

Luppitt Packet



May 2018

USEFUL LUPPITT PHONE NUMBERS

Parish Council: Chairman, John Thorne 01404 891412
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Secretary: Mary Joyce 890186

Commoners: Secretary : Kevin Lockyer 01404 892836

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Rector: Rev John Hayhoe 07864 048575.

PCC secretary: Wendy Watson 891959

Church Administrator: Mrs Karen Davies 890121 (9:30 to 10:30 am)

Churchwardens: Brian Pulman 891324

John Arbuthnott 891032

Captain of Bellringers: Pearl Pulman 891324

Cricket Club: S Berry 891268

Luncheon Club: Jean Hooper 892969

Hartridge Buddhist Monastery: 891251

Websites - <www.luppitt.net>

<www.luppittparishcouncil.co.uk>

Location of defibrillators - Village Hall, EX14 4RT

Loman's Farm, EX 14 4TX (near Red Doors)

Highway Faults - online: http://www.devon.gov.uk/index/transportroads/roads/road_maintenance.htm Alternatively, telephone 0845 155 1004 and give the fault information or email <csc.roads@devon.gov.uk>

Police - non urgent - **101**. **Police** - urgent : **999**

OTHER USEFUL NUMBERS

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Honiton Hospital: 540540

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Around the Parish



Luppitt Village Hall management Committee.

A New Secretary is urgently Required.

Anyone interested?

Please contact Mrs M Joyce on 01404 890186 by June 1st 2018.

Caretaker Required.

Approximately 2 hours a week. Payment to be discussed.

Please contact Mrs M Joyce on 01404 890186 by June 1st, 2018

Please note Village Hall charges will be increased on all bookings from May 1st 2018.

THE SUNDAY ROAST on March 18th.

True Community Spirit Under Stress.

Many thanks to those who collected people to attend the Sunday Roast on March 18th. A lot of people could not have gone due to the weather if not for the brave people who went down the icy lanes.

Many, many thanks to the Committee who produced a wonderful meal under stressful conditions!

LUPPITT PARISH COUNCIL

Clerk's report of a Meeting of Luppitt Parish Council held at Luppitt Village Hall, on Tuesday, 3 April 2018, at 8 pm

Present: Cllrs John Thorne (Chairman), Gavin Brake (Vice-Chairman), David Barlow, Tom Nancarrow, Paul Prettejohn, Brian Pulman, Christine Ryder, Andrew Tucker, David Key (EDDC), Rosalind Buxton (clerk) and two members of the public

Receive apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Cllr Iain Chubb (DCC and EDDC) and PCSO 30017 Darren England. The Chairman welcomed Christine Ryder to her first Parish Council meeting.

Minutes of previous meeting

The Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday, 6 March 2018, were unanimously agreed and signed as a correct record of that meeting (proposed by Cllr Nancarrow and seconded by Cllr Pulman).

Declaration of Interest

Cllr Tucker declared an interest in items 2.1.2 (update on slurry lagoon) and 3.2 (Parish Maintenance) as he will be carrying out the work or has carried out the work.

PLANNING

Applications (for comment, support or objection)

18/0506/FUL – Green Mead, Luppitt, Honiton, EX14 4TP

Extensions and alterations to existing bungalow to provide first floor accommodation and construction of detached garage/car port

The Parish Council does not object in principle to the enlargement of the bungalow but it was felt that there was insufficient information given in the planning application about the proposed materials and finishes to be used.

The Parish Council would hope that the finishes would be in keeping with the surrounding area. Cllr Brake felt that it was not possible to reach a decision without further details being provided and he proposed that the clerk should request further information from Planning East. This was seconded by Cllr Pulman with all in favour. Cllr Key confirmed that he had no further information available.

The meeting was then suspended to allow one member of the public to speak about the following planning application.

