THE OLD SCHOOL NEWS

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<mark>A TRIBUTE</mark> HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II



After the shock of learning of the death of Her Majesty The Queen, it is difficult to believe that such a constant in our lives is no longer physically with us, but as the sad news finally sinks in, it has given me an opportunity to reflect on some of the qualities we will all miss. Many years ago I had the honour and privilege of serving onboard HMY BRITANNIA. It was her kindness and mischievous sense of humour which stood out for me and which helped lighten the loss.

Balmoral was somewhere The Queen reportedly "left her crown at the palace gates" and similarly on BRITANNIA when on annual cruises around the Western Isles, she visibly relaxed, knowing she was in safe and loyal hands surrounded by family and far from press intrusion.

One evening ,The Queen held a reception in the Pool of London. As she came onboard she noticed that my right hand was in

plaster and asked what had happened. I explained that I had broken it playing rugby against the Queen's Flight. A little later I was approached by The Queen's Equerry Major Hugh Lindsay. He said that The Queen wished to see me. "What had I done wrong ?" was my immediate thought. I noticed that she was talking to a red-headed giant who towered over her and that his right arm was in plaster and in a sling With that wonderful smile of hers and a twinkle in her eyes, she said that she thought we would like to meet and was further amused as we shook our left hands. The giant was none other than my all-time rugby hero, the former England International Maurice Colclough who I had watched live in Paris in 1980 when, after years in the wilderness, we won the Grand Slam. Despite the crowded reception and with so many guests present, she made the effort to introduce us knowing I would have been unlikely to have met him without her. A further example occurred when in 1984, a million-strong crowd converged on the banks of the Mersey to witness the Parade of Sail of 70 Tall Ships. The Queen was informed that we were about to overhaul the Russian four-masted Kruzenshtern, the world's second largest sail training ship. At the time, the embarked Royal Marine band was entertaining Her Majesty with trad jazz. On hearing that we were nearing this legendary barque, The Queen asked for the doors to be opened and so on that balmy evening the ragtime rhythms of "Hold That Tiger" wafted over the water.

For the Russians it must have summed up all that they had been told about the decadent West! Roderick - Commander R.J.Harvey , RN (Ret'd)

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The Look Group

We had an outing at the end of August to the Green Hill Art Project at Mortenhampstead with a stop for cream tea at The Two Bridges on the way home. The theme of the exhibition was Contemporary Still Life with exhibits

from a paper doyley on a white background to a spectacular and hypnotic image displaying the decay of a still life in slow motion. In the photo is a wall length image of a take on "Sunflowers" constructed entirely of pieces of paper and cardboard. Project for a rainy day!

The Look Group meet at The Old School second Tuesday of each month at 2 pm

All welcome.

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Sports Massage

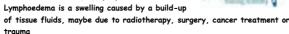
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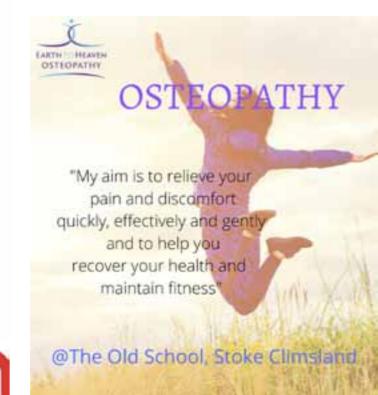
Therapeutic Massage Relaxing deep tissue massage relieves muscle tightness and soreness, increases circulation, eases tension headaches and increases joint flexibility

