

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

COMMUNITY POLICEMAN.... Sergeant Tillyer of Tavist ock Police attended the council meeting and reported to the councillors, that the new Community Policeman will be Constable Larry Base. It is hoped that he will be taking up his post soon, and will be given a Ford Fiesta van for transport.

REFUSE COLLECTION.... As a result of Parish Council communications with the West Devon Borough Council, about the lack of refuse collection on bank holidays, and an article on this subject in the Tavistook Times, Mr. Goffey from the Borough Council has said he would be very pleased to come and explain the situation to our Councillors. It is hopped that he might be able to attend the next Parish Council meeting in July.

BUS SHELTER.... It was reported that the repairs to Brentor's bus shelter are now in progress.

COMMEMORATIVE MUGS.... A letter was read out from Mrs. Carol Haythornethwaite, Chairman of Mary Tavy County Primary School Parent Teachers association. It asked the councillors if they would re-consider their decision not to contribute Parish Council money towards the cost of commemorative mugs for Brentor children at Mary Tavy School.

After much discussion, the Councillors decided to let their decision remain the same.

PARKING The dangerous parking still continuing down the side of the road by John Allen's Forge and by the Methodist Church was discussed again. Sergeant Tillyer mentioned that there might be a possibility of yellow lines along this stretch of road.

LANGSTONE FOOT PATH Mr. Clive Downing is to walk this foot path to check it is clear.

THE GERRY SEAT The policy, held by Brentor Parish Council with the Cornhill Insurance Company, to cover council property in the Village, unfortunately has no material damage section. The Company can therefore not assist with the repair of the cracked, Gerry Seat, as the council had hoped.

RED CROSS SOCIETY Mrs. Jennifer Venning is to be the new Red Cross link in Brentor and can also provide information about the Red Cross.

CLERK'S SALARY It was proposed by Councillor Mr. Reeve and seconded by Councillor Mr. Biggs that this years salary should be £ 180.

GRAND FAYRE

As most of you know by now, this year St. Mary Tay School are celebrating their 150th Anniversary. On the 28th June, we are holding a GRAND FAYRE to commemorate the occassion. It will be held at the Coronation Hall and Field. The Gates open at 1.30pm. The Fayre will be officially ppened by POSTMAN PAT at 2.30pm. A Baby Show, Puppet Show, Fire Engine, Guess the weight of the Fleece, Cake Competition, Majorettes, Pony Rides and Barbeque are just a few of the events planned to take place. For further information, please contact me on Chillaton 247.

We also require Patio or Garden tables and chairs for the refreshments stand. If you could help with this, please contact Sue Ball on Mary Tavy

Nikki Gabb (M.T. 686) is doing a Bottle Stall for the Fayre. So, all donations of any kind of bottle(eg. tomato sauce, soft drinks, wine etc) will be gratefully received.

Another important day is Wednesday 25th June. There will be an OPEN DAY at Mary Tavy School. Every one is invited. The children and staff are doing an exhibition on the Past 150 years of their school and the children will dress for the occassion. It will be a very memorable day we hope to see as many of you as possible on these days, our 150th Jackie Davey (M.T. School PTA)

BRENTOR CHURCH HALL REPAIR FUND.

The Community Centre have, as their contribution to this fund, organised a Clothes party. This will be by "Hoggin the Field of Fashion", on Wednesday June 11th 1986. from 10.30am - 12.00 Noon. and 7.30pm - 9.00pm

Just pop in to the Church hall and see a wide range of Ladies and childrens clothing.

Sandra Johnson.

BRENTOR METHODIST NEWS.

The coffee morning on 10th May was a great success and sincere thanks are extended to all who supported it. Proceeds amounted to £104. 50p.

Special thanks to Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Woodford for their help in "Cleaning Operation", on the previous Thursday and for so willingly giving of their time on Saturday to help serve coffee and do the washing up. Unity indeed.

Stella Claringbold.

BRENTOR W.L. stager of exisqer odd fad

Another year gone by and time once again to discuss the resolutions on which all W.I. delegates will be voting at the A.G.A. in the Royal Albert Hall early in June. This year these resolutions cover such topics as Education for Dyslexic children, Penalties for Child Abuse and AIDS, as well as the ruls and constitution of the W.I. and the reaffirmation of past mandates. The President extended a warm welcome to the V.C.O. Mrs. Maytum who gave members a very clear and detailed explanation of the resolutions before they finally decided how they wanted their delegate, Mrs. Sibley, to vote on their behalf. A well earned vote of thanks was proposed to Mrs. Maytum by Mrs. Bodman.

Monthly Institute business included a comprehensive report on the Spring Council Meeting from Mrs. Dunkley. Arrangements were made for the June outing members opting to visit Sibleyback Lake (let's hope the "Clerk of the Weather")

is in A letter to Sir Peter Mills supporting his suggestion for a Tavistock by-pass rather than the Council's plans was circulated for members signatures.

The flower of the month was won by Mrs. Brew. 2nd Mrs. Pritchard,

3rd Miss Everall.

Diary Dates. Thurs. 5th June. Outing to Sibleyback Lace. Depart 11AM. Brentor War Memorial. Thurs. 5th July. Jewish Home Life. Mrs. Hurst. 2.30pm. Thurs. 7th Aug. Garden Meeting. Raheen, Down Road.

Marion Pritchard.

Many thanks to all the people who supported and contributed towards our recent Coffee morning and 50/50 Sale. We are delighted to say we made a grand total of £83.44 which is desperately needed for new equipment.

Thank you one and all again.

Lasy end wood Jenny Radford.

A run has been organised by request. This will take place on Sunday June 15th at 3 o'clock. The route will be from: - St. Michaels Mead along to the Blacksmiths, right on to the Lydford road to the gate of the Playing Fields, around the Playing Field and out via the gate by the Pavilion, right and back to the village and refreshments at St. Michaels Mead.

