

TINTAGEL PARISH COUNCIL
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Tintagel Parish Council
Vacancy for Parish Clerk/RFO

We require a highly motivated, proactive and well organised Parish Clerk working part time 16 hours spread flexibly over 3 to 4 days/week, including some evenings.

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Email us at tintagelpc@btinternet.com for an application pack or call 01840 770022 or 01840 770472.

TINTAGEL PARISH COUNCIL

PUBLIC CONVENIENCES AT TINTAGEL VISITOR CENTRE

The volunteers who had cleaned the toilets at the Visitor Centre have decided that they are no longer able to do so.

Would you be interested in helping your Parish by volunteering to clean the public conveniences at the Visitor Centre on a daily basis?

The Visitor Centre is a thriving centre for visitors to the Parish and the public conveniences form a vital facility for everyone, visitors and locals alike.

If you are able to help, please contact the Parish Clerk either by email tintagelpc@btinternet.com or by calling 01840 770022, or the Chairman, Mary Dyer on 01840 770472.

A note from the Chairman, Cllr. Mary Dyer

It was with great sadness that the Parish Council received our Clerk, Susan's letter of resignation.

I was at her first meeting and thought at the time how lucky we were to have someone who had lived in the village all her life and knew the village people, and had local knowledge, as our Clerk.

On leaving school she worked for North Cornwall District Council for 17 years, so bringing some of this experience to her job as Clerk. For ten years, Sue has worked diligently and efficiently for the good of the parish both as Clerk and at the Visitor Centre over the last three years, and possibly many people will not be aware of the fact, that a good many of these hours were not part of her remuneration, they were as a volunteer.

During her time in office many things have changed for Parish and Town Councils and their work load has increased. Susan has helped the Council and guided us through what often seemed to be a minefield of paperwork from the various departments of Cornwall Council and other organisations.

As a very new and inexperienced Chairman of the Parish Council I was looking forward to having her help and expertise and I will miss that, as will most of my fellow councillors.

We all owe her a great debt of gratitude and we all hope that she will enjoy her "retirement".

Mary Dyer, Chairman,

Tintagel Parish Council

PRINCE OF WALES ENGINE HOUSE, TINTAGEL

Many of you will be aware that the Duchy of Cornwall had intended to auction the above property on the 18th September. The Parish Council wrote to the Duchy and to the Private Secretary to the Prince of Wales to express their concern that this site was going to be auctioned with very little prior warning to local people or to the Parish Council. It is understood that some individuals also wrote to the Duchy and the Prince of Wales to express their concern.

The Engine House was refurbished in the 1970s by public donations of cash, materials, storage for materials and time, and funding for manpower by the then Manpower Services Commission.

The Duchy of Cornwall withdrew the property from the auction to be held on the 18th September and it is understood that it may be considered for inclusion in a future auction list later in the year.



Tintagel Parish Council's next meeting is on Wednesday 1st October. The start time for the meeting will be brought forward to 6.30 p.m. to enable the public session for discussion of the future of the Engine House to be extended. The Parish Council will proceed with their meeting no later than 7.30 p.m.

If you would like to express your views regarding the future of the Engine House site, please come along to the Parish Council meeting to be held on Wednesday 1st October at 6.30 p.m. at Tintagel Social Hall.

NEWS FROM CORNWALL COUNCILLOR, GLENTON BROWN



I expect everyone has now heard of the financial cutbacks Cornwall has to make over the next 3-4 years of £196 million. I now have a 113 page document outlining the proposed plans. This is now open to public consultation and I believe the next Camelford Network Meeting is at the St James Smith School, Dark Lane, Camelford on Monday 27th October at 7pm, so not only will it deal with business in our immediate network area and its AGM but also have time to discuss the proposed budget cuts and hopefully Councillor Alex Folkes cabinet member responsible will be in attendance to answer your questions. I am hoping there will be another opportunity to advance a need for a dentist in the Camelford area, along with Councillor Rotchell and Lugg hope to attend a meeting in early October. You may be familiar with the many potholes that have been around and thankfully now have been greatly reduced, however two nasty ones still remain at the top of Bowithick Hill and the top of Trewinnick Hill and I am assured these will soon be attended too.

The waste management team are currently renewing their lists and registration for anyone needing refuse, recycling or garden waste collected from their houses to register as soon as possible and the number of the people on this service has almost doubled in the last four years. The cost of the service is £30.49 per annum and if you have any difficulty in registering for this assistance and service then please telephone 0311 1234 141 and hopefully you will receive help. If I can be of any help on any subject please do not hesitate to contact me on gbrown@cornwall.gov.uk or 01840 770302.

I would like to conclude this article in taking time in congratulating the Parish Council in its excellent performance in recent years. When I think of the variety of work that is done by the Parish Councils in my electoral division it is very noteworthy that the Tintagel Parish Council really stands out for its excellent performance, it meets regularly, it's up to date on issues, it has a parish plan, it is sensitive to future developments in the parish, it is a transparent and open council, and I consider it the most progressive council in the North of the County as I think of its enthusiasm to take over the visitor centre which was making a loss of some £40,000 a year and to now secure its future on a safer financial footing and has enhanced the assets considerably of the Tintagel Parish. Finally I must also offer a big thank you to the work the clerk Sue Moth has put in over these last 10 years, she has often gone the second mile in dealing with the demands on time with many of the changes

and of course the visitor centre takeover in recent times. She has carried out her duties in a very professional manor and her responses to action needed from the Parish Council has always been immediate. Thank you to Sue.

My thanks also goes to the outgoing Parish Council Chairman Mr Roger Wickett for his excellent contribution, and my warmest greetings to Mary Dyer as she takes on the role.

