

# NEWS

PORT ISAAC · TRELIGHTS · PORT GAVERNE

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## Editorial

In earlier days in Port Isaac the milkman was also the barber and it was pleasant and amusing to put out a note asking for two pints and a short back and sides. Coming from a large city, working daily among thousands of strangers, it was a special joy to be greeted by name each time one stepped outside the front door; to know not only the names of your neighbours but the names of your neighbours' dogs! Walking up Fore Street can be like a Royal Progress: a smile here, a wave there, a nod, a gossip (an essential ingredient of village life even if it does often resemble a game of consequences). The risible boundaries of living thus, so irksome to some of the young, are the very things which help us retain, or regain, our own identity. The natives, born and bred; the foreigners who've only been here twenty-five years; newcomers and Emmetts, mingle in infinite variety in which there's something for everyone, and all within easy reach. Each of us has something to give the community and, with few exceptions, share a common bond... we choose to live here. (I count myself lucky - don't you?)

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## Village Hall

The Union of Construction Allied Trades and Technicians has given approval for Springboard trainees to carry out the redecoration work so badly needed on the Village Hall. We already have a small grant, awarded by the Silver Jubilee Trust, but now need to start raising money to cover the balance of the cost (about £1,000). If anyone has any fund-raising ideas other than jumble sales and coffee mornings please let us hear them. Meanwhile a box containing 'Band of Hope' porcelain crockery has been found in the Hall and is being valued. It was suggested that it could be offered for sale, one set of cup, saucer and plate, per person only to villagers, and the money used for the redecoration fund.

Unfortunately we have had to abandon our 'Spring Fayre' this year as the East Cornwall Hospital are holding a fund-raising event on the previous day.

## Brownies

The Port Isaac Brownies won the Shield on 15th. May for the Brownie Annual Sports at Camelford Primary School. Angela Collins, the oldest member, accepted the Shield.

## Drama

The Port Isaac Players have asked us to point out that their two one-act plays, and the three-act play, will be presented on alternate Mondays later in the year.

## N.B.

If you require the return of material submitted to the Newsletter, please state the fact when sending it in as we can only keep items for up to three weeks after the paper is printed.

# NEWS

is available from your local newsagent:- Bay Gift Shop, Harbour Shop, or Trelights Post Office.

Next issue: SATURDAY 26TH. JUNE. ALL MATERIAL TO BE SUBMITTED BY SATURDAY 19TH. JUNE.

News to Robin Perna, 9 Dolphin Street, Port Isaac. (In writing please)

Diary dates to Lis Fletcher, Port Isaac 573.

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## Letters

My wife and I have had connections with Port Isaac since 1941 when I was attached to the 'Wrennery' and my wife stayed with the Buttons at Tregaverne. From 1946 when I finished my service with the R.N. we have spent all our holiday time in the village. To us Port Isaac is our second home. We have more friends in this area than in our own home town. We like the quiet, peaceful serenity and the delightful views around the coast. To us there is no place to compare with Port Isaac and we have tried for a long time to settle here. Circumstances have prevented this but now we have only the two of us to consider we are hoping we will be successful. We feel that we are part of your community and join in any activity whilst we are here. Many of the 'locals' know us and we feel that we know them. Despite some people's opinion of the village, we would say that you do not realise how lucky you are to be situated in such heavenly surroundings. Even in the winter months Port Isaac has a rugged beauty of its own. May we wish you every success with your newsheet and may we dare to hope that one day we'll be one of you.

Mr. & Mrs. Law.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Franiel on the birth of a baby daughter on the 22nd. of April

## Old Drug Store Cafe

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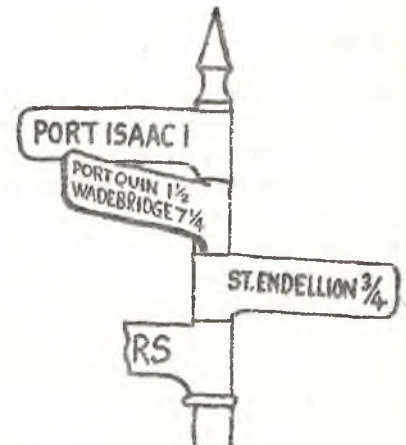
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Where is this signpost and what is missing from the broken 'finger'? Prize of £2 for first correct entry opened. Winner will be announced next month.

## LAST MONTH'S COMPETITION.

As only three entries have been received in our competition to find a short name for the newsletter, the £5 prize is being held until more ideas come in.



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1978 Peugeot 305  
£1995

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£595

1974 Morris 2200  
£250

## Wanted

Furnished accommodation, flat, cottage or bungalow, on permanent rental basis. Senior citizen couple. Contact Mr. Law, 1 Rydal Mount, Northampton. Phone 0604 406527

The Port Isaac Players need furniture as props. Also wallpaper. Any offers? Ring Port Isaac 489.

## For Sale

Canoe - fibre glass, single seat, touring, by Ottersport. Red/White. accessories. £70. Port Isaac 455

Cats milk 20p. Tregole, Trelights.

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# DIARY

BY LIS FLETCHER · TELEPHONE 573

W.I. Meetings, second Thursday in each month at 2.30pm. in the Village Hall.

Whist Drives are held on the 1st. and 3rd. Monday of the month at 71 Fore Street, in aid of Church Funds.

Playgroup for children 2 years old to school age, every Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday morning in the Church Rooms from 9.30am. till 11.30am.

Women's Fellowship coach trips every two weeks from June. Contact Mrs. Hooper, telephone Port Isaac 404.

Mother and Baby Club 1st. Tuesday of every month. Contact Mrs. Siân Fletcher, telephone Port Isaac 559.

