

THE PARISH PUMP



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The Newsletter for the Parish of St Ives



OUTSTANDING !

Pensilva Pre-school - story on page 9

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Meetings of St Ive Parish Council

2nd Monday monthly: Parish Council Meeting, alternating between St Ive Village Hall and Millennium House (please refer to notice boards for the agenda showing start time and venue each month). Any changes to the regular dates (i.e. Bank Holidays etc.) will be publicised accordingly.

4th Tuesday Monthly: Parish Council Planning Committee Meeting, 7 pm at Millennium House Pensilva, followed by the Parish Council Finance & Administration Committee Meeting commencing at 7.30 in the same venue.

Date of Next Parish Council Meeting:

Monday December 14th at 7.30pm at Pensilva



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Police Community Officers can be contacted on 01579 325454 at any time

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THE MEL BAR

Come relax and wind down
after work

At the Mel Bar, Millennium House

HAPPY HOUR

From opening time till 7pm Weekdays

50p off all alcoholic drinks.



From the Editor

Very short of space this month so nothing from me except
HAPPY CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR! All the best - Joe

Millennium House Opening Hours

Reception

9am till 2.30pm

Monday to Friday

Cafe (Angie's Pantry)

9am till 5pm

Monday to Friday

10am till 4pm

Saturday

Bar

5pm till 11pm

Monday to Friday

12am till 11pm

Saturday and Sunday

If a member of staff is not available please leave a message in our **letter box** at the front of the building or on our answer phone by calling **01579 363096**.

Pensilva Post Office

Located through the Café on the 1st floor of Millennium House



Opening times:

Tuesday	-	9am to 1pm
Wednesday	-	9am to 12 noon
Friday	-	9am to 12 noon

From Cllr Steph McWilliam – December 2015

I was so pleased to be able to attend the remembrance events again this year. Various news reports suggest that attendance is increasing and I do get a sense that this is true of our part of the world. It is so important that we do remember all those who made the ultimate sacrifice for our freedom.

One or two people have been in touch about the multiple contacts they have had from electoral services. Please don't blame Cornwall Council. The new system was introduced by central government but it does appear to be very bureaucratic with a lot of duplication. Please persevere. We need to try and ensure everyone that is eligible to vote is on the register before future elections take place. A Housing Enquiry Form has to go out first and when you reply each individual named on it will receive their own form to fill in to register. It is easy to think you have already replied and ignore it but if you don't, you will trigger a cascade of action. Even if you do reply, you may still get a 'reminder'. I'm sure it will get easier but for this year, with a completely new register having to be compiled, it is causing a few problems.

A new Chief Executive should have been appointed by the time you read this. The original list has now been reduced to four and I'm pleased to say that whichever of these people is appointed, I feel confident they will commit to Cornwall and serve us well.

The Local Plan is moving along slowly, work requested by the Inspector is going well and we may have more control over planning decisions by the end of next year. Yes, there will be a small rise in the number of new houses to be built but overall we should be in a stronger position once it is in place.

I attended my first meeting at the new Bodmin offices, Chy Trevail, this month. I don't pretend to be an expert in assessing the value for money issue but it was certainly a much better environment than the old Camelford offices, where some planning meetings were held before the building was closed. Buildings don't last for ever and I can easily believe that the maintenance and heating costs of the old premises would have been very high.

There isn't as much discussion about the budget this year because last year we were asked to support a four year plan. Although there will be some changes, the expectation is that it will be broadly as agreed last year. There is some sense in this but we are still waiting to hear whether the government will cut funding for local government again and, if so, by how much. Nobody is expecting that funding will increase so all the tough decisions already made will stay and there is a real risk of even more pain to come. However, the people have spoken in the General Election in May so our job is to respect their decision and do the best we can to ensure that the most vulnerable are protected.

I would like to finish by wishing you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy, Healthy and Prosperous New Year.



The Latest from Your Parish Councillor - Martin Corney

Among other things, this month's Caradon Community Network Area Panel will be hearing Cornwall Council's plans for future library services. You probably know that because of budget cuts the mobile library service has already been cancelled for St Ive and reduced for Pensilva to monthly visits. Cornwall Council are limited by a ceiling of 2% on council tax

increases, unless they call a referendum, and who seriously thinks a majority would vote for increasing taxes? So when central government cut their funding, because of austerity measures, Cornwall Council have no option but to cut services. We have already seen Cornwall Council close some public toilets, and then to make it fair across the whole of Cornwall, pass all public toilets over to town and parish councils to maintain. They know that town and parish councils do not yet have a 2% ceiling on the increase to local taxation, so the precept you pay as part of your council tax is still totally under the control of the parish council. The obvious strategy for Cornwall Council is to try and pass as many services as possible over to your parish council. The only limitation Cornwall Council have is the services that the law compels them to provide, but even then there is wriggle room. The law says that Cornwall Council have to provide a library service, but it doesn't say what size. If Cornwall Council decided to close all libraries except for the one in Truro opening one day a week, it wouldn't necessarily be against the law. It might be against the law, and I'm sure cuts that severe would be challenged in court, but it could only be decided in court, there are no current legal standards. Our current local libraries are Callington, Upton Cross and Liskeard and I hope they are all retained. For those in Pensilva, Millennium House also has an informal book lending service where people in the community have donated books that anyone can borrow. I hope we don't have to fall back on this sort of self help provision for other services that Cornwall Council provide.

