

One of Penny Smith's lovely paintings of Ide High Street.



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DECEMBER 2018 & JANUARY 2019



We have had one or two frosty mornings but are we going to get any snow this winter? Whatever the weather is like, we hope you all have a very happy Christmas and New Year and that you stay fit and well. There is lots going on in Ide over the Christmas period - Festive Tea in the hall, a number of things at the Congregational Church, a Christmas Shopping Evening at the Hall, the School Christmas Fete and, of course, the Duck Race on Boxing Day!

Items for the February Ide Times should be sent to Ann Boyce email annboyce@talk21.com by the 20th January.

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

8am – 1pm

9am - 12 noon

Post Office Opening Hours

Saturdays

Sundays

Monday – Friday Saturdays

9am - 11.45am and 3pm - 5pm 9am - 12 noon.

Opening Hours	:	Shop	Post Office
Sunday	23 December	9am – 12pm	Closed
Monday	Christmas Eve	8am – 2pm	ТВА
Tuesday	Christmas Day	Closed	Closed
Wednesday	Boxing Day	9am – 11pm	Closed
Thursday	27 December	Normal Opening Hours	Normal Opening Hours
Friday	28 December	Normal Opening Hours	Normal Opening Hours
Saturday	29 December	Normal Opening Hours	Normal Opening Hours
Sunday	30 December	Normal Opening Hours	Closed
Monday	New Year's Eve	8am – 1pm	ТВА
Tuesday	New Year's Day	Closed	Closed
Wednesday	2 January	Normal Opening Hours	Normal Opening Hours



IDE PARISH COUNCIL Idevillage.org.uk



Pynes Community Orchard. The working group met on 31 October to discuss preparatory restoration work, and progress on the promised three year option to purchase the land. Andy Bragg holds the licence to occupy the Orchard on behalf of the Parish Council: so the ground is now free of horses, and a start has been made on clearing overgrown hedges and bramble thickets. Clearance of dead trees will begin in December. The Orchard is already designated as Local Green Space under the Neighbourhood Plan, made in September. As long as the Orchard remains the property of the Church Commissioners, however, under the terms of the licence it cannot be made available for general public access. Whilst this is disappointing in some respects, in practice the ground is still pitted, claggy and tricky to walk on. It needs to be rolled and left to settle for the winter, and the grass allowed to flourish in spring. Remedial pruning work will be done on the existing apple trees in January. We expect to receive detailed terms for the option to buy this month. Once that is agreed, we will be able to start raising the funds to buy the land: a prospectus is in preparation in readiness. And once the village owns it, the Orchard can become public space. The next working group meeting is on Monday 3 December 2018 at 6pm.

Weir Meadow. The working group met on 24 October, to discuss progress on an agreement about agricultural access across Weir Meadow to the northern fields (bordered by College Lane). Representatives of the Church Commissioners are coming to meet us in Ide on 3 December to try to find a solution to this, the only outstanding issue in the way of obtaining a three year option to buy (similar to the option we seek for the Orchard).

Allotments: One allotment has become available; the rent is £27 per annum, please contact Mel Liversage if you are interested in becoming an allotment holder. The licence holder must be a resident of Ide.

IPC Planning Committee met on Wednesday 21 November 2018 in the Hub at 6.45 pm

18/01259/FUL 13 The Hams, Ide – Two storey side and single storey rear extension. **Application approved**

18/01024/MAJ Springwell Nursery IDE Erection of a new Garden Sales Area Building including Café/Restaurant, Storage/Warehouse, New Public Car Park Area and Turning Area. This was considered at the last full IPC meeting on 25 July 2018 and an objection was lodged. It is anticipated that at decision will be made by the end of this year.

18/0009/REF Land off Polehouse Lane – farmworker's accommodation – **Appeal** successful with conditions.

17/02835/FUL Sculpher Photography, Fore Street - still awaiting flood risk assessment.

New Application 18/02306/FUL Meadowpark, Markham Lane, Shillingford Abbot – single storey front/side extension. This application is in Shillingford Parish but along the boundary with Ide, so TDC asked Ide Parish Council to comment. The committee supports this application.

The next meeting of the **Planning Committee** is on Wednesday 16 January 2019 at 6pm unless otherwise advised. To view planning applications, go to <u>www.teignbridge.gov.uk/planning</u> and search using the address or reference number.

