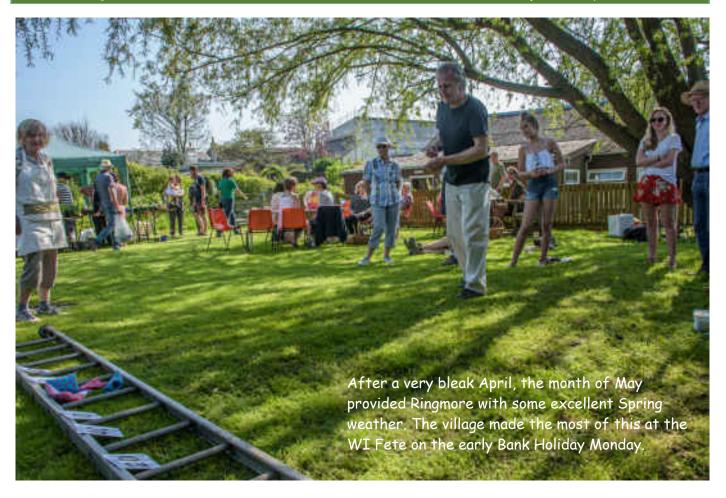
Ringmore Parish Newsletter June 2018

Edited by David

Deadline for July, 24th June



Don't forget to visit All Hallows Church, Ringmore for the Flower Festival which starts on Friday 8th June and finishes with a Songs of Praise service on Sunday 10th June at 6.00pm

RINGMORE DIARY DATES

Short Mat Bowls: Monday evenings from October 7.30pm

Tuesday: Table Tennis, Parish Room 8.00pm

June

- 1 Barn Dance, Holywell Stores Garden, 7.00pm
- 8 Ringmore Flower Festival, All Hallows Church
- 9 Ringmore Flower Festival, All Hallows Church
- 10 Ringmore Flower Festival, All Hallows Church
- 10 Songs of Praise, All Hallows Church 6.00pm
- 12 Ringmore Parish Council Meeting, WI Hall, 7.00pm
- 14 WI Meeting, Royal Love Affair with the Isle of Wight
- 16 Bigbury Fun Run, Start Pickwick Inn, 4.30pm
- 19 Mobile Library Ringmore, 11.50am 12.20pm
- 20 RHS Summer Outing to Dartmouth and Museum

- 20 PCC meeting, Parish Room, 7.30pm
- 21 Filling Station meeting . Bigbury Mem Hall, 7.30pm
- 29 Table Tennis, Parish Room 7.30 9.30pm
- 30 Bugs Life and BBQ, Bigbury Memorial Hall, 12.30pm (free entry)

July

- 10 Ringmore Parish Council Meeting, WI Hall, 7.00pm
- 12 WI Summer meal Contact Rosemary Piercy
- 17 Mobile Library Ringmore, 11.50am 12.20pm
- 27 Table Tennis, Parish Room 7.30 9.30pm

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From the Editor.....

Welcome to the June issue of the newsletter, written at the end of (what has felt like) the first decent month of the year. It seems that nature has re-balanced somewhat after the wet and very cold start to the year we have experienced. Amazingly, both May bank holiday weekends were lovely this last month and it was great for those of us with visitors to show what a beautiful area the Ringmore Parish lies within.

And speaking of the Parish, I do hope you were able to complete the Neighbourhood Plan questionnaire that was delivered to households at the end of March/early April. The return deadline was the end of May and I hope we will be able to provide some feedback later this summer.

The next 'big' village event is the Flower Festival. This starts on Friday 8th June and runs through to the Songs of Praise service at All Hallows at 6.00pm on Sunday 10th. I do hope you will be able to support everyone who has given their time and expertise to create some great flower displays in the church. Some village gardens will also be open for visiting and the WI will be working during the weekend to provide refreshments for all in the WI Hall.

Donations can be made at the church for church funds and refreshment monies will be used by the WI for their building maintenance programme.

If you have any comments or suggestions to make these will be gratefully received at ringmorenews@gmail.com or by telephone to 811212.