Manual Lymphatic Drainage

Treatment for managing lymphoedema



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PARISH HALL DIARY OCTOBER 2022

| Regular Events: | | | | |
|-----------------|-------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|--|
| Monday | 10:30 - 11:30 | Weekly | ADULT BALLET | |
| | am | | (Main Hall) | |
| | 7pm | 1st Monday | GARDENING CLUB | |
| | 7pm | 3rd Monday | PARISH COUNCIL | |
| | 7pm | 2nd/4th/5th | SCATS Rehearsal | |
| | 9 am - noon | Weekly | POP-UP CAFÉ | |
| Tuesday | 1:15 - 2:15 pm | Weekly | LATINO DANCE | |
| | 7:30 pm | 2nd week only | W.I. | |
| | 7 pm | Weekly except 2nd week | BOWLS | |
| | 9 - 12:30 pm | Weekly | PRIVATE HIRE | |
| Wednesday | 2 - 8:30 pm | Weekly | SJS DANCE | |
| - | | | ACADEMY | |
| | 9 - 11 am | Weekly | KEEP ACTIVE | |
| | 4 - 7:30 pm | Weekly | SJS DANCE | |
| Thursday | | | ACADEMY | |
| | 8 - 10 pm | Weekly | CALLINGTON | |
| | | | GOSPEL CHOIR | |
| | 10am - 11am | | PILATES | |
| Friday | 11:15 - 12:15 | | MATURE MOVERS | |
| | 7 - 10:30 pm | | BRIDGE | |
| | | | o holidays etc. | |
| | contact group | leaders for sp | ecific info. | |
| Together wi | | | | |
| 24 Oct | 9am - 5pm | SJS DANCE | | |
| 27 Oct | 11:15 - 5pm | PRIVATE HIRE | | |
| 29 Oct | All Day | PRIVATE HIRE | | |

For further information regarding bookings please contact Sue Watts 07836 202212 or email sue-watts@btconnect.com

FROM THE EDITOR

The period during the reign of Queen Elizabeth II has been witnessed by many readers and we are saddened by the death not only of our Queen but of a remarkable lady. I'm sure there are many who will join me in welcoming Prince William as the new Duke of Cornwall.

And as we advance into Autumn the winds of change blow amongst the golden leaves which swirl around our beautiful village. A new Monarch, and a new PM all at once! But worrying rises in the cost of living cast a shadow for us all. Meeting up with the community is a helpful way of dealing with life's trials, whether it is at the luncheon club, the WI, joining in with Scats or at the many activities, clubs and events at The Old School. Knowing you are part of a community goes a long way to alleviating life's stresses. And if you have anything to say on topics which affect us here in Stoke Climsland remember to share them and send your letters and articles to me at gillhiscott@ hotmail.com

Gill Hiscott, Editor

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| Oct 2 | 2:3 | 0 pm | Remembering God - Lennie | | |
| | | | At SCC - informal communion | | |
| 6:30 pm | | leaders from across the Cluster | | | |
| Oct 9 | 8 am | | Informal Prayer - Barbara Bennett | | |
| 000 9 | 10 am | | All Age Morning Worship - Dominic | | |
| Oct 16 | 9:15 am | | Holy Communion - Joe Lannon | | |
| | 8 am | | BCP - Dominic Nelson | | |
| Oct 23 | 10 am | | Family Service - Ryan and Jane | | |
| Oct 30 | 9:1 | 9:15 am Cluster All Age Service at Upton Cross | | ll Age Service at Upton Cross | |
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| Weekly | | | | | |
| | | 1 | 9 am | ACUPUNCTURE (by appt) | |
| Mondays | 5 | 9 am | onwards | | |
| - | | 7: | 30 pm | SCOTTISH DANCING | |
| Tuesday | | | | RAGS ART GROUP | |
| Wednes | | | | CROSS BOARDER ARTS | |
| | - | 9 am | Onwards | OSTEOPATH (by appt) | |
| Thursda | ys | | 1 am | KEEP FIT | |
| | | | 30 am | FRIDAY MUSIC GROUP | |
| Fridays | | | 2 noon | FRIDAY LUNCH (all welcome) | |
| Togeth | er w | | | | |
| 9 | | | 30 am | VILLAGE MARKET | |
| Oct1 | | 1 - 4 pm | | MESSY CHURCH | |
| Oct 3 | • | | • | WESTCOUNTRY TRUST | |
| Oct 4 | | 9 am | | WESTCOUNTRY TRUST | |
| Oct 5 | | 10 - 11:30 am | | PARISH COUNCIL SURGERY | |
| | | 2 | - 4 pm | AFTERNOON TEA | |
| Oct 8 | Set 8 an | | n - Noon | SC SHOW JUMBLE | |
| 001 8 | | 7 pm | JAZZ - CORNISH ARMADA | | |
| Oct 11 | | | | LOOK GROUP | |
| Oct 13 - | | 1 - 4 pm | | CALLINGTON U3A | |
| | 7 - 9 pm | | | TRUSTEE MEETING | |
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| Oct 20 | | | 7 pm | | |
| Oct 25 - | | | 9 am | | |
| Oct 27 | | | 30 pmLOCAL HISTORY GROUP- 4 pmCALLINGTON U3A | | |
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| OLD SCHOOL 200 CLUB WINNERS | | | |
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| August 12 | D Jackaman | August 25 | R Nevill |
| August 19 | S Stiplings | Sept 02 | A Evans |