The next **Parish Council** meeting will be held in Ide Memorial Hall on Wednesday 16 January 2019 at 7.30pm. Meetings of the Parish Council and its 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. 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. **Parish Council Contact Details:** Chairman: Nick Bradley, Smallridge House, The Green, Ide, EX2 9RT 01392 420616 <u>ncabradley@gmail.com</u> **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

TEIGNBRIDGE CHRISTMAS WASTE & RECYCLING INFORMATION:

Normal Date - Thursday, 27 December Revised Date - Saturday, 29th December Saturday, 29th December Saturday, 5th January Friday, 10th January Friday, 11th January

WHAT CAN I RECYCLE AT CHRISTMAS

Cards & Wrapping Paper - plain cards and paper based wrapping can be recycled with your cardboard. Shiny plastic wrapping must be put in your black bin.

Aluminium Foil (clean) can go in your black recycling box.

Cardboard - fold and flatten cardboard boxes and put in your green recycling box. Further information can be found at **www.teignbridge.gov.uk/christmaswaste**

IDE NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

Teignbridge District Council have delivered 50 copies of Ide's Neighbourhood Plan.

If any parishioners would like a copy, you will find some at that Community Shop or alternatively, if you leave your name and address on my mobile phone (07971 918623) by mid December, I will deliver one to you.

Chris Bishop. Chairman of the Steering Group



IDE COMMUNITY SHOP AND POST OFFICE



Festive greetings from all at your community shop. We are starting to get into the spirit of the season and thinking ahead to how we can best serve you during this jolly season. We now have in the shop: gift wrap and bags, gift tags, Christmas cards and all the usual trimmings.

If you are thinking of entertaining either for yourselves or for a large group of friends or family over the Christmas period, don't forget that we can order many items for you personally, on a date convenient to you, with local collection from your community shop.....just ask. We have many varieties of cheese, meat, cake, cream, wine and spirits to mention a few.

Royal Mail Last Posting Dates - UK Inland

Tuesday 18th Dec - 2nd Class Thursday 20th Dec - 1st Class & Special Delivery Friday 21st Dec – Tracked 24 Saturday 22nd Dec – Delivery Guaranteed



International posting dates available in the Post Office or visit postoffice.co.uk/christmas

As we come towards the end of the year we thought we would take a look back on just a few things that the shop has been up to:

New stock ordered as a result of the comments and suggestion box. Move away from plastic bags to re-usable handmade cloth bags. Walks around Ide cards on sale. New volunteers. New Ice cream freezer and salad fridge. Donations to village causes. And much, much more.

Your shop is open **seven** days a week. Each day. every week many of our neighbours give up just a few hours of their time to keep your shop running. Some help in stocking shelves, ordering supplies, manning the till, trips to suppliers, and so much more. There is also a core group of committee members that oversee the smooth running of the shop by organising the volunteer rota, paying our bills, stock control as well of all the 'necessary' legal bits and pieces.

Will you be making a new years resolution? Would you like to donate some time to your community shop? Do you have a few hours you can spare to help in your shop? You might like a regular shift, or perhaps a more ad hoc arrangement. Either way we would love for you to join our merry band of volunteers. PLEASE, if you would like to find out more pop in and see what it's all about.

IDE GREEN ROVERS AFC

This football season has seen Ide Green Rovers AFC go on a 2 game winning streak and thus the longest unbeaten run probably in the club's history!



The first game of the season was a home game at Tedburn played against our old friendly rivals, and the team with the best name, Christow Palace. It is always a close game but Ide started well and seeming to benefit from the 3 touch football played on Wednesday nights with some fine passing moves. Ide went into a 3-0 lead by midway through the second half with a fine team goal scored by debutant MC, a great finish by Will Cockram and even a top corner finish from the skipper. I should have hung my boots up there and then! Christow battled on however and snatched two goals back in quick succession to leave an exciting finish to the game. Ide hung on well however with some fine goal keeping from the reluctant but excellent goalkeeper Harry Philpot.

Final score Ide GR AFC 3 Christow Palace 2

Second up were the Bovey Bullets who last year were an under 16's team in the league. They decided not to partake in the league this year and with a few dads keen to play offered to give us a game. Taking into account the average age of Ide AFC as being in the 40's, it was time to bring on a few youngsters for this game – thankfully for the older statesmen of the team!