17/1381/MFUL – slurry lagoon at Higher Wick

The member of the public stated that additional information had been provided to Planning East but that no further progress with the planning application had been made. Cllr Thorne stated that the Parish Council has been consistent in requesting a structural engineer's report on the site and that none had been forthcoming. In the absence of a structural engineer's report that would guarantee the feasibility of this project, the Parish Council will continue to object to the planning application. Cllr Key undertook to speak to Planning East to establish whether the planning application will go before the Development Management Committee meeting on 1 May.

Neighbourhood Plan

Roger Hicks reported to the Parish Council on the successful meeting held in the Village Hall on 21 March when he gave a presentation on the Neighbourhood Plan and his progress to date. This had culminated in the production of the first consultation draft. Over 45 residents had attended and several had expressed an interest in joining the Steering Group. Claire Rodway and Phil Twamley from East Devon District Council attended the meeting and answered questions afterwards. Roger Hicks expressed his disappointment that the Parish Council was poorly represented. After a lengthy discussion, it was agreed that Roger Hicks would give his presentation to the Parish Councillors before the start of the next Parish Council meeting on Tuesday, 1 May. All Parish Councillors were given a copy of the consultation document to read before the presentation. It was agreed that a Steering Group meeting would be arranged for Wednesday, 2 May, when existing members of the Steering Group and new members who had put their names forward would be invited to attend. One of the items on the Agenda will be the election of chairman of the Steering Group. The Parish Council thanked Roger Hicks for his continued hard work.

The clerk advised that any money not spent by 31 March 2018 from the £2,000 grant, that had been awarded in February towards completion of the Neighbourhood Plan, must be returned. However, the clerk has established that she can reapply in the new financial year for the balance not spent.

The meeting then resumed.



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HIGHWAYS AND TRAFFIC

Parish Highways programme - update on Items to Report as follows:

Item Reported	Action	Status
Pennythorne Cross to Barn Cross – road subsidence	W17997496 W171026228	Assessment completed 13.04.17 Assessment completed 16.08.17
Potholes and severe drop-off at edge of tarmac from Overday Farm towards Gully Lane Numerous potholes close to Coombeshead junction towards Ringborough Cross – edge of road deterioration	W17997499 and W17997501 W171006493 W171016196 and W171016198	Assessment completed 18.04.17 Assessment completed 19.05.17 Assessment completed 11.07.17
Pothole outside Dolish Farmhouse	W17980514	Pothole completed Springbox at Sparrows Croft still awaiting completion. Work will probably be carried out Jan/Feb.
Serious road subsidence from Ringborough Cross to Luppitt Common	W181108149/ W181108154/ W181108155	Reported March 2018 Assessment date 24.04.18
Sharcombe to Mattys Cross – several potholes and general deterioration of road	W17997529 W171016204 W181077459 (Jan 18)	Assessment completed 18.04.17 Assessment completed 11.07.17 Assessment completed 23.01.18
Several potholes Beacon to Sharcombe and road deterioration above Shelves	W17997530 W171016209	Assessment completed 18.04.17 Assessment completed 11.07.17
Maple Cross to Pound Farm – road subsidence	W17989887 W171016212	Assessment completed 10.04.17 Assessment completed 11.07.17

At Robin's Bungalow and Smithenhayes – road needs reinstating around the drain	W17989895 Clerk has reported to NHO	NHO has marked the area for patching and a drainage channel. Road closure so work will not be carried out for a couple of months (from June). Marked area has now been increased.
Uxford Bridge to Crook Cross	Clerk has reported to NHO	No progress made to date with Highways by Combe Raleigh clerk Clerk has reported to NHO from Luppitt PC Parishioner has also reported to NHO (Jan 18)
Pothole between the houses at Millrise and the cattle grid	W171059008	Assessment completed 13.12.17
Approaching the north end of Gully Lane from Riggles – numerous potholes and edge of road deterioration	W18110442	Reported again March 2018 Assessment date 16.04.18

Parish Maintenance

The following items were added to Cllr Tucker's list of work:

- Ditch outside the hall up Church Hill
- Ditching near Coombeshead to Ringborough Cross
- Ditching Luppitt Cross to Coombeshead
- Ditching past end bungalow (Gullyhayes) to Jack's House

The clerk was asked to contact the Neighbourhood Highways Officer to find out what work is planned between Stoneacres and Lamberts Lane where the crane caused so much damage. The road is dangerous as it is and it was felt that the safety railing needs replacing to make it safer.

