

Our young people ... our tomorrow

Coffee Bar AGM

Helpers are still needed as 1 committee member plus a helper wanted each night. It was decided to hold the Coffee Bar on Friday evenings only now till more helpers available. It will be tried to run an outing like last year's to Adam and the Ants. A set of 'Disco Lights' is to be purchased, also a fan heater. Another video game may be bought if a grant is available. Chief Fire Officer to be consulted about a suitable fire extinguisher for the club. It is also hoped to repair the snooker table. It was regretted that no member of the church council had attended to discuss re-decorations, etc.

November 1982

Youth Group thanks

What a great year we have had, full of lovely trips and activities and finishing with a Christmas Trip to Eden with Ice Skating and a Christmas Meal.

We would like to say a BIG THANK YOU to every one who has supported us. We will be starting up again at the beginning of February with a whole host of exciting things to do.

We Wish You All a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!
The Port Isaac Youth Group
December 2007

BADEN POWELL TREFOIL AWARD

Congratulations Karyn Dingle on gaining the Baden Powell Trefoil Award. Thank you to everyone who has helped with information and testing during the ten months that Karyn has worked towards the Award. She worked hard to complete the work and present it for testing before the end of the term as, although she is at present working with St. Bernard Guides, she is still officially registered as a 1st. Port Isaac Guide. Sadly, unless a Guide guider can be found before the new term in September, she could be the first and last 1st. Port Isaac Guide to achieve this high award.

If you would like information on helping with Rainbows, Brownies, and Guides, please contact Dawn Refford (District Commissioner) on (0208) 863431.

JUNIOR DRAMA CLUB

Summer Holiday Project
Rehearsals will take place every Wednesday afternoon throughout the summer holidays at 2.30pm in the Village Hall for our show on Wednesday 30th. August at 7.00pm. (also in the Village Hall).

The one-act melodrama 'Sweeney Todd the Barber', which will be the major feature of the show, will already be cast by the time this Trio reaches you, but we still need performers for supporting acts (music, dance, comedy, drama and novelty items) and behind the scenes personnel to help with sound, lighting, stage management, costumes, make up, props, prompting, and, of course, front of house management. Anyone too young to vote is very welcome. No experience necessary! Only enthusiasm! Just come along Wednesday afternoon and join in.

Any queries please phone Kathie Carney on 880489, or Carole Lee on 880106.

Port Isaac Youth Drama Group

Kim Lanyon has offered to start running a Drama Group for people going to Secondary School and is planning on running it in our new Village Hall. There will be a meeting there on the 4th of June. They will be discussing who will help our running it.

We need as many parents and children to come as possible to ensure that there are enough people interested to make it worthwhile.

We need your support to make this take off.
June 2001

BROWNIES

A very successful Coffee Morning was held at the home of Mrs. Pru Savell, raising £83.45 for Brownie funds. The Brownies wish to thank all those who supported them, and many grateful thanks to Mrs. Savell, Di Benz, and Chrissie Coshall for all their hard work. The rapidly expanding Brownie Pack has enjoyed the past two terms, with five new recruits being enrolled by the District Commissioner, and several new members soon to take their 'promise'. They have been working hard, too, and have obtained 'Hostess', 'Agility', 'Toymaker', and 'Safety in the Home' badges as well as enjoying fun and games. Now the fine weather is on the way, they will enjoy outdoor activities with other Packs. We still have room for more Brownies: so if you are between 7 and 10, come along and join us on Tuesdays at 6pm, in the Methodist Sunday School Rooms.
Cindy Powell (Brown Owl).

COFFEE BAR

The Port Isaac Coffee Bar which opened in 1980 has proved to be a very successful and popular venture. The founder members of the committee do however feel that, as their children are soon to outgrow its need, that other parents might like to come forward to give the benefits to their young ones. Supervision is needed, and you would be called upon only two or three times during the winter months.

Anne Collins.

April 1985

Port Isaac Youth Group: just awesome!

Recently, the Youth Group has been doing a few different activities, all of which are awesome!