FURTHER INFORMATION ON THE DUCHY OF CORNWALL'S PROPOSED SALE OF THE PRINCE OF WALES ENGINE HOUSE AND LAND, TREWARMETT FROM CLLR. GLENTON BROWN, CORNWALL COUNCIL

I appreciate being given extra space in the Parish Newsletter to comment on the Prince of Wales Engine House off the Sanding Road, Tintagel. I have had several phone calls and emails regarding its pending sales and I have duly contacted the Auctioneers suggesting the auction be postponed and your letter sent on to Prince Charles personal offices. I would now like to offer two further addresses of whom I have already written to, I would suggest the more people that write in the better and that is to express your concerns by writing to: The Princes Regeneration Trust, 14 Buckingham Palace Road, London, SW1W 0QP and also I have been in touch with the Cornwall Heritage Trust and am awaiting their reply and again I would welcome your input in contacting them seeking support for this venture and their address is The Cornwall Heritage Trust Administrative Office, 5 Kurns House, Threemilestone Industrial Estate, Threemilestone, Truro TR4 9LD. As events unfold it may be necessary for us to call a meeting to ascertain what support there is for any action if indeed any action is possible.

TINTAGEL VISITOR CENTRE

WOULD YOU LIKE TO VOLUNTEER AT THE VISITOR CENTRE?

Tintagel Visitor Centre is manned almost entirely by volunteers from the parish council and local people. The volunteers work for the satisfaction of building our community, assisting the thousands of tourists that visit Tintagel and the surrounding area and helping our beautiful village to thrive.

We are always grateful for new volunteers and for during periods of sickness and holidays. So if you'd like to be involved, whether you can offer just 1 or 2 hours a week or a morning or afternoon shift, we would welcome you to join our team. And although it's a worthy activity, it is great fun too!

If you are interested, please complete and return the Volunteer Registration Form overleaf or pop into the Centre for a chat. You can now also apply to be a Volunteer at the Visitor Centre, by using the form overleaf or via the Parish Website www.tintagelparishcouncil.gov.uk



TINTAGEL VISITOR CENTRE – VOLUNTEER REGISTRATION FORM



Completed forms will be held by the Parish Council. Information provided will be treated as confidential and will be used to identify the skills and availability of volunteers to help the Parish Council develop a management plan for the future.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

Age Range (*please circle*) Under 18 18 – 25 26 -45 46 – 64 65 and over

Telephone number _____ Mobile telephone number _____

Email address _____

Emergency contact name and telephone _____

(we like to hold a telephone number in case of an emergency whilst you are volunteering)

Any other information (*please inform us of any allergies/medical conditions or any other details you think we need to know*) _____

What help can you offer and/or what would you like to do?

✓ *Please tick as appropriate*

- Retail (selling goods, stocking shelves, pricing etc.)
- Administration (operating till, handling money, answering telephone)
- General information (providing information to visitors to the Centre)
- Gardening maintenance
- Maintenance of building
- Marketing and media
- Merchandising
- Organising special events
- Speak a foreign language
- Open/close toilets
- Stock control (tracking sales and raising need for orders)
- Acting as Centre Manager
- Cleaning - SHOP / TOILETS
- Graphic Design
- Book-keeping
- Accountancy
- Computing
- Web site design and updates
- Other (*please state*)

Please give brief details of any previous experience of voluntary and/or relevant paid work.

IT WOULD BE USEFUL IF YOU COULD TELL US WHICH DAYS AND HOURS YOU MAY BE AVAILABLE TO VOLUNTEER.

	MORNING (0945 HRS – 1230 HRS)	AFTERNOON (1230 HRS – 1600 HRS)
MONDAY		
TUESDAY		
WEDNESDAY		
THURSDAY		
FRIDAY		
SATURDAY		
SUNDAY		

- Tick this box if you would consider being on call to help for a few extra hours from time to time when someone is absent due to sickness.
- Tick this box if you are unable to volunteer for a whole morning or afternoon but can spare a few hours one or two days per week.

It is envisaged that the Centre will open at 10.00am and close at 4.00pm during the main holiday periods. Opening hours may be reduced during off-peak periods.

In the future when finances are in place, would you be interested in applying for the position of:-

CENTRE MANAGER

YES/NO

ASSISTANT CENTRE MANAGER

YES/NO

PART-TIME SALES ASSISTANT

YES/NO

As a Visitor Centre Volunteer you will be a valuable member of the community team, helping to create and develop an exciting project that will enhance life in our Parish.

Thank you for volunteering.

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO:

SUE MOTH,
CLERK TO TINTAGEL PARISH COUNCIL,
LINCOLN HOUSE
TREVEN,
TINTAGEL PL34 0DT

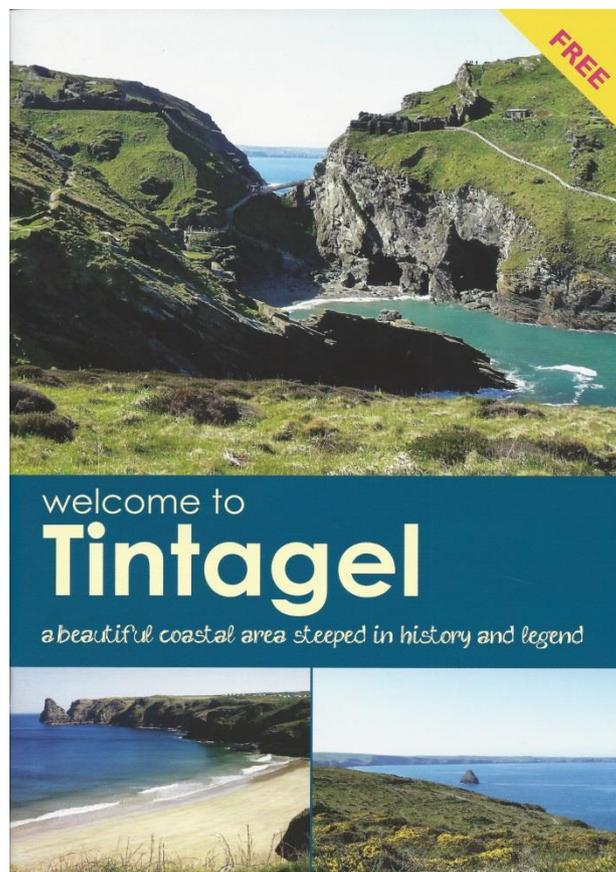
If you have any queries, please contact the Clerk on 01840 770022 or email at tintagelpc@btinternet.com

