

ST. TEATH TIMEPIECE

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EDITORIAL

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I am drowning in a sea of catalogues. Four or five a week, maybe more, sometimes two or three a day, pour through my letterbox. New season's flimsy dresses, embryo plants that must be bought now, indispensable gadgets, summer sandals - just the pictures make me shiver as the temperatures outside drop below freezing. Apparently everything is too good to resist. "You know you want to!". Well, actually, NO, I DON'T!.

Order from a company once and you will be inundated by their catalogues for years to come. Have these marketing geniuses heard of climate change? How much paper is used, how much money, time and effort goes into photographing, printing and mailing these brochures? Many are not just a few pages, they would rival the size of a Jeffrey Archer book (sorry, I will wash my mouth out). Here's a novel idea for these enthusiastic businesses. When someone orders from your company, ask the customer if they would like to receive follow up catalogues. Simple question. Think of the money that could be saved if people who feel as I do had the chance to say no, thank you.

Next point. why, oh why, do these catalogues have to be wrapped in plastic? Don't these advertising experts follow the news? We are all trying to be sensible, not using carrier bags, recycling cartons and bottles, and they wrap every catalogue in polluting plastic. Is there an alternative? Yes! Barbara's award for catalogue marketing goes to Cotton Traders. Their version comes in a large PAPER envelope - recyclable. Isn't it ironic that in the "old days", all magazines, newspapers and brochures were mailed in envelopes. But, of course, that was before the days of plastic ... Rant over.

Sunday, March 22nd is Mothering Sunday, a day of celebration in the Christian church and now commonly known as Mother's Day. (Sorry, Eileen.) In June, there will be Father's Day and apparently there are Grandparent's and Sibling's Days too. I would like to add one more: A Good Friend's Day. I for one couldn't manage without them. Mums, enjoy your special day. You deserve it.

BARBARA STRACHAN



A beautiful new beginning to 2020

FROM OUR COUNTY COUNCILLOR

Last month I talked about the advantages of St Teath and Delabole becoming independent parishes with regards to reflecting their individual housing needs and how the current joint need is attracting larger developments than either village might need. I apologise for giving the impression that the matter had already been resolved. The exact position is that the split has been voted for by the parish council and around 100 residents have responded to my consultation events with 90% in favour. Furthermore, at an Extraordinary meeting on 10th December, Cornwall Council voted unanimously to agree with the idea in principle.

The exact recommendation from Cornwall Council reads as follows:

Based on the evidence currently available, Cornwall Council considers that, on balance, the establishment of a new parish for Delabole is likely to better reflect the identity and interests of the area and Cornwall Council remains open to considering other options and would welcome views as to the perceived benefits and impacts of establishing a new parish council for Delabole.

Cornwall Council would also welcome detailed feedback and suggestions with regards to the location of the exact boundary between St Teath and Delabole and with regards to the preferred number of parish councillors for St Teath and Delabole, should the establishment of a new parish council be approved.

At last month's meeting of the Parish Council I put forward a proposal for a new parish boundary for Delabole based broadly around the existing ward boundary which was accepted by the council as a sensible way forward. The details are:

From the existing boundary with Camelford in Newhall Green the new boundary will follow the unclassified road to the B3267. It will then follow the B3267 North until the unclassified spur pass The Laurels. At the B3314 the boundary will continue over the road heading NW on the unclassified road. At the sharp bend known locally as Parade Corner the boundary will follow the stream East to the coast at Jackets Point.

The Parish Council also resolved that in their opinion a new council for Delabole should contain 9 councillors and a new council for just St Teath should contain 7.

If you would like to comment on any of the above, there is still time to do so up until the 24th March and you can do so online at:

<https://www.netigate.se/a/s.aspx?s=848520X212270034X59695>

DOMINIC FAIRMAN

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AN APOLOGY

Due to a catastrophic lightning strike in mid February, your editor's computer and internet router were both destroyed. Since then I have struggled with the technology in an attempt to retrieve the material submitted for TIMEPIECE - with varying degrees of success. Please excuse this issue's lateness and any errors and omissions which will certainly have occurred.

Normal service will be resumed as soon as possible.

THE TRELAWNY SHOUT in ST TEATH on ST PIRAN'S DAY - MARCH 5th

We can do no better than to quote their website:

"It's a very simple idea. A community network gets together - a pub, a local choir, perhaps a local charity - to sing the iconic Cornish anthem Trelawny on St Piran's Day. The song is sung, the charity pot is filled, the collective heart is warmed!"