ANDY WILLIAMS

Our condolences to relatives and friends of Andy Williams of Luckett who sadly died just recently. Many people may remember him best as the young butcher in Spar for many years, and recently at Trepolpen.

News, diary and other information should be sent directly to Gill Hiscott at gillhiscott@hotmail.com



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THE OLD SCHOOL AGM

The 2022 Annual General Meeting will be held at The Old School on Wednesday 2nd November at 7:30 pm

Agenda

Apologies

Approval of the minutes of the last AGM

Trustees' Report

Financial Report

Election of Officers and Trustees

Any Other Business

Everyone with an interest in The Old School is welcome to attend but only paid-up members may vote.

If you are interested in becoming a trustee please provide your name, contact details and a brief description of relevant experience to: The Old School Office by the 18th October.

Any member who wishes to propose a resolution for consideration at the AGM must submit it to: The Old School by 18th October. Only members can propose resolutions.

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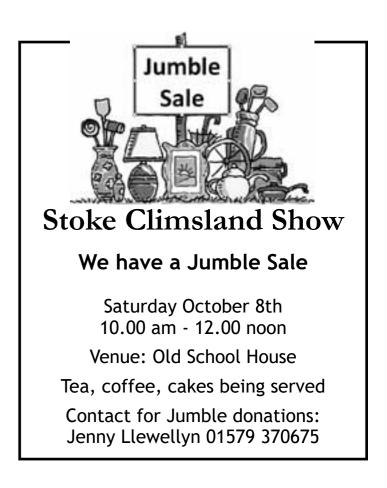
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Climate Rescue

The Stoke Climsland Community had a successful Climate Fayre Day in July, alongside the School's summer fayre and then followed some frighteningly hot weather over the summer. So, do we want to consider making a real commitment to climate RESCUE?

However, many people have no idea about how to begin changing their habits and their domestic infrastructures - nor what is even possible. There are solutions which can be looked at, to share ideas of how to move towards changing the norm and beginning to mitigate effects of climate change.

There is a book written within Cornwall by Colin Hastings, which is a gentle, step by step directive to help in people's different circumstances. It is written for sharing and discussing within families, a manual - written for older children and adults. It is always better when you do things together.

'The Carbon Buddy Manual' - a sample page and cover are illustrated and there is also lot of information on the website about the project - www.carbonbuddyproject.org

It is an intelligent guide, written in a contemporary format, a bit like children's workbooks and through it, families can share and be guided through a process to help to ease the effects of climate change. It is very good value.

The book retails at £10 a copy. However, while the first tranche is available, it will be £7 a copy if you contact meljoyguy@hotmail.com with your order - it makes a good present to those you care about. I hope we can all join this process - the sooner we begin, the better!