Advertising Opportunities

Members of the Parish Council and volunteers at the Centre would like to thank all those local businesses who supported us in 2014. Councillors and Visitor Centre Volunteers are now working on the Advertising Scheme for 2015. Once again a Guide will be produced for 2015. It is anticipated that the new guide will be printed and published in February 2015.

The new Parish Website www.tintagelparishcouncil.gov.uk is up and running. The Visitor Centre has its own dedicated area on the website and the Tintagel Guide is available to view or download.

All businesses should receive details of advertising opportunities shortly. If you are a business and you are interested in advertising at the Centre/in the brochure, and have not received any information, please contact Sue Moth, Parish Clerk.





Tintagel Sea Angling Club Newsletter – September 2014

<http://www.facebook.com/TintagelSeaAnglingClub>

tintagelsac@tiscali.co.uk

The summer season draws to an end and we can reflect on some very good fishing with a good run of bream, bass, mullet, pollack and wrasse from the shore. Club boat trips out of Newquay have produced a good stamp of pollack to gilling and the normal conger, ling and huss bottom fishing on the wrecks. With the water temperature maintaining a very warm 17°C we should continue to see boat caught black bream and trigger fish and perhaps more unusual visitors such as the Atlantic bonito recorded recently.

Tintagel SAC held their annual open shore competition on the weekend of 13th / 14th September. The competition was very well supported and the presentation took place at the Wootons Hotel, Tintagel. An exceptional number of specimen fish were recorded with the best specimen a scad of 153% recorded by Tintagel SAC member Richard Wright, second was a wrasse of 122%, third a LSD of 118% and even eighth place was a fish of 110%.



Photo – Richard Wright with his prize winning scad of 567g (153%) equalling the existing club record dating back to 1983.

A full list of open winners is as follows:

1st prize £200 sponsored by Camel Fish was won by Richard Wright

2nd prize a rod sponsored by The Wootons Hotel was won by Chris Boland

3rd prize a rod sponsored by DW Nute was won by Andy Bicknell

4th prize a rod was won by Ross Hawkins

5th prize of a reel was won by J Constance

6th prize of a reel won by Sid Bennett

7th prize won by Paul Hawkins

8th prize won by Garry Boyde

Best club member Richard Wright also won a £50 tackle voucher

The club would also like to thank everyone behind the scenes for there help and support with particularly thanks to the main sponsors Camel Fish, The Wootons Hotel and DW Nute.

Derek Nute won the fish of the month award during July with a Ballan Wrasse of 2131g, (85%). Nigel Rundle set a new club boat record during September with a Blonde Ray of 9415g

Nigel with his new club record Blonde Ray



The latest scientific advice on bass stocks is very worrying but has served to put the vulnerability of bass stocks and our sport into the spotlight. A succession of poor spawning years and increased fishing pressure has led to a steep decline in the bass spawning stock. The seriousness of the situation has at last been recognised by EU Fisheries and plans are being made to reduce fishing effort, protect the fish during spawning and allow more juvenile fish to reach spawning size. But Europe is dragging its heels and arguing over quotas while the fishing pressure continues unabated. In the UK, DEFRA is currently deferring decisions until the EU has reached agreement, whilst locally the Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Authorities (IFCAs) are giving increased consideration to their own role on bass management inside the 6 mile limit. Inevitably, something is going to happen over the coming months.

Bass Anglers Sportfishing Society (BASS) are holding a workshop on Sunday 19th October to discuss these matters, if you would like to read more, details can be found at <http://www.ukbass.com/>

Forthcoming club events include a boat trip from Newquay on Wednesday 24th September. A club organised 4-day fishing trip to Guernsey on 3rd October. A month long bass / ray competition during October and a collaboration flounder competition on Sunday November 9th

This year's Annual Bass Open Shore competition will be held on the weekend of 11th / 12th October with a £250 first prize and various other prizes including rods and reels to eighth place, the event is open to non club members and you can sign on at the Wootons Hotel, see poster for details.

The big tides in October are on the 9th with the full moon on the 8th and the new moon on the 23rd. In November the big tides are on the 7th the full moon is on the 6th and the new moon is on the 22nd when sunrise will be at 7.57am and sunset at 18.06pm.

The next general meeting will be held on Tuesday 7th September at the Wootons Hotel at 7.30pm.

