

MOUNT & WARLEGGAN LIFE

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“BIG DO IN THE FIELD 2024”

After the first weekend was a complete washout and the event cancelled, the 27th July seemed to be the right date after all. Rain in both Bodmin and St Neot skirted the field, and we had glorious sunshine from opening time at 12 noon throughout the afternoon.

A great turnout from Warleggan, Mount, St Neot, Cardinham and beyond and plenty of entries into the Dog Show, which was great fun, the overall best in show winner was Carlo, Bridget & Jerry Masters dog, congratulations. Rufus our eleven-year-old chocolate labrador was delighted with winning the Best Veteran, he's been boasting all weekend. *(see inside for full details)*

The Craft tent appeared again this year with Sue Rogers Jewellery, Dee Withy's resin crafts and Jo's reclaimed wood crafts, and joining them was a new event the Jigsaw table. Over a hundred jigsaws and games had been donated and were sold on the day. Leftovers will be available at a lending library in the Village Hall every monthly coffee morning.

Another donation of a Toaster/Egg Cooker appliance was put together with some bread and eggs as a complete breakfast kit, this was won by Amber, who was only 1 gram short of the actual weight. Great guessing.

The Big Do raffle even though delayed by a week also helped raised funds for the Village Hall and some of the lucky winners are as follows;

Jerry Masters, Sarah Penray, Martin Bricknell, Sarah Arthur, Bill Clarke, Lin Newton, Sue Pascoe, Richard Brown, Simon Manning, Isobel Harvey, Alan Johnson and Carole Watson. Congratulations to you all, enjoy your prizes.

Thank you to all the people who helped out with stalls and games, Carole & Peter Parry with Smite, Lawrence & Sarah Rankin and the soft darts, Jules Grose on the Scouts stall, Liz Lane & Gill Keast for running the Dog Show and Karen Bunt for judging, not an easy task, Gill & Eric Thomas on the bottle stall, Chris Smith managing the bar with Alex Bryant, Sue Crier, Alison Crowe & Jasmina Goodair all helping with the cream teas, as well as Jasmina taking photo's through the day, Andrew Lane and his Cornish Coconut Shy, Sue Smith running the Tombola and the Bodmin Scout Troop with Rob & Petra Jory running the BBQ and final thanks to Simon Manning for all the sound equipment and John Keast for compering all events on the day– it would not go ahead without all your help, THANK YOU.

Alex & Jo Pearce-Smith

Rector's Ramblings August - September

Smiling faces are not always associated with church! But yet again at our annual Animal Service in June, they were on blazon display. The sheer sense of joy, fun and happiness was abundantly expressed on the faces of those who came and were captured in Jasmina's photos, thank you Jasmina. As a fairly new convert to pets, I know the quite profound attachment and connection we make with animals, especially those who share our homes and our lives. Thank you Liz for leading the service and to Bishop Graham for preaching and blessing.

Many of you know Liz Lane as been going through the discernment process for ordination. These days, this is quite gruelling and demanding. The inquisition explores the candidate's spirituality, academic potential, pastoral and social skills, and includes a psychological assessment, as well exploring what it means to be called to ministry and the support she has from the community. Needless to say, Liz was recommended and will be begin training part time in September and will look towards ordination first as a deacon in two years times and priest in three years. This means essays, lectures, seminars and residential weekends, and it will inevitably mean standing back from the many things Liz does in village life. Please congratulate her, pray for her and the family, and especially for Andrew as he prepares to be a vicar's wife and perfects his cake making!

From 6th – 10th August, Kate Rogers our organist, will put on a production of **Oliver**



with young people from her Academy, in St Neot Church. It deals with the plight of children, who in the Industrial Revolution, as in war, were the victims of the world adults make. In **Oliver**, Dickens draws attention to evils such as child labour, the recruitment of children as criminals, and the presence of street children. I can think of no better setting in which to address issues of poverty and deprivation than the church. A place which cele-

brates Creation and our belief that each of us are made in God's image. I do hope you can come along. Tickets are available at CREATIVE-EDUCATION.CO.UK.

I hope you have a wonderful summer and will have an opportunity to take some rest.