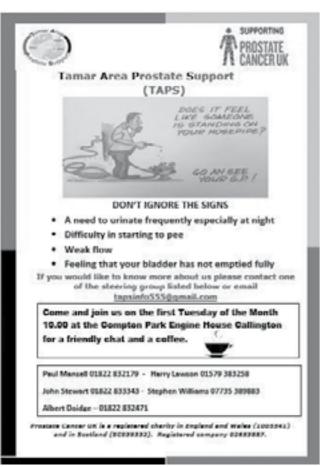


Cornish Armada Jazz Band

Doors Open: 7 pm for 7:30 pm start With a two-course dinner in the interval and a well-stocked bar

FOR BOOKINGS contact: The Old School Office (01579 370493) or the organiser Vivian Davis on (01579 383819 or 07798 751337)

Saturday 8th October



ADVERTISING MANAGER WANTED FOR OLD SCHOOL NEWS

Please could someone with an aptitude for figures volunteer to handle the advertising and financial position of The Old School News. Ideally someone who can work on a spreadsheet (any programme). Duties include keeping a record of who has paid and contacting them when their advert runs out. Liasing with Sheila at The Old School as to what payments have been made and consequently Hilary, who will then add and subtract adverts as necessary. Receive and liase with new

advertisers. Offers scope for expanding and suggesting improvements.

Please contact either the editor gillhiscott@hotmail. com or Caroline on carolinevulliamy@ hotmail.com or The Old School directly





Tributes from every corner of the world and fond memories of our late Queen Elizabeth II for her 70 years in service and dedication as our longest reigning monarch continue to fill every page of print and hour of television and radio broadcast. Heartfelt praise and recognition of Her Majesty's enthusiasm and support for causes, both here in the United Kingdom, within the commonwealth and around the world at large. In the farming world we equally acknowledge Her Majesty's vast depth of knowledge, true understanding and compassion demonstrated through Her and the wider royal family's deep rooted association with our great British countryside.

Statistically, she was one of the largest landowners in the UK when accounting for the Crown Estates - which actually are administrated by the state, the monarch's private estates of Balmoral (50.000ha), Sandringham (16,000ha) and Windsor Great Park (2,500ha), along with the Duchy of Lancaster Estates, each contribute to the Royal Purse. It was however a lessor known fact that The Queen's extensive knowledge of farming and animal husbandry extended well beyond her particular interest in horses and corgi dogs. Often noted was Her Majesty's keen stockmanship of her beloved Jersey herd at Royal Windsor Home Farm.

In further support Her Majesty who was patron to over 600 organisations and charities across the UK remained a firm supporter of many rural groups along with her interest in rural pursuits, countryside conservation and farming communities. Namely the National Federation of Young Farmers Clubs, National Federation of Women' Institute - for which she remained a member of Sandringham WI, to the longest serving farming charity formed back in 1860 - Royal Agricultural Benevolent Institution (RABI), to name but a few, but of course to our very own Royal Cornwall Show. As Patron both Prince Philip and HM Queen were regular attendees at the Wadebridge Showground for which your correspondent was honoured to be presented to Her Majesty in the Food & Drink Marquee in the late 1990's. However, some may even remember the royal visit and their first attendance when the show toured and was held in Stoke Parish just outside Kelly Bray in 1952.

Finally, in expressing our grief with shock and sadness of Her Majesty's passing after 70 glorious years, we are comforted in the knowledge of continuing royal support of rural communities and championing with cause through succession of both King Charles III and Prince William as our new Duke of Cornwall. Both remain strong advocates of farming and the environment. From us all Down on the Farm we offer our condolences, may you rest in peace ma'am and God Save The King.

Martin Howlett

Stoke Climsland Local History Circup

WE HAVE RESTARTED

Just a short note to let you know that we relaunched the Local History Group in September with an insightful talk on the Citadel in Plymouth from local Blue Badge guide, Chrissie Le Marchant.

We have some interesting speakers lined up for the autumn term. The dates you should note in your diary are:

October 25th when Ian Lauder will be talking about the events leading up to the reburial of 2nd Lt. Piers Edgcumbe who was killed in WW2

November 22nd, when Emma Cunnis, a Dartmoor guide, will be talking about 'Dartmoor Women through the Ages'.

An interesting and varied programme which is open to all. If you want more information, please contact:

> Deri Parsons on 01579 370319 or via email: derrick.parsons@btinternet.com All talks will take place in the Old School in Stoke Climsland and will start at 7.30pm.