Good luck and be safe

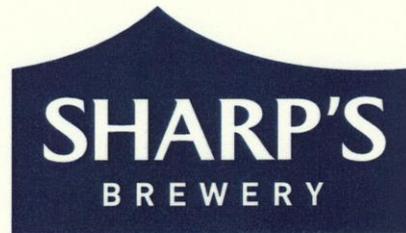
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SHORE BASS COMPETITION

Tintagel Sea Angling Club

SATURDAY/SUNDAY 11th/12th OCTOBER 2014

1st PRIZE £250 Sponsored By



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Prizes to 8th place
Sign on Saturday 11th October

Wootons Hotel, Tintagel 1.00 - 6.00pm

Padstow Angling Centre 1.00 - 5.00pm

County Angler, Camborne 1.00 - 5.00pm

Newtown Angling, Praa Sands 1.00 - 6.00pm

St Columb Roundabout 1.00 - 2.00pm

Kernow Tackle, Wadebridge 1.00 - 5.00pm

Lowen Chy Angling, St Austell 1.00pm - 6.00pm

Mid Cornwall Aquatics Bodmin 1.00 - 5.30pm

Weigh in Sunday 12th October at Wootons Hotel, Tintagel 7.00 - 7.30pm, Entry Fees £5.00.

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www.homeleighonline.co.uk

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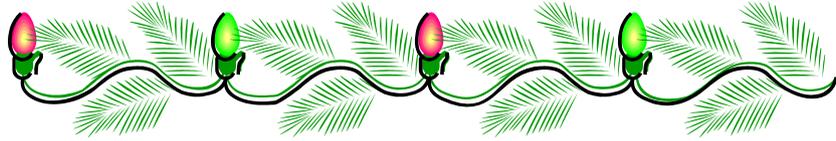
NATIONAL COASTGUARD RECEIVES CHEQUE FROM CAMELFORD ROTARY CLUB

Recently, John Davis on behalf of the National Coastguard at Boscastle attended the Coach House, Lanteglos to receive a cheque from the President of the Rotary Club of Camelford.

There are 50 Coastguard Stations around our coast normally reporting to Falmouth who decide what to send to an emergency. They operate daylight hours with volunteer watch keeping from 08.00 until 16.00 in 2 shifts.

Boscastle opened in 2003 using the National Trust building which needed renovating. They have 32 volunteers and try to have 2 on duty together on a shift. £ months ago, they received permission from English Nature to install CCTV to cover a blind spot at the entrance of the harbour.





TINTAGEL CHRISTMAS LIGHTS

On behalf of the Tintagel Christmas Lights Committee I would like to thank everyone who made our Cream Teas events a success. Pengenna Pasties for all the donations of scones, Julie and Simon, Spar, Tintagel for all their supplies of food and cream and everyone who donated cakes. I would also take this opportunity to thank all the helpers.

Prize winners were 1. Angela and Alan, 2. Natalie Short, 3. Sylvia, 4. Pip Sturtridge, 5. Mandi T, 6. Baxter Lawley. Thanks to Tintagel Café and Treleavens Ice Cream, Home Farm, Boscastle, Village Tea Rooms, King Arthurs Café, Camelot Castle Hotel. Thank you to all of the above for their kind donations of cream tea for 2.

The switch on of our Christmas Lights,
this year will be on Saturday 6th
December.

Hope to see you all there. More details
later.

Elaine Flew,
PR Christmas Lights

Dan Rogerson MP writes ...

I have been contacted by several people who are concerned about the reliability of bus services from Tintagel to Bude, Camelford and Wadebridge, as well as about recent changes and cuts to bus services in our area. I been raising local people's concerns about local bus services with Western Greyhound and Cornwall Council.

I determined to look at all the options to invest in and improve the rural bus network. The Coalition Government's recent £48.9 million 'Growth Deal' for Cornwall will see bus services across Cornwall reviewed and improved. It is right that public transport improvements are a part of our growth strategy and I want to see our area get its fair share of the improvements to the bus network.

I am also continuing my campaign to cut the tax we have to pay on petrol and diesel in North Cornwall. In areas like ours where using a car is a necessity not a luxury, I think it is right that we pay less fuel duty. The Coalition Government have extended the 5 pence-per-litre reduction in tax on petrol and diesel to some rural areas, and I am continuing to keep up the pressure for the fuel discount to be brought to North Cornwall.

I am on the hunt for areas that are in need of a new post box. Royal Mail are going to install 2,000 new post boxes across the country, particularly in rural areas and on new housing developments that don't have decent access to a post box. If you think your area is in need of a post box please let me know so that when I meet with Royal Mail in the next few weeks, I can press for any new post boxes to be installed as soon as possible.

I am also working with local people to try and secure the future of the Prince of Wales Engine House at Trewarmett. The Engine House was restored by local people and we are understandably keen to preserve it for the future. We have managed to get the Duchy of Cornwall to halt the sale of the land, and are looking at all possible options to try and safeguard it for the future.

Every summer and into early Autumn I spend the time visiting as many towns, villages and parishes in the North Cornwall constituency to knock on doors. My summer door knocking tour aims to give as many local people as possible a chance to speak to me in person about any local or national issues, problems or concerns. It's a tradition that was started by my predecessors as MP, John Pardoe and Paul Tyler, and it's a vital part of my work to keep in touch with local people all year round – not just at election time – and so that I can campaign on the issues that matter when I speak up for us in Westminster.

This is my 10th summer tour, and it has good to be able to speak to so many familiar faces in Tintagel and the surround communities, and many new faces too. If I haven't managed to catch you in or if there's anything I can help with then you can always contact me by e-mail, letter, telephone or arrange a time for us to meet using the details below.

Best wishes, Dan

Dan Rogerson MP

Office Address: 4 Tower Street, Launceston, Cornwall. PL15 8BQ

E-mail: contact@danrogerson.org **Telephone:** 01566 777123

TINTAGEL METHODIST CHAPEL

What is happening at the Chapel?

You may have noticed that the Methodist Church is swathed in scaffolding at the moment. Hopefully, by the time you read this the new roof will be well on the way to completion. The chapel is undergoing refurbishment and the replacement of the old slates with a new roof. The plan is to use any good slates from the main roof to redo the roof on the Sunday School rooms which have been used for worship during the building works.

