

SAMPFORD PEVERELL & UPLOWMAN
PARISH NEWS

2017

60p

September

*It is our choices
that show who we
truly are,
for more than
our abilities."*

Albus Dumbledore



Back to school

*Working hard is important
but something that matters
even more is...*

*Believing in
Yourself*

H. KITTER

*It matters not
what someone
is born but what
they grow to be.*

A. DUMBLEDORE

JACKSON
LEIGH

Busy Bees Poppy Appeal



In honour of the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal children from the local crafts group, Busy Bees, will be putting on an exhibition which will raise funds for the Poppy Appeal. The girls are doing this as part of their Silver Arts Award.

The event is on Saturday 4th November at Uplowman Hall from 10.00am – 4.00pm and will feature local crafts, artists, fun workshops to get involved in and lots of cake! Please come along to support our event!

Milly, Molly, Maddie and Lily from Busy Bees

EDITORIAL

When September arrives there is always a feeling of things starting up again after the long summer break - schools go back with each student having grown during the holiday and in Sampford the singers will begin rehearsing again. There is also the usual round of coffee mornings, Movie Night, a Jumble Sale etc - In many ways part of the pattern of living in these communities.

One thing, however, that could alter the feel of Sampford Peverell in particular is the proposed new housing development - something that could impact on all our lives. The Inspector's hearings about this and the Jnt 27 development are at the end of September (see pages 4 & 14) when important decisions will be made. This is open to the public so if it is something you are interested in do go along and see how decisions are made.

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CALENDAR

September 2017

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1	Fri	Movie Night	SP Village Hall	17
		200 Club	The Globe	18
2	Sat	Coffee Morning	Higher Chieflowman	23
		Opening of Village Hall Kitchen	SP Village Hall	20
4	Mon	Sampford Singers re-starts	Methodist Church	18
7	Thu	MU Holy Communion	SP Church	11
		Traidcraft lunch	Methodist Schoolroom	11
9	Sat	Breakfast for CHAT	SP Church	44
11	Mon	MU Meeting	SP Church	35
15	Fri	Whist Drive	SP Village Hall	11
16	Sat	Culm Valley Model Railway Show	Willand Village Hall	33
19	Tue	SP Garden Club Meeting	Methodist Schoolroom	29
20	Wed	Linus Project	Methodist Schoolroom	17
21	Thu	Public Meeting- footpaths	UP Village Hall	25
23	Sat	Chernobyl Jumble Sale	SP Village Hall	34
24	Sun	Steam Day	Coldharbour Mill	44
26	Tue	Public Meeting - footpaths	SP Village Hall	15
26	Tue	Inspector's Hearings - Jnt 27	Phoenix House, Tiv	4 &
27	Wed	Inspector's Hearings - Housing	Phoenix House, Tiv	14
29	Sat	Wine Tasting	UP Village Hall	23



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PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT AT HIGHER TOWN - an attempt to bring some clarity

A leaflet like the one below may have been hand-delivered through your letter box recently. Its arrival and its contents have caused some confusion around the village so what follows is an attempt to clarify matters.



Is this leaflet from Mid Devon District Council (MDDC)?

No.

Is MDDC using this leaflet to ask for our views on building on the land at Higher Town?

No.

Who does the leaflet come from?

The two leaflets have come from a private, commercial, group of land developers calling themselves 'Place Land LLP'

Why has Place Land issued this leaflet?

The Place Land group is interested in building houses on the land at Higher Town. They have seen that the fields there have been included as a proposed site for development of 60 houses in MDDC's Local Plan Review (LPR). Even though that proposal may yet be cut from the Plan, Place Land sent out a first leaflet asking local people for their views on building there and a second one saying what Place Land now intends to do.

Has a ‘consultation’ about planning permission started?

No.

Although Place Land says that it has sent MDDC an application to build 84 houses in the fields, MDDC has yet to confirm its arrival. Place Land’s second leaflet rightly says that there is a 28 day consultation period but that only starts when MDDC officially sets it in motion. At the time of writing (21 August), that has not yet happened. No one should respond until the Planning Application is made public.

How will I know when the MDDC consultation on Place Land’s plan has started?

These announcements appear eg in local newspapers and on the MDDC website. Notices are usually posted at the site itself. If the application does not appear within the next month, the Parish News will also keep you informed. Please do respond with your views when that consultation takes place. This could be soon.

What is happening about MDDC’s Local Plan anyhow?

From January to March 2017, hundreds of local people sent in their views on the MDDC Local Plan. An Inspector appointed by the Government is holding hearings in Tiverton on 26-27 September. These will help him decide whether the Plan should go forward with or without the land allocations at Higher Town or at Junction 27. Anyone wanting to listen to how decisions are being made about housing and Junction 27 is free to attend. For details see <https://www.middevon.gov.uk/residents/planning-policy/local-plan-review-examination/>.

Can Place Land apply to build at Higher Town before the Local Plan is agreed or even if the site is not in the Local Plan?

Yes – there is nothing to stop any developer putting in an application to develop any area of land. They need to demonstrate that they meet planning requirements. But, in the absence of a finalised Local Plan, and because MDDC are currently unable to demonstrate that they have issued sufficient planning permissions to guarantee their projected housing need for the next 5 years, a developer can appeal to the Secretary of State if MDDC refuse permission - and they may be successful as the need for housing is a high priority for the government. It is important you express your view (for or against) when you have the opportunity.

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

Nature in balance.

This year we've been especially conscious of the birdsong around the retreat, at times a cacophony of noise, as numerous nesting birds staked their claim to sections of thatch or particular parts of the old barns in our courtyard. How I wish I knew what they were saying! What sounds so cheery might be quite the opposite, a warning to 'keep off my territory'!

