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Diary Dates (WRR=Widegates Reading Room)

October

Sat 6: Cornish Dancing with Ilow Splann, 7 - 10pm, WRR

Sat 13: Lunch - Soup & Sweet, WRR

Sat 27: Jumble Sale, 2.30pm, Nomansland Hall

Future dates

Nov 10: Remembrance event, 3pm, St Wenna's Church

Nov 30: Christmas Bingo, 7.30 - 9pm, WRR

Dec 1: Garden Club Christmas Fair, 10am -3pm, WRR

Ladies at Leisure

July outing for the Ladies at Leisure was a visit to Antony House where they enjoyed a very pleasant lunch sitting in the gardens of the Woodland Trust Tea room, after which each lady was given a red rose, making the day and the ladies feel extra special. A stroll through the gardens admiring the planting and the views ended with a tour through the house and refreshments before the journey home. All in all, a relaxing, must be repeated day. August 21st was Garden Party day in Liskeard thanks to Carol setting out the tables in her garden in vintage style and raising over £700 which was donated to Morley Tamblyn Lodge. More information from Barbara 01503 241169, Helen 01503 241148 or Jane 01503 240393

Knit and Natter have Christmas in their sights with the meeting on Tuesday 9th October making Christmas Wreaths and Tree decorations. Followed by 25th October and 13th November Glass Painting - Sun Catchers with a Christmas Theme. Meetings held 7 pm at Widegates Village Hall. There will be a £2 charge towards the hall fee plus costs of materials used, refreshments will be provided. Interested? Then please phone Barbara 01503 241169.

Nomansland Village Hall

We have a Jumble Sale at Nomansland Village Hall on Saturday 27th October 2.30pm in aid of The Children's Hospice SW. Any donations will be gratefully received, and collections can be arranged. Info- Roberta Powley 01503 240650.

Cornish Dancing at Widegates Village Hall

On Saturday 6th October there will be an opportunity to try your hand (and feet!) at some traditional Cornish dances. Some are very simple and repetitive, others are more complicated, but they are all enjoyable.

Nobody minds if you get it wrong or fall over, in fact that adds to the fun, and you are welcome to sit out and watch if

you need a break or some entertainment. The dancing will be led by very experienced and patient Jo Tagney, and the music will be provided by local multi instrumental duo Ilow Splann ('splendid music' in Cornish – please see below for an extract from a recent review). There will be tea, coffee and plenty of cake to keep energy levels up, and this is included in the £5 entry. This is a new venture for Widegates, so please come along and have a go; if it is successful it will happen again.



Part of a review of an Ilow Splann concert: "What a delightful evening we shared listening to the musical talents of Ilow Splann at St Wenna's. The venue was just the perfect setting for this recital, with the combination of subdued candlelight creating ambiance, coupled with the long history of the Church. The versatility of our local musicians Maggie Willmott and Carlton Crouch was outstanding; is there any instrument they can't play came to mind. We were treated to the sound of the saxophone, guitar, bouzouki, violin, bodhran, harpsichord and the bagpipes!"

Morval War Memorial names to be updated

For more than four years, the families of those who fell in the world wars but whose names were missing from, or misspelt on, the Morval War Memorial, have been trying to amend these oversights. It is therefore with some considerable relief that we can report that all necessary permissions have been given by the relevant authorities for this to be done, and these amendments should be completed in the near future, and our War Memorial will bear testament to all the twelve who made the ultimate sacrifice.

We will remember them

To mark 100 years since the end of World War 1, there will be a special event in church on Saturday 10th November. Starting at 3pm, we will sing songs from the time of both World Wars, read wartime poems, and share personal or family reminiscences. We also invite everyone to bring along any memorabilia from the time to make a display. The afternoon will finish with tea using wartime recipes (does anyone have any powdered eggs in the back of the cupboard?) If you would like to contribute anything to display, read a poem, share your story or help provide the tea, please get in touch with Maggie Willmott on 01503 240218, email maggiemwillmott@gmail.com

We would particularly like to invite anyone who has lost a relative or friend in times of war, so please pass the message around.

