

Happy  
New Year

# LANDKEY NEWSLETTER

## JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2019

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### PATS POEM

#### A VILLAGE CALLED LANDKEY

What can I say of this place where I live?  
It's special to me. Has so much to give.

A school, a shop, a church, a pub  
A village green is at its hub.  
Mazzards are the famous cherry trees  
That blossom and sway in the breeze.

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We have a café. Really great!  
Where we knit and natter, drink coffee, eat cake.  
But if you need to feed your mind  
There are clubs for craft, for dogs, for plants  
And always history you can find  
There's one more thing that's on my mind.

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The people who live here are friendly and kind  
We are all proud of this village  
There's beauty to find  
This village called LANDKEY has so much to give  
But don't tell the masses  
Or there will be nowhere to live!

### Fly tipping

Please be alert for fly tippers in Landkey. Our lovely lanes are not a dumping ground and we should all try to stop this crime. Report any vehicle details to the police, photograph and evidence and report it to NDDC via their website. By reporting it the rubbish will get collected and removed quickly before it becomes a further hazard.

### Remembrance Day 2018

Thank you to all those that attended the service or marked this significant anniversary in other ways. The Parish Council provided the large outdoor poppies this year and Liz Jennings produced a stunning window display close to the war memorial. Thanks to the Royal British Legion collectors in Landkey and all the other organisations that were involved in the act of remembrance.

### LANDKEY CAROLS

Our Landkey Sings project to revive the old Landkey Carols has been a great success. A large group of us spent November learning them and on December 1st spent a whole day singing and then performing them to an enthusiastic audience in the school hall. This was all led by musicians from Wren Music, professional musicians who we were able to commission, to transcribe and teach the carols. They also taught them to Landkey and Swimbridge Primary Schools. On December 17th we performed them again in the village so BBC Spotlight

could film them. All of this was funded by a Heritage Lottery Grant, but we are still having to do some Community Fund Raising as our part of the project. On **January 29th** at 2 o'clock in the Village Hall our Wren musicians will be returning to Landkey to hear from anyone who has memories of the old Carols and the Carol Singing of days gone by, so please come along then if you can help. Wren will be making a printed booklet of the Carols and creating a webpage so they are available to all. - We are already planning next year so please come and join us again then when we hope to have more plans to take the carols around the village. - Project acknowledges support from Heritage Lottery Fund, District Council Locality fund, DCC, Landkey Parish Council, Landkey United Churches and other local individuals

### Lyncroft Stores & Post Office: Opening hours for 2019

#### Lyncroft Store

Monday	7.30am - 7pm
Tuesday	7.30am - 7pm
Wednesday	7.30am - 7pm
Thursday	7.30am - 7pm
Friday	7.30am - 7pm
Saturday	8am - 7pm
Sunday	8am - noon

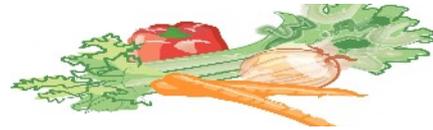
#### Post Office

Monday	8am - 6.30pm
Tuesday	8am - 6.30pm
Wednesday	9am - 6.30pm
Thursday	8am - 6.30pm
Friday	8am - 6.30pm
Saturday	8am - 6.30pm
Sunday	8am - noon

There is so much more room for customer parking outside the shop now, thanks to people parking more sensibly. THANK YOU

### ALLOTMENTS IN LANDKEY

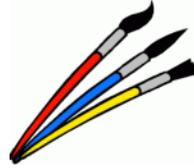
In Spring 2019 some allotments will be available to Landkey residents. To learn more and see how you can get involved, please come along to:- Landkey Village Hall on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> January at 7.30pm. All welcome



### LANDKEY PAINTERS

We are a small group of friendly people who enjoy painting/drawing/sketching etc. Everyone is supportive and helpful (if needed), we are not judgemental. If you enjoyed art at school why not come along, you will be most welcome.

We meet on Monday mornings 10 - 12 noon. The cost is £2 which covers the cost of the hall plus tea and coffee.



### MILLENNIUM GREEN DOG OWNERS/WALKERS

We would like to remind dog walkers that their dogs should be under control all the time whilst using the Millennium Green. Amongst the problems reported have been large dogs jumping up at other member of the public and small aggressive dogs attacking other dogs on leads.