Don't forget the parish website st-ive-parishcouncil.gov.uk with council meeting agendas and minutes; also downloadable copies of the Parish Pump. For those of you who do Facebook, our St Ive Parish Council page is still being updated with parish news. Phone me, email me on martin.corney@btinternet.com or "martin corney blog st ive" in search engines will find my blogs for you to comment on this article and other gems.

CAN YOU OFFER A HELPING HAND?

We are looking for more volunteers to assist at the **Pensilva Memory Cafe**. You will meet and greet attenders helping to create a welcoming atmosphere. You will also help to serve tea and cake and support our users during the sessions. If you feel that you could offer 2 hours once a month please contact Carolyn or Jenny on 01579 362698/363458.

The Memory Cafe is held on the 4th Thursday every month at St. John's church, Pensilva.

Pensilva W.I November Report.

Jenny gave us a report of the recent County meeting held at Truro.

She said that the first speakers were very interesting to listen to and the main speaker, Adam Henson, came onto the stage in a farmyard setting. He said that this was a first for him. He talked about how his father had built up the farm and the many rare breeds of animals. This must have been hard for him because he had lost his father just a week before. But he is very proud to carry on his father's work. He also talked about his Television work as well, then he gave out various prizes and certificates to some of the members.

We then had a talk and demonstration of arranging flowers from Fiona Hammond. This was unusual in the fact that members were asked to bring foliage, flowers and containers for her to arrange. She had no knowledge of what was brought so did this without any planned arrangements. She managed in the time available to arrange five arrangements, which were eventually given out as raffle prizes. All the time that she was arranging these flowers she talked about various things that can be done with containers, foliage and flowers so we gained a lot of knowledge. The finished arrangements were beautiful and the lucky receivers were very pleased. It was quite different to any other flower arrangers we have had.

Our next meeting will be on 9th December when we will have a Bring and Share supper and music for dancing.

Knit and Natter is on Tuesday 24th November in St Johns church.

Patchwork is on 28th November at Jean's. Some members are going to Cowslip to make Reindeer! and have lunch. The Xmas lunch this year is at Whitsand Bay Hotel on Sunday 6th December.

The competition was won by Verna Dawe, which was a flower arrangement in an egg cup. 2nd was Jill Pascoe and 3rd was Sue Turpin. The flower competition was won by Dorothy Upton, 2nd was Mary Gilbert and 3rd was Jill Pascoe.

Supporting Guiding & Scouting Activities in Pensilva

200 CLUB Draw Results for October

1st No. 89 Mr I Lieper	2nd No. 60 Mrs P Hussyin	3rd No. 25 Mrs B Casban
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Thank you for your support

From Craig Vaughnley Chair of Governors – Pensilva School.
The Governors of Pensilva School, a 140 pupil school, and member of the Caradon Co-operative Educational Trust, are looking for a governor to join their Governing Body.



The role of a school governor, which is a voluntary position, is to contribute to the work of the governing body in ensuring high standards of achievement for all children and young people in the school by:

- Setting the school's vision, ethos and strategic direction;
- Holding the Headteacher to account for the educational performance of the school and its pupils and performance management of staff; and
- Overseeing the financial performance of the school and making sure its money is well spent.

Governors would like to strengthen the effectiveness of the Governing Body and are therefore inviting applications from any individual who would like to play an active part in monitoring the progress of the school and its pupils and increase links with the local community.

If you would like to make a positive contribution to the education pupils receive at our community school, please complete an application form which can be obtained from the Clerk to Governors (contact details below) or School Office.

Further information on the role of a governor is also available from them. The completed application form should be returned to the Clerk, Caroline Stone by email to carolinestone_mayfield@yahoo.co.uk or contact the Chair of Governors on 01579 364083 for any further information.

WANTED

Casual bar staff required at Millennium House
FOR

Events, holiday cover and more.....

If you are over 18 and interested in this position,
please contact Graham or Leesa on

01579 363096



COVER STORY

Pensilva Pre-School rated 'Outstanding' by Ofsted

Registered Charity 1026118

The staff and Committee are delighted to announce that Pensilva Pre-School was rated Outstanding by Ofsted at their recent inspection in October 2015. This is the second time in a row the pre-school has been awarded the highest possible rating, receiving an overall rating of Outstanding in all judgment areas.

Comments from the inspector's report include:

"The committee and the manager have an outstanding understanding of the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage. They work together as a highly committed team."