With a good team out that included the younger players Sam Chapman and local mates MC and Jacob Dack, Will Burwood and Will Cockram, Ide started well and took an early 1-0 lead. By half time however Bovey Bullets had taken a 2-1 lead largely against the run of play. However Ide AFC didn't panic and were soon back in the game at 2-2. Goals from long serving players such as Dan Weinstein and Harry Philpot along with a goal from debutant Ide villager Andy Glanville made the final score 5-2 to Ide with Jacob getting the other 2.

Final score Ide GR AFC 5 Bovey Bullets 2.

Finally thanks to Richard Parr for allowing a fun kickabout on Weir meadow on the 18th of November, the first time football has been played there since at least the 1950's I believe. The kids ran out 6-5 winners against the adults!

Ide Green Rovers AFC are a friendly, yet competitive football team Contact Stuart Brooking on 07801 789215 Evening training Wednesdays 8.30-9.30 locally. Contact Stuart for more information.

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 CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH <u>The HUB@Ide – December</u>

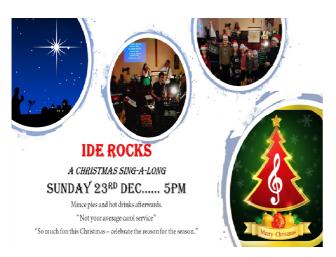
	11am	5pm	
2 nd Dec	Traditional Service – Mr D Chipps	All-Age service	
9 th Dec	Traditional Service – Mr K Harris	Traditional Service -	
		Mr D.Chipps	
16 th Dec	Traditional Service – Mr M Field	Join St.Ida's Carol Service	
23 rd Dec	Traditional Service – Mr L Mason	Ide Rocks	
Tuesday 25 th	Christmas day service – a short service to celebrate the birth of		
Dec	our Saviour and to share the joy with our church family. We would		
<mark>10:30am</mark>	love to see many from the village with their friends and relatives		
	joining us!		
30 th Dec	Traditional Service – Mr P Willer Ruth and Roy		

 The HUB events

 Thurs 6th Dec
 Christmas Coffee

 morning with Ide Primary
 4

 Pupils
 4



IDE ROCKS is on Sunday, 23rd December at 5pm

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

10:30-12AM

'The Church' – it's a name we often give to the building in which religious services are held and to the organisations that run those services. Nowadays church buildings are regarded as part of our heritage, a traditional place to get married, christen/baptise our babies and bury our loved ones. For some, it holds significance as 'a place to be close to God' or somewhere to have some quiet reflective time. For others, it conjures up thoughts about always wanting your money, rules and religious expectations, hymns and pews.



But 'the building' is not what 'Church' was originally meant to mean. The same word is used in the Bible to describe a group of people who belong to Jesus. <u>Where</u> they met was irrelevant. Rather <u>why</u> they met together is what was important.

When you are with people who follow Jesus, you should see 'The Church' in action – acts of love and good works, encouragement and a devotion to God, allowing for opportunities to correct and be corrected.

People throughout history have acted under the banner of 'The Church' or the title 'Christian' and misrepresented Jesus and his intention for us. Whilst God is fearsome and just, he is full of love and compassion, and so should those who follow Him. The Church is (should be) full of love and compassion – and when you come to a church building or meet with people who are 'the Church', we hope you feel welcome, loved and valued as we worship Jesus together. *We pray that over this festive season you will feel the love and compassion in the buildings and around Ide when we meet for the various carol services, Ide Rocks, Christingle and Christmas day to celebrate the birth of our saviour – Jesus Christ.*

<u> The HUB@Ide – January</u>

	11am	5pm
6 th Jan	Traditional Service – tbc	All-Age service
13 th Jan	Traditional Service – tbc	tbc
20 th Jan	Traditional Service – tbc	All-Age service
27 th Jan	Traditional Service – Mr B Bunce	tbc

The HUB events

Fri 4 th	Movie marathon - Non-	2:30 till 7pm			
Jan	stop PG/U movies with				
	hotdogs (and extras) for				
	tea. All welcome to join us!				
Friday	Download	6:30-8:30pm			
18 th Jan					

Email: thehubidecc@outlook.com or call 07736449790 for more information...

Did you know...?