We're fortunate to have a wide variety of birds visiting the garden, from common sparrows, to thrushes, jays, wagtails, even, these last two years, that shiest of birds, the kingfisher. The choice of nesting sites is at times surprising. We have filmed a tiny spotted flycatcher who chose to nest in a niche in the stone wall of our parking lot, while a pigeon rather optimistically settled for a cradle formed by some twisted wisteria branches close to our dining room window.

It helps that one member of the household stocks the bird table with copious amounts of seed and fat balls, especially as young come

on the scene. Milder weather, the presence of hedgerows, and farmers who steward their land all helps sustain the balance of nature and diversity of our birds.

Keen birders will be quick to identify the different calls whilst I recognise only a few; to make up for a lack of what is quite basic knowledge we have found an App which will listen to the song for you and tell you which bird it is! Once you've mastered the App all becomes clear as photographs of each bird accompany their song.

Radio 4 gave us a treat recently playing an extraordinary recording of birdsong in ancient woodland on the eastern borders of Poland, where logging has now been outlawed in recognition of the extreme importance of preserving such habitats.

We are due to be visited by someone who leads bird watching retreats on Holy Island and in our telephone conversation he asked me if I knew what the four most-mentioned birds were in the Bible – I did not guess all four correctly, can you? (answer on page 8)

Jane Taylor, Millhouse Retreats

CHURCH NOTICES

Sampford Peverell Team Mission Community

Including the Parishes of *Burlescombe, Halberton, Hockworthy,
Holcombe Rogus, Sampford Peverell and Uplozman*

www.sptmc.org

For service times of all these churches, see next page

Team Rector: Revd Sue Blade 01884 829461

sue.blade@gmail.com

Team Office & Administrator: Mandy Rowley 01884 821879

churchoffice2@btconnect.com

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St John the Baptist Church

Sampford Peverell

Wardens

Vivienne Heeley: 01884 822936

Andy Brown: 01884 820975

St Peter's Church

Uplozman

Wardens

Peter Tremlett: 01884 820048

Pam Holley: 01884 820868

Sampford Peverell Methodist Church

Minister: Rev'd Paul Booth 01884 32679

Stewards

Judy Bolton: 01884 821445

Joan Sweatman: 01884 820609

For services see listings
on the following pages



Messy Church

Next meeting - 27th September, Sampford Peverell

Village Hall, 9.30 - 11.30am

Contact: Steph Packham 07914 246808

Messy Church is organised by the Parish and Methodist Churches

St James RC Church, Old Street, Tiverton

Parish Priest: Fr Paul Rea 01884 252292

Mass is held on **Saturdays** 6pm and **Sundays** 9am

SERVICES FOR SEPTEMBER 2017

Sunday 3rd September – 12th Sunday after Trinity

8.00	Holy Communion (BCP)	Sampford Peverell
9.30	United Holy Communion (CW)	Halberton
11.00	Morning Prayer (BCP)	Burlescombe
11.00	Communion - Methodist Church	Sampford Peverell
11.00	Holy Communion (CW)	Uplozman
18.30	TEAM EVENING PRAYER (BCP) WITH BISHOP SARAH TO LICENCE REVD GLYN LEWRY AS ASSOCIATE PRIEST IN THE TEAM	Holcombe Rogus

Sunday 10th September – 13th Sunday after Trinity

9.30	Morning Prayer (BCP)	Halberton
9.30	All Age Service with Holy Communion	Sampford Peverell
10.00	Thanksgiving for Creation Service followed by Fun Dog Show	Slantycombe Farm, Hockworthy
10.00	Morning Prayer (BCP)	Uplozman
11.00	Holy Communion (CW) and Sunday School	Holcombe Rogus

Sunday 17th September – 14th Sunday after Trinity

9.30	All Age Service	Burlescombe
9.30	Holy Communion (CW)	Sampford Peverell
10.00	United Breakfast Service at Village Hall	Halberton
11.00	All Age Service with Holy Communion	Uplozman
18.30	Evening Prayer with Holy Communion (BCP)	Holcombe Rogus

Sunday 24th September – 15th Sunday after Trinity

8.00	Holy Communion (BCP)	Halberton
9.30	Holy Communion (CW)	Burlescombe
9.30	Messy Church	S P Village Hall
11.00	Celebrating Harvest	Hockworthy
11.00	Morning Prayer (BCP)	Holcombe Rogus
11.00	Harvest Festival - Methodist Church	Sampford Peverell
18.00	4th Sunday Service	Sampford Peverell

Friday 29th September

18.30	Harvest with School, followed by Bring & Share Supper in Hall	Burlescombe
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Sunday 1st October – 16th Sunday after Trinity

8.00	Holy Communion (BCP)	Sampford Peverell
9.30	United Harvest All Age Holy Communion	Halberton
11.00	Celebrating Harvest	Burlescombe
11.00	Holy Communion (CW)	Uplowman
18.30	Evening Prayer (BCP)	Holcombe Rogus

Mid week services

10.00	Holy Communion each Wednesday	Halberton
10.00	Holy Communion each Thursday	Sampford Peverell
	<i>Note BCP = Common Prayer,</i>	
	<i>CW = Common Worship</i>	

READINGS FOR SEPTEMBER

From the Common Worship Lectionary Year A

At Holy Communion: Epistle and Gospel

At Matins and Evensong: Old Testament and Gospel

Sunday 3 Sep 12th Sunday after Trinity GREEN

Old Testament	Jeremiah 15.15 - 21
Epistle	Romans 12.9 - end
Gospel	Matthew 16.21 - end

Sunday 10 Sep 13th Sunday after Trinity GREEN

Old Testament	Ezekiel 33.7 - 11
Epistle	Romans 13.8 - end
Gospel	Matthew 18.15 -20

Sunday 17 Sep 14th Sunday after Trinity GREEN

Old Testament	Genesis 50.15 - 21
Epistle	Romans 14.1 - 12
Gospel	Matthew 18.21 - 35