Friday Bus Service	
Departs Challaborough	09.40
Departs Ringmore	09.56
Arrives Plymouth	10.49
Departs Plymouth	13.30
Arrives Ringmore	14.34
Arrives Challaborough	14.38



Village Transport Scheme

Please remember, if you need a car and driver to get you to hospital or the dentist, then phone Sally on 810547 or Rosemary on 810253.

Ringmore First Aid Responder - In an emergency call 999 then any of us.

Lizzie Andrews	01548 810615	Sandy Hammon	d 01548 810572
Karen Purdy	01548 810382	Jane Reynolds	01548 811218
Andi King	01548 811210	Debbie Mercy	01548 811276
Emily Bohnet	01548 811210		



THE DEFIBRILLATOR is at No 8 Crossways (Andi and Emily's) on the right hand side of the wall as you face the front door. There is also one at Challaborough Shop and at Holywell Stores

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The newsletter is edited by David. Please ensure you use the Ringmore News email Below (this has recently changed) and not personal email addresses. If you have any news views, jokes, interesting articles,

recipes, book reviews, or something to celebrate or share please send this to: ringmorenews@gmail.com, David 811212

SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES & THOUGHT FOR JUNE

	Aveton Gifford 11.00 am	Bigbury 11.00 am	Kingston 9.30 am	Modbury 9.30 am	Ringmore 9.30 am
3 rd	Sunday Worship	Family Communion	Family Communion	Holy Communion	Sunday Worship
10 th ·	Communion by Extension	Sunday Worship	Sunday Worship	Sunday Worship	Songs of Praise (6.00 pm)
17 th	Lay led Service	Sunday Worship	Sunday Worship	Holy Communion	Village Service
24 th .	Holy Communion	Holy Communion*	Village Service	Sunday Worship	Family Communion

^{*} Service in traditional language.

TAKE TIME OUT

Joyce Howitt

By the time you read this, half the year will have almost gone, and the longest day will be approaching. As far as the seasons are concerned, this year the weather has been rather topsy turvy, ranging from being very cold and snowy to very warm within the space of a few weeks, but spring eventually arrived, and with it longer days, green leaves and blossoms. Now our thoughts turn to summer, sunshine, and hopefully, holidays.

Holidays allow us to go places and do things we enjoy doing without having to worry about work, routines and schedules, so that hopefully, having been refreshed, we will be ready for the hustle and bustle of returning to work and our other activities. Holidays give us the opportunity to relax in the way that suits us best, and we know that we will feel the better for it. But we live in a world where busyness is the order of the day; where it is often assumed that doing something, no matter what, is better than doing nothing, even although we know that constant activity without rest can leave us overtired and stressed where everything seems overwhelming and more urgent than it really is.

In the book of Genesis we read that God took six days to create the world and rested on the seventh. It is said that the ancient rabbis used to teach that it was on that day that God created tranquility, peace, serenity and repose, and that it was then, and only then, that creation was complete. The Gospels show that Jesus too would often make time for himself away from the crowds who constantly followed him around, eager to listen to his teaching and to witness his miracles. Although he was always ready to respond to anyone who was in trouble, he knew when it was time to stop, to reflect, rest, pray and spend time alone with God. Then he would look for a quiet place where he could be on his own, for he knew that the effectiveness of his ministry would be reduced if he was physically, emotionally and spiritually exhausted.

Maybe Jesus' example could be a reminder to us the next time that we are rushing around trying to cram as many things as possible into a short space of time. For we too need to take time out from the normal rhythms of life, to rest and relax, and renew our physical and spiritual strength.

Joyce



All Hallows Church, Ringmore

The Village Service

On May 20th was lead by Rosemary and Christopher Piercy. We are grateful to them for the efforts they made to create an engaging and thought provoking service.

Visitors very Welcome!

Over the past few Sundays we have welcomed a number of visitors to our services. It is a great pleasure to welcome you to our church on Sundays, especially if you are holidaying or visiting relatives within the area.

All Hallows Wedding on 26th May

The church was full on Saturday for the wedding of local vet Jenny Davenport and her fiance Raffael Schrof. The ceremony, which was lead by our vicar Matt Rowland included dual language hymns and prayers and the congregation enjoyed an Irish Blessing, sung in German by a small choir of German friends and relatives of the groom's family. It was lovely to hear the church organ played by Jo Highley along with excellent solo violin and trumpet pieces by Jack Highley and Mark Rottenbury.