We have a website where you can find out information, see what we've been up to and get in touch. www.thehubidecc.com



JUBILEE CLUB



Just one meeting to report this month as we have been off travelling. On October 29th Ian Hakin came to tell us about being a Redcoat guide in Exeter. During the Summer there can be four to six public tours daily fewer in winter, also booked tours including schools. Tours can last one to one and a half hours and there are 30 different ones. After applying to be a volunteer the training is guite intensive spending a full day at the Guildhall then learning the

routes and scripts

Exeter has history over many ages. There may be 20 to 30 in a group causing a problem finding space to stand and talk. In 1848 Queen Victoria visited Exeter, when she was 29 years old. A statue was put up above what was then Waltons which was made of wood. This has since been replaced and can now be seen on the corner above M&S. The house that moved, known as the Tudor House. is actually a little earlier than the Tudors, it was jacked up and moved in one go 100 metres, a pub which was in the way had to be knocked down, this was done in 1961. The old council tax was worked out by measuring the ground floor, hence the upper floors were bigger. The saying eves dropping comes from people sheltering under the eves who could overhear conversations from above. There is a firewall built of Heavitree stone against Laura Ashley`s which possibly slowed the fire when the Royal Clarence was burnt . It was interesting to hear that Sylvia Moore was once a Redcoat.

A group of 41 went on a trip to Garden World on November 19th.



We welcomed a new member Janet May.

DIARY DATES

Diameter DatesDecember 10thChristmas Party. With a visit from the Ide School children.January 7thBingoJanuary19tha visit to Dunsford PantomimeJanuary 21stChristmas Lunch at Fingle GlenFebruary 4thSeated Exercise

Christmas Good Wishes to everyone.

Jean Hoskin

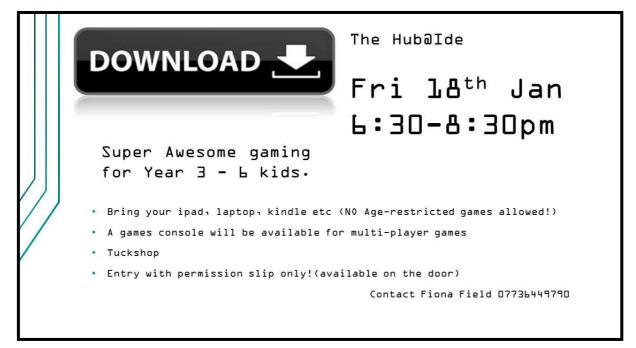
IDE YOUTH CLUB

There will be a new Youth Club starting in Ide in December. The Youth Club is for 11-16 year olds and is designed to be the next step from the successful Hub at the Congregational Church. You can contact Stuart Brooking at

stuartbrooking@ambios.net or 07801 789215 for more details, or to get involved as a parent helper.

Please keep an eye out for posters around the village with the date of the first Youth Club.

There will be a pool table, table football, chat zone (with Wi-Fi) and Christmas craft table. Oh and free Pizza!



THANK YOU

Selena and Freya Morgan would like to express their sincerest thanks to everyone who supported their recent fund raising efforts. All money raised will be used to help them travel to Cambodia to volunteer at a dental clinic and school.

The 2nd Pop-up Cafe was a success in the gorgeous newly renovated hall. Everyone enjoyed the egg and bacon baps. 72 were cooked in total! Thank you lovely Ide villagers. You are amazing!



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, 31st December.**

SAINT IDA'S CHURCH

2nd December 9th December 16th December	Advent 1 Advent 2 Advent 3	9.30am 9.30am 9.30am 6.30pm	Holy Communion Morning Praise Holy Communion Carol Service
23rd December	Advent 4	8am	Holy Communion
24th December	Christmas Eve	4pm	Christingle Service
25th December	Christmas Day	10am	Family Communion at Alphington
			Church
30th December		10am	Holy Communion
6th January	Epiphany	9.30am	Holy Communion
13th January	Epiphany 1	9.30am	Morning Praise
20th January	Epiphany 2	9.30am	Holy Communion
27th January	Epiphany 3	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.

Christmas Festive Tea - this will be held on Saturday, 1st December, from 2.30pm in Ide Memorial Hall. 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 are available from Ide Shop - there are some left for the 2.30pm session.