Inside the main building, windows are being repaired, made watertight and secondary double glazing installed. A new lighting and audio system is being installed with some alteration to the floor levels in front of the pulpit.

Scaffolding has also been erected inside the chapel as complete redecoration takes place. A generous legacy from a long term church member has enabled this work to be carried out. The refurbishment should be finished by mid-November and everyone will then be very welcome to come inside and see for themselves.

2014 Tintagel Carnival, Goodbye's and the future.

2014 Tintagel Carnival

Well Tintagel Carnival week is over for another year and wasn't it brilliant!! I think you will all agree it was one of the best weeks we've ever had and even the big yellow thing in the sky shone down on us (well most of the time!).

Carnival week kicked off early this year on Friday with a Music Night at Tintagel Cricket Club with music from Doug & Keiron and Dusk At Dawns. Saturday with one of the best Wheelbarrow Race evening we've ever had with over a dozen entries in the adult's race. Monday we had Pasties & Cream Teas at the WI Hall (the good weather certainly brought the visitors), Tuesday evening was the fun and fiendishly difficult Walking Treasure Hunt and Thursday the Children's Disco at the Social Hall. We took a break on Friday to catch our breath and on Saturday the big yellow shiny thing shone down on us as Tintagel Carnival Parade wound its way through a packed village.



Following Carnival week we had an additional Pasties & Cream Teas day at the WI Hall and a very successful Race Night run in conjunction with Tintagel Cricket Club. Unfortunately, due to the unavailability of Tintagel Methodist Chapel we have had to postpone till the New Year the Johnny Cowling Gospel Evening planned for October.

Goodbye's.

A very special thank-you this year goes from Tintagel Carnival to Kathy Rowse, Vickie Tremain, Dawn Gabriel, Jane Osoway and Elaine Flew who are retiring from the committee after many many years of dedicated service to Tintagel Carnival and the whole community.

Our goodbye's now bring me to.....

The Future.

Did you laugh at the Wheelbarrow Race??

Scratch your head at the Treasure Hunt questions??

Bop n Boogie at the Music Night??

Children dance the evening away at the Family Disco??

Did your business benefit from all the additional people in the village??

And finally, enjoy one of the biggest Carnival's in Cornwall??

If so, then.....

YOUR CARNIVAL NEEDS YOU!!

With the retirement's from the Committee this year it's time for Tintagel to stand up and answer the above call. If you, the residents and businesses of Tintagel, want a Carnival in 2015 and the future with all the benefits this brings then **YOUR CARNIVAL NEEDS YOU!!** We need a large number of new committee members and specifically people to fill the following important positions.

Committee Secretary

Treasurer

(Full training and support will be provided to anyone taking on these important positions.)

The very blunt message is.....No new committee members, no Carnival in 2015!! Come on Tintagel...come forward and help continue one of the best events in this village and North Cornwall.

The Tintagel Carnival AGM will be held on Wednesday 22nd October, 7:30pm at the Methodist School Room. Please come along and support YOUR Carnival.

Phil Aston

Tintagel Carnival Ltd.

CORNWALL AIR AMBULANCE - NEWS RELEASE

Husband Urges Cornwall: “Help Fund a Flight for Cornwall Air Ambulance to help more like my Wife”

A man whose wife was rescued by Cornwall Air Ambulance is urging people across Cornwall to help the charity ‘Fund a Flight’ this September.

Steve Michell’s wife, Lisa, was airlifted by the charity-funded emergency helicopter in 2013 after suffering serious burns in a barbeque explosion.

Steve and Lisa are taking part in the charity’s annual Fund a Flight Week from 22nd to 28th September 2014 by holding a ‘Come Dine With Me’ night with friends and family.

Communities, schools and businesses are being invited to join them and do something fun to keep Cornwall Air Ambulance flying.

The helicopter and crew have been kept busy over the summer, flying over 225 emergency rescue missions since the beginning of June.

Steve said: “We do all we can to give something back to the charity that saved Lisa’s life.

“I was also badly burnt in the accident but as I was being taken to hospital I could hear the Cornwall Air Ambulance preparing to land and I knew that Lisa would get to the specialist burns unit in Swansea as quickly as humanly possible.

“I am sure the care received prior to arriving at Swansea and post-arrival ensured she survived. The air ambulance made sure our two young children still have their Mum.

“That’s why we’re doing our bit for Fund a Flight Week, but we would urge everybody to get involved – whether you’ve had to use the air ambulance or not. You never know when it you or a member of your family who will need it.”

Anybody can get involved in Fund a Flight Week, whether it’s a sponsored leg wax, a baked bean bath or a coffee morning.

Susie Smith, fundraising manager at Cornwall Air Ambulance Trust, said: “We love this week because it really does show the people, businesses and communities of Cornwall at their best, helping a vital local charity and having fun at the same time!

“We hear about all kinds of weird and wonderful fundraising events taking place during this week

every year. This year we already have companies pledging to take part in ‘Onesie Wednesday’, and ‘Fryup Friday’, whilst others are seeing how much they can raise from swear jars and putting the boss in stocks.

“Pubs are holding quiz nights, schools are holding non-uniform days, and local church groups are holding coffee mornings. It really is about everybody doing their bit – no matter how small – to make a difference.

“We’d love as many community groups, schools, companies and even just groups of friends to get involved and put the fun into fundraising! We can give you loads of fundraising materials, including posters, buckets and banners – just get in touch.”

To pledge your support for Fund a Flight Week and find out more, call 01637 889926 or go to www.cornwallairambulancetrust.org/fundaflight



Old Post Office news



It seems only 5 minutes ago that I was welcoming in the 2014 season and now here we are busily preparing for the end of the season. With the property closing on Sunday 2 November this will be my last article until early next year.

