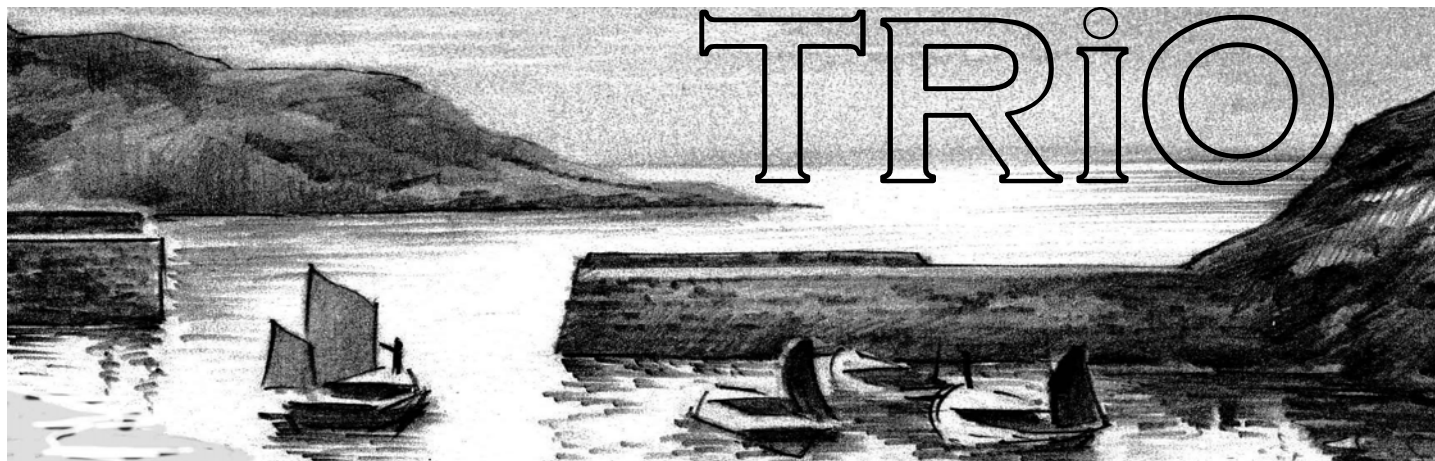


TRIO



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It's Roscarrock!

Her name, chosen by popular vote among the membership, *Roscarrock* was finally launched from Port Isaac on Wednesday April 20th. Peter Williams, who'd been interviewed by both Radio Cornwall and BBC Spotlight, was there, looking very happy. As were a few dozens others! It was fantastic to see so many local people down on the beach to support us!

After a short blessing from Father Michael, followed by an apt few words from Trevor Beare, crewed by our men's vets with Clare Jon on the helm, she slipped smoothly into the water to a huge cheer from the beach. The Fishermen's Friends, in true style, gave voice to the occasion, and the whole event was filmed for the closing of Spotlight that evening.

Roscarrock looks and feels spectacularly different, lightweight and varnished inside with cheeky red bottom boards, she's going to steal a few hearts in Scilly. But none more than mine!

A deep thank-you to Peter for his sheer hard work. It was all worth it. Thanks also to Father Michael and to the Fishermen's Friends - positively the icing on the cake.

Nicola



Roscarrock - ready for launching

celebrating 60 years
since the end of the War
the

Forties Night

dancing live music from sing
The Larrick Lads along
supper & bar Dress 40s style games &
& maybe win quizzes
a prize

Port Isaac Village Hall
Saturday May 7th 2005 7.30pm
Tickets £5, includes supper, available from Secrets
or reservations on 01208 880905



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all the usual news plus ...

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NEW THIS MONTH

Compost Corner
aka Manure Monthly!



Spot

MMeet **Spot**, the new member of the *Trio* team. She has not yet got her head round the term 'teamwork' and has spent her time trying to distract us from the production of this month's issue! Better luck next month!

To Sharon at Port Hair

Thank you for all your support and inspiring me to take courses in manicure, pedicure and nail enhancement. Thank you for offering me, after I had qualified, the use of your salon over Easter and giving me the opportunity to join the business so that we can offer a beautiful wedding package.

It has been a big success and I am carrying on with appointments. Thank you for all your help.

Angela

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Question & Answer session Refreshments



St Endellion Church

Flower Festival



Cradle of the Arts

Friday May 27th 11.30am – 9.00pm

Saturday May 28th 11.30am – 7.30pm
7.30pm – Organ Recital by Angeline Seymour

Sunday May 29th 12noon – 7.00pm
7.00pm – Songs of Praise

Monday May 30th 11.30am – 9.00pm
8.00pm – Raffle Draw

the festival will include

**Organ & Piano Music, Bellringing
Bring & Buy and Plants
Art Exhibition, Refreshments**



SALE OF HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

Now that I am on my own, I need to think about living somewhere smaller and must sell (or find homes for) many items, eg: brass twin-wick oil lamp with orange shade and spare chimney; brass candlesticks and small bell; cash box with key; cutlery, crockery, and glasses; electric kettle; Salter kitchen scale; 12in. globe with reference guide; personal file; illuminated Christmas tree and decorations; Matsui R403 battery/ mains radio with spare batteries and earphones; 'Fidelity' portable record player; and many others. They will be on display at 9 Dolphin Street until June 30th. Please drop in at any time to have a look but to make sure I am in, give me a ring first (01208) 880292.

Robin Penna

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Village Hall news ..

The Village Hall recently held its AGM and the existing committee were re-elected en-bloc. The Chairman's Report below outlines the past year and looks positively to the future:

"How time flies when you're having fun! Is it really 12 months since I became Chairman of the Village Hall committee? The time has gone so quickly and once again we have moved closer to our improvements target with the ladies toilet refurbishment nearing completion and the gents following close behind. All the work is being carried out by committee members giving their time and skills for free plus our little helper, Tomas Penny.

And whilst saying thank yous, I must say that it is a pleasure serving on this committee and that, out of all the committees I have been on, this is by far the best group of hard working volunteers I have been involved with. A big thank you to you all. Thank you also to the non-committee members who have helped with fundraising and to all the local businesses that have donated goods, sold tickets or put up posters for the Village Hall.

The Hall has been in constant use throughout the year by regular users including the Golden Circle, STEER, Port Isaac Chorale, Playgroup, Yoga, Local History Group and the Drekkly Theatre Company (panto). We've held a very successful Music Festival both in the Hall and around the village and our Grand Auction – the proceeds being donated to the Boscastle and the Crackington Haven Flood Appeals. Other major events included the Gig Club's very successful 'gigs', Port Isaac Chorale's Old Time Music Hall evening, the RNLI's Christmas Market, plus there was the never to be forgotten 'Elvis' night.

And it doesn't stop there. Tomorrow night starts the new fundraising year with Gordon Giltrap live in this Hall. We were very lucky to get him and I can report that it's going to be a sell-out!

Up and coming fundraising events include the Forties Night, Music Quiz, Safari Supper, Scavenger Hunt, Curry Night, Coffee Morning and tickets will be on sale soon for our Grand Cash Draw. Hopefully we will raise loads of cash to fund the ongoing improvements.

Which brings me on to the planning saga regarding the disabled access, toilets and new kitchen. As you may have read in last month's *Trio*, we have had a meeting with the planners and discussed alterations to our original drawing that will make it acceptable to NCDC Planning Department. It does appear that conservation is of greater importance than Health and Safety and Fire regulations. Putting that aside, the new plans are being drawn as we speak and will be re-submitted shortly. Subject to the new plans being accepted it is intended that work commence immediately and progress alongside fundraising. Here is a good time to thank everyone in the village who wrote letters of support for our planning application.

Sadly during my year in office Steve and Maggie Appleby left the committee for personal reasons and Chris Bolton underwent major heart surgery. The



good news is that he is recovering well and, I believe, coming home next week. Make a speedy recovery Chris as we have a lot of building work coming up shortly!

To end on a bright note, it has been a good year for fundraising for us. But we cannot afford to rest on our laurels, as we will incur major costs over the coming months.

Once again, thank you to you all and let's keep up the good work!

Ian Fuller
Village Hall Chairman

Financial update

Financially it's been another good year for Port Isaac Village Hall and we end with a very healthy balance of £9530. Income from Hall hire has again been good and the £2068 raised has easily covered our day-to-day expenses and maintenance costs. Profits from our fundraising totalled just over £3000 and we also received some very generous donations.

Fingers crossed that this forthcoming year is as good.

Dee Randell
Village Hall Treasurer

PORT ISAAC GARDEN SHOW

The date of this year's Garden Show is Saturday September 3rd, so please remember to put this day in your diary.

All the classes are the same as last year. The Port Isaac Best Tray and the Port Isaac Best Vase classes were very successful last year, and I hope we will have a few more entries now the rules are simpler and there are more items to choose from for display. As before prizewinners of Best Tray and Best Vase receive Trelawney Gift Vouchers. Entry forms will be available at the end of July.

