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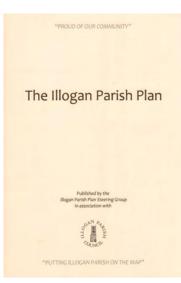
Welcome to the Autumn Edition of the Parish Review. Information is included about what's going on in the parish during this period between September 1st to the end of November.

The Review is available in full colour on line at the Parish Council Website.



LAUNCH OF THE ILLOGAN PARISH PLAN

Thanks to Stephen Turner, Project Facilitator for the following information:



The Illogan Parish Plan, the document that you helped create which sets out the hopes, desires and aspirations of the people of Illogan Parish, was published at a public event held at Illogan Village Hall on 23rd July.

The Parish Plan provides vital information for all decision making bodies and will enable them to make considered decisions, which will be ones that will be broadly supported by residents. Our Parish Plan will remain as a 'living document' and will be periodically updated to ensure that it continues to reflect residents' views.

Copies were formally presented to **George Eustace MP, Cllr Terry Wilkins MBE** on behalf of Cornwall Council and **Cllr. David Ekinsmyth**, who accepted it on behalf of Illogan Parish Council.

The Illogan Parish Council now becomes the custodian of the document and undertakes to ensure it becomes a reference document when considering improvements and new Parish facilities.

George Eustace MP emphasised the importance of our Plan and praised the Parish Plan Steering Group for producing such an excellent document. He said that we should be proud of what we, in Illogan, have achieved and that, in the future, every Parish Council will need one. In this aspect Illogan Parish is ahead of the game thanks to the foresight and hard work put into its production.

Cllr. Ekinsmyth also reflected on the hard work that has gone into producing the Plan and paid tribute to all those who were involved in its production. He also stated that "in many respects the hard work is still to come; to make our Plan a reality" and it is this challenge that he will taking back to the Parish Council.

Cllr Wilkins echoed these sentiments and undertook to ensure that Cornwall Council will consult with our Plan when considering any issues which will affect Illogan Parish.

A Parish Plan will be delivered to all Illogan Parish households at the earliest opportunity.



The next issue of the Review will be available on 1st December 2011.

Potential entries for inclusion are to be with the Editor by the 10th November



The prosaically named High Cliff, between Boscastle and St Glennys is the highest sheer cliff drop in Cornwall at 223 metres (732 feet)





If the economy is slowing down, how come it's so hard for me to keep up with it?

Cornwall Councillor Terry Wilkins MBE



By now, you will all have noticed the new white street lights which have been installed in Illogan two months ahead of schedule by Cornwall Council. The new white light is energy efficient and, is saving the County thousands of pounds on it's power bill. Apart from that, we don't have

the awful orange glow in the sky so, the budding astronomers amongst us can see the stars. Communities can also request a dimming of the lights after a specified time or, turned off altogether. Something to think about. We now have a conclusion to the **Concessionary bus fares** debate. I have been firmly against any removal of bus passes or cuts to the services for our senior citizens. I am happy to report that the Council has had a rethink with regard to its budget to Bus Companies and the status-quo will remain until April next year..

One of the members of the village, Kitty Rowe asked me about the **garden waste sacks** and if I could look into the cost and the size etc. Well, after waging war on the relevant Council Official, it looks like we might get a re-useable garden waste bag for which we will pay a nominal annual fee. This will be part of the new tender going out to Contractors for them to bid on.

Now on to my favourite subject (not), **dog poo**. I have had discussions with the Council Highways department with regard to putting up additional dog bins and replacement one's that have gone missing or just rotted away. Unfortunately, the department has not got the budget to buy any new one's at the moment but, the Parish Council has the funds to purchase some. At the next Parish meeting, we will be arranging for Parish Councillors to note where the existing bins are and where we would like some sited. This hopefully, will stop some of the offenders littering our streets.

And lastly, 2013 will see the **local elections** for Parish Councillors. If you would like to consider standing as a member for your area and, get involved in helping to make Illogan a better place, then get in contact with me for info.

Parish Council Chairman David Ekinsmyth

August is supposed to be the quiet month on the Council but as usual this year it is going to be far from that.

Although there are no major events planned as everybody deserves a break, the normal business must continue, bills get paid, planning applications dealt with and any other matters that become urgent.



Most of this work would normally fall to the Parish Clerk who is the main employee of the council with the legal responsibility of carrying out its business.

Councillors are the elected custodians who determine what the council should be concentrating on or achieving, based on the feedback obtained from their electors.

Unfortunately I have learnt as I write this that the clerk is unwell and unlikely to return to work for 6 months. This is very sad for her and we all wish her well and a swift and permanent recovery.

As Chairman I now have the responsibility of putting the necessary arrangements in place to ensure the business is carried on as effectively as possible.

I do this with the support of councillors and other advisors and that is the task I am now engaged in.

I therefore apologise for the relative brevity of the report in this Edition. In the next Review I will be able to inform readers of the actions taken.

In the meantime I ask you please to direct all urgent business to me either on Email or using my mobile line, so as not to inundate my poor wife with business calls on our home landline.

Please do not contact Sue Ballinger in her role as the Parish Council Clerk until she formally returns to work.

Thank you for your patience and the support I know we will get from you all.

On a broader front in the last month we have successfully launched the Parish Plan, and the Green Ripple project, and set up the necessary arrangements for the building of the new parish office as an extension to the Parish Hall.

