

# TRIO

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A Community Newsletter for the residents of Port Isaac, Trelights and Port Caverne. Published by the Village Hall Committee and produced by voluntary effort. Revenue from advertising is used to offset the costs of duplicating.

## Editorial

During a holiday abroad earlier this year, there was an evening of Folk Music and Dance - not a tourist attraction, but an entertainment devised and performed by villagers for other villagers. There was a band, smaller than either of those that play on the Platt throughout the summer, but no less tuneful. Two young ladies, looking very attractive in national costume, stood quite still and put their voices rough all manner of acrobatics as they yodelled prettily. They were followed by a dance troupe of four girls and four young men who moved about the stage with such cheerful enthusiasm that it was a pleasure to watch them. The thought occurred that not many (not any) of Port Isaac's young men would join such a troupe. We British are, on the whole, lazy about our traditions - maybe because we have so many. But time was when at least our children led the Floral Dance. Visitors come from miles around to our weekly Coronary Carnival... they jig up the hill and down again with such obvious delight... and not a soul to show them how to do it properly. Could our children be persuaded to help keep a Cornish Tradition alive and well as other children used to do before them?

## Playgroup

Our open day raised £50, and the children enjoyed being visited by so many kind people.

If anyone has an old pair of scales or an old record player they could donate to the Playgroup, please contact Siân Fletcher.

The sub-editor apologises for typing 'risible' instead of 'visible' in last month's editorial.

## Local history

You may be interested to know that the County Local Studies Library at Redruth has asked for copies of 'Trio' for their archives.

## Village Hall

We have had the 'Band of Hope' crockery valued by auctioneers in Wadebridge. They have suggested a price of £10 per set of cup, saucer, and plate, and £10 for each jug, basin, and bread plate. These may be sold later on a basis of one item per household for local residents only, unless we hear of any reason why this should not be done. It seems to our committee that it would be better to raise funds for refurbishing the hall this way rather than risk more of the items getting broken than have done already. Details will be announced in the next edition of 'Trio'.

## For the record

The newsletter seems to be attracting a lot of attention. We had a very good write-up in the Cornish Guardian on May 20th., and the Cornwall Rural Communities Council have awarded us a grant to pay for the cost of producing one issue, they also wrote a very complimentary letter and asked us if they could use our paper as an example of how to produce a community newsletter. Many people have sent subscriptions so that they can receive 'Trio' by post, and we have opened a savings bank account in order to keep a fund to ensure the continued production of the paper, and so that from the interest we receive we can offer a small discount to regular advertisers.

## Advertising

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## Letters

Where has the cross gone  
which used to be on top  
of the stone at Long Cross?

Mrs. V. Richards

As far as I know there  
never was one - do any  
other readers know? ED.

Why can't we only have  
yellow lines where you  
can park? I think it  
spoil the look of the  
village.

Mrs. L. Thomas.

They are actually trying  
this system in East Looe. ED.

## Wanted

I would like to buy  
Sindy Doll clothes/equip-  
ment etc. Please leave  
your name and tel. no.  
c/o Sylvia, Harbour Shop.  
(Little ears may be  
listening at home!)

## Runaway

The new bench at the top  
of Rose Hill was demolished  
on Thursday 17th. June by  
a car whose hand-brake  
failed while it was parked.

## Parish Council

- report of June's meeting.

### Seats

One from Lower Trefreock  
turning to be replaced after  
repairs, one from Little  
Hill is by phone box,  
Church Hill, and another is  
to be put in its place.

### Village Hall Representative

Mr. Dawe re-elected. After  
remarks made by Mr. Dawe,  
asked by Council to ensure  
Hall is being run correctly.

### Litter Collection. The Platt

Possible for N.C.D.C. to  
send van up till noon on  
Saturdays. A notice may be  
put up to advise public.

### Steps, Port Gaverne

A tender from N.C.D.C. in  
the sum of £165.70, or a  
total of £471.90 for all  
repairs + rendering.  
Accepted unopposed.

### Footpath Trimming

Tenders accepted from  
Mr. Watson for paths in  
area round mill £30, and  
from Mr. J. Dawe for the  
rest £190.