"The quality of teaching is inspirational."

"Children develop confidence because staff expertly encourage them to become independent."

Suzanne Kinsman, Acting Manager of Pensilva Pre-School, said 'We are so proud that we have maintained our Outstanding Pre-school. I would like to say a big thank you to the staff and committee for all of their hard work and dedication. We will work hard to continue to provide an outstanding Pre-school environment for our children.'

Pensilva Pre-School is a registered charity and is run by a Voluntary Management Committee. It registered in 1991 and is situated in the grounds of Pensilva Primary School. The pre-school is open Monday to Friday 9am until 3.15pm during term time.

A copy of the full report will be available on the Ofsted website or directly from the pre-school.

For further information, please contact Suzanne Kinsman at pensilvapreschool@hotmail.co.uk



Pensilva Tiny Tots Baby and Toddler Group has moved!

Pensilva Pre-School and Pensilva School have worked together to aid the continuation of the Pensilva Tiny Tots Baby and Toddler Group. As of Thursday 1st October 2015, the baby and toddler group will be operating from the pre-school room at Pensilva School (the Elliot block on the left as you go through the school gates, go towards the right hand door for the pre-school room).

Toddlers runs 9.15-11.15am on a Thursday morning during term time. There will be a couple of pre-school staff to facilitate the group but the general running of the session is down to parental/adult help, i.e. tidying toys away, snack, drinks for adults and washing up.

We are always pleased to welcome new parents and carers with their babies and toddlers. First session is free and a small weekly fee thereafter.

For further information on Pensilva Pre-School or the baby and toddler group, please call the pre-school on: 07890 023924

PC Helen Priestley, Neighbourhood Beat Manager

I would like to introduce myself as your new Neighbourhood Beat Manager (NBM) as a result of myself and Pc Garth Hatt swapping areas. I have been the NBM for Liskeard town centre for around 7 years and in the Police for a total for 15 years. I am really excited to be policing the villages and surrounding areas having been born and bred in Quethiock. I know the rural communities very well and many of the wonderful people living therein. I am also an Ordinand and currently training to be Ordained with the Church of England in 2018 so I have many hats!

I really look forward to meeting you as I cover the area and if I can be of any help please do not hesitate to contact me. Please do make sure you come and say hello if you see either myself or PCSO Bob Anslow out and about.

Pc 5558 Helen Priestley

Neighbourhood Beat Manager

Liskeard Rurals

Tel 01579 325454

Email: helen.priestley@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk

Two items that have emerged from the Liskeard Have Your Say Panel.

Article from Julie Downton, Commoners Council:

DO NOT FEED BODMIN MOOR PONIES

Animals continue to be killed and injured on Bodmin Moor as a result of road traffic accidents. In many areas members of the public have been leaving fruit and vegetables and other feed on the moor close to the road for ponies to eat. This draws the ponies to the roads, putting them at grave risk.

The Bodmin Moor Commons Council in conjunction with the Animal and Plant Health Agency are urging the public not to feed the ponies. The owners of the ponies are responsible for ensuring their animals are receiving enough feed. APHA carry out regular monitoring visits and work with the BMCC to ensure action is taken if problems are found.

Please do not feed the Bodmin Moor Ponies:

- Feeding on the roadside draws ponies onto the road and puts them at risk of death or serious injury.
- Eating unfamiliar feed such as fruit and vegetables can be harmful to the ponies and can cause painful death through colic or choking.
- If ponies become used to being fed they could bite, or other-wise injure humans if feed is not provided.
- It is an offence to incorrectly dispose of food waste and it carries a huge risk of introducing diseases such as Foot and Mouth to cattle and sheep on the moor.

If you have any concerns for ponies or other animals on the moor please contact: Bodmin Moor Commons Council - 07973468628

By law you must report a collision involving livestock. Please call Police on 101 or 999 in an emergency.

CORMAC are in the process of revisiting their current volunteer strategy, with an updated volunteer policy, new agreements, and a more proactive approach to managing our teams of fantastic volunteers. We are currently looking to identify suitable sites and projects for potential volunteers to be matched with and would welcome your help and local knowledge in compiling our list – we are unfortunately limited at present to sites which can be classified as “Cornwall Council Assets”, but if you have any suggestions or requests where a one-off, or regular visits from a volunteer team would be useful then please do get in touch.

Rebecca Dickson can be contacted at rdickson@cormacltd.co.uk with suggestions, which will all be gratefully received.

Please bear with us as we need to identify sites before recruiting for volunteers to fill the places – but we would hope that as our database of both sites and volunteers increases then the process and turn around times will be improved.

Many thanks for your help, Rebecca Dickson, CORMAC



SUPPORTING LOCAL ORGANIC GROWERS There are many community benefits to the wonderful support we receive from the village, which has helped us to grow a successful social enterprise. We are able to bring fresh organic fruit and vegetables to peoples' door at a competitive price and we are able to employ Lily, a local young person to pack and deliver the boxes.