So lots of good news and some bad, but that life!!

David Ekinsmyth
Chairman Illogan Parish Council

When there is nothing to say, state the obvious!!
A well known former politician is noted for making the following statement:

"A low voter turnout is an indication of fewer people going to the polls"



Logic is a systematic method of coming to the wrong conclusion with confidence

Guy Fawkes (13 April 1570 – 31 January 1606), was also known as Guido Fawkes, the name he adopted while fighting for the Spanish in the Low Countries. He belonged to a group of provincial English Catholics who planned the failed Gunpowder Plot of 1605 which was a plan to assassinate King James I.

Fawkes was born and educated in York. His father died when Fawkes was eight years old, after which his mother married a Catholic. Fawkes later converted to Catholicism and left for the continent, where he fought in the Eighty Years' War on the side of Catholic Spain against Protestant Dutch reformers. He travelled to Spain to seek support for a Catholic rebellion in England but it was not successful. He later met Thomas Wintour, with whom he returned to England.

Wintour introduced Fawkes to Robert Catesby, who planned to assassinate King James I and restore a Catholic monarch to the throne. The plotters secured the lease to an undercroft beneath the House of Lords, and Fawkes was placed in charge of the gunpowder they stockpiled there. Prompted by the receipt of an anonymous letter, the authorities searched Westminster Palace during the early hours of 5 November, and found Fawkes guarding the explosives. Over the next few days, he was questioned and tortured, and eventually he broke. Immediately before his execution on 31 January, Fawkes jumped from the scaffold where he was to be hanged and broke his neck, so avoiding the agony of the drawing and quartering due to follow.

Fawkes became synonymous with the Gunpowder Plot, which has been commemorated in England since 5 November 1605. His effigy is burned on a bonfire, often accompanied by a firework display.

On 5 November 1605 Londoners were encouraged to celebrate the King's escape from assassination by lighting bonfires, "always provided that 'this testemonye of joy' be



careful done without any danger or disorder".

An Act of Parliament designated each 5 November as a day of thanks - giving for "the joyful day of deliverance", and remained in force until 1859.

Although he was only one of 13 conspirators,

Fawkes is today the individual most associated with the failed Plot.

In Britain, 5 November has variously been called Guy Fawkes Night, Guy Fawkes Day and Bonfire Night; the latter can be traced directly back to the original celebration of 5 November 1605. Bonfires were accompanied by fireworks from the 1650s onwards, and it became the custom to burn an effigy (usually the Pope) after 1673, when the heir presumptive, James, Duke of York made his conversion to Catholicism public.

Effigies of other notable figures who have become targets for the public's ire, such as Paul Kruger and Margaret Thatcher, have also found their way onto the bonfires, although most modern effigies are of Fawkes. The "guy" is normally created by children, from old clothes, newspapers, and a mask.

During the 19th century, "guy" came to mean an oddly dressed person, but in American English it now relates to a lone male or a mixed sex group.



It is said that Guy
Fawkes has been
referred to as
"the only man
ever to enter
Parliament with
honest intentions"

Bonfire toffee, also known as treacle toffee, cinder toffee, Plot toffee, Tom Trot, claggum, clack or loshin du, is a hard, brittle toffee associated with Halloween and Guy Fawkes Night

Although bonfire toffee emerged in the 1660s, the word 'toffee' didn't enter the English language until 1825.

ILLOGAN VILLAGE HALL



A smile is contagious - just smile at someone and see their reaction.

Village Hall Hire

The hall is available for parties, receptions, meetings and conferencing at very competitive rates. Facilities include the main hall, a fully equipped kitchen and a meeting/training room. Tables and chairs are also available as is a public address system. To book or for more information **contact** Sue Skewes on 01209 843575



Help Always Wanted



Many of the voluntary groups who are based at the hall are only successful because of the kind support and generosity of people just like you. If you have a little time and would like to help to run their activity or think you could support them in some other way then please pop along to their session or give their main contact a call.

Improvements

The Village Hall Committee have welcomed the Illogan Parish Councils' announcement that it intends to extend Illogan Village Hall. Plans move on and the current proposal will provide a larger main hall and back stage area, a new meeting room and the hall will be home to a new parish office. Extra storage in the form of shipping containers is also going to be provided. It is hoped that all the improvements will be finished by Spring 2012 and, once complete, will then provide a great community facility for our Parish

Now that the Summer Holidays have passed

A number of our regular users have taken a break over the Summer but will be starting up again once the Autumn school term begins. We hope you have all been making the most of the break and look forward to seeing some familiar faces and new ones up at the hall.

The youth garden project

This has started in earnest and much of the hard ground work has already been completed. Many thanks to the young people from all over Cornwall who have been involved in the project. We now look forward to using the BBQ & shelter as well as seeing what they will be growing on their mini allotment.



Drama at the Hall

As part of the ongoing development of the Village Hall plans to start up a new Village Hall based Amateur Dramatics group are being drawn up. The group is keen to not compete with other drama groups and hopes to appeal to would be thespians of all ages. If this may be of interest to you please contact Steve on 843845 and let us know how you would like to get involved either as a performer or helper



The Seventh Day Adventists are based in Voguebeloth. Contact telephone number 01726 851792—Services are held every Saturday and all are welcome to attend.—10:15 Divine Service and Sabbath School (all ages)

ILLOGAN VILLAGE HALL Cont. & ALLOTMENTS

Middle age is when broadness of the mind and narrowness of the waist change places

The following groups meet on a regular basis

MONDAYS

Toddlins Group Mon 1.30pm to 2.15pm

Indoor Sports – table tennis & pool From 6.30pm 8.00pm. for Families & U18's

TUESDAYS

Youth Group for teenagers from 6.30pm. Some Saturdays (check with youth leader for details)

Slimming World from 6.30pm. Contact 01209 215653.