On Sunday 11th November we will gather at Morval War Memorial at 10.45am for the Act of Remembrance, and a Remembrance service will follow in church.

Flower Festival Morval Church: 23rd – 26th Nov

Marie and I are organising a Christmas Festival in the Church (to raise funds and enjoy a community event in our lovely Church at Christmas). As well as the flower arrangements, which we hope you will all take part in, we are hoping to showcase the hobbies and crafts of everyone in the Parish.

If you wish to sell any of your crafts, we are happy to display them for you and then just take a small percentage of your sale price.

Don't forget homemade cakes, sweets and pickles are always good sellers as well as handmade items. Many thanks

Sue Aunger and Marie Bersey.

Nomansland Post Office

It looks as if Nomansland Post Office might be re-opening in the near future. New owners of Bindown Stores, Tracy and Wayne, are currently going through the extended Post Office application process. The re-opening of the Post Office will be of great benefit to our community. We wish them well.

The Shedhouse Boys

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The Widegates Village Hall
Saturday October 20th 8pm

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Church Services at St Wenna`s

October 2018

7th: Proper 21
Eucharist 11am
Reader Mary Howes
Sidesperson Ann Chudleigh

14th: Proper 22
Family Service 11am
Reader Bridget MacArthur
Sidesperson Ann Williams

21st: Proper 23
Eucharist 11am
Reader Caroline Burgoyne
Sidesperson Brian Young

28th: Proper 24
Morning Prayer 11am
Reader Hayley Moore
Sidesperson Bridget MacArthur

November 2018

4th: 4th before Advent
Eucharist 11am
Reader Brian Young
Sidesperson Lesley Brettell

11th: Remembrance Sunday
Act of Remembrance at the
War Memorial: 10:45am
followed by service in church

18th: 2nd before Advent
Service TBC 11am
Reader Bridget MacArthur
Sidesperson Ann Chudleigh

25th: Christ the King
Morning Prayer 11am
Reader Caroline Burgoyne
Sidesperson Hayley Moore

October Flowers –

Ann Williams (6th & 12th), Sue Aunger (20th), Tracy Chudleigh (27th)

November Flowers –

Marie Bersey (3rd & 10th), Janet Gill (17th & 24th)

Celebration of Crafts, Interests and Hobbies was greatly appreciated

What an interesting and exciting day 1st September turned out to be. The church was full of colourful displays and chatty people, plenty of food and drink and a brilliant band of volunteers keeping it all going. Quite apart from the simple enjoyment of admiring each other's creativity and making new friends, the event also raised a very welcome £235 towards the planned improvements to the church. Sincere thanks to all involved.

Morval Estate Building consultation

The survey and public consultation was conducted over six months starting in April 2018 with 50 letters and a similar number of emails going to residents of Morval Parish. The public consultation held on the same day as the annual parish meeting. I addressed St Martin's Parish Council the following night.

Adverts were placed in the parish magazine and notices were displayed in the local shops. The consultation was attended by about 20 people. 24 people responded to an online survey. Some residents wrote letters, made private phone calls and sent me emails. Others filled in the posted questionnaire. Where possible I have tallied the opinions of those who gave qualitative feedback.

Therefore, the consultation did achieve a significant response, but there was a bias towards those who felt strongly about the matter as opposed to those who felt neutral. There may also have been those who would liked to have responded but were not aware or able.

There is a substantial agreement (80% of respondents) that there should be more homes to rent and they should be there for fulfilling local need. There would be resistance to holiday homes and some would not support the homes sold on the open market.

There were also some who vociferously resisted any development (concerns about building on green-field, ruining views, poor access, devaluing homes, feel that there are other more appropriate places for development outside Morval such as Widegates or Looe).

Anecdotally most people living in Morval would prefer that the houses were built near Nomansland and most living in Nomansland would prefer the new builds were in Morval. Home owners are more resistant to new builds than people already in the private rented sector.

In terms of the location of the new builds the data suggests that Nomansland is peoples' first preference followed by the field opposite Bindown and then Penarthtown. Tregarland and Gellies were the least popular places. Many respondents would consider any site.