Flower Festival - 8, 9 and 10th June

All Hallows will hold a flower festival in June with a theme of "Our Village" Members of the various village organisations are invited to produce a display if they so wish. It can be connected with their organisation or any other aspect of the village of Ringmore. Rosemary Wilson has kindly agreed to co-ordinate and provide assistance when required for the event so please contact her (810211) for further information. Refreshments during the event will be served in the WI Hall. We will have an Open Gardens event running during the weekend.

We shall need helpers to "man" the church during the festival, between 10am and 5pm each day. If anyone has any spare time we should be grateful for their help.

The "Songs of Praise" service will be held on the Sunday evening to close the Flower Festival at 6.00pm. This will be led by our team vicar, Matt Rowland. There is a box in the church for suggestions of your favourites hymns and choruses; a very fitting way to round off what we hope will be a lovely weekend.

Prayer Chain

From time to time, most of us feel the need for prayer (whether or not we go to church). If anyone has a prayer request, they can phone one of the numbers below and give details of the request (as much or as little detail as they wish). That person will then phone the next person on the list and so on - ensuring at least ten people are praying. These will be Mary Wilson 830280, Gill Tomlin 810028, Sally Errett 810547, Alice Thornton 810284, Judy Bull 810420, Alison Wynne-Powell 810407, Sally Ness 810639, Drina Williams 810405. Rosemary Wilson 810211 & Jenny Williams 810851.

Some people have said they are worried about confidentiality when asking for prayer. I can assure them that one of the main conditions of joining the prayer chain is the promise never to discuss the requests apart from the initial information being passed on. However it is always lovely to know that prayers have been answered (and they usually are, but not always when and how we expect!)

Kingsbridge Foodbank

Your support for the Foodbank has been considerable – well done and hopefully we can keep up the good work in 2018. The FOODBANK is here to help people in crisis in and around Kingsbridge. A container is placed in the Church Porch for items to be placed in which will be taken to the Foodbank every Thursday morning. They are currently welcoming donation of all types of non-perishable items (except Baked Beans and Tea), toiletries such as Toothpaste, brushes and toilet rolls and all types of household cleaning materials. Many thanks for your help for our neighbours in need.

Judy Bull

CACKLERS- lets have some fun!

C- CRAFT

A-ART-

C-CHAT

K- KNIT

L-LAUGH

E-ENJOY

R-RELAX

S-SHARE



Come and join this group, meeting every FIRST WEDNESDAY of the month (6^{th} June) in the JOURNEYS END at 7.30pm. There are so many people in the village that enjoy doing art or craft but all working silently at home. Lets get together, have a chat, a glass or two of wine and a bit of fun, while we make.



The South Devon team have an exciting and busy year as we are hosting the South West Outdoor Festival (SWOF) on the 5-7 October at East Soar near Salcombe. SWOF is a unique weekend-long festival of outdoor activity, entertainment and inspiration. It attracts campers and day visitors from across the country, who come to enjoy new adventures, explore new trails and hear new tales. The festival offers myriad activities, suitable for people of all abilities ranging from large-scale competitive events (trail running, cycling, multisport), small-group guided pursuits (walking, kayaking, coasteering, openwater swimming) and individual challenges (climbing, axe throwing, archery), right through to more relaxing alfresco experiences, such as stargazing, wild-food foraging, campfire cooking, bushcraft and much more. The weekend also features a strong epicurean element, celebrating the region's well-earned reputation for top-quality local produce, food and drink, from locally brewed beer to delicious dairy delights. Festival-goers can enjoy a range of excellent entertainment, including inspirational talks by explorers, authors, nature experts and outdoor ambassadors, plus adventure films, campfire storytelling sessions and live music.

