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NEXT TRIO
Issue 179: Friday 7th. August.
Deadlines: 4.00pm. Wednesday. 29th. July.
Adverts: 4.00pm. Wednesday 22nd. please!

SORRY!

For those who are wondering about the alien wording in the middle of the 'Scope' letter last month, this should have been in the 'Village Hall' article. I Apologise for the 'Computer error'! If anyone would like to offer their services as proof reader, seriously, please ask me for details.

Robin.

ENDELLION FESTIVAL

The St. Endellion 40th. Festival of Music will start on Tuesday 28th. July and finish on Friday 7th. August. For details see posters.

POLZEATH SURGERY

We are going to be having a daily Polzeath Surgery, Monday to Friday, from 27th. July to 28th. August, 9.00am. to 9.30am. (Instead of every Tuesday from 9.30am. to 10.30am.)

Thankyou, Port Isaac Surgery.

The Quiet Corner

Give thanks for the alternating mercies of life - day and night, work and leisure, times of solitude and times of company, for joys that make us glad and sorrows that discipline us, for successes which inspire and failures which make us humble.

FRIENDS OF THE SCHOOL

The Friends of Port Isaac School would like to thank everyone who helped and participated in our Family Fun Sports Day on Sunday 14th. June. Despite recent weather, we were fortunate to have a dry day and it was thoroughly enjoyed by all. All your help and support, however small, was very much appreciated as these events cannot take place without you. £170 was raised for the School. Once again, thank you to you all.

Julie Guard.

VILLAGE HALL

The lock to the Village Hall door has been changed and access can only be obtained by collecting the key from the Pea Pod. It must be returned as soon as practicable after use. For obvious security and insurance reasons no one can be permitted to hold a personal key to the village hall in future.

JOHN EDWIN ARMSTRONG

John Armstrong of 66 Fore Street (Canadian Terrace), passed away peacefully at Derriford Hospital on May 23rd, aged 69. He had not enjoyed good health for some time. He will be sadly missed by his wife Catherine, family and friends.

John, originally from Buckinghamshire, spent most of his life in the print trade as a typographer. He specialised in foreign languages, in particular Arabic, travelling to many countries. The family have close connections with Port Isaac, finally buying a house here in 1987 where John enjoyed a relaxed way of life in this supportive, caring community.

The funeral was held at St. Peter's Church and the Glynn Valley Crematorium on Friday 29th. May. We extend our sympathy to Cathy and the rest of the family in their sad loss.

The Armstrong family would like to thank all the many who attended the funeral and those who sent messages of sympathy, cards and letters. Our special thanks to chosen bearers, David Dawson, Sam Littlechild, Jean Louis Luthier (son-in-law), and Alan Stokes. Also to the Revd. Judith Pollinger, Ian Honey, funeral director and Charlie Honey.

The collection in John's memory raised £360 for Cancer Research and £150 for the Air Ambulance.

Sylvia, Anne, and family would like to thank all those who kindly gave donations to the Laryngectomy Club, in lieu of flowers, in memory of Charlie Julian. The total amount was £410.97.

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WILD LIFE FILMS

We have received confirmation from the well known wild life photographer, Joe Philips, that he is able to accept our invitation for him to show and talk about his work and life as a film maker. He will present his latest elephant film commissioned by Discovery Channel World Wide, due to be screened for the first time in America in August. He will also be showing some of his other wild life films relating to monk seals, otters and the monkey sanctuary, 'Monkey World', who rescue and rehabilitate apes from all over the world. Joe has made many films for Virginia Mackenna's Born Free Foundation, the BBC, Into the Blue, and the Bellerive Foundation.

His presentations will be in support of the R.N.L.I. and Port Isaac School. With this in mind, we are planning a special afternoon presentation for the children, and a second in the evening for grown ups. The venue has yet to be fixed but watch this space and notices around the village, the date will be Friday 21st. August. This is a unique opportunity. If you are interested in reserving your place in advance, contact Sam or Denise at 'Secrets'. This is your chance to attend a world premiere.