In both of the above incidents the people in charge of the dogs have neither corrected their dogs or apologised. The green is there for *every-ones* enjoyment.



### Dog fouling

There have been increased incidents of fouling on the pavements. Just because it is dark is no excuse, carry a torch as well as poo bags.

### JANUARY

3<sup>rd</sup> Mobile Library  
7<sup>th</sup> Landkey Painters  
8<sup>th</sup> Landkey Fellowship Craft Group  
9<sup>th</sup> Mothers Union lunch Parish Council  
14<sup>th</sup> Landkey Painters  
16<sup>th</sup> Communion Class  
18<sup>th</sup> W I Lunch  
21<sup>st</sup> Landkey Painters  
23<sup>rd</sup> Allotment Meeting  
27<sup>th</sup> Craft Group  
28<sup>th</sup> Landkey Painters  
29<sup>th</sup> Memories of old carols

### Diary Dates

#### FEBRUARY

3<sup>rd</sup> Craft Group  
4<sup>th</sup> Landkey Painters  
6<sup>th</sup> Parish Council  
11<sup>th</sup> Landkey Painters  
12<sup>th</sup> Landkey Fellowship Craft Group  
13<sup>th</sup> W I  
20<sup>th</sup> Newsletter deadline  
25<sup>th</sup> Landkey Painters  
28<sup>th</sup> Mobile library

### DOG TRAINING

Tuesday mornings at Landkey Village Hall. For more information please ring Shirley on 01271 861676.

### ST PAUL'S CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

There was a lovely display of christmas trees in the Church this year.

There were trees decorated by the W.I., Mothers Union, Landkey Toddlers, United Fellowship, The Brownies, Landkey Village Hall, Swimbridge Nursing Home and others.



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Landkey United Fellowship

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Landkey Brownies To join  
www.girlguiding.org.uk other inquiries Alison Wyborn - 830323 - Sarah Shadford - 830712

Landkey Guides - Mrs C Russell 830671

Landkey Whist Group -

Gordon Short - 830563

Landkey Women's Institute -

Mrs H Price - 831259

Landkey Horticultural Society -  
Position available

Cacti club - Barry Hancock 346494

St Paul's Church - Mrs MacCaig - 831020

www.landkeyparishchurch.org

Mothers Union - Mrs MacCaig - 831020

Landkey Playing Field - G Lane 830854

Landkey Primary School - 830421

POLICE non emergency 101

Lyncroft Stores 830278

Landkey Autoservices Mark - 830215

### LANDKEY WEBSITE

Landkeyvillage.com Please use the Calendar facility on the website then other people can schedule events so that the dates don't clash.

### NEWSLETTER

If you have anything you would like included in the next newsletter please email me, [janetdymond@gmail.com](mailto:janetdymond@gmail.com) or ring 830077 (evenings) The deadline for the March/April edition will be 20<sup>th</sup> February

### OLD SCHOOL CENTRE, VICARAGE ROAD

The Old School Centre is available for hire. Please ring Sandra 01271 830139 for more information.

### LANDKEY VILLAGE HALL

To book the Village Hall for functions or parties please ring Kathy 01271 830975 for more information

### PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS

The meetings start at 7.30pm, following the general planning meeting which starts at 7pm in the Old School Centre.

**January 9<sup>th</sup> & February 6<sup>th</sup> 2019.** Everyone is welcome to attend and you can have your say, usually item number 4 on the Agenda, which is published on the website and on the 2 notice boards.

### MOBILE LIBRARY VAN.

(Thursday) **January 3<sup>rd</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup>,**

**February 28<sup>th</sup>**

Meadow Close 13.35 - 14.05

Castle Inn 14.10 - 14.55,

Bakery Way 15.00 - 15.45

Denes Close 15.50 - 16.35



### LANDKEY AUTO SERVICES

Units 6 & 7 Hillside Industrial Units, Manor Road, Landkey. Servicing, MOT, Repairs, Diagnostics, Exhausts, Brakes and more. A fully equipped workshop to meet all your requirements. With over 30 years experience - Free courtesy car or collection. Opening times Mon - Fri 8am till 5.30pm. Call Mark on 01271 830215 ~ New sandblasting service available in our newly extended workshop.

