



ILLOGAN PARISH REVIEW

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Welcome to Issue 28, Spring 2015 Edition

of the Illogan Parish Review.

Information is included about what is going on in the Parish from
1st March to the end of May 2015.

Do YOU want more say in how your neighbourhood shapes and grows?

Neighbourhood plans have taken on major importance, especially where new Local Plans are still some years away from being adopted and where pressures for housing development are high. 'Made' neighbourhood plans form part of the development plan and therefore carry the full weight of the planning system when planning applications are considered.

The guiding principle of that system is that those applications must be determined in accordance with the development plan unless other material considerations indicate otherwise.

Even where there is an up to date Local Plan, the National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF) is clear that the neighbourhood plan sits alongside it and even outweighs the Local Plan's non-strategic policies where there is a conflict.

There will be a Neighbourhood Planning Meeting on Thursday 19th March 2015 at 7.00pm in Penwartha Hall. The meeting will provide further information and a committee will be set up to drive the Neighbourhood Plan forward.

If you would like any further information please contact the Clerk to Illogan Parish Council, Sarah Willsher.

Stop Press

At the Full Council meeting held on Wednesday 21 January 2015, Illogan Parish Council resolved to sign the legal paperwork for the transfer of the freehold of Illogan Park.

With compliments of Illogan Parish Council



PARISH COUNCIL CHAIRMAN: GRAHAM FORD

A lot of activity is planned here over the next year by this Council, including the transfer of Illogan Park and other associated changes and initiatives - for the better, we all hope! The Parish Council are working closely with the Football and Rugby Clubs to make the necessary temporary arrangements to ensure the teams have the facilities they need in the short-term whilst consultations and planning for the future of the park continue. Everything you have so far told us will be taken on board and any further contributions will be welcomed.

Council members are working hard and doing what we can to improve the area, as well as starting to develop our own Neighbourhood Development Plan. The Neighbourhood Development Plan is a very important project. If we want to have a big say in the type of environment Illogan Parish will enjoy in the future we must put in the work now. All volunteers will be welcomed. This is not a job for the Parish Council alone.

Things are tight just now as we all know and, as a result of careful forethought and budget shaping, I am proud that Illogan Parish Council hopes to take up, in a different but effective and efficient manner, some functions that Cornwall Council can no longer deliver.

Graham

CORNWALL COUNCILLOR: DAVID EKINSMYTH



First of all let me wish you all a happy and successful 2015. This is the season for making resolutions and planning all the things we would like to see happen in the future, and hopefully achieve some of them!

Since my last report the main business at Cornwall Council has been to approve the outline budget for the next four years which will have quite an impact on the way things are done locally. Government policy to cut the budget deficit has meant a 30% cut in available funding over the next four years and this will be passed down to local communities in one form or another. That is the bad news. The good news is that we will now have the opportunity to run many more things locally and be able to apply a local feel to the decisions made.

I am currently in discussions about having a sign to Illogan off the A30, putting us on the map as required by the Parish Plan.

A number of volunteers will be joining me in a Speed Watch Team whose role will be to gain information on reported speeding hotspots. This will enable us to formulate an action plan to make our roads safer.

Anyone who feels I can help them please contact me, particularly if it involves apparent blockages at Cornwall Council. Staff numbers are being cut substantially so some delays are inevitable but I may be able to help.

As a final thought I would be interested in your views on devolving more powers from Westminster to Cornwall as Cornwall Council is currently presenting the case. Many parts of the UK are doing the same, following the outcome of the Scottish referendum.

David

ILLOGAN PARISH COUNCIL MEETING DATES March, April and May

Full Council

March - 18th
April - 15th
May - 20th

Planning & Environment

March - 4th and 18th
April - 1st and 15th
May - 6th and 20th

There may be other meetings scheduled as and when required. Please see the Council's noticeboards and website for meeting updates, agendas and minutes.

Members of the public are invited to attend all Council meetings. If you would like any further information please contact the Clerk, Ms Sarah Willsher, at the Council Office.

Full contact details are on the back page of this Review.

BUDGET AND PRECEPT

The primary source of income for Illogan Parish Council comes from the Precept, which is a local tax collected by Cornwall Council on behalf of the Parish.

This money is required to run the Council and pay to maintain and improve the facilities, activities and services that the Parish Council provide and is the operational cost difference between expected expenditure and income (Budget) in any one year.

A proportion of this money is prudently held in reserve for either future planned projects and/or unexpected events.

Illogan Parish Council's budget for the 2015/2016 financial year has been set at £198,064.00 and the precept is £197,050.00.

Cllr Maggie Thompson

POLICE LIAISON

I recently attended the first meeting of the local police Liaison Committee. This has been set up to take the place of attendance by the police at our Full Council meetings. I must admit I had doubts as to the value of this but came away feeling reassured.

Local policing is still important and the police need to be informed of concerns that members of the public have. Whilst this Government are committed to keeping front line policing, officers now have to do more paperwork as the number of civilian staff is being cut.

The police are always looking to recruit specials and also volunteer drivers so that police cars are not tied up at court for hours.

The next meeting is in March so if there are concerns you would like raised, please let me know via the Clerk.

Cllr Margaret Roberts

EVENTS COMMITTEE

We meet regularly for approximately an hour in the evening at the Parish Office. Our members are enthusiastic, supportive and knowledgeable.

This year we will own Illogan Park and we want to encourage new members to join us and contribute to making the Park a fantastic facility.

