

CHIDEOCK NEWS

(including Seatown & North Chideock)

MARCH 2024

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SERVICES AT ST. GILES

3rd March Third Sunday in Lent

10th March Mothering Sunday

17th March Fifth Sunday in Lent

24th March Palm Sunday

30th March (Saturday) HOLY WEEK

31st March Easter Sunday

11am Village Service (+coffee)

11am Holy Communion

11am Chideock Praise (+ coffee)

11am Holy Communion

6pm Service of Light

11am Easter Communion

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

Friday 1st. 10am Mass

Friday 8th. 10am Mass

Saturday 9th. 6pm Vigil Mass

Friday 15th. 10am Mass

Friday 22nd. 10am Mass

Saturday 23rd. 6pm Vigil Mass

Friday 29th. 10am Good Friday Stations of the Cross

Sunday 31st. 8.30am Easter Sunday Mass

The Church and museum are now open every day 10am - 4pm

DEADLINE DATE :

Items for inclusion in the APRIL 2024 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 Friday 16th March 2024.

CHIDEOCK VILLAGE HALL

Chairman: Richard Benjamin (489298); Secretary: Paul Ramsden (480941)

Treasurer & Table Tennis contact: Roger Carey (489782)

For bookings contact Paul Ramsden **07749 715091**

or email chideockvh@gmail.com or via our Facebook page @ChideockVH

If you wish to cancel a booking please notify us as soon as possible

For general information about the hall:

<https://www.chideockandseatown.co.uk/groups/chideock-village-hall/>

For the current availability either contact Paul Ramsden or go to:

<https://www.chideockandseatown.co.uk/groups/chideock-village-hall/>
and click on 'Check availability'

Chideock WI

February may have been dull and miserable but Chideock WI have been doing all they can to bring a little brightness to life. The knitters and sewers have



CHIDEOCK WI

Trauma Teddies in aid of Dorset Based charity — STARS

STARS Independent Sexual Violence Advisor (ISVA) Service is free and confidential. It provides practical and emotional support, information and guidance to anyone who lives, works or studies in Dorset and who has experienced any form of sexual violence at any time in their life.

Here are some of our Teddies at Training Camp before we released them out into the wild!



been working on an amazing project to make comfort teddies for people seeking help from STARS, a Dorset charity that helps people of all ages who have suffered from any form of sexual violence in their life. Before the teddies were handed to the charity they had a fun day away at Training Camp – a sort of Outward Bound for bears. It was all a bit chaotic but we stopped the naughty teddies before anyone was hurt. You can see their activities in the picture.

Our monthly meeting was all about the swans at Abbotsbury. Charlie Wheeler the Manager of the venue, as well as a Warden on the Fleet Lagoon and a brilliant amateur photographer gave us a fascinating and educational talk on his 'herd'. Would you believe that at the height of winter there can be up to 1000 mute swans congregating on the lagoon eating the eel grass that grows in abundance in the shallow brackish water. Swans have been at Abbotsbury for 600 years, first bred for food by the monks who were not allowed meat but had a clear conscience about eating cygnets on a Friday because the meat looked like fish! Each swan is ringed and recorded and the Swannery is building up a unique scientific record of the birds.

We are very excited about our Fuller Talk this year which will be held on Saturday 16 March (see separate poster). We are lucky enough to have as our speaker Kevin Lygo who is the Director of Television at ITV and also an expert on Byzantium. His talk entitled "From Love Island to Byzantium" will cover his life in television where he is responsible for programmes such as Dancing on Ice and Mr Bates vs the Post Office, as well as his passionate interest in Byzantine history. There will be a bar and tasty nibbles including some with an Eastern Mediterranean flavour. Open to all, this will be a very popular event so buy your tickets early to ensure a place.

St Giles Church

On Sunday 3rd March, St Giles Church will once again be open for services. However, there will be no heating so you will need to wrap up warmly in order to attend comfortably. Feel free to bring a hot water bottle to cuddle, if it is particularly cold. We can fill them for you.

