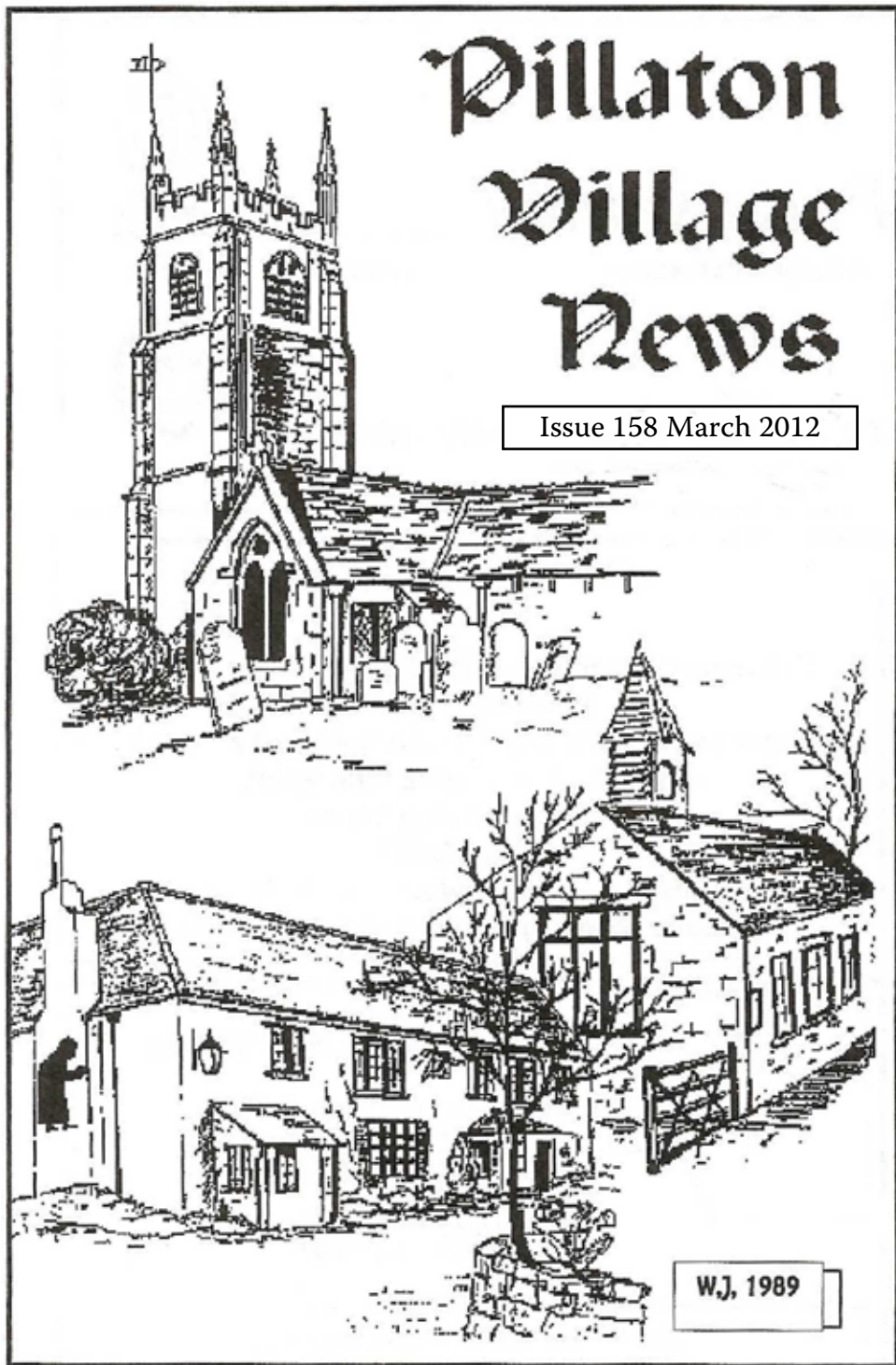


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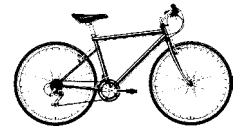
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I've always thought it a shame that Pillaton doesn't have a football team. From a selfish editorial point of view this would give me the ideal excuse to create a Sports page at the back of the Village News that was always read first by the menfolk of the parish. Reports would abound with news of thrilling derby matches between Pillaton and Harrowbarrow City or Botus Fleming Rovers. Away sides would always find it a struggle on the Village Hall Ground with its tricky slope and in front of the fiercely partisan home crowd at the Church End.