*So, who is behind the Trelawny Shout? **The answer is one and all!** It's hard to believe that the first Trelawny Shout was held only a few years ago, in 2015. Started by volunteers at the Cornwall Community Foundation, the event grew and grew to become one of the favourite ways of celebrating Cornish life on March 5th for those lucky enough to live here. **One song, one night, but thousands of voices raising the roofs of pubs and venues up and down the land for charities.***

St Austell Brewery and BBC Radio Cornwall have been in on it from the start. The brewery offers free kegs to their pubs who commit to the fundraising effort, with other breweries and suppliers keen to help too. Sometimes all you have to do is ask! BBC Radio Cornwall includes a live Trelawny Shout in its evening programme at 9pm, so there's no excuse not to join in.

Community cohesion, cultural celebration and a healthy dollop of fun. Feel an important part of Cornwall by belting out the best song in the world, hand in hand with friends, family, neighbours and strangers - what's not to like?"

**ST TEATH'S TRELAWNY SHOUT will be held at the White Hart
on March 5th at 9pm.**

Come on St Tethians - let's join the rest of Cornwall and raise funds for a charity currently close to our hearts : 'Annabelle's Challenge', the only charity that helps people with Vascular Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome. The choir will lead the singing with help from the Joybirds. We will have the words printed out for you so we hope as many folk from the village as possible will pack into the White Hart and raise the roof, raise a glass and raise a few pennies for this worthwhile charity.

Don't forget, the SHOUT is at 9pm on March 5th !

ST TEATH TIMEPIECE

COFFEE and CAKE MORNING

COMMUNITY CENTRE

SATURDAY 21st MARCH From 10am

RAFFLE, CAKE STALL, BARGAINS

Donations to the raffle and stalls would be much appreciated, to help support YOUR timepiece.

THE COMMUNITY CENTRE MEMBERSHIP

You will notice that in this issue of *Timepiece* there is an envelope to enable you to pay for membership to the Centre. This membership will give you an opportunity to have an input as to how the Community Centre is run and to give a donation towards its upkeep if you would like to. As with every communal facility nowadays, the running costs increase yearly with insurance, water, electricity and cleaning being ongoing. The income from hiring out the building and our general fundraising activities balance these outgoings, but any repairs or renovations dig into the reserves.

Donations are very gratefully received and very necessary to run the Centre but offers of small maintenance work or help and ideas for fundraising events are also always greatly appreciated - as is an interest in being on the committee. We are so lucky to have such a lovely old building in the middle of the village. It is a cosy and friendly place to hold general meetings, coffee mornings, table top sales, rehearsals, jam sessions, drumming, Yoga, craft sessions, dancing rehearsals- the list goes on! The facilities there are very good and rates for hiring are very reasonable at just £12 per session (which is a morning, an afternoon or an evening). It's an ideal size for family birthday parties or anniversaries where there are too many to squash in comfortably at home and too few for a bigger venue. Check it out.

If you haven't had the opportunity to visit the Centre yet, then keep your eyes open as there are quite a few community events that take place there during the year, many on a Saturday morning and the last Friday in the month.

If you are free on any Tuesday morning, the Centre is open and serves tea or coffee with biscuits from 10.30am. You can always rely on a bit of a chat too! If you enjoy reading, we have a 'borrow a book for 20p' shelf, and home-made greetings cards for sale - you never know what you might find! We hope to see you in 2020.

P.S. The Snooker Room upstairs is open and membership is available - have a chat with Barry at the White Hart.

LYNNE BEAVIS, Secretary

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Whilst passing through the village I could not help noticing the standards of parking are becoming more and more haphazard. There appears to be a total lack of consideration for neighbours, pedestrians or road users. Vehicles parked with front or rear jutting into the highway are an obstruction and when has it ever been permissible to block someone's access to their property either vehicular or pedestrian?

Positioning carefully when parking is not difficult,. Please do not park taking up more than one space, it is unnecessary, inconsiderate and selfish. Parking on pavements in the village, compelling pedestrians to walk out into the roadway puts lives at risk.

I understand that this is a very emotive subject but with a little thought, consideration and conversation with friends and neighbours a lot of problems could be solved.

