

TINTAGEL PARISH COUNCIL

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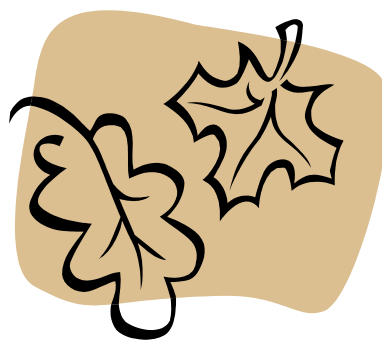
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TINTAGEL PARISH COUNCIL

TINTAGEL VISITOR CENTRE

The Parish Council are still in negotiations with Cornwall Council regarding the future of the Visitor Centre. Councillors are working extremely hard to ensure that the outcome of the current negotiations will be the best one for the benefit of the whole community. At the time of going to press, the Parish Council are awaiting contact from Cornwall Council concerning the Terms and Conditions of any possible purchase or lease of the building.

TREVENA SQUARE

After much discussion, Tintagel Parish Council has decided not to proceed with the application for Scheduled Monument Consent to move the ancient cross from the front of the former Wharncliffe Hotel to Trevena Square following concerns raised by English Heritage regarding the historical value of the cross and its future security. The Parish Council will now reconsider its plans for the large planted area in the Square including a generous donation of a new Cornish cross.

USE OF CAR PARK IN TREVENA SQUARE AND SPACES IN VISITOR CENTRE CAR PARK FOR PERMIT HOLDERS

There is no excuse for not displaying a valid permit if you qualify for one (i.e. your name appears on the Electoral Register for Tintagel). This matter has been the subject of articles in previous editions of the Parish Newsletter and a Permit Application Card will be reproduced regularly in this Parish Newsletter. If you require a new permit, please complete and return the copy of the card below to the Clerk, along with a stamped addressed envelope, and a new permit will be issued. **YOU WILL RECEIVE A FINE IF YOU DO NOT DISPLAY A VALID PERMIT, IF THE PERMIT IS NOT VISIBLE OR IF YOU STAY OVER THE PERMITTED TIME.**

TINTAGEL PARISH COUNCIL CAR PERMIT APPLICATION

Date

Owner's Name

Address

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Postcode Telephone No.

Registration Numbers: Car 1 Car 2



TINTAGEL CHRISTMAS LIGHTS!

We need your help!

FATHER CHRISTMAS needs a SLEIGH!

Can you build it or offer some hours helping to build it? Donations of materials will be much appreciated, THANK YOU.

Contact Landa 770255 Elaine 770345

THANK YOU to everyone who helped towards making our 2 Cream Tea days such a success.

We raised £952.00 which will go towards purchasing a light attraction for 2012.

DIARY DATES

REGULAR QUIZZES

are held at the King Arthurs Arms, Fore Street, Tintagel
Quizzes are held on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of every month throughout the year,
commencing at 8.30 p.m., £2.00 per person,
teams of 4 people or come along and make up or join a team.

Come along for a fun Quiz Evening.

Dates : 4th & 18th October, 1st & 15th November,
6th & 20th December, 10th & 17th January

ALL WELCOME

First Tuesday of the Month – Proceeds to the W.I.
Third Tuesday of the Month – Proceeds to the First Responders
For further information please contact June, 770346

TINTAGEL AFC **CASH PRIZE BINGO**

Wednesday 19th October, doors open 7.00 p.m.
Tintagel Social Hall (over 18s only)
Eyes down at 7.30 p.m., Raffle and Refreshments
In aid of Tintagel AFC Charity no: 1088744

FRIDAY CLUB

will restart on Nov 4th with a Social Afternoon at 2-15pm at the Chapel Sunday School
Nov 18th at same venue and time, Speaker will be June Jory on her trip to Norway.
December meetings will be on
December 2nd, Speaker Mr Tony Wills on his trip to Alaska,
2-15pm at Tintagel Methodist Sunday School
with the Xmas Lunch on December 16th.