Light refreshments will be available after each talk.

'For Queen & Country'

The Rowden Field Project

About a year ago the PC asked for proposals for the ongoing future management of Rowden Field. Our group Stoke Climsland Environment Network (SCEN) suggested that the field was a unique and valuable community asset and proposed that we carry out a carefully recorded study program on the field. This study program became 'The Rowden Field Project'.

The field has not been 'farmed' since the middle of the last century, it has been left to nature. The hedges, flora and fauna, the bird and bat voices have all been studied, photographed and recorded in this first year. Our study has confirmed how precious the ecology of the field really is. However the miracle of all life on Earth the rhizosphere, which is the secret world of the soil beneath the field, we have only just begun to look at and study. This work is programmed as part of the next year' study. Unfortunately a dark cloud has appeared for our project. Our Parish Council are no longer pursuing ownership of Rowden Field, at their last meeting they said they would take the gate and fence down and suggested the field could become a bridleway. Yesterday one of our group discovered what he described as an act of eco vandalism. With the gate removed at one end and the fence taken down at the other, a tractor has driven in mowing off the vegetation which allowed horses access to the open field. If the situation were to continue it would be a disaster for the ecosystem of this very special site. Our closed group (SCEN) has now evolved to an open group 'Friends of Rowden Field'. If you would care to join

the group please do get in touch. The Parish Council is our access to our democracy. Your voices are powerful, necessary and most welcome.

Please do get in touch, best wishes to you all,

Alastair Guy. al@alastairguy.co.uk



Luckett Social Club

With the Autumn months upon us now the Winter Programme starts in earnest. Hopefully with the new ventilation system now installed which will lessen the risk of spreading the dreaded covid virus, members and guests alike will feel more comfortable coming to the Club.

October dates:

Friday 7th a DARTS evening - come and throw a few arrows and join in a few fun non match type games ready to renew our challenge with Stoke Club later in the year.

Saturday 15th a UKRAINE night. David Crawley will give a short talk on

his experience and involvement in helping the crisis. There will be a few fun challenges and obviously any funds raised on the night will go to this worthy cause.

Saturday 22nd ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING Come and have your say. To be followed by a Mini Quiz and nibbles.

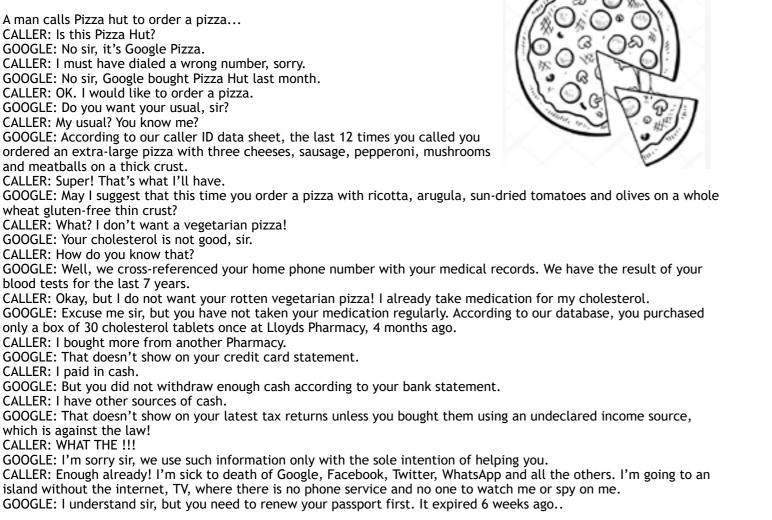
Saturday 29th HALLOWEEN PARTY from 7:30pm onwards. Don't worry if you don't have kids you can still dress up and join in the spooky fun. No charge to come in, but please bring a plate of scary (must be edible) food.

All events start at 8.00pm unless otherwise stated, with the club and bar open from 7.30pm.

For more information visit our facebook page The-Luckett-Social-Club.