### Street Light. Church Hill

Not Highways matter as lights  
in village are 'footway' ones.  
Quotation to be sought from  
SWEB, and Mr. Orchard to be  
asked if it could be put  
on his building.

### Seats, Port Gaverne

National Trust to be asked  
if Council might add one  
seat to the two benches  
already in their area.

### Minepit Corner

Weeds coming through tarmac,  
but contractor has not been  
paid for the work. Chairman  
will treat area with his own  
weedkiller.

### Trees for Village

Expert from Probus Advisory  
Centre to be invited to come  
and suggest types suitable  
for the local conditions.

### Road Improvements

Highways Dept. to be asked  
again about Trewetha and  
Coldstanton corners now  
that some money available.  
Also to clear weeds at  
Port Isaac Turn.

### Yellow Lines, Church Hill

Not needed as road too narrow.

### Stile, Port Gaverne Valley

Broken stile to be repaired  
by footpath trimming con-  
tractor and cost added to  
total.

### Correspondence

Permission given for use of  
Playing Fields for Carnival  
on July 17th.

A suggestion for a nameplate  
at Temple Bar turned down.

No action to be taken on  
another suggestion for an  
official information leaf-  
let for visitors.

£5 donation to be sent  
towards £1500 needed for  
Camelford ambulance heart  
monitor.

£204 raised by Daisy Hicks'  
jumble sale sent to East  
Cornwall Hospital.

Query raised whether cash  
should have been paid through  
Council accounts.

Noted that County Council is  
removing litter bins from  
lay-bys - people will take  
their rubbish home.

Next meeting at Treights  
Chapel Hall, Monday 12th.  
July, at 7.30pm.

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# Competitions

The competition for a name for this newsletter has been won by Mrs. G. Billing, Tintagel Terrace, and she wins the 5 prize. We received ten suggestions and would like to thank all those who wrote to us.

The winner of last month's picture competition was Mrs. S. Brown of Mayfield Road. She wins £2.00 for her entry 'The road from St. Endellion... first turning on the right after Pennant Farm. The missing words are Impracticable for Motors'.



Entries for this month's competition to Robin Penna, 9 Dolphin Street, Port Isaac. In an envelope marked 'Competition'. They will be opened on 17th. July and the first correct one opened will win £2 prize.

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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.

## JUNE

Tues. 29th: Women's Fellowship coach trip to Falmouth, leaves garage at 1pm.

Wed. 21st: R.N.L.I. barbecue at St. Kew.

W.I. exhibition of art and crafts, Church Rooms, starts at 10.30am.

Fun Fair at the School in the afternoon, run by the children.

Fri. 23rd: End of Summer Term.

Mon. 26th: R.N.L.I. lunch, Pilchards Corner, Port Gaverne

Tues. 27th: Women's Fellowship coach trip to Looe, leaves garage at 1pm.

Wed. 28th: Garden Party at 34 Tintagel Terrace, 2.30pm. in aid of Brownies.

R.N.L.I. Four-Legged Race.

## JULY

Sat. 10th: Dance with Dunheved Group, Church Rooms, 8pm. In aid of Playgroup/Home Farm Trust.

Sun. 11th: R.N.L.I. coffee morning, Penquite House, St. Kew.

Tues. 13th: Mini-market in St. Endellion Church Hall, 10am. to 12 noon, in aid of Church Funds.

Women's Fellowship trip to Cawsand leaves 1pm.

Wed. 14th: School Open Day.

Thurs. 15th: (till Sun. 18th.) Flower Festival at Roscarrock Methodist Church.

Fri. 16th: Conservative Assoc. Tea Party, Clematis Cottage, Trelights, 2.30pm.

Sat. 17th: Port Isaac Carnival in aid of Cancer Research.

## AUGUST

Sun. 8th: Lifeboat Larks, Port Isaac Beach.

Wed. 11th: R.N.L.I. coffee morning, Handsacre, Trelights.

Tues. 17th: Mini-market in St. Endellion Church Hall, 10am. to 12 noon, in aid of Church Funds.

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AND WE WILL MAKE AN APPOINTMENT TO VIEW, PURCHASE AND COLLECT.