As an inspiration to the young, Pillaton could have its own local hero, "Roy of the Weary Friar," whose trademark 30 yard screamer is a powerful shot on goal rather than an unpleasant concoction involving tequila.

Of course any self respecting football team needs a good nickname. In Pillaton's case the most obvious ones relate to the Weary Friar, "The Monks" or something similar, but my personal favourite is one linked to a well-known local feature – "The Clappers." In a particularly good season I could then report in all honesty that the team was going like the clappers.

Breaking sports news might include mention of Pillaton being in the race to sign top class strikers from Quethiock or Gunnislake before the close of the transfer window or even seeking talent from as far afield as Plympton. In the quest for Champions League glory, wealthy backing would need to be sought from Russian oligarchs, Middle Eastern potentates or more likely, the Parish Council. This might just put a few Village Hall improvements on hold and like most things in football would almost certainly end with dreams being shattered and Pillaton being plunged into administration.

Enough of the fantasy football, next copy date 7th May 2012 - full details on page 27.

Robin Dwane

PILLATON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of Parish Council Meeting 11 January 2012

ATTENDANCE

Cllrs. Dolley, Hoskin, D. Floyd, S. Floyd, Martin, and Harris.

APOLOGIES

Cllr Edwards and District Councillor Egglestone

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Cllr Hoskin declared a prejudicial interest in the planning application.

PUBLIC FORUM

There was one member of the public present.

MINUTES

The minutes of 19 December 2011 meeting were accepted unanimously.

MATTERS ARISING

The Chairman reported that there had been no progress regarding the resurfacing of the entrance area to the Hall.

NEW NOTICE BOARD

The Council selected two notice boards, one for the Parish and one to display the village map.

PLANNING PERMISSION

Cllr Hoskin left the meeting. The Council supported the transfer of an existing shed to the field adjacent to The Boundary.

FINANCE

The Bank position of Current account £4,179 and deposit account £2,503 was noted.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

None.

Chairman Mr. Dolley

PILLATON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of Parish Council Meeting 15 February 2012

ATTENDANCE Cllrs. Dolley, Hoskin, D. Floyd, S. Floyd, Edwards and Harris.

APOLOGIES Cllr Martin and District Councillor Egglestone.

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST None.

PUBLIC FORUM

There was no member of the public present.

MINUTES

The minutes of 11 January 2012 meeting were accepted unanimously.

MATTERS ARISING

The Chairman reported that there had been no progress regarding the resurfacing of the entrance area to the Hall and therefore the Council decided not to approve the payment of the Contractors invoice.

NOTICE BOARD

It was confirmed that two notice boards had been ordered.

PLANNING PERMISSION None.

FINANCE

The Bank position of Current Account £111 and Deposit Account £2,503 was noted.

The following payments were authorised; G. Bridgman £20 for salt storage, A. Bridgman £20 hedge trimming at the playing field and R. Woodley £720 Clerk's salary.

The Council agreed to act as the accountable body for the purchase of 72 commemorative jubilee mugs bearing the Cornish flag.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

A letter had been received from Pentillie thanking the Council for their support.

Cllr Hoskin gave feedback from the Cluster meeting in respect of changes to the Health service in the area.

Chairman Mr. Dolley

QUEEN'S DIAMOND JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS

Preparations are now well underway for the Queen's Diamond Jubilee and fund raising has been taking place. At the Valentine's Dinner on 14 February £243.50 was raised with a further £85.00 being collected at the Quiz held in the Village Hall on Saturday 3 March.

In addition a whole series of future events and activities related to the Diamond Jubilee are planned as follows:

Fun Skittles Evening (Pillaton Village Hall) – Saturday 28 April

£5.00 per person to include pasty & pud supper. Come along to this fun evening and raise funds for the celebrations. Please bring your own drink.

Car Boot Sale & Duck Race – Monday 7 May

A Car Boot Sale and Duck Race along the River Lynher will take place at Rick Park Farm, Pillaton on Monday 7 May and run from 2.00 pm to 5.00 pm. (Cars £5.00)

Competition to Design a 60th Anniversary Card

There will also be a competition open to everybody to design and make a 60th Anniversary Card. Size will be either A4 folded or A5. The winning entry will then be sent to Her Majesty the Queen from Pillaton. If you wish to enter a card please contact Pam Lowther tel. no. (01579) 350252.