There will be a Mother's Day service at 11am on 10th March where everyone is welcome. A Service of Light on Saturday 30th March at 6pm, and, of course, the Easter Sunday Communion on Sunday 31st March at 11am. Do come along.

Val Hunt Church Warden

The Friends of St. Giles, Chideock

We invite you to join us for Hot Cross Buns in the Village Hall on the afternoon of Tuesday, 26th March from 2 to 4 pm



**£5.00 to include Hot Cross Buns or Easter biscuits
coffee/tea/soft drink
raffle ticket**

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN CHIDEOCK HISTORY?

We are in the process of setting up a new website in connection with the history of Chideock. The Chideock Society holds a huge archive of old photographs and other memorabilia and we hope over the next months to 'scan' all this material in to the new website so it is held safely and for everyone to see. The hard copies can then be placed with the Dorset Archive. If you can help in any way please contact Lyn Crisp on 01297 489098 or email me at lyncrisp@chideockandseatown.co.uk. We will also provide a link from the Community website to this new 'history website'

100+ CLUB

It is time to get the 100 club renewals out - details below

To all newcomers to Chideock welcome. If you would like to join the 100 club the cost is £12.00 per number and you can have as many numbers as you wish. The new draw starts in April 2024 prizes are monthly 1st Prize £30.00 2nd prize. £20.00 3rd prize“ £10.00

All profits go part way to helping the Chideock Parish Magazine to pay for the running costs. Please do consider joining as it is a very worthwhile local cause Can I remind all 100 Club members that the renewal date for this year is by April the cost is still £12.00 per ticket the more tickets the more chance of winning and the bigger the cheque to help with the running of the Chideock Parish Magazine. To pay via bank transfer details as follows

TSB. Sort code. 77-50-35 Account no 19265860

Cheques payable to 100 plus club (Chideock News)

As before cash or the cheques could be dropped into my letter box at any time Anna Dunn - Chideock House, Main Street, Chideock, DT6 6JN. (489242)

CHIDEOCK PRAYER NET

Lockdown seems a thing of the past, even though Covid hasn't gone away, and we now have other problems to take its place. Members of St Giles have always prayed for our village and neighbours, so if you would like prayer for a concern you have, or to share thanks for something (because good things still happen!), please send an email to chideockprayer.net@gmail.com. Your request will be sent on to individual members of St Giles; it will be kept confidential, and can be anonymous if you wish - even those receiving the request won't know who else is getting it.

Thank you. Peter Stapleton, St Giles PCC

Calling all book lovers!

A popular home library service, run by Royal Voluntary Service, the national volunteering organisation, is looking to grow its service for housebound readers in the Chideock locality **We have two dedicated volunteers for Chideock, Morcombelake and Charmouth areas** The Home Library Service brings books to people who can no longer get to a library. Volunteers deliver books and share their love of reading with the people they visit. They are a friendly face and a regular visitor to those whose mobility and social interactions are limited, and they provide a useful check on the safety and well-being of their readers, too..The Home Library Service is delivered free of charge; it is not only for older people, but for anybody who finds getting to the library difficult, including carers.To find out please contact the Royal Voluntary Service office on 01305 236666, or e-mail maria.jacobson@royalvoluntaryservice.org.uk. Or staff at your local library.



Advance notice to put into your diaries
Forthcoming events for Friends of Clapps Mead
Sunday 12th May from Midday onwards Classic Car Show.
Back by popular demand
Saturday 15th June. 2.30 - 5pm Cream Tea in the garden of Chideock House
Saturday 17th August from 2pm Village Fete in Clapps Mead.
Please do come and support our local events all proceeds to go into the
Children's Play area for new equipment

THE WINTER BOOK CLUB

AT THE GEORGE INN ON THE 2ND TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH
7PM START

(from November 2023 to April 2024)



For more information contact: Jane on 01297 489996

Wreaths for Weldmar 2023

Together we raised a whopping **£3300** for Weldmar Hospice. It's a record amount and I'm delighted and very grateful to all you kind people for supporting my charity wreath-making efforts again, and a special mention to Davd and Jane Warren for providing their beautiful barn for the event...Two days of full-on wreaths!