Sunday 24 Sep 15th Sunday after Trinity GREEN

Old Testament	Jonah 3.10 - end of 4
Epistle	Philippians 1.21- end
Gospel	Matthew 20.1 -16

Birds of the Bible answer - Dove, Eagle, Raven. Owls

SAMPFORD PEVERELL TEAM MISSION COMMUNITY

DIARY - September 2017

Date	Time	Event
Sat 02 Sep	10.30	Uplowman coffee morning, Mary Adcock's
Tue 05 Sep	19.00	Team Choir, Holcombe Rogus (Extra Practice)
Wed 06 Sep	19.00	PCC Meeting, Sampford Peverell
Thu 07 Sep	18.30	Wedding rehearsal, Uplowman
Sat 09 Sep	All day	Devon Historic Churches Day - incorporating Ride and Stride
Sat 09 Sep	9.00 - 10.30	Breakfast in aid of CHAT, St John the Baptist Church, Sampford Peverell
Sat 09 Sep	10.30	Coffee morning, Burlescombe, Peter Walter, Eastbrook
Sat 09 Sep	13.00	Wedding, Uplowman
Sun 10 Sep	11.00	Fun Dog Show, Slantycombe Farm, Hockworthy
Thu 14 Sep	10.30	Coffee Morning Sampford Peverell, Rita Smith, 7 Blackdown View
Sat 16 Sep	10.30	Coffee Morning, Old Corwents, Lower Town, Halberton
Tue 19 Sep	19.00	Team Choir, Sampford Peverell
Wed 20 Sep	11.00	Communications Meeting, Vivienne Heeley's
Wed 20 Sep	19.00	PCC Meeting, Holcombe Rogus
Sat 23 Sep	14.00	Wedding, Sampford Peverell
Thu 28 Sep	19.30	Uplowman PCC, Vera's
Fri 29 Sep	18.30	Burlescombe Harvest with school followed by Bring and Share Supper
Fri 29 Sep	19.30	Wine Tasting, Uplowman Village Hall

See www.sptmc.org for details of these and other events

SAINTS' DAYS AND SPECIAL DAYS FOR SEPTEMBER

Thursday 14 th September	Holy Cross Day
Thursday 21 st September	Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist
Friday 29 th September	Michael and All Angels

DEVON HISTORIC CHURCHES DAY - 9TH SEPTEMBER 2017
INCORPORATING THE NATIONAL RIDE AND STRIDE FOR
CHURCHES

Have a fun day out visiting some of Devon's glorious churches and chapels. If you are interested in 'Riding' or 'Striding' and want sponsorship forms contact:

Brenda Hazelton on 01884 829225

SAMPFORD PEVERELL METHODIST CHURCH

A big "THANK YOU"

to all who came to our afternoon Cream Tea on Friday August 4th.

Although this was a free tea, we received £93 in donations!

Thank you to all for your generous monetary gifts.

We are glad to be able to give the proceeds to the
EAST AFRICA FAMINE RELIEF FUND

HARVEST FESTIVAL

24th SEPTEMBER

Followed by SOUP, CHEESE & PUDDING LUNCH

ALL are most welcome to join us.

No charge but any donations will be sent to the
FARMING COMMUNITY NETWORK



ST JOHN THE BAPTIST FLOWER ROTA - SEPTEMBER 2017

3rd Lesley Findlay

10th Alison Davenport,

17th Alison Davenport

23rd Wedding Nicholas and Jessica

1st October

Flowers from wedding.

Angela tel 820212



**Sampford Peverell and
Uplowman Branch**

SEPTEMBER 2017

Thursday 7th September

Corporate Holy Communion 10am
in St John the Baptist Church.

Next meeting:

Monday 11th September

Holy Communion with Revd. Keith
Gale.

Also in St John the Baptist Church.

If anyone in the Villages or
surrounding area would like to join
our very friendly Branch or come to
one of the meetings, you will be
made very welcome.

Just phone Brenda Hazelton on
01884 829225



TRAIDCRAFT
Fighting poverty through trade

**TRAIDCRAFT SALE
AND CHARITY LUNCH**

*We extend a warm welcome to our
next sale on Thursday 7th*

*September in the Methodist
Schoolroom.*

Coffee will be served from 11.00
a.m. and light lunches from noon
until 2.00 p.m.

The total sale of Traidcraft goods for
August amounted to £190.73

We received £96.00 in donations
from the Charity Lunch, which have
been sent to Devon Freewheelers.

*Thanks to your very generous
support during the last Methodist
financial year (Sept'16 to August'17)
donations received from the lunches
amounting to £1,467.50 were sent
to a variety of charities.*

Sales of Traidcraft goods £3277.56

*We meet on the first Thursday of
each month and the October event
will be held on Thursday 5th.*

COFFEE MORNING

First Wednesday of each month

10am to 12pm at

Halberton Methodist Church

** Fairtrade coffee * homemade cakes and scones*

St John the Baptist's Church



Coffee Morning Report

As always, many thanks to our hostess, Jean Mallock, for the morning. She gave us a warm welcome and as, again, it was a beautiful summer morning, the outside seating was very popular. Those of a less hardy nature stayed indoors and made sure the coffee, tea, biscuits and cake were prepared and handed round. Numbers were a little down but all seemed to go with a swing and there was chatting both inside and out. The garden was admired and we all sympathised with the fact that weeds seem not to mind a dry spell and just carry on as normal. Many thanks to Jean again and monies raised were gratefully received by the Treasurer.

Next month we shall be just down the road at Rita Smith's, 7 Blackdown View.

Thursday, 14th September.

I, for one, am always impressed by the well-maintained gardens all our hosts seem to open to us and, despite all the weeding, mowing etc., give the impression it is all a doddle! Must ask how they do it. See you all in September

Brenda Hazelton



Cafe in the Church

Sampford Peverell

Every Wednesday

2:30 to 4 pm

Come and have coffee, tea and cake - and catch up with local news inside our historical church building.