Please park politely.

{Name supplied}

A THOUGHT

If it's humanly possible, you can do it.

THANKS

PAUL & LYN BURDEN would like to thank everyone who donated towards last year's Fireworks Display. Thanks to all the people who attended the Coffee Morning, all who donated raffle prizes and cakes and to Andy & Vic who organised the raffle. A massive thank-you to Kerri for letting us have the cafe for this event, which raised £371.30. With all the donations given, a magnificent total of £596.30 was raised - well done everyone. This was Paul's 20th Anniversary Firework Display - with the help of Richard Davey.

And a spectacular display it was too! St Teath owes a huge debt of gratitude to the three of you for all the effort you put into providing this annual treat - thank you so much! ED.

RICHARD DAVEY would like to say a big thank-you to everyone who donated monies in memory of GILL DAVEY during the Village Christmas Lights. The sum of £200.00 has been sent to the Motor Neurone Disease research fund. Gill so loved the Christmas Lights and I do appreciate your continuing support.

KEVIN would like to thank everyone who came along to the QUIZ in The White Hart on 10th February. The grand total raised was £201.00 which will be split equally between Timepiece and Wildlife Rescue (WIRES) Australia.

ANNE (Editor) can't thank **STEVE STRAFFON** enough for heroically fixing her roof after the gales AND rescuing this month's *Timepiece* from total oblivion when her computer was struck by lightning. You saved the day and I am very grateful.

BURNS NIGHT: Thank you to all those who came along, had fun, and made the evening such a success. Great traditional Burns Night fayre thanks to all the lassies who prepared and served the meal. A brilliant tribute to Robbie Burns by all those who took part in the traditional Burns Supper. Culminating with wonderful Scottish music and songs, grateful thanks must go to those who led us so expertly through the ceilidh. The evening raised a magnificent total of £415 for Church funds. **JAN & DAVE**



Three bonnie St Teath laddies celebrate Burns Night.

COMMUNITY BUS TIMES AND NEWS

Mon 2 nd Mar	TRURO	9.30am	Fri 6 th Mar	WADEBRIDGE	9.30am
Mon 9 th Mar	TRURO	9.30am	Fri 13 th Mar	WADEBRIDGE	9.30am
Mon 16 th Mar	TRURO	9.30am	Fri 20 th Mar	WADEBRIDGE	9.30am
Mon 23 rd Mar	TRURO	9.30am	Fri 27 th Mar	WADEBRIDGE	9.30am
Mon 30 th Mar	TRURO	9.30am			

Please continue to contact **Di Cox** to book the bus. You can reach her on **01208 850983**.

We are pleased to announce a **Special Trip to the Screech Owl Sanctuary on Tuesday 28th April**. The price for the trip will be £11 (including £6 entrance fee). The Bus will leave from the White Hart at 10am and depart from the Sanctuary at 2-2.30pm. Please contact Mandy Woods on 01208 851346 to book a seat.

The Community Bus is now entered in the **Green Token Community Scheme at Asda in Bodmin**. Please vote for us if you are shopping there!

Please remember that the bus cannot accommodate bulky items: this applies to all items carried by all passengers. It is essential, for safety's sake that the doors to the rear of the bus are kept clear at all times. We ask that you do not put our drivers in a difficult position by attempting to carry unsuitable items on the bus. Thank you for your understanding. We respectfully ask **all** passengers to queue for our Community Bus at the bus stop outside the White Hart. Please do not wait next to the bus in the car park.

The bus is available for private hire by local organisations and private individuals but we respectfully remind anyone hiring the bus that they are responsible for settling the cost of any penalties incurred during their period of hire. Please note: to hire the bus the driver must have a D1 permission to drive on his/her licence. The bus is **not** available for hire to commercial organisations.

For any bus enquiries other than bookings, please phone Mandy Woods on 01208 851346.

COMMUNITY BUS NEWS

Apologies for the failure of our usual article to appear last month, but normal service is now up and running. (*This was due entirely to the inefficiency of the Editor—sorry!* ED)

Village Calendar. We have had fantastic success in selling the calendar and thanks to all of you who bought one or many. I know that copies have reached all parts of the UK and much further afield. Our current total after all expenses have been paid is a wonderful £1,300. Isn't that amazing! Thanks to Lorraine Jasper for having the inspired idea in the first place; to Larry Cornwall for the wonderful photography, David Winter for his organisation and Lynne Beavis for her work on the layout. Plus, of course, a great big thank you to all who posed for the various photographs.

