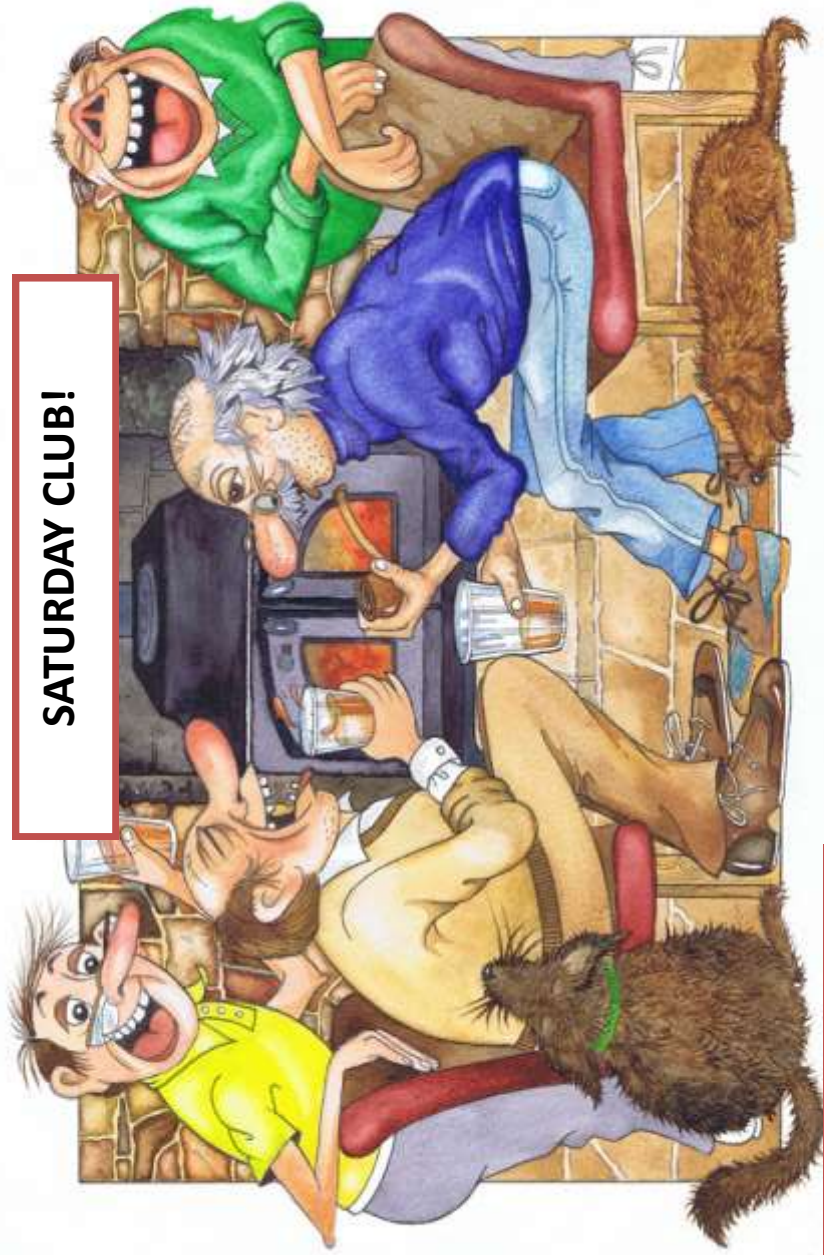


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THE BUZZ

JULY/AUGUST 2014

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Dear Readers,

Sadly I have to report that I have not won a new kitchen for our hall but am very proud of the fact that out of 40 heroes nominated from all over the country I was placed in the final 10 and down to the judges choice.

Something I am very proud of. I wish to thank Rose for nominating me and for all those who took the trouble to vote for me. We will just have to work a bit harder!

Carnival Week is fast approaching and the centrefold of this edition is full of the week's programme including all the competitions that I hope you will take part in.

Table Tops are taking place in our hall on the first Saturday in each month which I urge you to support. As we have no shop in our village now, I have made contact with a lady who sells fresh fruit, vegetables and bread and she will be coming along on the **5th July**.

Those that came to see Johnny Cowling I'm sure had a great time. Thank you to those that helped on the night with the bar and the food and donated raffle prizes. I can report that the hall benefited by £2007 that night.