Don't worry though as we have lots of treats for you this October and are already lining up 2015 events and exhibitions. All events have normal admission charges linked to them but our friendly and knowledgeable staff can advise you on National Trust membership if you would like any information and free entry to all of our places of interest. Although we close over winter many places are open all year round for you to enjoy your membership, take advantage of 2014 pricing now.

The lighting of our cloam oven is enjoyed by staff and visitors alike and it's alight for the week beginning Monday 6 October. The oven will not be lit every day over the week so please contact the property for further details. Join us and breathe in the wonderful smells of freshly baked bread!

We have a hat full of tricks for our younger visitors this school half-term. Between Saturday 25 and Friday 31 October you can discover the house in a different light with our UV torch trail, what will you find? Early evening on Friday 31 October we have an evening set up for the bravest kids. Join us in the WI Hall from 6:30 to 8:30pm for ghoulish games and spooky story telling. This event has a charge linked to it and booking is essential, look out for our posters or call into the house to find out more.

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/tintagel-old-post-office. We are also present on facebook, twitter and flickr, just search for tintageloldpostofficeNT or northcornwallINT and follow us online.

Joanne Burgess

House and Visitor Services Manager

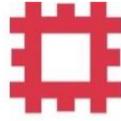


National Trust



- Tuesday 28 October **Geology rocks!**
Pentire Head, near Polzeath. Guided walk with geology expert and National Trust rangers. £3 per person. 11am - 3pm. Booking essential 01208 863046

- Wednesday 19 November **Scrub n Spuds at Willapark, Tintagel** Join National Trust rangers in their efforts to reduce gorse and blackthorn and promote greater biodiversity at this valuable coastal habitat. To reward your efforts we'll cook up a jacket potato lunch on the bonfire. Free. 10am-4pm. Contact: 01208 863821 or sarahe.stevens@nationaltrust.org.uk for further information.



ENGLISH HERITAGE

TINTAGEL CASTLE - Opening Hours

Open daily, 10am - 6pm until 30 Sep

Open daily, 10am - 5pm 1 Oct - 2 Nov

Open Sat & Sun only, 10am - 4pm 3 Nov - 15 Feb 2015

(open daily 10am - 4pm for Feb half term - 16-20 Feb)

CONSERVING TINTAGEL CASTLE

English Heritage is currently applying for planning permission to transform the way that visitors experience this ancient and beautiful place. During the winter of 2014, we hope to carry out a number of new works at Tintagel Castle. When the site re-opens in Summer 2015, you will see:

- New visitor facilities within the existing building, including a shop, membership room and completely new and expanded interpretation
- A reconfiguration of the area around the building, including a wider external pavement, a canopy over part of the frontage, a more attractive area at the entrance to the site, a bridge making the café fully accessible and a second bridge providing direct access between the visitor building and the café
- A new kiosk at the entrance to the mainland courtyard
- A range of new interpretation materials across all parts of the site, telling the story of the Dark Age rulers of Cornwall, and how medieval legends of King Arthur inspired noblemen to build a castle here.

We hope to keep to a minimum any disruption to your visits, but we are sure that these new features will ensure that Tintagel Castle is a place worth returning to. More information and images which give an impression of the improvements will be available soon but if you have any questions, please contact Matt Ward at the castle on 01840 770328.

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 : Quiz dates
7th & 21st October, 4th & 18th November, 2nd & 16th December
All money raised is for charity.

ALL WELCOME

First Tuesday of the Month – Proceeds to the Camelford Mini Bus Appeal
Third Tuesday of the Month – Proceeds to the First Responders
For further information please contact June, 770346

TINTAGEL AFC **CASH PRIZE BINGO**

Wednesday 15th October 2014

Tintagel Social Hall (over 18s only can play)
Doors open 7.00 p.m. Eyes down at 7.30 p.m.,
In aid of Tintagel AFC Charity no: 1088744

The Ovaltineys Part Two

In my series of 'Do You Remember' I wrote about the Ovaltineys in December 2013.

In February my doorbell rang and Helen Pincus, a neighbour in Castle Heights, was at the door. Helen had a couple of pages of A4 with her and said how she had found my article about the Ovaltineys so interesting. She said she had been in the actual show which was broadcast on Radio Luxembourg for 5 years. I asked if I could reproduce her article for the Parish Newsletter and she agreed as long as she had the final say. However, this was not to be as Helen passed away a couple of months ago, I can't have her final approval but hope she would agree that it should be printed.

I was actually fortunate enough to be present back in February 2006 at what was to be possibly her last performance on stage. She was not a well lady at that time but I remember she gave a rousing rendition of 'I Do Like To Be Beside The Seaside' in the Cave of Harmony show at Boscastle.

This is what Helen wrote

Dear David

A wee note, if I may?

I enjoyed the information you had to dig up about Radio Luxembourg, with many a memory duly jogged? Just the mention of the successful 'Ovaltineys' meant more than a fleeting recall as I was as a child, not, an ordinary member of the club but a performer!.

As an original 'Ovaltiney', we were directed by Clarence Wright – a well-known tenor of his day! (His father was Lawrence Wright, a very successful music publisher of "Tin Pan Alley!

I cannot recall the actual routine of rehearsals but we worked (well paid!), towards a recording session every three weeks at the Star Sound studios before a well behaved audience of Ovaltineys members, many of whom queued up afterwards for our autographs!

Each programme had 5 minutes Song and 5 minutes Continuing Story (kind of Enid Blyton children adventure style) and ending with further singing. We were accompanied on an electronic organ by Harold Smart and their wonderful Jazz Pianist, Bill McGuffey.

