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SERVICES AT ST. GILES

5th May	6th Sunday after Easter	11am Village Service (+coffee)
12th May	7th Sunday after Easter	11am Holy Communion
19th May	Pentecost	11am Chideock Praise (+coffee)
26th May	Trinity Sunday	11am Holy Communion
2nd June	1st Sunday after Trinity	11am Village Service (+coffee)

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

Friday 3rd.	10am Mass
Friday 10th.	10am Mass
Saturday 11th.	6pm Vigil Mass
Friday 17th.	10am Mass
Friday 24th.	10am Mass
Saturday 25th.	6pm Vigil Mass
Friday 31st.	10am Mass

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

DEADLINE DATE :

Items for inclusion in the JUNE 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 17th May 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 WHIST DRIVE...

The last whist drive before the Summer break is on 29th May starting at 7.30 pm in the village hall. See you there!

QUIZ??????NIGHT



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CHIDEOCK VILLAGE HALL

FRIDAY 3rd MAY

7.15 for 7.30

ADMISSION AT THE DOOR

£10.00

INCL SUPER SUPPER



B.Y.O.wine and

glasses



PRIZES FOR TOP FIVE TABLES

Book your place by phoning

Lynn on 07852332938

IN AID OF ST.GILES CHURCH

CHIDEOCK SOCIETY NEWS

The long delayed Chideock History website is now up and running! www.Chideockhistory.org.uk Whilst we still have lots more material from The Chideock Society archive to add to the website, more photographs, memories, etc., we have at last made a good start. We are also grateful to Antony Broad and Neil Mattingly for allowing us to share the link to their website which shows beautiful photographs and maps of Chideock and Seatown. Please look at the new website and if anyone has any photographs or memorabilia they would like added then please contact Lyn Crisp on lyncrips@chideockandseatown.co.uk or tel: 01297 489098.

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

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 FRIENDS OF CLAPPS MEAD



CLASSIC CAR SHOW

**On the Clapps Mead Playing
Field, Mill Lane.**

Back by popular demand!

Sunday 12th May

The SHOW will start at 12.00 noon

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THIS OPPORTUNITY TO
ADMIRE THESE WONDERFUL CLASSIC CARS

Refreshments will include locally sourced burgers and
sausages in fresh locally sourced buns and rolls.

Tea, Coffee and cakes!

Palmers Beer – Wine – Soft drinks.

Everyone welcome

St. Giles' Church, Chideock

in collaboration with the Friends of St Giles

invites you to

A Cream Tea



*In the gardens of
Chideock House*

Main Street, Chideock

By kind permission of Anna and George Dunn

Friday 24th May 2.30-4.30 pm

£7 each

**THE FRIENDS OF CLAPPS MEAD
INVITE YOU TO**



**A DELICIOUS AFTERNOON
'CREAM TEA'
IN THE BEAUTIFUL GARDENS OF
CHIDEOCK HOUSE**

(Courtesy of George & Anna Dunn)

SATURDAY 15TH JUNE

2-30pm TO 5.30pm

**£7.00 for two scones, jam and cream
plus tea, of course.**

Raffle.

**Please just 'turn up' and join us on the
day!**

OOOoooo

CHIDEOCK HALL FILM NIGHT

Tuesday 21st May - 7.00pm for 7.30pm

What's Love got to do with it?



Boy, here, does not meet girl – he’s known her since they were kids, their families living next door to one another. Zoe ([Lily James](#)) now makes documentaries and Kaz (Shazad Latif) is a doctor; they are best friends, having long been part of the fabric of one another’s lives. Kaz has decided that he wants to have an arranged marriage, meaning boy will actually meet girl once she’s also met his Pakistani parents. Zoe, searching for her next project, convinces Kaz to let her film his journey, and explore how arranged marriages have evolved. The tone is distinctly feelgood, but the film, directed by Shekhar Kapur, thoughtfully explores the different ways that relationships can be built, and what cultures can teach one another.

£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.

Chideock (Village Hall) *ART* Group

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!

29th April 2-5pm *Painting with Acrylics*

With Ruth Christensen

13th May 2-5pm *Animals from coffee stains!*

With Claire Nuttall <https://www.clairenuttall.co.uk>

3rd June 2-5pm *Print with Anything*

With Maria Bowers

Sessions are open to members, and £10 for guests. Tea, coffee and cake or biscuits included. Join as a member to support us, meet new people and get cheaper workshops!

CONTACT US

Call Joan on 01297 489416 for more information about the sessions and our Membership scheme.