Co-operation between Luppitt and Combe Raleigh

The Chairman has spoken to the Chairman of Combe Raleigh Parish Meeting. Luppitt Parish Council will be happy to share information regarding applications for road funding and work carried out.

County Councillor budget for road repairs

Cllr Chubb had sent a report which stated that a further £4.5 million has been given to Devon County Council to be spent on pothole repairs in addition to the money given by Government earlier in the year from the Pothole Action Fund. The Parish Council will be interested to learn how this extra money will be allocated.

Grit bin – this item will be carried forward to the next meeting.

Road Warden Scheme

The clerk has registered Cllr Pulman for training. The first stage is a Highway Safety Awareness e-learning module or agreed equivalent. The clerk will follow up.

Lengthsman service

The clerk had written to the NHO querying whether the lengthsman had actually come to Luppitt on 19 February and, if so, what work had been carried out. The clerk also asked for further information on funding from Devon County Council towards the cost of employing our own lengthsman. The clerk had not received a response and will follow up.

Gigaclear

The clerk had written to the NHO expressing the Parish Council's concern at the work being carried out throughout the parish by Gigaclear as much of the cable is being laid in ditches. The NHO replied to say that Highways share our concern and she was forwarding the email to the Highways Enforcement Officer who deals with Utility companies.

FOOTPATHS AND BRIDLEWAYS

Gate at Footpath 17

After discussion, it was agreed to make a contribution of £100.00 towards the cost of a replacement gate (proposed by Cllr Tucker, seconded by Cllr Brake). This figure was arrived at after calculating the cost of a softwood gate and hangings. The clerk had received an email from Ros Davies (Parish Paths Partnership, Devon County Council) to say that she is agreeable for a donation from the P3 account to be made as a contribution to the replacement of a gate that is required. The clerk will clarify the amount of the contribution with Ros Davies.

Neighbourhood Plan

Roger Hicks will be giving another presentation on Luppitt's Neighbourhood Plan on Tuesday, 1 May 2018, in the Village Hall at 7 pm. Anyone who missed the presentation on 21 March and would like to attend will be very welcome. The Parish Council meeting (the AGM) will start at 8 pm.

There will be a Steering Group meeting on Wednesday, 2 May 2018, at 7.30 pm in the Village Hall. We look forward to seeing everyone who is interested in progressing Luppitt's Neighbourhood Plan.

Come and Ride with us!

Come and be a part of our Blackdown Hills community ride on **Sunday 9th September**, all in the name of charity.

Last year almost 90 cyclists from Churchinford and surrounding local villages pedalled an undulating 74 miles from Minehead to Charmouth and raised over £25,000 for Bike4cancer, Musgrove's Beacon Centre and the Blackdown Hills Community bus fund. More than that though, we had memorable Saturday morning fun training altogether, getting fit and the support of our community beforehand and on the day.



If you really can't ride the 74 miles, you can join us at Churchinford and ride to Charmouth or help Marshall – come and be part of whatever you can!

Anyone interested in taking part or sponsoring the riders can contact Paul Thomas via 3countiescoast2coast@gmail.com or please look at the York Inn page.

Music and Movement for Children.

Luppitt Village Hall. Wednesdays, term time only.

Starts at 9.30 am with approximately 45 minutes of singing and dancing.

Price is only £1.00 per child, to include a drink and a biscuit, also coffee or tea for the adults.