I worked the season's recordings and continued from the age of 10 until I sounded too mature (?) at the age of 15 years. I am now 75, so you may work out which year!

When I went to London again, I wanted to search out the 'Star Sound Studios' off Baker Street in the Mews, but long gone I fear. What is seared in my brain is both the opening



and closing songs (more than a jingle) plus the way we advertised "Ovaltine Biscuits" - they were Scrumptious!"

A later add on by Helen said "I had intended to write this out neatly and to make corrections as I go...but, as with every Christmas, I ran out of time.

The attached are memories, in no particular order and were noted down directly from my brain!

Sorry about my writing (*her writing was absolutely fine!*), and sorry if I have recalled anyone incorrectly or names not quite correct (*they were all correct!*)

Valerie Singleton, was the only person from those childhood performers whom I kept in touch with until about 7 years ago.

Gosh!. Five years of singing those programmes- but I suppose it improved my sight reading!

Helen



Tintagel Surf Life Saving Club 1964 - 2014, Saving Lives for 50 Years

This year marks our 50th Year and we have been both reflecting upon and celebrating our history here at Trebarwith Strand.

The Club has always actively promoted safety in the water (and on the beach) and trained hundreds of young people in vital lifesaving skills and techniques over the past five decades. We are proud that the club has saved 307 lives and our members regularly assist in rescues, training events, first aid and provide advice on safety.

Our current Club has a vibrant membership, with a waiting list for the Nipper section (from 8 years) and the Junior and Senior sections are both active and well attended. Each member has the opportunity to develop their skills each year and achieve Nationally recognised Awards. Many progress to become fully trained life guards working for the RNLI patrolling our local beaches. During the summer we meet on Friday evenings (Nipper Section) and Sunday mornings and train in the sea whenever possible, we then continue the training with Winter sessions held at Camelford Leisure Centre.

In July we invited past and present members to our 50th Party, which was held in view of Gull Rock, however the local mist was with us all day and evening on our chosen date!

Our team of volunteers helped make this a truly memorable event, and during the evening a presentation was made Les Freke, our Chairman who has himself served 40 years with the Club.



Tintagel and Treknow Rainbows and Brownies (formerly Treknow) have moved and now meet once a week during term time in **Tintagel** and not Treknow. Rainbows and Brownies are part of Girlguiding UK and are for girls aged between 5 - 7 years and 7 - 10 years respectively.

For more information on meeting place and times as well as joining enquiries please contact:

Brownies - Deborah Brooks - 01840 770480

Rainbows - Jayne Warton - 01840 214888 or Katherine Short 01840 779262

Or go to www.girlguiding.org.uk and follow the "parent" link.



TINTAGEL OIL GROUP

Please note that the next group order for heating oil will be placed on the 14th November 2014.

If you wish to place an order for heating oil please order early in the week beginning 10th November 2014. This service does not cost you any money except payment to the oil company.



An order can be placed by ringing John on 01840 770500. To place an order please leave your name, address, phone number and the amount of oil required. Due to the number of orders placed it is not possible for me to ring everybody as this is a voluntary service with no costs or charges.

Further orders will be placed on week ending 21st February 2015, 30th May 2015, 30th August 2015 and 14th November 2015.

DO NOT FORGET CHANGE OF DATE FOR NOVEMENR – IT IS 14TH NOVEMBER 2015

TINTAGEL GARDEN CLUB

In August we ended our summer programme with a garden safari, where club members visited some of our member's gardens, ending with refreshments and socializing at Davana Lodge. A fitting conclusion to our Mediterranean summer.

In September our first meeting at the Social hall was 'Wild About Cornwall' with David Chapman -- a talented photographer, and wild life specialist, who has written many books on the subject; he also teaches mathematics, with a spin off from that of designing quirky knitting patterns principally for two equally talented ladies, his wife and mother!



With this introduction we were launched into a tour of the Cornish coast line--well known beaches and hidden coves, with their geology and plant life that supports so many wild creatures; all of which was illustrated with photographs, the quality of which was second to none. First were a flock of skittering snipe, chasing the sea off a beach as they dug for sand eels, and then the only bird of prey that can really hover, the Kestrel with its unique aerodynamic shape. There followed a cavalcade of ravens, puffins the returning choughs, and many others including the first world war story of the unfortunate slaughter of the peregrine falcon--it was targeting the carrier pigeons which were vital in taking messages back and forth from England and France.

There were wonderful close ups of the Emperor moth, a Fritillary and silver studded blue butterfly with the "ahhh!" factor reserved for the last--a sleepy dormouse woken from its day time torpor; as it also hibernates, it has potentially a much longer life span than others of its kind--providing it can avoid being caught by its many predators.

There were books and cards on offer, so we were able to take away reminders of how fortunate we are to live in this especially beautiful part of the world.

Next events:-

11th October Our Annual Dinner at Trethorne

17th October "Perennials" A talk by Peter Cantrill

14th November "Working for Cornwall Hospice Care (A light hearted view)" by Justine Cook (please note a change to the original programme.

Richard Dale (01840 770960)

St. Paul's Catholic Church, Bossiney Road, TINTAGEL.

SUNDAY MASS 5.30pm; WEEKDAYS: MASS OR EUCHARISTIC ADORATION 10am

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION : MASS 12NOON .
CONFESSION AT ANY TIME ON REQUEST.

ENQUIRIES 01840 770663.

