

CHIDEOCK NEWS

(including Seatown & North Chideock)

DEC 2012/JAN 2013

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SERVICES AT ST. GILES

2 nd December	Advent Sunday	11am Village Advent Service
9 th December	Advent 2	11 am Holy Communion (CW)
16 th December	Advent 3	11am Holy Communion (CW)
6pm Carol Service		
23 rd December	Advent 4	11am Holy Communion (CW)
24 th December	Christmas Eve	11pm Holy Communion
25 th December	Christmas Day	10am Family Service
30 th December	No service at St. Giles.	10am Eucharist at St. Michael's Lyme Regis
11am at Hawkchurch		
6 th January	Epiphany	11am Village Service
13 th January	Epiphany 2	11am Holy Communion (CW)
20 th January	Epiphany 3	11am Holy Communion (CW)
27 th January	Epiphany 4	11am Holy Communion (CW)

CHURCH OF OUR LADY, QUEEN OF MARTYRS & ST. IGNATIUS

CHURCH AND VILLAGE HISTORY EXHIBITION OPEN DAILY 10-4pm

Parish Priest: Fr. Richard Meyer - November dates ...

Saturday, 8 Dec 10 am Mass

Saturday, 8 Dec 5 pm Leweston School Christmas Concert

Friday, 14 Dec 10 am Mass

Saturday 15 Dec 1 pm Wedding

Friday, 21 Dec 10 am Mass

Saturday, 22 Dec 6 pm Vigil Mass

Tuesday, 25 Dec 10 am Christmas Day Mass

Friday, 28 Dec 10 am Mass

Friday 11 January 10 am Mass

Sat 12 Jan 6 pm Vigil Mass

Fri 18 Jan 10 am Mass

Fri 25 Jan 10 am Mass

Sat 26 Jan 6 pm Vigil Mass

Church of Our Lady will again host Leweston School's

Christmas Concert on Saturday 8 December at 5 pm.

**Refreshments afterwards in the Manor by kind invitation of
Howard and Deirdre Coates. Limited tickets @ £12 available
from Gaby Martelli: 01308 488348. Proceeds to the Church
Dome Appeal and Leweston School Music Tour.**

See Church Noticeboard or www.chideockmartyrschurch.org.uk for more info.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

There is a **YEAR PLANNER** in the porch of St. Giles. Please indicate any future events as early as possible by filling in the date on the Planner. This helps to avoid having more than one event on the same day.

CHIDEOCK VILLAGE HALL

Chairman: Nick Zaiger (489580) Treasurer: Barbara Arnold (489423) Secretary: Nick Baker (489555). Table Tennis Group Liaison Sue MacDougal 489408

Chideock Village Hall is available as a venue for regular events and special occasions.

BOOKINGS/ENQUIRIES 01297 489580 or 07716 201440

BINGO/WHIST DATES FOR DEC/JAN (all sessions start at 7.30pm)

Thursday 6th December BINGO

Thursday 13th December WHIST

Thursday 20th December CHRISTMAS BINGO- DON'T MISS IT!

Thursday 27th December WHIST

Thursday 3rd January BINGO

Thursday 10th January WHIST

Thursday 17th January BINGO

Thursday 24th January WHIST

Thursday 31st January WHIST

DEADLINE DATE :

Items for inclusion in the FEB 2013 magazine to : Ms. Ruth Wrixton, Sweet Briar, West Road, Bridport, DT6 6AE. Tel: 01308 422649 or mobile 07811672058 or e-mail me : ruthwrixton@hotmail.com (I will always acknowledge I have received them – so that you know I have!) **LATEST** acceptance date will be Wed 16th January 2013.

The Chideock Luncheon Club

There will be no Village Lunch in December. The next lunch will be held at The Clock on Tuesday, 29th January 2013 at 12.15 for 12.30. Please ring Judy Campbell (489 121) if you would like to come. If you are new to the village and /or would like to enjoy some company over lunch why not come along? The draw for the 100 club takes place at this event.