Our calendar of events generally include:

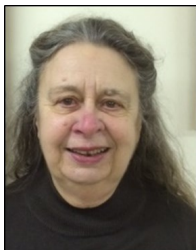
Parish Fair involvement
Christmas celebrations
Easter celebrations/events

and anything else that helps to make our parish a community!

Special thanks to all of our current committee members, Illogan School, the Village Fair committee and contributors, the Camborne Youth Band, Western Power and the landlords of the Robartes Arms and the New Inn.

Please contact Maggie Loxton (Chairman) on 01209 842124 or Lawrence Pavey (Vice Chairman) on 07855 764699 for more information and a warm welcome.

Cllr Maggie Loxton

WHO'S WORKING FOR YOU**Jean Pollock**

Dorset born of Scottish ancestry, I moved to Somerset in 1979 where I was a Frome Town and Mendip District Councillor. I am a retired Pipe Organ Builder's Assistant. I visited Cornwall for many years and moved to Illogan to marry Cllr Paul Holmes in a Cornish Language Ceremony at Bridge Chapel in 2013.

As well as being an accomplished violinist I am a Church Chorister at St. John's Church, Camborne and a member of Tereba Nessa, the Illogan-based Cornish Gorsedh Church Choir. I am an animal lover with three cats.

I was elected to Illogan Parish Council last year and serve on the Planning and Devolution Committees. I believe poverty is a serious problem in Cornwall and firmly believe we must protect the rural areas of our Parish and support its agricultural industry whilst still providing homes in the right places for local people and I trust my serving you will help to improve the area.

WHO'S WORKING FOR YOU**Veronica Cadby**

I was born in Birmingham but my parents took me to the countryside regularly, where I developed a love of wildlife and photography. I've written poetry since the age of 10 and enrolled as a mature student at college in order to obtain a better education.

My daughter still lives in the north of the country although I followed my parents to Cornwall some years ago.

In my working life I have been a secretary, laboratory assistant and activities coordinator for people with dementia.

My interests are wildlife, birds, writing, photography, books, antiques and gardening, as well as filling my head with as much information as possible – some probably useless! Hopefully some is valuable.

As a councillor my aim is to help care for our parish, its pensioners and the youth, and I believe open spaces and conservation are important concerns.

ILLOGAN PARISH FAIR

Saturday July 11th 2015

The Parish Fair Group is meeting regularly now and I am pleased to say plans are progressing well. As always we do need new offers of help and support, so please don't be shy, the more the merrier! If you would like to get involved in any way please get in touch on 01209 843845. We really do need your help.

This year we will be holding a grand raffle with printed tickets being sold in advance and at the fair. We are currently looking for offers of prizes and, in particular, we are looking for two special prizes and one grand prize which will be printed on the ticket. If you are able to help with a prize please phone 843845.

We are also keen to hear from charities and commercial stallholders wanting stall space at the fair. Please contact Jeanette at the Old School House Centre 01209 842999 for more information or visit the Illogan Parish Council website and download a booking form.

I am pleased to be able to confirm that the new hall at Illogan School will be our venue for the Horticultural and Domestic Show and the new school car park will offer close-by parking for disabled badge holders. Thank you to Mr Hague, the staff and school helpers for their continued support.

If you have a local business and would like to support the Fair by taking advertising space in the event programme please do get in touch and we can discuss sponsorship options. We print and distribute 500 programmes both in advance and on the day and for as little as £20 you could have your advert included. 01209 843845.

A last reminder that we have not yet selected someone to open the 2015 Fair. The only restriction for nomination is that it should be either someone from our Parish or someone who has done something significant for the benefit of the Parish. So if you would like to nominate someone please let us know and be sure to tell us why you are nominating them.

If you would like to help now or on the day or have something to exhibit please get in touch on 01209 843845.



MARY'S WELL

In the winter edition of the Review the Council called for volunteers to help maintain the trough at Mary's Well and we are delighted that Warne's Plants, Fraddam, Hayle have "picked up the trowel".

Warne's is a family run business producing quality hanging baskets and window boxes, supplying customers throughout Cornwall and Devon.

For every basket they sell, 50p goes to the Children's Hospice South West.

In 2014 they held a competition for the best floral display where all the donated entry fees went to the Hospice and they also ran a charity auction night. In total they raised £2,550.00 for the Hospice.

Later in the year, when you look at the flower display at Mary's Well, you will also see a small plaque acknowledging Warne's Plants for their very kind support.



ILLOGAN SCHOOL

In the Autumn Illogan Parish Council and Illogan School organised a Christmas Card competition for the pupils.

On 4 December during the School assembly the winners from the different age groups all received 10 printed personal copies of their Christmas card design as well as a selection box.

Left to right – Mya Holt, Jack Castle and Macy Dingle



Cllrs Maggie Loxton and Lawrence Pavey present Macy with her printed cards.

THE RAY UREN AWARD

Every year the Council asks the public for nominations for the Ray Uren Award. This Award is given to someone who has made an outstanding contribution to the community in any field outside paid professional employment.

Examples of those who have received the award in the past are Mrs Stella Rule for her work with the Methodist Chapel, youth work and annual pantomimes, to Mr David Dolling for his youth work and other community services such as the Royal British Legion, and you may recall last year's winner was Rachel Grenfell who acted swiftly in calling the emergency services when her mother took ill.

Ray Uren was an Illogan boy born and bred and a Burmah campaign veteran. He took a close interest in the life and affairs of Illogan and regularly attended the meetings of the parish council before becoming a local councillor for the last three years of his long life. The Award was set up in his memory.