Thank you to those who have recently come forward to kindly sponsor The Buzz.

Sheila Cholwill - Editor

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Car Treasure Hunt

Approximately 25 miles, but! within 10 mile radius of Bridgerule

To be held on:

Saturday 5th July 2014

(From: 2.00pm onwards)

Entry Fee: £2.50 per person Children under 14, free.

Entry forms / Answer sheets / Route details only available on the day

(Any questions, contact 01288 381002)

Start and finish at:

The Bridge Inn

Prize for the highest score

BBQ and Raffle at 'The Bridge' from 8.00pm

Please help by donating a prize for the Raffle.

(These may be left at the Bridge Inn or 9 Littlebridge Meadows)

Bygone Luncheon in our hall!



Robert Holman who lives at St. Bridget's Cottage has given the editor this photo of a luncheon held approximately 50+ years ago in our hall.

Do you recognise anyone?

4 rows of customers plus those on the stage awaiting their meal.

Also a reminder of how our hall used to look.

THE YOULDON FAMILY INVITE YOU TO A
CREAM TEA



at Knowle Cottage Bridgerule

Sunday July 20th - 3.00—6.00pm

£5.00

Bring a chair and listen to Music by *FRIGGIN RIGGIN*

All Proceeds to Cancer Research UK



SUNDAY 31 AUGUST is the day of our *Bridgerule*
'NOT FORGOTTEN' event remembering the start of
World War 1.

It begins in the morning - the village hall opening at 10.00 am with an exhibition of artefacts - mostly of WW1 and we are asking for you to look out any War items for loan for this occasion please. Bring along to the Hall on the morning OR deliver to Rose at Meadows Barn.

PLEASE write down what you know about each item.



Holsworthy Museum are kindly donating items of interest and will possibly have a member of staff you can talk to about the items. The exhibition (**FREE TO ENTER**) will end at 2.00 pm. and the hall cleared for a Band Concert starting at 3.00 pm.



BUDE METRIC BRASS - are starting at 3.00 pm. - and will be playing music of the Wartime era - song sheets available for some of the songs followed by a special Cream Tea with cakes and sandwiches etc.



Tickets will cost £5 for the afternoon event (including refreshments) - obtainable from Lyndsey - 01288 3811117 and Rose - 381129 (Meadows Barn).

Some of us will be dressing in clothes of the Edwardian era—long dresses - hats etc. and would love others to come dressed accordingly—a truly 'elegant' afternoon we'd like it to be.'



LOVE AND WAR by Marie Field

Love takes the form of many things,
 A tiny baby, a touch of Spring.
 Someone's smile to help us on her way,
 And make a difference to our day.
 A kind word or action will beguile,
 Making us feel valued or worthwhile.
 For the old saying, true and so profound,
 Love truly does make the world go round.
 For when wars and hatred are our lot,
 The world seems to slow and to stop.
 As with the Great War of 1914/18,
 When love was tested to extremes.

And men dragged wounded comrades to safety from enemy lines,
 Risking their own lives time after time.
 With bullets whistling about their heads,
 And the sky a hail of raining lead.
 The misery of deep mud, rats and sheer hell,
 Of the scream and thump of exploding shells.
 Men longing for home, their wives and sweethearts,
 And their families, by cruel war torn apart.
 And when at long last peace was achieved,
 So many loved ones left to grieve.
 For the kindness to our fellow man,
 Seems a so much better plan.

And many years on, in these modern times,
 For some, life still can seem a testing climb.
 And material goods cannot wholly provide,
 For complete well being, the emotional emptiness inside.
 To wonder if life holds in store,
 The secret to enrich our lives much more.
 So if left wondering or non plussed,
 Might the answer lie in the hearts of each of us.
 For the compassion we show we will not regret,
 To a good cause, a needy person, or a pet.
 And in return good will then flow, and hearts will lift,
 And our world spin on, with love, the greatest gift.

Bridgerule Parish Council

Local Grant Applications 2014/2015

The Parish Council will consider applications for grants at its September meeting.