Hanging Baskets & Planters

Have you thought about planting up your hanging baskets, window boxes and tubs this spring in Red/White/Blue colours to coincide with the celebrations? Kernock Park Plants have come up with some suggestions and you may like to visit their web site at www.kernockparkplants.co.uk to get some ideas.

Diamond Jubilee Commemorative Mugs

Children who live in the Parish, aged 16 and under, will be given a Commemorative Diamond Jubilee Mug. See page 11 for full details.

QUEEN'S DIAMOND JUBILEE CELEBRATION WEEKEND

EVENTS ON SATURDAY 2 JUNE

An Exhibition of 1950s Memorabilia

This will be held from 2.00 pm to 6.00 pm in St. Odulph's Church, Pillaton. For more information, please see separate insert on page 9 in this edition of the Pillaton News.

Arts, Craft and Photography Exhibition

This will run in conjunction with the Memorabilia Exhibition and be held in the Village Hall. For further details see poster on page 8. Tea/Coffee and biscuits will be served in the Village Hall from 2.00 pm to 6.00 pm.

EVENTS ON SUNDAY 3 JUNE

The Pillaton Big Lunch

As part of the Diamond Jubilee celebrations, all communities are being asked to hold a 'Big Lunch' and from **1.00 pm to 3.00 pm** the Pillaton Big Lunch will be held in the Village Hall Field. So get together with your friends and family, bring your own picnic and drinks. There will also be musical entertainment during the afternoon.

Open Air Church Service at 3.30 pm in the Village Hall Field.

EVENTS ON MONDAY 4 JUNE - From 2.30 pm until late

The afternoon events will start with Children's games and a Fancy Dress competition. Other activities will include making crowns, dressing up Obstacle race, make a kite in teams, treasure hunt, pin the crown on the Queen. Timing of events for the day will be as follows:

2.30 pm - The Unveiling Of The Mural

3.00 pm to 4.00 pm - Cream Tea

7.00 pm - Hog Roast ongoing throughout the evening.

7.30 pm - Barn Dance

**Please watch the notice boards for further details
of all fund raising and jubilee events.**

CREATIVE PILLATON

Calling all artists of all ages. Whether you work in paint, film, fabric, wood, clay, written word or any other medium, we need you.

We are having a CREATIVE PILLATON EXHIBITION at the Village Hall on Saturday 2nd June from 2.00 to 6.00 pm. as part of the Jubilee Celebrations.

This is NOT a competition but a celebration of the great variety of talent that we have in our village. So, no entry fees or prizes, just the opportunity to display your work.

Please contact Wendy Wyatt (350196) or Jenny Wheeley (351662) before Easter (8th April) so that we can discuss your display requirements.

Get those creative juices flowing!

The Queen's Diamond Jubilee Celebrations

An Exhibition of 1950s Memorabilia

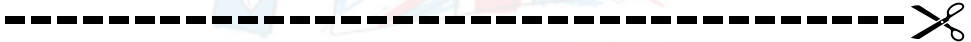
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SKITTLES IN PILLATON VILLAGE HALL

You may know that there is a Skittles League that takes place in the Village Hall during the winter months and which has been running for the past seven years.

Each team plays once a month starting in October going through until March with the Presentation Evening usually in April. There are normally three teams playing each session and two games per evening.

Unfortunately, one of the six teams has dropped out this season and we are looking for a replacement. Would you like to make up a team – you require six players minimum. This is a fun evening and there is a break with a pasty supper half way through and the cost is £2.50 per player.

If you would like to put a team in the league please contact Ian Edwards on (01579) 350670.

NEARLY HERE

Superfast Broadband is getting closer to Pillaton. The Superfast Cornwall website now states for the St. Dominick exchange (the one which serves Pillaton's telephones) that "Superfast broadband will start to become available in your area by March 2012."

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PILLATON GARDENING CLUB SPRING FLOWER SHOW

Pillaton Gardening Club's annual Spring Flower Show will take place at the Village Hall on Saturday 31st March from 2.30 pm until 4.00 pm. Watch out for further details.



JUBILEE CELEBRATION MUGS

Children who live in the Parish, aged 16 and under, will be given a Commemorative Diamond Jubilee Mug. The mugs are being made in Cornwall and will have the Cornish flag on the back.