If you would like to put someone's name forward, please contact Illogan Parish Council, Unit 2, Wheal Agar, Tolvaddon Energy Park, TR14 0HX, or email enquiries@illoganparishcouncil.gov.uk to request a nomination form. When returning the form, please remember to include a supporting statement for your nomination.

METHODIST CHURCH, PAYNTERS LANE END

Chapel Events



Sunday Morning Service
10:45am (local Preacher)
Sunday Evening Service
6:00pm (local Preacher)
All are welcome to attend.

Methodist Chapel Hall - Regular Events

Tuesdays 9.00am to 11.00am - Illogan Country Market
Tuesdays (alternate) 2.00pm - Fellowship
Tuesdays (alternate) 2.00pm - Card-making
Wednesdays 10.00am to 11.30am - Coffee Shop
Wednesdays 7.00pm - Friendship Club
1st Saturday of Month 10.00am to 11.30am - Coffee Morning

Methodist Chapel Hall - Special Events

Sat. 7 March	Table-top Sale	10.00am -12.00pm
Wed. 18 March	Jumble Sale	10.00am
Fri. 3 April	Good Friday Service	10.45am
Fri. 10 April	Easter Bunny Beetle	7.30pm

For further information contact Stella on 01209 842425.

METHODIST CHAPEL COUNTRY MARKET

A number of Items are for sale, including:

home-baked goods, savouries and cakes;
preserves, honey and chutneys;

free-range eggs;

fresh meat, individually wrapped, and supplied from a local farm butcher;

selection of vegetables, flowers and plants.

Additionally there are craft tables offering:

hand and machine-knitted items;

hand-made greetings cards;

many sewn items;

a display of woodcarver's skills.

We accept orders for items, and a gift parcel service is available for deliveries to friends and family.

Refreshments are also available.

We can deliver local orders.



ALLSORTS

Allsorts is a voluntarily run venue that is **FREE** to attend for local people who are retired, disabled or are affected by memory problems, etc. The idea is to provide the local community with a relaxing and enjoyable place to go where they can enjoy a break, share company and chat, and also access Easy Arts and Crafts. Many retired people become isolated because they are caring for their partners who have become unwell; others have been left bereaved and alone after losing their partner and some with disabilities have found themselves generally isolated. Each fortnight brings a new face, a new friend.

The Arts and Crafts, which include painting, finger-weaving with wool, knitting, crochet and card-making, are relaxed but cleverly structured by the facilitators. Many people who felt that they had no artistic talents are surprised and astonished to be producing works that are worthy of gracing any space.

The volunteers who facilitate Allsorts are mainly residents of Penwartha Road and they support each other to ensure smooth running of the venue. Events are held every other Wednesday; the hall is within easy walking distance from Illogan Village centre on the same side as Boots Pharmacy and is the centre part of the bungalow complex.

Allsorts looks forward to welcoming new friends and potential artists.

ALLSORTS

Befriending Illogan

All sorts of people doing Allsorts of things

Easy Art & Crafts

What will you do?

Penwartha Road Community hall
Illogan

Painting,
Card Making

Company
& Chat

Hand Weaving,
Knitting, Crochet,
Needle craft

Every other Wednesday
Morning 10- 12 & Afternoon 2 - 4
2015 DATES

Jan 7 th 21 st	May 4 th 18 th	Sep 2 nd 16 th 30 th
Feb 4 th 18 th	Jun 10 th 24 th	Oct 14 th 28 th
Mar 4 th 18 th	Jul 8 th 22 nd	Nov 11 th 25 th
Apr 1 st 15 th 29 th	Aug 5 th 19 th	Dec 9 th

Contact: AllSorts: Tel: 07814 081246
Email alertjane@btinternet.com

ST ILLOGAN PARISH CHURCH

Regular Services held at St. Illogan Church

1st Sunday

10.30am: Morning Worship, usually with Baptism
6.00pm: Holy Communion

2nd Sunday

10.30am: Holy Communion
6.00pm: Evening Prayer

3rd Sunday

10.30am: Matins or Celtic Morning Worship
6.00pm: Holy Communion

4th Sunday

10.30am: Holy Communion
6.00pm: Celtic Evening Prayer

5th Sunday

10.30am: Holy Communion
6.00pm: Taize Service

Wednesdays 2.30—3.30pm:

Handbell Ringing Group in the Parish Room.
Contact Sigrid on 842839 for more details.

Regular Services held in St. Mary's Church, Portreath

Wednesdays

9.15am: Holy Communion (Lifts are available)
Home Groups meet throughout the Parish

Regular Events held in the Parish Room

3rd Tuesday

12.00 noon: Parish lunches served for £3.50

3rd Wednesday

2.30pm: Women's Fellowship

Thursdays

9.00am: Tea and Toast; Slimming Club
10.15 -12.15pm(term time only): Stay and Play toddler group

Fridays

2.00 – 4.00pm: Tea and Fellowship with home-made cakes and jams for sale. Healthy veggie boxes are available at £6.50 and £5.00 with 7 mainly local items.

The Church is always open on Friday afternoons (except Good Friday) for tea and a chat.

3rd Saturday 3.30pm to 5.30pm

Messy Church—Treloweth Community Hall

Sundays

4.30pm: 30-minute Teatime Service followed by a Bring and Share tea

The Parish Room is available for hire.

Churchyard Tidying is usually done on Wednesday and Thursday mornings. Please contact Andrew on 842316 or David on 831465 for further details.

The monthly LINK Magazine is available from the Church, Co-op, Pooleys or Post Office for 35p.