Thank you Thank you
Pauline Bale

THE FRIENDS OF CLAPPS MEAD



CLASSIC CAR SHOW

On the Clapps Mead Playing Field, Mill Lane.

Sunday 12th May 2024

(Cars will be invited to the field after 9.00am)

The SHOW will start at 12.00 noon.

If you have a Classic Car you would like to 'show' please contact
either Anna Dunn on 01297 489242 or

annachideockhouse@yahoo.co.uk or Lyn Crisp on 01297 489098
or lyncrisp@chideockandseatown.co.uk

We will need to know 'exact' numbers for the day!

Refreshments, BBQ will be available.

*For all you car enthusiasts out there make a note of the
date in your Diary to view these wonderful cars.*

CHIDEOCK ART GROUP

VILLAGE HALL

The Art Group meets every Monday in the Chideock Village Hall for creative sessions where we work on our own or under the guidance of renowned art tutors. We are always keen to welcome new members - you will find a friendly and encouraging group, from beginners to experienced artists, all willing to share and learn new skills.

Come and join us for something new in 2024!

Spring 2024 programme

4th March 2.00-5.00pm £6

Work on your own project

11th March 2.00-5.00pm £10

Semi-abstract landscapes in acrylics pt 1

with Marian Young

18th March 2.00-5.00pm £10

Semi-abstract landscapes in acrylics pt 2

with Marian Young www.marianyoungart.com

Tea, coffee and cake or biscuits included

Join as a member to support us, meet new people
and get cheaper workshops!

CONTACT US!

Please call Joan on 01297 489416 for more information
about the sessions and our Membership scheme

100 club winners on 1st February 2024

1st. Prize. Jean Jones

2nd Prize. Dave Kimpton

3rd Prize. Aleks Whitmore

Congratulations to you all don't forget to renew your number for the New Years draw

John Pearson

I would like to thank everyone for all the flowers and the lovely cards with their kind words and sympathy on the passing of John.

Brenda (Pearson)

Chideock Parish Council News.

E-mail: chideock@dorset-aptc.gov.uk

Website: www.chideockpc.org.uk

Address: Ms. S. Robinson, 60 North Allington, Bridport

Phone: 01308 426327

Please note that Sal Robinson is temporarily back as Clerk following Steven Rose's resignation.

The Clerk will seek to acknowledge receipt of an email within one working day and respond within five working days.

The Council continues to lobby various individuals, organisations, and bodies regarding the A35 issues experienced by the village.

Parish Council Meetings are in-person at the Village Hall at 10 am on the last Tuesday of each month except August and December. The next Parish Council meeting is 26 March.

Elections for all Parish / Town Councils in the Dorset Council area, Dorset Council itself, and the Police and Crime Commissioner will be held on 2 May 2024.

Nomination forms are now available at

<https://www.electoralcommission.org.uk/media/3444>

They can be submitted to Dorset Council after March 11th, which is when the formal Notice of Election will be made.

Do you enjoy living in Chideock, and would you like to play a part in decision making for the village? If so, have you considered becoming a Parish

Councillor? The council needs a good mix of people living or working in the parish; 18 years and over, working age, or retired.

Do you possess any, all or some of the following skills?

Good at mediation, forward thinking, like helping others, enjoy lively debate, can make awkward decisions without fear or favour, interested in learning how some of our lives are run by others, have a large amount of common sense, and can agree to disagree with others who may not share your views?

