

QUETHIOCK NEWS -May 2023

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QUETHIOCK PARISH COUNCIL

Tamar Toll Action Group Campaign

At its last meeting the Parish Council decided to support this campaign to abolish the tolls on the Tamar Bridge and Ferry crossings.

The Action Group has already gained the support of Saltash, Torpoint and Liskeard town councils, Pillaton and Calstock parishes and both the Cornwall Gateway and Caradon Community Network Panels. They have also had letters of support from the length and breadth of Cornwall – Launceston to Hayle and St Just to name just a few – who recognise that this issue is not just one that affects SE Cornwall, and that it's time to unite our voices to bring about change.

They have been in contact with all of our local MPs and have had productive meetings with both Luke Pollard and Sheryll Murray. Sheryll Murray has invited them to work with her and other relevant MPs and Councillors to produce a business case regarding the Tamar Bridge Act to take to Government.

If you wish to add your support you can join their facebook group (Tamar Toll Action Group) or contact them via their website www.tamartollactiongroup.org.

Quethiock defibrillator.

It was found during the weekly check of the defibrillator in Quethiock that it had been removed but not activated and replaced.

The two defibrillators in the Parish are there for us all to use whenever required but it would be beneficial to inform any of the Parish Councillors or the Clerk if they have been taken out for any reason. This will enable the defibrillators to be returned to full availability at the earliest opportunity.

Our next meeting will be the AGM on Monday 15th May 2023 in Quethiock Parish Hall at 7pm.

Pilates Class at Quethiock Parish Hall: Fridays 9:15am-10:15am
smjlodge@hotmail.co.uk or call 01579 532 606. Have fun keeping fit!

Craft Group Every Tuesday at Quethiock Parish Hall 2-4pm £2, and for this you get company, chat, tea and cake, or coffee of course, the chance to hang out with like minded people and the opportunity to learn a new craft....what more could you want!!?

Book Club Friday 5th May at Trevallicks, 2-4pm £2

BLUNTS CORONATION CELEBRATIONS

Blunts village will be holding a tea party to celebrate the King's coronation at Blunts Chapel on Monday 8th May from 2.30-4.00

QUETHIOCK CORONATION CELEBRATIONS

Quethiock Parish Hall will be hosting an afternoon tea party to celebrate the King's Coronation, Sunday 7th May at 2.30pm with live music by Halfway Harmony at 3pm. Please bring a plate of food. Hot drinks will be provided. Come and join your neighbours to celebrate this special occasion, and enjoy a slice of our Coronation Cake.

If you would like to help please contact Jane janehwtdmsc@gmail.com.

QUETHIOCK CORONATION CARNIVAL & BBQ - Monday 8th May

Take part as a float or walker. Or wave from your garden, line the route, and please place a donation in the bucket. We are also encouraging a parade of British Vehicles again to follow the procession- cars, 4x4s, tractors and diggers were all there last year - so please spread the word!

Assemble from the school field from 4 pm with judging and procession at 5 pm.

Then everyone is welcome at the school field for a BBQ and BAR to raise much needed funds for St Hugh's Church.

Could those with cars parked on the village 'circuit' please move their cars before 5pm so that there is enough room for the procession to get around. Many thanks.

For more info call Joanne on 07814 651634.

Quethiock Horticultural Show

15th July is fast approaching and schedules will be out soon!

Make sure you plant your potato and enter to see whose potato has produced the best yield...just 1 potato in a container that you can bring in on show day...it's class #37

There will be a Car Boot along with stalls, games and of course, the exhibit tent.

Tickets will be on sale soon too, and if yours is the one with the lucky number there's a prize.

Friends of Quethiock Parish Hall are hosting a Ceilidh Band on the evening of Quethiock Horticultural Show, Saturday 15th July 2023! So practise your Dosey Doe's, and get set for a fun evening for all, all welcome, and best of all, **FREE ADMISSION!!**

Springtime! Ploughman's & Pud!