## MAY

Sat. 22nd: Trelights

Methodist Chapel Anniversary. Concert in the Chapel by Mr. Glanville and Friends, 7.15pm. followed by a supper.

Sun. 23rd: Mr. Bobby Jewel from Porthleven will be preaching at both services at Trelights Chapel.

Mon. 24th: Port Isaac Wine Circle meeting in Village Hall at 8pm. All welcome. (It is planned to have future meetings each month details - Sylvia McCrohon)

Tues. 25th: Jumble Sale at Church Rooms, 12.30 - 3.30, in aid of East Cornwall Hospital (Bodmin) Appeal Fund.

31st. May - 5th. June: School 'Spring Bank Holiday Week'

## JUNE

Wed. 2nd: Garden Fete at Bodannon Farm, Trewetha, 2pm. - 5pm. in aid of St. Endellion Church Funds.

Fri. 4th: Coffee Morning at 2 Mayfield Road, in aid of Treliske Coronary Care Unit.

Mon. 7th: 10.30am. Coffee Morning at Mrs. Blake's, 5 Tintagel Terrace, in aid of Sunday School Funds.

Wed. 9th: R.N.L.I. Coffee Morning, 26 Silvershell Road, Port Isaac.

Thurs. 10th. ) Royal Cornwall  
Fri. 11th. ) Show, Wadebridge  
Sat. 12th. ) Showground.

Tues. 15th: Mini-Market in St. Endellion Church Hall 10am - 12 noon, in aid of Church Funds.

Wed. 16th: Port Isaac School Summer Sports Day.

Sat. 19th: Conservative Lunch at Valley Cottage, Port Gaverne, 12 noon.

Wed. 23rd: Prize Bingo at Church Rooms. Doors open 7.15, eyes down 7.45, in aid of Playgroup Funds.

## Chicken & Ham Pie

Enough for 6 - 8 persons.

4lb. chicken, 1 pint white stock,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. bacon or ham, 1 large onion, mushroom ketchup, 2 tblsp. flour, 2 tblsp. butter,  $\frac{1}{4}$  pint milk.

Boil chicken in stock until just tender and cool. Fry chopped bacon or ham and

sauté chopped onion until golden and sprinkle all these over the chicken, cut into large pieces and put in a pie dish. Make a plain white sauce with butter, flour, and milk, add 1 tblsp. ketchup and pour over chicken etc. Mix gently and let cool. Cover with pastry of your choice, make slits, brush with milk, and bake in a hot oven, 400 F till golden.

# Annual Public Meeting & Monthly Meeting - Parish Council

The Meeting in the Church Hall, Port Isaac, on May 5th. was well attended in spite of the very wet evening.

Cllr. Cunningham, Parish Council Chairman, presided, and guest speakers were: Cllr. Greenaway, Chairman, N.C.D.C.; County Cllr. Harvey Lander; and District Cllr. Bill Dawe.

Annual receipts: £2471.78  
Annual expenses: £1963.79  
Balance: £ 507.99

Mr. Cunningham thanked the volunteer hospital drivers; mentioned that the sewage works can be visited by arrangement with the Clerk; the problem of dogs running loose; refuse collection difficulties; and the need for sensible parking. £50,000 must be raised for our E.Cornwall Hospital in the next 2 years. Royal Wedding mugs had been given to every child in the Parish.

Cllr. Greenaway spoke about the sale of council houses, and how the rate increase had been kept to only 1½% due to 'good housekeeping'.

Cllr. Lander gave a detailed report of County Council finances; expressed anxiety at possible formation of a 'regional' Council; and was not satisfied with answers from C.E.G.B. on nuclear waste disposal at Luxulyan.

Cllr. Dawe said there were too many single persons in 3-bed council houses; toilets needed at Port Gaverne; and police must act to keep streets clear in case of a big fire disaster.

In answer to questions it was learned that purchasers of council houses can re-sell in 5 years making a good profit. A small van might visit the Platt on Saturdays to remove rubbish. Yellow lines asked for further up Church Hill. Protest at 'virulent' yellow of lines in an 'Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty'.

At the Monthly Meeting of the Council, Monday 10th. May, all officers were re-elected unopposed: Cllr. Cunningham, Chairman; Cllr. Cann, Vice-Chairman; Cllr. Townsend, representative to P.I. School Governors; Cllr. Dr. Barron, Treasurer; and Cllr. Bolton, Publicity.

A precept of £500 was raised to cover envisaged costs. Date of the Annual Audit was to be May 17th., 10.45am.

## Steps, Port Gaverne.

A tender for £220 received, but contractor not thought specialised enough for this kind of work.

## Footpath Trimming.

Details of split tender between contractor and mill-owner to be decided on site.

## Light, Church Hill.

Thought to be a matter for Highways Dept. as this is a classified road.

## Cliff Path Wall.

As County Council had not realised wall was to be on seaward side of path, whole process would have to start all over again.

## Playing Fields, Power Lines.

A site meeting to discuss diverting the overhead lines, to be held.

## E. Cornwall Hospital Appeal.

Designs for poster shown but felt that somebody could be asked to do them free as the Council should not spend ratepayers' money on this.

## Correspondence.

A request for a contribution towards curtains for the bell-tower at St. Endellion was refused. A seat by the phone box on Church Hill was not thought practical. Vandal-proof paint may be tried in the bus shelter. No reply from Highways Dept. about poor visibility on Trewetha and Coldstanton corners. A request for more trees in the Parish to be discussed at the next meeting - Monday, 14th. July, at 7.30pm. in the Church Rooms, Port Isaac.

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