

# Lewannick, Polyphant & Trevadlock Newsletter

## More cold weather on the cards?

According to the MET office there is a strong chance of cold spells and more snow in the south, despite roses and primroses flowering in my garden. Hopefully our roads will be better prepared next time!

Don't forget to support the Pantomime which is the result of many hours of hard work by everyone involved. Tickets have already sold out for Friday and Saturday.

I've had lots of positive feedback about a film society so the next stage will be a trial showing, hopefully in February, in Lewannick Village Hall - date in the next newsletter.

I hope you have a happy and healthy new year.

David

### LEWANNICK PARISH COUNCIL

We met at Lewannick Village Hall on Thursday 15 December when the following matters were discussed.

Planning applications which were supported were Rose Cottage, Polyphant, listed building consent for the erection of a replacement shed: 10 Medrow, Alterations and demolition of existing garage and erection of extensions to existing bungalow. We have written to NDCD requesting a site meeting regarding the erection of a hydrotherapy unit at Bowden Derra prior to making our comments. We had invoices for payment for David Eno (newsletter) £35, BJV Cleaning of bus shelter £22, Perfect Pastures £723.80 (grass maintenance) and £129.25 for the maintenance of our footpaths.

Our next meeting will be held on Wednesday 18 January at 8pm. The meeting will be held at POLYPHANT VILLAGE HALL. Parishioners are always welcome to attend and if any parishioners have any concerns in which we may be able to assist we would be pleased to help. Please contact our Chairman on 01566 86793. We wish you all a peaceful and happy 2006.

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CASHBACK

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Sun, 9 am - 12 noon

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Snow in Lewannick on 25th November 2005. Photo: David Eno

### LEWANNICK AMATEUR DRAMATIC SOCIETY

PRESENTS

Their 57th Annual Pantomime.

## ROBIN HOOD and BABES in the WOOD

January 11, 12, 13, 14th  
7.30 pm Lewannick Village Hall.

Tickets bookable from

E.Randall 782445 or H.Kingdon 86526.

Proceeds to Cornish Blind Charities,  
Cornish Macmillan Nurses and Lewannick Village Hall.

LIMITED SEATS AVAILABLE ON THE DOOR:  
BOOK EARLY TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT:

**FRIDAY & SATURDAY SOLD OUT**

#### PARKING:

When parking please observe the rights of way through the Village Hall car park to avoid having to move your car during the performance.

# Village Hall News

## Annual Pantomime

January 11,12,13,14th at 7.30 pm

Please support Lewannick's 57th Annual Pantomime, **Robin Hood and Babes in the Wood**, which this year is in aid of Cornish Blind Charities, Cornish Macmillan Nurses and the Village Hall. Hopefully this will help us to finish paying for the improvements to the hall, including redecoration, which we hope to complete by the spring.

## Jumble Sale - advance notice

We are planning to hold a jumble sale in March - date in next newsletter - in aid of a new lawnmower for the churchyard. Anyone wishing to donate jumble can leave it at Joy White's - Bovetown Farm or Ken and Betty White's - Glebelands. Thank you.

## Paper recycling

Don't forget to use the paper bank in the Village Hall car park. This provides over £500 per year for village hall funds.

For further information about all Village Hall events or to book the Hall for your own event call Margo on 782 767.

## Gardening Club

(No January meeting)

Wednesday 1st February  
Talk on garden design.



Lewannick Village Hall 7.30pm

ALL WELCOME - £1 on the door

Enquiries phone Tim Ellis on 01566 86641

## Recycling collections:

JANUARY: Lewannick, Polyphant and Trevadlock Hall Park, Tuesday 10th & 24th. Trevadlock Village, Tuesday 3rd, 17th & 31st.

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## LEWANNICK CHURCH NEWS AND DIARY DATES FOR JANUARY

### Sunday Services at St Martin's Church

Sun 1 Holy Communion 9.30am  
Sun 8 Group Eucharist Service at Lezant with Bishop Roy

See Church notice board for further services.

## Monthly Coach Trip

The next trip will be to Truro, Thursday 19 January, cost £6.00. For bookings or more details contact June Smith on 782901.

## Whitmans weather

Well here we are at the end of another 'Weather Year' (although it's actually Christmas Eve as I put finger to keyboard) and it's dry! I'll settle for more of that please as we enter 2006!

Perhaps someone out there has made a New Year's Resolution to afford more support to their Parish Newsletter by taking over this regular weather spot. I would be delighted to hear from you whoever you are!!

Back to the plot! What can I report of interest about the weather during the last month and over the year as a whole?

Well, to start with, my records show that the last 30 days have been equally divided between wet and dry. The rainfall for the period has totalled just less than 4.5 inches which surprisingly but interestingly, is exactly the same as in April and August.

The total rainfall for 2005 is a mere 49.75 inches which is noticeably less than the annual average of 54 inches over the last five years. 2001 was right on the button at 54 inches whilst 2002 was a little on the damp side at 66.5 inches! 2003 on the other hand was remarkably dry at only 40.5 inches with the figure climbing back up to 58.5 inches for 2004.

So what can we deduce from these statistics? (All answers on a postcard please to the Editor!) Personally, I'm not sure, other than to say that the weather in Cornwall is unpredictable and that 2005 hasn't been too bad after all then?

As for 2006; well the foregoing pattern would suggest that we could be in for another wet one, which reminds me - I must order a new pair of wellies !!!

And on that note; may I WISH ALL READERS THE VERY BEST FOR 2006 - whatever the weather!!

Steve Whitman

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## METHODIST CHURCH PREACHERS AND EVENTS FOR JANUARY

Superintendent Minister

Rev. Roger Green - Tel: 01566 782240

### Polyphant Morning Service 10.30 am (unless otherwise stated)

Sun 1 Margaret Horrell  
Sun 8 Andrew Lyle  
Sun 15 Rev. Roger Greene  
Sun 22 Philip Medland  
Sun 29 George Bickle

### Lewannick Morning Service 11.00 am in the Village Hall

Sun 1 David Venning  
Sun 8 Elaine Cox (at Trewanta Hall)  
Sun 15 At Polyphant (Covenant Service)  
Sun 22 Margaret Horrell  
Sun 29 Wenda Gilbert

### December Events:

Wed 11 Coffee Morning 10.30 - 11.30 a.m. In the Church Hall

### Thanks to residents and friends

The congregation at Polyphant would like to thank fellow residents and friends for their support for the Carol Service on the Sunday before Christmas, making it a successful Community Occasion.

The collection raised £113.50 for The Children's Hospice Southwest.

We look forward to our next special Community Service on Easter Sunday 16 April when, with your support, we will fill the church again.

## A wonderful morning!

Whilst playing Trethorn golf course on 20th October 2005, a 'hole in one' was achieved by Keith Sargent. He took his 3 wood on the 8th hole, some 150 odd yards away and landed his drive about 8 yards from the pin and it rolled gently into the hole, much to Keith's enjoyment. This feat was witnessed by his playing partner and neighbour Tom Braund. It was celebrated in the usual fashion at the 19th hole afterwards.

## Embroiderers Guild, Inny Vale Branch

Next meeting 19th January at Polyphant Chapel Hall from 10.00-4.00pm. Further information tel. Bettie on 86381.

## Polyphant WI

The next meeting will be at 2.15 pm on Wednesday, 25 January. Any further information please telephone Ann on 880019.

## Parnell's Garage

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CLOSING DATE FOR FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER: SATURDAY 28 JANUARY

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