We are in the middle of making our own film about children's rights in the community. There are going to be four different 'rights' and they're all going into one film, made completely by us! On Saturday September 1st, a few of us got together and made a start on the film about the right to an identity and name. We made the short storyline up, completely by ourselves, and we were allowed to do all the filming and directing ourselves too! Hannah, the film maker, came with her equipment to do the filming with us and Matthew came, who was recording our ideas for a radio show. All of this will be going into an exhibition. We will be doing our next film session on Sunday September 9th and we will be meeting at the harbour and making some really massive faces out of bamboo and materials we find on the beach - "Big Art", as we like to call it! We will hopefully be able to hang these off the breakwaters for others to enjoy! This will also become part of the film.

We also went 'Coasteering!' It was sooooo good! We met at 10am on Sunday September 27th and made our way to Polzeath, where we collected our equipment from 'Cornish Coast Adventures'. We then went to Port Quin, got into our wetsuits and safety gear and started wading through the water. Jack and Simon, the instructors, took us to a nearby cave where they showed us what to do if we were about to fall off. We all had a go and it was very funny! Then we scrambled along the side of a cliff to get to where we were doing our first cliff jump. It was such fun! We kept swimming and scrambling to other jump points which were getting bigger and bigger! In the end, we jumped off a goodness knows how high cliff with a ledge underneath it! So we had to jump up and out! Soooooo totally awesome! Scary, but awesome!

Victoria Lewis
(Ed: Looking through some old Trios, I read that in March 1986 the Youth Group, with help from grant funds, started to make a film about their life in Port Isaac. Does anyone have a copy of that film? Maybe our Youth group would be interested in watching it?)
September 2007

Cubs bonfire

The Port Isaac Cub pack will be constructing a beacon bonfire for Millennium night. It is to be situated on top of Lobber Field, overlooking the village, and should thus be visible from most places in Port Isaac. We are very fortunate to have the kind permission of the farmer, Mr Robert Sloman, to site it there and would like to take this opportunity to thank him.

We thought it would be nice if every household in the village were able to contribute a little something to the bonfire - just a piece of kindling wood or even a screwed up newspaper would be fine. So later on we'll be coming around to collect from your home! Then it really will be our fire. More on this later.

Dean, Jenny, Wendy and Jon PS Nearer the time, anyone with a trailer or pick-up truck able to help

November 1999

WE WON THE CUP!

The 1st. Port Isaac Brownies took part in the North Cornwall District Brownie Sports Day at Camelford School on 2nd, July, and came home victorious after winning first place. The Trophy is now proudly displayed in Port Isaac School. Thank you Di and Chrissie for taking us. We have enjoyed an active Summer Term with church parade at St. Endellion, St. Peter's, and the Methodist Church, various badges being worked for and gained, and lots of outdoor activities.

On 12th. July we joined five other Brownie Packs for a Revel at St. Clether. They were all divided into four groups and had to use their imagination and initiative to build a camp and shelter, make grass skirts, hats, and shoes, then build and cook round a camp fire as well as getting thoroughly muddy and exhausted! They came home resplendent in their finery and war paint after a most enjoyable day. Many thanks to Gavin Bengel for the transport.

We end the year with a Royal Wedding Party and meet again in September. Don't forget, if you'd like to join us on Tuesdays at 6 o'clock and are between 7 and 11 years old, you will be very welcome. Cindy Powell.
July 1986

PORT ISAAC YOUTH GROUP

Due to unemployment and few activities in the winter months, a group of young adults between the ages of 17 and 25 has been formed. Meetings are held on Thursday nights at the Golden Lion at 8pm.

Various activities have been and are being organised. Initially the group has two main objectives - 1. To secure for the village a Community Bus through a grant from central government. 2. To produce a short video film about the problems that young people have in a rural area.

The group now has about 16 regular members. It is energetic and enthusiastic. Anyone between the age of 17 and 25 is welcome to come along on Thursdays to add their ideas and enjoy the activities.

Past Activities
November 1st: Fun Walk to Port Quin. November 2nd: Halloween Fancy Dress Disco at Homer Park. November 16th: Home Produce Stall at the Village Hall Christmas Fair. November 17th: Car Treasure Hunt organised by Big Ian and Andy Walton - our thanks for their co-operation and support. November 23rd. - 24th: Weekend Camp on the Chatterbus.