### Landkey Horticultural Society

Landkey Horticultural Society is seeking someone to fill the General Secretary's position. It would involve taking & producing minutes of meetings (not too many) each year & organising the entertainment etc on show day. If you would be interested please contact:- Bett Parker on 01271 830051 for further details



### W.I. DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**January Festive Dinner** - On Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> January, members and friends will be meeting at The Willows on Blakes Hill Road at 6.30 p.m. for 7.00 p.m. to enjoy our annual Festive Dinner. There will be no formal meeting in January.

**On Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> February,** we will be meeting at 7.30 p.m. in The Village Hall when June Shephard-Blandy will talk on making the W.I. a dementia friendly organisation. Details about Landkey W.I. can be obtained from the Secretary, Hazel Price, on 831259.

### LANDKEY FELLOWSHIP

The second Tuesday of the month, 2.30pm in the village hall.

**January 8<sup>th</sup>** -Speaker: Rev. Robert Hurley (Methodist minister from Newport). Bring and Buy stall this month

**February 12<sup>th</sup>** Speaker: Mr Ray Jones (or colleague) - neighbourhood officer for Devon County Council

### NEWSLETTER

If you have anything to say let me know. We are hoping to do the next newsletter in colour.

If you have any photographs relevant to the village we will try to get them in the next issue.

### LYNCROFT STORES

Lyncroft Stores Christmas Eve draw in 2018 was in aid of Clarity. Clarity is a local charity supporting people with mental health & or emotional issues. (At time of writing our customers have donated & sponsored over £1000).

Buy the latest CD by Swimbridge band "Starlings" with lyrics by Jim Jones £3. All proceeds will be going to Clarity.

In the New Year we will be supporting Star Cross Farm, Swimbridge, by selling their eggs straight from the hens at cost price. You cannot get fresher than that.

Last year Lyncroft were asked by Rita Grainger to collect old Christmas cards from customers, Rita with the help of others converted these cards into gift tags, the tags are in store at 50p / pack with all proceeds going to age concern.

Please support your local store where most of our stock is price marked (same as superstores) and we have some products including tobacco and wines that are cheaper. Many thanks for everyone's continued support and seasons greeting to all.

Opening hours remain unchanged. Please support your local store. - PTO for details

Last but not least - Can dog walkers PLEASE stop their dogs from relieving themselves on the door step and walls at the store as it is un-hygenic and has to be cleaned up. Don't forget you are on CCTV.

### St Paul's Church

We extend a warm welcome to all who would like to join us for Anglican Christian worship at our parish church. Our Sunday services are usually held at 10:30am and Holy Communion is typically offered at least twice per month. A Family Service, which does not include Communion, is held on the first Sunday in the month.

These services are enjoyed by the families who come along, and they usually include a themed talk aimed at children on a well-known topic from the Bible.

### Diary Dates:

Midweek services of Holy Communion are planned, beginning on **Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> January** with a starting time of 9.30 a.m.

**January 9<sup>th</sup>,** Mothers' Union lunch at the Imperial Hotel.

**January 23<sup>rd</sup>** at 2 30p.m., Mothers' Union meeting with Josie Foster as the speaker.

[www.landkeyparishchurch.org](http://www.landkeyparishchurch.org)



### LANDKEY CRAFT CLUB

December's meeting was enjoyed by all. Some lovely door wreaths and table decorations made. Thanks to Cynthia for organising this evening.

**January's** meeting, on the **8<sup>th</sup>,** is a bring your own project evening. We will be handing out a short questionnaire during the meeting to try to ensure we are organising events that members want. Please come and have your say.

On **February 12<sup>th</sup>** we have Lesley Gaish coming to run a needle felting session. She will bring all required materials. The cost is £10 - £15 per person.

By popular demand we also have two full day glass making workshops to enable us to tackle larger projects. These are at Crackaway Barton 10 - 4 pm on Sunday **27<sup>th</sup> January** and **Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> February.**

Non members are welcome to our evenings and workshops at a cost of £3 on top of materials. Annual membership is £20, no previous skills required. Come and join us!

Happy New Year from the Craft Club!

Contact Rita on 01271 830900 or email [landkeycraftclub@yahoo.com](mailto:landkeycraftclub@yahoo.com)