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. 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.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES IN ALPHINGTON, IDE & SHILLINGFORD PARIISH CHURCHES

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	St Michael's, Alphington	St Ida's, Ide	St George's, Shillingford St George
Sat. 1st/Sun. 2nd Dec.	Sat. 1st Christmas Fayre 10am—2pm Village Hall Sunday 2nd: All Age Worship 11am "Christmas is Coming"	Sat. 1st Festive Tea Meet Father Christmas at the Poachers (2:15pm) then walk the High Street to the Village Hall for 2:30pm. Stalls and games for children.	Sunday 2nd 9:30am Advent Sunday Service
Sat. 8th Dec. Sunday 9th Dec.	Sat. 9:30 am—1:30 pm Christingle workshop for children, in church. See website for details www.alphingtonstmichaels.org Sun. 4:30pm Christingle A family friendly service celebrating Jesus, the Light of the World	Sat. Wreath making workshops: 2:30 and 5:30pm, in church All materials provided Tickets available from Community Shop and at the Festive tea on 1st. £15	
Mon. 10th	Carols @ The New Inn 7:30pm Join us for some informal carol singing		
Sunday 16th	11am Morning Praise for Advent 4:30pm ReFresh Nativity Service The church's children and young people take a leading role in telling the Christmas Story	6:30pm Carol Service The Christmas Story told with traditional carols & readings	4:30 pm Christingle A family friendly service celebrating Jesus, the Light of the World
	Wed. 19th 7:30pm Carol Service The Christmas Story told with traditional carols & readings		Sun. 23rd 4:30pm Carols at Christmas The Christmas Story told with traditional carols & readings
Christmas Eve	6:30pm The Road to Bethlehem A family-friendly service 11:30 pm Midnight Communion A traditional late night service	4:00pm Christingle A family friendly service celebrating Jesus, the Light of the World	10pm 'Midnight Communion' The traditional late night service, but earlier in the evening, for those who would rather not be out at midnight.
Christ- mas Day	10:00 am Family Communion Celebrating the Lord's birthday		or come all ye Faith E
Sun. 30th Dec.	St Michael's Church website: Find uson Facebook www.alphingtonstmichaels.org	10 am Mission Community Holy Communion	

IDE ROCKS



Join the village rock hunt in December

The children, families and folk of Ide are painting Christmas rocks and hiding them around Ide. If you find a rock we hope it will make you smile. Take a photo of it, post it on Facebook (Alphington and Ide Nativity Rocks) then re-hide it, or

keep it. If you find a rock , bring it to the Christingle Service at St Ida's Church, 4pm on Christmas Eve.

For more information call Lucy Williams, Children's & Families Lead Worker on 07881623947 or email me at lucy@alphingtonstmichaels.org or join the Facebook page alphington and ide nativity rocks. Over the past few months the village's 'Safe Routes For Ide' group have taken a step back, whilst Devon and Cornwall Police carried out enforcement of the traffic regulations in place for Doctor's Walk, Ball's Farm Road and Little John's Cross Hill. They have had up to 13 officers at any one time stopping drivers accessing the roads in question, nearly all of whom are doing so illegally.

The Police have now submitted their report to the Devon County Councillor for Cowick and Alphington, Yvonne Atkinson, and in due course we hope to be meeting up with her, and the Police Sergeant who has led the recent actions, to look at how best to make the route safe for legal users of the roads in question, many of whom cycle or walk into Exeter along this route in the absence of other usable routes for sustainable transport methods in and out of Exeter from Ide.

If you are one of those who use the roads in question for walking, cycling, horseriding etc and have felt at risk to life or limb when doing so, then the advice is to email Devon and Conrwall Police at <u>101@dc.police.uk</u>. Include as much relevant detail as possible. If you are able to provide a registration plate number for any vehicle that endangered your safety, then so much the better, but it is not essential – what is important is for the authorities to arrive at a feel of the situation.

Pete Bishop and Andy Swain

https:/www.facebook.com/groups/safe.routes.for.ide/

FROM PENNY SMITH

To all my dear friends, you may have noticed that I have finally gone. I am now in my new home by the sea and loving it!

Thanks for all the years of friendship, love and laughter, you have seen me through the best of times and the worst



of times. I have really enjoyed my time in lovely Ide. I never felt like a newcomer and that is down to the way you welcomed me into your village and your lives. Ide is a very special place but that's only because of the people who live there.

Be happy. Penny Smith xx

We shall all miss Penny but hope she will be very happy in Cornwall. For many years she was an important member of the shop committee and looked after the shop rota. It was thanks to Penny and her enthusiasm that the village hall has been modernised. She is a talented artist and one of her paintings is on the front cover of this copy of the Ide Times. She also found time to look after her beautiful garden which she opened for Ide's Open Gardens. Thank you Penny for all that you have contributed to the life of Ide.