Robin Elgar

Jack & Millie Couch

Congratulations to
Mum and Dad

on your

Diamond Wedding
Anniversary on
Sunday May 8th 2005

from

Gordon & Margaret



Local History Group goes from strength to strength

Since I last wrote, the History Group has had two interesting speakers to give talks. Alan Salisbury from Newton Abbott via Brixham, gave a talk about shipwrecks to an audience enhanced by members of the Gig Club. His talk was well researched and he stayed behind for a discussion over a bun or two and a cup of tea. This was a joint venture, and perhaps in our bid to get a larger audience, we should try the experiment with the gardening group?!

David Vaisey was our second speaker, and his illustrated talk was both informative and interesting (interest and information need not be mutually exclusive). He has been the Director of one of the top half-dozen libraries in the world and we were lucky to get him. There were three youngsters (under 16) and many had left 16 a long way behind! It was an example of his expertise that we were all enthralled.

The group does not have any more speakers until the autumn. It would give our committee a boost to see more in the audience. One person from the last audience said that had he seen the title ('Treasures of the Bodleian') in the *Radio Times* he would probably not have switched the TV on. He was glad he came. Why don't you try? You might even be surprised!!

On June 19th at Delabole Playing Field, together with the Gig Club, the RNLI, the Fishermen's Friends, Old Uncle Tom Copley and all, we are helping to

represent Port Isaac's heritage. The event is organised by the Camelford Rotary Club (Mike Calloway is the Chairman) and proceeds are for local charities.

We then expect to stage our own History Group Exhibition in St Peter's Church Room on the weekend of September 10th and 11th.

Forecasts of our demise as a Group at a Parish Council Meeting were a little premature, but we can always do with some voluntary help.

George Steer

PS - We may also be carrying on with our Guided Walks during the summer. We have had a number of people saying nice things about them - it helps to be appreciated!!

STEER AGM

We have just held our third Annual General Meeting and would like to highlight the progress made over the last year as written in our Chair's Annual Report. We are sad to say that Janet Townsend, who has been our Chair since STEER was formed, has decided to step down and we thank her for all her work over the last three years.

Chair's Report

We have now completed our third year of activity and I am pleased to report that we all feel that real progress has been made this year. Several projects, mentioned in my last report as our intentions, are well on their way to completion or have actually been finished. We needed to identify the needs and wishes of the community as a first step and from this has sprung most of the activities of STEER.

- 1 The Parish Plan questionnaire was completed and STEER members were very involved in the formulation of the questions in the survey and the delivery and collection of the completed forms. After the analysis of the results a list of the projects that we felt could be moved along by STEER was compiled and the resulting 'Wish List' has formed, to a degree, the basis of our activities.
- 2 We have had meetings with representatives of Western Power, NDC and Cornwall County Council regarding the undergrounding of cables for both Western Power and BT and the replacing of the streetlights. If we can raise the necessary funds, work could start in 2006-2007.
- 3 We have set aside £500 to be used for emergency cleaning of the beach during the summer period.
- 4 We have supported the Gateway project which is well underway. The seven signboards are due to be erected this summer and a leaflet promoting Port Isaac and the locality is also being produced. At the same time, a STEER notice board will be erected in the car park.
- 5 The STEER website (www.portisaac.org.uk) is now up and running. More information is in the process of being added and potential advertisers contacted.
- 6 Broadband will be available in the area by April. STEER has been instrumental in promoting and working towards its implementation here.
- 7 During the year the renovation of the Eastern breakwater was completed. The project was greatly helped along by STEER.
- 8 STEER has held meetings on various matters of concern in the village such as the demolition of Castle Rock Hotel and what will replace it and the pros and cons of filming in the village. Providing a forum

for debate can be regarded as fulfilling our functions as a body working towards economic regeneration in the area.

It remains for me to thank everyone who has worked so hard for STEER, in particular David Raynor as Vice Chairman and Malcolm Lee as Treasurer. We gave also greatly appreciated the help, support and the advice of the members of Regeneration North Cornwall, now dissolved.

This will be my last report as Chairman, though I would like to continue on STEER. I am sure the group will continue to be effective and look forward to the next year and continued success and achievement.

From Janet's report you can see we are involved in many projects to help the Parish. But, we desperately need extra help. Please come along to any of our meetings that are always open to everyone. We want not only your help but your ideas and your views.

For more information on STEER contact me, David Raynor, Chairman on 01208 880581.

**Two men walk into
a building ... you'd think
one of them would
have seen it!**

We had a great night at the Village Hall on Easter Saturday, with Jamie Hewett's new band "Fuzzy Logic". I sold 140 tickets, 90 of which were pre sales. We aren't quite sure of our profit for the night, as we have quite a lot of stock left, but think we cleared somewhere in the region of £800! A good boost to our funds at a time of great need.

We have this month had two generous donations, for which we give warm thanks. Moneys we shall put directly to the cost of the boat cover we have ordered for *Roscarrock*, from Ratbags in Scilly. We may be getting soft in our old age, but we have also ordered a complete set of cushions for the thwarts, which will be kept in the boat for the use of all. We're soon to take delivery of a second set of Sutton's oars, to be reserved for competition only. Along with our new trailer we'll be looking very snazzy for the new season!

Our men's vets team have been working hard training for the Vet's race in Scilly. It's the first race to be rowed on Friday April 29th, before the main events get underway. Rain or shine they have been out there at 10am every Sunday morning under the tutorship of Clare Jon, who is assigned their coxswain for the season. I gather that they row as hard as they can, just in order to get home sooner and out of earshot of her hectoring! Seriously, they have put in some fine work, and we all hope that with the benefit of the lovely light *Roscarrock* they'll do well.

Rock is borrowing *Unity* as they have two men's crews wanting to row - in fact as I write this she's on her way over. On her return she will also be loaned to the gestating Boscastle club (proposed name for



their boat "*Torrent*"!). *Corsair* will remain here for the use of our club, as both the other boats will have to wait in queue for the return home.

We've got both a Men's and Women's team to compete in the main event. Training for these has been a bit more haphazard, but no less enthusiastic! Let's hope the weather is kinder than it has been in the last couple of years, and they have some good racing. There will be no rowing week commencing Sunday May 1st, as we shall all be in Scilly, but will resume as of Tuesday May 9th as normal. Any queries re our programme, or enquiries re novice nights, call me on 01208 880834.

Nicola

St Endellion Parish

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Murray - 880861 * Raynor - 880581 * Watson - 880298

Contributions required:

Plymouth	£30*
Hayle	£30
Falmouth	£30
Truro	£24*
Redruth	£24
Newquay	£20
St Austell	£20
Bude	£20
Bodmin	£14
Wadebridge	£10

Please note:

1. This car service is for residents of St Endellion Parish only
2. You are requested to give a minimum of 48 hours notice when requesting transport
3. The service is for appointments only (not for those visiting patients)
4. It is for people who have no other transport
5. The charges are for the round trip and not half journeys if you are to stay in hospital
6. * Plus any car parking charges (in addition to contribution)

Complementary Therapy Centre requires Manager

A new business in Port Isaac is seeking a Manager to look after day-to-day treatment bookings and sales from small shop area.

Retail experience is essential.

Some knowledge of complementary health and computer skills would be an advantage, as would tact, diplomacy and the ability to work on own initiative.

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Arts Development Director

College Road Camelford PL32 9TL

or email sue@ncarts.org.uk

Closing date for applications

Wednesday 11 May 2005

Little Italy

A little piece of Italy landed at the Village Hall on April 9th, all in aid of Port Isaac's Golden Circle.

About eighty hungry 'customers' were warmly welcomed into 'Deeno & Potticelli's Trapportoria' (I wonder what one of those is?) to enjoy good company, great food, live music and cabaret – and it was there in abundance.

Deeno and Potti's team went to work with Liz and Marion 'meeting and greeting' and taking peoples coats (where they took 'em, nobody knows!), Manda, Lisa, Maggie and Chris welcoming everyone to their tables and Emma and Kirsten serving complimentary drinks. Once the pleasantries were done and dusted the 'gangsters' were sent in with Kim 'get the horse's head ready' Lanyon selling raffle tickets with menace and her sidekick, Daniel 'I'm no angel' Lanyon talking the men into 'buying a rose for the lady'. Oh, and a little note to Mark 'No Dosh' Rowe – when you hear the phrase 'buy a rose for the lady' it usually means you put your hand in your pocket, not "Lyn, pay for that will you". It somehow takes the romantic angle out of it (I've been waiting for that for the last two panto's, so thank you the person who told me!).

Celebrity Italians were out in force with appearances from Dennis Knight as the 'Cod Father' and Allan Chadband as "Mussellini". Every lady there bore a remarkable resemblance to Sophia Loren!

A leisurely dinner was enjoyed by everyone as they were entertained at their table by Magician and Mind Reader, Chris Jones. He amazed everyone with his close magic tricks and rumour has it that some of his 'victims' are still trying to get the plastic stick off their shirts and blouses.