From babies till school age. Any enquires contact Maria
01404 891058.

ENVIRONMENT/COMMUNITY FACILITIES

Community Policing Report

1 crime reported between 06/02/18 and 03/04/18 –

SEND COMMUNICATION/OFFENSIVE NATURE: Text message sent from known offender to victim.

Annual Parish Meeting

The Annual Parish Meeting will take place on Tuesday, 17 April, with a speaker from Devon Air Ambulance.

Correspondence

There was no correspondence.

External audit

Every smaller authority in England where the higher of gross income **or** gross expenditure is £25,000 or less must comply with the Transparency Code but may apply to be exempt from the external audit. It was proposed by Cllr Brake, seconded by Cllr Tucker with all in favour that Luppitt Parish Council will not apply for exemption.

Chairman's Discretion

General Data Protection Regulation

This far-reaching law comes into effect in England and Wales on 25 May 2018. The clerk is attending a course on 19 April in Exeter. A Data Protection Officer has to be appointed and it is unclear at the moment whether or not it will be acceptable for the clerk to carry out this role. It is possible that the clerk of a neighbouring council could be the DPO for Luppitt with a reciprocal arrangement. The clerk will clarify the position and report back.

Planning Training at EDDC

Cllr Ryder will be attending this session on 25 April between 2 pm and 4 pm. Cllr Thorne hopes to attend as well.

The articulated lorry that became stuck near Greenways and Churchlands caused considerable damage and inconvenience. The clerk was asked to request an Unsuitable for Heavy Goods Vehicle notice to be placed at Ewins Ash.

Questions from the Public

There were no further questions and the meeting closed at 10 pm.

Dates for next meetings to be held in Luppitt Village Hall at 8 pm:

Tuesday May 1st AGM of the Parish Council

Tuesday June 5th

Jack and the Beanstalk Pantomime

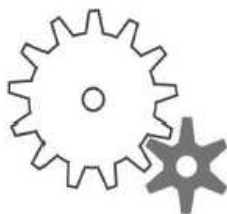
After another successful panto, we are able to share £2,000 between our two nominated charities (Devon Air Ambulance and Hospiscare, Kings House, Honiton).

Great effort everyone!

Many thanks to all those who bought tickets to support us.

The Luppitt Players





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GARDEN JOTTINGS

by D.Street

What do you think about growing perennials or annuals? Which are better or easier?

There are lots of advantages with annuals. You start each spring afresh. But you have to start with all the plants you're going to need.

Each spring you clear out all the weeds from the previous year, get rid of all the weed roots, roots of couch and nettle and the like. And you can dig in any amount of compost or fertiliser or manure, assuming annuals like all this, and I'm far from certain all of them do.

You can set seeds, or bring them out of the greenhouse. Nowadays more and more firms seem to be offering young plants in modules rather than packets of seeds. There's also a trend towards grafted plants too. So you only have as many to put out as you need. - twenties rather than perhaps hundreds.

With perennials things are different. You can build up your stock year by year by careful propagation. But there's a struggle with weed roots in among perennials' crowns. Even when you lift them and split them, getting rid of unwanted weeds is a lengthy and laborious job.

Another difference is that annuals tend to go flowering once they've started. Just be sure to stop them seeding. Many perennials however flower only for so long, maybe a couple of weeks or so. You have to have various perennials flowering at different times to get a succession. Your garden may even change colour.

I remember a neighbour of mine once telling me, "Your garden looks completely different today. Last week it was all blue, now it's gone red." Bearded irises had given way to red poppies. Or was it yellow daffodils? Yellow is often the predominant colour later in the year with heleniums and golden rod.