For an application pack, Bridgerule organisations should contact:

Mrs. Maureen Fenner, Parish Clerk

44 Southfields, Bridgerule, EX22 7DX

01288 381762

E-mail: bridgerulecouncil.fenner@uwclub.net

**Closing date for applications to be returned is
29th August 2014.**

Applications received after the closing date will not be considered

Banking Explained

Young Paddy bought a donkey from a farmer for £100. The farmer agreed to deliver the donkey the next day.

The next day he drove up and said,

'Sorry son, but I have some bad news. The donkey's died.'

Paddy replied, 'Well then just give me my money back.'

The farmer said, 'Can't do that. I've already spent it.'

Paddy said, 'OK, then, just bring me the dead donkey.'

The farmer asked, 'What are you going to do with him?'

Paddy said, 'I'm going to raffle him off.'

The farmer said, 'You can't raffle a dead donkey!'

Paddy said, 'Sure I can. Watch me. I just won't tell anybody he's dead.'

A month later, the farmer met up with Paddy and asked,

'What happened with that dead donkey?'

Paddy said, 'I raffled him off. I sold 500 tickets at £2 each and made a profit of £898'

The farmer said, 'Didn't anyone complain?'

Paddy said, 'Just the guy who won. So I gave him his £2 back.'

CELEBRATING IRENE'S 100TH BIRTHDAY



On St George's Day, April 23rd, Pat Johnston's mother, Irene Hooper, celebrated her 100th birthday with friends, relatives and staff at Eventide Home, Liskeard. Since Pat and Alec moved to Bridgerule 6 years ago Irene has visited on several occasions and has greatly enjoyed attending both Church and Chapel services, joining in with the Village Coffee Mornings and watching the Revel Week Floats Processions. The birthday cake was made by Pat's brother Tom and Irene received a card from the Queen and a congratulatory telegram from Iain Duncan-Smith (Secretary of State for Works and Pensions).

Sadly we have to report that since the birthday celebrations Irene has passed away.

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Sheila's Mentions:

Our good wishes go to **Mrs Farkus of Green Pastures** who sustained a fall just after celebrating her 90th birthday.

Our good wishes also go to **Mr Dennis Martyn** of Borough Farm.

Our thoughts go to **Pat and Alex Johnston** on the recent death of Pat's mum Irene.

Congratulations to **Rhys and Leanne Chard** on the recent birth of **Aria Louise**. A sister for Mason.

We welcome **Greg, Stephanie and Ethan Snowden** who are soon due to move into 7 Bridge Park. Greg is the son of Kay and the late Mervyn Snowden and spent his childhood in Bridgerule.

We also welcome **Tom Winn, his partner Kayleigh** and their daughter Isabelle to our village and **Christine and Bill Jackson** who have moved from Wales to Littlebridge Meadows. We wish them all a long and happy stay in our village.

The winner of the recent Church Quiz was **Lyndsey Beadle**. Thanks to those who took part. £40 profit was made.

Birthday Greetings go to:

Michael Moore on the 8th July

Audrey Bewes on the 1st August

Emily Youldon on the 8th August

Raymond Bewes on the 15th August

Janet Hallett on the 26th August

Linda Goodman on the 29th August

Well done to **Matt Gliddon and Elie Inwood** for running The Ruby Run on June 8th.

Matt came in 41st with a time of 1hr. 37min and 39sec.



MICHAEL'S MECCANO MONORAIL



Monorail systems have been built in many countries around the world. Many of them on elevated tracks through crowded areas that would otherwise require the construction of expensive underground lines. Most cabs are about 40ft 5" (12.3m) long and can hold up to 20 seated passengers. The cars between the front and rear cabs can hold up to 28 seated passengers each.

Each train has eight electric motors operating on 600 volts DC to produce 100HP (75kw) each. The motors also serve as brakes via regenerative braking. The monorail train has a max speed of 55mph. (89—KM/H).

The model took about 78 hours to build . The train was 4'x3" (1.3m) long. Running on a track of 14' 10" (4.5m) in length and 13" in height.

A station was at one end of the track with ticket counter and steps leading up to the platform.

The train was powered by a power drive motor and 1912 parts + 3574 nuts and bolts were used to build this model.

OPEN GARDENS

The fantastic sum of £2765 will be presented soon to The Devon and Cornwall Air Ambulance Trusts as a result of Open Gardens 2014. Over the last 8 years The Ambulance Trusts have benefited by £16350 due to the generosity of members of our community opening their private gardens for everyone to view. Congratulations.