New Bus. The time of delivery is soon and there will be changes to the way our bus operates. The design of the bus means that, subject to our usual checks, anyone with a full licence will be able to drive it. The capacity is less, as are the running costs, which will make it useful for smaller groups, family groups etc to hire it for their use.

We will also be reviewing our charges and making changes as appropriate. Numbers using the bus have fallen off recently which is a concern. So, should you have any comments to make about such things as fares, availability etc please let one of the drivers know and they will bring it up for discussion/action. Remember *Use it or Lose it!*

Our current bus is still for sale at £7,000 ono. If you are interested please let us know as we will be arranging a part exchange deal with our supplier in the next two weeks.

Finally, this will be my last act as Chair of the Bus Committee as, after 12 years' involvement I have decided it's time for someone else to take over. Thank you everyone for your support, the enjoyable journeys and the friendship that I and the passengers have shared.

BOB FOX

ST TEATH CARNIVAL 2020

As spring approaches it's time to start putting into place the plans for this year's carnival. We've got some really exciting things planned again for this year. One of these is a fun Dog Show. We have to thank the parish council for lifting the dog ban on the village green for this special occasion, but we expect everybody to respect the gesture, and to pick up after their dogs as well as to keep them on a lead at all times

More details of the week will be with you as we approach carnival time, but what we can tell you is that we're working with a local company to produce some new trophies for us. These will be made of sustainable materials, and they are quite simply, blooming gorgeous. So here's your chance to sponsor one of these new trophies. The fee for sponsorship is £30. which covers the cost of production Please pop into the cafe or email us : st.teathcarnival@gmail.com if you are interested. There are only 12 available and a few of these have gone even before we've had the chance to officially advertise for sponsors, so don't delay.

ST TEATH CARNIVAL ACCOUNTS 2019

We thought it a good idea to show everybody the financial situation of the carnival, as although our accounts are always available for you to see, we appreciate it's not always easy to know where to go for this information. .

INCOME:

Daily events takings total	10,921
Advert fees	235
Donations & bucket donations	605
Stall donations	303

TOTAL INCOME 12,064

EXPENSES

Adverts, Boards, Programmes	142
Insurance	152
Licences	68
Marquee Hire	1,626
Marquee damage fees	337
Carnival Queen	56
Electricity	80
Chiller trailer	200
Alcohol	3,058
Toilet hire & cleaning	252
Bands for evening events	980
Carnival bands in procession	560
Rosettes	55
Purchase of chairs & tables	70
Fire & risk assessment equipment	42
Decorations	120
Banking fees	105
Snacks, toys, food for events	539
General maintenance & equipment	433
Bus donation	530

TOTAL EXPENSES 9,404

ST TEATH SCHOOL REPORT

The first half of the Spring Term seems to have flown by! Yet much has been squeezed into these 6 weeks. As part of their Roald Dahl topic, Sycamore class visited The Eden Project to enjoy a 'Chocolate workshop!' The children became chocolate investigators and found out all about the Cocoa bean and how it is used to produce chocolate. As a special treat, the children had an ice skating session as well. I'm pleased to report that all the children and adults survived this experience and returned to school fully intact!

Willow class also went on a trip to Eden as part of their Rainforest topic and became Rainforest Rangers, exploring all of the hidden secrets and gems of the rainforest. Trips such as these really help to reinforce the learning experience and create memories that should last for years to come.

Willow have also been studying the Great Fire of London and built a London street scene as part of their topic. As with the original streets of London, this was unceremoniously burnt to the ground, thanks to a hot ember from Pudding Lane! The children thoroughly enjoyed watching their houses go up in flames and Mrs Lane was more than happy when they had burnt out and she had not had to use the fire extinguisher!

After this copy had gone to press, our children attended the Wadebridge Festival of Music and Speech performing as a school choir and choral speech group. I am so incredibly proud that we are now participating in events such as these, as it really helps to develop confidence in our youngsters. Well done to all those who took part.

Paul Howard Acting Head Teacher St Teath School.