If you would like your child/children to receive a mug then please fill in this slip and deliver it to The Clerk, Dick Woodley at Flowerwood, Pillaton PL12 6QS, by Monday 30 April.



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ST MELLION SCHOOL NEWS



We are half way through the school year and Spring is in the air! The school grounds are looking bright and cheery with the daffodils in

flower. There are also some amazing Easter Island heads carved from breeze blocks standing proud in the flower beds. They were made by our Y5/6 pupils, carefully guided by Mrs Amanda Copson, our wonderfully creative art and design technology specialist.

The children were recently invited to help create a willow dome for the Village Hall Green Area and Playing Field in the centre of Pillaton. They worked hard with Richard and Sue of Wind Rush Willows, making holes in the ground, and planting the willow saplings. Later in the day some of the children helped weave the horizontal withies. I know that the children will be very keen to see how the dome grows and takes shape and form over the next few months. The children were also shown how to weave withies using a technique borrowed from corn dollies to form bird feeders. These will hang in the playing field and back at school. Thank you to Jules, Omar and the committee for including us in the project. The playing field is looking wonderful and must bring such joy to so many children and their families.

We love getting involved in community projects. Did you know that the Cotehele Garland included some flowers that we grew at school? Our pupils who attend Gardening Club had a hand in the creation of the garland (the one in the restaurant).

The recent Pillaton Governor's Quiz held on the first Friday of February (as always) raised over £250. A good night was had by all, and well done to the 'Numpties' who won. The questions were harder than ever (well, I thought so anyway!), but were well received and many thanks to Ian Edwards, our new question master. The money raised is being put towards a trip to the Theatre Royal to watch the forthcoming production of Swallows and Amazons.

The children are busy brushing up their acts in time for St Mellion's Got Talent. This is a star studded extravaganza organised annually by the PSA and will take place at Landulph Hall. Pupils rehearse in groups to perform poetry reading, play their musical instruments or mime and dance to their favourite rock/pop songs. It is a great night out and a major fundraiser. Our PSA work so hard to organise a range of social and fundraising events through the year, which supports the school both financially and helps secure those so important home-school partnerships which enables our pupils to thrive.

We all know that things come in threes, and we have three pieces of wonderful news- across the federation of St Mellion and St Dominic Schools, we have three babies on the way! Miss Welch, our Assistant Headteacher and Y5/6 teacher, will be taking maternity leave from the end of March with baby expected early May. Mrs Hayley Kempe, who is one of our most experienced and treasured teaching assistants is to take maternity leave from the beginning of May, with baby expected at the end of the month. Down at St Dominic, our Y5/6 teacher, Mrs Cooper will be taking leave with her baby expected at the end of June! Obviously temporary replacements will be found, and school life will roll on!

Our Y6 pupils will soon be hearing of their place at secondary school, and we will get news of the four year olds who will be starting their school life at St Mellion in September. If you know of a child who will be four between 1 September 2011 and 31 August 2012 who has not applied for a place at a primary school, they should be applying to Cornwall Council now!

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2012 Garden Open Days – Pentillie's Gardens are open to the public again this Spring on Sunday 25 March (Mothering Sunday) & Sunday 15 April. £6 pp (under 12's free). 11.00 am - 4.00 pm. No booking required. Sadly no dogs allowed. Refreshments available in castle.

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PILLATON WI

Pillaton WI began the New Year with a swing – literally! The guest speaker at our **January** meeting, Gil Jefferies, had us up on our feet and burning off all the Christmas calories, with a fun evening of barn dancing. We “dos y dos’d” our partners, promenaded and swang our way around the room as Gil called out the moves – which needless to say we all got wrong every time, to much laughter and merriment. As member Jan Simms put it bluntly, the dancing would have been improved by a few handsome young men in kilts, but we had to imagine those as we danced the “Gay Gordons”.

Gil proved a patient teacher, explaining the background to the dances and telling us how the gentlemen always held the lady on their right to allow room to draw their sabres if they needed to, while the ladies needed room to accommodate their wide skirted frocks as they paraded in the dance. All in all, it was great fun, leaving us well and truly ready for a cuppa at the end of the session.