Entrance is 50p per person or free if a child is sponsored. The money raised will go towards the Commemorative mugs for the children and any surplus

to the Church Hall Repair Fund.

Cot & matress in good condition. £20. Contact Mary Tavy 403 for further details.

CHURCE NEWS

Confirmation Service

There is to be a Confirmation Service with Holy Communion at Lydford Parish Church on Tuesday 10th June at 7.30 p.m. This will be conducted by the new Diocesan Bishop of Exeter and will afford an opportunity for seeing him for the first time within the parishes of the team - which of course includes the parish of Brent Tor. Incidentally this is not a typing error for this is how the name of the ecdesiastical

pa rish is still spelt.

It is hoped that there will be a contingent of people at this service from Brentor although there are no candidates this year. So why not

come along to meet the Bishop!

CHURCH HALL

It should not be long before the Bridge Agency begin work on the Hall so there is an urgent need of additional funds for the materials needed, as mentioned in last month's Brentor News.

Some of the organisations which use the Hall regularly are already busy fund raising and it is hoped that more will follow. In the meantime do not forget to reserve Saturday 12th July for the grand fair and barbecue. Why not have your own stall? It is hoped to make this a real fun occasion to mark the end of the

school summer term.

Jennifer Venning's Coffee Morning with hymn requests in the Church on Ascension Day raised £32 towards the Hall funds. Congratulations to Jennifer and her helpers for an enjoyable and rewarding occasion!

Parish Council News continued.....

STAGS HEAD.... While the council appreciated that alterations to the entrance and area were taking place, they felt they were taking rather a long time and it was rather spoiling the area around the Tor.

INSURANCE.... The Parish Council's premium with the Cornhill Insurance Company, to cover Council property in the Village is now £21 per annum.

BOWLS The annual Parish Councils Bowls match is to be in The Meadows in Tavistock on July 14th at 6.15pm.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING Monday July 21st, at 7.30pm in the Village HAll. Gill Gorbutt

STRAWBERRY TEA

There will be a Strawberry Tea, in aid of the Church Hall Repair Fund, on Saturday, July 5th at The Brentor Inn. at 3.00pm onwards. There will be a Bring and Buy and Raffle.

HELP NEEDED

Experienced Horseperson wanted, to look after four Ponies/Horses, tack and Stables. This in exchange for riding and tuition. Phone Mary Tavy 494.

The cream tea held on June 1st at Sally and Hugh Wetherbee's was a great success and their lovely garden lent itself to the occassion. It was held in aid of the Church Hall repair fund and the Sunday School and the final profit was £66.02. This will be shared between the two causes. Many thanks to all those who contributed to the bring and buy etc. and came and had the tea.

SPONSORED WALK

The sponsored walk in memory of Jean Whitfield and for leukemia research was a very happy occassion. The weather was just right, cool but dry and the walk was really beautiful. The hedgerows at the moment are abundant with wild flowers and the woods with bluebells, and/whole walk was lined with them all. It was definately a 10 mile walk! but it was well worth it. So far, just over £100 has been raised, thanks to all those who sponsored the walkers. Thanks too, to Dennis and Ann Young who did all the organising and made it such a successful day. Ann's tea and biscuits waiting at the end of the walk in the Village Hall tasted wonderful!

Gill Gorbutt

ARTHRITIS AND RHEUMATISM COUNCIL FOR RESEARCH

The Car Boot Sale in aid of the ARC at the Brentor Inn on Bank Holiday Momday raised £ 160. Many thanks to all those who came and supported and help/raise such a large sum. Jennifer Venning

BEDDING PLANTS

Final clearance of our Summer bedding plant selection. Many varieties still available at 40p a strip or less.

Telephone or call any time at Burn Lane House, Mary Tavy 620.

Dennis Young

The European Parliament has recently passed a law forbidding the mutilation of animals, which includes docking. There has been a violent response from many breeders in Britain, declaring their rights to continue docking, demanding freedom of choice.

I asked the dogs what they would do to men.

O take their noses, said the Clumber, They're useless, can't track the strongest scent, Cut them off, to spite their faces, Open it up to a bigger vent.

The de-barked Basset found speaking harder, A snip and a cut in a vital place -(He waved his paws to show the process) Would quickly reduce the human race.

The Boxer spoke with heavy gloom, They cut my ears, took all my tail, Let's Spock theirs, stretch them, cut them out They'll look much fiercer in a Person Sale.

The Deerhound dreamed from his ancient past when men cut out his middle toe,
They don't use their toes much, he decided
Could easily spare a few, I kmow.

The Bobtail scratched his matted rear, They took the lot, I'm often sore, I've seen bits of men they rarely use Could easily spare a length...or more.

The Newfy lifted his heavy head 'You sound just like men' he raised his voice.
'Don't copy their ways, they've plans in hand
To melt each other, destroy all land; They call it freedom of choice.

> Margaret Doncaster

DIARY DATES

W.I. Outing to Sibleyback Lake. Departure 11am War Memorial. JUNE 5th 11th

Hoggin the Field of Fashion, Brentor Church Hall, 10.30am-12.00noon and 7.30pm - 9.00pm.

15th Mug Run, 3.00pm start at St. Michaels Mead.

25th Mary Tavy School Open Day.

Mary Tavy Grand Fayre, Start i.30pm onwards in Mary Tavy 28th Coronation Hall and field.

5th W.I. Jewish home life. Mrs. Hurst. 2.30pm, Village Hall. JULY

Strawberry Tea, Brentor Inn, 3.00pm onwards. Church Hall Grand Fair and Barbecue. 5th

12th

7th AUG W.I. Garden Meeting, Raheen, Down Road.