Stay and Play Group at St. Illogan Church (Ages 0 to 4):

Thursday mornings 10.15 to 12.15 (term time only). Meet in the Parish Room at the back of the Church. Each family pays £1.00 to cover the cost of craft items and refreshments.

PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL—THURSDAY 5 MARCH, 7.30 pm AT ST. MARY'S, PORTREATH

MOBILE LIBRARY: SPRING STOPS



In our Spring 2014 edition of the Review we advised that it was likely there would be changes to the mobile library provision and we have now learnt that the service for Illogan and other parishes has been radically reduced. There will now only be one stop (outside the Robartes Arms, Robartes Terrace) and it will be every four weeks. The dates for the next three months are:

Thursday 5 March
Thursday 2 April
Thursday 30 April
Thursday 28 May

Cornwall Council are looking into the possibility of one or more micro libraries for our area where a small collection of approximately 200 books would be housed, and we hope to provide more information on these in a future edition.

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Telephone 0300 123 4111 or visit the Cornwall Library at www.cornwall.gov.uk for further information.

Cornwall Council's Voluntary Housebound Service is available monthly (individual requirements assessed). Please contact as above.

GARDENER'S CORNER

Courtesy of Trevenson Garden Centre

As we now leave the Winter season it's time to start feeling the excitement of another fresh year as we welcome the onset of Spring.

By now you should have:

- recycled the Christmas tree;
- started to ventilate greenhouses;
- dug over any vacant plots;
- repaired and re-shaped lawns;
- started to plan vegetable crop rotations for the coming season;
- continued feeding the wildlife.

February sees the garden starting to come to life again as light levels and temperatures slowly increase. Whilst keeping an eye on weather forecasts it's now time to:

- prune shrubs such as Wisteria, winter-flowering shrubs that have finished and hardy evergreen hedges;
- prepare vegetable seed beds;
- plant shallots, onion sets and early potatoes;
- chit potato tubers;
- keep the garden tidy;
- net fruit and vegetable crops to keep the birds off.

March sees in the start of the Spring season with (hopefully!) an increase in sunny days, giving us the opportunity to get out and about in the garden. Main jobs include:

- planting summer-flowering bulbs;
- lifting and dividing perennials;
- freshening up containers with compost;
- if needed, mowing the lawn on dry days (!!!);
- dealing with the weeds as they begin to make a comeback;
- opening greenhouse and conservatory doors and vents on sunny days.

You won't need reminding that the weather has a mind of its own and doesn't always do what it should, so keep an eye on forecasts and conditions and plan your gardening jobs accordingly.

All advice and tips are given based on normal seasonal trends but if you are in any doubt regarding particular weather conditions please feel free to visit us at Trevenson Moor Garden Centre where we will be happy to answer any questions.

Fingers crossed the weather behaves itself and we all have an enjoyable and productive start to the gardening year.

USEFUL MEDICAL INFORMATION

Homecroft Surgery

Voguebeloth, Illogan, TR16 4ET

Telephone: 01209 843843

Fax: 01209 842027

Out of Hours: 01209 843843

Harris Memorial Surgery

Robartes Terrace, Illogan, TR16 4RX

Appointments: 01209 842449

Dispensary: 01209 842894

Secretaries: 01209 842515

Fax: 01209 842380

Out of Hours: 01209 842449

Further information on the services available from these and other nearby surgeries can be obtained online. *Google: [Illogan Doctors Surgeries](#)*. Your GP will have information and contact numbers on every support service available in the area.

Boots Pharmacy

Basset Road, Illogan, TR16 4SS

Telephone: 01209 843856

Monday to Friday: 9.00am to 6.00pm

Saturday: 9.00am to 1.00pm

Sunday: Closed

Free Eye Tests as Home

R.A.D. Francis B.Sc (Hons) F.B.D.O.

01209 844703 or 0800 756 1116

Out of hours 07863 814 444

Email: ldefrancis@aol.com

Camborne Redruth Community Hospital: Minor Injuries Unit (MIU)

Barncoose Terrace Redruth Cornwall TR15 3ER.

Telephone 01209 886150

The Minor Injuries Unit is open every day (including public holidays) between 8.00am and 10.00pm. Staff aim to see patients as quickly as possible and generally waiting times are less than in an A&E department.

If your injury is not serious, you can get help at an MIU, allowing A&E staff to concentrate on people with serious, life-threatening conditions.

The Radiology (X-Ray) department is open Monday to Friday from 9.00am to 5.00pm.

ILLOGAN VILLAGE HALL



What's on at Illogan Village Hall

(By Stephen Turner)

I sincerely hope you can come along to see the Illogan Players pantomime, Aladdin, in the new theatre here at the hall on either Thursday 26th, Friday 27th or Saturday 28th February.

Special thanks are due to Bronia Saunders, who has invested so much of her time and expertise to direct the show, to the many members of the cast, crew and backroom team, all of whom are residents of the Parish (or very close by) for giving up countless weeks of their free time. Special thanks are also due to the regular users of the hall who have obliged us by agreeing to move temporarily to Illogan School (thanks Mr Hague and Staff) or who have altered their normal hall use and finally to Cllr David Ekinsmyth for supporting the improvements made to the Hall in order to put on the show.

As you can see from our list of clubs the Village Hall continues to offer a broad range of activities for all age groups so, if you haven't done so already, why not pop along to the hall and try one out. These taster sessions are usually free.

Treasurer needed! The Indoor Sports and Recreation Club are looking for a new Treasurer. If you think you can help please contact them on the usual number 843845.