Early spring too is a good time for perennials. *Doronicums* (yellow), *bergenia* or elephant ears (pink with leaves), *Brunnera* (for-get-me-not blue), perennial wall-flowers (oranges and yellow) can vie with traditional spring bulbs. In the autumn apart from yellow, *Michaelmas daisies* (invasive), *sedums* and *dahlias* can bring out butterflies as late as November. In between a host of perennials show their paces throughout the summer - traditional *lupins* and *delphiniums*, exotic looking *incarnuleas*, red-hot-pokers (early and late), feathery *astilbe* in wet patches, spiky *echinops*.

Garden perennials are drawn from all continents. With careful choice you can have them give your garden whatever character you like - polar, desert or even subtropical. Not only the flowers but foliage too plays its part in this, from flat *aubretia* and perennial *geraniums* to exotic *crinum*s, *arisaemas* or *fatsia*. This last is strictly a shrub. You can often see *fatsias* used in mock-ups of tropical jungles in TV scenes.

So with all this effort in your garden, you'll be doing your bit for the green world around and among us. And nowadays the green world needs all the help it can get. Without green life we'd in a pretty state. - little to look at, less to eat and nothing to breathe.

Situation Vacant

Dunkeswell Mission Community Administrator

The six parishes of the Mission Community need a new administrator to assist The Revd John Hayhoe and the Church Wardens in the administration of the Mission Community. The post is for 15 hours per week - some flexibility in working hours and location of work is negotiable for the right candidate. The remuneration of the retiring administrator reflected her experience and that she provided her own office resources. If you wish to express your interest and get more information about this post please contact John by email, rector.dunkeswell@gmail.com, or by telephone 07864 048575 or 01404 891512. We intend to post the current job description on our website www.dunkeswell.org.uk . Applications to be made by 5pm Monday 7 May. At this stage interviews planned for Friday 18 May.



The Blackdown Hills Trust is looking for local volunteers to help check stock fencing around the grazing units in the Neroche Forest area. These sites are managed by the Blackdown Hills Trust in the Blackdown Forest for grazing conservation : they are a magnet for rare butterflies such as Wood White and Duke of Burgundy and an array of plants, insects, birds and mammals. The areas are part of a Higher Level Stewardship and are grazed by English Longhorn cattle in the summer months.

What will the volunteer role involve?

The role will involve walking the stock fence twice a year during the spring and autumn in the grazing compartments to check for any rotten posts or damage to the wire, and reporting back to the Trust. There may also be opportunities to get involved in practical conservation work, for example clearing conifer re-growth to allow native flora to thrive.

Full training will be provided for the role, including maps of the sites, appropriate contact information and information on what to look out for.

Interested? Contact John Greenshields on 01823660764 or park-farmwoods@talktalk.net

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SHELDON GARDENS

OPEN in JUNE

Sat 2nd 11:30 - 6:00 p.m.

Sun 3rd 2:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Also

Sheldon - a look at its History
through records, maps and photos
in the village hall EX14 4QU

Teas -- Both Days

Light Lunches -- Saturday

£3.00 p.p All gardens & exhibition

£1.00 p.p. Exhibition only

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and the Village Hall

BLACKDOWNS COMMUNITY BUS

Calling all clubs, groups, schools and organisations in the Blackdowns!

Our new 13/14 seater bus was at last delivered on Monday 26th March after being delayed by snow!

One of our aims is to help those who need cheap transport due to age, isolation or any sort of disability, but we need your support to do this.

The new bus is for the use of the whole of the Blackdowns area.

The bus is available for hire by any group or individual for any activity, such as transporting a football team, school trip, garden club outing, theatre trip, transporting wedding guests etc. etc.

We are working on our pricing policy, which initially will be £75 a day (£50 a half day) plus fuel.

In order to cover our costs we need to hire out the bus at least 40 times a year at that amount.

Please spread the word and book your trips now!