ALL WELCOME

THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT

Jenny and Jeff Parsons and family would like to thank all their friends for their wonderful kindness and support during the last five weeks.

Jeff has particularly appreciated the hospital visits which have helped to break up the long days and kept him in touch with the village.

Thank you too for all the offers of help Jenny has received.

Jenny Parsons

BREAKFAST IN AID OF 'CHAT'

Come along and enjoy a

BREAKFAST

in the

PARISH CHURCH, SAMPFORD PEVERELL

Saturday 9th September, 9.00 – 10.30am

Continental choice £3.50

Full English £6.00

To reserve your place, please contact

Mandy Rowley

01884 799011



SAMPFORD PEVERELL TEAM MISSION COMMUNITY

You are warmly invited to

**A SPECIAL SERVICE TO REMEMBER AND GIVE THANKS FOR
FRIENDS AND FAMILY WHO HAVE DIED**



This service welcomes everyone, of all faiths and none, who would like to remember someone special who has died, whether recently or long ago. It will include music, periods for quiet reflection and opportunities to light candles. Refreshments will be served after the service for anyone wishing to stay.

WHEN: All Souls' Tide – Sunday 29th October at 10:30am

WHERE: St Peter's Church, Uplowman, EX16 7DW

SAMPFORD COMMUNITY

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

There are various meetings and items of news which will be of interest to parishioners.

- **Advance Notice.** There will be a **Public Meeting** on **4th October** to discuss Community Affordable Housing in our village. Presentation will be given by Steve Watson, Wessex Community Housing Project. Further details will follow in October's issue and on the Parish Website and posters.
- We have been advised that work will be starting **early September** on the new junction on A361 dual carriage way, linking the new Tiverton Eastern Town Development. Presumably some traffic delays will be inevitable.
- The planning inspector is holding a **Public Hearing 26/27 September** into the Mid Devon Local Plan. Your Parish Council will be making representations at this along with other invited objectors.
- **26 September**, a **Public Meeting** in village hall concerning public rights of way review and Station Road improvements. (See next page)

MAGAZINE DELIVERY IN BOOBERY (*Higher Town end*) and Coot Hide

The Parish News Team would like to record our gratitude to Lorna Davey who has delivered the magazine in the above area for a number of years. Thank you, Lorna, and good luck in your new career! The time has come when Lorna needs to give up this particular duty and so a successor has to be found. The round consists of 24 front doors at present. The magazine goes out twelve times a year in the last few days of each month. Once a year it is a bit more demanding when

subscriptions for the following year have to be collected in. Would one of our readers please consider joining our merry band of deliverers? If you would like to discuss this, please ring me on 799011 or e-mail me on christopherrowley@uwclub.net

Christopher Rowley, Distribution Manager

**You are invited to a
PARISH PUBLIC MEETING**

On Tuesday 26th September 2017

at 7.00 pm

in the Committee Room,

Sampford Peverell Memorial (Village) Hall

There will be two presentations:

A review of *public rights of way* in the Parish of Sampford Peverell which is now being undertaken by DCC; presentation by Mrs. Tania Weeks, Public Rights of Way Officer.

This will be followed by

A presentation on the *Station Road/Lower Town Improvement Scheme* (pavement and street lighting improvements) by Ian Sorenson, Planning Officer, DCC.

There will be opportunities for questions and discussion after each of the presentations



For further information on any of the above contact either:
David Cutts 821582 or Chrissie Holland 829144 (SP Parish Councillors)



Project ♥ Linus

Providing Security Through Blankets

QUILTS FOR PROJECT LINUS

Methodist Schoolroom 09:30 to 12:30

Wednesdays

Sept 20th Oct 25th Nov 22nd

New members always welcome.

Thanks to a very generous donation from the Community Compost Group, we are well-funded for supplies and no longer need to charge for attending.

Please contact Grace to book your place on 01884 820905
or by email gracebrown@aol.com

Sampford Peverell Society

— discovering our heritage —



ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Guest Speaker: **Janet Few** on
"Uproar and Disorder: the Impact of the
Bible Christians in North Devon"

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13 7.30pm

VILLAGE HALL

Usual Refreshments

Everyone Welcome



MOVIE NIGHTS

**OUR NEXT MOVIE NIGHT
IS ON
FRIDAY 1st SEPTEMBER**

Our next Movie Night presentation is on Friday 1st September and, as I am not allowed to tell you the name of the film, you will have to have a stab in the dark at guessing it, although I'm sure you will get it as quick as a shot.

We have a hilarious evening ahead in what is rated as the very best of the Inspector Clouseau series, starring Peter Sellers as the incomparable and incompetent French detective. The hapless detective's blundering investigations are continually hindered by his Kung Fu servant, Kato (Burt Kwouk), and his insane boss (Herbert Lom) trying to kill him at every opportunity.

The film is full of classic comic lines and brilliant scenes of joyful mayhem and disaster and will send you home smiling all the way.

Doors open at 7pm and the film starts at 7.30pm. Refreshments and treats are available from the KIOSK.

Watch out for the publicity and for more information ring 820035

CALLING ALL SINGERS!

The Sampford Singers' Autumn 'Term' starts next month.

COME AND JOIN US

We're a friendly group of strictly amateur singers – not all of whom read music! We meet on **Monday evenings, from 7.30 to 9.00**, at the **Methodist Chapel in Higher Town**.



We'll be **starting on September 4** – preparing for our annual Concert in December (date tba).

If you haven't sung with us – or with any other group – before, come and give us a try. We don't hold auditions – you know whether you can sing or not; and even if you think you can't, you probably can!!

It's not free, of course – we do pay a subscription to cover costs – but if after your first session you decide it's 'not for you', it won't cost you anything. Don't worry if you can't make the first practice – just come along to the next one.