## Camhayle

Camhayle Theatre Club are presenting Dylan Thomas's 'Under Milk Wood at Wadebridge Town Hall at 7.45pm. on Monday April 26, Tuesday April 27, and Wednesday April 28.

THE CORNISH LIBRARY  
First four titles now ready.

WADEBRIDGE BOOKSHOP

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## Youth Club

The Port Isaac Chamber of Commerce Shield, for pool, was won by Kevin Gadman.

The O'Brien Trophy, for darts, was won by Belinda Berman.

## Lunch

A most successful lunch was held at 1 Silvershell Road, Port Isaac, on Tuesday 6th. April.

Approximately 95 people attended and, together with donations, the sum of £317.00 was raised for the Mentally Handicapped.

Very grateful thanks to everyone who helped to make this record sum possible.

## Babyminder

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## P.I.P.

The Port Isaac Players will be performing three comedies on Mondays during the coming Summer Season: 'Cat on the Fiddle' in 3 acts, and 'Three Bags Full' and 'Mad Hatters in Mayfair' both 1 act plays. Full details will be announced in later editions.

## Recipe MACKEREL WITH HORSERADISH

For 4 people:

4 medium size mackerel,  
 $\frac{3}{4}$  pint milk, 1 bayleaf,  
6 peppercorns, 1oz. butter,  
1 onion peeled and finely  
chopped, 1oz. plain flour,  
2 level teaspoons horseradish  
cream, salt and pepper. Water-  
cress and tomatoes to garnish.

### METHOD

Clean and fillet mackerel. Lay in ovenproof dish, pour on milk, add bayleaf and peppercorns. Cover with foil and cook on centre shelf of oven at 375°F (gas mark 5) for 20 - 30 min. Carefully lift fish onto plate and keep warm while making sauce. Strain and keep the liquor. Melt butter in pan, add onion and fry slowly until soft but not brown. Remove from heat, stir in flour, and gradually blend in liquor. When smooth return to heat and bring to the boil stirring all the time. Stir in horseradish and seasoning to taste. Arrange fish back in dish, coat with sauce, and add garnish if required.

## Wine of the Month

The traditional wine for April is Dandelion and the flowers are supposed to be picked at midday on St. George's Day - nothing to do with Piskies or Witches' Brew - simply that it's best to pick them at this time of the month and when the sun is on them and all the little insects have come out of them! To measure the amount of flowers simply use a pint measure and fill it without pressing the flowers down.

### INGREDIENTS

6 pints dandelions, 3lbs sugar,  
2 lemons, 1 orange, 1lb.  
raisins, 1 cup strong tea or  
1 teaspoon grape tannin,  
yeast nutrient - a packet of  
wine yeast + water to make  
1 gallon of wine.

### METHOD

Pick the flowers off their stalks, put into a bucket and cover with 6 pints boiling water. Cover tightly and leave for 2 days, stirring twice daily. Now turn into a boiler add grated rind of the orange and lemons, pour in sugar, and boil for an hour. Return all to the bucket and add the juice and pulp of the orange and lemons (get rid of as much of the pith as you can as it can give a bitter taste to your wine), stir well and allow to get very cool. Add the tea, yeast nutrient, and yeast. Let it stay closely covered in a warm place for 3 days, stirring twice daily. Then strain into a demi-john. Put the raisins into a colander and pour boiling water over them. When cool add to the wine in the demi-john, fit it with an air-lock and leave until fermentation ceases. Rack when it clears. Wine made this month should be ready to drink at Christmas.

### PORT ISAAC WINE CIRCLE?

If you are interested in wine making, contact Mrs. Sylvia McCrohon at the Harbour Paper Shop.

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## Motor Cycling

Grass-track motor cyclist, Alan Chapman of Trelights, has been sponsored by Truro Battery who have presented him with a new cycle and a set of racing leathers.

## R.S.P.C.A.

A dog belonging to a North London couple on holiday in Port Isaac, had to be put to sleep after being severely injured in a fall from 'Overcliff' at Port Isaac. It has been suggested that a notice should be put up to warn visitors of the danger at this place.