WEDNESDAYS

Bridge Stitchers and Crafters

1st and 3rd Wed each month 1.30pm - 4.30pm. **Contact** 01736 757726.

Scrapbook Club 4th Wed each month 1.30pm - 4pm. Contact 01209 843199.

Youth Club (7-11's) 5.45 - 7.15pm (term time only)

Women's Institute 1st & 3rd Wed each month 7.30pm to 9.30pm **Contact** 01209 890512.

THURSDAYS

Hatha Yoga 10.30 - 12.00

1st Illogan Scouts 6.30 - 8pm Cubs (8 - 10 % yrs) and Scouts (10 % - 14yrs) (term time only) 7.30 - 9pm contact 01209 213970 or susan.barkle@talktalk.net.

Stamp Your Art Out

1st Thurs each month 7pm to 9pm. Contact 01209 832310.

FRIDAYS

Cornwall Scale Modellers Fri except 2nd week each month 7pm to 10pm. **Contact** 01736 757726.

ILLOGAN ALLOTMENT ASSOCIATION

The next meeting of the Association will be in October. The Secretary will inform members when known, where and when. A new venue will have to be found since

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the Parish Rooms at the church are closed due to the repairing of the church roof. It may also have to be on a night other than a Monday depending on what is available. If members could email the Secretary as detailed below as to what evenings they are available to meet on so that I can try and accommodate as many members as possible. Anyone wanting further information about the group please contact the secretary: Mrs J. Opie, at 3 Colborne Avenue, Illogan. TR16 4EB, or on 01209 842622, or email

If you have an interest on 'growing your own' here is a tip from the Secretary which has proved successful Although maybe a little late for this growing season, the following idea could be started now ready for next year even with only a 'postage stamp' space in a garden.

Start to fill a garden compost bin with kitchen vegetable scraps e.g. potato peelings, banana skins, fruit peelings and cores, grass cuttings etc. and allow to rot down over the winter.

Next year when full (If necessary add a 'GRO-bag to top up) plant it with 1 courgette plant. Keep well watered and when the courgettes start to appear feed with some diluted tomato feed. If necessary, put in a large cane to support the plant.

So far this year the Secretary has harvested 8% pounds of six-inch long courgettes and there are still lots more to come. It really is worth doing since they taste lovely when fresh and you don't need a large garden to grow them. Another advantage of this method is there is no bending required tending or harvesting the crop.

By Editor: If there are any landowners within the Parish who could fulfil the land requirement of a few acres for allotments, the Parish Council are keen to lease the land on a long term basis.

Please contact the Vice Chairman, Councillor Terry Wilkins, whose contact details are on the back page, to discuss the details.



Ship in bottle: this model ship, the sinking Titanic, is contained In an impossible bottle intended to mystify the viewer about how it was encapsulated.

THE WELLBEING CENTRE

Isn't it worrying? Why do doctors call what they do a "practice?"

There's a lot going on in the centre, following is a list of event which you may find of interest:

Monday

10.30am to 12.30pm Core Group Exercises for over 50s **contact** 01209 842999 for prices/details Istormtraining Clinics with Bart Kalshoven – time by appointment only. Contact 01209 890122

7.00pm to 9.00pm lyengar Yoga - with Janice Longstaff - Bookings contact 01209 616312

7.30pm to 9.00pm Reiki Share 1st Monday of month (Not bank holidays) Contact Tim on 07719669444

Tuesday

12.15pm Old School Diner: Set lunch Roast Chicken dinner – 2 course meal/a cuppa £5:00 2nd week of month (June to Sept). Book in advance (by noon Mondays) Tel: 01209 842999.

6.30pm to 8.00pm Vin Yasa Flow Yoga with Nathalie Bennett for bookings - Contact Nathalie Bennett on 07912 675135

6.30pm to 8.00pm Beginners Pilates with Helen Kinane - Contact Helen on 01209 200726

NEW - (see bottom of page)

Wednesday

10am Breath of Fresh Air Walk Tel: 01209 842999 Most Wednesdays walks vary from 1hr to 2hrs. All walks start and end at the Centre and are led by a qualified walk leader.