We're looking forward to meeting you!

VILLAGE HALL

200-CLUB RESULTS for August



1st Prize	£40 No. 78	Kate Burton
2nd Prize	£30 No.182	Emma Brown
3rd Prize	£20 No. 53	Ian Adlington

Next Draw: Friday, 1st September, 7.00pm at The Globe Inn.

SAMPFORD PEVERELL VILLAGE HALL

GOOD NEWS !!

**Help us CELEBRATE the New Kitchen & Upgraded and Redecorated
Cloakroom Facilities by joining us for a**

FREE GLASS OF FIZZ and/or CREAM TEA (£3.50)

Saturday 2nd September between 3.00 and 5.00

THE BIG LITTER PICK

The Parish Council will be holding its next Big Litter Pick on **Saturday 14th October** and is once again looking for volunteers to assist – the more the merrier. We will be meeting in the village car park at 9.30am aiming to be finished by 10.30 for tea/coffee. Please join us if you have a couple of hours to spare.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank our band of regular litter pickers who clear their own areas of the village whenever they are able.



Tracy Leaman

Apples in the Community Orchard

Between the tennis courts and the Canal, on part of the area known as the Picnic Ground, a small orchard was planted up. Over the last few years, the previously neglected trees have been tended by the Tree Wardens, such that some of them are now bearing fruit. There are apples, Siberian crab apples (intended for the birds!) and some plums (which aren't doing very well). So, this year it's just apples! As the fruit is for the benefit of the Community, any resident may go there and pick some. So please do go and help yourself.

PB



In the Village Hall

Tuesdays 9:45 to 11:30 am
(term time only)

Cost: £1.50 per family
(includes refreshments)

*A voluntary group serving the
local community.*



<http://toddlers.sampfordpeverell.com>

Any enquiries, please phone Jacqui Budgell 01884 820106

Halberton Baby & Toddler Group

<https://sites.google.com/site/halbertonmethodistchurch/toddlers>

Thursdays 10:00 to 11:30 / Contact Pauline White 01884 829501
Halberton Methodist Church EX16 7AF

WHIST DRIVES 2017

Fridays, starting at 7.30 pm

15 September 20 October

17 November 15 December

Cost £2.00 with Prizes and a Raffle

More details required?

Ring Brenda Hazelton 01884 829225

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED PLEASE

**To assist with the organising of these fund raising Whist Drives
each month so that these enjoyable events can continue.**



SAMPFORD PEVERELL AND DISTRICT TWINNING ASSOCIATION

www.sampevtwin.weebly.com

As I write this we have just returned from a wonderful visit to our French friends in Notre Dame de Courson and surrounding villages. As we are now (sadly) not too many "Twinners", we travelled in four private cars. Sometimes we met up together en route by design, and sometimes we stopped at the same place for refreshment quite by chance, but all arrived for the reception at Notre Dame de Courson on Friday evening on time.



Our French friends greeted us with drinks and loads of nibbles (we struggled to do them justice) and, of course, with a very warm welcome. We spent Saturday with our host families visiting many different and interesting places. French markets are always popular with our people, displaying lots of mouth-watering goodies. And in the evening we all met up together with our hosts and, seemingly, most other village residents too, for dinner and dancing in the Village Hall. This event was part of an annual celebration for St Christophe, which continued in various ways throughout the weekend.



On Sunday morning we visited Blanc Buisson chateau at St Pierre du Mesnil, where we were shown round by the resident owner and also by Pierre and Annick (French twinners) in mediaeval costume. Those of our number who were staying with Pierre and Annick also arrived dressed for the part –

very elegant, though Richard did seem to find his chain-mail a bit of a challenge!



We returned to Notre Dame de Courson for a light lunch out of doors, and a chance to view the stalls set up for the festival of St Christophe, and also a display of tractors in the adjacent field.

For the evening we all went to Gilbert and Michèle's home for a splendid barbecue, enjoyed by all ages, and finished by watching the festival fireworks.

On Monday it was off to Cambremer to visit the distillery – cider, pommeau and calvados – with an excellent guided tour and tasting. After lunch in the local “creperie” we spent a very pleasant afternoon wandering in the beautiful and extensive gardens.

That evening there was a lot of eating, drinking and partying in the homes of our hosts. It's a good job we weren't leaving until 10 o'clock in the morning!

With Tuesday morning it was “au revoir” with some sadness. Old friendships have been renewed and new friendships made. How important that is in the changing times we live in.



Jenny Worsfold

UPLOWMAN COMMUNITY



ST PETER'S CHURCH

See Church Pages for Service days and times

COFFEE MORNING



Mary Adcock is having a coffee morning at Higher Chieflowman, Uplozman on **Saturday 2nd September** 10.30 -12 o'clock.

Cakes, Table Top, Raffle,
For church funds



Wine Tasting Evening

September 29th

7.30pm

Uplozman Village Hall

Teams of four

**£6 per head including cheeseboard
supper**

In aid of Uplozman Church funds.

For more details please ring Pam 01884820868



**October 13th - Harvest service and
supper**

FORTHCOMING EVENTS IN UPLOWMAN

November 5th

Firework Night.



November 10th

Barn Dance with Lucy Lastic.

Uplowman Village Hall

New Year's Eve.

Party on.

£5 per head. Bring and share food.

Bring own tipple

Uplowman Village Hall

News from Uplowman Parish Council

The holidays are nearly over and we hope that you enjoyed a good break wherever you may have been.

There has been no parish council meeting this month so there is little to report. One item coming up on the Agenda for our next meeting on 21 September will be the footpath review. Devon County Council is conducting a review of footpaths in Uplowman and will make a presentation before our PC meeting for discussion. (See next page) If this is a subject close to your heart then please come along and have your say!