CHIDEOCK ART GROUP

Mondays - 2pm Village Hall – Dates for the New Year 2013 –

7th, 14th, 21st, 28th January

4th, 11th, 18th, 25th February

4th, 11th, 18th March

Programme to be announced later

Contact Nos: Beverley Young 489 565 and Pat Bowditch 489 567

QUIZ???????NIGHT



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CHIDEOCK VILLAGE HALL

FRIDAY 1st FEBRUARY

7.15 for 7.30

ADMISSION AT THE DOOR £6.00 INCLUDING SUPER SUPPER



B.Y.O.wine and glasses



PRIZES FOR TOP FIVE TABLES

IN AID OF ST.GILES CHURCH

CHIDEOCK SOCIETY

SIX (or more) for the price of ONE

If you are not a member of the Chideock Society, please consider joining us. Not only will you have a forum for making your views known on local matters BUT for your membership fee of £5 p.a. (ONLY) you enjoy FREE entry to virtually all of the events we arrange each year (usually 8+), FOR WHICH NON MEMBERS PAY £4 EACH TIME.

COME AND JOIN US

***For more information please contact RHODA ELWICK on
01297 489983 or E-MAIL: thethatch@lineone.net***

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call

Liz Neumann
01297 480855
07738905031

lizneu@hotmail.com

VILLAGE HALL KEYS

There would appear to be a large number of hall keys out there. If you have a key would you please let Nick know (489580). Should you no longer need the key would you please return it to Nick or any member of the hall committee.

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100 PLUS CLUB (to date 30/10/2012)

125 people at £12 per person = £1,500.

Money for draw each month = £60 x 12 months = £720.00

Plus Christmas bonus 30.00

TOTAL £750.00

Money for Chideock Parish magazine £750.00

Less setting up costs 57.00

Plus donations of £13 13.00

TOTAL to Chideock Parish Mag £706.00

The October draw took place on 30 October at the Clockhouse Inn. The winning numbers were

36 Nick Mudford 1st Prize £30

117 Pat Hussey 2nd Prize £20

26 Ruth Wrixton 3rd Prize £10

The November draw will take place at the Clockhouse on 27th at the village luncheon.

The December draw will take place on 18th at St. Giles when we have our Annual Mince Pies. There will be two Christmas bonus draws of £15 each in addition to the normal 3.

Chideock W.I.



Our guest speaker in November was Annette Plaistow-Trapaud, Fundraising Co-ordinator for Dorset Air Ambulance (see photo below). This service is provided for the local community and supported by local people. It is a registered charity which receives no direct Government funding or National Lottery support. The operational costs for the helicopter service are approximately £4000 a day. On average the service attends three to four incidents a day, many of them life saving. Annette told us about various ways we can help towards their funding, such as joining their lottery scheme, recycling mobile phones and ink cartridges, recycling clothes and shoes which can be put into the yellow container in the Clockhouse Inn car park.

Following our tea break, Van Rivers gave a report on the WI Autumn Council Meeting which eight of us attended. The main guest speaker was Adam Henson from Countryfile. Needless to say he had the audience spellbound.

Shirley Lambert reminded members about the time to meet for the Exeter Carol Service. She also discussed the theatre trip to 'Calendar Girls' and our Christmas meal at The George in Chideock.

We are planning a village Cheese and Wine evening with Colin Varndell as a guest speaker with his beautiful images entitled 'Hidden Dorset'. This will be on January 25th 2013 in the village hall. More information and the availability of tickets for this delightful evening will be advertised shortly

Our next formal meeting will be on the 7th January 2013 when the New Year's programme will commence.

12 members attended the Annual Dorset WI conference in Poole on 18th October. Our craft competition entry was judged the WI Favourite Winner of the 2012 Craft Competition.

Photo of Shirley Lambert, WI Chairman for Chideock WI holding our winners certificate. Close up of the 'Celebrating Friendship' entry.



COMMUNITY POLICING ...

Due to a high volume of calls made to Dorset Police in the previous month I would like to remind people that



it is an offence to place anything on the road that may cause harm to another road user. This includes mud. Civil claims against farmers have run into millions which may not be recoverable from insurance, if reasonable efforts have not been made to clear. Road sweepers can be hired and should be used where necessary.

Police receive numerous complaints during maize harvest and try to deal as leniently as possible, but the responsibility remains with the person making the mess.

Police can arrange for the road to be swept at the farmer's expense if action is not taken when required. Busy roads cannot just be left un-cleared until the end of the working day. They must be safely passable to all road users all the time.

Remember, a civil claim against you, in certain circumstances, could result in the loss of your farm. The cost of a sweeper could appear small, set against the cost of a civil claim.