The business meeting recorded that our carol singing efforts around the village had raised enough money to donate £95 each to ShelterBox and the Children’s Hospice South West, a worthy result. Secretary Pam Lowther reminded us we should be considering our choices for the 2012 Resolutions, the final selection to be debated at our May meeting, and Treasurer Sue Archer reminded us that subs for this year are now due.

Dates for our diaries included the village meeting on 30 January to think about how Pillaton as a community might celebrate the Queen’s Jubilee and the celebration dinner in the Village Hall for Pillaton WI’s 65th birthday on 24 March. Lists were circulated for some County events, including the County lunch on 22 March, “Let’s Party” with Alison and Dot on 29 March and the Gershwin Day on 30 March.

Excitement had been building for a couple of weeks. On everyone’s lips were the words “It’ll be Giovanni next meeting!” or “You know he’s coming next time, don’t you?” So it was with heightened anticipation of a good evening in store that WI members gathered in **February** for the welcome return of guest speaker, Italian chef Giovanni Sponziello once again ably assisted by our President, Liz Llewellyn-Jones.

Isn’t it amazing how evocative smell can be? As the aromas of garlic, olive oil, bacon and baby tomatoes, simmering away, filled the Village Hall it became easy to imagine the blue skies, sunshine and warmth of Giovanni’s native Puglia. As he cooked he talked – of “What my mum used to do” or of “freshly made pasta drying on the kitchen table in Italy ready for Sunday’s family lunch”. We hung on his words, enjoying the Italian accent, and waited greedily to taste the savoury dishes – *Pasta con broccoli; Uova al tegame con fave verde; Tagliattelli con zucchini e limone and Tortellini con pomodoro e formaggio*. (Not just a cookery demonstration, but an Italian lesson as well!)

As before, Giovanni gave lots of hints while he cooked. Use dried pasta – it’s better than shop bought fresh pasta, which should only ever be eaten homemade on the same day. Make sure you squeeze the moisture out of the grated courgettes for the zucchini recipe before adding to the crispy bacon in the pan. Of course, he recommends only using Italian Extra Virgin olive oil – especially as it comes from Puglia, his home region! Missed the fun? He has promised to type up recipe sheets, so we can all savour a taste of Italian sunshine at home.

The business meeting contained some important news to note. Our March meeting is the Annual Meeting and as yet we have no nominations for the all important role of Secretary. Liz reminded us that as this is a key position on the Committee, it absolutely must be filled to ensure that Pillaton WI can continue to function.

On the social side, village events coming up include Pillaton WI’s 65th birthday celebration dinner on 24 March – friends and partners are invited to join us for a meal cooked by Shirley Floyd and served in the Village Hall. County news and events included details of the Spring Countdown meeting, for which we need a delegate; “Let’s Party with Alison and Dot” on 29 March and the Gershwin Day on 30 March.

Anne Henderson

Pillaton WI is a friendly group and welcomes new members. Come along and meet us! If you would like to know more about Pillaton WI, please contact Ann Henderson on 01579 351289.

LATEST NEWS FROM PLAYGROUND PROJECT

There has been much interest expressed in the recently installed “sculptural elements” to the Village Hall green area and within the Playing Field by residents and our feathered visitors. The birds haven’t needed to ask “What are they?” as it is quite obvious to them....they are bird boxes!



The bird boxes have been designed by David Burma of MOR design based in Falmouth in Cornwall. David’s career in Landscape Architecture has spanned 30 years and has enabled him to travel the world working in Australia and America before he moved to Cornwall in 1998. David’s brief was to create artistic elements within the improvements being made to the Playing Field and Village Hall, combining sculpture with nature. He designed the rustic bird boxes which sit upon individual “windswept” poles and the bespoke picnic benches made of green oak that have been carved with names of birds.

Pillaton Playground Project Committee was successful in gaining a total of £28,640 from the Community Spaces Programme. This programme, managed by Groundworks UK is funded by the Big Lottery Funds Changes Initiative.

Pupils from St Mellion School have recently assisted the project, helping to make a living willow dome within the playing field and taking part in a willow object making project, producing sculptural willow balls and bird feeders out of dried willow.

A big thank you to all those who have helped and continue to volunteer to improve our Village by these improvements!

WATCH YOUR STEP!

I thoroughly enjoy reading Jan Simms’ gardening articles in the Village News. I confess that I always read her rants about dog poo with a certain amount of detachment – until I became a dog walker myself.