Terry's WELDMAR fundraising Update

(By November 2024 Terry Krasinska needs to raise **£4,600** with a mighty hike in Madagascar)

I have passed the £2,000, which is most reassuring and I now have events in place So:

A Fundraiser for WELDMARHospicecare with thanks to the Isaac Family ...
Weds 15 MAY @11am there is a visit to ISAAC ORCHARD, nr Beaminster DT8 3LZ.

It is Apple Blossom Time, with an informative tour in the Orchard, followed by tastings of ciders & delicious apple juice.

£10 on the gate (cash only)

Please register as numbers limited:

Fone, text or WhatsApp 07785 544482.

Don't forget your camera & thank you for your support.

Terry.



◆ **Raising funds for Weldmar HospiceCare.....**

It's all about the Tea!...

Invitation to join us for

Afternoon High Tea

On Sunday 9th June from 3.30pm

In the beautiful Tithe Barn, Symondsburry

by very kind permission of Symondsburry Estate

Music, raffle and home-made cake stall

£15pp, or with a glass of fizz £20pp

Any dietary requirements please advise

To book tickets - Ring Pauline 0779 191 5228

email

pandjthehays@gmail.com

Weldmar HospiceCare

Specialist care for adults in Dorset with a life limiting illness

Let's have a party, bring friends and family, there'll be music, a raffle and homemade cakes for sale. Please come and support your local hospice.

I've taken on a challenge for Weldmar, a trek in Madagascar in November!

I'm funding the trip myself but I'd like to raise as much as I can for Weldmar before I go.

Ticket only. To reserve ring 07791915228 Thank you, Pauline Bale



Look out for the Guides around Chideock.

Local artists taking part include:
Ros Hipkiss, Venue 54, West House, The Warren, Chideock
Barbara Green and Caroline Crawford, Venue 52, Morcombelake Abbey studios
Nesta Rendall, Venue 51, Whitchurch
Trenchard Studios, Venue 48, Wootton Fitzpaine
Brooks Furniture, Venue 49, Wootton Fitzpaine
The Welding Room Group, Venue 50, Lower Abbott's Wootton Farm
Venue 53 is Artwave West in Morcombelake

The Easter decorations in St. Giles Church

The displays this year as ever were amazing, from the three wooden crosses on the hillside, to the Easter lamb hand painted on a jug, wild flowers, hedgerow pieces, pot plants, cultivated spring flowers and personal objects brought together on and around window ledges, the font, the pulpit, the altar, pedestals and entrance, to celebrate Easter in Church and the wonder of spring.

As a group which raises funds for the fabric of the Church, the Friends of St. Giles support the flower displays which decorate the Church at Easter, Harvest time and Christmas. Philippa and Duncan organise the flower events and make a huge contribution with their own displays and shared resources. They also engage and enthuse the willing band of volunteers from all parts of the village, who want to contribute to the life of the church and village in this way. It is a wonderful team effort and if you missed it look out for the Harvest decorations in the autumn.

The Friends. Of St. Giles

Willow Deer Workshop with Jo Sadler

Hosted by The Clapps Mead Fundraising Committee



Taught by local willow artist Jo Sadler, this fun and creative course will guide you through the process of how to sculpt a deer out of willow.

Using locally sourced willow from Somerset, you will learn the fundamentals of willow weaving, taking home your own beautifully handcrafted 4ft willow deer at the end of the day. This course is suitable for beginners and all materials are provided, but we recommend wearing old and comfortable clothing as this course is very hands-on.

**Wednesday 4th September 9-30 to 4-30pm at
Chideock House, Main Street Chideock
(courtesy of Anna Dunn)**

Price: £120 to include 'soup and a sandwich' lunch with a slice of cake!

**To Book a place as numbers are limited please contact
Anna at**

annachideockhouse@yahoo.co.uk Tel: 01297 489242

Book in Hand group

Have you ever fancied acting, but don't have the courage? How about joining this group who will be reading plays together, but not actually performing in public.

Join us. We plan to meet in each other's houses, the emphasis will be on fun, not necessarily talent. If you are interested, please phone Bridgette on 07879 272994

or Val on 01297 489417. We plan to have the initial meeting Wednesday 15th May at 7pm.

Bridport Choral Society presents

Now is the Month of Maying

Featuring works by Mozart, Karl Jenkins and Thomas Morley, traditional English folk songs and a spiritual, contemporary songs and a medley from

Mamma Mia

Saturday 11 May 2024, 7.30 p.m.

Bridport United Church

Musical Director: James Crawshaw Accompanist: Peter Parshall

Tickets £13, including programme and refreshments, available from Bridport Music Centre, Smith & Smith or on the door

PUBLIC MEETING IN CHIDEOCK VILLAGE HALL

THE A35 AND THE AIR THAT YOU BREATHE

WEDNESDAY 22 MAY 2024

DOORS OPEN 6:30PM

MEETING COMMENCES 7:00PM

Three years ago, the Parish Council invited the University of Bristol to come to Chideock to conduct a Research Project investigating the different types of environmental pollution caused by the traffic on the A35 through Chideock.