CAMELFORD & DISTRICT OLD CORNWALL SOCIETY

At our meeting on March 9th we welcome Jacky Nowakowski who will tell us about the exciting discoveries made on our doorstep over the past few years. The archaeological 'dig' at Tintagel Castle, cliffs, and around the church have turned up many intriguing finds and given us an in depth understanding of the importance of this area over millennia.

Visitors are always welcome at these meetings. We start at 7.30pm, in Camelford Hall, Clease Road, Camelford. The talk and slide show usually lasts about an hour, then we have a cup of tea or coffee with biscuits and a raffle. Come along, we'd like to meet you.

Some of you may remember, I think it was in 2014 or 15, Catherine Lorigan gave an inspirational talk about Delabole and surrounding area. The hall was filled, and overflowing, so many people wanted to know the history of our village. Well, Catherine will be with us again in June, and we can promise an entertaining and interesting evening. More detail of this to follow.

It's never too late to be what you might have been.

George Elliot



It was a dark and stormy night, but this did not deter a large number of Joybirds from winging their way to the Community Centre for February's meeting. Dave Brown from St Petrocs charity for the homeless described very vividly the challenges involved in helping these people,

Dave explained to us how St Petrocs provides not only practical help in the way of a warm, safe bed for the night but also friendly, non-judgemental support and counselling, leading hopefully to a permanent home and a more settled way of life. After a very sympathetic and thought-provoking talk, Dave left with large quantities of toiletries and warm clothing needed for these people and our great respect and admiration for the work he and his colleagues were doing.

After refreshments Lynne announced that henceforth Jan Winter would be taking on the role of chief Joybird, Lynne would be Secretary bird and Sue Hargrave would continue as Treasurer with Sandra Piper and Anne Tyler in supporting roles. Beautifully-produced programmes for events and outings for the coming year were distributed, before members sallied forth into the wind and rain, very grateful that they would be returning to a warm nest and mindful of those not so fortunate, for whom St Petrocs was a godsend.

The next meeting will be on March 11th when Yvonne will give us an illustrated account of her travels and work in various parts of the world. All are welcome to join us.

JOYBIRDS FOR AUSTRALIA!

Storm Dennis with its gales and driving rain was in full spate as the Joybirds opened the doors on their first fundraiser—for Australian firefighters and animal charities. Would anyone turn out in such weather? Minutes later the Community Centre was packed with drenched but determined villagers eager to sample their bacon butties and contribute towards the incredible final total of **£500.00** ! Our wonderful villagers never fail to amaze us.

Thank you all very much!



Photos: Adrian Jasper



St Teath Preschool

We have just enjoyed our half term break. Coming back from the half term the children will be exploring all about the planets and space. Before the break we completed lots of different learning opportunities exploring mental health and we talked to the children about their feelings, what makes them feel happy, sad, tired or scared, we had a variety of different emotions. This was a great way of trying to promote good mental health for the children.

We are also just about to celebrate World Book Day, our children already enjoy lots of story telling and literacy activities. To enhance this we have recently transformed one of our learning areas into a storytellers' room, full of exciting and interesting books and activities based around the children's favourite stories.

We are still collecting for our Bags to School charity collection so if you are having a clear out of you wardrobes we will accept any clothing, shoes and old bedding too.

We are currently very busy at pre-school with a big register of children. If you would like your child to start at St Teath pre-school now is the time to give us a call to get the paperwork. We offer funding for 2, 3 and 4 year olds and we also offer the extended 30 hour funding.

Our Stay and Play sessions have restarted and are being really well attended, Thank-you to everyone who attends making it a success. It runs every Wednesday 9:15-11am term time only.

If you would like more information about the Preschool, or would like to volunteer your services, please contact us on 01208 851548 or email stteathpreschool@talktalk.net

MERLIN UPDATE

Thank you to all our friends and neighbours for your continued support of The Merlin M.S. Centre throughout the year 2019. YOU have helped us send **£2,556-45p** down to the centre at Hewaswater. (Please check out Merlin M.S. Centre) The centre provides many therapies including Massage, Aroma Therapy, Indian Head Massage, Reflexology, Reiki, Respite Care .is provided three days a week. The M.S. clients are collected from home, if necessary, and do craft work and quizzes, play games and possibly take part in an exercise class. Lunch is provided and the clients are taken home at the end of the day.