If your answer is YES to any of the above, why not share your skills to benefit the village? A Parish Council has few powers but is how those who do have power can be contacted and chased up on their responsibilities to their communities.

Chideock Parish Council usually meets once a month; extra meetings are only called over an urgent matter. Meetings are held at 10 am on the last Tuesday of the month. No meeting is held in August or December unless an urgent issue arises.

Training is provided by the Dorset Association of Parish and Town Councils and expenses are paid for travel costs made on behalf of the Parish Council.

Why not attend a council meeting? The next 2 Parish Council meeting are at 10 am on 27 February and 26 March.

More information on being a councillor can be found on the Parish Council website (chideockpc.org.uk) under the “2024 Elections” tab or contact Sal Robinson, the Clerk.

Chideock Flood Group.

Chideock Parish Council is asking for volunteers to form a Flood Group, which will be independent of the Parish Council, but will include at least 1 parish councillor.

This is a revival of the group set up in 2013 following the floods in July 2012.

The group will

- Liaise and meet with members of Dorset Council Highways and Flood Management Teams and with National Highways for the A35

- Look out for and report matters which could affect rainwater drainage (for example blocked gullies and drain covers)

- Maintain the sand bag store, ordering more bags as needed.

- Members of the group could also hold sand bags for people living near them.

Please contact the Parish Clerk if you would like to be on the team.

Flooding.

Sandbags are available in the Community Sandbag Store in the car park to the rear of The Clock. These are available for free but **must be returned** to the store after use. They are for Chideock residents only.

Dorset Council supply these free of charge and more have been ordered. Dorset Council is actively involved in remedying the drainage issues in the upper part of Sea Hill Lane. Further works are ongoing. Both residents and Parish Councillors participate in site meetings with officers from Dorset Highways and the Dorset Council Flood Management team.

Budget and Precept for 2024 – 2025.

The Budget and Precept for 2024 – 2025 was approved at the Parish Council meeting on 30 January 2024.

Band D Council Tax with decrease by £0.02 per annum.

INCOME	Budget 2023/24	Budget 2024/25	% change
Precept	£16,751.76	£16,884.63	0.79%
Vat Refund	£1,043.33	£840.33	-19.46%
Rent for Flow Meter	£140.00	£187.18	33.70%
Rent for Electric Car			
Charging Point	£833.34	£833.34	0.00%
TOTAL PREDICTED INCOME	£18,768.44	£18,745.48	-0.12%

EXPENDITURE	Budget 2023/24	Budget 2024/25	% change
Clerk's Salary (Gross)	£5,950.44	£5,200.00	-12.61%
Clerk's Travel	£100.00	£150.00	50.00%
Councillor's Travel/Phone calls etc	£50.00	£50.00	0.00%
Clerk's Office Allowance	£84.00	£84.00	0.00%
Postage/Phone	£60.00	£60.00	0.00%
Stationery (V)	£60.00	£60.00	0.00%
Stationery - cartridges etc (V)	£80.00	£100.00	25.00%
Training - Clerk & Councillors	£0.00	£0.00	N/A
Internal Audit	£150.00	£60.00	-60.00%
Insurance	£630.00	£700.00	11.11%
Room Hire	£520.00	£506.00	-2.69%
Subscriptions	£310.00	£290.00	-6.45%
Quarterly P/Field Inspections	£190.00	£190.00	0.00%
Routine Playing Field			
Maintenance (V)	£3,000.00	£3,000.00	0.00%
Clapps Mead Mowing (V)	£1,620.00	£1,782.00	10.00%
Clapp's Mead Reserve	£1,000.00	£1,000.00	0.00%
Foss Orchard Car Park Maint	£250.00	£250.00	0.00%
Foss Orchard Car Park			