Bob B.

POLICE LIAISON

There will be a Public Meeting at The Shire Hall, Mount Folly Square, Bodmin on Thursday 9th. July at 7.30pm. - a chance for all to discuss policing issues

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Regular Fixtures in Port Isaac:

BABY/TODDLER CLINIC: First Tuesday every month, 1.30-3.30pm. at the surgery.
 CHILD HEALTH CLINIC: 1.30-3.30pm. on first Wednesday in the month at the surgery.
 METHODIST CHURCH: 6.00pm. at Trelights chapel.
 LOCAL HISTORY STUDY GROUP: 7.30pm. on the first Friday in the month in the Penhaligon room.
 PLAYGROUP/UNDER 5's GROUP: Monday and Thursday 9.30-11.45am. at the village hall.
 PORT ISAAC CHORALE: Tuesday evenings at 8.00pm. (term times) at St. Endellion church hall.
 SUNDAY SCHOOL: St. Peter's church rooms, every Sunday at 9.50am.
 WELL WOMAN CLINIC: 3.00-4.00pm. Tuesdays at the surgery by appointment.

Trio thinks that some of the above information may be incorrect. Will those involved please supply up-to-date information.

Friday 3rd. July (today):

Trio issue no 178.

Nomination papers for the Parish Council election must be with the Returning Officer at Wadebridge by noon.

Sunday 5th. July:

Deanery Pilgrimage, Tintagel Church Lunch, followed by Evensong at 3.30pm.

Monday 13th. July:

7.30pm: St. Endellion Parish Council monthly meeting at the Church Rooms.

Tuesday 21st. July:

7.30pm: Whist Drive at St. Endellion Church Hall.

Wednesday 22nd. July:

4.00pm: Advertisement deadline for the August Trio.

Tuesday 28th. July:

St. Endellion 40th. Festival of Music begins.

Wednesday 29th. July:

4.00pm: Deadline for the August Trio.

Thursday 30th. July:

Possible Parish Council election.

2.00pm: R.N.L.I. Cream Teas, Trewetha Farm.

Thursday 6th. August:

Lifeboat Flag Day.

Friday 7th. August:

St. Endellion 40th. Festival of Music ends.

Tuesday 18th. August:

3.00pm: North Cornwall Conservative Association Cream Tea at 'Badgers', Trelights, by kind invitation of Mr. and Mrs. G. Kay.

7.30pm: Whist Drive at St. Endellion Church Hall.

Sunday 23rd. August:

1.00pm: Lifeboat Larks, Port Isaac beach.

Saturday 12th. September:

Live Music at the Pottery. Tickets available soon.

Tuesday 15th. September:

7.30pm: Whist Drive at St. Endellion Church Hall.

Friday 18th. September:

8.00pm: R.N.L.I. Harvest Festival and Auction, Cornish Arms, Pendoggett.

Saturday 19th. September:

Rock and Roll Extravaganza at the Village Hall. Details to follow.

Late September:

Date to be arranged. North Cornwall Conservative Association Coffee Morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pethick.

Tuesday 20th. October:

7.30pm: Whist Drive at St. Endellion Church Hall.

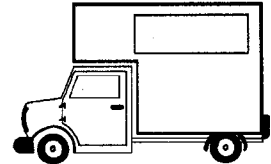
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Open Afternoon

On Friday 17th. July, starting at 1.30pm., there will be an Open Afternoon when parents, relatives and friends are invited to visit the school and see it, and the children, whilst they are working. We look forward to seeing as many members of the community as possible at this event.

Official Opening of the Library

Also on Friday 17th. July at 2.30pm., there will be the official opening of the Library which has recently been completed. This was funded mainly by a lottery grant and donations from the Friends of the School. We would be delighted to see as many people as possible to help us extend our sincere thanks to the Friends of the School for their enormous assistance and commitment to this project, without which it would have been extremely difficult to fund.