This week I met with some other people who benefit from our success. They are Diane at Chapel Bank Organic Farm, Warleggan and Laura, at Tregillis Organic Farm, South Petherwin. They both wholesale their organic fruit and vegetables to us and we also buy potatoes from Jim Candy at Donderry. Laura, Di and I met to plan our crops for next year; to decide who's going to grow how much of what and to discuss whether we can increase our capacity to generate more produce. We know of course that Mother Nature will be laughing up her sleeve as we plan, but that's half the fun.

Because we are able to take as much produce as they can grow, Laura and Di have been able to expand their growing operations with confidence and that pleases me very much. Despite that, they are not able to grow all the produce that we need, so we still have the capacity to take much more local organic veg. If there's anybody out there who's growing more than they need and who can keep that going throughout the year; please get in touch to discuss.

OUR VEGETABLES To enjoy fabulous fresh local fruit and veg, delivered to your door, order your mixed veg box now. Prices are: £7.50 for 1 /2 people, £10 for 3/ 4 people, £15 family box and the very popular £5 fruit bag. Or drop by our veg stall which is refreshed with all sorts of seasonal delights every Thurs. Cash in the post-box on the gate please.

COMMUNITY COMPOST SCHEME We welcome your lawn clippings, used rabbit bedding, cuttings, etc at our compost bins by the gate. If you use weed-killer on your lawn, please dispose of your clippings through the Council scheme.

The Growing Project CIC is a Community Interest Company producing organic fruit and vegetables. We have opened the growing space at Kenwyn, Higher Rd to the community and welcome volunteers for all sorts of jobs. Contact Ruth Wilson 01579 363684/ 07853 244934 thegrowingproject@orangehome.co.uk www.thegrowingproject.org.uk

Millennium House Events Group – Dates for your Diary

Saturday 12th December – Polperro Fisherman's Choir

An evening of Christmas carols & songs (tickets available now)

Sunday 13th December – Children's Xmas Film

Fun afternoon 2pm – 4pm (please see advert)

Tuesday 15th December – “Crimbo Bingo”

7:30pm eyes down @ 8:00pm – fabulous prizes to be won

Thursday 31st December – New Year's Eve Party

Time to party and see in the New Year!!

2016

Friday 11th March – Black Friday Band

More details to follow.

All functions at Millennium House, Pensilva and organised by



For info call Karen on 01579 362196 or see the Millennium House Events Group page on Facebook

PENSILVA W.I SEW, KNIT AND NATTER

NO MEETING IN DECEMBER.

Next meeting on January 26th 2016

St Ive Church - December Events

Fri, 4th Dec. 7pm **Live Nativity**

Donkey, Lambs, Sheep, with Children dressed up to act out the Nativity Scene. Christmas starts here. Don't miss it.

9th-13th Dec 10am-4pm & 6pm-7pm

Christmas Tree Festival

Trees decorated by local organisations. Free refreshments.

Friday 18th Dec 7pm

Carols and Lessons by Candlelight

Come and hear the true Christmas story and join in the singing of favourite carols in the wonderful atmosphere created by candlelight.



FRIENDS OF PENSILVA HEALTH CENTRE CHRISTMAS TEA

**FRIDAY 4th DECEMBER 2015 at 2.30.p.m. at
MILLENNIUM HOUSE**

**New or Nearly New
(No videos please)**

Bring and Buy

Raffle

Cards

£2.50 Entry Including Food and Drink

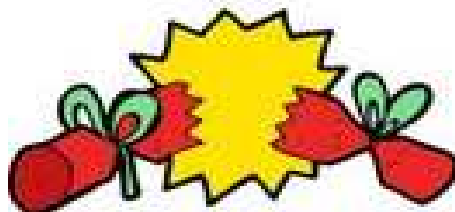


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ADVENTure this Christmas

Come and hear the Christmas story
It's a cracker!



December at St John's Church, Pensilva
Friday 11th to Sunday 13th

10.00am – 4.00pm Christmas Festival

Look-out for the Festival poster!

Sunday 13th 6.00pm Community Carol Concert

Thursday 17th 2.00pm Memory Friendly Carol Service

Sunday 20th 11.00am Carol Service

Thursday 24th 6.00pm Christingle Service

Friday 25th 10.30am Christmas Day Family Worship

New Year at St John's

Christianity
EXPLORED

One life. What's it all about?

7 weekly meetings on Friday mornings -
giving you time to think about the big
questions of life. Look out for the posters.
Full details in the January *Parish Pump*.

Hope
you find
Jesus
too!



Children's Christmas party - Information and booking form.



Children's Christmas Party

Date: 13th December

Time: 2pm till 4pm

Children's Christmas Party

Film Show and visit from Father Christmas.