TINTAGEL PARISH CHURCH

PRIEST IN CHARGE MICHAEL PARSONS 01840250625

WEEKLY SERVICES

SUNDAY EUCHARIST 10 AM ST PIRRENS TRETHEVY

WEDS EUCHARIST 10 AM

HARVEST FESTIVAL 12 TH OCTOBER 10 AM

CHURCH NEWS

THE NEW ROOF ON THE OLD SCHOOL ROOMS IS NEAR COMPLETION AND WE HOPE TO BE ABLE TO START THE REFURBISHMENT OF THE INSIDE SHORTLY



**TINTAGEL TENNIS CLUB, THE PLAYING FIELDS,
BOSSINEY ROAD.**

**ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN THE CLUB OR PAY AND
PLAY.**

**EVENING FLOODLIT TENNIS AVAILABLE FOR
EVERYONE!**

**FLOODLIT ALL WEATHER COURTS available 8am
until 10pm.**

NO PRICE RISE THIS YEAR

Collect the key and pay for the courts and floodlights at The Bossiney House Hotel.

Court hire: Juniors: £4 per court per hour

Adults: £6 per hour per court. £5 deposit for key.

Members play free and can buy their own key.

Autumn Membership available now!

Floodlights £2 per token = 30 minutes per court.

Available between 8am & 10pm.

Club nights are on Mondays and Tuesdays both from 6.30pm. All are welcome.

For next tournament date, more details and membership prices visit:

www.tintageltennis.net

New Tennis club members are always welcome!



TINTAGEL CRICKET CLUB

HARTLEY HOME CARE EVENING LEAGUE
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2014

TO BE HELD AT THE CLUBHOUSE,
WEDNESDAY 26TH NOVEMBER AT 7.30 P.M.

PLEASE HAVE A REPRESENTATIVE OF YOUR TEAM ATTEND TO DISCUSS
DETAILS FOR NEXT SEASON

TINTAGEL CRICKET CLUB

The cricket season is over for this year and another evening league was completed with the Wootons Country Hotel winning the league cup and Port Isaac winning the knock out shield. This year we were delighted to welcome a new team calling themselves "The Green Army" made up from players of Tintagel Football Club, led by their captain Sean Keeble. They enjoyed a good result in their first season.

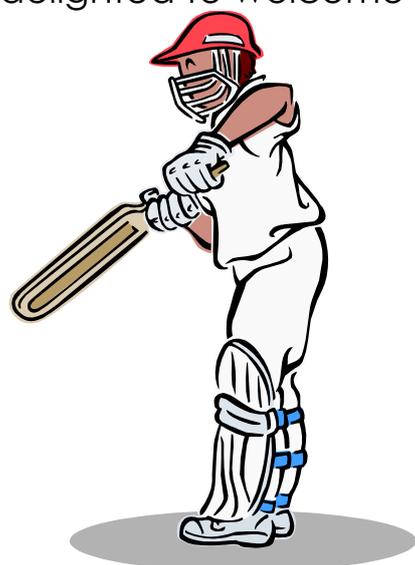
However, during this year one of the oldest teams (The Poldark Inn) was forced to withdraw from the competition due to lack of players and together with the loss of the Cobweb Inn two years ago has reduced the number of teams to eight.

We are asking anyone who might be interested in forming a team to participate in the evening league to contact Allan Sargeant on 01840 770707.

We encourage all, young or old, male or female to join us and experience the joy of evening cricket league.

Please note, if you are under sixteen years old, you are eligible to play for more than one team.

Allan Sargeant



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PROGRAMME SHEET
For Residents & Visitors over 50

OCTOBER 2014

DAY	DATE	DESTINATION	XX	CONTACT	Tele: 01840....	TIME	DON	DRIVER
Wed	1							
Thurs	2	Launceston/Homeleigh	ST	Barbara Clutton	*****	9am	£5.50	TBA
Fri	3							
Sat	4	Boscastle Food Fair Weekend	NS	-----	--	--	TBA	Michael
Sun	5	Boscastle Food Fair Weekend	NS	-----	--	--	TBA	Michael
Mon	6							
Tues	7	Atlantic Village/Merry Harriers	NS	Cherry Whitehead	213391	9am	£8	Brian
Wed	8							
Thurs	9	Padstow/Supermarket	ST	Barbara Clutton	*****	9am	£6	Georgie
Fri	10							
Sat	11							
Sun	12							
Mon	13							
Tues	14	Kernow Mills	NS	Barbara Clutton	*****	9am	£8.00	Georgie
Wed	15	Gold Centre	NS	Margaret Rush	779085	9am	£8	TBA
Thurs	16	Wadebridge/ Trelawney	ST	Lillian Marshall	250811	9am	£5.50	Michael
Fri	17	Blisland Lunch	NS	Peggy Molesworth	250269	9am	£5	Deborah
Sat	18							
Sun	19							
Mon	20							
Tues	21	Tavistock	NS	Liz King	261710	9am	£7.50	Brian
Wed	22	Endsleigh Garden Centre	NS	Margaret Rush	779085	9am	£10	TBA
Thurs	23	Bodmin/Supermarket	ST	Barbara Clutton	*****	9am	£5.50	Michael
Fri	24							
Sat	25							
Sun	26							
Mon	27							
Tues	28							
Wed	29	Bude/Hill top Rest.	NS	Margaret Rush	779085	1pm	£5.50	Georgie
Thurs	30	Shopping	ST	Barbara Clutton	*****	9am	£5.50	Deborah
Fri	31	Brendan Arms Bude	NS	Peggy Molesworth	250269	9am	£5.50	Deborah

NS [No Shopping] **ST** [Visit to a Supermarket and Refreshments if required]

***** Barbara can be contacted using the following number: 18002. 01840 .211011 Please wait and listen for instructions.
Any trips for November please book by the next drivers meeting on 10th October

USEFUL CONTACT INFORMATION

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WWW.TINTAGELPARISHCOUNCIL.GOV.UK**

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Cornwall Council General Enquiries <i>Website -www.cornwall.gov.uk</i>	County Hall	0300 1234 100
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