10.00am to 12.00 noon Lyengar Yoga with Janice Longstaff for bookings Tel: Community Education at Cornwall College on 01209 616312

6.00pm to 8.00pm Calligraphy with Stephane Rouget (term time) contact info@stephanerouget.com or Tel: 07837 059085 **6.30pm to 8.30pm** Yoga (Anusari inspired) with Jock Orton Tel: 07770 440300

Thursday

11.00am to 12.15pm MS Society Yoga contact 01209 832108

Afternoon Illogan Short Mat Bowls Triple League Matches - Contact the centre for further details

6.30pm to 7.30pm Qi Gong with Dave Sowden Tel: 01872 573776

7.00pm to 9.00pm Kernow Bujutsu Contact Bart Kalshoven 07919 374239

Friday

5.45pm to 6.45pm Rainbows Tel: Karen Copas on 01209 313226 7pm to 10pm (Sept to April) Illogan Short Mat Bowls League

Saturday

9.00am to 10.00am Vin Yasa Flow Yoga with Amy Jones - Contact Amy on 07967 501985
10.00am to 12.00noon In door car boot (3rd Saturday of Month April to Sept) Tel: 01209 842999
10.15am to 11.30am Pregnancy Yoga with Amy Jones - Contact Amy on 07967 501985 NEW

Illogan Short Mat Bowls 'Roll Up' (Sept to April) - Contact the Center for further details



For further info please contact the co-ordinator Jeanette on 01209 842999 or visit the website www.wellbeingcentrenews.moonfruit.com

Its said that an aspect of **Pilates** is that anyone can do it, and everyone can achieve positive results! There is no stress to your body, so Pilates offers the ideal form of exercise for people who, because of joint pain or muscle weakness, have tended to shy away from regular exercise.





Be there in a jiffy! A "jiffy" is an actual unit of time of 1/100th of a second.

Wellbeing Centre Venue Hire

Our Lounge Library is a popular venue for day time meetings. It's sofas and armchairs provide a comfortable, relaxing setting. Tea and coffee making facilities are available.

The Assembly Hall has kitchen access and is a spacious room suitable for parties and functions. The sprung wooden floor is ideal for dancing. We have gardens and car parking and the Centre has disabled access.

Hall hire is £6 per hour, both halls £12 per hour, full kitchen facilities hire is £10 per hour - kitchen access only is normally free. For bookings please **contact** the Co-ordinator, Jeanette Tapping on 01209 842999.

Support the Wellbeing Centre by becoming a member Of the Self Heal Trust.

Membership is only £6 per year (+ £3 for posted newsletters).

Self Heal Trust Trustee

There are still a few vacancies for Trustees, if you are interested in finding out more details of the role please contact the Centre for further information.

Wellbeing Centre Volunteers We have a small group of dedicated volunteers. They are cheerful, dedicated and welcoming. If you would like to join them please contact the Co-ordinator

The Self Heal Trust, which is the authority managing the Wellbeing Centre in Illogan, has just received a grant from the National Lottery Awards for All of just under £10 000. This funding will go towards a 3-year planned refurbishing of the Centre which will cost around £25 000 in all. On completion of the refurbishment all of the windows and doors of the Centre and adjoining House will have been replaced, thus providing a more comfortable and environmentally efficient source for Community activities.

If you want to know more of the activities of the Wellbeing Centre or would like to consider running activities within its accommodation then please contact Jeanette Tapping at the Centre:

Telephone 01209 842999 or

Email: jen.wellbeing@hotmail.co.uk.

Extract from a National Newspaper: "Army vehicle worth £500,000 is lost after being painted with camouflage paint.

Breath of Fresh Air Walks take place on Wednesday mornings each week leaving the Wellbeing at 10am. Generally, a circular walks, around Illogan and surrounding area. The walks are becoming ever more popular with it not being uncommon for a group of a dozen setting out, led by a qualified walk leader. Walks cover Illogan & Portreath Woods, Tehidy Woods or down to Watergate. Nothing too strenuous, just a gentle amble with plenty of opportunities to take in the views.

Typical walks are:

Spar Lane. A level 1 walk (generally flat and along metalled roads and pavements) and lasts about an hour. This walk takes in Parsonage Well, Marys Well, Spar Lane and Maningham.

Watergate. A level 2 walk (generally a mix of flat and gradients on metalled roads and public footpaths) and lasts about an hour. This walk takes in Watergate and Ventonraze and there are a few public footpath variations which may be considered by the walking group and add in the region of 20 minutes or so to the circular walk.

Tehidy Orchard. A level 3 walk (generally a mix of flat and gradients on metalled roads and public footpaths) and lasts about 2 hours and as the name implies it takes in a walk to, and around, Tehidy Woods.

Other walks such as Feadon woods, Illogan Woods and Bridge are also regularly scheduled in and each case may carry some variation to the base route dependant on the group and the weather conditions at the time of the walk.

Land's End to John o' Groats - Off road walkers typically walk 1,200 miles (1,900 km) and take two or three months

By Editor. I must declare an interest in that I am a registered walk leader at the Wellbeing and regularly take part in the walks. That said I recommend these walks as a means of stretching your legs, getting some fresh air and having a natter at the same time. Open to all age ranges, come and join us and you just might find that you enjoy the time spent on the walk.

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ILLOGAN PARISH CHURCH



Contact: Reverend Canon Mike Kippax 842233

NOTE: The Parish Church is now firmly in the hands the builders and repairs to the roof progresses on schedule. It is hoped that the Church will reopen for Christmas.

Different venues for events are still in place over this period as detailed below.

Services now in the Village Hall.

10.30am 2nd, 4th & 5th Sundays, Communion. 10.30am 1st Sunday of month, Morning Worship & Baptism. 10.30am 3rd Sunday of month, Celtic Morning Worship

Services now in Trevenson Church.

or Matins.

8am 1st Sunday of month, Holy Communion.

- 3.45pm 2nd Sunday of month, 'Messy Church'
- 4.30pm Teatime Service followed by a 'bring and share' Tea
- 6.pm 1st & 3rd Sunday of month, Communion
- 6.pm 2nd Sunday of Month, Evening Prayer

6pm 5th Sunday of month, Taize' Service

Services now in St Mary's Church, Portreath.