IT'S A SMALL WORLD!!

Although Pat and Alec Johnston of Southfields and Pauline and Paul Latham of the Green live, literally across the fence from each other, it took a holiday in Tenerife for them to get to know each other. Pauline recognised Pat from the time when they used to join in with the Bude Walk and Talk group. We met as we sat down to our evening meal at adjacent tables in the dining room of the Hotel Barcelo Santiago in Puerto Santiago, Tenerife.

“Sharp shooter” Paul was well on target when he won a Rifle Shooting competition at the hotel, that was before he enjoyed the beer!!!



Spotlight on Alec Johnston.....

Most of you will know me as I can be seen recording village events on my camera.

My name is Alec Johnston and I was born in October 1941 in Belfast and lived in Northern Ireland until 1974. My 'countrywise education' was limited to recognising birds, grass, flowers, bushes and trees. The fact that there were subtle differences in each never really occurred to me until later in life!

I left school when I was 16 and my first real job was as a Scientific Officer with the Ministry of Agriculture Soils Advisory Service. Eleven years later I went to Queens University in Belfast and got a honours degree in Chemical Engineering. On completion of my degree I joined Goodyear as a Research Engineer. In my spare time I was a Supply Officer in the Royal Naval Reserve where I spent more than a few weekends at sea being really ill through sea sickness!



In 1974, due to marriage difficulties, decided to totally change direction in my career and joined the Sultan of Oman's Navy as a contract officer responsible for the logistic support of small but modern navy. What an experience I flew 4000 miles arriving in Muscat at midnight and when I stepped out of the aircraft it was like walking into an oven with the air temperature in excess of 100°F.

The southern province, Dhofar, of Oman was very much involved in a local insurrection and Sultan Qaboos had requested assistance from the UK in sourcing suitably qualified personnel, both seconded and contract, to assist the Sultan's Armed Forces (SAF).

So here I was in the Oman and on the same aircraft was another contract Officer, Ken Brown who became my best friend for the next three years. We had arrived in the middle of a 5 day Eid (public holiday) and our first job was to go and rescue a broken down Bedford truck in the Wahiba Sands. I didn't know until later that the Wahiba Sands was a no go area for SAF personnel. So off went Ken and I in a Bedford 4x4 truck with a Baluch driver to rescue our colleagues. We left Muscat around noon and eventually arrived in the Wahiba Sands after midnight. In 1974 roads did not exist outside Muscat and our journey was along Wadis (dried up river beds) and over sand desert. Having arrived in the Wahiba Sands we then went and found the Sheikh of the area to find out where the broken down truck was.

After much shaking of his head he told us that he hadn't seen a car for a fortnight never mind a lorry! Anyway we did find the broken down truck and towed it back to Muscat for repair.

In early 1975 I went to Holland to agree the final supplies needed for two Tropical Patrol Vessels that the Oman had purchased from the Dutch Navy. I then returned to Oman for a couple of months before taking the crews for the new vessels in a Sultan of Oman Air Force (SOAF) BAC 1-11. We arrived at Valkenburg Naval Air Station in March and then bussed up to the Dutch Naval Base in Den Helder. First priority was to organise clothing as the crew were used to temperatures in excess of 100°F and not the freezing conditions of March in Holland. I never forget the first sighting of a train when one of my crew referred to it, in Arabic, as a very very big Landrover! AS for the water it flowed down the middle of the streets. All too soon it was time to set sail for the Oman not knowing if the Suez canal would be open or would we have to go around Africa! The Suez Canal won.

We called in to Gibraltar where we spent a week sightseeing. Next stop was Malta and whilst we all enjoyed the Carnival that was on for that week my most memorable encounter was meeting a Queen Alexandra Naval Nursing Service (QARNNS) Sister called Pat Hooper and 39 years later we are still talking to each other. Then on to Port Said where we waited until the Suez Canal reopened on 05 June 1975 and Al Nasiri (the ship that I was on-board) led the first commercial convoy through the Canal.

Having successfully navigated the Suez Canal we spent a very memorable ten days with the French Foreign Legion in Djibouti, visiting various outpost of the Legion both in Djibouti and the surrounding countryside. Then back to the Oman and the official welcome by the Sultan and the Defence Minister.