Dining by candlelight



After dinner the cabaret began with Chris performing mind reading on Steve Dingle, Jeremy Brown and Alyson Lorimer – well, he did manage to find a mind in one of them and yes, it was the female one. He also selected Janet Townsend and Tracey Greenhalgh to the stage for another card trick.

Another trick was everybody interlocking their hands above their heads, the idea being that you couldn't or shouldn't be able to pull your fingers apart. Eventually, everybody managed to separate their hands apart from two people, Mary Reid and yes, it's that man again, Billy 'The Turtle' Hawkins. Watching Billy wrestling with his grip was as excruciating as seeing Mark Rowe trying to let go of a one pound coin, painful but very funny! Anyway, it was lucky they were not sitting next to each other because if



The waiting staff ready for action!

they were it might have resembled a scene from a Lucretia Borgia soir  e! Unfortunately time and space doesn't allow me to tell more about Tara's live on stage levitation, Lesley Grills winning £50 from the magician that she promptly donated to the Home Farm Trust charity, Jackie and Laurence's fashionably late arrival, and Jackie Dingle's table – well, what I could say about them!!

The Lard Man aka Chris Lanyon

And finally, well done to all the catering and waiting team who worked so hard to make it a fantastic evening.

Deeno and Potticelli

would like to thank everybody who made the Italian night such a success, either by coming along or helping and making the magnificent profit of £518 for the Golden Circle Summer outing

Special 'thank you's' must go to

As well as waiting on tables the following three ladies deserve a medal:

Lizzo for making the delicious Lizzo Arancio Frivolezza and for helping us transform the Village Hall into our Trattoria. So many people commented on how wonderful the Hall looked and we have to agree!

Maggio for preparing vast quantities of Maggio Vegetarian Lasagne,

Mariano who valiantly gave up her Sunday afternoon to help with the mountain of washing up and cleaning the Hall! A lesson here – if you leave the dirty pots till the next day they multiply overnight! Don't ask us why, it's just one of those unfathomable facts of life. Also, thinking about it in retrospect, if that magician had been able to do real magic he would have sorted all the clearing up before he left!

Then there was Roliosi and Lanio on the bar who, as long as we kept them supplied with food, kept serving the house wines – Vino Barberosa and Plonco Deeno.

Mary Vallender, who we asked to come along and play for a bit, and ended up tinkling the ivories nearly all night.

Janet Chadband who provided the beautiful floral decorations on the tables and gave us a chance to cook for her for a change!

And did Chrisso Lanyononi really take a night off just to come and be a waiter? Helpful tip for him – if you do ever give up the day job, there is a career opening here for you!

And last, but not least, the rest of the waiting staff – Lisaoli, Kimmio, Emmio, Mandio, Kirstenino and, proving we have no problems using 'child labour', our flower seller, Daniel – who could refuse him?

Thank you all!

Past times

May 1987

Champions Again

For the third year in succession, the school went to the Wadebridge & District Road Safety Quiz and retained the Cup. Congratulations to the winning team of Julia Williams, Bethney Albury, Katy James and Peter Talbot.

St Endellion Church

A jumble sale, organised by the Fundraising Committee and Ladies, at St Endellion on April 22nd raised £81 for Church funds.

RNLI

Shouts – The Lifeboat was launched on May 1st following reports of a red flare being sighted off Tintagel Head. After a two-hour search involving Padstow Lifeboat, two helicopters and the fishing boat 'Boy John', the casualty was found in his rubber dinghy off Gull Rock, Trebarwith. He was rescued and

brought ashore at Port Isaac where Dr Lunny, Station Medical Officer, examined him. He was suffering from hypothermia but was otherwise unhurt. The crew were Mike Daly, Neville Andrews and David Sumner.

Fundraising – The Art Exhibition at Port Gaverne Hotel was closed on May 15th by Coxswain John Dare of Plymouth Lifeboat. Surgeon Captain Baskerville, President of Port Isaac branch RNLI, announced that 79 paintings had been sold, resulting in a contribution of £1200 to RNLI funds. He thanked Mr & Mrs Ross, Mr & Mrs McNichol and all the artists and helpers.

A cheque for £100 for Port Isaac Lifeboat Crew Fund from the Port Isaac Lobster Pool Breakers, the local CB Radio Club, was received by Mark Provis at Lanarth Hotel.

A Wine and Cheese Evening at the St Kew Inn raised £255. Other events included a car boot sale and a coffee morning that raised £75.

What was the best thing before sliced bread?

May 1996

Peter Savage

A letter of thanks from Pete, on behalf of the Lewisham Group of the National Ankylosing Spondylitis Society, thanked Janet Chadband, the Port Isaac Chorale, Midge Ross and the staff at the Green Door, Fred Thompson, Mike Warner and the staff at the Old School Hotel, Reuben Berrill and Robin Penna. There was a special thank you for Sam and Dee for organising things and also to all the businesses and individuals who gave raffle prizes and who helped in any way. From a coffee morning, a quiz night and a musical evening, the sum of £537.50 was raised.

Answers to Gardening Quiz on page 8

1. Allium
2. Ladybird
3. Lime
4. Manure
5. Yucca
6. Hosta
7. Umbrella
8. Rose
9. Titchmarsh
10. Scarify
11. Muscari
12. Yew
13. Glasshouses
14. Annuals
15. Rhubarb
16. Dill
17. Earwigs
18. Nigella
19. Secateurs
20. Pea
21. Antirrhinum
22. Digging
23. Echinacae
24. Chicks
25. Alpines
26. Nitrogen
27. Hydroponics
28. Earthing
29. Aquatics
30. Leaching

**ALL MY HURTS
MY GARDEN SPADE
CAN HEAL**

Magical Managers 04/05

Division One

LW	POS	TEAM	MANAGER	PTS
1	1	BADA BING	Paul Honey	807
2	2	MAYBEES	Tom Bishop	805
3	3	GO ON BE A PIG	Chris Lanyon	789
4	4	D'OH	Jamie Hewett	780
5	5	TOM'S TEAM	Tom Lobb	780

Division Two

LW	POS	TEAM	MANAGER	PTS
1	1	COME ON LAMPARD	Rachel Grills	816
2	2	DREAM TEAM 2	Andrew Grills	794
3	3	SB MILAN	Scott Bennett	785
4	4	BOB'S BABES	Bob Irons	775
6	5	NO WAY JOSE	Mark Pattenden	759

Division Three

LW	POS	TEAM	MANAGER	PTS
1	1	NEVER ON TOP	Jon Poupard	800
2	2	TOMAS GOES TO FOOTY	Andy Penny	761
3	3	JUMPERS FOR GOALPOSTS	Steve Norton	726
8	4	TREACLES TARTS	Sara Hymas	721
5	5	WHAT'S UP	Neil Pooley	715

32 Games played - April 15th 2005

Update on the filming

Around May 21st the film crew for the next series of *Doc Martin* will arrive in the village. *Trio* has been finding out what is happening from Johnny Bamford, Location Manager for Buffalo Pictures.

Starting off on a positive note, the film company has already made generous donations to the Village Hall and to Friends of the Main.

Actual filming in Cornwall begins on May 23rd through to the third week in September but Buffalo Pictures are making every effort to keep the filming out of the village, particularly during the peak holiday periods. In addition there will be no night shooting so no-one's beauty sleep will be disturbed (at least by the filming!). The film company is conscious of the disruption it can cause and has tried to keep the storylines out of the village and also plans to film some of the street scenes at other locations. Some eight episodes are to be shot with the same cast apart from the doctor's receptionist who has apparently gone to Hollywood! With some exceptions it is going to be much the same crew as last time.

Victoria is again going to be in charge of casting and will be looking for extras so look out for posters around the village.

If you want to know more there will be a Public Meeting in the Village Hall on Wednesday May 4th at 7.30pm. It will be your chance to have your say and air any concerns you may have. You may also be interested to read the Code of Practice on page 17 that has been signed by the film company.

Hopefully, *Trio* will keep you up-to-date with what's going on throughout the summer.

In the meantime, if you want to contact Johnny Bamford his mobile number is 07770 915418.

Postmaster General, Jon Cleave will liaise between the village and film company and says, "If anyone has a problem and does not feel able to speak with a representative of Buffalo Pictures themselves, then I will be happy to do this on your behalf".

A THANK YOU FROM CHRIS

To all who asked about me, phoned, called round or sent cards during my recent absence from the village THANK YOU. It was really uplifting to hear via the family messages from Port Isaac and connected places.

My lengthy absence was due to three weeks of tests at the Royal Brompton Hospital, then a week waiting for the professor to return from the United States. During the fifth week I was given a new tissue (porcine) aortic valve (any references to curly tails or oinking will be severely dealt with!!!) Apparently this will last for fifteen to twenty years, we hope!

It seems I can drive after six weeks, resume coastguarding and waterskiing at three months, but unfortunately any building or refurbishment has to be put off indefinitely (Liz is appealing!!!).

After all those weeks in the Metropolis it is absolutely great to be home in Port Isaac.

Thank you all.



Chris



Compost Corner aka Manure Monthly!