Our next meeting will be on Thursday 21st September, starting in the Hall at 7.30pm with the DCC presentation and any matters you may wish to raise.

From the Clerk, Uplowman Parish Council, Lower Beer, Uplowman, Tiverton EX16 7PF
Tel 01884-821239 Web: <https://parish.middevon.gov.uk/uplowman>

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN

**FOOTPATHS, BRIDLEWAYS,
RESTRICTED BYWAYS & BYWAYS**

IN THE PARISH OF UPLOWMAN

A review of public rights of way in the Parish of
Uplowman is now being undertaken by
Devon County Council

**You are invited to a
PARISH PUBLIC MEETING
On Thursday 21st September 2017
at 7.30 pm
in the Village Hall,
Uplowman EX16 7DP**

A short talk will be given about the Definitive Map of
Public Rights of Way and how changes can be made
followed by questions and discussion.



For further information contact Mrs Tanis Weeks, Public Rights of Way Officer,
Definitive Map Review, Devon County Council, Telephone: 01392 382833
Email: pro@devon.gov.uk

SPORT & LEISURE

These pages and some of the ads at the back of the magazine show what a wide variety of sporting and exercise activities there are, either in Sampford or Uplowman, or nearby.

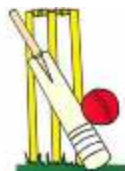
If you want to see everything that is on offer go to the Sampford Peverell website -at <http://www.sampfordpeverell.org.uk> and click on Facilities.

HALBERTON AND SANDFORD PEVERELL CRICKET HOME CRICKET FIXTURES - SEPTEMBER 2017

September

Sat 2nd 1st XI Axminster

*All league fixtures 1.00pm start
Evening games 6.00pm start*



CYCLING GROUP

Do you wonder what to do with yourself on a Wednesday afternoon? Do you feel you need some exercise? Would you like to see more of our beautiful Devon countryside?

If you answer yes to any of the above then the cycling group could be for you!

We are a friendly group who meet up on a **Wednesdays at 2 pm** outside the **church**, cycle for 2 hours and then quench our thirst at the local pub.

We cater for all levels, so if you haven't cycled much it is not a problem. You just need a bicycle and a helmet and a willingness to enjoy yourself.

If you are interested, either be there at the church at 2pm or phone Gill or Pete on 01884 820256.



SAMPFORD PEVERELL TENNIS CLUB



League match update

The summer league matches are now drawing to a close.

At the time of writing the current league tables show:

Mens' A	Mid table in division 1– currently 3rd
Mens' B	Mid table in division 2
Ladies' A	Relegation zone in division 3 – last match will decide whether 6 th /7 th
Ladies' B	Division 6 – 8 th position
Mixed	Staying in division 1

The final match of the summer season is on 12 September which is a ladies' A match to decide which league they are playing in next year.

Winter league matches start next month, with one mixed and one ladies team.

2017/18 membership

If you would like to join please pick up a form from the clubhouse or email Rachel Jasinska: racheljasinska@hotmail.com

Junior subscriptions start from only £15 and adults from £40 per annum. This provides access to the courts throughout the year as well as coaching at a lower price.

Monday evenings are our club evening, so feel free to join us for some social doubles. Saturday afternoons from 2:30pm are also club social tennis.

Andrea Norris – World Championships Water Polo

Our ladies captain, Andrea Norris, has been competing in the World Championships 45+ water polo in Budapest during August, playing for the 'English Roses'.

Tennis coaching

Tennis coaching sessions are on Monday afternoon/evening term-time for both children and adults. For further details, speak to Dan Sizer of DSC Tennis Coaching Ltd on 07951 828760 or see further details on Facebook.

For further information on the club

Phone: Tim Roberts (01884 821432) or Heather Britton (01884 821587).



Uffculme Table Tennis Club

We would like to extend a welcome to residents of Sampford Peverell who would like to play table tennis at the Uffculme Table Tennis Club.

We play at Magelake village hall in Uffculme

- 10.30 to 12.30 on the second Saturday of each month
- 7 to 9 pm on the fourth Thursday of each month.

£1 a time. Refreshments available. 3 tables.

Ann Hill 01884 849067 / annhill@uwclub.net

Are you a Badminton player?

Are you an experienced player, perhaps new to the area or maybe wanting to return to the game after a break?



Culm Valley Badminton Club is looking for new members who would like to play non-league badminton for 2 hours on Thursday evenings (7 to 9 pm).

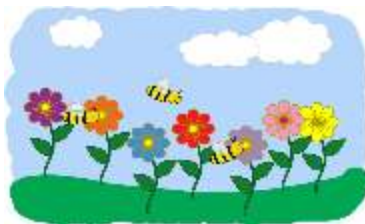
We play at the excellent Sports Hall at Uffculme School, using feathered shuttles.

For more details, ring Peter Bowers on 01884 820256 or email peterbowers88@btinternet.com

Gardening & Sustainability

SAMPFORD PEVERELL & DISTRICT GARDEN CLUB

At the next Garden Club meeting on Tuesday 19th September, **Gavin Haig will be giving a talk entitled "The Healing Garden"**



Visitors and guests, or new members will be made most welcome. The meeting takes place at The Methodist School Room, Higher Town, Sampford Peverell, and starts at 7.30pm.

Members – remember to bring a lovely flower from your garden for the "Flower of the Month" competition.

Also if you have any surplus plants, cuttings or seeds that you would like to share with your fellow gardeners, please bring them along.

There is just one more **Garden Club Outing** this year.

On **Saturday 7th October** there will be a trip to **COLETON FISHACRE** at Kingswear.

Cost ; Coach – Garden Club members £9.00 - Non members £11.00.

This is a National Trust Property so NT members will have free entry. Non NT members £0.25 (Group rate) This is for entrance to **House and Gardens**

There are still a few places left on this trip. All are welcome.

