ella Cholwill - 7' 8".

Best Scarecrow - The Handy Man—Tamarmead

Best Idea Scarecrow - Visit of the Stork - The Linney Family.

Skittle Tournament - Winners Lucky 6.
Runners-Up The Glebe.

Wine and Wisdom Evening - Winners - The Glebe.

Individual Skittles - Ladies - Sheila Cholwill - 17 and being chased by
someone who remains nameless!!

Gents - Pete North - Brilliant 25 out of 27.



**Kimberley our 2012
Carnival Queen with her
attendant Angel Piercey.**

Thank you both.

**Lucky 6 Winners of the
Carnival Skittle Tournament.**
Angela, Audrey, Wendy, Kimbeley-
Carnival Queen, Alison, Geraldine
and Helen.



Best Scarecrow Idea
The Linney Family

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**Who is that trying to
hide behind this
smart gentleman?**



**Winnie McGoogan and
Grandad Brown would be
proud of you both.**

**Scooby Doo who are
you?**



**What do you
think Margaret
and Janet are
describing!!**
*Answers on a
postcard!*



Fancy Dress Results

Under 5's 1. Wheels on the Bus - Bridgerule Early Years.
 2. Convict - Angela Cobbledick.

5-8 years 1. I can be a little devil - Peter George.

9-12 years 1. Indian - Samuel Jones
 2. Clock Watcher - Chris George.
 3. Alien - Katie Hallett.

Walking Groups - Rob North and his Merry Men -
 The Bridge Inn Morris Dancers.

Tableaux

Childrens Open 1st. - Bridgerule's Scooby Do—Lucas and Friends.

Original

- 1st. 'Circ' to Bridgerule - Davey, Cottier, Skipp and Friends.
- 2nd. 50 Shades of Grey - Peschke, Wood, Tomlin, Snowdon and Pinn.
- 3rd. Grease - Shirley Jenkins and Friends.
- 4th. The Queens Diamond Jubilee Tour - Dymond and Hammond.

Humorous 1st. Mrs. Brown's Boys—Bill Eastcott and Friends.
 2nd Ancient Greece comes to Bridgerule -
 Littlebridge Rovers.

Trade	3rd. Rain Stopped Play - Hallett Family.
	1st. Man Friday—Dave Mills.
	2nd. Bobcat Hire - Col Cholwill.
	3rd. Messrs. Short and Abbott—Agricultural Engineers.

Queen of Queens - Holsworthy Carnival Queen and Holsworthy Fairy Queen.

Individual Event Profits:

Sunday - Crowning of Queen	£350.00
Monday - Wine and Wisdom.	£420.00
Tuesday - Skittle Tournament.	£143.00
Wednesday— Ramble	£400.00
Thursday— Fun Dog Show	£109.00
Friday - Bingo	£350.00

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2nd September	9.30am	Pyworthy Morning Prayer
	9.45am	Pancrasweek Eucharist
	11.00am	Bridgerule United Anglican and Methodist Church at St. Bridget's.
9th September	9.30am	Pyworthy Eucharist
	11.00am	Bridgerule Eucharist
16th September	9.30am	Pyworthy Morning Prayer.
	9.45am	Pancrasweek Eucharist
	11.00am	Bridgerule Family Service
23rd September	9.30am	Pyworthy Eucharist
	11.00am	Bridgerule No Service
30th September	10.30am	Pyworthy Benefice Eucharist
	3.00pm	Bridgerule Harvest Festival.
5th October	7.30pm	Pancrasweek Harvest Evensong
7th October	9.30am	Pyworthy Morning Prayer
	9.45am	Pancrasweek Harvest Festival Eucharist
	11.00am	Bridgerule United Anglican & Methodist Service at Methodist Chapel
14th October	9.30am	Pyworthy Harvest Festival Communion
	11.00am	Bridgerule Eucharist
21st October	9.30am	Pyworthy Morning Prayer
	9.45am	Pancrasweek Communion by Extension
	11.00am	Bridgerule Eucharist
28th October	9.30am	Pyworthy Eucharist
	11.00am	Bridgerule Eucharist

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September 2nd	United Service at St. Bridget's Church	11.00am
September 9th	Rev. Doug Adams	11.00am
September 16th	Mr. W. Cleave	11.00am
September 23rd	Rev. P. Shepherd	9.30am
September 30th	Rev. J. Henry (Sacrament)	9.30am
 October 7th	 Rev. N. Street - Harvest Festival	 11.00am
	United Service with St. Bridget's Church	
October 8th	Harvest Festival Service 7.15pm followed by Faith Supper and Sale of Produce	
 October 14th	 Mr. B. Bryne	 11.00am
October 21st	Mr. M. Sinden	11.00am
October 28th	Rev. J. Henry (Sacrament)	9.30am

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH NOTES

John McDougall - Neighbourhood Watch Co-ordinator

For those of you who hadn't got round to phoning me last time for a Community Messaging Service form—phone now 381237.

The hot weather is nice, but not if someone slips in to your house through an open window.

From the crime reports I get, there have been too many burglaries committed this way. We are fortunate that in this parish we have a very low crime rate—let's keep it that way.

It's a long way ahead, but on November 15th, a Thursday, there will be a Nationwide Vote for your local (police force wise) Police Commissioner.

Just like the political "Commissioner Gordon" in the Batman comics (and the films?). He, or she, will replace the invited Police Authority members eventually. Let us hope it does not harm any of us with another layer of politicians.

RURAL POLICING UPDATE FROM 1st August - PCSO Beverley Bray

Sheepwash -Quantity of red diesel.

Virginstowe - Assorted bank notes from a dwelling

Bradford - Metal milk churn.

Broadwoodwidge - Mans Bell cycle helmet, Dickies hi vis jacket, 2 front cycle lights, Cateye cycle computer.

Thornbury - Decorated milk churn with property name inscribed on it.

Ashwater - Eggs from barn and change from money jar.

Milton Damerel - Red Alfa Romeo 147 valued at £2500 stolen from Woodford Bridge Hotel.

Bridgerule - Damage to a car parked at The Green.

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“TACKBEAR ALTERNATIVE OLYMPICS EVENT”

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“FELLOW” Olympians....

As you will be aware the Olympics have come to the UK (London) and we thought it would be great to celebrate this unique global event with our own Family orientated event based here in “The Sunshine State of Cornwall”.

The Event was held at Tackbear in our field on weekend of 10th August 2012 and was very much based on having a fun and memorable event for our family and friends to enjoy. Everyone attending the “TACKBEAR OLYMPICS EVENT” camped out... which added to the authenticity of the *TRUE OLYMPIC VILLAGE*.

The Opening Ceremony was on the Friday evening with our very own Olympic Torch Relay. All the children attending the Olympic event took turns in carrying the torch ending with Zinzan Belcher and Millie Barton-Coates from St Petroc’s School lighting the Olympic Fire.

On the Saturday there were many events for all to take part in with Synchronised Trampolining, Egg & Spoon race being the morning’s main features. In the afternoon there was an Obstacle Course Challenge followed by Hobby Horse Jumping and Finally the Inflatable Boxing Glove Knockout Event.

The Evening saw everyone enjoying the Hog Roast & Giant Screen in the field - FANTASTIC LOCAL PIG from Chris Jopling (Snout & Trotter) followed by a repeat of the Torch Relay to light the evenings fire to keep us all warm whilst we all watched Mo Farah win GOLD in the 10,000m on the Giant Screen. Finally we all lay out exhausted from the day’s events Star Gazing and Sheep Counting around the fire.

Hopefully a memorable Olympic Event for the children to remember the year 2012 the year the Olympics came to Britain.
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