A little ode to introduce two wild and wacky girls,
Who don't wear heels and frilly frocks,
hosiery or pearls,
Instead they've bright pink wellies and
a matching floppy hat,
The Rockery Chicks are gardeners and
proud to be just that!

We cannot be too serious - life's far too short, we know!
So laughing 'bout the day - we go to prune and weed and mow,
So don't expect us gals to work in quietness and calm,
We sing and laugh while working, but don't cause you alarm.

So can we tell you things to do outside this time of year?
Below, a list of garden jobs to crack now May is here,
It doesn't matter if you're not an Alan or a Percy,
All your plants, they WANT to grow, and they will show you mercy.

1. You get your tools and trim your hedges,
2. Now mow your lawn and trim the edges,
3. Prune, as yet untended, shrubs,
4. And keep an eye on harmful grubs,
5. Lift and divide perennials - clumpy,
6. Eradicate moles that make lawns lumpy,
7. Give your shrubs a lovely feed,
8. Get rid of every curs-ed weed,
9. Plant up some pots with colours bright,
10. Water your garden around twilight.

Do these things, show your garden love, and with some help from God above,
Your 'outdoors' will be lush and fab, time in't garden you'll be keen to grab,
But if you're lost 'bout what to do, the Rockery Chicks are here for you,
Wearing colours pink and black, we'll help you get your garden back!

Give us a ring if you think you need us, and enjoy that garden!
Now have a go at the quiz on the next page!

Liz & Jules, Rockery Chicks
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CONSTABULARY

Port Isaac & District

Port Isaac is a safe place to live so let us keep it that way through our Neighbourhood Watch network. The visitors and film-makers will be among us very soon so we need to remain vigilant and maintain our good name for safety and low crime.

Unfortunately, there were some silly incidents over the Easter holidays – plants were pulled out of garden tubs and eggs, tomatoes and stones thrown at windows. This involved the homes of both residents and second homeowners. This type of irresponsible behaviour does much to harm the good name of Port Isaac and with the coming of the lighter nights, let us hope that these incidents are not repeated.

We would like to thank the Parish Council for its kind donation to help with the purchase of street signs for the village. Many residents and second homeowners have also been very generous with donations and the interest shown has been very encouraging. PC Malcolm Taylor has been busy providing both window stickers and Data Link packs and these will be distributed by the area co-ordinators.

Some more new words to add to your Dictionary:

Decafalon (n.): The gruelling event of getting through the day consuming only things that are good for you.

Glibido (v): All talk and no action.

Dopeler effect (n): The tendency of stupid ideas to seem smarter when they come at you rapidly.

Arachnoleptic fit (n.): The frantic dance performed just after you've accidentally walked through a spider web.

Beelzebug (n.): Satan in the form of a mosquito that gets into your bedroom at three in the morning and cannot be cast out.

Tips of the Month

As summer looms it is time to get the windows open to allow the beautiful Cornish air into our homes. Do be careful to close and lock all windows when you go out and, at night, ensure that all accessible windows are closed and locked.

Ensure that there are no items lying around outside your property that could be used to gain entry. Lock them in the shed or garage. Ladders could be secured with chains and locks to prevent them being moved and used to reach open upstairs windows.

Don't leave car keys on view in the Hall.

Is your property security marked with your postcode and flat/house number? This is one of the best deterrents to theft as stolen property that is UV marked can easily be identified. Property marking kits can be obtained from all Cornish libraries. They can be borrowed, just like you borrow a book, and returned after use. If you are unable to visit the library discuss the matter with your area co-ordinator.

The next co-ordinators meeting is on Wednesday May 18th and if you want to raise any points, please contact your area co-ordinator.

Pat Pearson
01208 880969

Too tired to perform?

There comes a time in every cooks life – some more than others – when the thought of producing another culinary masterpiece becomes just too much. With this in mind, *Trio* has found a couple of easy recipes for 'starters' that, whilst not 'haute cuisine' will satisfy a few hungry diners – and remember, a starter is just to fill 'em up a bit so they don't eat so much main course!!



Avocado Dip (serves 4)

1 ripe avocado * 4oz cream cheese (ie Philadelphia)
4oz plain yoghurt * 1 finely chopped spring onion
2 tblsp mayonnaise * 2 tsp lemon juice * salt & pepper

Throw everything into the whizzer and whiz. Put in a nice dish, cover with clingfilm and put in fridge until ready to serve. Serve with dippy bits of your choice.

Easy Taramasalata (serves 4)

8oz cream cheese (ie Philadelphia) * 1 thick slice of smoked cod's roe
Crushed clove of garlic (less if you are not a garlic fan)
Lemon juice * salt & pepper

Mix everything together. Put in a nice dish, cover with clingfilm and put in fridge until ready to serve. Serve with crackers or toast or whatever takes your fancy.

On Location in Port Isaac

Film Makers Code of Practice

St Endellion Parish Council and the Community Film Liaison representative should be advised of any filming activity due to take place within the Port Isaac area.

- No filming activity should take place until permissions have been granted by all the relevant parties.
- The production company should ensure that all those affected by filming have been consulted and informed of arrangements.
- Wherever possible reasonable notice of intent to film should be given after initial location recce or, for productions with a short lead-in time, notice of at least one week should be given.
- As Port Isaac is a popular tourist destination production companies should, if possible, avoid filming during school holidays, half-terms or on Bank Holiday week-ends.
- Any filming undertaken and any liability therefore is the sole responsibility of the production company and its employees.

Permissions and Information

1. St Endellion Parish Council and the Community Film Liaison representative should be informed of all filming taking place on public property within their area and provided with details of the following:
 - The name of the production company, the type of production and a contact person and telephone number.
 - Dates and times of filming.
 - The scale of the production in terms of numbers of personnel and vehicles.
 - The removal, alteration and disguising of street furniture and carriageway markings.
 - The use of cranes, aircraft, cherrypickers, track, low-loaders, A frames and other potentially hazardous equipment in a public place.
 - The parking of production vehicles.
 - The use of special effects, rain or snow machines, wet downs and stunt work on public footways or carriageways.
 - Productions which depict subjects of a controversial nature.
 - Filming involving children and animals.
 - Adequate public liability insurance and other relevant insurances.
2. Local police should be informed of filming activity within their districts. In addition to advising the police of the points above, special guidance should be sought with the following:
 - The staging of crimes, accidents or use of firearms.
 - The dressing of artistes in police uniforms. It is an offence to impersonate a police officer and cast should be asked to cover such uniforms in between takes.
3. Emergency Services should be notified of filming activity and access for emergency vehicles should always be maintained during location filming. Where relevant the Emergency Services should be duly advised of:
 - Special effects, fires or explosions (Fire Brigade).
 - The impersonation of Fire Officers or use of pseudo fire tenders (Fire Brigade).
 - The impersonation of ambulance staff or use of pseudo ambulances (Ambulance Service).

4. Film makers should ensure that location owners are:
 - Kept fully informed of the intentions of the production company whether they are used for filming or not.
 - Given a reasonable site rental fee in accordance with the budget of the film.
 - Issued with a location contract which clearly states the terms agreed between themselves and the production company.
 - Given details of any art department requirements including dressing and construction.

Insurance

Proof of public liability insurance and any other relevant insurances should be made available on demand to anyone affected by the location filming activities of the production company.

Health & Safety

It is the responsibility of the production company to ensure that employees are in compliance with current Health & Safety regulations when filming on location.

- All locations should be assessed for risk and hazard. Where necessary a Health & Safety professional should be consulted.
- A person qualified in first aid should always be present during filming.

Respect for Residents and Members of the Public

Film makers on location are visitors and should be sensitive to the community in which they are working. Members of the public should be treated with courtesy and consideration at all times.

- All neighbouring residents and businesses affected by filming should be consulted in advance and subsequently notified by letter of filming arrangements in their area. Businesses whose trade is disrupted by filming should be adequately compensated by the production company.
- The main point of contact for the village should be the Community Film Liaison representative.
- As Port Isaac is a popular tourist destination, with many properties in the village being second or holiday homes, film makers should arrange for fliers giving details of filming to be distributed to all properties that are likely to be affected.
- Noise should be kept to a minimum, especially during unsociable hours (normally 10 pm to 8 am). Generators should be baffled or integral within the location vehicle.
- Crew members should keep access to homes and businesses clear at all times, unless otherwise negotiated with the individuals concerned.
- Any traffic management deemed necessary should be undertaken after proper consultation with the police.
- Lighting and other equipment should not cause a hazard to residents, businesses or the general public. Cables should be flown to a height of 2.6m above the footway and 5.2m above the carriageway or covered with matting when crossing pavements. Where appropriate warning cones and hazard tape should be used.
- No danger should be caused by the dazzle of lights.
- If filming activity blocks a footway, an alternative safe and supervised route for pedestrians should be provided.

Film Liaison: Jon Cleave at the Post Office

The following report is not based on approved minutes signed by the Parish Council.