Helping with the running of the Village Hall is also a great way to get involved in community activities. You might like to join the management committee or may have some free time and can help in more practical ways. Please phone Steve on 843845 for an informal chat about how you might be able to help out. We also have a Facebook page which, if you join, will enable you to keep abreast of latest developments and forthcoming events.

Hire of the Village Hall

The Village Hall is a welcoming, warm and friendly retreat and is available at weekends for birthday parties and other social events. It only costs £30 to hire the main hall (including kitchen) for one off events for either a morning, afternoon or evening 4hr session.

Facilities available include the main hall, a fully equipped kitchen and a smaller 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.

Regular Activities

The following groups meet on a regular basis at Illogan Village Hall.

Indoor Sports & Recreation Club

Table Tennis, Pool & Air Hockey

Mondays from 6.30pm to 8.00pm for families & Under 18s Term time only. 01209 843845.

Art Group

Tuesdays from 2.00 -4.00pm

Youth Group for teenagers

Tuesdays from 6.30pm.

Some Saturdays (check with youth leaders for details).

Slimming World

Tuesdays from 6.30pm. 01209 215653.

Bridge Stitchers and Crafters

1st and 3rd Wednesday each month

1.30pm - 4.30pm.

01736 757726.

1st Redruth Guides

Wednesdays (term time only)

7.00pm to 9.00pm.

01209 210767 or email 1stredruthguides@gmail.com

Womens Institute

1st & 3rd Wednesdays 7.30pm to 9.30pm.

01209 890512.

Hatha Yoga

Thursdays 10.30 – 12.00 noon.

1st Illogan Scouts

Thursdays (term time only) - 01209 843845:

5.00 – 6.00pm Beavers (5 ¾ - 8yrs)

6.00 – 7.30pm Cubs (8 – 10 ½yrs)

7.30 – 9pm Scouts (10 ½ - 14yrs)

Stamp Your Art Out

1st Thursday of each month 7.00pm to 9.00pm.

01209 699543.

U3A Ladies Canasta Club

Fridays 2pm - 4.30pm

Cornwall Scale Modellers

Fridays 7.00pm to 10.00pm.

01736 757726

THE OLD SCHOOL CENTRE

Churchtown, Illogan TR16 4SW 01209 842999

Email: oldschoolcentre@outlook.com



Events

March - Saturday 21st 11am to 4.00pm

Illogan Artists Exhibition - Display of Art and Craft by local Artists.

Free Entry.

April - Tuesday 7th 10.30am to 12.30pm

Signs of Spring with Alison Forward. Family and Children's activities, Includes a Spring Walk. Refreshments of hot chocolate and buns. 50p per child.

May - Saturday 9th 7.00pm to 10.00pm

Popular Fellside Recording Artist Bram Taylor
£5 entry fee. Tickets now available.

June - Saturday 13th 10.00am to 12.30pm

Dogs' Day Out (and pasty lunch)
Circular walk followed by pasty lunch. Pay for your pasty and a £1 donation to the Centre.

July - Saturday 11th - 11.00am to 5.00pm

Illogan Parish Fair
We will be hosting the art exhibition, sale of books, crafts exhibition and refreshments.

Regular Classes

Saturdays

Saturday Yoga with Amy (postponed until September as Amy is on Maternity Leave). Contact Amy Jones 07967 501985 for more info.

Sundays

7pm to 9pm Illogan Short Mat Bowls 'roll up' (September to April).

Mondays

10.30am to 12noon Over 50's Exercise 'Core' Group
£2.00 per session.

Drop in welcome. First session free.

6.45pm to 7.45pm FitSteps Lynette Cavill 07749 622271

7.30pm to 9.00pm Reiki Share 1st Monday of Month (not Bank Holidays)

Tim Salisbury 07719669444 / 01209 212662

Tuesdays

9.30am to 11.00am Little Frogs Sing and Sign

Siobhan Florence 01209 203909 or 07976 114537

9.30am to 10.30am Pilates Helen Kinane 01209 200726

5.30pm to 6.30pm Pilates Progressive/Improvers Classes
Helen Kinane 01209 200726

6.30pm to 7.30pm Qi Gong / Tai Chi with Dave Sowden
07791 042260

Wednesdays

6.00pm to 8.00pm Calligraphy with Stephane Rouget
(March / Dec term time)

07837 059085 or stephane@threecirclesdesign.com

6.30pm to 8.30pm Yoga with Jock Orton 07770 440300

Thursdays

9.30am to 10.30am

Pilates 'Gentle' Class Helen Kinane 01209 200726

11.00am to 12.15pm MS Society Yoga 01209 832108

2.00pm to 4.00pm Short Mat Bowls Triples 01209 211428

6.30pm to 7.30pm Pilates Class (mixed ability)

Helen Kinane 01209 200726

7.00pm to 9.00pm Monthly Talks and Demos by
Federation of Holistic Therapists

Contact Jenny Blake on 01736 788472

Fridays

11.00am to 4.00pm Kerrier Home Education Group. See
website kheg.weebly.com for details, or contact the
Centre.

5.45pm to 6.45pm Rainbows

7pm to 10pm Illogan Short Mat Bowls League matches
(Sept to April) Chris Penaluna 01209 211428

Friends

Become a Friend of the Old School Centre for just £1 per year, 1st October to 30th September. Friends will receive newsletters etc. via email, an additional £4 to be paid for communication via postal service. 'Friends of the Old School Scheme' offers 'friends' free entry to some of our Charity run events and exclusive discounts for room bookings during off peak periods and party hire, also free refreshments at selected events on production of a valid Friends of the Old School Membership Card.

