

# Lewannick, Polyphant & Trevadlock Newsletter

## Lewannick Parish Council News

Lewannick Parish Council met at Lewannick Village Hall on Wednesday 15 February 2012. The meeting was open to members of the public.

We have made the decision to close Lewannick play area until urgent repairs are carried out. The play area was inspected by Taylor Made and the advice was to close it as some of the repairs that are needed could cause an injury to someone. We have agreed to investigate how much the repairs would cost by using a local tradesman. We have a ceiling on the amount we would like to spend as it would only be a short term investment until the regeneration is carried out.

There was one planning application for consideration, namely, PA12/00386 Change of use from agricultural land to residential curtilage, Mount Pleasant, Medrow, Polyphant, LAUNCESTON, Cornwall, Mrs Jennifer Potter. We have decided to hold a site meeting prior to submitting our considerations.

We had invoices for payment on behalf of Lewannick Village Hall Committee for the hire of the hall for our meetings and also for the meetings held by the regeneration of the play area of £120. We are in negotiations with Lewannick Village Hall Committee with respect to the resurfacing of the car park adjacent to the hall. We are waiting for formal tenders to come in prior to going ahead with this work.

Our lobbying, together with the support of Cllr P Parsons and Altarnun PC, have met a successful conclusion with respect to the 225 bus service. It is understood that the time table will be moved so that residents with concessionary passes will be able to use their passes from 09.30hours on affiliated days.

Litter is becoming an alarming problem within our parish and despite the enormous assistance from our litter pickers it is becoming an escalating eye sore. We are so grateful to our band of volunteers who pick up litter and hope that others too will join them in addressing this problem.

Finally, we have three potential volunteers for the Lewannick/Carnewater Practice Forum. More would be useful. Can you too spare some time to help our community in this way?

Our next meeting will be held on Wednesday 21 March 2012, at Polyphant, which will be open to the public and the press.

On behalf of us all an enormous thank you is sent to our retiring editor Helena Novak who has tirelessly and efficiently produced our newsletters. Her work has been invaluable and we are so very grateful. **Thank you Helena** on behalf of us all.

## Kung Fu Classes

Lewannick Village Hall - Every Thursday  
We are now splitting into two classes:  
7.00pm - 8.00pm and 8.00pm to 9.00pm  
Children age 7 years (please note change in starting age) and upwards and adults.  
Contact Paul 07976 976750 or Tiffany 07969 984459. Fully qualified and CRB checked.

## Cornish Hedge Management Adjacent to Highways

Cornwall County Council is the relevant Highway Authority for county roads and public rights of way, and works closely with local councils and other organisations. It encourages hedge owners and land occupiers to act in a responsible way towards users of highways, and is happy to give advice.

At locations where highway hedge growth has become a problem, the Highway Authority is likely to serve notice on the owner/occupier requiring the necessary work to be completed within a stated period. Failure to comply with the conditions of this notice may result in the Highway Authority undertaking the works and recovering the costs from the owner/occupier.

Owners and occupiers of land with highway hedges are responsible for maintaining these hedges so that growth does not impair the safety of highway users nor impede their access.

## DOG FOULING!

*Dog poo is blighting our area.* The culprits are just walking away and ignoring their responsibilities - endangering public health and putting children at risk. We want to empower our community to build a strong defence and show the red card to dog fouling in our neighbourhood.

### Report dog fouling in confidence today and we'll help you get it sorted.

Report it to the local council or the police. The majority of dog owners and handlers are responsible and pick up after their dog's done its business. But it's the careless few that fail to pick it up that give dogs and their owners a bad reputation. Bag it and bin it.

### It is illegal to leave your dog's mess lying around in a public area.

If a dog is in your care for any length of time, it is your responsibility to clean up after its mess. Our enforcement team takes a zero-tolerance approach to dog fouling on public land. If witnessed, offenders face a fixed penalty fine of £50 or a maximum penalty on conviction of £1,000.

## Lewannick Post Office & Store

Groceries, Fresh Bread, Cakes and Pasties, Off-license, Fresh Fruit and Veg, Fresh Flowers, Newspapers and Magazines, Greeting Cards, Dry Cleaning Service, Coal/Logs, Bottled Gas - all sizes available at very cheap prices

### Shop open:

Mon - Sat:- 7.00am - 8.00pm  
Sun:- 9.00am - 4.00pm

### Post Office open:

Mon - Fri:- 9.00am to 5.30pm  
Sat:- 9.00am to 12.30pm  
Tel: 01566 782269

[www.lewannick.info/postoffice](http://www.lewannick.info/postoffice)

## Garden Club ALL WELCOME

Enquiries: phone Tim Ellis on 0156686641  
E-mail: [info@ellisnurseries.co.uk](mailto:info@ellisnurseries.co.uk)

## Community Cinema

VILLAGE HALL LEWANNICK

FRIDAY 16 MARCH 2012

## MIDNIGHT IN PARIS

Cert 12A - 100 min

Woody Allen's romantic comedy about a family travelling to the French capital for business.