If any animal is in need of help, ring: Inspector Locke, Leebetherick 2719 9 - 9.30am. Monday to Friday. At other times: Perranporth 3024

## Playgroup

Last month the Playgroup raised £172.00 from a jumble sale on March 20th., the Sun Dance at Port Gaverne Hotel on March 26th., and the sponsored walk on March 28th (all the children who entered completed their 5 laps of the playing field).

The result of these efforts will be 6 new tables. These tables will actually benefit all Church Room users. Mr. & Mrs. Cann have very kindly offered to sell hot dogs in the village during the summer for the same cause.

We would like to thank Mr. & Mrs. Ross and their staff for their hard work in holding the very successful Sun Dance.

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## CALENDAR

### REGULAR EVENTS

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### APRIL

Thurs. 22nd: Summer term starts, P.I.School.

Jumble Sale in aid of Liberal Party funds, Church Rooms, 2.00pm.

Fri. 23rd: Disco for Coffee Bar funds, Village Hall, 8.00pm. - 12.00

Tues 27th: Film 'Forests from the Dawn of Time' Women's Guild, Roscarrock Chapel.

Wed. 28th: Golden Circle Coach Trip to Trago Mills. (Seats - Mrs. Billing, tel. Port Isaac 592)

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### MAY

Tues. 4th: Women's Fellowship Mystery Coach Trip, leaves 9.30am. return about 7.30.

Wed. 5th: Annual Parish Public Meeting, Church Rooms 7.30pm.

Mon. 10th: Monthly Parish Council Meeting, Church Room, 7.30pm.

Fri. 14th: R.N.L.I. Art Exhibition closes, Port Gaverne Hotel.

Wed. 19th: R.N.L.I. Coffee Morning, Hathaway, Port I.

Sat. 22nd: Trelights Methodist Chapel Anniversary. Concert in Chapel by Mr. Glanville and Friends, 7.15pm. foll. by a supper.

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

### JUNE

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

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

### REMEMBER

Your 'Calendar' information to Lis Fletcher, telephone Port Isaac 573, before 2nd. Saturday in the month.

## Please Claim

In a haul to recover, among other things a radio stolen from Guy Hawken's car while parked in Newquay, the police recovered some items which have not yet been claimed.

## Wine of the Month

### PARSLEY WINE

This unlikely ingredient makes a superb little wine which is best drunk slightly sweet.

1lb. fresh parsley or 2oz. packet of dried parsley, 3lbs. sugar, 2 oranges, 2 lemons, 1teasp. grape tannin or 1 teacup strong tea, 1 teasp. Pectolase & Yeast Nutrient, 1 packet wine yeast, Water to 1 gall.

Thinly peel the fruit discarding all the pith. Boil parsley and rinds together for 20 min. in 6 pints water (dried parsley should be infused for 24 hrs. before boiling). Strain onto the sugar and stir well. When cool add juices from oranges and lemons plus rest of ingredients. Stir and cover, leave for 24 hrs. then pour into demi-john, fit with air lock. Allow to ferment till finished.

There is very little difference in the finished wine between the fresh or dried parsley.

### Share it

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### R.N.L.I.

At the R.N.L.I. Coffee Morning at Enid Andrews' 26 Dolphin Street on 19th. May, £30.00 was raised for the Institution.

### Anchor chain

Port Isaac Harbour Commissioners sent a cheque for £50 to Loughton Underwater Exploration Group for the anchor chain they brought into the harbour recently. The cheque has been returned with the request that the money should be used for the harbour facilities or the Inshore Life Boat.

### Walks

If you are interested in slow inland walks up the valleys and over the hills, I'd be glad to make up small parties - Robin Penna (292).

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## W.I. Exhibition

Any person wishing to exhibit at the W.I. Summer Exhibition should contact Pat Collins, Port Isaac 603. Children will be invited to make a collage, and older ones to write and illuminate a poem. Adults will have the choice of a Flower Arrangement, or Scotch Egg Salad, or a Short Crust Fruit Flan. All entries to be in by 10am. Entry fee 5p, one entry only per person.

## Next issue

SATURDAY 24TH. JULY.

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