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HAMLETS

The monthly Parish Council meeting was held on Wednesday 20th April 2022 in the Community Centre. Present were Cllrs. J Hobbs (Chair), K Boundy, J Phipps, R Savage, J Payne, N Steer, G Worden & K Jones, four members of the public and S Rosser (Clerk). Apologies were received and accepted from Cllr Tilbey.

Platinum Jubilee Celebration Oak trees have been planted in each Hamlet; wild flower seeds have also been sown. Parishioners have been registering for the commemorative mugs. Please register with Councillor Phipps, if you have not done so already. Children yet to be born in this Jubilee year are also entitled to receive a mug. Plans for events are under way – please look out for posters with further information very soon.

Co-option of the Parish Councillor Vacancy is expected to take place at the May meeting.

There were 42 items of correspondence were noted. Further information can be found on those in the full minutes on the parish website: www.morwenstowparishcouncil.co.uk.

Four planning applications were received for comment since the last full council meeting in March 2022. PA22/02569, Proposed Kitchen and Dining room extension, Land East of Cornakey Farm Morwenstow Bude Cornwall EX23 9SS - Morwenstow Parish Council support this application. PA22/02570, Proposed conversion and extension of barn to create a dwelling/holiday let, Cornakey Farm Morwenstow Bude Cornwall EX23 9SS - Morwenstow Parish Council support this application. PA21/06671, Erection of annexe ancillary to 3 Jacques Cottages, Land North of 3 Jacques Cottages Morwenna Road Shop - Morwenstow Parish Council welcome the alterations, of which enable the Council to now support this application. However, the Parish Council would like to reiterate the issue of loss of street parking; and would be pleased to see the inclusion of obscured glass in the South facing doors.

PA22/03314, Full application for the construction of five detached dwellings, land north of The Nook, Morwenna Road, Shop. This was received the day before the meeting. An extension of time was requested and granted, in order to consider the documents fully for the May meeting.

The next regular Parish Council meeting will be the annual general meeting; held on Wednesday 18th May 2022.

The Annual Parish meeting will be held on Wednesday 25th May 2022, we will be joined by guest speaker Wailim Wong of Cornwall Citizens Advice Bureau. All are welcome to the meetings.

Sheridon Rosser (Mrs), Clerk to the Parish Council



MARCH RAINFALL

Duckpool Cottage –

Jen Ash recorded: 41 mm or 1.64 inches

Tor View, Shop –

Ken Boundy recorded: 33.5 mm or 1.32 inches

Lophorne –

David Manfield recorded: 74 mm or 2.91 inches

MORWENSTOW PATRONAL FESTIVAL

After 2 years absence the Festival committee are busy planning and looking forward to an exciting and fun-filled 2022 Patronal Festival. Festival day is on a Friday this year so we hope lots of you will be able to come along, support and enjoy the events! Full details will appear in the June edition of Hamlets.

DIARY OF EVENTS as follows:

(All events will take place in the Festival marquee unless otherwise stated)

Wednesday 22nd June - 7:30pm – FUN FESTIVAL QUIZ

Thursday 23rd June – from 8pm – POETS, PASTIES & PINTS in the Bush Inn. Come along and enjoy a fun night of music, songs and recitations! If you have a party piece all the better!

Friday 24th June – PATRONAL FESTIVAL DAY (all timings are approximate)

2:00pm – Procession to the Church by Bude Town Band and pupils & staff of St Mark's School
2:30pm – Church Service
3:30pm – Procession back to Festival Field
3:45pm – Children's Sports
From 4:00pm – Festival Tea in the marquee
From 5:00pm – Dodgeball
Space Hopper Racing
From 6pm – Barbecue
"All at C" Ukelele Band
Barrel Border Morris

There will be various sideshows and activities during the afternoon and early evening on Friday 24th if anyone wishes to run a stall or side show they would be very welcome – to book a place please contact: LMHURLES@HOTMAIL.COM

JUBILEE CELEBRATION MUGS - CHILDREN OF THE PARISH - AGED 0 - 16.

Morwenstow Parish Council will be pleased to present commemorative mugs to the children of the parish. This will take place at the event to be held on Saturday 4th June 2022. In order to ensure that the correct quantity is ordered, we require parents or guardians to register your child with us please.

Please send details of how many mugs are required in each family; stating the age bracket for the child(ren). We have a rough guide from the local nursery/primary and secondary schools. We do not know how many children are homeschooled and do not want anyone to miss out.

Please register your child(ren) before 30th April 2022 by sending details to Councillor Phipps. Julie can be contacted by email on jsphippsmc@hotmail.com or 01288 331 622.





Saturday 4th June 2022

Please come & join us for a

A Bring & Share Picnic at the Morwenstow Community Centre

Liquid Refreshments organised by The Morwenstow Community
Centre Committee

The Parish Council will present very special mugs to the children of
the Parish commemorating the Platinum Jubilee of

HM Queen Elizabeth II

1952 - 2022

The METRIC BAND will be there to entertain us at 4.00 p.m.

More details in the June Hamlets



Morwenstow Women's Institute

Morwenstow Women's Institute Annual Meeting

Wednesday 13th April 2022

Members met in the community centre to hear Alan Rowland talking about 'Discovering Lundy'. Illustrated by many slides he spoke enthusiastically about the archaeology, history and flora and fauna of this beautiful place. Lundy is thought to derive from old Scandinavian languages and means Puffin Island. The puffins are thriving again since the rats were removed and it is also a haven for other seabirds, most importantly the Manx shearwater. It is also the site of rare Romano-British gravestones, a number of bronze age stone circles and a bronze age round house where it is believed St Nectan was buried before his bones were removed to Hartland. Trinity House built a lighthouse and access road there in 1812 and at one time the owner, a rogue of an MP, made loads of money transporting prisoners there instead of to Australia and graffiti can still be seen in Benson's Cave, where they were forced to live. Lundy has the oldest private postal service in Britain and prints its own postage stamps, which are very sought after by collectors. A truly unique place to visit or even stay for a few days.