Future Events
December 14th. - 15th: Residential Weekend at Homer Park to begin work on the video. January 6th. Fun Walk - date to be fixed. February 15th: St. Valentine's Day Fancy Dress Disco at Homer Park.
Justine Rowe,
Port Isaac Youth Group.
November 1985

GIRL TALK ???

The 1st. Port Isaac Guides and 1st. Port Isaac Brownies were chosen to represent Camelford District at St. Petroc's, Bodmin, for the dedication of North Cornwall Division's Standard. The colour parties chosen on inspection by the District Commissioner were Guides: Miriam Bengel, Emma Hallam and Rebecca Cleave, Brownies: Jessica Powell, Samantha May, and Catherine Dingle. The service was attended by Bodmin and Launceston Mayors, the County Commissioner, and hundreds of Guides, Brownies and Rainbows.

At the December District Carol Service Jo Barnard was invested as a Young Leader with the Brownies and now voluntarily undertakes an arduous two year training course. The Brownies are delighted she has joined although as an ex Brownie herself it seems no time since she left! The Guides are finding her work invaluable. The Guides competed in the Balisto Shield, a biennial competition for the whole of Cornwall. In the District rounds they achieved a very creditable second place, losing by only one point, exceptional for a new Pack. All sections are undertaking the national Environmental Challenge '92 hoping that more knowledge of the Environment, and conservation, may help them, and all of us, in the future. The Rainbows and Brownies would love to cultivate the garden at the Village Hall as part of that Challenge but need help to prepare the ground. If anyone can spare time to dig it over, and supply top soil and cuttings they would be most grateful. Finally good news - the Brownies have a full Pack of 24, but bad news - there will have to be a waiting list until older girls go to Guides. Please enter your children's names as soon as possible. We are now also desperate for a Guider (or two). Let us know if you can help. We do have spaces for Guides and Rainbows just give us a call.

Cindy Powell: Brownies. Melanie Dingle: Guides. Linda Collings, Helen Cameron, Lil Thomas: Rainbows.
January 1992

Hello from the 1st Port Isaac Rainbows!

A big welcome to Faye, who joined us last week, to Port Isaac and to Rainbows. We hope you have the most wonderful time and make lots of new friends.

Art & Craft show success
Well done and congratulations to all our wonderful Rainbows for all their hard work towards the annual guiding and scouting Arts & Crafts Show. Thank you to all the parents and girls who came along and supported us on the day, it was great to see so many of you there. It was a fantastic turn out this year and our girls did rather well. Our group entry, a junk model pirate ship, got a highly commended award and we had the best time making it. In the craft section, for which we made some colourful clay parrots, Patsy received a commended award while Madison got a highly commended and our star of the show was Lilly who received first place and took home a trophy. Well done Lilly. Well done also Olivia who got a highly commended for her lovely pinless pressure chest and to Amelia who received a third place for hers. Well done to everyone, it's been a fun time.

Six Rainbows take their promise
We have got a really exciting end to our spring term this year. On March 30th we are having a special party where six girls will be taking their Rainbow Promise:

"I promise to always do my best, to love my god and to be kind and helpful"

Goodbye to our last original Rainbow!
1st Port Isaac Rainbows has now been going strong for two years and many girls have moved on to have fun Brownies. Our last original Rainbow, Emma, will be joining them after Easter. Emma has chosen a High School musical theme for her pot of gold party and is sharing it with the Promise Party. Emma also decided she would like to invite all the original Rainbows to join us. This just shows what a generous and lovely Rainbow Emma is and we will miss you loads. Good luck at Brownies and have fun!

Summer is on the way, hooray!!
Summer term is always great at Rainbows; we can get out in the fresh air more and have loads of fun. This year we will be visiting Trevaltham Farm, a beach or two, Carruan Farm, we will have our summer Olympics and will be singing at the Port Isaac Music Festival on Saturday May 23rd. Lots to do and lots of fun to be had.