Now there are two ways of walking – with a dog or without one, and they are quite different. In my “BD” (Before Dog) days, I happily wandered the lanes with my eyes fixed ahead, enjoying distant views, contemplating the tracery of branches against the sky, looking at the cloud formations and generally just meandering in the fresh air. “AD” (After Dog) walking requires another approach entirely. My charge decides which side of the lane we’ll walk – sometimes both sides need to be investigated so there is a certain amount of to-ing and fro-ing – and she usually has her nose close to the ground. I find myself watching closely what she’s doing to make sure she’s not about to be poisoned by snaffling something unmentionable from the mulch along the verges.

I also need to be prepared for the moment when she decides it’s time for a toilet stop. Now she is a fastidious creature in this respect. She takes time to select an appropriate spot before going. So while she’s sniffing the ground, I am looking at the grass as well and cannot fail to notice the amazing piles of poo just everywhere. Our normal route takes us past the dog poo bin at the corner of Pillaton en route for Clapper Bridge. I’ve mentally renamed the corner “Pooh Corner” – pity the poor folks living nearby. Given the proximity of the dog poo bin, I find it hard to understand why dog walkers are apparently unable to pick up their dog’s droppings and deposit them in it. The mess continues all the way down the hill. One has to be careful where one treads to avoid stepping in it, especially if a passing car means standing in against the verge.

Worst of all, I find myself looking at my dog walking friends and neighbours and thinking to myself “Is it you?”

So, please, may I add my voice to Jan’s and ask you to do the decent thing? When you take your dog for a walk, take a bag with you! And pick up the poo before we are all in the s***. Thanks!

Ann Henderson

FRUIT CASE

Spring has arrived, at last. The plague of colds, coughs and throat infections have given way to smiles, outings, gym sessions and energetic outdoor activities, and we are all better for it. I knew 'it' was here a couple of weeks ago when, walking Mabel, I saw the buzzards elegantly riding the thermals, high over the river valley, oblivious of the world below. The day was bright, as the dark couple were swirling high, rapt in their annual dance.

The world has dried, the mild weather continuing to bring shy primroses to the hedgerows, daffodils shamefacedly appearing much later than some plants that have continued to flower throughout the mild winter. The sun has got us into the garden, and even the occasional lawnmower has been heard! It is the rising sap of Spring that comes with brighter days that makes us busy and check seed packets, and decide what is to be planted next.

My greenhouse received several sacks of general potting compost, decanted into two dustbins, with separate smaller bins for John Innes Nos. 1 & 2 and horticultural grit. I find all this compost around in the greenhouse can get very mud-pie-ish, if you do not keep different types separate, and slugs appear attracted to opened plastic sacks.

I stupidly left two coir compost bricks from 'Eden' soaking in a bucket of watermy grandson found them and redistributed them as large cow pats all along my greenhouse path!

My repotting is nearly complete and all the bulbs I so carefully potted last autumn are attempting to flower, in various sunny spots around the garden.

Green shoots are visible beneath the propagator lids and the broad beans are germinating ready to pot on. I always start them off in pots to prevent the mice from eating them, though it is essential to plant them out at the right time, long before they get root bound. It is an exciting time of year with planning which new varieties to plant.

All this can easily distract you from the grot of gardening WEEDING, for it is tedious and, as fast as the new planted seedlings grow the weeds

will be growing at twice the speed, and if you have managed to start at 'ground-zero' at the beginning of the growing season, you should be able to keep up.

I love my pond, it is handy to view from the greenhouse and enjoyable to see the meanderings of fish. I had been watching for spawn as there were two frogs awaiting their dance partners, the next day there were two small dollops of spawn and one of the bachelor boy frogs riding an enormous toad (who looked rather fed up).....you could almost hear the old gal saying bloody amateurs! The spawn was dutifully put in buckets and the most forward decanted to a plastic tank for the fascination of grandson No. 1. I do like to bring on spawn so that the tadpoles are too big for the fish to eat by the time they are re-introduced to the pond.

The lack of rain this Spring, especially at night, has reduced the road kill of frogs and toads. I have only seen one toad ironed on the roads this year, they are so helpless crawling along at night, attracted by the wet smooth road as a quicker way to assuage their ardour in their birth ponds.