Phone our mobile number 07762 813967 or email blackdownbus@gmail.com

The University of the Third Age Learn, Laugh, Live'



For our May meeting on Wednesday 16th May the **Honiton U3A** welcomes the return of Dr. Sam Bridgewater, Nature Conservation Manager for Clinton Devon Estates whose subject will be '**The River Otter – Its Past, Present & Future**'. Renowned for its wildlife the River Otter has been heavily modified by human hand - from monasteries that first canalised the river in the Middle Ages to power mills, to a railway line and flood embankments to reclaim land for agriculture. Much of the historic management has served to disconnect the river from its natural flood plain. Although the appearance of the beaver has heralded some new opportunities for habitat enhancement, the river still suffers numerous challenges to its ecological health for the benefit of wildlife and society.

Venue: The Beehive Centre, Dowell St., Honiton

Doors open 1.30pm for a 2pm start

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Luppitt Entertainments Committee

Dates for your Diary 2018

Sunday 20th May	A Royal Celebration Luppitt's toast to Prince Harry and Meghan Markle! From 12:30pm
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More events being planned - watch this space for further details.

Luppitt Wives

This month there will be SKITTLES on Saturday, 5th May.

The Wives AGM will be at Jean Hooper's on Thursday 31st May

Honiton Mobile Library at MOUNTSTEPHENS FARM

May 23rd

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Buffet lunch with Bar**

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From: Shirley Crabb 01404 891235

Who is my neighbour?

Jesus was once challenged by some scribes and Pharisees, who were trying to catch him out, to name the two greatest commandments – he responded by reminding them that the first is to love the Lord our God with all our heart, our mind and our strength, and the second is to love our neighbour as ourself. The first commandment gives us no wriggle room, the second however does not define who our neighbour is. Jesus made his views pretty clear when he told the parable of the Good Samaritan who saved the life of a man wounded and left for dead by robbers. Many people still have a problem in saying how distant a relationship with a neighbour can be – is it just the person next door?

A long time ago I was studying construction management at Portsmouth University, this included a module on contract law. There is a very important case that produced a foundational decision in Scots delict law and English tort law by the House of Lords as it created the modern concept of negligence, by setting out general principles whereby one person would owe a duty of care to another person. You might ask where on earth am I going with this! First I must give the background to the case of Paisley Snail.

One day in Paisley in Renfrewshire a young lady, Mrs Donoghue, was taken to a café where her companion bought her some ice cream and some ginger beer. She poured some of the ginger beer on to the ice cream, she enjoyed that, and then she poured the rest of the ginger beer into a glass and a decomposing snail came out! She became ill and was advised to sue for damages. As she qualified for free legal aid being a pauper she was able to proceed with the case. Her lawyer advised her not to sue the café owner, who was not to know the snail was there as the bottle was brown, but rather to sue the brewer or manufacturer.

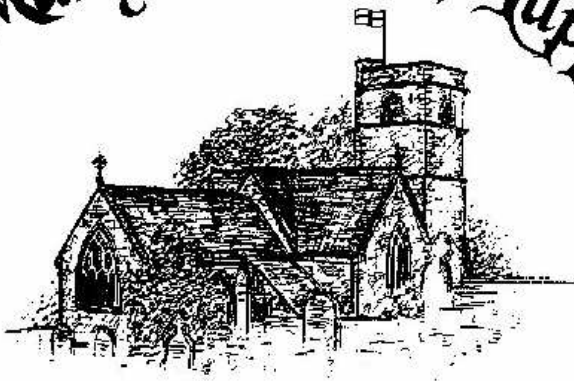
The case went to court and went back and forth eventually going to appeal and finally ended up with the Law Lords who found in Mrs Donoghue's favour. The House of Lords held that the manufacturer, Mr Stevenson, owed a duty of care to her which was breached – it was ruled that it was foreseeable that a failure to make sure that there was no sleeping snail in the bottle would bring harm to the consumer, even though they had never met and that the manufacturer did not sell the ginger beer himself to Mrs Donoghue.

So what does this mean for us?