For any information about the 1st Port Isaac Rainbows please contact Marie on 880977. Thankyou all for your support.
Magpie, Finch & Flamingo
April 2009

The notice in September's issue of Trio, reporting the disbanding of the Port Isaac Brownie Pack leads me to ask the question, "Why can't someone find the time to keep this organisation going to ensure that these youngsters don't lose interest? Furthermore, why the absence of youth organisations in the village?" Surely there must be a wealth of talent around to interest both boys and girls from 11 years of age and upward to form a Sea Scout unit and a Girls' Nautical Training Corps for example. With the sea on our doorstep, so to speak, surely someone could pass on their knowledge of seamanship in all its aspects. We have four excellent doctors here who I am sure could find some little time to lecture on first aid, etc. In addition, from personal experience, we have highly qualified nurses who could train the girls in Home Nursing, etc. Perhaps parents who have children of 11 years upward, having read this article, would ask them to voice their opinions on the subject through the columns of Trio. Perhaps the editor might give thought to a Junior Section? Finally, it would be a wonderful opportunity for such a unit to be attached to St. Peter's Church, to encourage youngsters to take a spiritual interest in life. With the coming of Reverend Hugh Fryer, himself an ex Navy man, we have someone who is keen to see more young people in the church.
R.P.L.
October 1984

SEA URCHINS

FIRST PORT ISAAC CUB SCOUTS
The pack is now running at 27 cubs and would welcome any boys or girls aged between 8 years and 11 years old to come and join us. We meet at the Village Hall every Tuesday evening between 6.30pm. and 8.00pm. Come along and have a great time!
Can anyone with unwanted camping equipment please contact Dean on 01208 880965 or Diane on 01208 880081 for collection. Thanks!
As you know your cub pack painted the bus shelter by the Church Rooms. Within 2 days of their hard work some persons thought it funny, to peel off the new paint, however we did not! As soon as we can arrange it we will put this mindless action right. If the said persons would like to turn up and help we would make them very welcome, BUT the idea is to put the paint on the walls, not to peel it off. Come and have a go. It is really easy.
Dean.
May 1997

BROWNIES

I would like to say many thanks to all businesses who kindly agreed to display clues for the Brownies' 'Treasure Hunt' held around the village on 15th. June. Thank you also to those who donated treasure for the event. A BIG 'thank you' must go to the Slipway Hotel, who not only looked after the 'Treasure' but also provided some much needed refreshment afterwards for the Brownies, and more especially for the adults. The Brownies thoroughly enjoyed themselves as did the adults, I think...
Once again, thank you
Lyn Prescott. Brown Owl.
June 1993

YOUTH CLUB

Ray Berman would like to start the Club once more. However, due to pressure of work he is unable to do so without extra helpers. If you can spare some time each week - both ladies and gentlemen - please contact him at 14 Mayfield Road.
January 1987

YOUTH GROUP NEWS

Up and Coming Activities for the Port Isaac Youth Group

Sunday 9th March - Horse Riding
Saturday or Sunday (Easter weekend) 22nd or 23rd March - Swimming
Sunday 6th April - Kayaking
Sunday 20th April - Abseiling
Sunday 4th May - Boating
Sunday 18th May - Cook up
Sunday 1st June - Point Balling
Sunday 15th June - Beach BBQ and Rounders
Sunday 29th June Day Trip to Scillies

If anyone would like to help with any of the trips please contact us. We are also in need of continued funds, as each trip costs an average of £150. so any support would be gratefully received.

The Youth Group is open to all young people in the Parish aged 11 to 16 (if you are starting Senior School in September 2008 you are also welcome). Please contact Yve or Robyn. We run a trip every other weekend.

We have recently had a 'Design a Hoodie' competition for the group. Our next step is to have the design made up on to hoodies so they can be worn on trips etc. If anyone/businesses would like to help with the costs of this we would be most grateful.
March 2008

CHATTERBUS YOUTH GROUP

To the people of Port Isaac - The Youth Group of Port Isaac have been informed of some complaints about the Chatterbus being parked up at the playing fields. We feel that this is not fair as this is the only place where we get to see all our friends as a group. It is only one evening a week and it gives us something to do and keeps us off the streets. It took us a long time to organise for the bus to come to Port Isaac and we really don't want to lose it. It has taken two years for us to find a base to meet, this still does not seem to please some members of our community. If you have a complaint or query about what goes on on the bus then you are invited to join us anytime on a Wednesday evening 7.30 - 9.30.
The 14+ Young People,
Port Isaac Youth Group.