Chideock Parish Council invites you to come along and listen to:

Prof. Dudley E. Shallcross, Professor of Atmospheric Chemistry

School of Chemistry, University of Bristol

who will explain their findings and what the next steps are for the project.

We look forward to seeing you

Chideock Community Café

Held in Chideock Village Hall



FRIDAY 17th May 2024

From 2.30pm until 4.30pm

Come along with friends or
to meet some new ones.

Everyone is welcome

Tea/Coffee & Cakes/biscuits available



We look forward to seeing you!!

If you find it difficult to get to the Village Hall please phone Gloria on 01297 897668 and we will try to help.

This is not a fund raising event

100+ CLUB

Winners for the 1st April 2024 Draw

1. st. Prize. Sharron Vaughn No 08
2 nd Prize. Pat. Kimpton No 45
3 rd Prize. Ed. Montique. No 161

Accounts for 23/24

B/F from last year	£. 70.40
Membership fees	£. 1,764.00
Donations and reinvested.	£. 63.00

Prizes

£1,897.40

Less

Dorset Council Charity

Licence fee	£. 20.00
Prize money for the year	£ 720.00
Money to Chideock Parish Magazine.	£1, 100.00
B/F.	£. 57.40

£1,897.40

I am delighted to say that although some numbers have dropped out some people have taken more numbers and new residents to the village have increased the number of members I Have therefore been able to give a cheque to the value of £1,300.00 to the Chideock Parish Magazine with the subs this new year

Many thanks to those who participate in this worthwhile flutter

Anna

Chideock WI

When is an AGM not an AGM? When it is a sociable homemade lunch and an AGM afterwards. A group of members sat down to tasty sausage plaits and quiches served with green salad before we reviewed the past year and voted for our President and committee. Like many organisations, although our membership level is holding well, we could do with some more committee members. Tea was followed by a fun session sharing memories such as our first date and our best job - some very amusing.

The Book Group felt that they should read another classic novel and chose 'Return of the Native' by Thomas Hardy – his images of the Dorset landscape are so evocative and although some struggled to get into the book everyone

agreed that they really enjoyed it. The Craft Group will be making wooden spool keyrings this month and the Garden Group will be meeting up at Wayford Manor near Crewkerne to view the first garden in a series of visits planned for the summer months.

Next month will be Chideock WI's 105th birthday and we will be celebrating with a birthday tea and entertainment by 'No Mean Feet', a group of Appalachian dancers and their accompanying musicians who regularly appear at local folk festivals, fetes and fairs. Their lively traditional style of dancing with brightly coloured costumes and hard soled shoes with taps which emphasize the percussive element of Appalachian dance will certainly liven things up and I am sure they will try to involve members as well. Anyone interested in our activities is welcome to join us for what should be a fascinating afternoon.

We have made the decision to change the start time of our monthly meetings from 2.00pm to 2.30pm. This has the advantage of fitting in with the times of buses from Bridport and Charmouth so that our members from these areas do not have to bring their cars. The buses stop right outside the Village Hall.

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.

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 meetings are 30 April and 21 May.

Parish Council Election.

4 people were nominated which means that there will not be an election. The Parish Council will ask at the end of May for volunteers who would like to be co-opted on to the council to fill the 3 vacancies.

Elections for Dorset Council Ward Members and for the Police and Crime Commissioner.

The elections will take place on Thursday 2 May in the Village Hall.

Annual Parish Council Meeting.

The Annual Parish Council meeting will take place on Tuesday 21 May at 10am.

At this meeting, the Chair and Vice Chair of the new Parish Council will be elected, representatives to external groups determined, together with other matters which must be conducted annually.

Usual parish council business will then be conducted.

Annual Village Meeting.

The Annual Village meeting will be held on Tuesday 28 May, 6.45 for 7pm. Tea and coffee will be served before the meeting.

This is not a Parish Council meeting – it is a meeting for electors of the parish. The Parish Council will give a resume of what has happened over the past 12 months, and the Dorset Ward Councillor and PCSO Bishop will be invited to speak.

It is hoped an external speaker will be present to talk about matters of interest to the village.

Village groups who wish can give an update on their events.

There will be an opportunity for electors ask questions and raise issues.

Foss Orchard Car Park Season Ticket Charges.

There was an error in the price given in the April magazine for 12-month season ticket – it is now £120.

Chideock Flood Group - So far 3 people have come forward – more are needed.

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.

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 Voter Authority Certificate.