River Bank Maint	£250.00	£250.00	0.00%
Community Fund Grant	£500.00	£0.00	-100.00%
3 Yr Village Clock Servicing Grant	£250.00	£250.00	0.00%
Cemetery Grass Cutting Grant	£700.00	£725.00	3.57%
Grants Contingency	£0.00	£500.00	N/A
External Grants	£1,835.00	£2,360.00	28.61%
Bus Shelter Maintenance	£160.00	£160.00	0.00%
Salt/Grit for Winter	£200.00	£0.00	-100.00%
Recharge of Parish Council Election Costs	£500.00	£500.00	0.00%
War Memorial Maint (V)	£250.00	£250.00	0.00%
Contribution to Bridport Local Area Part'ship	£69.00	£74.48	7.94%
HugoFox for Website (V)	£0.00	£144.00	N/A
DAPTC for e-mail account	£0.00	£50.00	N/A
TOTAL PREDICTED EXPENDITURE	£18,768.44	£18,745.48	-0.12%

Did you know that...

Electors must provide photo id when going to vote on 2 May.

Acceptable id includes: -

A United Kingdom passport

A passport issued by a European Economic Area (EEA) state or a Commonwealth country.

A national identity card issued by an EEA state.

A UK driving licence (with photo, paper licences will not be accepted).

A driving licence issued by the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man, or an EEA state.

A biometric immigration document.

An identity card bearing the Proof of Age Standards Scheme hologram (a PASS card).

A Ministry of Defence Form 90 (Defence Identity Card).

Older Person's Bus Pass, Disabled Person's Bus Pass, Oyster 60+ Card, Freedom Pass.

A Blue Badge.

A free Voter Authority Certificate.

To obtain a free **Voter Authority Certificate** you can: -

Apply online at <https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate>

Or Apply by post by filling out a paper application form and sending it to Dorset Council. You can request a form by ringing 01305 838299 or e-mailing elections@dorsetcouncil.gov.uk or you can download a form at

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/apply-for-a-voter-authority-certificate-by-post-if-youre-living-in-the-uk>

The deadline to apply for free voter ID for the elections on Thursday 2 May is 5pm on Wednesday 24 April.

Traffic incidents on the A35.

The Parish Council has added a page on its website for residents to report traffic incidents that occur on the A35,

<http://www.chideockpc.org.uk/community/chideock-parish-council-14830/report-traffic-incident/>. You are not required to provide contact details when making a report, though this may be helpful if further details are required.

Vegetation Overhanging Footways and Watercourses.

A reminder that it is the responsibility of the owner or occupier of land or property to ensure that: -

- a) vegetation growing on their land does not impede pedestrians using a footway of any kind.
- b) vegetation growing on their land does not restrict visibility for pedestrians and drivers.
- c) vegetation growing on their land does not overhang the carriageway where there is no footway.
- d) vegetation or other material from their land does not in any way impede the flow of water, which includes anything overhanging the watercourse which could, in severe weather, trap material being carried downstream.

In addition, please ensure that vegetation trimmings are not left on a footway or carriageway of any kind nor allowed to fall into a watercourse.

Reporting Issues to the Relevant Body.

Environmental issues – ring the Environment Agency - 0800 80 70 60 – they will ask for a nearby postcode.

Reporting Rights of Way Issues –

<https://gi.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/rightsofway/reportproblem>

Reporting Highway Issues – except for the A35 – **including blocked drains** -

<https://www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/roads-highways-maintenance/report-a-problem-on-the-road-or-pavement>

- this

excludes street lighting. **In an emergency ring 01305 221020 (24 hours). If there is immediate risk to safety, dial 999.**

Dorset Council Floodline - 0345 988 1188

Reporting Flooding for Property or Road -

<https://www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/emergencies-severe-weather/flooding/report-flooding>

Reporting Highway Issues - A35.

In non-urgent situations only, report these to the Clerk or a councillor – this includes street lighting and **blocked drains**. **In an emergency ring 0300 123 5000 (24 hours). If there is immediate risk to safety, dial 999.**

Reporting Street Light Issues, apart from on the A35 -

<http://www.lightsonindorset.co.uk/public/ReportFault.aspx>;

If you do not have internet access, please contact the Clerk or a councillor, with as much information as possible.