To book or for more information phone **Sue on 01884 821226** or email sueevans2005@yahoo.co.uk

If you are already booked on this trip could you please now pay to either Sue, details above,

or to Alan Perkins at Halberton, tel. 01884 820869. (Cheques can be sent, payable to "Sampford Peverell Garden Club", or money can be collected.

The coach (Forward Coaches) will pick up at Sampford Peverell car park (opp. Village Hall) at 9.00am, Halberton Village Hall at 9.10, and Tiverton Bus station at 9.20am.

HAPPY GARDENING !



All Garden Club members receive a 10% discount on all gardening purchases at The Old Well Garden Centre (Just show your yellow membership card).

SAMPFORD PEVERELL WALKING GROUP

Eleven adults and four dogs assembled by the canal in Burlescombe for a 5.75mile circular walk. A brief stroll to the park led us on to the dismantled tram track which in the past carried stone from the quarry to the rail station. At the end of this track we crossed the road to head towards the ruin of Canonsleigh Priory, an Augustinian Nunnery. This footpath took us to Fenacre bridge where again crossing the road we followed the direction of the canal walking across several fields to Whipcott Farm. Signage here for the path to Holcombe Rogus proved tricky for the leaders when checking the route but we eventually found the correct course for the group to take.

Before reaching the 13th Century church at Holcombe Rogus where we ate lunch, we negotiated a short, steep hill, two horses blocking the gate - thank you Simon – and a gentle slope down onto the village.

Walking out of the village beside the Prince of Wales pub, which is only open a few hours a week, we crossed fields and streams back to Fenacre Bridge where the canal footpath took us back to Burlescombe.

All eleven adults and 4 dogs enjoyed this gentle ramble back to the cars and a short drive home.

Next walk is Sunday September 3rd. Please call Gill or Pete for more information on 820256.

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Recycle Items for Free is run by the TACT (Tiverton Area Community Transition). It is a way of recycling unwanted things for free. If you have anything you wish to have recycled to a good home then let me know and I will advertise it with your telephone number in the local parish magazines. NB If you don't find a new home for your things let me know and I will put it in again the next month. If I don't hear anything I will assume it has new owners. Please let me know when you find what you are looking for in the **wanted** column.



My number is **01884 820256** or email: tactdevon@gmail.com **note new email address**

Free to collect

Folding bed, single, suitable for occasional guests.....	01884 820035
Eckman Electric Hedge Trimmer surplus to requirements. Almost unused, has an owner's manual.	01884254744
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Table top dishwasher (3 wks old, not suitable for their use).....	01884 821805

Wanted

Flat screen monitor.....	01884 820035
Duplo Lego & Wooden Brio Train Track.....	01884 829206
Rubble for foundations for a shed base.	01884 821363
Any board games for any age COMPLETE, to be used at the TIVERTON ON BOARD, Thursday's in the Tiverton Pannier Market 11 – 2	alliesgroup1@gmail.com
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Folding garden chairs to sit round a table. Happy to collect.....	01884 820385
Plastic compost bin	01884 253115
Adult bicycle.....	07871 132016
Stainless steel single or double drainer	01884 820545
Tamper, for stamping down soil.....	01884 250395

Sampford School would like:

Timber- usable lengths from 1 metre upwards of: - 6x1 gravel board - and 3x3 fence post
Cold frames or cloches;
Water butt, stand and fittings David on 07741457955 and leave a message.

Please visit our website to see what else we are up to
www.sampfordpeverellanddistrictsustainablevillages.btck.co.uk

TACT (Tiverton Area Communities Transition)

Autumn Timetable

- **Sept 2nd.** An Introductory talk on Medical Herbalism by Helen Kearney 2-5pm at Helen's smallholding, Elder Farm, Greenham. Please email tactdevon@gmail.com to book.
- **Sept 9th** Grubs Up! at St George's Hall Fore Street Tiverton. Lunch is served at 12.30pm. Volunteers welcome from 11am. Contact; grubsup@gmail.com FB @grubsuptiverton
- **Sept 28th.** 'Our Energy Future' talk by Simon Tytherleigh - 7.30pm. Venue to be confirmed.
- **Sept 30th** - Day trip to Proper Job FB @proper.job.3, Chagford. Please RSVP tactdevon@gmail.com
- **Oct 7th** Grubs Up! at St George's Hall Fore Street Tiverton (as above) includes apple pressing on front lawn.
- **Oct 14th.** Repair Cafe in Bradninch 10am - 12am
- **Oct 28th.** Apple Day at Sampford Peverell Village Hall. 11am - 3pm
- **Nov 14th - 18th** Give & Take 10am - 3pm at the CreaTiv Hub Fore Street Tiverton
- **Nov 26th** Film showing of "We, the Uncivilised" at Heathcoats Hall, Tiverton 7pm www.wetheuncivilised.org

COMPOSTING

Sampford Peverell Community Composting will be open on Saturday mornings 10am - 12 noon until further notice. Please remember to sort green garden waste into "soft" or "woody" and ensure the roots are not included.

Additional Opening

During the summer months there will be an additional opening time on **Wednesday evenings from 6.00pm** for about 2 hours.

Any problems, ring Bernie O'Connell on 07773 560123

Out and About

TIVERTON MUSEUM EVENTS

www.tivertonmuseum.org.uk

Follow the Mini Brick Trail around the museum this summer. Explore the museum and find the building block toys to discover our displays in a fun new way. There are also building play zones for all ages to enjoy.



Saturday 8th July to Saturday 28th October 2017. Normal museum admission applies (adults £5, accompanied kids go free)*

For further information go to website or call 01884 256295

CULM VALLEY MODEL RAILWAY CLUB SHOW

SATURDAY 16th SEPTEMBER at WILLAND VILLAGE HALL.