9.15am Holy Communion on Wednesdays (Lifts are available if required)

Regular Events will now be held in the Rectory.

12 Noon 1st Tuesday of month, Lunch

2pm - 4pm Every Friday Tea & cake, Jeans market offering Home Made Produce, Jam & Eggs.

Local produce Veggie boxes available at £4.00 & £5.50 For details & to order contact Gill on 843101 or visit

www.healthyboxes.com

In Paynters Lane End Hall

2.30pm 3rd Wednesday of month, Women's Fellowship Alternate Friday Evenings 'Detonate' Youth Club will restart on 16th Sept. For details contact Monica Wilkes on 843082

The following events will cease until the Church reopens - Contact Mike for details

- 1. 9am Thursdays, Tea & Toast & Slim Club
- 2. 10am Alternate Wednesdays on non Communion days, Fun, Fitness & Fellowship



ADANGER For obvious safety reasons please do not yourself, or allow children, to venture into the immediate vicinity of building works as it progresses

Also:

The Parish Magazine 'LINK' is available from the Post Office on a monthly basis

Clearing and Tidying of St Illogan Churchyard under the Cornwall Living Churchyard Project takes place at regular intervals and volunteers are required to assist. If you would like to help with this please **Contact** Andrew on 842316 for further details

PARTICULAR EVENTS FOR THIS PERIOD.

The 'Battle of Britain' Service will be held on Wednesday 7th September at 2pm in St Marys Church, Portreath.

There will be an Autumn Bazaar at Paynters Lane End Methodist Hall on Saturday 12th November. The start time is still to be determined and will be promulgated on the Platt Notice board outside Maningham Wood when established. Otherwise contact Mike for times nearer the day.

The origins of the pipe organ now often used in churches can be traced back to the hydraulis in Ancient Greece in the 3rd century BC, in which the wind supply was created with water pressure. By the sixth or 7th century AD, bellows were used to supply organs with wind

THE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE



Chocolate affects a dog's heart and nervous system; a few ounces will kill a small dog.

<u>ILLOGAN WOMEN'S INSTITUTE</u> Are you new to the area or recently retired or looking for some 'ME TIME' in the evenings Why not come along to one of meetings. We are a friendly, multi-talented group of women with many diverse skills and interests who meet on the first and third Wednesday of each month at 7:30pm in The Village Hall, at Churchtown, Illogan.



Forget about making JAM & singing JERUSALEM, we're now more into Wii's, SURFING, SUSTAINABLE ENERGY AND RECYCLING. If craft work, cookery and floral art are more YOUR THING we offer help & expertise in these skills as well. WANT TO KNOW MORE? Ring Janet Mitchell on 890512 or come along to one of our meetings and bring a friend, bring two! We would be delighted to see you

Forthcoming Meeting Dates:



Sept 7th - The topic will be Vintage Clothes
Sept 21st - Businesses and Illogan has Talent
Oct 5th - Businesses and Harvest Supper
Oct 19th - An open Cornish Evening with Les Merton reading
Cornish Verses. A supper snack will be available.



Most of us will have heard the emotive 'Jerusalem' a long time favourite on 'Last Night Of The Proms' and sung in many, but not all, churches due to the fact that, technically, it is not a hymn - Such has been its impact, there is enough information about it on the internet for a book. I have included here a few extracts which may be of interest.

Nov 2nd - Topic is Dragonflies and Butterflies

"And did those feet in ancient time" is a short poem by William Blake from the preface to his epic Milton a poem, one of a collection of writings known as the Prophetic Books. The date on the title page of 1804 for Milton is probably when the plates were begun but the poem wasn't printed until 1808. Today it is best known as the anthem "Jerusalem", with music written by Sir Hubert Parry in 1916.

Parry's executors re-assigned the copyright in 1928 to the Women's Institutes, where it remained until it entered the public domain in 1968.

The poem was inspired by the apocryphal story that a young Jesus, accompanied by his uncle Joseph of Arimathea, travelled to the area that is now England and visited Glastonbury at the time England would have been in the hands of the Romano-British, Glastonbury itself however would have been governed by the Durotriges The legend is linked to an idea in the Book of Revelation (3:12 and 21:2) describing a Second Coming, wherein Jesus establishes a new Jerusalem. The Christian church in general, and the English Church in particular, used Jerusalem as a metaphor for Heaven, a place of universal love and peace.

In the most common interpretation of the poem, Blake implies that a visit of Jesus would briefly create heaven in England, in contrast to the "dark Satanic Mills" (The Albion Flour Mills) of the Industrial Revolution.

Analysts note that Blake asks four questions rather than stating a visit to be true. According to this view, the poem says that there may, or may not, have been a divine visit, when there was briefly heaven in England.

For the drivers of Jeeps. The name Jeep came from the abbreviation used in the US army for the small "General Purpose" all terrain vehicle, "G.P."





For further information contact Stella Rule on 842425

Sunday Services are held in the Church, The Morning Service starts at 10.45am—The Sunday School beginning at 10.30am and the Evening Service starts at 6pm. All are welcome to attend.

Regular events held in the chapel Hall are:

Illogan Country Market is held every Tuesday between 9.15—11am with refreshments available.