SWOF is organised by the National Trust in partnership with Cotswold Outdoor and supported by the South West Coast Path Association (SWCPA), Ordnance Survey, the South Devon AONB and Devon Wildlife Trust. Its aim is to shine a light on the many adventure pursuits that can be explored along the South Hams coastline welcoming everyone from accomplished outdoor experts through to adventure-curious beginners and active families. There will be a range of pursuits to suit every age group and level of fitness. Earlybird tickets are now on sale via the website at a specially discounted rate until 4 June – book now to save 20% on a weekend of adventure that will live long in the memory. Or how about helping the local Ranger team at the festival by volunteering for 2 shifts (each shift is 4 hours) over the festival period to qualify for a free ticket, for more information look on the website:

www.nationaltrust.org.uk/SWOF and follow @NTSWOF on Facebook and Twitter for updates too.

Check out our other events coming soon (for further information go to www.nationaltrust.org.uk/events):

10th **June, 11am – 2pm – Open Farm Sunday – Scobbiscombe Farm, Kingston.** Join the tenants at Scobbiscombe Farm on Open Farm Sunday. Come and see the farm animals, enjoy a farm trail, craft and colouring activities with the Rangers, pond dipping and more! Bring a picnic, dogs on leads welcome

16th & **17**th June, **11am – 5pm – The Rock, Watersports Weekend – South Milton Sands.** 16th & 17th June, 11am – 5pm – The Rock, Watersports Weekend – South Milton Sands. A weekend of fun on the beach, come along and have a go at stand up paddle boarding, sit on top kayaking, windsurfing, mono fin swimming sessions, tutored SUP taster sessions, beach yoga and SUP yoga, snorkelling and more. Beginner's sessions and activities for the more experienced. Rockpooling sessions, children's activities, beach games and stands on the beach to enjoy. Some activities have a charge between £3 - £7, please bring cash we can't take card payments. Refreshments at the Beachhouse café and BBQ on the beach with Holsome Park Quality meats.

For information regarding the work of the South Devon National Trust team please call Lorna Sherriff on 01548 562344 or email lorna.sherriff@nationaltrust.org.uk



All Hallows Church Ringmore



Flower Festival

and OPEN GARDENS
"OUR VILLAGE"

8th - 10th June

10.00am - 5.00pm



Coffee, Lunches, Teas at W.I. Hall



Festival of Praise

Sunday 10th June at 6.00pm

A joint All Hallows / WI Event



Thank you!

On behalf of Ringmore W.I. I should like to say a big "thank you" for the support and help people gave us at our May Fair. We raised a total of £997.90 which will go towards repair work on the ridge of the Hall roof. Everyone who came enjoyed the delicious teas and cakes, and the sunshine enabled folk to sit out in the W.I. garden.

Annual Meeting

On Thursday 10th May we had our Annual Meeting, and welcomed Evelyn Watson, the W.I. Adviser for this area. The Committee for 2018/2019 was duly elected:

Jackie Tagent President and Hall Booking Officer

Jane Baker Secretary
Yvonne Turpin Treasurer
Rosemary Piercy Committee
Alison Vincent Committee
Rosemary Wilson Committee

It was agreed that our Charity for the coming year should again be the Ringmore Night Landing Site.

Everyone is very welcome to come and hear our monthly speaker; you don't have to be a member, just come and enjoy an evening with friends.

June Meeting

For our meeting on Thursday 14th June, we welcome back Janet Cowlard, who will give an illustrated presentation entitled

A Royal Love Affair with the Isle of Wight

Janet's talk will be at 8.00 pm in the W.I. Hall, and it promises to be a very interesting meeting. We hope to see you there!

No one has been in contact with the local Neighbourhood Policing team offering to be considered as Co-ordinator for Ringmore. Several residents however have contacted me requesting that I continue in the capacity of Neighbourhood Watch Co-ordinator.

have agreed therefore, until further notice, to continue in this voluntary role.

If you have any ideas or suggestions as to ways we may circulate crime and safety awareness in our community I am all ears. Equally I would welcome your thoughts or comments with regards to Neighbourhood Watch and how we may improve yet further our Community use of this facility.

Currently the contact details for your local Neighbourhood Policing Team is PC Ryan Hayhurst — mobile 07921933972 Email: ryan.hayhurst@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk PCSO Warren Palmer- mobile 07703885625 Email: warren.palmer2@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk In the event of an emergency please call 999 or for non-urgent matters 101.

Remember that the above officers though based at Kingsbridge cover a very wide area of Devon due to manpower constraints. They will not be able to respond to mobile calls when unavailable or off duty etc.

