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This month sees Bonfire Night - no bonfire but plenty of fireworks will be let off in The Poachers Garden on Saturday, 3rd November - see page 10 for further details.

Remembrance Sunday this year is actually on the 11th November, when it will be 100 years since the end of the First World War. There will be a Service of remembrance at our War Memorial starting at 10.50am followed by tea/coffee in our updated Memorial Hall which will be re-dedicated for the benefit of us all.

Items for the December/January Ide Times should be sent to me brendaspivey123@btinternet.com by the 20th November. Remember the next issue of the Ide Times covers both December 2018 and January 2019.

Brenda Spivey (01392 275784)

USEFUL NUMBERS

Community Policeman: 101

The Parish Church - Rev Mike Partridge 01392 662280 and leave a message.

Congregational Church: Fiona Field 07736449790 mynameisfiona@hotmail.co.uk

M.P. Mel Stride: 02072 197037 melstride.mp@parliament.uk

Community Shop Opening Hours: (Tel. 410035)

Monday – Friday 8am – 12 noon and 3pm – 6.30pm

Saturdays 8am – 1pm

Sundays 9am - 12 noon

Post Office Opening Hours

Monday – Friday 9am – 11.45am and 3pm – 5pm

Saturdays 9am – 12 noon.

Sundays and Bank Holidays CLOSED



IDE MEMORIAL HALL – to book the hall for your event/party please contact Carol Whitehart on 01392 213608.

The Mobile Library will be in the Huntsman car park, Ide, from 11.45am to 12.30pm on **Monday, 26th November.**

IDE PARISH COUNCIL
ldevillage.org.uk

Allotments: An allotment has become available, and there is no waiting list at present. Plots are located beyond the MUGA, accessed through the school playing field. Licenses are issued by the Parish Council. There is an Ide Allotment Holders Association, whose chairman is Carolyn Tysoe ctysoe@yahoo.co.uk if you would like further information. The rent is £27 per year. Please contact Mel Liversage if you are interested in becoming an allotment holder. A licence holder must be a resident of Ide.

Pynes Community Orchard: Andy Bragg has now taken on the licence to occupy the orchard on behalf of the Parish Council. Horses will no longer be kept there. Work is in progress on a restoration plan and an ecology assessment; and a leaflet and prospectus are being prepared to enable us to start raising funds to purchase the orchard. There are 25 active trees, a mixture of cider, cookers and Bramleys. We have a pruning teach-in session planned for January 2019. A meeting of the working group was held at The Halt, 1 St Ida's Close on Wednesday, 31 October 2018, at 5.30pm.

Weir Meadow Working Group: A meeting was held on Wednesday, 24 October 2018, in The Hub at 7pm to review progress on our attempts to resolve the current sticking point: agricultural plant access across Weir Meadow to the northern fields.

Communities Together Fund. Teignbridge DC runs a fund for community projects and, based on our population, there is around £490 available for the residents of Ide. Mel Liversage has the necessary (simple) application form. If you have a village project in mind that might get off the ground with this level of support, then please get in touch with Mel.

The next **Parish Council** meeting will be held in Ide Memorial Hall on Wednesday, 21 November 2018, at 7.30pm.

If you have an issue you would like the council to discuss, please contact the chairman or another parish councillor. Requests for items to be considered for inclusion on the agenda should be made at least 14 days before the date of the meeting. The first ten minutes of a Parish Council meeting are open to the public to raise possible items for future meetings; or to comment on items on the agenda for that meeting.

The minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 19 September 2018 are available on the website and on the noticeboard in Coronation Gardens
www.ldevillage.org.

The next meeting of the **Planning Committee** is on Wednesday 21 November 2018 at 6pm at The Hub unless otherwise advised. To view planning applications, go to www.teignbridge.gov.uk/planning and search using the address or reference number.

Meetings of the Planning Committee are held in public and you are welcome to attend. There is time allocated at the start of the meetings for public participation.

Parish Council Contact Details:

Chairman: Nick Bradley, Smallridge House, The Green, Ide, EX2 9RT 01392 420616 ncabradley@gmail.com

Part-time clerk: Mel Liversage, 20 Little Johns Cross Hill, EX2 9PJ 01392 259024 ideparishclerk@gmail.com

Cemetery administrator: Sarah Tiley 01392 217142 saraht61@btinternet.com

PUBLIC NOTICE- RURAL SKIP SERVICE, IDE

Saturday 3rd November 2018, from 1:00pm until 3:30pm, Old Ide Lane

The following materials CANNOT be accepted (The Contractor's decision is final in deciding the volumes and types of material acceptable):

- Dead pets & animals - Plastic window or door frames (with or without glass)
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PLEASE NOTE: TV's, fridges and computer monitors are accepted.