Rev Garry Swinton,

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PET'S SERVICE AT ST BARTHOLOMEW'S



SHELTERBOX – THE CORNISH CHARITY SUPPORTING THOSE IN NEED ACROSS THE GLOBE

As someone who very much values and is grateful for the security and wellbeing a place to call home provides, I continue to find it shocking that in the 21st Century there are those who are without this basic right. I call it a right as it is something everyone should have, be it as they say, 'ever so humble there is no place like home'. It is apparent that the UK and indeed Cornwall experiences significant challenges in providing homes for those in need and I am fully cognisant of that and trust and hope that steps will be taken to greatly improve the situation by the relevant authorities. However, for the purpose of this article I will stick to the work of ShelterBox as a newly recruited ambassador for the charity with the aim of raising awareness of the work and associated global situations and issues.

From inception in 2000, a band of people, namely The Rotary Club of Helston, devised the concept of providing a disaster kit to those in need which has since grown into ShelterBox. Over 3 million people have now been supported in over 100 different countries. In over half of those countries, support has been provided more than once for example, the Philippines more than 30 times. Accordingly, World leaders are being urged to focus on prevention as clearly repeated responses to the same countries is not sustainable. By way of illustration, improving infrastructure and building methods and with that robustness. This strategy is one being championed by ShelterBox.

Current worrying predictions by appropriate experts indicate that this year's hurricane season is set to be the most active on record. As I write we have just seen the devastation of Hurricane Beryl in an area I have personally visited particularly the small Union Island. ShelterBox have sent a team out to the hurricane hit Caribbean.

The predictions of people displacement are alarming. Consider, one in six people may be uprooted from their homes world-wide because of conflict and disasters in the next 25 years. By 2050 the Institute for Economics and Peace indicate 1.2 billion will suffer displacement. Currently some 200,000 people are displaced each day. Clearly it is necessary to adapt and there are some options ShelterBox is factoring into the charity's strategy such as; building concrete bases in repeated flood zones, provision of hurricane strapping to improve the robustness of timber shelters and the use of iron frames and fireproof insulation for shelters. Thus, supporting the move from response to impact reduction and mitigation.

Through my own travels, sadly it does not surprise me that when conflict or disaster hits, people, some with so little already, are left with nothing. Genuinely, when I go to bed at night, I am grateful for the security my home brings and sadness that there are many who are not so fortunate.

Thank you for taking the time to read my article and know that In Cornwall there is a charity embracing the Cornish concept of 'One and all' on a global stage.

Linda Bowers-Kasch
Ambassador- ShelterBox.
July 2024

WARLEGGAN HISTORY GROUP

7.30pm JUBILEE HALL, MOUNT

All Welcome

WEDNESDAY 25th SEPTEMBER

"DAYS OF CLAY REVISITED" - Malcolm Gould

Malcolm Gould will be showing us archive film material of the bustling china clay industry not previously seen by us.

WEDNESDAY 23rd OCTOBER

"DANIEL GUMB—the Cornish caveman, mathematician, stargazer and stonemason" - Brian Oldham

Brian has put together a presentation on this intriguing man who lived with his family in a cave on the slope below the Cheeswring at Minions.

**AND IF YOU ARE THIRSTING FOR MORE HISTORY
ST NEOT HISTORIANS**

MONDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER 7.30pm Sunday School

The Civil War in Mid Cornwall - Craig Truscott

Newly discovered documents hint at battles and skirmishes in the Civil War hereto unrecorded

The famous Mount and Warleggan Big Do Dog Show 2024

This weekend it was neither raining cats nor dogs, thank goodness, and the dogs of the parish and their owners put on a grand show. Thirty one dogs competed in 10 different classes, judged with great style and fairness by Karen Bunt.