Geoff Howlett (Hon. Secretary).

ANY ONE FOR PIZZA?





We are open Wednesday to Friday 8.00pm to 11pm, and when there is an event on Saturday from 7.30 to 12pm.

If you want to know more, come to the bar to find out. Alternatively you can telephone the secretary: Louise Power on 01579 370819 or email louisepoweraok@msn.com.

The Spanish evening was a great success. There were about 14 different tapas dishes to choose from and many people had extra. There were 4 different types of spanish beer, Spanish wine and sangria available at the bar. The club was beautifully decorated in a Spanish theme with flamenco dancers and fans on the walls. The club was filled with laughter and several people sported Spanish style clothing. A great evening was had by all. By the time you read this we will also have had the first guiz of the season.

In October we are having an Oktoberfest with German beer and bratwurst sausages. This will be a ticketed event, each ticket costing £5 for food. They can be bought either at the club or Post Office. Please purchase your ticket before 7th October so we know how much food to prepare. The October guiz will be on the 15th October. Several people have asked about the quiz. We charge £5 for a team of 4. If you have not got enough people to set up a team do not be deterred, just come along to the quiz and we will match you up with other people. This is a good way to get to know others and have a fun evening.

We have a new football team using the football filed this year. Three of the young teams in Kelliwick Football Club will be using the field. They will all be under 11 and playing on Saturday or Sunday morning from September. You are welcome to support the teams.

Finally, as in previous years, Tamar Valley Motorbike Club were camping on the field on the weekend 23rd to 25th September. They were using the pavilion facilities and the Club for beer and food. It is likely there was some noise as there were about 30 people attending. I hope that you were not disturbed.

Dates for your diary:

| Bavarian Evening | 8th October |
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| Quiz | 15th October |
| Quiz | 19th November |

Keep and eye on our facebook page for more information. Louise Power

THE NEXT OLD SCHOOL MARKET IS ON OCTOBER 1ST

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MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME



First Apprentice Kick-Starts Career in Quarter of a Million Pounds Training Project



On 7 September, the first trainee of the Tamara Landscape Partnership Scheme's quarter of a million pounds training project, starts as an Assistant Ranger Apprentice. 23-year-old Myles Pinkney is the first of 20 apprentice, foundation and internship trainees who will work in the Tamar Valley Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty, which is an historically important and protected landscape bordering Devon and Cornwall.

The £268k 'Tamara Trainees' project is part of the Tamara Landscape Partnership Scheme, which is funded by The National Lottery Heritage Fund and other partners to create a brighter future for the Tamar Valley and its communities. The total to be invested across the Tamar Valley until 2025 will be £3.2 million.

The first Tamara Trainees role is a National Trust Assistant Ranger Apprenticeship, which has been jointly funded in partnership with the National Trust and will last 18 months. It is hoped that over five apprenticeships will be made available as Tamara Trainees over the next three years, three of which will be with the National Trust.

Myles will work to protect and improve the health and wildlife richness of the National Trust's Cotehele Estate. He grew up and went to school in the local area and he knows the Tamar Valley well. The Tamara Trainees Project will give him the opportunity to stay close to home and study in a place he knows and loves.



This Months Film is: 'Military Wives' starring Kristin Scott Thomas and Sharon Hogan. Inspired by the true story of the Military Wives Choirs, a network of 75 choirs in British military bases here and overseas.

With their partners serving away in Afghanistan a group of women on the home front form a choir and quickly find themselves at the centre of a media sensation and a global movement

" The feel good film of the year"-- BBC Radio 2

" It will have you on your feet cheering and crying".-- Radio Times.