It took 6 months for the journey from Holland to Oman. No sooner had I returned to the office than I was off on the delivery of rice to all the coastal villages from the Mussandam Peninsula down to Muscat.

There were no roads as we know them in the Oman at this time other than approximately 20 miles of tarmac road from Muscat through Muttrah to the Airport and on to Seeb Palace.



I joined Al Sultana, a 600 tonne freighter, and off we went assisted by SOAF helicopters delivering rice to all the coastal villages as a present from the Sultan to celebrate his marriage in March 1976. It was a time of tremendous celebration for the whole country.

Shortly after this I was asked to go down to Salalah and set up a forward Naval Base to service the Patrol Vessels, at the end of the Monsoon, supporting the SAF push against the Adoo (the enemy). It had been intended to base our engineering support operation on board the freighter Al Sultana. Due to a change in priorities the seaward diversion became the main thrust at the end of the monsoon and this needed Al Sultana to ferry troops further down the coast to cut off the Adoo's supply routes. This operation was the final operation of the insurrection and victory was declared. Shortly after that I returned to UK.

One year after returning to the UK I married Pat and we have three daughters. Barbara, my daughter from my first marriage, came with me as I had custody following my divorce. Pat and I had two daughters Emma and Emily. All three have now 'flown' the coop and live their own independent lives.

I went back into chemical engineering and for 4 years specialised in evaporation and crystallisation technologies and have plants installed in Peru, Scotland, England and Wales. Then I spent 10 years with Cussons headquarters supporting the manufacturing facilities for soaps, edible oils and margarines in Nigeria, Kenya, Zimbabwe, Greece, Indonesia, Thailand and Australia.

For the remaining period of my working life, with Ventron/Atkins, I assisted with the design, building, commissioning and operating chemical and petrochemical plant, mainly in the UK. Towards the end of my working career I specialised in high level technical review of new and existing plant on a world wide basis. In simpler terms I critically examine events that might cause an accident and assess the consequences if the accident did happen. Then assess whether sufficient safeguards are in place to prevent the defined accident happening. I still get phone calls asking me to facilitate these studies that are known as HAZIDS and HAZOPS.

Since moving to Bridgerule just under 7 years ago we actively support the Parish Church and Chapel. Pat is a Foundation Governor for the Primary School and I sit on the Parish Council. Pat & I organise the Village Coffee Club on alternate Tuesdays throughout the year. We have raised the profile of the Village and in particular the School by submitting photographs of various events and have them published in the Holsworthy Post.

The editor thanks Alec for his personal story and wish him and Pat well.



KATIE

representing her village
at Launceston Carnival

I have really enjoyed my year as carnival Queen for Bridgerule. I have loved attending the various carnivals around the area and the many events in the village.

I have achieved various positions in the carnivals I have attended with my best positions being voted 1st place Queen of Queens at Bideford and 1st place senior Queen at Launceston.

I am really pleased to be able to be Queen again this year and I hope to attend even more carnivals.

I would like to thank my family, Sheila and all the carnival committee for all their help and support and I hope to see you all at the various fun events at revel week this year, there is something for everyone.

Katie Hallett Bridgerule Carnival Queen 2013/2014

BRIDGERULE CARNIVAL CLASSES

Saturday August 2nd 2014

FANCY DRESS

Under 5 years - 5 - 8 years - 9 - 12 years - Under 16

EQUESTRIAN

TABLEAUX

CHILDREN'S OPEN - ORIGINAL - HUMEROUS - TRADE

Classic Cars etc. are invited to join in the procession

BRIDGERULE CARNIVAL WEEK

Sunday 27th July - 3.00pm

**Crowning of Carnival Queen, Katie Hallett
By Mr Mark Shears**

In Village Hall at 3.00pm

Followed by Cream Teas, Cake Stall & Sideshows.

THE MILL will be open at 4.30pm

(see overleaf for details)

UNITED SERVICE AT St Bridget's Church 6.30pm

Monday 28th July

WINE AND WISDOM

Village Hall—7.30pm - Teams of up to 6 - £4 per person.

Please enter your team with Sheila on 01288 381350

Tuesday 29th July

FAMILY DOG SHOW - Village Hall 7.00pm

Refreshments to include Homemade Soup and Pasties

Viewing of all Competition entries and Prize Winners!