Friday 26th May, 12-1.30pm, Quethiock Parish Hall. £6

Quethiock Parish Hall is available for hire for £6 per hour. If you would like to reserve the hall please contact Alison Jeffrey 01579 345 255 or email alisonjeffrey@live.co.uk.

CORONATION TEA PARTY

Sunday 7th May, from 2:30pm
Quethiock Parish Hall

Live music by *Halfway Harmony* at 3pm
followed by the
Cutting of our Celebration Cake

*Come and join with your neighbours
to celebrate this special occasion!*

Please bring a plate of food.
Hot drinks will be provided.

If you would like to help, please contact Jane Harris-Wood by email janehwtmsc@gmail.com



St Hugh's Church [https://
sthughquethiock.org.uk](https://sthughquethiock.org.uk)
Ploughman's & Pud! Fridays
26th May & 30th June,
12-1.30pm at Quethiock
Parish Hall. £6



CORONATION CARNIVAL

AND PARADE OF BRITISH VEHICLES

Monday 8th May, from 4pm, Quethiock Parish Hall

Do you have....















...or would just like to



...then join The Coronation Carnival
and Parade of British Vehicles
around Quethiock Village!

Approximate timings:
From 4pm - Gathering at the Parish Hall (light refreshments and toilets available)
5pm - Carnival parade

FOLLOWED BY B.B.Q.
and
BAR (kindly hosted by Friends of Quethiock Parish Hall)

Please note, BBQ and Bar are open to to EVERYONE, not just Carnival participants
Participation in the Carnival and Parade is free
Please contact Joanne Harris 07814 651634 to register your interest in taking part
BBQ and bucket collection in aid of St. Hugh's Church

A message from Martin Smith, Reader, St Hugh's Quethiock and the Tribute Cluster:

"I'm very sad to report the passing of my dear friend and fellow Reader , John Howard, who died on Monday 24th April.

John had a very full life. Among other things , he was a police officer, a motorcycle cop and a member of the underwater search team. After his retirement from the police he joined Caradon District Council where he worked on sustainability issues. He lost his first wife, Jean, about fifteen years ago but remarried a couple of years later to Pearl. They recently celebrated their thirteenth wedding anniversary.

John was a Reader for many years before I took the scarf. As well as the normal parochial duties of a Reader he was also honorary chaplain to the Devon and Cornwall Police Service and also the Plymouth and Cornwall Wing of the Air Cadets, offices that he was proud to hold.

His loss will be sorely felt by all who knew him, Quethiock parish, Tribute Cluster of Churches, West Wivelshire Deanery, the Police and Air Cadets, but most of all, by me. So rest in peace, my friend and mentor, and at the last, rise with Christ in Glory"

Please note the changes of service times :

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| Sun 7 May | 10am | Coronation Sunday, Morning Worship |
| Sun 14 May | 10am | Holy Communion |
| Sun 21 May | 4.30pm | Evening Worship |
| Sun 28 May | 10am | Morning Worship |

Please contact Rev Li Selman revliselman@icloud.com or 01579 348490 or Churchwarden, Rachel 01579 340612

[VILLAGE DIARY](#)

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| Fri 5 May | Book Club, Trevallicks, 2pm-4pm, £2 |
| Sun 7 May | Coronation Tea Party 2.30pm, Quethiock Parish Hall |
| Mon 8 May | Coronation Carnival & BBQ and Bar, from 5pm |
| Mon 8 May | Blunts Coronation Tea Party, Blunts Chapel 2.30-4pm |
| Mon 15 May | Parish Council AGM, 7pm, Quethiock Parish Hall |
| Fri 26 May | Ploughman's & Pud, 12-1.30pm, QuethiockParishHall £6 |
| Fri 30 June | Ploughman's & Pud, 12-1.30pm, QuethiockParishHall £6 |

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

[Mobile Library](#) Friday 5th May, 11-11.25am by the Bus Shelter

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

[Book Club](#) First Friday of the month 2-4pm

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

[Coffee Morning](#) Thursdays 9.30-10.45 Quethiock School £2.50 (drink+cake)

[Baby & Toddler Group](#) Tuesdays (term time), 9.30-10.45 Quethiock School £2