Contact: Karen. 01579 362196

E-mail: allin1@mypostoffice.co.uk

At Millennium House, Pensilva, PL14 5NF
Organised by Millennium House Events Group
on behalf of St. Ive Parish Council.



Terms and Conditions:

All children aged between 3 and 11 that are residents of St Ive Parish are invited to a Christmas Party which includes a Film Show and a visit from Father Christmas.

Children aged 5 and under must be accompanied by a parent/guardian at all times.

Children between 6 and 8 must have an parent/guardian on the premises at all times.

Please complete the Booking Form below and return it to Millennium House by Thursday 10th December

Booking Form for Children's Christmas Party

Name Child 1:..... Date of Birth:.....


Name Child 2:..... Date of Birth:.....

Name Child 3:..... Date of Birth:.....

Parent/Guardians Name

Address:

Contact Number:..... Email:.....



Polperro Fishermen's Choir

Christmas concert on
Saturday 12th December at
Millennium House, Pensilva

7.30 pm

Tickets £6 in aid of Pancreatic
Cancer UK & Millennium
House Events Group

Tickets from Millennium
House or Karen

01579 362196

Ruth and Colleen's Monthly

BINGO

At Millennium House

on Tuesday 8th December

Eyes down at 7:30pm

Over 18's only

£££ CASH PRIZES £££

"CRIMBO BINGO"

TUESDAY 15TH

DECEMBER



MILLENNIUM HOUSE
EVENTS GROUP

EYES DOWN @ 8:00PM

MILLENNIUM HOUSE

PENSILVA

FABULOUS PRIZES TO BE WON!

A NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

GLOW

IN THE DARK

In the FUNCTION ROOM @

MILLENNIUM HOUSE

NEW YEAR'S EVE 7:30PM - 12:30am

ADULT £10, CHILD 2-14 £5, UNDER 2'S FREE!!

TO INCLUDE DISCO & BUFFET

TICKETS ONLY AVAILABLE IN ADVANCE
AND CAN BE PURCHASED NOW FROM

KAREN ON

01579 362196



MILLENNIUM HOUSE
EVENTS GROUP



Pantomime Time Again

For The Over 60's.

Liskeard Lions present.

Robin Hood and The Three Little Pigs

Friday 29th January

The Public Hall, Liskeard.



A bus will pick up from **Glen Park**, the **Shop**,
and **The Cross, Pensilva**, at **6.00 pm**,

and from **St Ive Village Car Park** at **6.15 pm**.

To book ring Ivor Hoare on 362531, by the 24th
January.

Free to senior citizens.

PENMILL ART GROUP

We are a small, friendly group using all art mediums. If
you paint we would love you to join us. We meet at
Millennium House 10-2 every Monday.

Please come & see us or phone Pam on 01579 363441.

Christmas Tree Festival

St Ive Church is planning to stage a Christmas Tree Festival from Wed 9th December to Sunday 13th December, and local organisations are invited to provide and decorate a fresh or artificial tree. The intention is to make this a community event, with any profits from donations divided between the church and local charities. All you need to do is to make a contribution, (we suggest a minimum of £10) then come along and have fun decorating your tree. We hope that the trees will celebrate each individual group in their own way and that it will be a great way to promote your groups activities to the festival visitors. There will be access to a power point for lighting if you wish.

Your tree must be no larger than 5 feet tall. The Church will be open for decoration on Wednesday 9th between 10am and 4pm and again from 6pm to 8pm. The trees will be available for visitors from Thursday 10th to Sunday 13th between 10am and 7pm. Two Christmas events take place during the Festival: the first is a Carol service on Thursday 10th at 11am, and also Christmas lunch on Sunday 13th.

Decorations must be removed on Monday 14th December.

Contact Lorraine Dakin, Glen Silva, Golberdon Rd, Pensilva, PL14 5RL. Tel: 01579 363128 Mobile: 07791 772546

Millennium House Events Group

New members always welcome. Please see the group's Facebook page. Upcoming meetings on Sat, Dec 12 @ 10am & Tue, Jan 26 @ 7:30pm.



MILLENNIUM HOUSE
EVENTS GROUP

Wheal Tor Hotel, Pensilva 01579 363401

Book now for a 4 course Christmas dinner

1st -23rd December

only £16.95 pp

*Gin cured smoked salmon with buttermilk pancakes and zesty
Creme fraiche*

Organic lentil ,apricot and chilli soup served with an artisan roll

*Duck and orange pate served with gooseberry relish and melba
toast*

Turkey roast dinner with all the trimmings& rich roast gravy .