Details of all competitions overleaf.

Wednesday 30th July

RAMBLE - Assemble Village Hall at 6.30pm

Tractor/Trailer Ride Back to Hall. BBQ and Sideshows to follow.

Thursday 31st July

SKITTLE TOURNAMENT

Village Hall— Teams of 6 to include 2 ladies

Licensed Bar applied for - Refreshments Available

Enter your team with Audrey on 01288 381402 or Liz on 01288 381279

Friday 1st August

PRIZE BINGO

Village Hall - Doors Open 7.00pm - Eyes down at 8.00pm

ENTRY FEE PER CATEGORY 50P PER ADULT - CHILDREN FREE
ART COMPETITION
Up to A3 Size
ANY SUBJECT
Any Medium
Ages: 2 –4 years, 5 - 7 years, 8 - 11 years, 12 - 15 years
16 - 100 years

Please bring your entry to the Hall between
10 - 12 noon on Tuesday 29th July for judging.


PHOTOGRAPH COMPETITION

CATEGORIES:
HUMEROUS AND SCENIC

Age Groups: 15 and under
16 and over

Entries to Village Hall between
10 and 12 noon on 29th July.


**TALLEST SUNFLOWER
COMPETITION**


Entry forms available from Rose
Hitchings, Meadows Barn or
telephone her on 01288 381129.
Someone will then pay you a visit and
measure your sunflower.

TALLEST WEED COMPETITION

Bring your entry to
the hall on Tuesday
29th July between
10 and 12 noon to
be MEASURED!





BAKING COMPETITIONS

ADULTS

Victoria Sandwich

(please remember only jam in centre of sponge and not iced)

Cooks Homemade Favourite Chocolate Cake



CHILDREN

'Something to tempt the judges Taste Buds'

Age groups: Up to 9 and 10 - 14 years

Bring you entries to the hall between 10.00 and 12 noon

Tuesday 29th July.

3 DIFFERENT HOME GROWN VEGETABLES

Displayed on a plate

1 Class: Adult or Children

Bring your entry to the hall between 10.00 and Noon
on Tuesday 29th July.



CRAFT COMPETITION

DISPLAY A PIECE OF WORK YOU HAVE MADE

Items can include something Knitted, Crocheted, Sewn,
Quilted, Woodwork and many more

1 Class - Adult only

Bring your entry to the hall between 10.00 and Noon on 29th.

FLORAL ART COMPETITION

Arrangement in a SHOE

Classes: Up to 15 and 16 and above

Bring your arrangement to the hall between 10.00
and noon on Tuesday 29th July.



WHEN YOU ARE BAKING

We would be very grateful if you would donate a homemade cake, sponge, tray bake etc. to the Cake Stall on Sunday 27th July. (Crowning of Queen).

Please bring them to the hall after 11.00am on the morning or pass to Mrs C. Harris.



TOMBOLA

Our Tombola Stall on Carnival Night has always been well supported by your kind donations of bottles, jars etc.

We therefore request your support again. Members of our committee will collect your donations from your homes from **Monday 28th July**

onwards. Bottles can also be left with Mrs Freda Lacey at 8 Bridge Park.

We thank you in anticipation.



PRODUCE AND PLANT STALL

On Carnival Night (**2nd August**) we are having a PRODUCE AND PLANT STALL. If you have anything to donate to it the committee would be very grateful.

Please bring items to Rose Hitchings, Meadows Barn on day of Carnival.

Alan and Rosie Beat have kindly agreed to open



THE WATER MILL to support our

Revel Week once again.

Sunday 27th July 4.30 to 5.30pm

Adults £2.50 Children 50p

CARNIVAL DAY - Saturday 2nd August

Tableaux and Fancy Dress to form in The Ham from 6.00pm.

Procession to leave at 7.30pm prompt

Classic Cars will also be part of the procession.