BARN DANCE with live music, 8th December, 7.30pm, Longdown Village Hall.
Caller Jeremy Child. Tickets - Adults £7, under 12's £4 (to include a pasty).



IDE COMMUNITY SHOP AND POST OFFICE



Welcome to all the new residents in the village - we hope you will appreciate having a village shop and Post Office on your doorstep, and we look forward to meeting you if you haven't already visited us. You may think our opening hours are a bit strange – they are set this way based on the survey we took when the shop originally opened – also we have a limited number of volunteers!

Talking of volunteers, we are always in need of more. If you would like to join our happy team, please contact David Williams by email davidfrankwilliams@icloud.com or ask in the shop. You won't be thrown in the deep end – training will be given. We know that not everyone wants to serve customers or use the till but there are other jobs that need doing. For instance, is there anyone willing to wipe down the paintwork at the front of the shop once a week? This would be really helpful and any offers would be gratefully received.

Congratulations to the Village Hall committee for the amazing transformation of our neighbouring building. What a difference!

Thank you to Jackie Chadwick and everyone involved with the Ide Walks cards. They are really popular and your donation from the proceeds is very much appreciated and will be used towards the cost of another display unit. There are still plenty of cards in the shop for anyone who hasn't got around to buying them - £1 each or £5 for a set of 6. A good stocking filler?

The Christmas stamps go on sale on 1st November – why not buy a few each week? Also, pick up a leaflet with all the latest recommended posting dates for Christmas delivery. You can also find this information online at royalmail.com/greetings

If you or your children want to write to Santa this year, letters should be stamped and addressed to Santa/Father Christmas, Santa's Grotto, Reindeerland, XM4 5HQ. Please remember to include the full name, address and postcode of the sender, so Santa can reply as quickly as possible. Letters should be sent to him by Friday 7th December, to give him time to reply.

BIG BROTH EVENT FOR CENTREPOINT HOMELESS CHARITY

On Friday, 2nd November, from 12 to 2pm, I am hosting a Big Broth event for the Centrepont Homeless Charity at my house. It's a very informal soup and bread lunch for £5. I am hoping to raise £100. Takeaway options also available!

Jane Rotinoff

JUBILEE CLUB

We have had interesting talks from amazing people this month. On the 1st October Frank Letch entertained us with tales of his life with no arms - well he just gets on with things. He was born in 1944 as a healthy baby but with no arms. Despite this he thinks his brain works his feet. his Mother could not teach him but left him to just get on with things. He could write by the age of three and his Godmother taught him to cook when he was five - his reward being a glass of Guinness!



He was sent to a special school and passed his eleven plus but was told he could not go to Grammar School. However he persevered and as a result of a school trip to Paris found a love for languages. He passed his O.levels and went on to study for A.levels at Stratford Grammar School, then university to study French and Italian. Later he became a teacher, despite being refused at interview because he had no arms - his reply, 'the job description did not ask if I had arms'!

Frank claims he is very vain and manages to shave himself and comb his hair. He fixes an elastic band to his short left stump and secures a fork, or potato peeler and peels potatoes as efficiently as anyone with hands. When eating out he does ask the chef to cut up his food. Frank drives an automatic car, passing his test at the first time, using a special cup fixed to his stump with which to steer.

While teaching he met Helen and they married. Ten and a half months later their first son was born. In order to give Helen a lie in, Frank would lift the baby with his teeth, feed him and change him taking great care with the nappy pins! More babies were to follow at regular intervals. Sadly Helen was diagnosed with breast cancer and died in 1990. Now four of his five children are married. His daughter plays an important part in his life. He moved to Scotland then to Crediton in 1998, where he plays an important part in local activities. In 2008 he became the Mayor. He married again in 2006. Frank was awarded the O.B.E. at Windsor for his services to the disabled and to the people of Crediton. What an inspirational man we should never complain about our lot in life.

It was good to see Enid at the meeting.

On the 15th October. Gordon Partridge came to tell us about his life working for 22 years on Lighthouses. Trinity House own all Lighthouses, founded in 1534 the oldest known institution in the land. Elizabeth 1st. built the first Lighthouse at Lowestoft. The accommodation consists of two rooms for accommodation - all the rest used for storage of equipment etc. Bishops Rock Lighthouse set off the Isles of Scilly has its front door 44feet high, Boats were chartered from the Islands but had to wait for a good weather window. The lighthouse keeper had to be winched up from the boat. Two months on and one month off were spent on duty.