Also available for purchase are normally home baked goods, savouries and cakes, a selection of preserves, honey and chutney and free range eggs. Fresh meat is available, individually wrapped, and is supplied from a local farm butcher. There is also a good selection of vegetables, flowers and plants.

Additionally there are craft tables showing hand and machine knitted items, hand made greeting cards many sewn items and a display of the woodcarver's skills.



Orders for items can be made, and a gift parcel service is available for order deliveries to be made to friends and family.



The humble chicken is thought to be the closest living relative to the now extinct Tyrannosaurus Rex



Fund raising events will again be held in the Parish later in the year as follows:

The Christmas Market is on Friday 11th November 9.30 to 12.0. at the Sunday School Room, Paynters Lane End. Coffee and Mincepie for £1. Many attractive stalls selling gifts, books, cakes, Christmas decorations etc. plus a raffle.



Annual Carol Concert is on Sunday 27th Nov. at 2.30p.m. the Methodist Church, Paynters Lane End.

Speaker: Donna Birrell from Radio Cornwall.

Chairman: Stella Rule.

Organist: Agnes Jane with the Combined Choirs

of the District

For further details contact: Janet on 890512

Mobile Library

Contact 0300 1234111 (calls are charged)
Fortnightly on Wednesdays
September 14th & 28th
October 12th & 26th
November 9th & 23rd



Stops:

Mount Whistle Road 9.15 - 9.25
Tolvaddon Industrial Estate 09:30 - 09:45
Chywoon Gardens 12.55 - 13.25
Druids Road 13.35 - 13.45
Richards Lane 14:25 - 14:50



Robartes Arms 16:35 - 17:00



Voluntary Housebound Service Monthly – individual requirements assessed. Contact as above.

In the 1500's, A Bath consisted of a large tub filled with hot water. The man of the house was first in the clean water; followed by his sons, then came the women followed by children. Last came the babies. By then the water was so dirty you could actually lose someone in it, hence the origin of the saying, "Don't throw the baby out with the bath water."



Campfire law of probability - All available moisture congregates on match heads



Scouting & Guiding

1st Illogan Scout Group At Illogan Village Hall

Thursdays weekly

Scouts

Thursdays 7.30 - 9pm

Cubs

Thursdays from 6.30 - 8pm $8 - 10 \frac{1}{2} \text{ years}$

Contact Sue Barkle on213970 or email susan.barkle@talktalk.net

Please note: There are currently a few spaces in Scouts and Cubs so email Sue or phone to find out more.

Helpers and Leaders always needed.

Contact Sue if you are able to help. Offers from Ladies as well as Gents would be great.



Rainbows At the Well-being Friday $17:45 - 18:45 \quad 5 - 7$ years Contact Karen Copas 313226

Brownies At the Methodist Church Hall Thurs 18:00 – 19:30 7 – 11 years Contact Elaine Spinks 313942

Rainbow, Brownies & Guides At Pool Methodist Church Contact Sandra Cox 719741

Please note: there is a waiting list for the Guides Please contact Sandra before attending.

Worldwide there are more than 30 million Scouts, youth and adults, boys and girls, in 161 countries.

Also, some 300 million people are former Scouts, including prominent people in every field. This is impressive considering that Scouting began with 20 boys and an experimental camp in 1907. It was held during the first nine days of August in 1907 at Brownsea Island, near Poole in Dorset, England.



Scam Alert From Neighbourhood Watch



Reports have been received of 'cold callers' carrying out garden work with final bills being far higher than the original estimates. Activity reports have, recently,

have been reported from the Camborne areas. We strongly advise that residents do not accept offers of work from cold callers, but instead ask friends or relatives to recommend reputable local traders. The risks of employing 'cold call' tradesmen are shoddy workmanship, very high charges which change as the work progresses, and unnecessary additional work coupled with intimidation.

The rogue traders typically target people who are less able to check the quality of the work, or people they think could be intimidated into parting with large sums of money, and who they believe won't complain. They can be quite charming in their attempts to get you to agree to the work, but can be threatening when the time comes to pay. It is much safer to use reputable local tradesmen, who will often offer a written quote and a guarantee. Our advice is to say, 'No thank you' and close the door on 'cold callers.' Should you suspect rogue traders to be circulating in your area, please do not confront them, but if possible take their vehicle numbers, pass this on to your local neighbourhood watch co-ordinator and the police on 08452 777 444

If you have vulnerable neighbours who could potentially be at risk, please keep a wary eye on their behalf

The Bronze Wolf for outstanding service is the only award made by the World Scout Committee

The UK's first Neighbourhood Watch was set up in Mollington in Cheshire in 1982 following the success of a similar scheme in Chicago in the United States. Many more schemes followed throughout the UK, and 10 million people now claim to be members

MANINGHAM WOOD

Volunteers always welcome - please **contact** Nola on 07726835475 or 07968017419

Beetle wearing Cornish colours found in community woodland!

The Friends of Maningham Wood took the Cornwall in Bloom judge on a walk around our award-winning woodland last week and spotted this wonderful longhorn beetle (Strangalia maculate). It is a large woodworm type of beetle so may well have come from the hollow stump of an oak tree located in the centre of the woodland.

The group have entered the Cornwall in Bloom competition as they are planning a new Nature Trail through the village. It is hoped that the both locals and visitors will learn more about the wildlife living around them by following this trail through the wood and nearby living churchyard using leaflets which will be made available in local shops and community centres.