Parish Council News

FIRE SAFETY

Mr Robert Taylor, Fire Safety Officer, reported to the Parish Council after concerns had been raised in regard to the fire in the lower part of the village over Christmas. He advised that a Fire Plan had been drawn up for the village several years ago and the fire on Boxing Day proved that this plan was suitable and worked. He also advised that due to the road system only smaller fire vehicles can get to the lower part of the village. These fire vehicles come from Delabole and Wadebridge and the equipment on them has been very much up-dated. He also advised that South West Water has assured him that the water supply in Port Isaac is adequate for any emergency.

FIRE SAFETY CHECKS

Mr Taylor advised that Home Fire Safety Checks are available to any household requesting them, free of charge. A Fire Safety Officer will visit the premises and recommend any improvements to home fire safety. In certain circumstances, usually for the really elderly or infirm, the Fire Service will install smoke alarms, etc. free of charge.

FILM MAKERS' CODE OF PRACTICE

Buffalo Pictures, the 'Doc Martin' production company, has agreed to the Film Makers' Code of Practice (the full version of this can be found on page 17).

FILMING IN PORT ISAAC

Buffalo Pictures have confirmed that they will be in North Cornwall for 'Doc Martin' between 23rd May and 19th September. Actual filming within Port Isaac is expected to be of a similar duration to last year with around 20 days over that period in several 3 or 4 day sessions, the rest being on location or on purpose built sets. The Parish Council was pleased that Buffalo Pictures have agreed to sign up to the Port Isaac Film Makers' Code of Practice, and they will use every endeavour to comply with it. The code was developed in association with South West Screen (the public agency for the promotion of filming in the South West) and takes into consideration the needs of villagers, local businesses and the production company. Such codes have been used in London and Bristol for several years.

Buffalo Pictures has recognised the impact on day visitor numbers, and on the increase in traffic, were they to use part of the public car park whilst filming in Port Isaac. Use of the Castle Rock site was considered but dropped as it would still impact on traffic. They approached the PC to use part of the playing field during Port Isaac shoots. This will be for Catering vans, make-up vans, and trailers on the hard standing of the car park area, with cars on the lower grassed area adjacent to the BMX track. As the hard standing area is not sufficient on its own, they have also asked to remove part of the picket fence to enable the skate board area to be used. During Port Isaac shoots, the vehicles will be parked all day and night, with a security man present overnight. The children's play area and the football pitch will still be available and a reserved space will be left for users of those areas. Buffalo Pictures would tape off the football pitch, cut the grass of the lower area, and make good any damage. A substantial donation towards playing field equipment would be made.

This request was considered by the PC. Concerns were expressed over noise and the loss of facilities in school holiday weeks. As this filming is only for 20 days, broken up into 3 - 4 day periods the noise would be kept to a minimum. Johnny Bamford confirmed that every endeavour would be taken to avoid school holiday weeks. Indeed, the first Port Isaac shoot was expected in the week prior to Spring Bank Holiday week for just that reason. The vice-chairman expected the donation to be added to existing allocated funds, with possible donations from 'Fisherman's Friends', in order that skate board equipment could, at last, be purchased very soon after filming had taken place. Some £10,000 should be available for this purpose. In the light of these considerations, the PC approved the request from Buffalo Pictures.

INFORMATION GATEWAY PROJECT

Part of the Information Gateway Project funding was to produce a publicity leaflet for the Port Isaac area. This would be in a similar style to a family of leaflets being produced for other North Cornwall villages, and 10,000 of our leaflet would be printed to go in local Tourist Information Centres. The draft was presented to the meeting, and was well received. It was felt that more mention of Port Gaverne should be made, and that boat trips were available. These comments would be incorporated in the final copy, expected to be available for Spring Bank Holiday.

NEXT MEETING

This has been arranged for Monday May 9th, in the Church Rooms, Port Isaac, at 7.30 pm.

Robin Elgar, Parish Councillor

PLANNING APPLICATIONS AND NOTICES

Application 2005/00570 - Listed Building Consent to replace rotten bathroom window frame and cill with identical one. Listed Building. Delegation Possible. Mr J & Mrs C Dawson, 13 Middle Street, Port Isaac. **The Parish Council is in support of this application.**

Application 2005/00548 - Renovations and erection of extension to redundant barn for use as a rehearsal/performance hall. Full Planning. Delegation Possible. The Endellion Festival Centre Ltd, Barn North East of, Pennant Farm House, St Endellion. **The Parish Council is in support of this application.** Cllr Robin Penna felt that this application needed more consideration.

Application 2005/00632 - Amended details for previously approved houses under Application 2003/01869 namely layout change to parking and turning space for three cars and alterations to entrance porches. Mr C Greenhalgh and Mr D Brewer, Land Adjacent to Shillingstones, Port Isaac. **The Parish Council is in support of this application.**

Application 2005/00630 - Erection of restaurant and associated car parking. Arrow Developments, The Castle Rock Hotel, Port Isaac. **The Parish Council is not in support of this application for the following reasons:-**

- 1) The proposed plan is outside the development boundary.

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It was good to see popular Port Isaac RNLI ex-crew member Greg Hingley back in the village last Saturday joining up with his old crew buddy Richard Hambly and able supporter Jamie Hunter at the LION for a Fun and Fund Raising Race Night combined in the later part of the evening with some cosmetic hot tips for the gentlemen.

This is a team second to none in efforts to raise funds for the RNLI and in doing so having some fun on the way, their track record goes back twelve years or more when Greg and Richard, again ably assisted by Jamie, attracted great press and radio coverage when they set off to cycle to every lifeboat station in Cornwall, their efforts at that time raised over £1000 and both Greg and his family have continued to keenly support in various ways ever since.

Greg's parents, Pat and Vic, were very involved with Port Isaac RNLI over the time they lived in the village, Vic holding the position of

Chairman of our Committee in the days before Annie took the helm and since moving away to run the Falcon Inn at Norwich have continued to dedicate their personal support to "saving lives at sea".

Greg is one of two brothers both of whom served as crew on the Port Isaac lifeboat. Paul, who is now in Australia, served for 12 years and Greg eight years until his studies took him away from the village to study law. Greg now practices as a solicitor in Bristol.

The well attended convivial evening at the Lion created a lot of interest and generous support both in bidding at the auction and taking a flutter. In fact some of the punters even made a penny or two! Sadly for myself it is a case of back to form book and better luck next time. Some stunning prizes were donated for auction and Greg and Richard, the crew and committee would like to say thank you to all who supported.

The final account for the evening enabled Greg to add £690 to his current RNLI fund raising efforts and he went on to run in the London Marathon last week, again dedicating sponsor money to the

RNLI. He completed the course in three hours five minutes, owing some of his speed to the hairless legs he now sports! This great effort now brings his current fund raising up to £2200 and at some point in the future Greg will be making a formal presentation of a cheque to the RNLI.

Details of our AGM will be in the next issue as currently press date for *Trio* is just before the meeting. New officers and account information will be announced then.

Bob B , Press Officer

MEN - PAY ATTENTION WOMEN - YOU'LL UNDERSTAND PERFECTLY...

BATHROOMS

A man has five items in his bathroom: a toothbrush, shaving cream, razor, a bar of soap, and a towel. The average number of items in the typical woman's bathroom is 337. A man would not be able to identify most of these items.

ARGUMENTS

A woman has the last word in any argument. Anything a man says after that is the beginning of a new argument.

CATS!

Women love cats. Men say they love cats, but when women aren't looking, men kick cats.

THE FUTURE

A woman worries about the future until she gets a husband. A man never worries about the future until he gets a wife.

SUCCESS

A successful man is one who makes more money than his wife can spend. A successful woman is one who can find such a man.

MARRIAGE

A woman marries a man expecting he will change, but he doesn't. A man marries a woman expecting that she won't change and she does.

NATURAL

Men wake up as good-looking as they went to bed. Women somehow deteriorate during the night.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Any married man should forget his mistakes. There's no use in two people remembering the same thing.

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- 2) It was felt that 19 car parking spaces is still totally inadequate for a restaurant proposed for 70 to 100 covers and would impose an increased burden on the Council car park which is often full all day.
- 3) The Parish Council is concerned about right of access over the front of the existing Council car park and also over the rough track in front of the proposed new Restaurant parking - would Arrow Developments have legal right of way over either of these?
- 4) The Parish Council is most concerned that this planning Application is not being considered in conjunction with the proposed housing development on The Castle Rock site.
- 5) It was also felt that a traffic impact assessment should be made on the track as it is currently used for emergency access for dwellings at the back.
- 6) The Parish Council also felt that the design was not in keeping with Port Isaac.

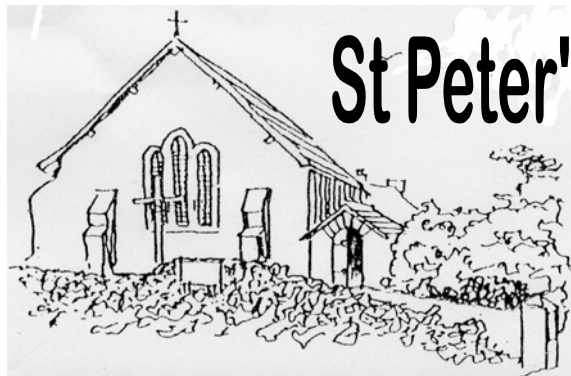
Application 2005/00674 - Erection of conservatory. Full Planning. Delegation Possible. Mr & Mrs Lanyon, 25 Hillson Close, Port Isaac.
The Parish Council is in support of this application.