Adult Education Classes

As a result of the interest in Adult Education received from members of the community Bernice Kitching, who is the Adult Education Programme Development Officer, is currently organising courses in Christmas Flower arrangements and decorations and Hatha Yoga for the Autumn term. Full details will be in the adult education literature widely circulated through libraries and from Bernice Kitching at The Bungalow, Sir James Smith's Community School, Dark Lane, Camelford. We will publish full details ourselves as and when we get them.

Ofsted

The school is currently being inspected as part of the regular programme of inspections. A full update on all that has happened in and around the school during the 97/98 academic year will be in the July Trio report. Sorry to make you wait for this item.

Dates to Remember

Thursday 25th. June Class/Team Photographs. **Monday 29th. June** Staff Training Day, School closed for children. **Tuesday 7th. July** Sports Day (Wednesday 8th. July if rained off). **Thursday 9th. July** Inter School Sports at Delabole. **Monday 13th. July** Senior Trip to 'Flashpoint Safety Centre'. **Thursday 23rd. July** Leavers' Assembly. **Friday 24th. July** Last day of Summer Term. **Wednesday 2nd. September** Start of Autumn Term.

Birthdays

May - Lauren Dyer (8) & Ellen Rowe (7). June - Amanda Lanyon (11), Tom Brown (10), Liam Bidgway (6) & Jemima Powell (5).

PORT ISAAC FOOTBALL CLUB

Team News

The team had a really successful season with very good runs in both Duchy Cups, Divisional and League. We ended the season second in the League and are now promoted to the Second Division. I am sure you will all join me in saying 'Well done lads'.

Annual Dinner

The Annual Dinner Presentation Evening was held at The Old School and enjoyed by all. Thanks to Bryan Richards for all his usual expertise in organising the evening and to Mike Warner and his very capable staff for

their efforts. Many thanks also to Mick Guard, Mark Rowe, and Tracy Little for their work prior to and on the evening. The Disco was great, thanks to George Little and Dave Marshall. Mark Rowe thanked the following for their help during the season: Dougald Sproull Partners, Mike and Nikki (and all at the Golden Lion), Dennis Knight, Byron and Maggie Buse, all our new friends at Homer Park, and all who have helped us at fund raising events. Trophy Presentations were as follows :

Sportsman of the Year - Nick Evens (Beamer), Clubman of the Year - Keith Vernon, Managers Player of the Year - Tristan Woodward, Player's Player of the Year - Martin Thomas, Most improved Player of the Year - Matthew Eddy,

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Ray Berman.

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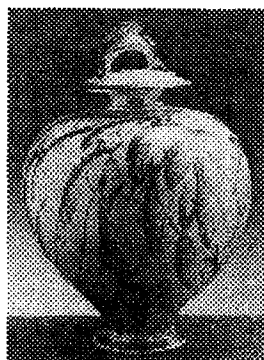
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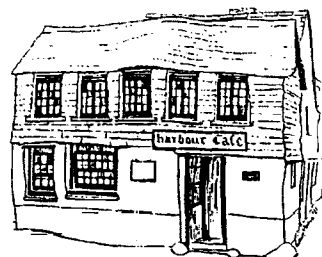
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LIFEBOAT NEWS

There are two services to report this month:

Slippery Slopes

On Thursday 28th. May, the Inshore Life Boat launched at 3.30pm. to go to Barra Nose, just north of Tintagel Head where four adults and an infant were reportedly trapped on a cliff; a dog was also with the people. Upon arrival, it was found that the 'infant' was a rather large 14-year old and all five had become stuck some way up a bank which had become very slippery due to rain which had wet the surface after the group had climbed down to go fishing. By now it was also too slippery and dangerous for any lifeboat crew to climb up to assist the group. The I.L.B. therefore stood by until a helicopter arrived and the people were winched up to safety. Meanwhile, the dog had climbed back up to the top of the cliff on its own.