Night landing site update.

We have now submitted the planning application and you may have seen the notice at the field entrance. You can also view the details of the application in the South Hams Council website.

In the mean-time we are finalising the quotes for the work to be carried out and will thereafter prepare a schedule of works.

When we finally get there perhaps it would be a useful village event to have a grand opening ceremony? If anyone has any ideas or would like to do anything special for this occasion please get in touch.

Stay safe Steve





JAZZ AT THE FISHERMAN'S AVETON GIFFORD

"Kingsbridge Jazz Club" is now firmly established at **The Fisherman's Rest** on the first Tuesday of the month, starting at 7.30pm (doors open 6.30). It has become a unique venue, much loved by the many top Jazz Bands who perform there.

We have professional and international musicians who play not only in the UK but around Europe and as far afield as New Orleans - some indeed have been granted the freedom of The City of New Orleans.

Come along and enjoy the high standard of live music that you would normally only expect to experience at a large city venue.

Bands for the next 2 months are as follows:

5th June ~ Frog Island Jazz Band - 3rd July ~ Millenium Eagle Jazz Band

<u>www.aveton-gifford.co.uk/facilities/kingsbridge-jazz-club</u> <u>www.facebook.com/kingsbridgejazzclub</u>

BIGBURY MEMORIAL HALL

JUNE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Day &	<u>k Time</u>	Activity	Organiser	Contacts
Mon.	9.15 - 10.00	Aerobics	*Jill Gubbins	810651
	10.05 - 11.05	Pilates	*Jill Gubbins	810651
	19.00 - 20.15	Yoga	Fi Baker	07880 498914
Tues.	11.00 - 12.00	Exercise	Valerie Chapman	07584 885259
	17.30 - 19.30	Youth Club	Louise Pitt	07786 860440
	19.30 - 21.30	Bowls	+Dee Fitzgerald	811191
	(2 nd & 4 th Tues of each	month)	_	
Wed.	9.30 - 11.45	South Hams	Becky Phelan	811179
		Shrimps		07789 111200
Thurs	9.30 - 10.00	Fast Fit	*Jill Gubbins	810651
	10.05 - 11.05	Pilates	*Jill Gubbins	810651
	11.15 – noon	Strong & Steady	*Jill Gubbins	810651
		(plus tea & chat))	
	19.30 - 21.30	South Hams	Gilbert Snook	810017
		Filling Station		
	(3 rd Thurs. of month	excl. Dec & Aug)		
Friday	,	Zumba	**Hannah Winze	er 550712 7454 003091

*Jill's classes will finish for the summer at the end of June, restarting in September. + Short Mat Bowls will be taking a summer break from the end of May until October.

Future Events: Sunday 2nd September Garden Produce Show. This year's theme is 'Sun, Sea and Sand'. More information next month.

Wednesday 24th October Paddleboat Theatre's 'Rustle' – half term entertainment for children and families. More details next month.

50:100 Club (Promoted by Dane Vanstone). Tickets for this are all sold! 50% of the money goes in prizes and 50% to the Memorial Hall. May winners are Louise Wainwright (£25), Cathy Harrington (£15) and Mike Baker (£10).



In need of spiritual fuel? Then top up here.

The Filling Station is a new informal way of expressing the Christian faith using monthly celebration meetings in a café style setting. In a relaxed and friendly atmosphere with tea, coffee and cake we have worship time and a speaker

Everyone is welcome



The South Hams Filling Station meets at Bigbury Memorial Hall, St Ann's Chapel, Bigbury, TQ7 4HQ.

Meetings take place on the third Thursday (most months) from 7.30pm to 9.30pm.

Check: www.thefillingstation.org.uk or facebook: SouthHamsFillingStation 07522 430036/01548 810017

Next Meeting - Thursday 21st June Speaker: Jeff Stephenson

Speaking on: How to be filled by the Holy Spirit

^{**}Hannah's classes have temporarily stopped but will start again in JULY this year – the actual date will be in next month's Bigbury News.