Now the weather is kinder, my grandson has at two and a half, become almost feral, charging round the garden kicking balls, chucking balls for Mabel, dashing in and out of the jungle (shrubbery) looking for Gruffalo, digging (anywhere regardless), studying bugs, watching the fish, and 'helping' Ga-Ga in the greenhouse. He has long talks with 'Simon the Gardner' and 'helps' by being a miniature mimic because of course he has all the gardening gear! He can already recognise snowdrops, daffodil, olive tree, blackbirds and chaffinches, I have great hopes for him.....

The new season was summed up in a photo my daughter took this past weekend. The 'Wendy' house was in the background, Mabel, the terrier was digging furiously, showering everybody with soil, trying to get at the mice living beneath. Grandson No.1 was shovelling up the soil and putting it in his bucket and toy wheelbarrow until, Mum dumped grandson No. 2 in the wheelbarrow, to take the pic. Shrieks of laughter, happy days.

Jan Simms

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**THE UNITED BENEFICE OF ST. MELLION-WITH-PILLATON, ST. DOMINICK,
LANDULPH & ST. INDRACT
DIARY FOR THE BENEFICE**

DATE	DAY	SERVICE	CHURCH
18 Mar	Mothering Sunday	1000 Family Service with Posies 1000 Mothering Sunday with Posies and Simnel Cake 1115 Sung Eucharist With Posies	St. Dominic Pillaton Landulph
19 Mar	Monday	1900 Landulph AGM	Cargreen
20 Mar	Tuesday	0915 Said Mass 1200-1400 Lent Brunch Church Hall	St. Mellion St. Mellion
21 Mar	Wednesday	1200 Pasty Lunch Rectory Room	Cargreen
25 Mar	Sunday	1115 Benefice Sung Eucharist	Pillaton
27 Mar	Tuesday	0915 Said Mass 1200-1400 Lent Brunch Church Hall 1900 St. Mellion AGM	St. Mellion St. Mellion St. Mellion
01 Apr	Palm Sunday	1115 Benefice Mass. Gathering for the Blessing of the Palms, Procession into Church and Passion Reading	St. Mellion
02 Apr	Monday	0915 Said Mass	Landulph
03 Apr	Tuesday	0915 Said Mass	St. Mellion
04 Apr	Wednesday	0915 Said Mass	Pillaton
05 Apr	Maundy Thursday	1930 Mass of the Last Supper	St. Dominic
06 Apr	Good Friday	1200-1300 Stations of the Cross 1930 Good Friday Devotions	St. Dominic Pillaton
07 Apr	Holy Saturday	2000 First Mass of Easter	Landulph
08 Apr	Easter Day	1115 Benefice Sung Eucharist	St. Dominic
10 Apr	Tuesday	0915 Said Mass	St. Mellion
14 Apr	Saturday	1000 Coffee Clack Rectory Room	Cargreen
15 Apr	Sunday	1000 Morning Service 1115 Sung Eucharist	St. Mellion Landulph
17 Apr	Tuesday	0915 Said Mass	St. Mellion
18 Apr	Wednesday	1200 Pasty Lunch Rectory Room	Cargreen
22 Apr	Sunday	1000 Morning Praise 1115 Sung Eucharist	St. Dominic Pillaton
24 Apr	Tuesday	0915 Said Mass	St. Mellion
29 Apr	Sunday	1115 Benefice Mass	Pillaton
01 May	Tuesday	0915 Said Mass	St. Mellion
06 May	Sunday	1000 Morning Service 1115 Eucharist With Hymns	Landulph St. Mellion
08 May	Tuesday	0915 Said Mass	St. Mellion
10 May	Thursday	1100-1800 St. Dominick Craft Fair	St. Dominick

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11 May	Friday	1100-1800 St. Dominick Craft Fair	St. Dominick
12 May	Saturday	1100-1800 St. Dominick Craft Fair	St. Dominick
13 May	Sunday	1000 Morning Service 1115 Sung Eucharist	Pillaton St. Dominic
15 May	Tuesday	0915 Said Mass 1900 Churchwardens Diary Meeting	St. Mellion St. Mellion
16 May	Wednesday	1200 Pasty Lunch Rectory Room	Cargreen
20 May	Sunday	1000 Morning Service 1115 Sung Eucharist	St. Mellion Landulph
22 May	Tuesday	0915 Said Mass	St. Mellion
27 May	Pentecost Sunday	1115 Benefice Sung Eucharist and Faith Lunch	Landulph

BENEFICE CONTACT DETAILS

For all enquiries regarding Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals or any other Parish Business please contact:

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