NEW MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME

CALLINGTON HONEY FAYRE WEDNESDAY 5TH OCTOBER, 2022

Well, after 2 Covid-years of 'Virtual Honey Fairs' we, in Callington Lions, are back with a buzz! We have had a very good take-up by our traditional street traders (gifts and crafts) but there is still stall space for local businesses and charities, please telephone the following number for a stall booking: 03449 632 446



In July Helen Webb from 'Helen's Holistics' gave us a very interesting talk about a range of alternative therapies. She explained the benefits of Reiki and Reflexology and how Aromatherapy massage can encourage a state of harmony between the mind and body. Helen told us about the various training courses she had completed, and we even joined in with a few demonstration exercises. She brought along a wide range of items that we were able to sample including some essential oils and skin care products. We began Our September Meeting by holding a Minutes Silence in memory of the Queen, who was a member of The Sandringham WI. It was then time to welcome local Artist, Oonagh Glancy who explained to us the different types of Mono Printing. A fellow artist Anne, demonstrated

how to make a print on paper using coloured inks, a roller, a glass plate and foliage. We all got involved and were pleased with the images we were able to create.

Earlier in the year a number of our member's took part in a 'Discovering Footpaths' competition organised by The Cornwall Federation. The group ably led by our President, Chrissie Le Marchant presented a very comprehensive entry including Poetry, Prose, Artwork and observations associated with walking the route from Lockington. We recently received the news that we had won the competition and will be awarded with The Baker Cup at the forthcoming Annual Meeting in Truro. This is a great reward for all the hard work which went into the entry. We have lots of interesting talks planned for the coming year and we would love to welcome New Members and for Visitors, the charge is just £4 to include tea and cakes.

Meetings are held on the second Tuesday of the month in Stoke Climsland Parish Hall at 7.30pm.

Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 11th October Making clay pinch pots Jo Pescod Tuesday 8th November Bushcraft willow designing Sian Bush







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25th World Scout Jamboree -Stoke Climsland to South Korea!

Jess and Jaz Turner have lived in Stoke Climsland the whole of their lives and have immersed themselves in many community activities throughout the years. Both joined the 1st Stoke Climsland Scout Group, as Beavers, at the age of five, and have independently moved through Cubs, Scouts and on to Explorers. Jess has been volunteering as a Young Leader for two years, having started at the beginning of the Covid-19 lockdown when

meetings were being held online. Jaz has recently been invited to join the Cub Scout Leader's Team as a Young Leader. This role will form part of her Bronze Duke of Edinburgh and Young Leaders Award for which she will enrol. Jess is currently working towards her Duke of Edinburgh Silver Award having already undertaken the three-day expedition phase. During June both tackled the Cornish Coast to Coast Challenge, hiking from Portreath, on the North Coast to Maenporth on the South Coast. This challenge covered some 34 miles and is normally completed over two days. The team of five elected to undertake the challenge in one day and completed the route in just 6 hours 11 minutes! Back in December 2021, both Jess and Jaz applied for selection to attend the 25th World Scout Jamboree in South Korea during August 2023. On 22nd of January the girls learned they had been successful as members of the 36 Scouts and Explorers who were selected to be part of the exciting and challenging journey. Both have to raise £4,000 to fund their expedition! To date, activities have included valeting cars, helping to run a dog show, and baking cakes for the scout stand at the village fete. Group activities have included acting as Sherpas at events like the Great Estates Festivals at Scorrier House and car parking at the St Ewe Country Fair. Jess has been working, serving and preparing meals at a local public house, whilst Jaz has been cutting grass.

So, If you are interested in your car being spruced-up or you want your grass cut, please let us know.

The girls have a number of events coming up which we hope readers can support. A Mexican themed Quiz and Cuisine evening at the Stoke Climsland Scout Hut on Saturday 8th of October; a Korean Takeaway evening from 6.00-8.00pm at The Old School; on Saturday 12th of November and on Saturday 14th of January 2023, a 'Drop-in-Breakfast' 8.00 -11.30am, again at the Old School. Jess and Jaz will be holding prize draws and other fundraising activities alongside these events, with prizes donated by many local businesses, including HBH Woolacotts, the South Devon Railway and Trago Mills, to name but a few. Please try to support our 'Kernow Knockers' on their journey! If you want to know more, come along and ask our intrepid scout and explorer, who will explain the story behind the unique Unit 76 Contingent 25WSJ Korea Badge.

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