CORNWALL COUNCIL NEWS FROM COUNCILLOR GLENTON BROWN

The recent announcement by the Coalition Government to reduce local authorities rural bus services grants has provided Cornwall Council with a severe problem . In future the grant of £7 million will be reduced by £2.1 million leaving much searching and research to be done as to how a fair service can be exercised throughout the county. I am particularly concerned up here in the north of the county where we have smaller populations , the temptation will be to cut some services completely and this will be fought vigorously by myself and colleagues Councillors Lugg and Goodenough. A panel of Cornwall Council is meeting as I write this article to look further into what new plans can be introduced. However I do not feel that there will be any imminent change and hopefully we will continue as we are until next spring. I will report on this subject again at a later date.

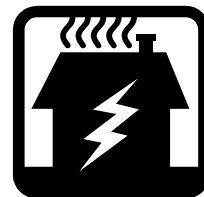
The Camelford Leisure Centre continues to make much demands on all those people interested in its survival and again Councillors Lugg, Goodenough and myself have been pressing the Cornwall Council leader and Cabinet Member for Leisure to have Camelford reinstated in the County Policy Trust that is be formed which would give us some valuable financial help. In this we are having to fight the argument that the usage of the Leisure Centre is not sufficient . These figures are improving and I would encourage everyone to use these facilities to help us save it. Finally , many thanks to all those people who have joined the Friends of Camelford Leisure Centre in order to raise some funds locally to help keep the Centre going . If you would like some detailed information please contact Rob Rotchell, 62, Fore Street Camelford PL32 9PG (robrotchell@aol.com)

If there are any issues you need to raise with me please do so by telephone 01840 770302 or e-mail gbrown@cornwall.gov.uk

Glenton Brown

SAVE MONEY – JOIN THE DOMESTIC HEATING OIL GROUP

A very successful order was made at the end of August which resulted in ordering over 35000 litres. This is the way to save some money. If you are interested in joining the group the next order will be made on the 27th November. All you need to do is contact John before this date with your order by ringing 01840 770500. It is not often we can save money. If you need a top up before the start of what might be a hard winter do not forget to ring.



ROYAL BRITISH LEGION

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It is usual to have 2 minutes silence on the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month but this year the silence will be observed on the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month of the 11th year. The 2 minutes silence will be observed outside King Arthur's Hall at 11 o'clock on Friday 11th November as it has been for the last few years. Can Tintagel once again show how much it remembers those from the village who have given their lives for their country. Also let us remember those who have lost their lives recently and are currently engaged in war in the world. An invitation is extended to those who attend to have a cuppa in the Chapel Sunday School after the event.

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

The service this year is being held at The Catholic Church of St. Paul The Apostle commencing at 11.00 hours and will be followed by the laying of wreaths at the Cenotaph at 12.00 hours. If you wish to lay a wreath this can be obtained by contacting Mrs.D.Stuart 01840 770947. After the wreaths have been laid anyone who has lost a family member will be invited to plant a cross if they wish.

Please come along and make this Remembrance one to remember in the village.

The Royal British Legion hopes you will give generously to the Poppy Appeal this year as funds are needed more than ever to support the many service men and their families who are being affected at the present time in addition to the many who have been affected in the past and still need help.

Is there anyone out there who can spare some time to be a collector if so contact Mrs Stuart 01840 770947.

Treknow Rainbows

Rainbows is part of Girlguiding UK for girls aged 5 – 7 years old.

It is an after school group that meets locally, once a week, during term time.

At the age of 7 girls have the opportunity to go on to Brownies and then Guides.

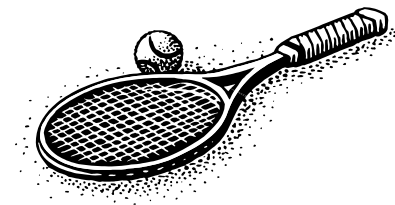
Rainbows have the chance to do lots of exciting things, but most of all have lots of fun.

If you are interested in your daughter joining or for more details, please contact either:

Jayne Warton – 01840 214888

Or Katherine Short – 01840 779262

TINTAGEL TENNIS CLUB IMPORTANT CHANGES



Due to the uncertain future of the Tintagel Visitor Centre the Tintagel Tennis club has had to find a new venue for the hire of the tennis courts. The Bossiney House Hotel has kindly agreed to take over the job, so please pass the word on. The courts and floodlights can now be paid for at the hotel. There is a poster on our notice board at the courts giving all court, floodlight hire and membership details.