With the advent of the use of helicopter pads on Lighthouses accessibility became easier and one month on and one month off was the time spent on duty.

All Lighthouses were automated in 1998. Over the years Gordon worked on 22 different Lighthouses. While working Gordon made use of his time to follow a variety of hobbies including model boats, knot samples and dolls houses, also doing three Open University Courses .After 20 years of service they were invited to Mansion House to be presented with a medal by the Duke of Edinburgh. Gordon said he loved his time spent working as a keeper.

DIARY DATES

November 12th Christmas Shopping outing to Garden World

November 26th Bingo

December 10th Christmas Party with the Ide School children entertaining
Jean Hoskin

IDE COMMUNITY SHOP AND POST OFFICE Vacancy for Part Time Post Office Assistant



Ide Community Shop is seeking a part time Post Office Assistant to help run the post office service within the shop.

The Post Office is currently staffed by a post mistress and one part time assistant. The role is needed to provide additional support to the existing staff, consisting of regular cover (3 days per fortnight) and cover during holidays. Availability at short notice due to sickness or other unforeseen circumstances would be an advantage. Although the role is primarily to run the Post Office, it also requires you to help in the smooth running of the shop which is staffed by volunteers. Full training will be provided for an interesting and rewarding role at the heart of the community.

Please apply with a brief CV to David Howe - david53howe@gmail.com or in writing to the shop by the 15th November.

IDE PRODUCE SHOW

A huge thanks to everyone who came along to the Ide Show. It was one of the best we've had. Together with the proceeds from Seed Swap, we're able to donate £250.00 each to the Weir Meadow, Orchard and the School.

We are missing a Cup. The Chudleigh Cup has gone AWOL (veg category) - so if you have it, could we have it back so we can pass onto the 2018 winner?

Next year we're hoping to expand the Art category with more photos. We'd love it if you could take photos of life in the village through the year (people, places, activities). More details next month!

We'll be back in the Spring with Seed Swap and of course, another Ide Show in 2019.

The HUB@Ide – November

	11am	5pm
4 th Nov	Traditional Service – Mr B Bunce	All-Age service
11 th Nov	REMEMBERANCE DAY – Mark Field	Traditional Service - Mr D.Chipps
18 th Nov	Traditional Service – Mr P.Jenner	All-Age service
25 th Nov	Traditional Service – Mr D Bulley (Communion)	Traditional Service – Mr M Trigg

The HUB events

Thurs 1 st Nov	Coffee morning	10-12AM
Fri 16 th Nov	Download	6:30-8:30

Ide Rocks 2018 is on



**Sunday 23rd
Dec at 5pm**

This Christmas, share the joy and excitement of the season as we sing carols and Christmas hits, dance and play silly games together. All are welcome to join us!

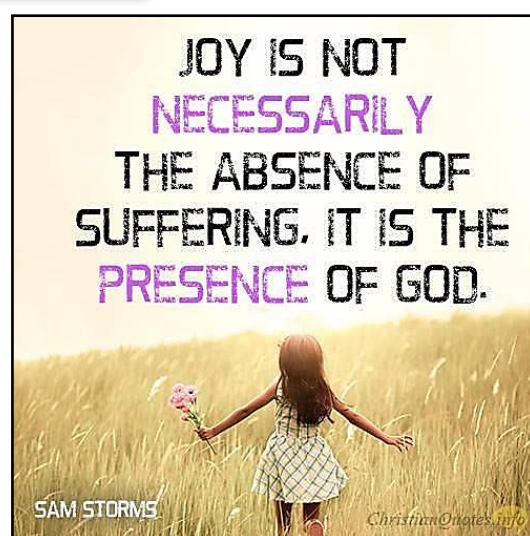
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Prayer requests:

If you have something you would like prayer for, please get in touch either by email, phone, text or by writing a note and dropping it in to the red letter box on the church's wall (next to the front door). All requests are handled confidentially and can be followed up by a pastoral visit if requested.



SAINT IDA'S CHURCH



4th November	4 before Advent	9.30am	Holy Communion
11th November	Remembrance Sunday		
	10.50am Service at the War Memorial followed by tea/coffee and cake in the Memorial Hall		
18th November	2 before Advent	9.30am	Holy Communion
25th November	Christ the King	8am	Holy Communion
		10am	All Age Service

Baptisms (Christenings), Weddings & Banns of Marriage - If you wish to make any enquiries about these please email weddings@alphingtonstmichaels.org for weddings and banns of marriage at Ide; and christenings@alphingtonstmichaels.org for baptisms at Ide; or you can ring 01392 662280.