For a Friends application form, contact the Centre Manager, Old School Centre, Nance Lane, Churchtown, Illogan TR16 4SW (please enclose a stamped addressed envelope if applying by post) or email

oldschoolcentre@outlook.com for an application form.

Charity Membership

The Old School Centre is a registered Charity. The Illogan Old School Community Centre is a Membership Association. If you would like to become a member of the Charity and become involved in its work and development, membership forms are available from the Centre (as detailed above). Membership costs £6 per year and includes communication via email (an additional £4 is required for postal communication).

Christmas Raffle winners

Luxury Hamper - Carol Short, Wine and Cheese Hamper - Becky Diston, Meat Hamper - Maggie Thompson, Bonus Hamper - Lyn Parker.

Christmas Crafts Evening

We enjoyed a performance by the Illogan Handbell Ringers and some lovely rustic Christmas Wreaths were made.

GRAPEVINE COMMUNITY CHURCH

You are warmly invited to any of our weekly events. Just drop in and say hello. You will receive a friendly welcome. Who knows what God will do? Big blessings!



Toddler Church Mondays 10-11am. Singing, crafts and Bible stories.

Buddies Youth Group 8 -11s. Tuesday evenings 6.00 - 7.20pm

Rock Solid Youth Club 11- 14s. Tuesday evenings 7.00 - 8.30pm

Pips Parent and Toddler Group Wednesday mornings 10.00 - 12.00pm

20-30s Bible Discussion Group Wednesdays 7.45 – 9.30pm Barncoose

Bible study Tuesday afternoons (Illogan) and Wednesday evenings (Portreath)

Oasis Prayer Time Thursday evenings 7.30pm

Open Doors coffee mornings. Fridays 10.30am – 12.00

Sunday Services and **Kid's Sunday Club** Every Sunday, 10.30am – 12.30

We'd love to meet you.

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I am delighted to be able to let you know that the construction phase of the Camborne, Pool, Redruth and Hayle Emergency Cover programme is progressing well. The Hayle Emergency Services Community Station is due to be completed at the end of January 2015 and will be opening in March 2015.

We anticipate that the construction of the CPR Community Fire Station at Tolvaddon will be completed in March 2015 and the Service Headquarters will follow in the summer. This will, of course, be subject to sustained periods of inclement weather which may cause delays with the construction process.



CFO Paul Walker, Head of Community Safety

COMMUNITY CHOIR



We had our first choir get together on Tuesday 20 January at 7.45pm. It was wonderful to have the youth choir choose to stay for it. They really helped!

Altogether we had 35 people there. It was a bit squashed which meant it was difficult to manoeuvre into position but we learnt "Lean on Me" in three parts and made a great first sound.

The Village Hall has turned out to be a bit too small for our needs so the choir has moved to St Illogan Church. The space is bigger and we will be able to grow.

Do invite anyone you know who may like to come and join us! It's not necessary to be able to read music - we will be of all sorts of standards - and that's fine. If you can hold a tune(ish) and like singing, great!

Rev'd Steve Robinson

SCOUTING IN ILLOGAN

Our dedicated team of leaders, assistants and parent helpers had a well earned rest over the festive period and in the New Year threw themselves into putting together another programme of fantastic activities, fun trips out and other amazing opportunities for all three sections here in Illogan. Our programmes are designed to help our members develop their teambuilding and interpersonal skills, whilst having lots of fun and making new friends along the way.

Beaver section's focus is always on Fun and Friends and is a good introduction to Scouting. Beavers helps our 5½ to 8 year olds to make that all important step of doing fun things without parents or teachers having to watch over them. They get to do lots of creative activities indoors as well as the chance to explore nature and the local area.

Our Cubs (8 to 10 ½ years) are currently focusing on the end of term Gang Show (involving Beavers and Scouts too) and which parents, family and invited friends are welcome to come along to. The other focus for the term is the Promise Challenge Badge. In order for Cubs to get their Chief Scouts Silver Award they have to complete a number of different challenges. The Promise Challenge Badge requires Cubs to demonstrate how they keep to their Cub Scout 'Promise and Law' which involves doing something for our community. This term the Cubs have so far been to a Film Night at Godolphin with all the other Cub Packs from the District. Later this term they will be paying a second visit to Tesco Extra to learn more about where our food comes from, taking part in a District Chess and Draughts competition and will be going on an evening activity hike with the Scouts. There's always lots to do with our Cub section.

Our Scouts' (10 ½ to 14years) focus for this term is on the Creative. Just like Cubs, our Scouts work on a different Challenge Badge each term. If they achieve 8 or more challenge badges then they can get the Chief Scouts Gold Award. Two of our Scouts, Pete and Dan achieved this last term and recently collected their certificates at a prestigious ceremony in Truro. It is a sad time for us as it is also Pete and Dan's last term with us. Now that they have turned 14 they have to move on to Explorer section at Camborne or Redruth. We wish them well and hope to see them back one day as Young Leaders. Our Scouts have already taken part in the Scouts District Bake Off competition and whilst we don't have a Mary Berry amongst them yet, some are showing signs of promise and did a very good job. Well done all. Later this term Scouts will be taking part in the evening activity hike as well as a Sunset to Sunrise hike and the end of term Gang Show. There is also a Patrol Camp competition which I am hoping our Scouts will be up for.