*Supreme of salmon with red cabbage and apples , dauphinoise
potatoes and hollandaise sauce .*

*Mushroom , cranberry and brie wellington with seasonal
vegetables .*

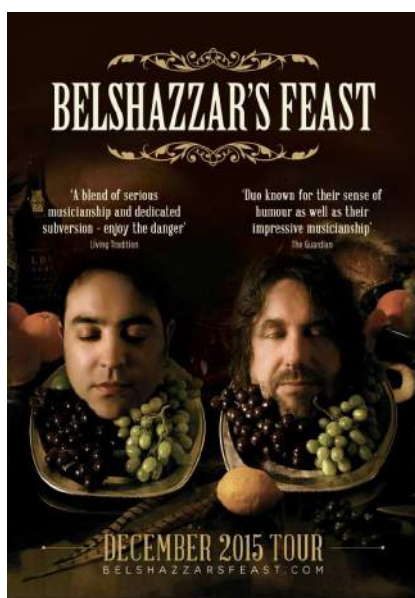
Luxury christmas pudding with clotted cream

Salted caramel chocolate truffle cheesecake

Creme brulee with candied walnuts

Cornish cheeseboard

mini mince pie



Belshazzar's Feast is coming to St Lalluwys Church.....

In 1995 Paul Hutchinson (accordion) and Paul Sartin (oboe, violin and vocals) began touring as Belshazzar's Feast and their amazing musicianship coupled with wry humour stunned audiences around Europe and the States. As a singer, oboist, violinist, composer and arranger Paul Sartin also performs and records extensively with BBC Radio 2 Folk Awards Winners and Nominees Bellowhead and Faustus. Paul Hutchinson is well known for his work with Hoover the Dog, Karen Tweed and the Playford Liberation Front.

The pair will bring their now-legendary Christmas tour to St Lalluwys Church, Menheniot (PL14 3RS) on Saturday December 5th 2015, at 7.30pm

Tickets: (£10) on sale from the Spar Shop, Menheniot, as well as Liskeard and Looe Tourist Information Centres. Or to pre-book call 01579 347859. For your further delectation and delight, we will be serving a pre-concert Christmas-themed feast, worthy of Belshazzar, at the Old School - opposite the church - at 6pm (£10 a head). Book on 01579 347859.



Don't miss this!

Upcoming Quizzes in Millennium House



Next Quiz

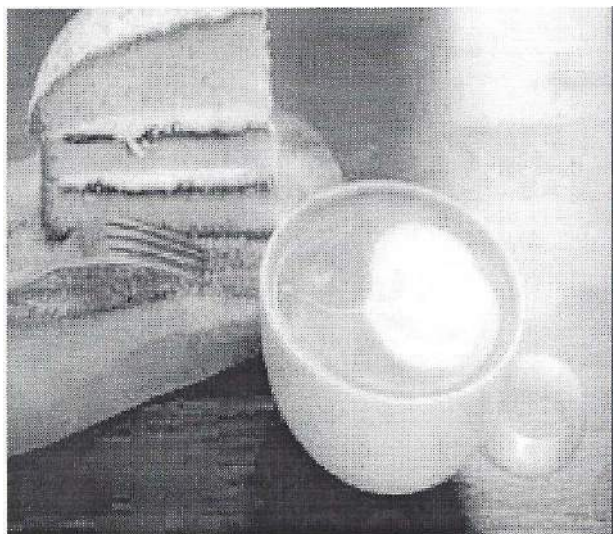
**Saturday December 5th
at 7:30pm**

**Organised by and raising
funds for**

All Being Well

Phyllis's Coffee Morning

Thursdays 10.30am - 12.30pm



Chat with friends while enjoying a delicious slice of cake and a tea or coffee...

for just £2.50

The Mel Bar
Millennium House, Pensilva

Pensioners Lunch

2 Course Meal plus Tea or Coffee
Only £5.50

Every Tuesday here at Millennium House
Speak to our reception or
telephone Graham on **01579 363096**



So why not join us for Good Food and Good Company, all on the day you collect your pension?

Community Lunch

First Sunday of every month 12pm for 12.30pm

3 Course Lunch with Tea and Coffee

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Pensilva Memory Café meets on the 4th Thursday of every month from 2-4pm and is held in St John's Church, Pensilva.

The Christmas Memory Café in Pensilva will take place on Thursday 17th December and will start with a **Memory Friendly Carol Service** which is open to all. We hope plenty of Pensilva residents will join us for this Christmas Celebration. You will be welcome to stay for tea after the service as well.

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PENSILVA VILLAGE HALL

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Please note that as well as hall rent there is a coin meter for heating at 40p/hr. We hold a Hall users and committee meeting on the fourth Monday of each month at 7.00pm. Please feel free to come along and support us.

We successfully obtained a grant from the High Down Community Fund to replace all the toilet windows and the window in the store room. Additionally we used hall funds to replace one of the large windows at the rear of the hall. Many thanks to the High Down Community Fund for the grant and to "The Window Man" Richard Tremlett for a proper job fitting the new windows.

We wish Tiny Tots well in their new venue at Pensilva School as part of the pre-school organisation. This also means that we have sessions available for any local groups who need a meeting venue.