Floodlights £2 per token = 30 minutes per court. Available between 8am & 10pm.

The Tennis Club would like to thank the staff and volunteers at the Visitor Centre for all their hard work over the years. Without their support the Tennis club would not be the popular club it is today. A special thank you to Rebecca David who has worked tirelessly to make the Visitor Centre the success it has become. She will be missed by us all. Also thanks to Sally Travers for her help over the years, we hope you will soon be fully fit. The tennis club committee request that if you use the courts you pay. The club committee has to raise the money to resurface the courts the cost of this is £25,000. A kind donation of £250 has been promised by the Parish Council.

Adult/15+ coaching is still available at the courts on Wednesdays from 6.30pm. Mini coaching weather permitting Tuesdays 4.30pm until half-term.

ST. PAUL'S CATHOLIC CHURCH BOSSINEY ROAD – TINTAGEL

SUNDAY MASS – 4.00 P.M.

WEEKDAYS – AS ANNOUNCED – USUALLY EACH DAY AT 10.00 A.M.

CONFESSIONS – BEFORE AND AFTER MASS

ENQUIRIES : PRIEST IN CHARGE, PHONE/FAX 01840 770663

AS FROM 21ST FEBRUARY 2010

Old Post Office news



**National
Trust**

We may be nearing the end of the season, and what a busy and successful one it has been for us here at the Old Post Office, but there are still lots of exciting things happening.

From the 26th September we will be filling the air with the smell of our open fire and baking from the cloam oven. The cloam oven will be lit on Monday 26th, Thursday 29th September and Saturday 1st October between 11am-1pm, come along to experience the process of baking bread and pies in a traditional Cornish cloam oven. The week also sees us finding out the true meaning of traditional household sayings such as 'sleep tight' and 'upper crust', do you have any sayings that you can remember and can share with us?

24th – 31st October sees a hive of activity with the school half term there is fun to be found for the whole family. Our event 'putting the house to bed', between 24th October – 6th November, invites visitors to come and find what happens to the Old Post Office when the house closes for winter and shows how the staff look after the collection and building. The property will close for winter on Sunday 6th November and re-open for February half term 2012.

For the thrill seekers amongst you we will be holding spooky tours on the evenings of 26th-28th October plus Halloween night itself, 31st October. Early evening we have ghost stories for the children, come and sit in the old hall, with the fire crackling and our resident story teller at her best. Adult spooky tours of the house begin at 7:30pm, half hour tours run through to 10:15pm. Booking is essential for these evenings, come along and prepare to be spooked!

If you wish to find out any more about any of the above, please contact the property on 01840 770024 or check the website;

www.nationaltrust.org.uk/tintageloldpostoffice.

Jo Burgess, Steward

Hope you all had a good summer and enjoyed being out and about when the weather allowed! We have been very busy keeping up with our regular tasks across the properties in North Cornwall. In the Tintagel area various footpath repairs were undertaken and paths trimmed back. Although, due to the almost drought conditions of the early summer the vegetation never seemed to get quite so overgrown! We again attended to problem species in Rocky Valley as best we could – alien invaders such as Himalayan balsam, Japanese knotweed and Montbretia need to be kept in check here.

New seats – through generous sponsorship from two families we are able to proceed with placing two seats on the coast path, one a replacement, at the Bossiney end of the Parish. The green oak benches are being made now and will be sensitively placed adjacent to the path where the views – and a rest from cliff walking – are most justified!

Ongoing arrangements are being made regarding the future of the Glebe Cliff land, after the sad passing of the previous tenant. The area is very important for wildlife, landscape and public access and careful consideration needs to be given to its management if the site is not to diminish in these values.

Even though summer season is over there are still plenty of opportunities to get involved either through one of our winter events or by joining in with some hands on volunteer work.

Events Calendar October

Oct 15	Mouth to Mouth 10K run	Sandymouth near Bude
Oct 23	Kelseys Hike	Holywell
Oct 26	Rangers Rugged Ramble	Boscastle
Oct 30	Halloween Crafts & Activities	Stowe Barton, Bude or Pentire Farm, Polzeath

More details about booking and costs please phone 01208 863046

Or check out our blog: www.northcornwallNT.blogspot.com and www.nationaltrust.org.uk

We look forward to seeing you along the coast or at one of our events.