Results as follows:

Best puppy – 1 Truffle, 2 Harry, 3 Amira

Best pedigree - 1 Lola, 2 Miley, 3 Basil

Best Heinz – 1 Kirra, 2 Finley, 3 Ivor

Best child handler – 1 Isla and Elsie, 2 Catherine and Mya, Joint 3rd Ollie and Truffle and Ollie F and Amira

Prettiest bitch – 1 Daisy, 2 Mia, 3 Maisie

Handsomest dog – 1 Carlo, 2 Henry, 3 Mr Balls

Party trick – 1 Daisy, 2 Milo

Matching or contrasting brace – 1 Kyra and Isra, 2 Mr Balls and Lollo, 3 Betty and Eddie

Best veteran – 1 Rufus, 2 Eddie, 3 Reggie

Best rescue – 1 Mica, 2 Safira, 3 Betty

The Best in Show was Carlo, with the Reserve Best in Show going to the best child handler Isla aged 4 with her dog Elsie aged 5

Thank you to all who took part. Come again next year!

Liz Lane

CHAPEL NEWS

It has been quiet since the successful plant sale in May however divine intervention occurred two weeks ago. It was a quiet Sunday morning and sadly the minister due had been taken ill, therefore a small service of hymns and prayer would have to do. Just as we were about to start another minister popped their head around the door and said can we join you! So a wonderful service was had.

All at the chapel continue to pray for Julie and Ian, we hope they continue to improve.

Services every Sunday at 11am, all welcome to join.

The next main event will be our wonderful Harvest Festival on Sunday 6th October at 11am. This will be followed by a pasty and pudding lunch, please do join us.

WARLEGGAN PRODUCE & CRAFT SHOW

20th July 2024 Results

Well the rain poured down and the mist swirled around, but being nice and dry in the Parish Hall the show [unlike the Big Do], was able to carry on regardless. Yes, the vegetables were a bit thin but this was easily made up by a magnificent floral display. Crafts, Photography and Cookery held their own and took top prizes. Best in Show went to a lovely sketch of a wren created by Nicky Hill. Reserve went to the best cookery, a Carrot Cake by Liz Lane. Many thanks to all those who assisted and all those who entered and helped make it such a success.

Vegetable Classes. *3 diff. veg:* Pam Leppitt, Carolyn Stokes *Potatoes:* Pam Leppitt, Andrew Lane, Iris Baker. *Carrots:* Maria Turnbull, Carolyn Stokes. *Cucumber:* Carolyn Stokes, Andrew Lane, Jasmina Goodair. *Peas:* Pam Leppitt, Gill Keast, Andrew Lane. *Beans:* 1st & 2nd Carolyn Stokes. *Courgettes:* Andrew Lane. *Strange Shape Veg:* Andrew Lane. *Herbs:* 1st & 2nd Lynda Small, Andrew Lane. *Soft fruit:* Pam Leppitt, Lynda Small, Andrew Lane. *Tomatoes:* Andrew Lane, Pam Leppitt, Maria Turnbull. *Rhubarb:* Lynda Small, Gill Keast.



Flower Classes. *Pot plant:* 1st & 2nd Jasmina Goodair, Liz Lane. *Annuals:* 1st & 3rd Carolyn Stokes, 2nd Liz Lane. *Foliage:* Liz Lane, Jasmina Goodair, Lynda Small. *Perennials:* Gill Thomas, Liz Lane, Jasmina Goodair. *Insect Attracting Bloom:* Jasmina Goodair, 2nd & 3rd Lynda Small. *Fuchsias:* Gill Keast, Alison Crowe, Jasmina Goodair. *Sweet peas:* Carolyn Stokes, Pam Leppitt. *Buddleia:* Lynda Small, Sarah Wootton, Jasmina Goodair. *Hydrangea:* Alison Crowe 1st & 2nd, Gill Keast. *Flower 3 stems:* Liz Lane, Maria Turnbull, Lynda Small.

Cookery. *Malthouse Loaf:* Pam Leppitt, Ian Wheatley, Petra Jory. *Cheese & Chutney Whirls:* Gill Keast, Ann Moore, Petra Jory. *Carrot Cake:* Liz Lane, John Small, Lynda Small. *4 Sausage Rolls:* Pam Leppitt. *Jam:* Jasmina Goodair, Ian Wheatley, Liz Lane. *Marmalade:* Ian Wheatley

Photography *Humour:* Sarah Wootton, Harry Butler, Julie Grose. *Purple:* Sarah Wootton, 2nd & 3rd Petra Jory. *Circles:* John Keast, 2nd & 3rd Sarah Wootton. *Free Choice:* Jasmina Goodair, 2nd & 3rd Julie Grose. *Creative:* Petra Jory