Organisations that meet in Pensilva Village Hall

Meeting Times	Organisation	Contact Person	Telephone
Mon. 1:00 - 3:00	Breath of Air	Pauline	01579 345989
Mon. 4:00 - 6:00	Brownies	Mrs Martha Oliver	01579 362239
Mon. 6:30 - 8:00	Guides	Miss Caroline Hambly	01579 363228
Alternate Wed. 2:30 - 4:00	Wednesday Club	Miss June Mills	01579 362407
Wed. 7:00 & various	Snooker Club	Mr Philip Bond	01579 362091
Fri. 1:00 - 3:00	MIMS (light exercise)	Mike	01579 343702
Fri. 4:00 - 5:00	Rainbows	Mrs Lynne Bond	01579 362091

St Ive Institute & Village Hall

Every Wednesday	10:30am to 12 noon 10:30am to 11:30am	Coffee morning Travelling Post Office
First Monday	7:30pm	St Ive Gardening Club
Every Monday & Thursday ²⁸	7:00pm	St Ive Snooker Club

PENSILVA HEALTH CENTRE - PATIENT PARTICIPATION GROUP

We are a group of patients who meet regularly with the Health Centre to bring forward for discussion ideas, comments and suggestions about your surgery. In the past we have held open days, helped at the flu clinics and participated in a trial Peoples Commissioning Board Project.

We also organise a Carer's and bereavement group (see below) and a 'Walking for Health' group

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St Ive Church - December 2015

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Dec 4th	Live Nativity 7pm
Dec 6th	Holy Communion
Dec 11th	Learning Difficulties Carol Service 11 am
Dec 13th	Family Service - Christmas Lunch follows service
Dec 18th	Carols and Lessons by Candlelight 7pm
Dec 20th	Holy Communion
Dec 24th	Christmas Holy Communion 9:30pm
Dec 27th	Together at Ten at Menheniot

December Events

Fri 4th	Home Produce and Bric-a brac with Lunch 10:30-1:00pm Home made cakes etc, Fresh vegetables, Locally made pasties, Pickles, Jams & much more
Fri 4th	Live Nativity 7pm
Wed 9th-Mon 13th	Xmas Tree Festival 10am to 4pm & 6pm to 7pm. Free refreshments.
Thu 11th	Carol Service for people with Learning Difficulties 11am
Sun 13th	Xmas Lunch in Church. 12:45pm.
Fri 18th	Carols and Lessons by Candlelight 7pm
<u>Reverend Margot Davies</u>	01579 208698 email margotaj@tiscali.co.uk
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Pensilva Carnival - Free Photographs

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ST JOHN'S CHURCH, PENSILVA

Services for December 2015

Anglicans and Methodists share services at 11 am each Sunday, coffee served before service

Sunday 6th	(9.30am)	(Anglican Benefice Eucharist at St Cleer)
	11 am	Rev. Mark Pengelly
Sunday 13th	11 am	Anglican Holy Communion Service
	6pm	Carol Service and Concert evening
Sunday 20th	11 am	Carol Service
Christmas Eve	6am	Christingle Service
Christmas Day	10:30am	Mr Geoff Cox
Sunday 27th	11am	Rev. Sue Hill

Christmas Carol Festival at St John's Church, Friday 11th to Sunday 13th December. 10am - 4pm, 1pm - 4pm on Sunday.

Soup and sweet Lunch on Saturday 12th December from 12 noon.

Memory Friendly **Carol Service**, at St. John's, Thursday 17th December, 2pm
Every Thursday, 10am at St. John's Church there is a **Cafe Church**. Everyone welcome to join us.

No Afternoon Tea in December.

Prayer Group Friday 11th December. Please ring Rev Kev on 363336 or Eileen on 362580 if you would like prayer for yourself or someone else.

Fellowship 7.30 at St John's on Friday 4th December. Further information from Geoff or Carolyn on 362698.

*For further details of the Services held in St John's, if you know of any illness or need in the village or if you would like your wedding or baptism in the church, please contact:
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Services for December 2015

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	6.00pm	Rev Tim Wilkinson
Sunday 13th Dec	11.00am	Rev Ray Stevenson
	6:00pm	Carol Service at Pensilva
Sunday 20th Dec	11:00am	Mrs Fiona Budd
	6.00pm	United Christingle and Carol Service
Sunday 27th Dec	11.00am	Local Arrangement Service
	6.00pm	No Service

The Chattermakers Craft Group will meet in the Guild room on Thursday 10th December from 7:30pm. Anyone wanting more details please contact Kathryn on 01579 382334.

The Prayer meeting will be held in the Guild Room on Wednesday 9th from 7:30pm. All welcome.

The Callington and St Ive Wesley Guild will meet in Callington Methodist Church at 7:30pm on:

Monday 7th Dec when the speaker will be Mr Patrick Poon, topic "Caring as a male nurse" and

Monday 14th Dec for the Christmas Concert at Saltash Wesley.