In his judgement Lord Atkins defined what has become the 'neighbour principle' – that is "You must take reasonable care to avoid acts or omissions which you can reasonably foresee would be likely to injure your neighbour." In other words my neighbour, the person who Jesus tells me I should love, is anyone affected by my action or my inaction – today, in 2018, we know much more about our neighbour than when this case went to court, almost a hundred years ago. We know about children in sweatshops in the Far East producing cheap trainers, we know about Global Warming and the threat to islands in the Pacific and how our car's emissions are a factor, we know that we can support people who are starving in the Sudan, and so it goes on. The commandment to love our neighbour has not changed; in our modern age radio, tv and the internet tells us much more about them and we know that can make a difference to our neighbour even if it is only small.

Rev John Hayhoe

St Mary's Church, Tuppitt



Sunday 6 May	9:30 am BCP Holy Communion *
Sunday 13 May	11:00 am All Age Worship †
Sunday 20 May	11:00 am Common Worship Holy Communion ‡
Sunday 27 May	11:00 am All Age Worship §
Sunday 3 June	9:30 am BCP Holy Communion ¶
* Revd John Fairweather † Revd John Hayhoe § Revd Anne Mills ¶ Revd Peter Horder officiating ‡ lay led	

Please remember ...

The church is open every day for private prayer

CHALLENGE TO COMMITMENT

During May, collectors will be calling on houses in the parish on behalf of St Mary's Church. The money raised is put towards the upkeep of our beautiful church; and it's true to say that without your generosity, the church funds would be very strained indeed.

If you miss our collectors and would like to contribute, please give me a call. Also, please remember that you can give by Gift Aid, if you pay tax on your income. This will allow us to reclaim tax from HM Revenue & Customs.

Your support is very much appreciated.

Philip Watson (PCC Treasurer) 891959

fundraising for St Mary's Church, Luppitt

DANCE

to the music of Ray Denning

Sequence

Ballroom

Old Time



Friday, 25 May 2018

8:00 pm - 11:30 pm

Luppitt Village Hall

bring and share supper

BAR

£6 entry

RAFFLE

Other Services in the Mission Community

	St Andrew's Broadhembury	St Nicholas' Dunkeswell	St John's Plymtree	St James the Greater Sheldon	St Mary the Virgin Upottery
Sunday 6 May	9:30 am Baptism & BCP Holy Communion	11:00 am Baptism & CW Holy Communion	11:00 am Family Service	9:30 am Family Service	11:00 am Matins
Thursday 10 May	7:30 pm Ascension Day Service				
Sunday 13 May	10:00 am Morning Praise	11:00 am Morning Worship	9:15 am CW Holy Communion	9:30 am Morning Prayer	11:00 am CW Holy Communion
Sunday 20 May	9:30 am CW Holy Communion	11:00 am Baptism & Holy Communion	11:00 am Morning Worship	9:30 am BCP Holy Communion	11:00 am All Age Worship
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Sunday 3 June	9:30 am BCP Holy Communion	11:00 am American Sunday Service	11:00 am Family Holy Communion	9:30 am Family Service	11:00 am Morning Prayer
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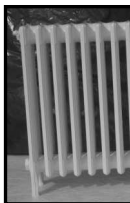
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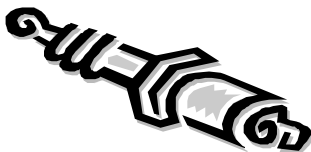
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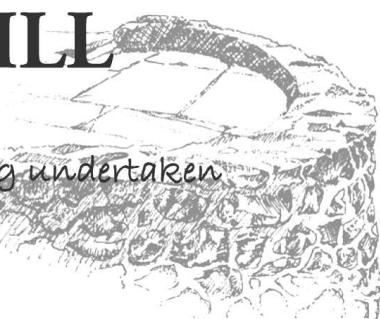
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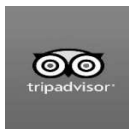
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