

QUETHIOCK NEWS -February 2023

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QUETHIOCK PARISH COUNCIL

Defibrillator in Trehunist

A defibrillator has been ordered for Trehunist, but before it can be installed we need to put in place an appropriate, certified, electrical supply. The details of this are being finalised.

Grit bins

There are several grit bins in the parish. Cornwall Council does not treat minor roads so if there are icy patches on the road you are free to use the contents to spread on the roads. They are not however for use on private driveways etc.

Floods

The parish council regularly reports road problems to Cornwall Highways. In that connection, you will probably have noticed that the chronic flooding by the St Ive solar farm has now been dealt with.

Bridlepath Venn to Trehunsey

This path is closed until 26th February, because Cornwall Council has had to fell diseased larch trees in the copse on the bridlepath under a Statutory Plant Health Notice .

Devolution – A Mayor for Cornwall ?

The government is offering extra funding to Cornwall Council, in return for agreement to creating a "Mayor" for Cornwall who would take over some executive functions from the Cornwall councillors. There is a public consultation to which you can reply online - [the closing date is 17th February.](#)

Full details can be found at <https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/people-and-communities/2022-cornwall-devolution-deal/>

There is also a [public meeting about this on 9th February at 6.30pm](#) at Liskeard Town Council, 3-5 West Street, Liskeard, PL14 6BW, if you want to know more about this proposal, or want to raise questions with senior personnel from Cornwall Council.

Our next meeting will be held on Monday 13th March 2023 in Quethiock Parish Hall at 7pm.

Quethiock Parish Hall will hold its **Annual General Meeting** on **Monday 6th March at 7pm** at **Quethiock Parish Hall**. If you would like to attend, please contact Susan at concannon.susan@yahoo.com.

Many thanks to the Kent family for all their hard work organising and serving delicious breakfasts last month - they raised the huge sum of £220 for St Hugh's Church.

Many thanks to the Tamblins for their kind donation of bacon and sausages, and to Ian & Helen Davey of Trerulefoot for donating eggs, and to Blakes for the bread.

Friends of Quethiock Parish Hall will be hosting a Farmers Market on Saturday 25th March from 10am - 12pm (set up from 9am to 10am). There will be all kinds of local produce and crafts. Refreshments will also be available. If you would like to book a table please contact Liz on elizabethward202@gmail.com.

Friends of Quethiock Parish Hall are hosting a Pub night on Saturday 4th March starting at 7pm. Come along and enjoy a drink or two with friends and neighbours.

Friends of Quethiock Parish Hall will be holding a Quiz night on Saturday 1st April. Doors and bar open from 7pm with the Quiz starting at 7.30pm. This multi themed quiz will be hosted by Alan whose team, The Mason's Arms, triumphed at our Music quiz in November. Come along and join the fun and try to win the Quethiock Quiz Cup. £2 per person, groups welcome. For more details or to book a table email Jane at janehwtdmsc@gmail.com.

HAPPY NEW YEAR from all at Quethiock School! We all hope you had a wonderful Christmas period - it seems like a distant memory now!

As always, the run up to Christmas was busy and full of fun! Some of our youngest pupils went to Santa Trees in Liskeard to choose our school Christmas tree. We decorated it with decorations made at home and celebrated with a tree lighting ceremony. We gave two performances of 'Lights, Camel, Action!' our Early Years, Key Stage one and year 3 Nativity! We also held our annual Key Stage 2 Carols by Candlelight service at St Hugh's Church. It was wonderful to get together and listen to the children bring the spirit of Christmas to life. We love the close links that we have with our local clergy team and our Church.

As the autumn term drew to a close, we said goodbye to the amazing Annie Kenton, our Head of School, as she moved on to pastures new with the NHS. She led the school fearlessly in recent years, despite all the Covid restrictions, and will be greatly missed by our students, staff and parents. But we then say 'hello' to new team members! We welcomed Eve Vollans as our new year 5/6 teacher and Head of School, and Sophie Congdon as our year 3/4 teacher. They are both enjoying getting stuck into Quethiock School life! We can't wait to tell you more about what we have in store for this term....

Jenny Lentell, School Administrator

Pilates Class at Quethiock Parish Hall:

Fridays from 9:15am-10:15am. smjlodge@hotmail.co.uk or call 01579 532 606. **Have fun keeping fit!**

Lunches in Lent

We will be serving 'Lunches in Lent' on just two Fridays this Lent - Friday 24th February and Friday 31st March. No need to book, just turn up between 12noon and 1.30pm at Quethiock Parish Hall for a choice of delicious home-made soups, cheese, pickles and lovely crusty bread, tea/coffee, all for £5.

St Hugh's Church <https://sthughquethiock.org.uk>

Just 2 lunches in Lent: Friday 24th February and Friday 31st March. From 12 noon until 1.30pm at Quethiock Parish Hall, we will be serving a selection of delicious home-made soups alongside cheese and pickles with crusty French stick, tea and coffee, all for £5. No need to book - just turn up.

Please note the change of times of some services

Sun 5 Feb	10.30am	Morning Worship
Sun 12 Feb	10.30am	Holy Communion
Sun 19 Feb	4.30pm	Evensong
Sun 26 Feb	10.30am	Morning Worship

Please contact Rev Becca Bell revbeccabell@gmail.com or 01579 532186 or 07899363458 or Churchwarden, Rachel 01579 340612

VILLAGE DIARY

Fri 24 Feb	Lent Lunch, 12noon-1.30pm, Quethiock Parish Hall, £5
Sat 25 Feb	Local History Meeting, 11am, Quethiock Parish Hall
Sat 4 Mar	Pub Night, from 7pm, Quethiock Parish Hall
Mon 6 Mar	Quethiock Parish Hall AGM, 7pm at the Hall
Mon 13 Mar	Parish Council meeting, 7pm, Quethiock Parish Hall
Sat 25 Mar	Farmers Market, 10am-noon, Quethiock Parish Hall
Fri 31 Mar	Lent Lunch, 12noon-1.30pm, Quethiock Parish Hall, £5
Sat 1 Apr	Quiz Night, 7pm, £2 pp (see above for booking details)

[Post Office](#) - Wednesdays 9am-10am, Quethiock Parish Hall

[Mobile Library](#) - Fridays 10th Feb, 10th March, 11-11.25am by the Bus Shelter

[Craft Group](#) - Tuesdays 2pm-4pm, Quethiock Parish Hall, £2

(last one in 2022 is 20th Dec, then re-starts on 3 Jan)

[Pilates](#) - Fridays 9.15-10.15am in Quethiock Parish Hall, £6

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