The deadline to obtain a free Voter Authority Certificate has now passed.

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 overhand 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.

TRADING STANDARDS

Animal allergens in vegan and plant-based food

The Food Standards Agency is running a campaign to advise people with milk, egg, fish or shellfish allergies, or those who care for people with these types of allergies, to always check the label on vegan and plant-based food as it may not be safe to eat.

Foods marked as vegan or plant-based are not guaranteed to be free from products of animal origin, and therefore could still contain allergenic ingredients. This is because a vegan label is not a food safety label so risks remain of cross-contamination in manufacturing and production processes that might mean vegan or plant-based food is not safe for some people to eat.

Q: Do you know the difference between a ‘free-from’ and ‘vegan’ label?

A: A ‘free-from’ label guarantees the product doesn’t contain the named allergen. To use this label, food businesses must follow strict processes to ensure the allergen isn’t present.

However, these rules don't apply to vegan or plant-based products, which means there could be a chance of cross-contamination with allergens such as milk, eggs, fish or shellfish.

Q: Do you have an allergy to milk, eggs, fish, or shellfish? Do you eat vegan food to help manage your allergies?

A: Vegan food isn't always safe for people with these allergies because of potential cross-contamination during manufacturing and preparation processes.

For peace of mind that ingredients such as milk, eggs, fish, or shellfish aren't present in vegan food or plant-based food through cross-contamination, always check for precautionary allergen labels such as a 'may contain' statement. This will help prevent an allergic reaction.

The Food Standards Agency advises - Never assume vegan or plant-based food is safe for people with certain allergies. Don't take the risk. Always read the label.

More information can be found on the Food Standards Agency's website where you can read in more detail about vegan food and allergens, cross-contamination and precautionary allergen labelling for vegan food, and steps to take to keep safe. Visit <https://www.food.gov.uk/safety-hygiene/vegan-food-and-allergens>

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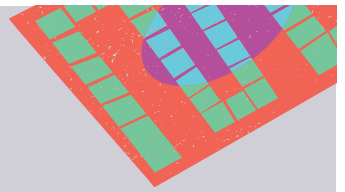
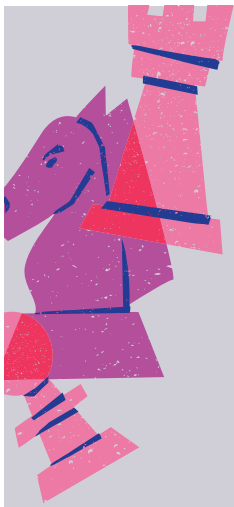
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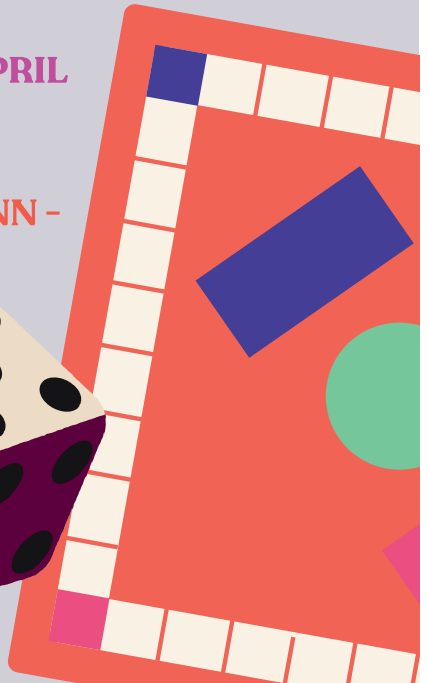
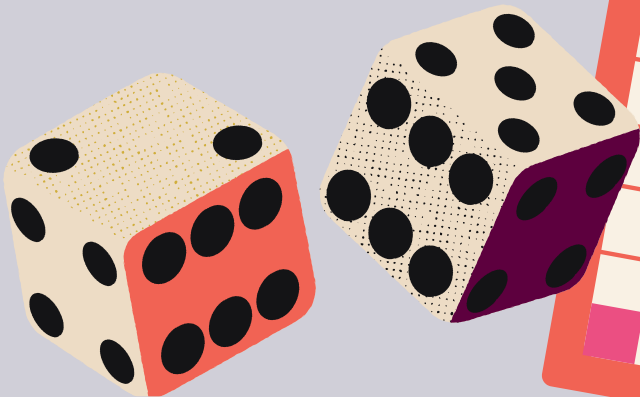
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Chideock Village Trust

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.

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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

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

June 1-6th Strawberry Moon

July 1-6th Buck Moon

July 30-4th August Sturgeon Moon

August 28-2nd September Blue Moon

September 27-2nd October Harvest 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 in 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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