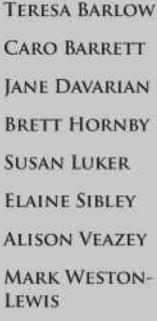
CONTEMPORARY PASSIONS 2018

NEW WORKS FROM SOUTH HAMS ARTS FORUM















ELEN CLAIRE WILLIAMS







JUDITH WOODINGS ANN YEOMAN







Meet the Artists

Tuesday 5th June 6pm - 8pm

Tuesday 5th June - Sunday 17th June 2018

Open daily 10am to 5pm - Sunday 17th closes at 4pm

Harbour House

The Promenade, Kingsbridge, Devon TQ7 IJD www.harbourhouse.org.uk www.shaf.org.uk



Letters to the Editor - write to ringmorenews@gmail.com .

Dear Editor

Saturday 30th June, we are having a private party in Burnett's Orchard (better known as the King's field). We would like to apologize in advance for any inconvenience caused by our "making merry". Thank you all for your understanding.

PARISH ROOM ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

At the Parish Room AGM held on May 3rd, Keith Bedborough resigned as Chairman of the Parish Room Committee, and both he and Mary Bedborough resigned from the Committee. The Committee is grateful for all the time and effort they have put in to Parish Room affairs. At the meeting Robbie Bristow was elected Chairman, Michael Tagent remains as Treasurer and Bob White remains as Secretary. Other members of the committee are Christopher Piercy and Roger Bristow.

Dear Editor

We will be running a plant stall at All Hallows during the Flower Festival and would be grateful for any plants you may be able to donate for this. Please contact me if you wish me to collect them from you or deliver them to the church porch. Thank you.

Rosemary Wilson 810211

EXHIBITION INVITATION

Ringmore Painter and Printmaker Judith Woodings and Jeweller Caro Barrett are taking part in an exhibition of new work by South Hams Arts Forum members.

'Contemporary Passions 2018' is at Harbour House in Kingsbridge from Tuesday 5th June until Sunday 17th June 2018, open daily from 10am - 5pm.

You are invited to the Private View and to meet the artists on Tuesday 5th June from 6pm - 8pm.

Judith will be exhibiting some of her new wood lithographic prints, a process she studied last year in Spain. Her work features trees lit with cool winter light or glowing sunsets. Printed on her recently installed, full-sized printing press!

Caro's new jewellery features Fairtrade gold fused with silver. She will be showing new designs in recycled silver, Fairtrade gold, recycled glass and ethically-sourced gem stones.

The exhibition will feature the work of eleven South Hams artists working in a range of media including painting, printmaking, ceramics, photography, jewellery and wood.

Harbour House, The Promenade, Kingsbridge, Devon TQ7 1JD www.harbourhouse.org.uk

MINUTES OF A MEETING HELD ON 8 MAY 2018 IN THE W.I. HALL, RINGMORE AT 6.30 PM

Present Cllr Jenny Williams JW In the Chair after 68/18

Richard Baker RB
Cllr John Reynolds JR
Cllr David Vincent DV
District Cllr Beth Huntley BH

Apologies Cllr Jeremy Deverson JD

Cllr Andrew King AK
County Cllr Rufus Gilbert RG

Peter Javes Clerk

Members of the public present: 1

68/18 ELECTION OF OFFICERS

RESOLUTION THAT the following be elected to the positions indicated:-

Chair: Jenni Williams
Vice chair: David Vincent
Parish Paths Partnership: John Reynolds

Digital Communications: David Vincent
Planning Committee: Jenny Williams, Andrew King, Brian Lambell

Resolution carried unanimously

69/18 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None

Draft Minutes

70/18 MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETINGS

IT WAS RESOLVED THAT the minutes of the meeting held on 10 April 2018 be accepted as a correct record

Resolution carried unanimously. The minutes were signed by the Chairman.

71/18 MATTERS ARISING

- **71.1 Shed on NT land:** Awaiting response from the NT.
- **71.2 Three Ways vehicle movements:** It was reported that the demolition of the bungalow had been delayed due to the presence of asbestos. The contractor had been asked to provide a schedule when demolition started and to make sure that people living below the site be notified.
- 71.3 Bowling Green Registration: Held over to next meeting

72/18 NIGHT LANDING SITE

Steve Comley's report is attached at annex A. BH was asked to chase the SHDC grant of £1,700. The Clerk would submit an IID grant request to DCC.