I am pleased to say that we still have spaces in all sections, as members are moving up into other sections

every term. At only £22 per term, Scouting in Illogan represents great value for money. Phone (01209 843845) or email (enquiries@bridgehr.co.uk) and we will arrange for your child to come along for three free taster sessions without obligation.

Steve Turner
Asst Scout Leader,
1st Illogan Scout Group

1st Illogan Scout Group

At the Illogan Village Hall

Thursdays (term time only)

5.00pm – 6.00pm: **Beavers** (5 3/4 – 8 yrs)

6.00pm – 7.30pm: **Cubs** (8 – 10 1/2 yrs)

7.30pm – 9.00pm: **Scouts** (10 1/2 - 14yrs)

Contact Steve Turner on 01209 843845, or email
steve@bridgehr.co.uk

Helpers and Leaders are always needed.

Brownies (7–10/11 yrs)

at the **Methodist Church Hall**

Thursdays 6:00 – 7:30pm

Contact Elaine Spinks 313942 or
despinks@hotmail.co.uk

A few vacancies are currently available.

Rainbows (5 - 7 years)

Rainbows is the first step in the Guiding family and is for girls aged from 5 to 7. Illogan Rainbows meets on a Friday evening and now has spaces for some more girls to come and join the fun.

If you have a daughter aged between 5 and 7 who would enjoy an hour of fun, games and craft with friends please ring the Leader of the Rainbow group - Jenni Edwards on 07522 293574 for details of times and venue.

HARRIS MILL HALL

For general enquiries contact

John Cloney or Maureen Wynn on 01209 217010

The Illogan Folk Dance Group

(contact Fran on 01209 217918) meet on the
1st, 3rd and 5th Thursday each month at 7.00pm

Upcoming dates are:

March	5	19	
April	2	16	30
May	7	21	

TEHIDY COUNTRY PARK

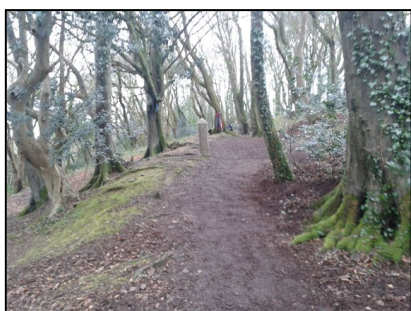


Events

Hundreds of people enjoyed Rogue Theatre's 'Winter Wood' adventures and storytelling at the end of December. Look out for their return with more events through the coming year.

Woodland Management

If you've been out and about in the woods in the last few months you will have seen the tree felling which has been carried out along the sides of some of the main tracks. This is to let some light into areas of the woodland and to create a more diverse age structure for the benefit of wildlife. As these areas are



allowed to re-grow over the next few years look out for a wider range of wild flowers appearing along the path verges as well as birds, bats and

butterflies which will all make use of these open spaces within the woods.

The historic Pine Walk has also had a bit of attention over the winter, with low branches being removed as the pines begin to mature into an avenue of sizeable trees.

Waymarkers

If you visit the country park regularly you probably know your way around, but for first-time visitors the maze of paths can be quite confusing. To help people find the best bits of the woods there are information boards near each of the car parks and leaflets available from the Park Café which show a range of colour-coded routes.

These are marked with wooden posts at the path junctions but some of the arrows have become hard to see so they are going to be updated with new coloured discs.

Volunteers

Over the winter volunteers have been busy helping with all sorts of work around the park. Recent tasks have included installing an additional picnic bench, not far from the South

Drive car park, and clearing a footpath which leads to a stone post inscribed with the words 'To the house 1 mile'. This grade II listed structure is believed to have once marked an area around Tehidy House where hunting or shooting was not permitted.

The Tehidy Country Park volunteer group meets on the first Friday of each month. The sessions are led by Cormac Solutions countryside rangers and are open to all. They run from 10.00am to 1.00pm.



If you would like to get involved please contact Cormac Solutions at countryside@cormacltd.co.uk or

ILLOGAN JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB



Training Times: Wednesday nights at Cornwall College:

u6, u7, u8, u9, u10 - 5.30pm to 6.30pm

u11, u12, u13, u14 - 6.30pm to 7.30pm

Girls Football—Thursday nights at Pool School:

u10, u12, u14, u16 - 6.00pm to 7.00pm

The whole youth section of Illogan Junior Football Club continues to grow and flourish, with all teams having a great season. Home fixtures are on a Sunday at the football club.

Come along and catch a match and see the stars of the future!

We are currently working with local schools to provide football sessions for girls and all abilities are also welcome to our sessions on a Thursday night.

Please visit our club website www.illoganjfc.co.uk

ILLOGAN WOMEN'S INSTITUTE



2015 is the centenary of the Women's Institute movement in Britain. Why not make this the year when you discover what we have to offer, why we have lasted so long and how we are as relevant today as we have been for the last 100 years? **Come and join Illogan Women's Institute**, a place where women of all ages can meet socially to share experiences, learn new or old skills and have fun! We meet twice a month, on the first and third Wednesday of each month. The meetings start at 7:30 pm and are held in Illogan Village Hall, Nance Road, Churchtown, Illogan, REDRUTH. TR16 4BB

WANT TO KNOW MORE? Contact Janet Mitchell on **01209 890512** or Monica Wilkes **01209 843082**, e-mail: monicawilkes1@hotmail.co.uk, or just come along to one of our meetings. We would be delighted to see you.