Harvest Festival - This was a splendid occasion and our thanks go to all those who decorated the church with flowers, fruit, etc., also to those who came to the Service and those who rapidly set up tables and seating for the bring and share harvest lunch for 35-40 people. It was a great pleasure to have members of the Congregational Church with us. The harvest gifts were taken to St Petroc's the following day, for which they were most grateful.

Christmas Festive Tea - this will be held on Saturday, 1st December, from 2.30pm. Father Christmas will be outside the Poachers at 2.15pm and hopes that some families will walk down through the village with him to the Hall.

Wreath Making - this will take place in Ide Church on Saturday, 8th December. There will be two sessions - 2.30pm and 5.30pm. The cost will be £15 to cover materials and refreshments. Tickets will be available from Ide Shop and St Ida's.

Christingle Service - Nativity Rock Hunt - Children and families in Ide are invited to join the Christmas Rock Hunt, leading up to our fantastic Christingle Service in Church on Christmas Eve at 4pm. We'll launch the project at the Festive Tea on 1st December. Lucy will be going into the school to lead rock painting sessions for the children. Then, children will be able to paint rocks, hide them across the village and go out hunting for them. Anyone who wants to paint their own nativity designs is welcome to join in at home too. Finally, on Christmas Eve, we'll bring our seasonal rocks to Church with a fabulous finale to the Nativity Rock Hunt. We do hope everyone will love taking part.

Mothers' Union - The Autumn Council Meeting will be on 6th November at St Matthew's Church Hall. All members welcome. Our branch meeting will be on Wednesday, 21st November, when Margaret Seager-Berry will be talking to us. It will be at 2.30pm at 15 Fore Street, Ide.

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY, 11th November, 2018

There will be a Service of Remembrance at Ide War Memorial starting at 10.50am on Sunday, 11th November, so that we can keep the silence at 11am. This year marks 100 years since the end of the First World War, which was supposed to be the war to end all wars. Sadly, 1939 saw the commencement of the Second World War, which did not finish until 1945. Our war memorial gives the names of those from Ide who died in both world wars.



Tea, coffee, cake and biscuits will be served in our Memorial Hall at the end of the service. The hall has been modernised and re-decorated during the last 12 months with grants, but also with money from local organisations and local individuals. We hope that it will be of benefit to the village and serve as a memorial to those who gave up their lives when serving their country.

In the afternoon there will be a **Rugby Match** in weir meadow.

The Thank You Memorial Match Ide Barbarians

vs

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IDE TWINNING ASSOCIATION

Ide Twinning and The Poachers are looking forward to welcoming you along to the firework display on Saturday, 3rd November. We will have lots of nice things for you to eat on the evening so don't bother with tea. As you will have seen from the posters up and about in the village, and on the Ide facebook page, tickets are available at our community shop and at The Poachers, £4 per adult, £2 per child and £10 for a family ticket which equals two adults and any number of children (within reason; no-one please to bring along entire troop of e.g. Birmingham drum majorettes, cast of 'Oliver' etc). An important safety notice – please ensure you and/or any offspring stay behind the spectator barrier at all times, including after the display as well as before and during. Thank you, we want the evening to go with the right sort of bang etc!

Pete Bishop



Ide Community Firework Display

**6.30_{pm} Saturday
3rd November**

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***In the event of utterly foul and impossible weather on the 3rd the
event will take place on Sunday 4th of November, same times.***

IDE LADIES GO CLIMBING IN MOROCCO

In October fourteen ladies from Ide, or with close associations to the village and each other, decided to challenge our legs, lungs and friendship and undertake a trek to the summit of the highest point in northern Africa, Jebel Toubkal (4200m).

We had beautiful weather on the lower slopes of the High Atlas mountains and the countryside around the village of Imlil, our starting point, was a mixture of red rocky hillsides and lovely streams and orchards. It got colder, rockier and snowier as we got higher. Crampons, head torches, lots warm walking gear and a sense of humour were needed to make it to the top but we were rewarded with blue skies and fabulous views stretching to the Sahara. (See the picture on the front cover.)

Morale was sustained throughout by much laughter, two fabulous Moroccan guides, and superb food – carried up the mountains and cooked on location by our local chefs and their amazing mules! 'Around the world' wont seem quite the same....
Laura Bell





St Ida's Church

CHRISTMAS FESTIVE TEA

Saturday, 1st December, 2.30pm

in Ide Memorial Hall



Father Christmas is coming and will leave

The Poachers at 2.15pm - Why not walk down the village with him!