Application 2005/00684 - Installation of a new flue from extract fan in ground floor kitchen. Full Planning. Delegation possible. Mr James Bishop, The Mote, Fore Street, Port Isaac. **The Parish Council is in support of this application.**

Application 2005/00685 - Listed Building Consent for the installation of a new flue from extract fan in ground floor kitchen. Listed Building. Delegation possible. Mr James Bishop, The Mote, Fore Street, Port Isaac.
The Parish Council is in support of this application.

Approvals/Refusals

Appeal Notice - Erection of restaurant and associated car parking. Arrow Developments, The Castle Rock Hotel, Port Isaac.



St Peter's Church AGM

St Peter's Church held its Annual General meeting in early April to elect officers for the coming year and to reflect on the past year. Margaret Cann and Bill Norris were re-elected as churchwardens, Tracey Greenhalgh was re-elected as secretary and Linda Collings was elected

treasurer. Clifford Gaunt had been treasurer for many years, but felt that the time had come for him to retire. The Rector in his report thanked Clifford for his invaluable work, which he had carried out with care and efficiency. He had seen the Church thorough periods of great difficulty, with the ever-increasing running costs and our obligation of paying money to the diocese.

The Rector thanked Janet Townsend for her great kindness in playing the organ for worship Sunday by Sunday. Francis Larkin was thanked for cleaning the church and for serving every Sunday. Francis was applauded not only for his good service, but for doing everything so willingly – and with a smile.

The Rector thanked Janet Chadband for keeping the Church linen in such wonderful pristine condition. Pat Gaunt was thanked for all she does as a Lay Pastoral Minister. Thanks were completed by the Rector when he thanked the curate, Revd Judith Pollinger, for all she does in the parish, benefice, deanery and diocese. He said that there could hardly be enough hours in the day for all she does for the Church.

In addition to the Church Officers, Janet Chadband, Pat Gaunt, Clifford Gaunt and Marion and Francis Larkin were elected to serve on the PCC for the coming year.

The Rector reflected on the year as having been very happy and successful. Although the usual congregation was small, at special services and during holiday times it grew considerably and everyone who came was made most welcome and always enjoyed the worship.

Father Michael

Do you, or someone you know, need a listening ear?

The Local Pastoral Ministers of St Endellion, Port Isaac and St Kew are available to visit the sick, the bereaved, the lonely and newcomers to the area.

**Telephone Katrina Gill
(co-ordinator) on
01208 850465**

Waiting for Spring: Port Isaac in February

Cold and dark the days are now;
it's freezing hard outside.
This time of year's no benison;
if you're allowed to hide.

The houses down below are empty,
the locals have moved up top.
Keep warm and dry; don't fret, write verse,
until the winter stops.

For spring is quite another matter;
the year's new blooms are heady.
Tourists soon back in fashion,
and the shops are almost ready.

The fishermen will be out at sea
and village life revived again.
This ancient port, so well preserved,
will properly come alive again.

*Graham Tayar
down below in Port Isaac, 26th February 2005*

Sharon Cann

*Margaret, Olwyn and family
would like to express their
sincere gratitude for the prayers,
letters and cards of sympathy
sent and to all those who attended
Sharon's funeral and gave
donations in lieu of flowers to
Cancer Research UK and St
Peter's Church.*

*Grateful thanks especially to
Dr J Lunny and the nurses at
Port Isaac surgery. Special
thanks to the Rev M Bartlett
for being so supportive and
conducting such a lovely service.*

Sue & Tris Woodward of Delabole would like to thank everyone in Port Isaac for their kindness and money. Tris enjoyed his first London Marathon and raised a lot of money for FLEET. There is still money coming in so no final total yet.

The Battle of Trafalgar - 2005 style

Nelson: "Order the signal, Hardy."

Hardy: "Aye, aye sir."

Nelson: "Hold on, that's not what I dictated to the signal officer. What's the meaning of this?"

Hardy: "Sorry sir?"

Nelson (reading aloud): "England expects every person to do his duty, regardless of race, gender, sexual orientation, religious persuasion or disability". "What gobbledygook is this?"

Hardy: "Admiralty policy, I'm afraid, sir. We're an equal opportunities employer now. We had the devil's own job getting 'England' past the censors, lest it be considered racist."

Nelson: "Gadzooks, Hardy. Hand me my pipe and tobacco."

Hardy: "Sorry sir. All naval vessels have been designated smoke-free working environments."

Nelson: "In that case, break open the rum ration. Let us splice the main brace to steel the men before battle."

Hardy: "The rum ration has been abolished, Admiral. Its part of the Government's policy on binge drinking."

Nelson: "Good heavens, Hardy. I suppose we'd better get on with it. Full speed ahead."

Hardy: "I think you'll find that there's a 4 knot speed limit in this stretch of water."

Nelson: "Damn it man! We are on the eve of the greatest sea battle in history. We must advance with all dispatch. Report from the crow's nest, please."

Hardy: "That won't be possible, sir."

Nelson: "What?"

Hardy: "Health and safety have closed the crow's nest, sir. No harness. And they said that rope ladder doesn't meet regulations. They won't let anyone up there until a proper scaffolding can be erected."

Nelson: "Then get me the ship's carpenter without delay, Hardy."

Hardy: "He's busy knocking up a wheelchair access to the fo'c'sle, Admiral."

Nelson: "Wheelchair access? I've never heard anything so absurd."

Hardy: "Health and safety again, sir. We have to provide a barrier-free environment for the differently abled."

Nelson: "Differently abled? I've only one arm and one eye and I refuse even to hear mention of the word. I didn't rise to the rank of admiral by playing the disability card."

Hardy: "Actually, sir, you did. The Royal Navy is under-represented in the areas of visual impairment and limb deficiency."

Nelson: "Whatever next? Give me full sail. The salt spray beckons."

Hardy: "A couple of problems there too, sir. Health and safety won't let the crew up the rigging without crash helmets. And they don't want anyone breathing in too much salt - haven't you seen the adverts?"

Nelson: "I've never heard such infamy. Break out the cannon and tell the men to stand by to engage the enemy."

Hardy: "The men are a bit worried about shooting at anyone, Admiral."

Nelson: "What? This is mutiny."

Hardy: "It's not that, sir. It's just that they're afraid of being charged with murder if they actually kill anyone. There's a couple of legal aid lawyers on board, watching everyone like hawks."

Nelson: "Then how are we to sink the Frenchies and the Spanish?"

Hardy: "Actually, sir, we're not."

Nelson: "We're not?"

Hardy: "No, sir. The Frenchies and the Spanish are our European partners now. According to the Common Fisheries Policy, we shouldn't even be in this stretch of water. We could get hit with a claim for compensation."

Nelson: "But you must hate a Frenchman as you hate the devil."

Hardy: "I wouldn't let the ship's diversity co-coordinator hear you saying that sir. You'll be up on disciplinary."

Nelson: "You must consider every man an enemy who speaks ill of your King."

Hardy: "Not any more, sir. We must be inclusive in this multicultural age. Now put on your Kevlar vest; it's the rules."

Nelson: "Don't tell me - health and safety. Whatever happened to rum, sodomy and the lash?"

Hardy: "As I explained, sir, rum is off the menu! And there's a ban on corporal punishment."

Nelson: "What about sodomy?"

Hardy: "I believe it's to be encouraged, sir."

Nelson: "In that case ...kiss me, Hardy."

HOW WE SAVED THEM A Lifeboat Ballad

"Look alive, men!" was the shout,
Scarce heard above the roar
of the thundering billows tumbling out
from the night up the grating shore.
"Look alive!" "Ay, ready!" and far
out, up from the foam, again
shot a rocket - a burning star,
Blood-red, through the blinding rain.
"Now, never a wilder night
have we launched us to sea, God
knows!

But the Goodwins sent up that light
Hurrah! to the storm she goes!"

"Bend to it, my mates! Pull all!
Drive her out through the racing foam!
We'll save those for help who call,
Before we again see home.
Steer coolly now, old mate, steer!
You hold their lives in your hand
Through all, we'll pull; never fear
But we'll get the poor souls to land.
Our boat is the queen of tight boats
How well to that sea she rose!
Nothing beats our beauty that floats
Hurrah! to the wreck she goes!"