It is extremely important to report any suspicious activity/incidents on the non-emergency number 101.

PCSO Paul MINERS Beaminster Safer Neighbourhood Team.

Chideock W.I invites you to

An Evening of 'Hidden Dorset'

With renowned photographer

COLIN VARDELL

on

Friday 25th January 2013

6.30 for 7.00pm

IN CHIDEOCK VILLAGE HALL

Price £8.50



Includes cheese, biscuits and a glass of wine

Tickets available from: Janet Carey

Telephone 01297 489782

ALL ARE WELCOME

In Aid of W.I & Church of our Lady's Dome Appeal

Chideock Parish Council News.

Refuse And Kerbside Recycling Collection Arrangements For Christmas And New Year.

NORMAL DAY

Wednesday 26th December

Wednesday 2nd January

Wednesday 9th January

Normal collections resume on Monday 14th January 2013

REARRANGED DAY

Friday 28th December

Friday 4th January

Thursday 10th January

UPDATE on "Clacking" manhole covers on the A35.

Connect have said that it is better for members of the public to inform the relevant authority direct, rather than via Connect, as more notice will be taken of a resident's complaint!

For instance, if it is a Fire Hydrant cover (as outside Bilberry Close) then it should be reported to Dorset Fire on 01305 252633.

Most other manhole covers are the responsibility of Wessex Water, report via 0845 600 4 600, 8am to 6pm, Mon-Fri.

Finally, a few of the covers belong to BT, and the problem should be reported to Connect on 01404 823381.

All other issues such as blocked drains and subsidence should be reported directly to Connect on 01404 823381.

If you do report a problem please ask for a fault reference number and let the Clerk know what you have reported, when, to whom, and the reference number given.

The Friends of St Giles Church,

Warmly invite you to join them for their Christmas Mince Pie Morning on Tuesday 18th December. This will be held in St Giles Church, coffee and mince pies being served from 10.30am to noon.

The church is always beautifully decorated for Christmas and there will be seasonal music to enjoy with your refreshments. Tickets for the refreshments will be available on entry at £2.00 for a cup of coffee/tea and a mince pie. You are also welcome just to come for the music and to view the decorations, for which a donation towards the running of the church is appreciated.



We look forward to seeing you

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

Judy Campbell
wishes all her friends in Chideock a very happy Christmas and a healthy and
peaceful New Year.

I would also like to record my heartfelt thanks for the wonderful support and
friendship shown to me during this difficult year.

Since I wish to give personal greetings during the Festive Season I shall not be
sending local cards this year, but as in past years, will make a donation to
Shelterbox

CHRISTMAS

I do wish a merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all my friends in
Chideock and West Dorset. I shall not be sending the traditional cards
this year but will continue to donate to the St. Giles Church building
renovation fund. John McMorrow

Chris and Sue Walliker and Doreen and Derek Moore will not be
sending cards this year but wish all neighbours and friends a 'Merry
Christmas and a Happy and Healthy New Year'.

Festive Farm Fair



10 am – 4 pm

SUN : 2 : DEC

Local festive crafts;

Great Christmas presents;

Mulled Wine; Hot Local Lamb Rolls

at Miles Cross Farm Education & Enterprise Centre

Symondsburry, Bridport DT6 6HE

Tel: 07811 672058

email: ruthwrixton@hotmail.com





Christmas Good Wishes



A very happy Christmas and New Year to everyone
and our grateful thanks
for your kindness and support during the year.
What a lovely village Chideock is.

Jack and Karen Warburton

We will be making a donation to the Weldmar Hospice instead of sending cards.

From "Little Orchard"

As in recent years, we will not be sending cards, locally, but will be making a donation to our chosen Charity instead.

We do wish everyone a very Happy Christmas and a peaceful New Year. We should, also, like to take this opportunity to express our sincere thanks for all the kindness and support extended to us following the loss of our beloved daughter, Lucy, in April.

Guy and Deborah Mills.

" Marian and Steve Warburton wish all their friends in Chideock a very happy Christmas and a peaceful, prosperous and healthy New Year. We will be giving a donation to St Giles Church instead of sending Christmas cards this year."

CHIDEOCK AND SEATOWN COMMUNITY WEBSITE

<http://chideockandseatown.co.uk>