Come and join the tea party!

Also Stalls - Jams, cakes, books, toys, Christmas gifts, etc.

Activities for the children too.



CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EVENING

IDE MEMORIAL HALL

7 DECEMBER 2018, 7PM

**LOTS OF
STALLS**

**MULLED
WINE**

**TEAS &
COFFEES**

RAFFLE

**KIDS
ACTIVITIES**



Pop-up Cafe



Saturday, 17th November

9am - 12 noon

Ide Village Hall

Come along to the second Ide Village Cafe

Bacon and Egg plus all the usual yummy pastries and cake.

Why not come along, relax and let someone else cook your breakfast.

Catch up with friends, have a chat or play a board game.

All welcome. See you there.

Catch up with friends and help support charity fundraising for a volunteering trip to Cambodia.

CYCLE RIDE PALACE TO PARIS

Over the 28th, 29th and 30th September I rode 182 miles on my bike from London to Paris, raising over £36,000 for FORCE, who do a wonderful job of supporting patients and their families through some very difficult times.

The support and care shown whilst Marie was going through treatment, from counselling and support, through to foot massages and wigs, by such caring staff, leaves a lasting memory. FORCE are still there for us now.

The trip was named 'Palace to Paris' as we set off from Crystal Palace in London

Jerry Kent



IDE MEMORIAL HALL

Rick Farrar has almost finished painting the exterior and interior of the hall, new smaller Gopak tables have been ordered and a new noticeboard to go on the outside of the hall should arrive within a few days. You will be pleased to find that toilet roll holders and mirrors have now been fitted! We still have a small amount of money left and are planning to get some new chairs. However, we have to decide on whether to go for lightweight chairs or more comfortable padded, heavier chairs - not an easy decision.

We hope that the newly refurbished hall is now one we can be proud of and that it will be well used for many years to come.

Ide Memorial Hall Management Committee

IDE PRIMARY SCHOOL - AFTER SCHOOL CLUB VACANCY

Would you like to earn some money working for a few hours each afternoon? Would you like to be an active part of school life in the village?

Ide Primary School are looking to appoint staff for our thriving After School Club. The advert will be available through the Devon jobs website in the next week.

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Alice Purcell
Headteacher, Ide Primary School

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HENRY V – William Shakespeare - 6-10 November

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NEIL OLIVER - 11 November

The acclaimed historian tells The Story of the British Isles in 100 Places.

MADAGASCAR – THE MUSICAL - 13-17 November

Dreamworks' smash hit comes to the stage with this brand new musical and X-factor winner Matt Terry – it's going to be big, boisterous and fun!

BUGLE BOYS – A Salute to the Andrews Sisters - 18 November

An evening of hilarious comedy-cabaret drag homage to one of the first girl bands!

ENGLISH TOURING OPERA - 20-24 November

Handel – Radamisto

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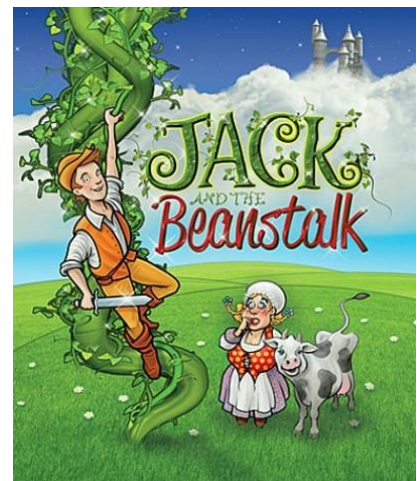
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WEST TOWN FARM NEWS



Well...we broke a record this month with the most people we've ever had on the farm. The busiest 'Apple and Pumpkin Day' to date! We changed things around this year and tried to get people exploring more of the farm than ever. It was great fun and the day absolutely flew by. It's incredible how fast it seems to go when we're so busy! The weather was absolutely glorious and the farm was washed in beautiful Autumnal sunshine. Everything looks so magical at this time of year!

The farm side of things has been ticking along nicely. Our cows are enjoying the last of the good weather before we bring them back in for Winter. Our pace slows down after the Summer and we have a chance to enjoy the Autumn as we know that soon enough we'll be up to our eyeballs in mud! We won't see green grass for a while and Winston the farm dog will be permanently wet and a bit smelly!



We've still got lots of squash for sale and will do for quite a while. Plus we have lovely new West Town Farm tote bags for sale in the farm shop. Come up and see us.

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