The Oxygen Therapy provides pure Oxygen under pressure at a simulated depth of 33ft for an hour at a time. Oxygen can be taken at surface pressure. As well as M.S, Fibromyalgia, M.E., Parkinson's, breaks and strains, clients undergoing cancer treatment and many other conditions can benefit from the Oxygen treatment.

YOUR donations help to subsidise the treatments for M.S. clients - for example the Oxygen session costs £17-00p for non M.S. clients and £11 for M.S. clients.

Thank You, One and All.

LORRAINE & DAVID

A Methodist Minister's View

All of the Month of March this year falls within the Season of Lent, which officially starts with Ash Wednesday on 26th February.

The thought of Lent sparks various ideas in people's minds such as Lent Courses and giving up something for Lent. I have known people who have given up such things as cream cakes, chocolate, cigarettes or alcohol for Lent. Often the 'giving up' is because people recognise a problem which they need to tackle and Lent becomes the convenient 'reason'. However, we do not always have to give something up for Lent, instead we can do 'something extra'.

I came to this idea of doing 'something extra' when the Christian Aid Lent leaflet came in the post. The leaflet invites us to read a '50 word' thought for each day of Lent based around the experiences of a family in Kenya. Following each thought there is a suggested action for the day, some of which invite us to make a contribution to the work of Christian Aid. For example, one suggestion is that we give 20p for every tap which we have in our houses. Water on tap is so much easier than walking 5 miles to get some as is the experience of many overseas. Of the 40 days in Lent only 17 of the suggestions invite us to give small amounts of money to aid the plight of others and that is optional.

I am attracted to this idea for Lent because it gives me the opportunity of thinking about the life and family situation of a young couple in Kenya who have been affected by drought and climate change. At one stage in their experience they were without food because they could not grow crops, so as well as being hungry there was no income to enable them to send their children to school. Learning of their experience is both harrowing and challenging when we consider how blessed we really are with the provision and opportunities we have.

I have ordered some additional leaflets, including some for children, and will happily get one to you if you want to share the 'Lent' experience – just give me a ring on 01840 214818. I hope I have to order more leaflets!

Meanwhile, ponder again on how blessed we are.

Every blessing, **BRYAN EDE**

P.S. At Delabole Methodist Church we have a visit from the celebrated Holman Climax Male Voice Choir on Sunday 8th March at 7.30p.m. Everybody is welcome to share in this feast of music with us.

The concert will be preceded by a Songs of Praise at 6.p.m.

JOHN BLEWETT

The crowds of mourners who flocked to St Teath Church on February 10th for the Service of Thanksgiving for the life of John Blewett were tribute to the high esteem in which he was still held locally, despite having emigrated to Australia almost twenty years ago.

John started his farming life here in Cornwall. He and his wife worked tirelessly to build up the farm, moving on from producing pigs to dairy, then to crops and finally to beef. His passion was breeding cattle and he travelled all over the country winning awards and county championships with his pedigree Charolais herd. After moving to Australia in 2000, he continued this success with pedigree cattle in Perth.

John died on 16th January. His wife and younger daughter, Fay are in Australia but his elder daughter, Clare and husband Rob Rowe live here in Treburgett. We send them and all members of John's wider family our deepest sympathy.



ST. TEATH PARISH CHURCH

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER SERVICE Friday MARCH 6th at 10.30 am

followed by refreshments in the Church Hall.
This is a service arranged this year by the
people of Zimbabwe and celebrated
throughout the world.

Refreshments will be served afterwards in the
church hall—a chance to meet and talk and think of others in other parts of
the world.

Everyone is welcome at this service

CHURCH SERVICES FOR MARCH

SUNDAY 1 st MARCH	11 am	CHORAL COMMUNION
FRIDAY 6 th MARCH	10.30 am	WORLD DAY OF PRAYER
SUNDAY 8 th MARCH	11 am	MORNING PRAYER
SUNDAY 15 th MARCH	11 am	CHORAL COMMUNION
SUNDAY 22 nd MARCH	11am	BENEFICE SERVICE AT LANTEGLOS
SUNDAY 29 th MARCH	11 am	MORNING PRAYER

TREVEIGHAN METHODIST CHURCH

We would like to invite you to join us to our **Chapel Anniversary** when we shall be
celebrating 192years of Christian worship, on **Sunday March 15 th at 6pm.**
The speaker is Mr Phil Parsons.

A warm welcome awaits you.