Fireworks – we feel everything went well here, and thanks to those who complimented us on another good display. Ide Twinning also say our own particular thanks to the following people, without whom we could not have managed to run this event -

The Fireworks Crew: Jack, Clare, Richard and Malcolm. As no doubt we've said before, it is a weight off our minds to have the potentially highly dangerous job of letting off c. a thousand pounds worth of whizz-bangs etc looked after by such a professional team. Thank you for all your hard work and due diligence.

We also say thanks to all those 'extras' such as who helped with other tasks, such as setting up marquees and gazebos, helping with food stalls, tombolas etc, and also clearing up after. As is customary, and I hope okay, we won't name names else in case we miss someone! Thank you all.

And of course, many thanks to landlord Tony, even if he did forget to buy the chip cones. If you put beer in a chip cone it comes out of the hole at the bottom. Metaphor. We also say thanks to Tony's fine bar staff.

We did note a slight reduction in attendance this year, after many years of general growth. Is the Brexit effect being felt on bonfire nights? On which subject; that Jacob R-Mogg, he could be such a great guy.

Pub Quiz: Next Pub Quiz following this Ide Times will be the Christmas Quiz, which will take place sometime between Boxing Day and New Year's Day, details to be finalised, proceeds to charity. This event is always a sell-out, and we don't bother with posters around the village. Many of you get emails from me advising of pub quizzes forthcoming, and you will be advised, else info will also be on the darkness that is facebook, there is an Ide facebook site of some description, that Dave WIlliams will update accordingly. Else, email me at p.bishop@ex.ac.uk and I'll add you to my email list.

Ide Twinning wish you a Merry Christmas and a healthy 2019.

Pete Bishop

THE BOXING DAY DUCK RACE

The Cricket Club are once again organising the Great Ide Duck Race on Boxing Day, 26th December. The race will start at about 11.30am - the finishing line being



beside the Huntsman Inn. Ducks can be purchased at Ide Community Shop, from local pubs and from players at £1 each.

Richard Cloke, Ide Cricket Club

KEEPING FIT

Hi, I'm Holly and I have been living in Ide, on the College, for 4 years. After taking inspiration from my Mum, a fitness instructor for over 30 years, in 2016 I left my career in care management and followed my passion by re-training as a fitness instructor and personal trainer. And I have loved every minute! If there is anyone out there needing help to establish a fun, positive and realistic approach to becoming the best version of themselves, I'm your girl.

Along with correct nutrition and exercise, I strongly believe that exercising outdoors and embracing nature has so many health benefits; improving energy levels, boosting mood, aiding digestion and strengthening the immune system, to name but a few. Therefore I try to incorporate the great outdoors into much of the training I provide. Many of you have seen the 'boot camp' I run on the village green on a Saturday morning, full of keen Ide ladies! So come on, if you hate the idea of going to the gym, or you just need pointing in the right direction, let me help you get fit and feel great.

As well as one to one and group personal training and ante/post-natal fitness, there is Bootcamp (Saturdays 9-10am on the Ide Village Green) - an excellent way to kick start the weekend and have some fun with other locals! I also run a HIIT class - high impact training - on Wednesdays 7-7.30pm, in the fantastic Huntsman's Inn marquee (Booking essential) and Buggy Fit - Mondays 10am in St Thomas Pleasure Ground - a great way to meet other mums. All ages and fitness levels are welcome! If you would like any further information please get in touch or follow me on Facebook - it would be great to hear from you.

07545671366 hfitnesstraining@gmail.co





Ide Primary School Fri 7th Dec 3:30-6pm

Food, Drinks and lots of children activities to help raise money for the school and of course get us in a festive mood.

Cakes, toys, sweets, hot chocolate Mulled wine and mulled apple juice Face painting , apple bobbing, Snowman making, lots of Christmassy craft activities and lots more.







My father - 1st LIEUTENANT RANDALL GARNSWORTHY



The first World war being on, at the age of eighteen in 1915 he joined the Army. He served two winters in the trenches with the 9th Battalion Devonshire Regiment which were at the battle of the Somme. First as a private and then made corporal and was then chosen to train as a Cadet Officer.