Look out for both this patriotic beetle and the new nature trail in the next few months and, if you would like to join the group, please

come along to one of our monthly meetings.





The group meets at 7pm on the first Thursday of each month in the Robartes Arms pub. Hope to see you there!

Thanks for the pictures supplied by the FoMW & taken by Treve Opie

They can be seen in colour on the parish website version of the Review

A few simple facts about the beetle

General Size. 14-20mm.

Distribution. All of Europe except the far north.

Habitat. Hedgerows, woodland margins and clearings.

Most frequently seen. June-August.

Although there are variations of the pattern in the species, the more common has distinct black spots.

The one photographed by Treve with the spots fused into bands all over the entire body length is one of the less common.



The Acorn seat in Maningham Woods is one of the many 'sculptures' dotted around the footpaths designed by a local artist.

The woodland has disabled access at the main entrance at the Platt with access via a RADAR key operated gate. All the major paths are wheelchair-friendly throughout.

Exiting from the far end of the wood is a path connecting the woodland to the churchyard so wheelchair users can leave from a different exit rather than having to complete a circular route back to the main entrance.

The site is leased by the Parish Council for about the next 90 years or so. Therefore the future of the woods as a community facility is secure.

As long as the community values the site, it is hoped that they will continue to take care of it, with the help of the volunteers.



<u>Coleoptera</u> is an order of insects collectively called beetles. They contain about 1,000,000 species which is more than any other order, constituting almost 25% of all known life-forms

COMMUNITY — HARRIS MILL HALL, PENWARTHA & FOOTBALL CLUB

The lead picture is Bridge road/Bridge Hill/Churchtown road junction

Harris Mill Hall For general enquiries contact Tina on 842642



The Illogan Folk Dance Group - Contact Fran on 217918

The Group meets on Thursdays at 7.30pm on the following dates

September 1st; 15th and 29th

October 6th and 20th November 3rd and 17th

Dancing Freestylerz Children's Disco - Contact Charmaine on 07542 292923

The group meets in term times only on Tuesdays and Wednesdays as follows:

Tuesdays 6.30 until 7.30pm for children aged 12 years and above.

Wednesdays 5.30 until 6.30 for children aged between 6 and 11 years.



Penwartha SCS Club Winter Programme

Regular Events in the Hall

Mondays 9.30—11am Coffee Morning

Bingo Dates: Sept 1st: Oct 6th & Nov 10th.

T.Dance Dates: Sept 9th CD's

Oct 8th Garry Dowrick Nov 5th Garry Dowrick

For further details please contact: Betty on

01209 843829

Illogan Royal British Legion Football Club Contact 216488



Please **contact** directly as above for details of events



The Royal British Legion was formed on 15 May 1921 bringing together four National Organisations of ex-Service men that had established themselves after the Great War of 1914-1918.

The main purpose of the Legion was straightforward: To care for those who had suffered as a result of service in the Armed Forces in the Great War and to also provide support to their families.

The first ever appeal was the Poppy Day on 11th November 1921 and continues as a major fund raising event to enable help to be provided to our ex-servicemen and their families.

Your support leading up to 'Poppy Day' will, as ever, always be welcome.

Additionally, the local branch of the RBL, with other organisations, will march through Illogan from the Football club to the Cemetery (and return) on Sunday 13th November. Due to Church repairs, the parade will get as close to the Cenotaph as possible. The parade will form at the football club and set off at 2.30pm

The rules of football were formed in England by the Football Association in 1863 and the name association football was coined to distinguish the game from the other forms of football played at the time, specifically rugby football. The term soccer also originated in England, first appearing in the 1880s

AROUND THE PARISH



Did you know: The Cornish name for Illogan is Egloshal

PARK BOTTOM - Please excuse the quality of the left hand picture. It's a scan of a photograph of a 1904 postcard and shows the main 5 ways junction at Park Bottom taken from the bottom of Trevelyan Road.

The hill leading away to the background is the old road to Pool, now a cul-de-sac because of the A30 dual carriageway. Off to the left is Clifton Road, to the right Park Road heads off to Trevenson Moor and the nearer right hand angled junction leads to Illogan Downs, Tehidy and Portreath.

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The junction itself has changed over the years, It's got wider and busier, has pavements, & street lights. However, there is still a shop on the corner (Now a hairdressing salon) and the New Inn is still open. The donkey and shay outside the pub can just be made out, waiting, no doubt, for its owner to return, reputed to be a Ms Maggie Evans.







By editor: The photograph is courtesy of Mrs Marina Kempthorne of Redruth. Many thanks

This is the junction as it is today

Most of us will know this but for the benefit if newcomers to the area:

There are four 'official' council noticeboards In the Parish: There is one at the gated entrance to Maningham Wood at the Platt in Illogan, One outside the Premier Store at Park Bottom, Another outside the Adelaide Store in Tolvaddon and the final one is the door at Penwartha Hall in Illogan

Recreational areas in the parish are: Rosemullion Gardens with a host of children's play equipment at **Tolvadon**, the park and play area near the main junction at **Park Bottom**, the large area open park off Trevelyan Road in **Illogan**, Maningham Woods at the main junction (The Platt) in **Illogan**, and of course at **Tehidy**there is the Woods with its range of woodland walks, lake and nearby café.

