

i~Trusham

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THIS MONTH.....

100 YEARS AGO

Local: News was received that Percy Sandercock, husband of Margaret, son in law of Mr & Mrs C Wills of Castle Park, Trusham, was killed in action, in France, while serving with the Devon's 9th Battalion

National: As a result of very damaging U boat action, Britain introduced an effective convoy system to protect vital supplies crossing the Atlantic, leading to a rapid fall in German attacks.

International: The Second Battle of Arras was fought 9th April - 16th May, by troops from across the British Empire. While they made early gains, by the end of the battle, some 300,000 men on both sides were wounded, missing or dead, for no full Allied break through.

Judith Rowland

CHUDLEIGH HISTORY GROUP

Norman Maudsley: The Great Wall of China, Xi'an and the Terracotta Warriors, Woodway Room, **Tuesday May 5th 7.30pm.**



CHRISTIAN AID WEEK

It's better to die in a refugee camp than to die in a war - to risk your children's lives in a plastic dinghy and to leave everything you know behind. When the alternative is terror, bombs and bullets, almost anything is better. This is the terrible choice facing tens of millions of people worldwide - fleeing conflict and disaster, making dangerous journeys in search of safety.

Christian Aid Week was set up 60 years ago to support work with refugees in Europe following World War II. Let's act again now, to help relieve suffering and build a world where

everyone has a safe place to call home. And work with refugees is only part of the support provided - a hand up not a hand out - to those suffering from the effects of natural disasters, famine, war.

Every person who helps makes a BIG difference. If you would like to support the appeal, please put your donation in the envelope distributed with May i~T and pop it through my letterbox, at Vinnicombes, Trusham or let me know and I will come to collect it. Many thanks.

Angela Cameron

CHUDLEIGH FILM SOCIETY

Our final screening this season is the historical drama, *Suffragette* (Cert 12A;

106 min; 2015) starring Carey Mulligan, Helena Bonham Carter and Meryl Streep (Emmeline Pankhurst)



The film centres around a group of mainly fictional women and their fight for votes for women.

Screening is on **Friday 12th May** in The Woodway Room, Chudleigh TH (entrance Woodway St).

Refreshments for sale at 7.15pm; screening at 8pm Admission £6; enquiries 01626 852239. Our

2017/18 programme & membership leaflet will be available in readiness for the next season's screening on 8th September 2017. Alternatively, see full membership/contact details at www.chudleighfilmsociety.org.

ORCHID MEADOWS

One of Deer Park Farm Wildlife & Farming Walks. The green-winged orchids should be out in their hundreds - come and see these and other orchids and find out how we look after them! About 1 mile, including steep hills - wear strong shoes and maybe bring a stick. **Saturday 13th May 10.30-1pm**

Wednesday 17th May 11-1pm

Please check dates/times when you book your place on these free walks by emailing audrey@boveyclimateaction.org.uk



CHUDLEIGH BOWLING CLUB OPEN DAY

Saturday 13th May from 1.30 pm

Next to the Cricket Club Katebrook Sports Centre. Ladies & gentlemen of all ages welcome to have a go. Please wear flat-soled shoes. We play Ladies and men's league and friendly matches against local clubs. We have social events and indoor bowls in the winter. More information from Graham (363738) or Richard (870685)

QUIZ



Almost standing room only at April's quiz which had some decidedly 'fishy' questions!

This month's Village Quiz will take place in the Village Hall on **Friday 19th May at 7.30pm**. Come along - with or without a team - and enjoy a good value evening -£4 to include light refreshments

CHUDLEIGH & DISTRICT AMENITY SOCIETY

Two photographic projects are underway. The first involves premises with notable (usually historic) features. The record will be made available to TDC conservation and planning officers. The second involves photographing the fronts of all premises in the conservation area. This will form part of an exhibition in the Church during ChudFest. Our website, www.chudleighdevon.com has a map of the area with a facility that highlights the individual features of our notable buildings.

Our talk on **19th May**, 'Who cares about food and farming', will be given by John Wibberly who will highlight topical issues about the food we eat.

COFFEE MORNING - FREE ENTRANCE!

Trusham Church invites you to a coffee morning on **Saturday May 20th 10.30 - 12.30** - a great opportunity to meet up with friends - old and new and catch up with Trusham goings on in a beautiful atmosphere. Sit outside and enjoy the view. Maybe win a raffle prize? Don't miss the homemade cookies and cakes -with plenty to take home to share - for a donation.



ROGATION WALK

On **Sunday 21st May at 3pm** we will meet at Trusham Church for our Rogation Day Walk with a return visit to Deer Park Farm, where Audrey Compton will show us the award winning meadows. www.magnificentmeadows.org.uk/about/news/article/newton-abbot-farmers-win-national-meadows-award-2015 All welcome. Dogs on leads. Wellies recommended. Some steep sections but a fairly gentle walk, giving thanks for our wonderful natural world and enjoying views across the Teign Valley. There will be ewes and lambs and cows and calves out on the hilly pastures. About 2 miles, starting and finishing at Trusham Church (tea and cake on return)

CHUDLEIGH LIBRARY

At our first meeting of the year on **May 23rd 6.30pm** we will discuss ideas of what activities we should be undertaking and any spending ideas that

members may have. Hopefully as many members as possible will attend. New members are welcome.