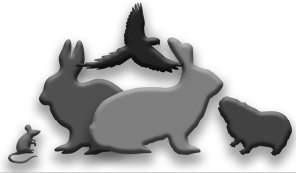
All welcome, anyone needing more details please contact Keith or Kathryn on the number above.

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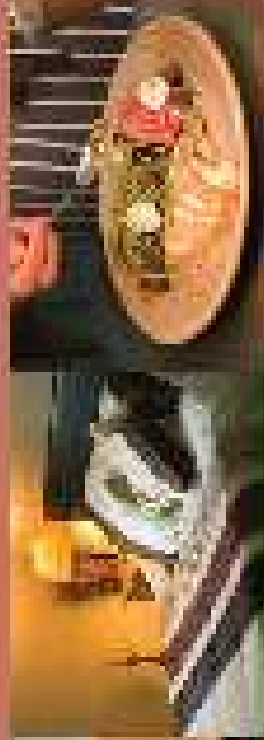
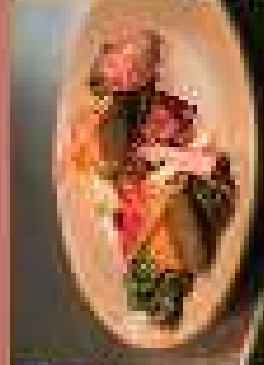
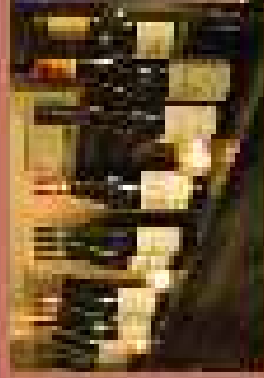
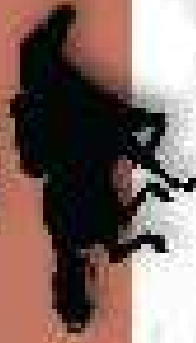
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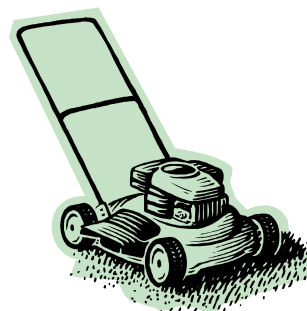
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Aikido	Thursday 7:00pm	
Antique & Collectors Fair	4th Sunday Monthly 10:00 - 4:00	
Badminton Club	Mon & Tues 7:30pm. Fr. 8.00pm	01579 363594 (Carol & Nigel)
Book Exchange	Daily	01579 363096
Country Dancing	Alternate Thursdays 8.00 - 10.00pm	01579 382402 Ray Buckingham
Farmers Market	2nd Sat Monthly 9:30 - 12:30	01579 363096
Fitness Pilates	Monday 9:30 - 10:30am	07850 473428 (Dianne)
Ladies Netball	Friday 09:15 - 10:15am	07985 387472
Pensioners Lunches	Tuesday 12:00 - 2:00pm	01579 363096
Short Mat Bowls	Thursday 7:00pm	
Village History Group	Last Monday Monthly 7:30pm	01579 208754 (Angus)
Wildlife Group	Quarterly	01579 362539 (Hilary)
Woman's Institute	2nd Wed Monthly 7:15pm	01579 363718 (Frances Tucker)
Yoga	Wednesday 7:00pm	01579344464
Zumba Fitness Classes	Wednesday 7:30 - 8:30pm	07850 646207 (Sarah)
PENSILVA VILLAGE HALL		
Breath of Air	Monday 1.00pm - 3.00pm	01579 345989 Pauline
Brownies	Monday 4:00 - 6:00pm	01579 362239 Martha Oliver
Girl Guides	Monday 6:30 - 8:00pm	01579 363212 Jackie Browning
Pensilva Wednesday Club	Wednesday 2:30pm	01579 362407 Miss J Mills
Pensilva Snooker Club	Wed 7:00pm + Various times	01579 362091 Phillip Bond
MIMS (light exercise)	Friday 1.00 - 3.00pm	01579 343702 (Mike)
Rainbows	Friday 4:00 - 5:00pm	01579 362091 Lynne Bond
Rangers	For Info	01579 362982 Kirsty Oliver
PENSILVA SCHOOL		
Pensilva Pre-School	Monday-Fridays 9:00 - 3:15 (session times available)	07890 023924 Mrs Sarah Senese (Manager)
Toddler and Baby group	Thursday 9:15 - 11:15am	07890 023924 Mrs Sarah Senese (Manager)

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Art & Craft Group	Tuesday 1:00 - 5:00pm	01579 362216 (Jackie)
Coffee Morning	Wednesday 10:30 - 12:00	
Gardening Club	1st Monday monthly 7:30pm	01579 382762
Post Office	Wednesday 10:30 - 11:30	
St Ive Snooker Club	Monday & Thursday 7:00pm	01579 382315 R Bunkum

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