BH Clerk

73/18 PLANNING

73.1 New applications:

1307/18/HHO Coach House, Marwell Cross To Ringmore Road, TQ7 4HJ Extension and conversion of garage building to ancillary accommodation **APPROVED**

1285/18/FUL Westbury Field Ringmore TQ7 4HL

Erection of a single 10m high lighting column with two LED lights to illuminate an area of land for Devon Air Ambulance.

APPROVED

73.2 SHDC decided applications: -

0285/18/TCA Orchard Cottage, TQ7 4HJ fell sweet chestnut tree **APPROVED**

0806/18/ARC Three Ways Lower Manor Farm Service Road Ringmore TQ7 4HL Approval of Details Reserved by Conditions (discharge)Application for approval of details reserved by conditions 7 DECISION: **DISCHARGE OF CONDITION APPROVED**

74/18 FINANCE

Bank balances as at 1 May 2018 £22,597.69

Payments to be paid electronically:-

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Ringmore WI	Hire of hall on 21 April for defibrillator training	8.00		
Peter Javes	Administration	107.31		
Alison Marshall	Audit fee	100.00		
Streetwise	Site location plan for planning permission	28.80		
Community First Trading	Insurance premium	242.68		
Jenni Williams	Refreshments for APM	44.68		
TOTAL		531.47		

The following sums are held on behalf of :-

Night landing site: £4,933, PPP £10,800, Ringmore defibrillator fund £580

75/18 ANNUAL AUDIT

75.1 Internal Audit

It was noted that the internal audit for the year ended 31 March 2018 had been completed and the auditor had signed the necessary internal audit certificate.

Draft Minutes

The auditor's written report contained a number of recommendations which would be discussed at the next meeting.

75.2 Certificate of Exemption

The PC's total revenue for the year had been £21,872 and thus below the threshold of £25,000 for an external audit.

Resolved that a Certificate of Exemption for the year ended 31 March 2018 be approved and the Chair and Clerk be authorised to sign it and submitted to the external auditor.

75.3 Governance Statement

Resolved that the annual governance statement for the year ended 31 March 2018 be approved and the Chair and Clerk be authorised to sign it.

75.4 Accounting Statements

Resolved that the accounting statements for the year ended 31 March 2018 be approved and the Chair and Clerk be authorised to sign it.

76/18 CLERK'S PAY AWARD

Following minute 58/18 it was noted that the inflationary award had now been published and it was resolved that the clerk's rate of pay be increased to £10.301 with effect from 1 April 2018.

77/18 NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN (NP)

RB reported that he questionnaire had been sent out. The unspent remains of the first grant of £933 had been repaid and a further application would be made to cover the anticipated further costs.

78/18 WELCOME PACK FOR NEW RESIDENTS

Councillors would be showed the latest draft of the welcome pack before it was finalised. It would then be put on the website.

79/18 DISTRICT COUNCILLOR

BH reported that the Bigbury public toilets would shortly be converted to pay to use. Proposals were under review to lay a road surface at the St Anne's crossroads designed to slow traffic.

BH had met the new owner of Burgh Island. 14 new permanent staff would be needed and the Pilchard would be opened to non-residents.

There was a new developer of the Bay Café site and it was hoped to develop a better relationship with the community. There was possibility that a café could be reopened on the site.

80/18 APPLE WEEKEND

The equipment would be made available to people to press their own apples.

81/18 PARISH PATHS PARTNERSHIP

The grant of £10,800 for 2018-19 had been received and JR was working on a programme for the repair of the path to Ayrmer Cove in conjunction with the NT.

82/18 INFORMATION COMMISSIONER

On the recommendation of the internal auditor and in line with requirements of the new Data Protection rules it was agreed to register with the Information Commissioner at an annual cost of £35.

Clerk

It was noted that he new rules had not yet come into force and there would need to be a review of the data held by the PC.

83/18 MEETINGS ATTENDED

The Clerk had attended a meeting of Ivybridge area parish clerks in Brixton. JW had been to the SHDC meeting to explain the proposals regarding Brownfield sites. JW would circulate the notes for discussion at the next meeting.