Doors open 7.30pm. Film starts 8.00pm  
Admission Adults - £4.50 Under 16 - £3.00

Booking and info: 01566 782621/782352

Email: [info@filmlewannick.co.uk](mailto:info@filmlewannick.co.uk)

Trailers and reviews of all films are available

on our website: [www.filmlewannick.co.uk](http://www.filmlewannick.co.uk)

If you have transport difficulties **The Little**

**Red Bus** is available. For enquiries and

bookings Tel: 01566 777960 between

12.30pm to 2.30pm Mon - Fri.

## Archer Arms

March

Come along and watch the 6 Nations on our big screen. England v. Ireland on 17th, St. Patrick's Day. Good price on Guinness.

Treat your mum on Mother's Day, Sunday 18. Normal menu, normal prices with a **free box of chocolates** for Mum.

No food service on Tuesdays. Bar open as normal and you will get double points (10p back for every £1 spent) plus free juke box and free pool.

### Monday Meal Deal - £3.95

5th Pie and Chips  
12th Chicken and Chips  
19th Ham, Egg and Chips  
26th Fish, Chips and Peas

Served 12.00 - 2.30pm / 6.00 - 9.00pm

Eat in or take away

♦ **Live Music**, Friday 30th with "**Cloud Nine**"

♦ **Poker Night** every Wednesday at 8.00pm. £10 to play.

♦ **Learn French** with French Paul, Thursdays at 8.00pm

♦ **Breakfast Club** - 31st March

For more information contact Alister or Zoe on 01566 782450. [www.archerarms.co.uk](http://www.archerarms.co.uk)

## Parnell's Garage

Lewannick

Servicing - Repairs - Brakes - Clutches  
Exhausts - Welding - MOT Repairs  
Cars - Light Commercial - 4 x 4  
Tel: 01566 782644 or 07962456663

## Rainfall for Lewannick

Compiled by John Panter

January 2012 5.46", 141 ml

January 2011 6.8", 170 ml

## Lewannick Exhibition at Lawrence House Museum - May 2012

Have you any old photos that could be copied, interesting artefacts to loan or local information to share? Please contact:

**Carol Bunbury 01566 782440**

**POLYPHANT METHODIST CHURCH  
SERVICES AND EVENTS  
FOR MARCH**

Minister Rev. Eleanor Reddington

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

- Sun 4** Kenneth Ridley
- Sun 11** Richard Wright
- Sun 18** Janet Bariball
- Sun 25** James Spragg

**Events:**

- Wed 14** Coffee Morning and Book Club, 10.00am - 12 noon, Polyphant Church Hall
- Fri 23** Lent Lunch 12 noon - 2.00pm

For information contact Owen Withers on 01566 86337. For Hall bookings at Polyphant contact Jennifer Creber at 01566 779215

**ST MARTIN'S COMMUNITY CHURCH  
LEWANNICK SERVICES  
FOR MARCH**

**Lewannick Morning Services**

All services in Lewannick Church. Times variable.

- Sun 4** Rev. P Selix, Holy Communion, 9.30am
- Sun 11** Morning Worship, M. Reddington, 10.00am
- Sun 18** Morning Worship, 9.30am
- Sun 25** Family Service, Mrs M.Smith, 10.00am
- Events:**
- Thur 1** Deanery Service at St Mary's, Launceston for Bishop Tim to induct new rural dean, David Jasper, 7.00pm
- Fri 2** Lent Lunch at Coads Green Chapel at 12 noon followed by Women's World Day of Prayer Service
- Sun 4** Bowden Derra Service, 8.00pm
- Tues 6** PCC meeting
- Wed 7** House Group, 7.30pm For venue ring 782970
- Fri 9** Lent Lunch at Rilla Mill Chapel, 12 noon
- Wed 14** Prayer Morning at Lewannick church, 10.00am - 11.00am
- Fri 16** Lent Lunch at Lewannick Village Hall, 12 noon
- Wed 21** House Group, 7.30pm For venue ring 782970
- Wed 28** Prayer Morning at Lewannick Church, 10.00am - 11.00am
- Fri 30** Lent Lunch at South Petherwin Chapel, 12 noon

**New to Cycling? Looking to increase your confidence/distance? Or, just want an easy morning ride?**

Enjoy exploring Devon and Cornwall's lanes. Get fit with a small friendly CTC group. No need for lycra or fancy equipment! Advice given if wanted. Ride for 2 to 3 hours at a leisurely pace covering up to 30 miles. Bring some food, a drink and something to fix a puncture. (Always check your bike before use). Start on Sunday 4 March and fortnightly thereafter. Meet up in Launceston Town Square at 9.00am. For more details contact John on 01566 777328 or 07890 636877. **Enjoy your cycling.**