On the size of the houses, there was no obvious consensus, although two or three-bedroom properties were favoured over one or four-bedroom homes. Similarly, there was divided opinions on who should live in the properties. A third wanted families, another third wanted it for over 50s and the remainder stated no preference.

Other observations are that people were concerned about the design of the homes (sympathetic to the landscape/make it in keeping/stone facing) and appropriate for the frail and disabled where feasible. Where possible local firms should be used to do the building work. The provision of parking (2 cars) and gardens for residents was requested.

I also note that Nomansland is due to have more houses built by the Duchy of Cornwall in the not too distant future.

Conclusions

Given the feedback and my desire to minimise risk with the first self-build Morval Estate would like to seriously consider developing a semi-detached bungalow in Penarthtown over the next 18 months, with the hope of a larger project in the longer term,

John Kitson, Morval Estate Office

Hessenford W.I.

This month we welcomed two local ladies, Kim Byles and Rose Bradley who told us about their walk along Hadrian's Wall, over 6 days travelling from east to west. Kim, an ardent fan of history, found it very moving to think that they were standing where Roman soldiers had been nearly two thousand years before. Luggage was transported for them to each overnight stop in a range of farmhouses, b and bs and country house hotels. They enjoyed it so much they have a journey planned following part of The Way of Saint James in Spain. This time however they will be carrying their own luggage and staying in Youth Hostels. No doubt this will be a very different experience! We wish them well.

Our next meeting will be October 2nd in Widegates at 7 pm; "From Graduation to a Career as a Textile Artist" with Louise Nicholl.

Parish Council News

There is still a Parish Councillor casual vacancy waiting to be filled. The council meet once per month to discuss issues that relate to the well-being of the community. You can make a real impact in the future of the community and the area you live in by joining the team. Do it, because you know you can! There is no point grumbling behind closed doors.

If interested, please come along and see how it works, or give Robert Larter, your parish clerk, a ring on 01872 50095 if you would like more information. Or, if you prefer, speak to any of the Councillors who will be very happy to tell you about the role.

One of the issues we will be discussing next month is the local bus service. What bus service? I here you say... and that's the point. The parish council needs to hear the voice of the local community if it affects you. Cllr Pat Taroni would love to hear from you so give her a ring on 01503 241248. This is a great example of losing something because we don't have enough people using it, so it may be time to consider alternative arrangements.

Widegates Garden Club

We have had an interesting summer, beautiful weather, too hot to garden but busy with the watering can. Plants are now beginning to pick up again and the lawn is not quite so brown.

Members have visited Lethe, Pendalake Wildlife Sanctuary near Lanreath. We saw lovely hayfields full of colour, perfume and butterflies, some learnt how to cut them with a scythe. The ponds were full of flowers and dragonflies. If you get a chance visit next year well worth it.

We have also visited Hidden Valley Gardens near Par, another lovely garden with very enthusiastic owners who made us very welcome. They created the garden out of wet fields making a huge pond and some magnificent herbaceous borders full of colour. There was also a very colourful display of dahlias.

Talks were on Camelias (bargain night 3 for £20). I managed to buy one I have been looking for, for years it's growing well and has loads of flower buds. Jim had grown them all in his previous job and had too many to keep so we all benefited.

Peonies were our last talk, beautiful, all shapes and sizes and colours, very interesting so we have arranged to go and see them in Caroline's garden next year.

Bacon butty morning and our show were very successful. We were so pleased with the entries for the show considering weather conditions and we had some lovely entries from the school, well done everyone.

The Garden Club and Morval Parish Fete was very successful on a beautiful afternoon, a bit hot. We had lots of stalls, sideshows and live music which created a very pleasant atmosphere. Gail Knight organised a dog show, smaller than normal due to the heat, but she still had a good number of dogs.

The proceeds will be donated to Looe RNLI, Morval Church Tower for rope replacement, and the proposed new play area. Thank you to all those who worked so hard to make it successful, and to Metherell Gard for allowing us to use their grounds and the Vicar for opening the Fete.

Future Talks.

- 26th September Heralds of Spring in the Tamar Valley.
- 31st October Tricia Howard on Snowdrops.
- 28th November Julian Sutton on Iris.
- 1st December Christmas Bazaar in the Hall 2-4pm.