CHATTERBUS

The Chatterbus is a mobile 'Project Resource Centre' for young people of the 14+ age group, and offers a range of facilities for youth work. It operates within a 30-mile radius, and is at Port Isaac playing fields, Wednesday evenings from 7.30pm. At the moment about 15 young people meet regularly. Members of the community are invited to become involved with the young people using the bus and the work taking place.

The Chatterbus Project Social education, lunch-time drop-ins, evening groups, and outreach community work with young people from school is done on the campus of Wadebridge, and Camelford Schools. Projects include residential work, and outdoor education at the coast and on Bodmin Moor. A weekend residential at a farm on the moor, which all the planning done by the young people, is proposed for the 19th. July.
Jill O'Connor,
(Area Youth Worker,
North Cornwall.)

[The Youth Club is no longer operating so the bus is the only place for young people to meet. Further to comments at the Parish Council meeting - the bus does have
July 1991

STOP PRESS

At the monthly meeting (see report overleaf), the Parish Council decided to hold an extraordinary meeting to explore the possibility of having the lean-to store adjacent to the market house - the site for the proposed new lifboat station - 'listed' as a Building of Special Architectural or Historical Importance, under Section 54 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1971. At the meeting, however, it was discovered that the words 'lean-to store on ground floor' had been overlooked in the schedule relating to the Market House. On checking with the Planning Department at Bodmin, it seemed that the building probably was 'listed' all the time!
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August 1991

YOUTH GROUP

Port Isaac now has a Youth Group for 14+ young people which meets every Wednesday evening in the Church Rooms at 7.30 pm. Admission is 50p.

This gives young people of the village an opportunity to meet regularly and to share ideas, and talk about relevant issues that affect their lives. Visits to local sports and leisure centres, and other youth groups in North Cornwall, are planned for once a month and hopefully residential weekends will be organised. If you are fourteen years + and live in or around Port Isaac, you are welcome to join us. If any more information is required please contact: Jill O'Connor - Youth Worker for North Cornwall on 01208 77768 (Bodmin Youth Office). Many thanks for the generosity of two local people who donated a Table Tennis table and a Snooker table.
Jill O'Connor
February 1996

YOUTH GROUP

Day Out
On Saturday 29th. June, the Port Isaac Youth Group had a lovely day out to Bude. We did abseiling and kayaking which we all enjoyed. It wouldn't have been possible to go without the help of Frank, and Webbers, letting us have the coach, and Jill O'Connor for organizing it.
Anne Hallett and Beverley Hewett.
August 1996

Youth Group update

We hope that our Beach Big Art was enjoyed. It was hanging below the old fish sellers for a few days after a Sunday of country.
Did anyone spot Johnny Depp, Madonna, Kate Moss, Paris Hilton, Harry Potter or Wil Smith in the village the other weekend? If not you can see them appearing in the Port Isaac's Youth Group's Fantastic film, coming soon!
October 2007

Teen Times

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April

Welcome!

This is the second page of Teen Times—enjoy!

Jokes

Have you heard about the two television aerials that got married?
The wedding was brilliant but the reception was awful!

Have you heard about the two cannibals who were eating a clown?
One said to the other one, 'Does this taste funny to you?'

Two men were arrested, one for drinking battery acid and one for eating fireworks.
The first was charged and second was let off!!!

How do you stop your dog digging up the garden?
Easy, take his shovel away!

A man took his dog to the vet because it had a dry nose. The vet picked up the dog and, after examining it carefully for some time, said to the man, 'I'm sorry but I've got to put this dog down'. The man was shocked and replied, 'Why, just because he's got a dry nose?' The vet said, 'No, because he's so heavy!!'

PC Game Review

This month we have played The Sims and thought it was a Game!

The game play, graphics, music and sounds were top class. The ample catalogue of furniture and gadgets is really what makes this game so playable and addictive.