'Your Favourite necklace' was the subject of this month's competition and we all voted for the one we liked best then each of us talked a little about why they were special. Joint winners were Val Tape, Sandra Rowland and Judith Ingram, who also won the 'Flower of the Month' competition. Names were taken for next month's group meeting in Bude then we all had a bit of a catch-up while enjoying refreshments provided by Val Tape.

Because of the group meeting our next meeting is in the W. I. Hall at 2. 30 pm on Wednesday June 8th when Ken Heard will talk about 'Problem Plants'. If you would like to come along guests are always very welcome. Contact Debbie Nicholls, Secretary, on 01288 331426 for further details.

Lesley Palfreyman
Press Secretary

Institute Affairs

Having completed the skittle fixtures, no cups were won because no cup matches were played during the season. This was a league decision taken due to the uncertainty of the covid virus.

The snooker team, having won the league by one point all went to the presentation evening which is now always held at the Crackington Haven Snooker Club. The scratch singles final is always the first event of the evening, what a final this was. One of our players, Phil Gillesby was playing Andrew Pollard of Holsworthy B. They competed in the final, last played in 2019, due to covid. Andy just nicked the first frame, narrowly lost the 2nd frame and won the final frame, to win the Scratch cup.

There was an excellent spread of pasties and sandwiches which everyone enjoyed. The cups were then presented from all competitions. All winners & losers received vouchers of £20.00, sponsored by Woolacotts. All of the Morwenstow team have entered the Bideford Summer League, so will continue to practise at least one night a week.

Our club is open 7 days a week all through the year, so if anyone fancies having a game of snooker, you can become a member for the cost of 5 cups of coffee, £13.00 for a whole year.

My contact number is 01288 331 263

Colin Tape
Chairman

CHURCH SERVICES FOR MAY

Morwenstow Parish Church

Sunday 1 st	9.30am	Holy Communion
Sunday 8 th	9.30am	Morning Worship
Sunday 15 th	9.30am	Holy Communion
Sunday 22 nd	3.00pm	Evensong

Woodford Methodist Chapel

Sunday 1 st	11.00am	J Wilson Sac
Sunday 8 th	11.00am	Woodland Worship at Lee Barton. Bring & share picnic, weather permitting
Sunday 15 th	11.00am	R Bealing
Sunday 22 nd	11.00am	B Bryne
Sunday 29 th	11.00am	Fellowdhip

Coffee Morning 4th May 10.00 – 12.00, All welcome

Bible Study on Thursdays 12th and 26th May at 6.00pm

Morwenstow Methodist Chapel - Shop

Sunday 1 st	11.00am	Led by Mr. B Bryne
Sunday 8 th	11.00am	Led by Mr A Sloman
Sunday 15 th	11.00am	Led by Merrytones
Sunday 22 nd	11.00am	Family Service* led by Rev. R Ward-Smith
Sunday 29 th	11.00am	Led by Mr. A Pitt

*Families with Children are welcome to all our services, and especially to this 'family service' on the anniversary of the Sunday Club.

MORWENSTOW METHODIST CHURCH

‘LUNCH CLUB’

Please join us for roast pork with a cream and cider sauce, or a mild vegetarian curry, and delicious puddings, on

Wednesday 18th May

at SHOP CHAPEL

From 12.15 to 1.30 pm

Please book (£7) by contacting
Valerie on (01288) 331263 or Edith on (01288) 331397

Proceeds to Shop Chapel and Ukraine refugee appeal
ALL ARE MOST WELCOME

Mammoth Plant Sale and Mill Open day

Sunday 8th May

11am - 4pm

Adults £4 Children 50p

The Bridge Mill

Bridgerule, Holsworthy

EX22 7EL

Website: www.thebridgemill.org.uk

01288 381341

Morris dancers / crafts

16 acres, sheep lambs and ducks - sorry no dogs (except for hearing/guide dogs).

Garden Open for the National Garden Scheme

The Bridge Mill, Bridgerule

Mill Rd, Bridgerule

Holsworthy EX22 7EL

Sun 29th May

11am - 5pm

Adm: £4 Plants for Sale

Children free Teas

Lake and riverside walks

Wildflower meadows

Sheep and lambs - sorry no dogs

www.thebridgemill.org.uk



A Date for your Diary
Morwenstow Community Centre
are planning another ceilidh
Saturday 19th November 2022
More details soon!!!!!!

EDITORIAL

Email your articles to – jsphippsmpc@hotmail.com

The latest date for copy is the 25th of the month preceding publication

The Editor is not responsible for the views and comments of contributors and reserves the right to edit any article if necessary

If you wish to contact the Chairman of the Parish Council on any matter, please telephone Jonathan Hobbs on (01288) 331236

USEFUL DATES

Rubbish & Recycling collections –
Recycling – Monday 9th & 23rd May

Parish Council – 3rd Wednesday (except Aug & Dec)
(1st Wednesday – additional planning meeting if required)

Post Office – Mondays 12.30 – 3.30pm, Thursdays 1.00 – 3.00pm

Walking Football for the over 50's
Contact Dave Rivett on 01288 331 814

	Calendar of Events	
Date	Event	Organisation
4th June	Jubilee Bring & Share Tea	Parish Council & MCC
24th June	Patronal Festival	
19th November	Ceilidh	Community Centre