- Wednesday 4 March 2015 Country Dance evening with Frances Oates – 7:30 pm in Illogan Village Hall.
- Wednesday 18 March 2015 Spring Flower Show with floral art demonstration – 7:30 pm Village Hall
- Wednesday 01 April 2015 'Garden Visitors' – Mrs Pat Ward – 7:30 pm in Illogan Village Hall.
- Wednesday 15 April 2015 'My favourite cheese recipe' (In house cookery competition) – 7:30 pm in Illogan Village Hall.
- Wednesday 06 May 2015 'An evening with Joyce Grenfell' Yvonne Toms (TBC) - 7:30 pm in Illogan Village Hall.
- Wednesday 27 May 2015 Wild flower walk on Gwithian Towans with Colin French—meet at Gwithian by 6:30 pm.
- Wednesday 03 June 2015 Craft demonstration – 7:30 pm in Illogan Village Hall
- Wednesday 17 June 2015 A guided walk around Camborne with David Thomas – meet in Camborne at 6:30 pm.

ILLOGAN HANDBELL RINGERS

We meet on Wednesdays at 2.30pm in the Parish Room of St. Illogan Church (except third Wednesdays at St. Mary's Church Hall, Portreath)

Our aims are to have fun learning to play the handbells, to enjoy making music and to share that joy with others.

You can find us under 'What's On' at www.saint-illogan.org.uk. We're looking to start a group (18+) meeting in the evening, possibly at the Old School Centre. You don't need to know about music, just enjoy music and be able to count!

If you'd like to play or to learn, or would like us to play for you please contact Sigrid (01209 842839) or Liz via the St. Illogan website.

TRELOWETH CHILDREN'S CENTRE

Looking for something to do with your little ones? Why not pop in to Treloweth Children's Centre. We run groups mainly aimed at under 5's with a focus on learning through play.

There are a number of different sessions available, each suited to different age groups. These include our '**Babbling Baby**' session which is suitable for pre walkers, up to the adventurous 4 year olds who can join in messy play and the more physical activities of '**Little Learners**'.

For families registered with a Children's Centre, we have **Citizens Advice Bureau** here fortnightly on the 2nd and 4th Monday in the month. For a CAB appointment please call the Children's Centre to book an appointment.

The health team are here on the following dates for a drop in **Baby Weighing Clinic**:

March 6th April 10th, May 1st from 1:00 -2:00 pm

If you would like more information on any of the activities we provide and the support services available, then please pop in and see us and pick up our latest 'What's On Guide'.

Some of the sessions require prior booking. We are open from 9:00am - 5:00pm Monday to Friday. We are situated behind Treloweth Primary School on Higher Broad Lane TR13 3JL

Telephone: 01209 314510/314872

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

THE CREDIT CARD SCAM



An unsuspecting member of the public recently received a phone call from someone who said he was from a firm called 'Express Couriers', asking if she was going to be home because there was a package for her.

An hour later, a uniformed delivery man turned up with a basket of flowers and a bottle of wine. She was surprised since it did not involve any special occasion and asked who had sent such a gift. The delivery man replied that a card was being sent. There was also a consignment note with the gift.

He went on to explain that because the gift contained alcohol, there was a delivery charge of £3.50 as proof that he had actually delivered the package to an adult, as opposed to leaving it on the doorstep where it could be stolen. This sounded logical and she offered to pay by cash. He then said that the Company required payment by credit or debit card so that everything was properly accounted for. She produced her credit card which he swiped on the mobile credit card machine with a small screen and keypad. The delivery man asked her to put in the PIN and security number and a receipt was printed out and handed over.

To the lady's horrible surprise, within five days £4,000 had been withdrawn from her account by various methods. The "mobile credit card machine" which the delivery man carried had all the information necessary in order to create a "dummy" card with all her details.

The lady notified her bank and the card account was closed immediately. She also informed the police who confirmed that this type of scam had been targeted at several households nationwide.

WARNING: Be wary of accepting any "surprise gift" or "package" - especially from someone with a little small mobile credit card machine.

Barry Thomas

"Hold a Fish and Chip Supper to help spinal cord injured people"

Great British Fish and Chip Supper – Friday 15th May 2015

Want to eat Fish and Chips, while raising money for charity? Hold a fish and chip supper on Friday 15th May 2015 whilst raising awareness of spinal cord injury and supporting SIA's vital services. You can hold a fish and chip supper in your own home, at work or hold a larger supper at your local community centre.



SIA will provide a fundraising pack containing hints and tips, recipes, invitations and donation envelopes. By inviting 8 friends and asking them to donate an additional £5.00 means you will raise at least £40.00 from your supper but we will also give you additional fundraising ideas to raise even more money for SIA.

In 2015 we want to make the batter matter and raise £40,000 from everyone holding suppers. Last year we raised £20,000 from the suppers.

The money raised from the suppers will help the Spinal Injuries Association offer support to individuals who become paralysed and their families, from the moment a spinal injury occurs, and for the rest of their lives by providing services and publications which enable and encourage paralysed people to rebuild lives after spinal cord injury.

Every year in the UK over 1,000 people experience a spinal cord injury and there are an estimated 40,000 spinal cord injured people in the UK alone.

Community Fundraising Manager, Elizabeth Wright, says, "The Fish and Chip Supper is a wonderful opportunity for a great evening with friends and family. We are also encouraging people who work to hold a Fish and Chip Lunch in their work places to raise even more funds. You may be even a local community group wanting to run a fun evening with your group.

For more information or request a fundraising pack call Elizabeth Wright on 0845 071 4350 or email fundraising@siafishandchips.co.uk or visit www.siafishandchips.co.uk

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We are here to help. Contact your Parish Councillor if there are local issues that you would like to discuss.