Axminster and District Choral Society update

The Society's programme for spring and summer 2024 promises three evenings of enjoyable and entertaining music.

March 23rd brings 'Joy and Peace', a programme of works by Handel. It features his Ode for St. Cecilia's Day, a joyful glorification of the power of music, with melodies and harmonies that evoke its role in the creation of the universe. Also included is the Ode on the Birthday of Queen Anne, which celebrates the Peace of Utrecht which ended the War of the Spanish Succession. The Ode credits the Queen with bringing "lasting peace on Earth". This wonderful cantata is a present that any self-respecting Royal would be delighted to receive, and Anne was pleased enough to grant Handel a pension for life.

The choir will be joined by professional soloists and orchestra, and will be conducted by Judy Martin.

On April 13th 'The trumpet shall sound' in a fascinating and lively programme tracing the history of the trumpet through performances of well known music. The concert will be given by Alistair Mackie, former Principal Trumpeter of the Philharmonia Orchestra, accompanied by the choir's President Andrew Millington. You can expect a very entertaining evening.

On June 15th the choir's summer concert will consist of favourite anthems and shorter choral pieces, chosen by the members for the sheer pleasure of singing – and pleasure for the audience too we hope.

All three concerts will be held in the Minster Church, Axminster, starting at 7:30 pm. Tickets will be available on line at www.axminsterchoral.co.uk, from

Archway Bookshop, Trinity Square, Axminster, from members of the choir or on the door.

For further information: Elizabeth Twining ejtwinning@gmail.com, 01404 43805

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CHIDECK HALL FILM NIGHT
Tuesday 19th March - 7.00pm for 7.30pm
**THE WINDERMERE
CHILDREN**



The poignant story about a group of child survivors of the Holocaust rehabilitated in the UK. The very first lines, voiced over the titles, give you notice of what follows: "They tore me from my father's arm and took me away. This moment I will never, ever forget."

In 1945, shortly after the end of the Second World War, the British government agreed to take some 732 refugee Jewish children, survivors of the Nazis' extermination camps (and a tiny fraction of those murdered in those death factories). About 300, from toddlers to adolescents, were billeted in some huts near Windermere. There, under the solicitous care of guardians and a rabbi (played by Thomas Kretschmann, Tim McInerney, and Konstantin Frank with sensitivity), as well as an art therapy teacher, played by Romola Garai, they find themselves rehabilitated, from starving, terrified children to normality, in a remarkable few months.

£5.00 Entry – cash or card payments accepted which includes free Tea/Coffee & Popcorn
Wine by glass or bottle, beer, cider & choc ices on sale during interval.

Application Form for entrants to Clapps Mead Classic Car Event, 12.5.2024

Friends of Clapps Mead Classic Car Show Sunday 12th May 2024, 12 - 4pm The field will be open from 9 am and public will be admitted from 12 noon when the vehicle access will be closed. Entrants will receive a letter with further details nearer the time.

It is essential that the organisers have details of those who are entering. Please complete the form below and return to letterbox at Chideock House, Main Street or Farmers' Arms, Mill Lane or by email to roshipkiss@hotmail.co.uk Thank you for your continuing support.

I will be bringing a car/motorcycle (delete as applicable) to the Clapps Mead Show on 12 th May and details are as follows:	
Name	
Contact details(phone or email)	
Make of vehicle(s)	
Model	
Registration number	
Please return this form as soon as possible but at latest by 5 th May. Thank you for supporting the Friends of Clapps Mead.	