Recreational halls in the Parish are: The Village Hall and the adjacent Wellbeing Centre in the Churchtown area of Illogan, Penwartha Hall in Illogan, The Harris Mill Hall at the bottom of Bassetts Road and the Snooker hall in Park Bottom (Members only)

There are two doctors surgeries in Illogan Parish:

The Harris Memorial Surgery, Robartes Terrace, Illogan, TR16 4RX Phone: 01209 842449
 The Homecroft surgery. Voguebeloth, Illogan, TR16 4ET Phone: 01209 843843



By Editor: I've been asked about what's going on at Trevenson Moor. Basically it's a new road going in between the Tolvadon Business 'Park' and the A30 flyover area. I understand that there are also plans for more Business modular units to go into this area at a later date

DON'T FORGET MOONDYNE JOE



Winston Churchill quote: "I like pigs. Dogs look up to us. Cats look down on us. Pigs treat us as equals."

Illogan 'famous Sons', extend to The Bassets, Holman, Trevithick and Tangye. Spare a thought for 'Moondyne Joe'. Different social graces to the more prominent and little is known of early life of Joseph Johns's. Born in Cornwall around 1826. He was one of six children of Welsh blacksmith Thomas Johns and his wife Mary. It is likely that he contracted smallpox in his youth, as later records describe him as pockmarked. Joe Johns worked as a copper miner in 1841. The family lived in Illogan.



Joseph Bolitho Johns, became better known as Moondyne Joe, as he went on to become Western Australia's best known bushranger. However, prior to that, in November 1848, Joe and an associate named John Williams were arrested near Chepstow for stealing three loaves of bread, one piece of bacon, several cheeses, and other assorted foodstuff goods.

Arraigned at the Brecon Assizes on charges of burglary and stealing, the pair pleaded not guilty. On 23 March they were tried at the Lent Assizes before Sir William Erle. Newspaper reports of the trial suggest that the pair gave an unexpectedly spirited defence, but Joe was abrasive and "contravened the conventions of court procedure". The men were convicted and sentenced to ten years' penal servitude.

Joe was transferred around several prisons over the years before being transported to the then British Penal Colony of Western Australia in February 1853.

He initially lived rough in one of the most inaccessible and rugged places in the Darling Mountain Range. The Aboriginal name for the area was Moondyne. Joe made a living by partly fencing the springs in the area, and trapping escaped stock and horses. Often a reward was offered for the return of such animals

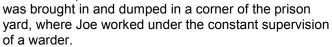
Over the years he was found guilty of a range of offences from horse stealing to petty theft and was jailed accordingly. However, he was a serial escapee and went on the run on several occasions, living rough, but was recaptured each time.

He adopted the name Moondyne Joe during one of his escape periods in 1865

Extraordinary measures were taken to ensure that Joe did not escape again.

He was transferred to Fremantle Prison where a special "escape proof" cell was made for him built from stone, lined with jarrah sleepers and over 1000 nails.

He was set to work breaking stone, but rather than permit him to leave the prison, the stone



Governor John Hampton was so confident of the arrangements, he was heard to say to Joe: "If you get out again, I'll forgive you". However, the rock broken by Joe was not removed regularly, and eventually a pile grew up until it obscured the guard's view of Joe below the waist.

Partially hidden behind the pile of rocks, he occasionally swung his sledgehammer at the limestone wall of the prison. On 7 March 1867, Moondyne Joe escaped through a hole he had made in the prison wall.

He was recaptured and finally released in April 1871 and the remainder of Joe's life consisted of periods of good behaviour punctuated by minor misdemeanours and brief jail terms. In January 1879, he married a widow named Louisa Hearn, and they spent some time prospecting for gold near Southern Cross. In 1881, while exploring the countryside around Karridale, he discovered a cave which was named Moondyne Cave after him.

In his later years, he began acting strangely, and was eventually found to be mentally ill. He died of senile dementia in the Fremantle Lunatic Asylum (now the Fremantle Arts Centre building) on 13 August 1900, and was buried in Fremantle Cemetery.

On the first Sunday of May, the township of Toodyay celebrates the life and times of Moondyne Joe by holding the Moondyne Festival.

This festival takes place in the main street and has street theatre, market stalls, themed back to the early years. The most recent Moondyne Festival was on 1 May 2011.

Conversation recently at Melbourne Airport arrivals. An incoming GB passenger was asked by an Australian Immigration Officer "Any criminal offences?" The man replied "Err No, I didn't realise it was still mandatory" Needless to say the visitor spent some considerable time clearing though immigration as officials didn't share the same sense of humour!

Bushrangers originally referred to runaway convicts in the early years of the British settlement of Australia who had the survival skills necessary to use the Australian bush as a refuge to hide from the authorities. The term "bushranger" then evolved to refer to those who abandoned social rights and privileges to take up "robbery under arms" as a way of life, using the bush as their base.





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COUNCIL WEBSITE

www.illoganparishcouncil.gov.uk

A Point to remember - For you information Activities of the Parish Council, planned meeting dates for full council and committees, agenda items and minutes of the previous meetings are all promulgated on the Parish Council noticeboards and the Parish website detailed above.

Your feedback on the website and its contents would be appreciated.

Oscar Wilde, (Poet, Novelist, Dramatist and critic) had a suspicion of Politicians and the political system. He stated:

"Democracy means simply the bludgeoning of the people by the people for the people."