Art & Craft. *Sketch:* Nicky Hill, 2nd & 3rd Sarah Wootton. *Watercolour:* Nicky Hill, Gill Keast, Eric Thomas. *Oils/Acrylic:* Sarah Wootton, Andrew Lane. *Fabric craft:* Maria Turnbull, Ann Moore. *Non-fabric craft:* Hector Lane, Sarah Wootton, Ann Moore. *Knitted item:* Moira Brown, Sarah Rankin, Julie Grose. *Upcycled Item:* Ed Hill, 2nd & 3rd Deborah Wheatley.

Under 5, Finger painting: Delilah Lean. *5-11 years Painting of favourite animal:* William Keast.

TROPHIES. *Best Fruit or Veg:* Carolyn Stokes. *Best Flora:* Liz Lane. *Best Cookery:* Liz Lane. *Best Photograph:* Jasmina Goodair. *Best Art or Craft:* Nicky Hill.

TROPHIES AWARDED ON POINTS: *Under 16 Entries:* William Keast. *New Exhibitor:* Alison Crowe. *Most Points:* Jasmina Goodair. *Reserve:* Pam Leppitt.

Best In Show: Nicky Hill [Sketch of Wren]. **Reserve:** Liz Lane [Carrot Cake]



ST BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH

ANNUAL TIDY UP & PIZZA

SATURDAY 31ST AUGUST

4.00 PM START—ALL WELCOME

Bring yourself, plus tools suitable for chopping
and cutting outside

in the Churchyard

and also dusters, etc. for polishing and dusting inside the Church

To be followed by a pizza supper £5 /head at approximately 6.00pm

Orders for pizzas will be taken at 5.00pm

BEST CHILD HANDLER



BODMIN SCOUT TROOP with Rob & Petra Jory running the BBQ



HOOLA HOOPS



CARLO best in show



CHURCH SERVICES—ST BARTHOLOMEW'S & ST NEOT

4 August Trinity 10	09.30 Warleggan Eucharist (Traditional language) 11.00 St Neot Parish Eucharist and Baptism
11 August Trinity 11	08.00 St Neot Eucharist (Traditional language) 11.00 St Neot – Morning Prayer 18.00 Warleggan Evening Prayer (Traditional language)
18 August Trinity 12	09.30 Warleggan Eucharist (Traditional language) 11.00 St Neot Parish Eucharist (Contemporary language)
25 August Trinity 13	11.00 St Neot Parish Eucharist (Contemporary language) 18.00 Warleggan Evening Prayer (Traditional language)
1 September Trinity 14	09.30 Warleggan Eucharist (Traditional language) 11.00 St Neot Parish Eucharist
8 September Trinity 15	08.00 St Neot Eucharist (Traditional language) 11.00 St Neot – Morning Prayer 18.00 Warleggan Evening Prayer (Traditional language)
15 September Trinity 16	09.30 Warleggan Eucharist (Traditional language) 11.00 St Neot Parish Eucharist (Contemporary language)
22 September Trinity 17	11.00 St Neot Parish Eucharist (Contemporary language) 18.00 Warleggan Evening Prayer (Traditional language)
29 September Trinity 18	11.00 St Neot Joint Benefice Service

PARISH LUNCH

Wednesday 25th September 12.30pm

Jubilee Hall, Mount

£6 / head

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THURSDAY CAFÉ

1st August and 5th September

10.30am to noon

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WARLEGGAN JUBILEE HALL	DIARY OF REGULAR EVENTS
SUNDAY	Table Tennis 10.30am
MONDAY	Warleggan Young Farmers' Club Business Meeting 7.30pm 1st Monday of each month
TUESDAY	Pilates Mixed Ability Class 11.45-12.45pm
WEDNESDAY	History Group 7.30pm 4 th Wednesday (unless otherwise stated)
EVERY THURSDAY VILLAGE GREENS PRE-ORDER & COLLECT 3-4PM	1st THURSDAY of each month Café 10.30am—12.30pm
HISTORY GROUP	See details inside magazine for September & October meetings
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