"To leeward! I hear their cries
That shout, it came down the gust.
Steady all men! Ah, there she lies
Pull under he lee, we must.
Now, quick! Stand by with the coil!
Cool, cool, steady mate! Now throw!
They have it! The sea may boil,
But safe to the shore they go.
The children! The women first!
Wrap them aft! Thank God for those!
Now, in with the rest! The worst
is past. Off to shore she goes!"



schoolchat



Port Isaac School news and views

*This term the seniors and juniors are studying poetry in their Literacy lessons.
They have written their own poems about the planets or a recipe. We hope you enjoy them!*

If Venus was an animal,
It would be a big orange lion,
The king of the planets.
It would roar to the rising sun
The night would fall
And the lion's roar would fade in the distance
Sophie year 5

If Venus was an owl, with eyes so bright
The evening star, what a beautiful sight
With a temperature so hot
But still as small as a dot.
The owl would be gliding so swiftly, but not.
Victoria year 5

If the Moon was an animal
It would be a hyena going out at night
Feeding on clouds
Until the lion of the day wakes up
Daryl year 3

If the Sun was an animal
It would be a hyena feeding on the moon
Until the god of light wakes up
Daniel year 3

If Venus was an animal
It would be a big orange lion
The king of the planets
It would roar to the rise of the sun
The night would fall
And the lion's roar would fade
In the distance.
Daisy year 5

If Mercury was an insect
It would be an ant scuttering in the black grass of the
sky
Feeding on stars all day and all night
Until a meteor hits the stars so it darts to the next
star
Running across and eating the point.
Nathan year 4

If Venus was a ghostly animal it would be a bright
white horse
Charging through the deep dark sky
Eating the stars in their cars
Alice year 5

If Mercury was an animal
It would be a magic rat scuttering on its back
Sounding like a sack rotating in the wind
Until the rain cheetah, princess of the night
Wakes up and growls
Roxanne year 4

If Venus was a sea creature
It would be as quiet as an eel twirling
Through the calm sparkling sea
Twinkling like stars
Michael year 6

If Venus was an angler fish
It would feast upon the sun
Sneaking through the shadows
Hiding beneath the ocean of darkness
Its glowing rod leading the way
Rosie year 5

If the Sun was an animal
It would be a big eagle eating the clouds over the
earth.
Matthew year 2

If Venus was a mouse
It would be a sneaky mouse
Sneaking and creeping out in the gloomy night
Feeding on moonlight.
Ashley year 5

If Mercury was an animal
It would be a shiny fish
It would dart along the black sea of space
Orange but bright and scared of the yellow shark of
the night.
James year 4

If Venus was an animal it would be a tropical fish
Swimming in a tank of darkness
Stephen year 5

If the sun was an animal
It would be a lion the king of the planets
Eating the darkness to grab the moon and
rise with joy.

**turn to next page for
some more poems**

more poems from the pupils of Port Isaac School

Ronnie year 3

Recipe for a rugby match

Place the fans in their seats
Put the players on the pitch
Heat 1 rugby ball and season well with mud
Add 10 smashed teeth, 2 fouls and 3 fights and
leave til boiling point
Simmer for 80 minutes
Remove the fouler
Return to heat and add a nosebleed
Mix thoroughly
If the ball goes soggy and starts to stick together,
remove the pitch and drain
At the end of cooking divide into 9 portions
Serve with 5 goals
garnished liberally with smashed jaws.

Rion year 5

Recipe for a football match

Place 22 people in a stadium and heat slowly
Season well with a crowd, reserving some for
later
Heat to sweating point
Add a ball and a ref
Leave to simmer for 90 minutes with some
extra time
Remove players from fighting and leave to cool
Return to heat and score to taste
Mix thoroughly. If the pitch goes soggy remove
from stadium and drain
At the end of cooking divide into 22 portions
Serve with beer, garnished liberally with
lots of medals

Joe year 6

Recipe for a football match

Keep players in stadium to fry for 20 minutes
Add a fight
Mix in a penalty
Add the seats and stir roughly
Add a few red cards and mud
Season with a referee
Bring the pitch to boiling point and quickly serve
with sweat, blood and dirt.

Don't forget we are collecting Tesco computer vouchers for schools. Please pass on your vouchers to anyone in school or drop them in at the front door where there is a box waiting to be filled!

Mawgan year 4

Recipe for a rugby match

Place 18 players and duff ref on pitch with a
crowd on the sidelines
Fry slowly
Season well with mud (saving some for mud fight)
Heat to boiling point then add foul and smashed
teeth
Leave to simmer for 45 minutes
Remove players and leave to cool
Return to pitch after 5 minutes add forward passes
and a broken leg to taste
Whisk thoroughly
If crowd goes soggy and starts to sit down,
remove from sidelines and grind
At the end of cooking divide into 19 portions and
serve with lots of suds and a mud fight.

Jack year 5

Recipe for bath time

Place a child in the bath and heat slowly
Season well with soap, reserving some for later
Heat to hot point
Add bubbles
Leave to simmer for 5 minutes
Remove from hot water for 2 minutes and
leave to cool
Return to bath, add bubble bath to taste
Mix thoroughly, if the sponge goes soggy and starts
to stick together, remove from water and drain
At the end of bathing divide into 2 portions
Serve with shampoo garnished liberally with
bath bombs

Man of the Match

☆ Jack Greenhalgh, Year 5, plays
☆ rugby for a club and at the last
☆ game he was awarded the man of
☆ the match trophy for his efforts
☆ during the game. Jack gets to
☆ keep the trophy until the next
☆ match and he brought it into
☆ school to show everyone at our
☆ school meeting. Well done Jack!

A few words of wisdom from the SOG

So what does the 'S' stand for?

Well it might have seemed desperate last month but the inspiration was spot on. Yes, here within these modest pages, you are reading cutting edge journalism. The piece produced last month discussing the real meaning behind why we do so much DIY, can only have been the inspiration for two, yes two, articles in the Daily Mail. This is true, at least the part about two articles.

The Daily Mail on Monday 28th March ran a small article and a column discussing DIY and how it has taken over our lives and this was some days after I had submitted my copy to *Trio*! Ok, so they might not have concurred with the conspiracy theory but they were there. So from now on you know what the S stands for in SOG - that's right, Smug.

This of course naturally brings me on to this month's subject. As discerning readers, I know that you all realise what is happening on 5th May this year. No, I'm not going to reveal some cleverly contrived alternative, it is the General Election.

What are we to do? I remember the old days where you were voting for revolution, the establishment, or the others who used to be big but now were just quaint. You knew where you were, and where everybody else was, and the main parties kindly took it in turns to win; they may have taken one and a half terms sometimes but always ruined it enough for the other to get in the next time.

Now what have we got? After a longer term than any previous government the sitting tenants graciously gave way, hopefully returning to good old fashioned politics. But oh no, now we are facing almost the same length of time for the others to spend 'in the chair'.

How has this happened? The solution is easy - the revolutionaries grew up, got jobs, pairs of slippers and decided to get comfortable. The establish-

ment fell apart, became upwardly mobile, settled down and got some slippers. Now everybody looks and sounds the same.

This election has been full of campaigns, pushing, straining, desperately trying to find something different to say which might just cause a stir, but not wanting to upset, 'core voters'.

This has quite naturally resulted in voter apathy, what's the point of voting if they all sound the same.

I don't hold with that attitude. I believe that it is every citizen's duty to vote and they should exercise that duty with careful consideration. Who to vote for? Well that is down to you and your conscience. The *Trio* is apolitical and therefore would not publish an article, especially an anonymous article which encouraged people to vote a certain way. Just remember the electorate get the government they deserve, whether you vote or not.

Not so earth shattering this month, but I'm sure there is another conspiracy theory lurking in the background waiting for this writer's nose to sniff it out.

The SOG

How can a slim chance and a fat chance be the same, while a wise man and a wise guy are opposites?

Dear Trio

I wish to appeal to all those gardeners in Port Isaac (other than HMS/Gardening), who have made a habit of dumping their garden waste just inside the gate of our paddock!

I am very happy to burn it up for you on one of our visits (not sure our immediate neighbours enjoy it quite so much!?) but I would ask that **only** combustible wood material (not soil) is dumped on the bonfire.

With immediate effect, the gate will be padlocked. The key for this padlock may be obtained from either Annie Price (880386) or Julian Mellor (880287) and will be issued on their receipt of a £5 donation per visit to the RNLI.

Nigel Hadden-Paton
Harbour Heights, Rose Hill,
Port Isaac

Letters to Trio

Dear Trio

Please can you pass on our thanks to all those people involved in putting on the fabulous Italian meal last Saturday. We thought the whole evening was very good, and it was obvious that a lot of hard work had gone into the production of the meal for so many people, not to mention the cooking and washing up! It was also all the other creative touches - the labels for the wine and water, the piano player and the decorations, to list just a few.

As a past committee member of a village hall I know just what is involved in these events!

I hope that the village will put another such do on in the future, once people have forgotten just how much hard work and time is involved!

Our grateful thanks to all those involved.

Anne & Chris Tucker,
Exeter

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Annie P says thank you!

For once I actually enjoyed the evening! We were celebrating my departure as Chairman after 11 years. We kept the meeting short and this went down well with the huge number of people present – including most of the crew. I am sure they were expecting yet another long, boring account of the year's events and me banging on forever!