Best wishes, from the Ranger team.

For more information about volunteering, please contact us at the Ranger's office on 01208 863821 or email us Jennifer.herbert@nationaltrust.org.uk OR sarahe.stevens@nationaltrust.org.uk

TINTAGEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Minister: Rev. Bryan Ede – 01840 214818

Every Sunday – Service at 10.30 a.m. followed by fellowship over a cuppa.

Every Thursday in the Sunday School

Coffee Morning from 10.30 – noon. Come and meet friends for a chat!

Bible Study

Inter-church, informal meetings in local homes on Wednesdays from 7.30 p.m. Contact Brian/Cherry on 213391.

Prayer Meeting

Thursdays in the Chapel from 10.00 – 10.30 a.m. supporting families, friends and needs locally and abroad. Contact Tony and Marion on 779040

Xplorers' Club (Churches Together)

Fridays, 3.30 – 5.00 p.m. 50p

October 14th & 28th, November 11th & 25th, December 9th & 16th

For further information ring June Burnard 770403 or Christine Irons (770433)

FUTURE EVENTS

Sunday 9th October: 10.30 a.m. Harvest Festival. Preacher: Rev. B. Ede

6.00 p.m. Harvest Songs of Praise led by Rev. B. Ede. Enjoy singing your favourite Harvest hymns.

Monday 10th October: Short service at 7.00 p.m. followed by supper and sale of fresh produce. All tins/packets to be taken to Bodmin for the homeless.

Saturday 22nd October, from 7.00 p.m. Barn Dance at the Social Hall. Admission £5.00 to include a tasty Cornish Supper. All welcome.

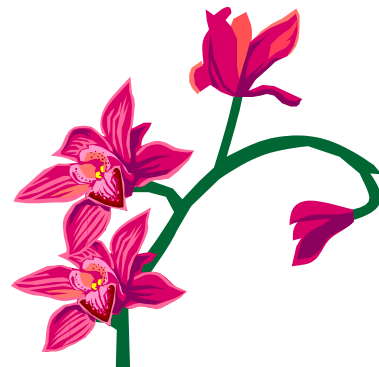
Sunday 27th November – Fellowship Lunch at 1.00 p.m. in the Social Hall. Tickets Adults £12.00, Children 11 years and under £5.00. Bookings to 770320

Sunday 4th December - Grand Concert for Charity at 7.30 p.m. in the Chapel. Details to follow, but book the date !!

TINTAGEL GARDEN CLUB

Our speaker for the first meeting of the autumn was Chris Weight, one of our members, who had kindly stepped in at short notice as our original programme had had to be changed.

His subject was the “The Flora of Hawaii” and what a feast of colour his excellent slides provided – we could almost smell the jasmine like scent of the many floral species growing wild, some were familiar, as they are also cultivated providing a thriving export trade, the plant known as the bird of paradise for instance; orchids especially are grown commercially – as there are hundreds of varieties, Chris had picked out the super exotic, the unusual and the very beautiful.



Palm trees, white sand beaches, and coral seas are the back drop for the essential holiday trade, but there is a darker side to the history – from the untimely demise of Captain Cook in an island dispute to Pearl Harbour, the latter having its poignant memorials.

A land of contrasts indeed, and we were left with the slightly blurred image of the flying fingers of a worker making a lei, the flower garland with which each visitor is presented to emphasise that they are most welcome.

Our meetings for October :

8th October (Sat) – Our annual dinner at Trethorne

21 October (Fri) – “The Lost Gardens of Heligan” – about those who served in the war by Peter Lavis

Richard Dale
Committee Member



Tintagel Sea Angling Club Newsletter – Sept 2011

It is hard to believe that its autumn already, where did the summer go? Sea temperatures peaked at 16⁰C but will have started to cool by the time you are reading this edition.

The efforts of Hugh Fearnley-Whittingstall with his “Fish Fight” go on and over 757,000 people have now signed up. It would be great to get to the million mark so tell your friends and get them to sign up at <http://www.fishfight.net/>

Forthcoming events during October, November and December include:

An evening collaboration match at Widemouth Bay on Saturday 22nd October with the sign on from 6.30pm. A flounder competition on Sunday November 13th and the Christmas competition that runs during the month of December.