Capsize

On Monday 22nd. June, we launched following a report that a person was seen clinging to an upturned boat or surfboard off Trebarwith. The I.L.B. picked up Mr. Charlie Rowe, a well-known professional fisherman of Port Isaac. His boat had been swamped by waves whilst he had been sorting out a tangle of lobster pots; the boat had quickly capsized but, fortunately, remained afloat and Mr. Rowe's waving had been observed from the shore. He was brought back to Port Isaac and his boat was later recovered by his brother Bruce and towed back to Port Isaac.

Lifeboat Service

The annual Lifeboat Service was held on the Platt at 12.15pm., when a large crowd gathered to hear the St. Breward

Band, and to join in the service conducted by Revd. Preb. Michael Bartlett, Honorary Chaplain to Port Isaac Lifeboat Station. Donations collected for service sheets came to approximately £150. Many thanks to all who attended. Our gratitude also goes to Mr. Micky Hunt and the band members, and to Revd. Bartlett. This happy occasion was blessed with fine, if slightly windy weather and the Platt looked suitably festive with flags and bunting. Our thanks go to the Commissioners of Port Isaac Harbour for the facility of the Platt, and to Mr. Byron Buse for his kind help over car parking for the band.

Ted Childs, Station Hon. Secretary.

PORT ISAAC R.N.L.I.

Coffee Morning

The Coffee Morning held on Saturday 2nd. May in the Lifeboat Station was well attended, in spite of the cold wind, and £157 was raised. Our thanks go to Barbara, Carol, Denise, Janice, Joan, Liz, and Sandie for being there. Thank you also to all those who contributed cakes, especially Joan whose cakes are quite amazing.

Underwater Evening

Our thanks also go to Bob and Sandie Bulgin who organised the very successful Underwater Evening held in the Lifeboat Station on Saturday 16th. May.

Lifeboat Service

The Lifeboat Service was held on the Platt on Sunday 21st. June and, once again, there was a good attendance by visitors and locals. Thank you to the Revd. Michael Bartlett for conducting the service and to the St. Breward Silver Band for their usual fine accompaniment to the hymn singing. Thank you also to the members of the crew who prepared the Platt for the service.

Nicky Thomas.

LIFEBOAT AGM

A brief summary of the Lifeboat Annual General Meeting held on the 14th. of May 1998.

Miss Annie Price opened the meeting and welcomed everyone present. Annie went on to report on the previous year and to thank everyone concerned for their support, and particularly, their fund raising efforts. In the absence of Cliff Gaunt, Annie also summarised the financial year.

Station Honorary Secretary, Mr. Ted Childs, then reported on operational matters. A most important change is that the Port Isaac Lifeboat is now an all year station as opposed to summer only. This not only provides greater cover but allows the crew to exercise throughout the winter.

Saturday 13th. of September 1997 saw the naming and dedication of the new Lifeboat. Members of the Royal Logistics Corps, who raised the funds for the boat, attended the ceremonies.

Ted thanked all the crew and officers involved with the Lifeboat and also Dr. Jim Lunny, Honorary Medical Advisor, for all his work.

Election of Officers

Election of Committee Officers took place with Annie Price (Chairman), Cliff Gaunt (Treasurer), and Carol Hambly (Secretary) all being reelected. Molly Farmer (Vice Chairman) stood down to be replaced by Bob Bulgin. I have taken over from Mary Taylor as Press Officer. Annie Price thanked Mary for all her previous work.

Guest of Honour

Ken Duxbury rounded off the evening with a talk about his time spent clearing mines after the war. Having survived this, Ken was involved with numerous exploits during his life, many involving Cornwall. We hope to invite him back to Port Isaac in the future to talk about some of these.

Ken also presented a Gold Badge to Andy Walton. Andy, who completed 200 services during his time with Port Isaac Boat, has just retired as a crew member after more than 20 years, many of them as senior Helmsman. He now plans to use his knowledge and experience to assist in the training of other crew members.

More Lifeboat news next Month.

Phil Tidey.

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