Joining us were Dave Nicol, our Fundraising Manager and Barry Wagstaff, South Division General Manager, who gave a brief report on the possible likelihood that just maybe things may improve in the Boathouse and Quad Shed to help the crew.

Much to my surprise, I was presented with a lovely RNLI Shield and a certificate by Dave and given a huge bouquet of flowers from the committee. For once, because I was actually very touched by such generosity and kindness, I was speechless! That's a first! This feeling of emotion was enhanced when the Coastguards arrived in full uniform with their other halves and presented me with more flowers. I now have a lovely photo with them and, of course, Winnie who was present throughout the evening, behaving beautifully in Sandie's arms – bless her!

Thank you to all the RNLI HQ, committee, crew, coastguards and so many friends for all your support, kindness and patience over the last 11 years and to Alan MacDonald for always being there with his camera.

May I add that I hope you will continue to support Bob as our new Chairman. I know he is the perfect man for the job. Thanks also to Carole for continuing as Secretary and to Pat Pearson who has rashly agreed to take over the role of Treasurer from Julian.

The meeting concluded with food and plenty of alcohol provided by the committee. A fitting end to a happy evening.

Thankyou.

Annie Price

If anyone would like to join our small and happy team do give me a ring. We'd love to welcome you. We do need some more help in our efforts to raise vital funds to save lives at sea.

Sounds familiar!!

An oldish couple go to see their doctor because they are both having problems remembering things. He tells them that they're physically okay, but they might want to start writing things down to help them remember.

Later that night while watching TV, the man gets up from his chair. His wife asks, "Where are you going?"

"To the kitchen", he replies.

"Will you get me a bowl of ice cream?"

"Of course I will."

"Don't you think you should write it down so you can remember it?" she asks.

"No, I can remember it."

"Well, I'd like some strawberries on top, too. You'd better write it down because you know you'll forget it."

"I can remember that! You want a bowl of ice cream with strawberries."

"I'd also like whipped cream. I'm certain you'll forget that, so you'd better write it down!" she replies.

Irritated, he says, "I don't need to write it down, I can remember it! Leave me alone! Ice cream with strawberries and whipped cream – I've got it, for goodness sake!" Then he grumbles into the kitchen.

After about 20 minutes the man returns from the kitchen and hands his wife a plate of bacon and eggs.

She stares at the plate for a moment and then asks him, "Where's my toast?"



Nothing can beat a bowl of new Cornish potatoes, boiled and tossed in butter, but if you fancy something a bit different to go with your summer menus here are a few different potato dishes. You can easily prepare and cook these in the kitchen whilst your man performs outside on the barbeque, convinced that all the accompaniments to his culinary prowess appear as if by magic! All serve four people.

Russian Potatoes

Boil four large potatoes in their skins until they are barely cooked. Let them cool a bit and then peel and cube them. Mix with 150gm cottage cheese, 1 tablespoon of plain yoghurt, 2 tablespoons chopped onion or spring onion and a crushed clove of garlic. Season and put in a buttered dish. Sprinkle with 75gm of grated cheddar cheese and bake for 30 minutes at 190°C, 375°F or gas mark 5.

Scottish Stovies

Soften two sliced onions in 3 tablespoons of oil in a large frying pan. Then add 675gm of peeled and sliced potatoes. Season well. Add about $\frac{1}{2}$ inch of water to the pan. Cover and cook for about 30 minutes, shaking occasionally, until the potatoes are tender.

Janssons Temptation (Swedish)

Chop 450gm of raw, peeled potatoes into matchsticks and arrange half in a buttered ovenproof dish. Soften 2 large sliced onions in oil or butter and spread over the potatoes. Cover with a tin of drained and chopped anchovy fillets. Season with pepper only. Cover with the remainder of the potatoes. Dot with butter. Pour over half a small carton of single cream. Bake at 220°C, 425°F or gas mark 7 for about 15 minutes until the top is golden brown. Pour over the rest of the carton of cream and continue cooking for about 30 minutes at 190°C, 375°F or gas mark 5 until the potatoes are tender. Sprinkle with chopped parsley and serve.

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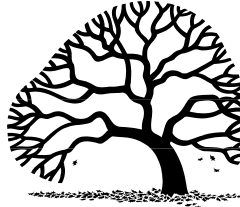
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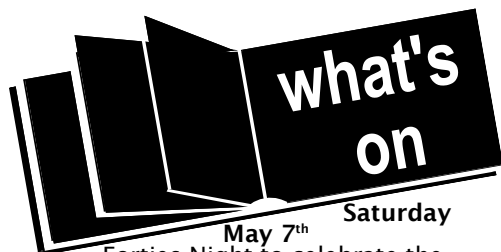
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May 7th Saturday
Forties Night to celebrate the anniversary of the end of the Second World War - Port Isaac Village Hall

Monday May 9th
'In the Bag' Recycling collection - have your bags out by 7.00am

PIGS Day at Trethorne

Tuesday May 17th
Whist Drive in St Endellion Church Hall - 7.30pm

Monday May 23rd
'In the Bag' Recycling collection - have your bags out by 7.00am

Friday May 27th - Monday May 30th
St Endellion Church Flower Festival

Saturday May 28th
RNLI Trafalgar Ball at Colquite

Thursday June 2nd
STEER meeting in the Village Hall

Monday June 6th
'In the Bag' Recycling collection - have your bags out by 7.00am

Thursday June 9th
Trigg Morris Men at the Port Gaverne Hotel - 9.00pm

Thursday June 9th - Saturday June 11th
Royal Cornwall Show, Wadebridge

Monday June 13th
PIGS Day at Roserrow

Monday June 20th
'In the Bag' Recycling collection - have your bags out by 7.00am

Tuesday June 21st
Whist Drive in St Endellion Church Hall - 7.30pm

Sunday June 26th
Port Isaac RNLI Annual Lifeboat Service on the Platt - 12.30pm

Monday July 4th
'In the Bag' Recycling collection - have your bags out by 7.00am

PIGS Day at Killiow

Monday July 18th
'In the Bag' Recycling collection - have your bags out by 7.00am

Tuesday July 19th
Whist Drive in St Endellion Church Hall - 7.30pm

Wednesday July 20th
St Peter's Church Summer Mini Market in the Church Rooms

Saturday July 30th
Port Isaac Village Hall Safari Supper

Monday August 1st
'In the Bag' Recycling collection - have your bags out by 7.00am

PIGS Day at Launceston

Thursday August 4th
STEER meeting in the Village Hall - 7.30pm

Sunday August 14th
Port Isaac Village Hall Scavenger Hunt

Monday August 15th
'In the Bag' Recycling collection - have your bags out by 7.00am

Tuesday August 16th
Whist Drive in St Endellion Church Hall - 7.30pm

Sunday August 21st
Port Isaac RNLI Funday including the launch of the Victory Challenge 2005

Saturday September 3rd
Port Isaac Garden Show in the Church Rooms

Sunday September 4th
St Peters Church Harvest Festival

Saturday & Sunday September 10th & 11th
Port Isaac Local History Group Exhibition in St Peter's Church Rooms

Saturday September 17th
Port Isaac Village Hall Curry Night

Thursday October 6th
STEER meeting in the Village Hall - 7.30pm

Monday October 10th
PIGS Day at Mullion

Wednesday October 12th
Port Isaac Village Hall Coffee Morning & Sale

Saturday November 19th
St Peter's Church Christmas Mini Market and lunch in the Church Rooms

Saturday December 10th

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REGULAR EVENTS

Port Isaac Playgroup - every Tuesday (not during school holidays) from 10.00am to 12 noon in the Village Hall.

Yoga - Mondays during term-time in the Village Hall from 10.30am-12noon. Thursdays during term-time in the School Hall from 7.30pm-9.00pm. Contact Tracey Greenhalgh on 01208 880215 or Adult Education on 01840 213511

Local History Group - The first Friday in the month in Port Isaac Village Hall. Contact George Steer on 01208 880754

Port Isaac Chorale - Every Tuesday from 7.30pm-9.30pm in Port Isaac Village Hall. Contact Janet Townsend on 01208 880505

Carn Awn Singers - Every Monday at 8.00pm in Trelights Chapel.

Golden Circle - The second Thursday in the month from October to April from 2.30pm - 4.00pm in Port Isaac Village Hall. Contact Penny Manders on 01208 880022

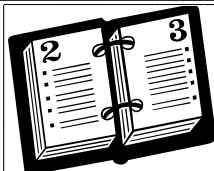
Learning Together - Every Monday during term time from 1.30pm - 3.15pm in Port Isaac Primary School. 3 and 4 year olds to come along with an adult

CHURCH SERVICES

St Peter's Church, Port Isaac - Sunday - Sung Eucharist at 10.00am
Every Wednesday - Said Eucharist at 10.00am

St Endellion Church - Every Sunday at 11.00am

Trelights Methodist Church - Sunday Service at 6.00pm
Fellowship Service - last Thursday in the month at 7.00pm



Want to find out what's happening in the Village?
Read your Trio and look on the Trio Diary page.
Remember to make sure that your event is included here!