Tintagel SAC held their annual open shore competition on the weekend of 17th/18th September. Despite the bad weather the competition was very well supported, the presentation took place in the Wootons Hotel, Tintagel and a number of specimen fish were recorded as follows:

1st prize £200 – Scad 1lb 4ozs (153%) caught by S Roddings

2nd Prize £75 – LSD 3lb 6 1/8ozs (128 %) caught by S Hawkin

3rd prize £25 – Scad 14ozs (107%) caught by D Randall

Best bass 1-3oz bass rod – 3lb 13 1/2ozs caught by G Lean

Best junior, fixed spool reel – Scad 9 5/8ozs caught by J Constance

Heaviest fish, case lager - Bull Huss 10lb 7ozs caught by S Hawkin

Best pollack spinning rod – not won

Best Ray, Tackle bag – not won

Best Mackerel, fixed spool reel – not won

Best Flatfish, filleting knife – not won

The club would also like to thank everyone behind the scenes for their help and support with particular thanks to the main sponsors Camel fish and Dennis Knight.

The big tides in October are on the 27th with the new moon on the 26th and the full moon on the 12th. The big tides in November are on the 25th with the new moon on the 25th and the full moon on the 10th.

The next general meeting will be held on Tuesday 4th October at the Wootons Hotel at 7.30pm.

Good luck and be safe

Nigel.

CAMELFORD POLICE

NEW PHONE NUMBER FOR Police NON-Emergencies and reporting crime: 101

People who are deaf, hard of hearing or speech impaired will be able to use the new textphone number 18001 101. People will also be able to email the police on: 101@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk.

The introduction of 101 is part of our on-going commitment to make local police more accessible to the public.

Camelford Police are also on Facebook for updates and information.

CORNWALL ENQUIRY AND INFORMATION SERVICE

Unit 17, Threemilestone Industrial Estate, Truro TR4 9LD

Freephone: 0800 032 2345 (or 01872 272702)

E-mail: enquirycentre@cornwall.gov.uk

Live Chat: *Ask a librarian* and get an answer live from the Libraries front page of the Cornwall Council website at www.cornwall.gov.uk

Opening hours: Monday - Friday 9:00am - 5:00pm

Cornwall Enquiry and Information Service is part of Cornwall Libraries, and is accessible to everyone. You don't need to be a library member to use it. Whatever the nature of your enquiry, ring free of charge, e-mail, write to us or use "live chat" and we will provide an answer. You might want:

- a contact for a local club or evening class
- an obscure piece of historical information which you can't find online
- a section from an Act of Parliament, or access to legal cases
- a residential or business phone number from anywhere in the country
- help with finding out how to get grant funding for an individual or group
- to find help with tackling a consumer problem
- to know how to borrow a book not in Cornwall stock

The Enquiry and Information Service is here to help you, and the service is free. We only charge for printing and postage, if required. We have a team of information professionals dedicated to finding an answer to your enquiry. Where we don't have the information ourselves, we will always try to direct you to someone who does.



CAN YOU HELP ?

More contributions are needed to make this Newsletter a continued success. Would you like to write an article for the newsletter, maybe of general interest, on a one-off basis or as a regular feature.

A reminder is sent out two weeks before each edition is due for publication to those groups who regularly provide articles for the newsletter. If you think you could help please contact the Parish Clerk, details on back page.

The newsletter was started as a result of interest shown on the questionnaire for the Parish Plan. At that time, over 50 people showed an interest in helping to produce a Parish Newsletter.

Were you one of those people?! If so, your help would be much appreciated.

USEFUL CONTACT INFORMATION

Tintagel Social Hall - Bookings	Nick Spurdens	01840 770908
Cornwall Councillor	Glenton Brown	01840 770302
Cornwall Council General Enquiries Website -www.cornwall.gov.uk	County Hall	0300 1234 100
Cornwall Council Dog Warden	Richard Downing	01208 893407
Cornwall Council Street Ranger	Debbie Attwell	07768 775928
Tintagel Medical Centre	Bossiney Road	01840 770214
Tintagel Primary School	Headteacher – Mrs. J. Gidzewicz	01840 770473
Sir James Smiths School, Camelford	Headteacher – Mr. J. Lawrence	01840 213274
Tintagel Visitor Centre	Bossiney Road	01840 779084
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