**Polyphant Ladies' Club**

We are just starting our sixth year and our first speaker of this new year is Mr Trevor Horn who will be speaking on "My Life as a Prison Officer". We are meeting at 2.00 pm on Wednesday 28 March in Polyphant Methodist Church Hall. Visitors are, of course, always welcome. **For further information please telephone Ann on 01566 880019**

**Happy Hound Holidays**



**"Home from Home" Dog Boarding and Day Care**

We offer a 5 star dogsitting service and accommodation with a seven acre playground! Your pet will have first class treatment whilst you are away from home. We have full pet and third party insurance and access to expert vet attention if needed. FREE CONSULTATION  
**Contact Louise on 01566 782003**  
**Email: louise.morton@talktalk.net**  
**Website: www.dogsittercornwall.co.uk**

**A very big "Thank You"** from Doris Spooner to everyone who so kindly left wool for her at the Village Store. It will keep her knitting for ages - so Teddies Galore for Shelter Box!

**Cycle the Tramways  
The Daffodil Bike Ride**

for The Cornwall Nursing Appeal for Marie Curie Cancer Care **Sunday 4th March 2012** 10 am staggered start

**Bissioe - Portreath (and back)**

Entrance is free but each cyclist is asked to raise a minimum of £25 in sponsorship and all cyclists need to pre-book. If you fancy some pedal power call us on 01872 260 500 or email heidi.clemo@mariecurie.org.uk for an entry form.

**DCPA**

Independent Custody visitors are members of your community. They do not take sides, but look, listen and report on what they find in police custody. If you think you have what it takes to fulfil this vital role, contact us at [icv@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk](mailto:icv@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk) to find out more! You can also find us on Facebook.



**LITTLE RED BUS  
EXCURSIONS**

- MARCH**
  - Wed 7th TRURO - £11
  - Sat 17th TRURO - £11
  - Wed 21st LUNCH: LIFTON STRAWBERRY FIELDS
  - Sat 31st FALMOUTH - £11
- To book your seat or for more information Phone or Fax 01566 777960  
10am - 12 noon Monday to Friday  
Leave a message at other times. Or see us at Central Methodist Church  
Tuesday Coffee Morning 10am - 12 noon

**The Musical Farmhouse**

Weekly stimulating music classes for under 5s at Lewannick Village Hall every Wednesday at 09:30. Plenty of music, singing and movement using props, puppets and musical instruments.

**Contact Lyn Fearn on 0844 3183402**  
**Email: lyn@musicalfarmhouse.co.uk**

**HARDWOOD LOGS FOR SALE**

Seasoned logs. Loads of £70, £100 & £150. Kindling and briquettes also available.

**Free delivery**

Call Matt and Sam on 07821879106 for order or queries or visit [www.logs4you.co.uk](http://www.logs4you.co.uk)

**Lewannick Amateur  
Dramatic Society**

We would like to thank everyone for their generous support at this year's Pantomime resulting in the total of £3000 raised for Charity of which £1500 goes to Cornish Blind Activity Groups and £1500 to Cornish Downs Syndrome Support Group. L.A.D.S AGM will be held on Monday 5th March at 7.30pm at Lewannick Village Hall. Members please attend and take an active role in the way we run the Society.

**May Day** approaches. There will be a meeting on Thursday 8th March at 8.00pm in the Archer Arms. All willing volunteers for dancing, stall holding, organising etc. welcome. Any new ideas gratefully received. If you are unable to attend and wish to be part of this great event please contact Jenny, email: [enojenny@hotmail.com](mailto:enojenny@hotmail.com) or David Eno, email [info@davideno.com](mailto:info@davideno.com) Adult dancers contact Sharon Parnell at the Archer Arms or on Facebook.

**JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS IN  
POLYPHANT**

A Meeting has been arranged at Polyphant Community Centre on Saturday 10th March at 10 - 11 (free Coffee & Biscuits available) in order to discuss options on how the Village can celebrate this occasion. We need your help and ideas in order to make this a successful event.

**PLEASE COME ALONG AND GIVE YOUR SUPPORT.**

**Recycling Collections in March**

Blue Zone - Tuesday 6th and 20th  
Recycling Helpline: 08456 300300.  
Household waste enquiries: 0300 1234141

- **From the Editor**
- This is my final parish newsletter so I
- would like to take the opportunity of
- thanking everyone who has sent me
- news, information and general input over
- the last four years to make the
- newsletter as interesting and varied as
- possible for the community. Thanks also
- to all you readers out there! Welcome to
- Lizzie Grant who will be taking over as
- your new editor. Her contact details can
- be found in the box below. Happy
- editing, Lizzie. **Helena**

**CLOSING DATE FOR NEXT NEWSLETTER: TUESDAY 27 MARCH 2012**

Please send your contributions to **Lizzie Grant, Landreyn Mill House, Coads Green, Launceston, PL15 7LZ. Tel: 01566 782614**

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