The object of the game is to create a house in which the family that you have created can live. It reminded me of Big Brother. You keep watch over the family deciding what they do and when they do it. From going to the toilet to taking a swim in the Olympic sized swimming pool (which you have built) you dominate their lives. They have children, get married, have relationships with the same (or opposite) gender, phone a friend or even watch TV. The game is endless.

I am positive that if you buy this game you won't regret it. It's worth every penny. There is even an expansion pack to add to it.

www.thesims.co.uk
www.thesims.com
Available on PC and PS2 (I think?)

Chocolate Easter Nests

Here is a recipe for you to try for Easter

Large bar of chocolate
1 bag Cadbury's Mini Eggs
4-5 Shredded Wheat

Melt the chocolate in a saucepan. Then break up the Shredded Wheat and put it in the saucepan and mix together. Then get a handful of the mixture and form into the shape of a nest. Put on a cold plate and put 2-3 little eggs in the middle. Leave to cool in the fridge and munch.

Karen Grills and Tim Stratton produced this page
April 2001

Brownies

NEWS FROM THE PORT ISAAC BROWNIES

What a start to Brownies we have had. Since we began last September we have increased in size and, as of this month, we have 22 girls, which clearly shows that groups like Brownies are needed in our village. We are looking for more leaders to start Rainbow Guides for girls aged 5-7 years and a Guide Leader for girls between 11-15 years. If you want to get involved then give us a call - Jennie on 881038 or Claire on 880878.

We had our Annual District Carol Concert back in December and it was a fantastic evening. Many people told us that our girls were brilliant and that they 'did the village proud'. Thank you to all those who came to see our girls perform.

We then went on to our Promise Night on December 14th when all the girls took their Brownie Promise and became real Brownies. We would like to thank all the girls for doing a fantastic job of remembering their Promise - again they 'did us proud'.

Our Christmas Coffee morning in December was our first fundraising event and we are amazed how well it went. We had so many prizes that were kindly donated by local people and businesses. A BIG THANKYOU to everyone for their kind support and donations - we raised £169, which will go towards the Annual Brownie Census. The girls also finished off their Hostess Badge on the day and were awarded it at the end of year party.

What's new for 2006?
We have completed our first badge of the year - The Cooks Badge. We all went down to the Old School Hotel on a cold Wednesday night - many thanks to Louise for allowing all 20 girls to have full use of the kitchen where Jake taught us (Cuckoo & Wren) and the girls to make scones. They were lovely to eat. He took us through every step of making them and also showed and taught the girls about kitchen safety and hygiene. We also made fruit kebabs to show that we can make healthy snacks although I think the girls enjoyed eating the fruit more than the preparation! So we would like to say a big THANK YOU to Louise and to Jake for taking time out of his busy life to teach us valuable cooking skills. We all enjoyed the evening.

This term we are taking part in our first competition - The Halford Trophy. Our pack competes against other packs in the district with the winners going on to compete in the Divisional section. More details of this in next month's Trio.

Congratulations to our new Sixer, Alice Mudd and our new Seconders, Daisy Sproull and Roxanne Williams. Well done to you for showing us you can be helpful leaders.
Cuckoo & Wren

Happy Birthday to Holly Hamblly who is 7

We have five new Brownies.
Welcome to Louise, Holly Hamblly, Holly W-Mills, Freya Sproull and Asa Paddock.
We hope you enjoy your time as a Brownie.

February 2006

Brown Owl remembers ...

Dear Trio
My mother, Grace Hooper, was delighted to read in the May Trio that 'The Brownies are coming Back'. Grace introduced the Brownies to Port Isaac back in the 1970s. The bungalow was often full of busy girls preparing for their badges - sewing and making furniture for dolls' houses out of kitchen roll holders - or practising their singing for a concert. Least said, though, about the day when strawberries went missing from the tops of some newly made jam!!

Grace was forced to retire as Brown Owl when, at around 70 years old, she was deemed too far past the official retirement age!!

Grace is now 92 years old and is in a Nursing Home. She says 'Hello' to all who remember her.
Barbara McKeown
June 2005