He received his commission in 1917 and was sent back to France, attached to the 1st/8th Liverpool Rifles. At the age of twenty one he

captured several concrete Dug-outs single handed, containing fifty men, for which he was awarded the Distinguished Service Order (DSO). This was at the battle for the Menin Ridge. Twice more after that he was mentioned in dispatches for bravery (Oak Leaves to attach to the DSO).

Randall Garnsworthy Private Devonshire Regiment 19120 1914-15 Star Randall Garnsworthy Devonshire Regiment 19120 1914/15 Star, British War Medal and Victory Medal, DSO and the Italian Medal.



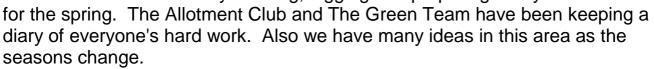
THANK YOU....

We would like to thank all those who generously gave donations at Luke's Funeral. You raised an amazing £1,678.43 for Hospiscare. This will allow them to make 33 x 1 hour visits by their community nurses to patients in their own homes or 61 hours of care in one of their ward beds. Thank you again.

Alison and Kevin Taborn

Letter from Ide School to the organisers of the Ide Produce Show

Thank you very much for the donation towards our new allotment. All classes have been busy clearing, digging and preparing ready



This money will help our school to produce our own food and keep us healthy. Thank you once again for thinking of us.

The Allotment Officers and The Green Team



IDE MEMORIAL HALL



On the 11th November, following the Remembrance Sunday Service at the war memorial everyone was invited into the hall for hot drinks and refreshments. A good crowd came in and the opportunity was taken to re-dedicate the hall for the use of the village and any others who wish to use it for celebrations, parties, activities, etc.

The new Gopak tables were put to good use and the decor and warmth of the hall were much enjoyed - as well as the refreshments.

At the moment we don't have any pictures or notices on the wall and rather like the plain interior. However, we know that members of the Art Group are producing a collage of the village, which we understand is about 5 ft long, and they had hoped that this could be put up in the hall. We would welcome your views on this.

Wishing you all a very happy Christmas and thank you for your help and patience during this last year when work has been carried out to improve the hall.

Ide Memorial Hall Management Committee

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A date for your diary.....

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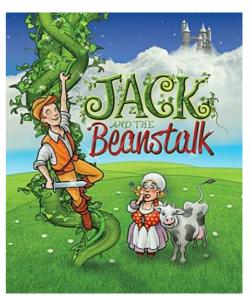
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Mamma Mia, Here We Go Again!

"One minute I was a miserable critic: the next, everything had gone pink and fluffy. Never before had something so wrong, felt so right." So writes *The Guardian* critic, **Mark Kermode** about the first "Mamma Mia" film. "A decade later this sequel – prequel hybrid produces similarly head spinning results full of hits and a real emotional punch." He gives the new film a rare 5 Stars. It tells the 1979 story of Oxford postgraduate Donna (**Lily James**) heading off on an endless holiday, while in the present, **Amanda Seyfried's** Sophie is struggling to fulfil her mother's vision of the renovated Hotel Bella Donna.

Any more plot details would confuse. Suffice to say that Rotten Tomatoes critics have given it a respectable 81%. So come along and sing along. As always at Christmas, there's party food plus a glass of wine for a fiver – and the bar is open.

WEST TOWN FARM NEWS

Things quieten down now on the farm now...especially on the event side of things. What a wonderful year it's been though. After a wet start to the year and having to cancel our 'Spring at the Farm' I did panic that it would be an omen of things to come, but this was far from the case.



Such amazing weather, lots of people on the farm, so many different events. We've had the Wind in the Willows dining experience, the weddings, Ide School Harvest day, D'arts Fest, Future Growers camping trip ran by Soil Association, Dizraeli performing a secret gig and so much more. Not forgetting all the educational visits!

Next year is looking to be better again : burger nights, movie night collaborations , music , guided walks, forest school , art classes and yoga.

The cows are all in - they're happy as long as there's food. Lalo has been successful with his group - all the cows have been tested and are pregnant. In January it's our annual TB test something to look forward to in the New Year.

If you would like to order your Christmas meat from us you have until 10th December. Otherwise you can just come along to the farm shop on the 20th December and choose from our selection. We'll have organic pasture fed beef, pork and lamb.

We really hope everyone in the village has a fantastic Christmas. We have been so grateful of all your support this year.

Happy New Year!

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