Carnival Procession led by **THE CAMELFORD BRASS BAND**

BBQ - NIPPY CHIPPY - ICE-CREAM

GRAND RAFFLE - BOTTLE TOMBOLA - FOOTBALL TOMBOLA

PRODUCE AND PLANT STALL

FOLLOWING THE CARNIVAL

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In Skittle Alley—Bridge Inn

Highest Ladies Score / Highest Gents Score

3 Balls 50p. £20 Prize Money

Music by your friendly DJ - Rob North



FUN DOG SHOW

Tuesday 29th July at 7.00pm at THE VILLAGE HALL

1. Best Pedigree. 2. Best Crossbred. 3. Best Movement.
4. Most Handsome Dog. 5. Dog that looks like its owner.
6. Waggiest Tail. 7. Prettiest Bitch. 8. Best Veteran.
9. The dog that the judge would like to take home.
10. Best Rescue Dog. 11. Best Child Handler. 12. Best Fancy Dress.

Refreshments available - Homemade Soup and Pasties

ALL COMPETITION ENTRIES ON VIEW IN THE HALL

FROM 7.00PM

ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH SERVICES

Week Beginning	Time	Place	Service
6th July Trinity	9.30 am 11.00 am	Pyworthy Bridgerule	Family Service Eucharist
13th July Trinity 4	9.30 am 11.00 am	Pyworthy Bridgerule	Eucharist Family Service
20th July Trinity 5	9.30 am 11.00 am	Pyworthy Bridgerule	Morning Prayer Baptism of Sophie Cottier & Eucharist
27th July Trinity 6	9.30 am 11.00 am 6.30 pm	Pyworthy Bridgerule Bridgerule	Eucharist Eucharist Revel Week Service Rev. John Henry
3rd August Trinity 7	9.30 am 11.00 am	Pyworthy Bridgerule	Eucharist Morning Prayer
10th August Trinity 8	9.30 am 11.00 am	Pyworthy Bridgerule	Eucharist Communion by Extension
17th August Trinity 9	9.30 am 11.00 am	Pyworthy Bridgerule	Morning Prayer Eucharist
24th August Trinity 10	9.30 am 11.00 am	Pyworthy Bridgerule	Eucharist Eucharist
31st August Trinity 11	10.30 am	Pyworthy	Benefice Eucharist

Keep an eye on the village website

www.bridgerule.co.uk

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH NOTES

BY John McDougall - Co-ordinator

Telephone: 01288 381237



All of you with C.M.S. will have heard of the disturbing burglary here in Bridgerule. **It's not funny.** Peace of mind is unsettled. Things you thought safe have gone. Yes Community

Messaging Service only tells you after the event, or lets you know if scams are about, but at least you know. Ask your co-ordinator for a form and be informed. So, lock it up, install an alarm!

(See my earlier Buzz Notes), be wary of people who you don't know phoning you or calling on you - hoping you will let them do something you didn't know you wanted doing, and then demanding more money than it was ever worth.

I say—let it happen elsewhere—but not to your neighbours or in your neighbourhood.

That's Neighbourhood Watch in a nutshell.

BRIDGERULE METHODIST CHAPEL

PREACHING APPOINTMENTS

JULY / AUGUST 2014



6th July	Mrs E. Squire	11.00am
13th July	Rev Joy Wilson	11.00am
20th July	Mr. E. Boundy	11.00am
27th July	Rev. J. Henry	9.30am Sacrament
United Service at St Bridget's 6.30pm		
3rd Aug	Mrs. L. Bowden	11.00am
10th Aug	Mr. C. Smale	11.00am
17th Aug	Mr. J. Guy	11.00am
24th Aug	Local Arrangement	11.00am
31st Aug	Section Service	11.00am

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GOODBYE TO PCSO BEVERLEY BRAY

It is time to say goodbye to Beverley who after 8 years pounding the beat in Bridgerule and other villages within the rural remit of Holsworthy police station. Beverley is moving on 1st July to South Molton police station where she will be made most welcome.

PCSO Mark James who has been working out of Holsworthy for over a year is taking over from where Beverley left off.

A big thank you to Beverley for looking after us and a big welcome to Mark who will become well known in Bridgerule in the coming months.

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This Month we have 2 new in store services for you. Carpet Cleaner rental to complement our busy dry cleaning agency and a new self-service Photocopier, just ask any member of the team for more details. We look forward to seeing you soon & remember, if there is anything else we can do for you please just ask, we are only too happy to help.

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Wednesday 23rd July from 2.00pm

Wednesday 13th August from 2.00pm

Wednesday 27th August from 2.00pm

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