No meeting in December.

We meet in Widegates Hall on the last Wednesday of the month at 7.30. Everyone welcome.

Trenode School

We are very proud to announce that we have recently become an Academy as part of the Bridge Multi Academy Trust. Whilst retaining the ethos of being a church school our pupils now have the benefit of attending a small, local school with the added advantage of a bigger network of support from our academy partners and management team.

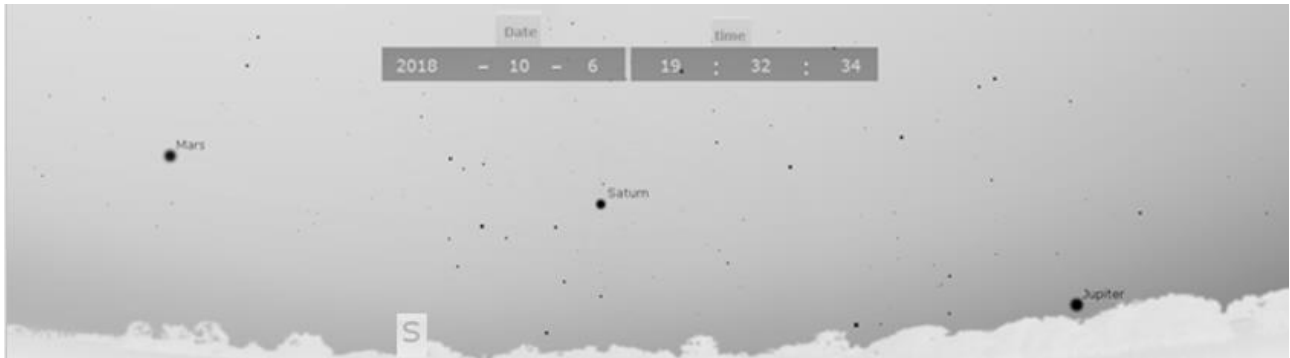
As part of the program to re-vitalise the school, head teacher Sarah Hawker has introduced a new school uniform and would like to thank parents and carers for bringing their children in looking so smart for the start of the new academic year.



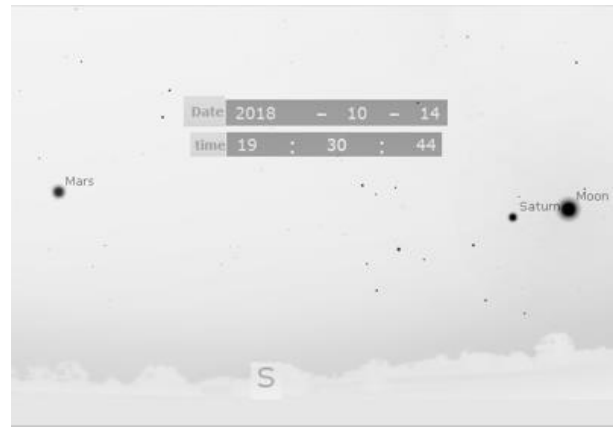
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Planets visible in the south

During this month, the five planets known since ancient times are strung out in a line to the left of the Sun. Although Venus and Mercury are setting at about the same time as the Sun and so are not visible, Jupiter, Saturn and Mars can be seen. Early in October, soon after sunset, Jupiter is low in the South-west skies, with Saturn west of south, and Mars east of south (see below).



As the evening progresses, the planets will move westwards, due to the Earth's spin. Jupiter will therefore set soon, Saturn some time after nine o'clock, although Mars will be visible until after midnight.



As October progresses, the Moon will have an increasing effect. On 14th October, the Moon (between quarter and half phase) will be near to Saturn, and four days later, the Moon (now between half and three-quarter phase) will have moved to be near Mars.

Using the Moon to find your way around the sky can be a bit of a 'double-edged sword'. It's easy to find, but as its phase increases, it does wash out the part of the sky it's in. Perhaps use the Moon to find and recognise the planet, then on subsequent nights, as the Moon moves across the sky, the planet is easier to see.

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