JW

DATE OF NEXT MEETING: Tuesday 12 June 2018 at 7.00pm

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

The annual parish meeting opened at 7.30 and heard reports from:

Ringmore Parish Council chairman

The police – see report at Annex B below

National Trust

Night Landing Project see report at Annex A below

The Ringmore Parish Room

The Ringmore Historical Society

The oil purchase scheme

The clerk has copies of any written reports and anybody may apply for a copy.

ANNEX A: NIGHT LANDING SITE

At this time no further fundraising is planned or expected and thanks must go to all of the various groups and individuals in the village whom have contributed to organising and providing different events through the year.

Special thanks must go to Steve Chapman at Friar Tucks and Ella Dodds for putting on and paying the costs of excellent dinner party events both of which raised considerable sums.

Currently we have available to us the sum of £8,471 which is made up of a balance of £4,771 from collections made. South Hams District Council has agreed to provide us with a grant of £1,700 and Devon County Council has agreed a grant of £2,000.

We have now prepared and submitted a Planning application with South Hams District Council with a target due date for decision of 18th June 2018. Planning number 1285/18/FUL.

We are currently awaiting a final quotation from MAT electrics whom are likely to carry out the installation.

We have all other quotes in and which are currently under consideration. Once Devon Air Ambulance is in receipt of all of the required quotation information they too will consider providing a grant contribution towards the overall costs. Thereafter we shall agree contracts and prepare a schedule of works and commence the installation and completion.

Regards

Steve

ANNEX B: POLICE REPORT

Total crime for Ringmore Parish for the year 01/04/17 -31/3/18 11 (detailed as below) Same period 2016-2017: 9 Same period 2015-2016 9

This year's crime breakdown:

- ? 1 assault with minor injury (suspect known but not able to pursue prosecution)
- ? 2 assault without injury (in one case a man was arrested and charged)
- ? 1 dog out of control (dealt with by a Community Resolution)
- ? 3 thefts
- ? 1 threatening behaviour
- ? 1 harassment (dealt with by Community Resolution)
- ? 1 criminal damage (man arrested and charged)
- ? 1 possession cannabis (man arrested and charged)

The wider Kingsbridge and Salcombe patch recorded 805 crimes over the same period, so with Ringmore accounting for only 11 of those, you remain a particularly safe parish, although you have seen a slight increase this year.

Police figures for the whole of Devon reveal an increase of 23% over the year in recorded crime. This can at least be partly explained by changes to our recording practices. Interestingly the latest Crime Survey of England and Wales report a fall in overall crime, so the picture is complex and contradictory to say the least!

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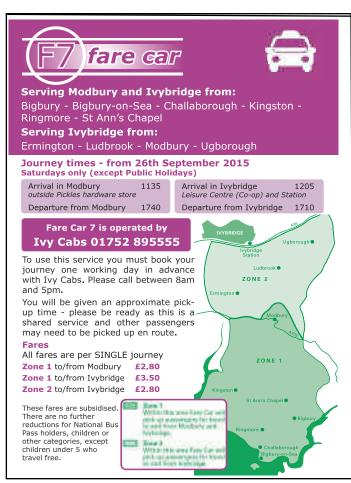
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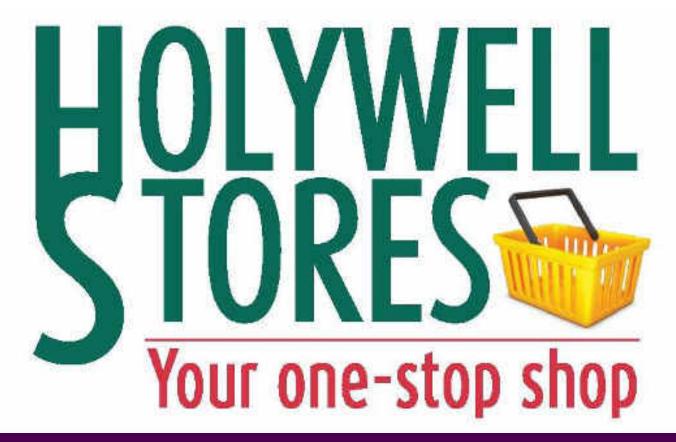
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