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Community Shop update - A Different Kind of Business – Invest in the future.

Our plans for the Community Shop continue to progress and we can see the levels of activity and energy increasing as we head into the Autumn. First of all, a big 'Thank You' to the Parish Council for agreeing to contribute £3000 towards the set-up of the Community Shop - this, along with the funds already granted, does now provide a serious 'Fighting Fund' for making some real progress.

By the time the newsletter is delivered we are very hopeful that our application for Planning Permission for the Community Shop on the Parish Hall site will have been submitted, and detailed plans also being made for the preparations of converting a 'porta-cabin' building into a lovely, usable and practical shop, along the lines of the St. Mabyn Community Shop. Please keep an eye on the window display in the current shop for some pictures both of the St. Mabyn shop and the progress we are making. The Planning Application process will take around two months and so this means we can expect to hear on this by the end of November.

The Steering Group is also progressing with setting up a Community Benefit Society (or CBS) for the Community Shop. As a CBS, local residents will be offered the opportunity to buy shares and become a member of the CBS as an investment in the future of the Community Shop. The shares investment should be considered along the lines of a 'social investment' rather than a financial one. As and when the Community shop generates a 'surplus', this money can then be used to help fund other projects and activities in the village as agreed by the members themselves. This means that anyone can use the shop and every time money is spent in the shop, customers are contributing to building a surplus that can, in due course, be spent by the village on the village needs and for the greater benefit of all.

The Steering Group is planning a Public Meeting to share more information about the plans for the Community Shop, including how and when the Share Offer will be available for local residents and also how to sign up to volunteer to work in the shop. The provisional date and time for this is **7:30pm on Wednesday 23 October in the Parish Hall**. Please look out for posters and notifications on the St Dominick Chat and St Dominick Community Shop Facebook sites nearer the time.

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Tuesday Club - Chrissie welcomed club members, several people sent apologies for non-attendance. No club business although Eunice gave an update on progress on the Community shop. Ruth Hatch won the raffle. Susan Evans, a very talented musician provided the afternoon's entertainment. Sue played a selection of music from different countries transporting us to France, Spain, Italy and Russia. Changing from piano to accordion Sue played popular songs to which we were all able to sing along. A delightful, enjoyable afternoon for everyone. **Next meeting October 1st 2.30pm:** Jo Tottershall talking of "Vickey / Yules / and Schlums. Come along and join us as this will be an interesting and fun talk. Visitors £3.00.

Parish Council Meeting September 2019 (a personal view)

Well, this was a long, slow meeting but I don't need to write too much because there will be something from the new shop people elsewhere in this newsletter I'm sure. There was a representation from the shop, they had to stay to hear about what goes on in the village because the chairman put them last, one of them escaped early because she just wanted to paint a thermometer on the bus shelter which they said was alright. The two resident bus shelter artists were sitting almost next to her and they didn't raise any objection. Since then I have seen it's to be black and painted red as the money comes in, I myself think it should be red, then turning black but we will see.

Councillor Wenmoth, Councillor Walker and the Clerk were not at the meeting but Councillor Flashman was. Re the missing signpost from Ashton as reported last month, Councillor Flashman has been over there and jumped in the water but was unable to find the two missing fingers, the only hope is that the farmer might have them. Failing that Paul Allen, the Big Council man, can possibly get a repair done which will look the same. I can't remember what it looked like in the first place to be honest.

It could have been a breakthrough week for items that always are discussed as the Council have said they will put a post with a double bar at the bottom of Vogus lane and landowners can have a key, and they will do the job. Not sure when but this is an improvement.

After all that we got onto Minutes of the previous meeting. With no clerk it took so long it was like a lunch break but all was agreed with the exception of the Parish Hall having a music licence, not a music hall licence.

There had been no developments on the signage of the road at M and S Haulage which is discussed every month, but a few days after, miraculously, a sign has appeared!! Let's hope it can come off the agenda now. Dog fouling came up again, as it does every month. The problem is not getting any better and no one knows what to do about it. You would think someone would see it all happening, but they don't seem to. There is a big fine if caught but it's difficult to prove.

Then eventually we got onto the shop. The shop committee had to leave which left Councillors Brady, Behennah, Totterdell and Potter in the hot seats.

Next meeting 2nd October 7.00 at the Parish Hall

Dog fouling Dog walkers are reminded of their responsibility to ensure that they clean up after their dog and to think about the impact that any lack of action has on the wider community.

Cornwall Council has introduced a Public Spaces Protection Order that covers all of Cornwall. This ensures that all areas of Cornwall have the same levels of enforcement for dog fouling and can result in a £100 fixed penalty being issued, with a potential maximum fine of £1000 following court proceedings.

It is not an excuse in law that you were not aware of the fact that the dog had fouled. You can be held responsible even if you did not see the incident, or if it is witnessed whilst your dog is straying.

So remember there's no such thing as the dog poo fairy - Bag it and Bin it!

TAPS – Tamar Area Prostate Support Group

Our next three meetings with talks are: -

Wednesday 2nd October: Miranda Benney, Cancer Clinical Programme Manager, Derriford, on TrueNTH - a global initiative led by the Movember Foundation.
Wednesday 6th November: Sue Boyes, Peer Support Manager at Prostate Cancer UK, will tell us how the charity can help us all, report on new developments in research.

Wednesday 4th December: Simon Francis, Wellbeing Lead at Nuffield Health, advising on how we can all live longer and achieve a better quality of life.

All starting at 6:30pm at the Callington Health Centre, free to attend with tea/coffee included.

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St Dominick Festivities Group would like to invite you all to the **Christmas Lights Switch On** - this year the date is **Saturday 30th November**. Times and details will follow, but rest assured it will be very similar to last year: live music, parade of lights, village street lights, Drew's delicious mulled cider, sausage rolls and mince pies all free, and all the other usual things which make this such a special occasion. The sponsors of the 2019 tree are Kay and Jessop Price who have offered to purchase the tree this year and for that we are extremely grateful.

A date for your diary....

The **St Dominick Festivities Group Annual Fundraiser** on 21st Feb 2020 will be the Wurlitza band presenting *A Diary of a Lost Girl*. This is another unique film and live music event.

Wurlitza are a critically acclaimed five-piece band from South East Cornwall who have been specialising in adding live soundtracks to silent films since 2006. The band performed again at Glastonbury this year.

Tickets can be pre ordered from Sharon Brady 01579 351152.

St Dominick Festivities Group with the Friends of St Dominick Church would like to remind you all that the **Advent Living Calendar** will be happening again this year.

As usual we shall be handing out the little jute bags to all the groups and businesses that would like to contribute.

If anyone new would like to have a bag, please contact me, Diana Greene on 351631.

The charities chosen as recipients for these presents will be mentioned in the next Newsletter.

Callington Honey Fair 2019

Wednesday 2nd October sees the annual Honey Fair with the streets of Callington filled with a variety of stalls offering local and national produce.



With hopefully something for everyone, there will be family entertainment, animals to pet, face painting and live music from local school bands and other musicians and the always popular Town Crier Competition.



Also on offer - free pasty-making sessions for children - so that's tea sorted.



Cornwall Bee Keepers will be there with their live bees and honey products, 'Teas with the Bees' and a Children's Art Competition.



To keep the fun flowing well into the evening there's street entertainment and Rowlands Fun Fair.

Watch out for the Callington shop window displays, the theme this year is 'Vintage'.



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