Open 10am - 4.30pm. Cost: adults £4.00 & children. £1.50

Bring your children (or let your children bring you) to let them have a drive of their favourite engines on our scenic Soldor model railway. The little blue engine and his chums will be whizzing around the tracks driven by children (& adults) at our 9th Model Railway Show. There are 2 controllers so 2 children at a time can drive & there are also sidings for the older kids who would like to use their skill at shunting.

For the younger ones push buttons allow them to drive the tram engine into a tunnel & then watch it come back from a different tunnel.

Hot /cold food and drink available. Free parking and wheelchair access

For further information about the show or the club visit our webpage www.cvmrc.co.uk or phone Malc Trump on 01884 840369 or myself, Peter Fosberry on 01884 821811.



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band, food stalls and the bar from midday. For further information please
contact Muddifords Court Country House. Look forward to seeing in you there.

Keep up to date with info by liking the Muddifords Court & Wykes face book page.

Sampford Play Park Opens

Sunday 6th August 2017, saw the official opening of the new Sampford Peverell Play Park. Many villagers gathered, young and old, to celebrate the 12 month campaign to raise £95,000 and build a natural wood play park, creating a much improved environment for all the family including: a zip wire, large net swing, climbing structures, tunnel, toddler swings, slides, seating and more, built by Devon based company Earth Wrights.

The day was celebrated with cakes, refreshments, games and music by local band The Wasp and the Apple. The ribbon was cut by a representative from main funder Viridor Credits and Chair of Devon County Council, Cllr Ray Radford, a big supporter of the Appeal.

Gareth Williams, Operations Manager at Viridor Credits, said “it was an honour to be asked to cut the ribbon on Sunday and I would like to congratulate Katie, Alix and Janet on their hard work in delivering a fantastic play park.”

Cllr Ray Radford, said, “A thoroughly enjoyable day, we were blessed with good weather and the number of children and people that turned up to witness this opening, was as a result of tremendous work that has gone on over the recent months to secure funding from Viridor Credits and other donors. This site has been transformed out of all recognition from the tired site as it was before. The facilities that are now in place will be serviceable and available for many years for this community. We all owe a state of gratitude to Katie, Alix, Janet and all the volunteers who have made this happen”

This project was made possible thanks to an £80,720 grant from Viridor Credits and £15,000 raised through a number of Trusts, Community Groups, individuals and events run by a small group of local volunteers. The group will continue to support the park with funds needed for ongoing maintenance and insurance.



***Cutting the ribbon to mark the official opening of the
Sampford Play Park***



Freetriking the Canal from Sampford

A Stroke Survivor's Experience

For people with disabilities, it is sometimes hard to find rehabilitation activities that improve morale and provide exercise.

Earlier in August Tom Pales of Freetrike met up with me at Sampford Peverell for a 2 hour outing along the towpath of the Grand Western Canal to Burlescombe and back. Tom has special permission to take his clients under the canal bridges. He uses a loud bell and has trained Sophie the Labrador to run



Tom Pales and Kevin Butler accessing the tow path from Sampford Peverell car park.

through first to check all is clear. Other two wheel cyclists are asked to dismount and walk.

I survived a severe stroke a year ago, which disabled most of the left side of my body. Over the past few months Tom's service has been a significant part of my rehabilitation. I now have some limited movement in my left leg that enables me to pedal the recumbent trike - and it's so comfortable - almost like cycling in a deckchair.

My left arm is still paralysed but I can control the trike's steering, brakes and gears with my right hand, which was unaffected by the stroke. I have no issue with balance which of course would be a problem if I tried to resume two wheeled cycling (which used to be a favourite pastime).

Freetrike Tom has helped me to re-discover the wonderful trails along the



Bridging the gap!

Exe Estuary (near where I live in East Devon), and now along the Grand Western Canal where the landscape and scenery is just fantastic.

The trikes are easy to use and, on the cycle trails, very safe. Tom always comes equipped with a thermos of tea and a packet of biscuits and cake so there are other pleasures besides the cycling and scenery.

Kevin Butler



Homeward Bound

For more on Freetrike, see their web page: www.freetrike.co.uk

Uplowman Vintage Car Rally

The sun shone on the many people who enjoyed the Uplowman Car Rally on Sunday 13th August. As usual there was the large display of cars and tractors from the last one hundred years - all looking in pristine condition.





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Industrial Abstract Art – a work in progress by local artist Neill Elliss-Brookes – intriguing recycling of factory artifacts!

Forthcoming events -

16th September 2017 – Coffee Morning at Uffculme Village Hall.

24th September 2017 – Steam Day. Open 10.30am-4pm with 100-year-old engines in steam from 11am! Displays of Model Railways & Dolls Houses, early textile machinery, the Puttee Story, the Millennium Tapestry. Special attractions for this Steam Day include vintage transport and the Tiverton Town Band.

18th October 2017 – Quiz night at Uffculme Village Hall. Our usual great quiz courtesy of Peter Walter and supper. Admission £6 per person, please ring Jenny on 01884 243071 to book a table. Please bring your own soft or alcoholic drinks, tea/coffee will be provided with the supper

The Friends always need more members for their Committee. and to join us in supporting the Mill. Interested? Contact Jenny on 01884 243071.

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the village's own 'good neighbour' scheme,

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29 Lower Town, Sampford Peverell, Tiverton, Devon EX16 7BJ

Surgery: 01884 820304

Doctor John Kekwick, Doctor Susan Tat, Doctor Fiona Black

Surgery Opening Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

8.30 am - 1 pm and from 2 - 6 pm

Wednesday

8.30 am - 1 pm The surgery is **closed Wednesday afternoon.**

If you need to contact the surgery urgently between 1 pm and 2 pm then please phone College Surgery, Cullompton on 01884 831300.

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To use this service you will need to register first by calling in at the surgery.

Wheelchair

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For out of hours advice call 111 or 999 in an emergency

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