If you have any queries please contact:

Anna Dunn, 01297 489242 or annachideockhouse@yahoo.co.uk or

Lyn Crisp on 01297 489098 or lyncrisp@chideockandseatown.co.uk

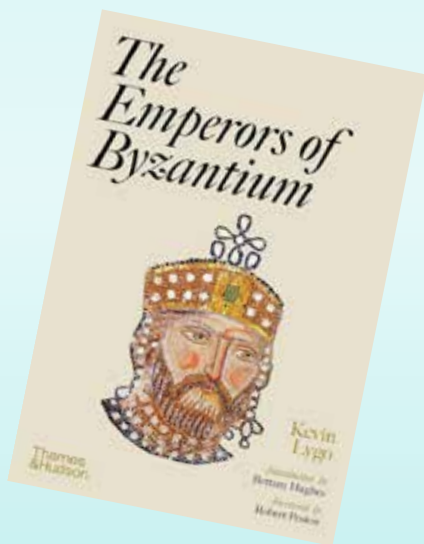
CHIDEOCK WI

The “Fuller Talk”

“From Love Island to Byzantium”

Kevin Lygo

Kevin Lygo is an expert in Islamic and Byzantine art and currently Director of Television at ITV.



7.15 for 7.30pm Saturday, 16th March 2024

Chideock Village Hall

BAR & NIBBLES - EVERYONE WELCOME

Advance Tickets £10 - Janet Carey 01297 489782

email chideockwi@gmail.com

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SHALL WE DANCE?



Chideock Village Hall

Every Monday - 7:30pm

www.dynamic-dance.uk

Call Dee on 07740349393



Chideock Village Trust

Charity No. 1084576

The Chideock Village Trust has been in existence for over 20 years and its objects are:

- To preserve for the benefit of the Chideock community whatever is of artistic, architectural, historical or constructional beauty or interest.
- To promote the study and general knowledge of all artistic and scientific subjects with the object of advancing the education of the Chideock community.



The Trustees would welcome applications for grants from students planning to advance their education, especially by way of unfunded expeditions either in this country or overseas, and from groups seeking to enhance village amenities.

Applications, which should be from residents of Chideock Parish for a prospective (not retrospective) project, should be made in writing to the Secretary of the Trustees, Mrs Lisa Tuck, Broadlands, Chideock, DT6 6HX or by email to tuckfamily@btinternet.com.



Whole day experiences for the adventurous family and people alike

The day will be based in and around Seatown, Chideock, Charmouth, Lyme Regis and beyond.

The experience will be muddy, wet and lots of fun! You will get to safely hold sea creatures.

Get up and close with large Lobsters, Crabs and Sharks in their natural environment.

I have 37 years of experience catching and searching for these wonderful creatures amongst the rocks and seaweeds.

"Selfie with a Sea Creature"

Learn to target specific predatory fish with private tuition (Baits, tackle, location and weather)

Fossil hunting is also a part of these exciting days.

We will also be taking to the woods in search of Fabulous Fungi, Bugs, Slugs any signs of life really;

Climbing, Rambling and Rooting Around.

Enjoy Succulent Seafood on the beach, away from the crowds in perfect surroundings (additional cost per person)

Why not treat your family and friends to an experience they won't forget.

All experiences are based around the Full Moon Phases

Average 5-6 hrs

Experiences done between the following dates in 2023:

April 4-9th Pink Moon

June 1-6th Strawberry Moon

July 30-4th August Sturgeon Moon

September 27-2nd October Harvest Moon

May 3-8th Flower Moon (penumbral lunar eclipse)

July 1-6th Buck Moon

August 28-2nd September Blue Moon

October 26-31st Hunters Moon

I will also be out on the reef at night during these phases if you would like to join in.

This is an extremely exciting opportunity to view Sea Creatures as they go about their feeding.

We can also observe the bio illumination of various plants and creatures. (Only for the extremely adventurous)

This will involve head torches on slippery surfaces amongst rocks, deep rock pools and boulders.

Times and locations will be confirmed after payment completion.

Fully insured. Vouchers available. *Catch you soon!*

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