DELABOLE METHODIST CHURCH

We have a visit from the celebrated **Holman Climax Male Voice Choir**
on **Sunday 8th March at 7.30p.m.**

ST TEATH CHURCH HALL

Rupert Down (Chairman)	01208 852039
Lon Evans (Treasurer)	01840 212400
Eileen Treby	01208 369684
Jean Nicholls	01208 850594
David Jasper	01208 850650
Anne Blewett	07778 422717

**For church hall bookings please contact
Lon Evans on 01840 212400.**

[In the event of Lon being unavailable, please contact Rupert
Down on 01208 852039]

Camel-Allen Cluster of Churches

An Invitation
TO
STEP ASIDE FROM
Busy Lives
FOR
a short time of
PRAYER and QUIET REFLECTION
Where? St. Teath Church
When? Wednesdays at 10.00 am
ALL ARE WELCOME

THE SLEEPING BEAUTY

Anyone who missed the pantomime this year, missed a treat. The costumes, the music, the lighting and sound were absolutely first class. The cast, enhanced by superb makeup, gave it their all and were a delight.

The story was narrated with authority by a very old and wise wizard, played by Pauline Kent. Beauty, played by Lucy Ferguson exuded confidence and charm, whilst Glory Lynham as the handsome, tall(ish) Prince Florizel of Trewalder gave a faultless performance. Queen Bunty, a startlingly statuesque lady, played by Kevin Hargrave brought great hilarity to the proceedings and slapstick comedy was provided by Dozy Mary (Sue Willmott) and Pool (Di Potter). It's impossible to mention by name every member of the large and colourful cast but all performed brilliantly. Stealing the lime-light however, were the children who lit up the stage every time they appeared in their roles as fairies and sprites.

Musical accompaniment was provided with his usual panache by Gareth Stubberfield who also encouraged members of the cast – and audience – to sing with gusto. The impressive costumes were produced by Trish Cox, Mandy Woods and Dee Dudleston, the excellent props, scenery and make-up were organised by Helen Ferguson, with Chris and Martin Keat working their usual magic with sound and lighting and Jack Sandercock and Liam Prideaux labouring backstage to ensure a thoroughly enjoyable production.

Well done to Bob, who wrote and directed this extravaganza. We hope he felt rewarded with the enthusiastic audience participation and full houses at every performance.



EVENTS AT ST ENDELLION MARCH 2020

**Friday 13 March, 7.30pm Balagan Café Band**

Ranging from Parisian and American Jazz and the Chalabi music of Algeria to Argentine Tango and Balkan folk melodies, the band fuses these threads into an energizing and evocative sound. £10

Sunday 22 March, 3pm Cornwall County Youth Choir

The 14-18 year olds who form Cornwall County Youth Choir, one of the family of choirs managed and funded by the Cornwall Music Education Hub, raise the roof in a gorgeous concert. £8

Tickets from www.endelienta.org.uk or 07787 944935. Accompanied under 16s free to many events – check website for details.

Endelienta Open Exhibition Sat 29 February to Sunday 29 March, weekends 11-4.
A wide variety of work by artists from Cornwall and Devon. Entry free

TINTAGEL ORPHEUS MALE VOICE CHOIR

We are rehearsing songs, both old and new, for two important events in March. On **Friday, March 6th**, we compete again in The **Wadebridge Music Festival** for the Male Voice Choir Cup, 7.30pm onwards in Wadebridge Town Hall.

Then on **Saturday, March 28th**, at Camelford Hall, 7.30pm, we are presenting a **Gala “Variety” Concert**. This will be a “ticket only” event, cost £9 to include pasty and cream tea. The Concert will feature plenty of entertainment from the choir and individual members. Tickets available from John Sadler on 01840 212583. or through any choir member. There will not be a bar so do bring your own drinks and glasses. Book early to avoid disappointment!

An advance date for your diary: The ever popular joint concert with the **Bristol Madrigal Ensemble** will be on **Sunday, June 14th** at Tintagel Methodist Church. These bright young singers, with wonderful voices, come on tour every year from Bristol University. They sing like angels, and eat like they haven't eaten for a fortnight. Our members, wives and supporters lay on a delicious, home-made supper which the 'Ensemble' devour with gusto!

All enquiries to the Chairman, Bob Metters, on 01840 213736.

Some days there won't be a song in your heart. Sing anyway.
Emory Austin