EARLIER

TRUSHAM PARISH AGM

Key points

- As Jim Putz will be leaving Trusham, the suggestion of a vice chair to shadow him was referred to the next committee meeting. Tony Wheaton is standing down as committee member/secretary. Diana Tingley has joined the committee and will be secretary. Pat Phipps and Adam Jones have joined the committee.
- The defibrillator is installed in the telephone box. Future training was discussed. Sarah Maybin said there is a DVD available and that the defib leads users through the process.
- Footpaths will be strimmed during the summer.
- Concern was expressed about vehicles speeding through Trusham. Adam Jones offered to contact DCC Highways Engineer re options.
- Jim Putz is in contact with the Environment Agency and TDC over responsibility for cleaning grating over the stream in Broadway.
- Jim Putz thanked all involved in the Hall renovations - painting, installing lighting bars, replacing lights and spots with LEDs and kitchen improvements.

EASTER SUNDAY

The leader of the joyful, well attended Easter Sunday morning service was assisted by a number of children who transformed a harsh, cruel cross with gentle spring flowers.



APRIL RACES

While not a National, this was very Grand
With owners' bright colours so proudly displayed
And, in stark contrast to those Oxbridge blues,
On a very dry course, their movement was made.
London Marathon runners would have complained
That ruts and loose stones made the going too tough.

Our small contestants were stubborn and gritty.
For Devon ova are of far sterner stuff.

'How far not how fast' is the rule for the course.
When the judge called 'Go' for the Trusham Egg Race,
Some, with great force, hurled their delicate steeds,
Shattering their shells and a chance of first place!

Accepting their eggalant rolling gait
And avoiding the potholes and lumps and bumps -
This advice for next year's eggy contestants
Might make the difference twixt loss and Top Trumps!

Judith Rowland

TRUSHAM EGG ROLLING STARTERS



TRUSHAM WINNERS

Morley

Daisy

Laurent



LATER

MUSIC FOR A SUMMER'S EVENING

Come to a very special summer concert. Under the baton of our new and talented young conductor, Tim Pithers, the **Dunsford Singers** will be performing a range of traditional and contemporary choral pieces. The programme features Gabriel Fauré's exquisite 'Requiem', his serene 'Cantique de Jean Racine' as well as 'Northern Lights', a delicate yet intense piece by the modern Norwegian composer Ola Gjielo.

Saturday 17th June 7.30pm Chudleigh Parish Church

Saturday 24th June 7.30pm Dunsford Church.

Tickets £7; children £3; available from Dunsford Shop, Dandelion in Chudleigh, Jane (01647 252519), Jan (01647 252368) or from choir members.

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NEXT MONTH'S CONTRIBUTIONS

These need to be with Judith by **the 18th** at the latest - 852221/ Fordale, Church Lane or email **i.trusham@gmail.com** **PLEASE USE THIS EMAIL ADDRESS TO ENSURE THAT ITEMS ARE INCLUDED IN i~TRUSHAM**

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Peter Gauntlett, Place of Wyeatts - 854111.

** The Chudleigh Kitchen: Local charitable catering by Mark & Vicky Macnair - 01626853490 or email chudleighkitchen@gmail.com*

** The Cridford Inn:*

Take away fish & chips £8.95/child's portion £6; Thursday nights -Steak night - 2 rump steaks + bottle of house wine £28;

info@thecridfordinn.co.uk 01626 853694.

Date	Readings	Intercessor	Duty wardens	Flowers
7 th May 10am Holy Communion	Page 176 Acts 2 42-47 1 Peter 2 19-25 Pat Smethurst	Volunteer or Robin Murch	Pat & David Smethurst	Tricia Bird
14 th May 10am Holy Communion	Page 179 Acts 7 55-60 1 Peter 2 2-10 Jane Brooks	Mary Cook	Jane Brooks Mary Cook	Sally Edgington
21 st May 3pm Rogation Walk	Not required	Not required		Sally Edgington
28 th May 10am All Age Worship	Page 189 Acts 1 6-14 1 Peter 4 12-14 etc Dan Metcalfe	Angela Cameron	Julia & Dan Metcalf	Sarah Maybin

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Warden:	Daniel Metcalf	859602
Reader:	Helen Harding	852677
Neighbourhood Watch:		
	Phil Brooks	852992
	David Davies	853777
Prayer Chain	Angela Cameron	853298
Parish Meeting	Jim Putz	852145
TWIGs	Sue Gauntlett	854111
Village Hall bookings	David Davies	853777

Regular dates - VILLAGE DIARY
TWIG: Trusham Women's Interest Group at the Cridford: 2 nd Thursday 8pm 4 th Thursday 12.30pm
The Academy: Trusham gentlemen's discussion forum: The Cridford; Wednesdays 6.30-8.30pm
Mobile Library 1 st /3 rd Thursdays monthly - in the Square 4.10-4.40pm
Art group: every Thursday 10am-12.30pm in Village Hall. All new members most welcome.
Bell Ringing: Regular practices alternate Wednesday evenings.