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with a Shop, Pub, Tea Room,
and the Millennium Green,
please help to keep it clean
and tidy

LANDKEY NEWSLETTER

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MILLENNIUM GREEN TRUST

DOG BINS

If the dog bins are full please do not leave your dog's mess on the top or on the grass below. Please take it home. There is a phone number on the side that you can ring to report a full bin.

SENIOR CITIZENS

Just a preliminary announcement to say the Outing this year will be for a full day and go to Padstow. This will be on **September 12th** 2020. Full details in the July/August Newsletter.

LANDKEY MILLENNIUM GREEN

The **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING** on **Wednesday, 29 April** at 7.30pm in Landkey Village Hall is your opportunity to hear about the management of the Green and to make your suggestions. All Landkey residents are welcome. On **Sunday, 26 April**, there will be a **MAZZARD BLOSSOM WALK**, led by Michael Gee (author of the books on Mazzards and Devon Orchards). Mazzards make the Millennium Green unique, and this year it reaches the age of 21! Afterwards there's a CREAM TEA in the Village Hall. Assemble for Walk in Car Park (behind The Castle) at 2.45pm. Cream Tea (open to all; walkers and non-walkers) from 3.30pm. In aid of LMG funds.

GROW YOUR OWN LANDKEY MAZZARDS

Using a new allotment plot, and with rootstocks and instruction on 'budding' your own tree provided, there'll be an opportunity to create your own mazzard tree (of different sizes) this summer. For more information e-mail Michael Gee (m.gee320@btinternet.com) or look for more info (Newsletter, Village Website) in May.

DOG WALKERS/MILLENNIUM GREEN

The dog poo bins and their emptying on the Millennium Green and around the village are funded by the Millennium Green Trust (a charity) and the Parish Council (a not for profit public body). It costs us over £1500 between us each year to pay for this service and to help keep our green spaces and lanes free from dog mess.

If you use these facilities when walking your dog then you may want to consider contributing to them by making a one-off or regular donation to the Millennium Green Trust. Please contact Karen by email kttrigger.kt@gmail.com



PROPOSAL – Devon Air Ambulance Community Landing Site at the Landkey Football Pitch UPDATE

Devon Air Ambulance (DAA) was sorry to have to cancel a recent presentation, but now, a note for your diary, it is being held on **Wednesday 4th March** at 7.30, at the Old School Centre Parish Council meeting. Since my last newsletter, lots of progress has been made towards the aim of having a community landing site in Landkey. I am pleased to say DAA have agreed that the football pitch would make an ideal site to land during the 'hours of darkness'.

A new lighting column with LED lights and remote switching system will be required to help illuminate the site during landing and take-off as well as helping the safe carry and loading of a patient into the helicopter. DAA will be able to offer our community a grant of £2,877 and Landkey residents will need to raise £3,200 towards the purchase the lighting equipment and associated maintenance costs. Already some excellent progress has been made to raise these funds (e.g. generous support by our County Councillor) but we will need more help! After the March meeting we will know a clear way ahead and hope we can count on your help to make the Landkey community landing site become a reality"

OVER & ABOVE

As a customer of Lyncroft Stores in Landkey you will be aware that this years chosen charity is Over & Above, which I am sure you all know is a local Charity that needs local support. - As usual our customers have come through with flying colours and it is with heartfelt gratitude that we at Lyncroft take this opportunity to say a massive thanks to you all for your generous donations and support in this years "Festive Friday" fancy dress days and for digging deep to purchase the draw tickets for our annual draw. Big thanks also go to prize donators for their excellent donations, all of which were gratefully received by the winners. - A Special thanks also go to Landkey Carols for their massive donation of £250 from their collection pots, they must have been seriously good and sadly I missed them but won't miss them next year. Together we raised the total of over £1500, at the time of printing, for Over & Above. Lyncroft customers have always been very generous in their charitable donations, even when times are hard or tight they still come through for others when the need arises. Over & Above are truly grateful for all your donations and support. Further donations can be made via Lyncroft Stores collecting pot or direct to Julie Whitton, who can be contacted via julie@theyews.org.uk or via the Store. John & Janette

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Forthcoming social evenings, **March 31st** a talk on Trees with David Sydenham. **April 28th** will be a Coffee Evening with the Appledore Choir. **Plant Sale Sunday 3rd May** 10am - 1pm. **May 12th** Flower Arranging with Sue Neale (not Maureen Body as the winter programme says) giving tips on the entries for the Show. And **May 26th** will be the Garden Visit, details will follow on that one at a later date.

LANDKEY WASSAIL

Over hundred villagers joined in the great Landkey Wassail back in January. We sang Wassail Songs, chose our Wassail King and Queen, processed to the apple and mazzard trees, made a great noise and we let off a few fireworks. All helped by mulled cider courtesy of Green Man Cider. Afterwards over 50 people sat down to a hot supper in the Hall, with more songs and, of course, more Cider! It was a great Community event and we are already planning next year's Wassail!

Thanks to all who turned up and joined in and thanks to all who helped. Look out for more **LANDKEY SINGS** events coming up soon, and go to our website or Facebook page if you want to join in! There are great plans for the Carols project so get in touch and find out more! "

FEBRUARY LITTER PICK

Thanks to the band of volunteers that turned out to pick the litter from our lanes in February. On a wet and wild Sunday morning we collected 25 black bags in just 1 1/2 hours. If anyone wants to finish the job then Manor Rd (from the Church up to John Beers) still needs doing and there are lots of bottles and cans in the hedges.

Lyncroft Stores & Post Office: NEW - Opening hours for 2020

Monday	8am - 6.30pm
Tuesday	8am - 6.30pm
Wednesday	8am - 6.30pm
Thursday	8am - 6.30pm
Friday	8am - 6.30pm
Saturday	8am - 6.30pm
Sunday	9am - Noon
Bank Holidays	8am - Noon
Closed	New Years Day

Please support your village shop where most of our stock is price marked, (same as superstores). Remember if we don't have it and you need it then let us know and we will try our best to get it for you. There are not many villages that still have a local store and we do need your support to keep the Shop and Post Office in the village.



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

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Millennium Green - Mrs K Trigger - 831451

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Landkey United Fellowship

Marian Wright - 830717

Landkey Brownies To join

www.girlguiding.org.uk other inquiries Alison Wybom - 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

St Paul's Church - Mrs H Price 831259

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.

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.

NEWSLETTER

If you have anything you would like included in the next newsletter please email me, janetdymond@gmail.com or ring 830077 (evenings) The deadline for the May/June 2020 newsletter will be 20th April.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS

The meetings start at 7.30pm, in the Old School Centre **March 4th and April 1st** 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.

PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF TIMES

AND there is no longer a stop at

CASTLE INN CAR PARK

Thursdays



12th March, 9th April and 7th May 2020

Meadow Close 13.10 - 13.40

Denes Close 13.50 - 14.50

Bakery way 14.55 - 15.45

Please use this excellent service or loose it.

LANDKEY FELLOWSHIP NEWS

2.30pm on the second Tuesday of the month in Landkey Village Hall.

10th March Speaker: Mrs Mary Burgess

14th April Speaker: Mrs Sheila Collier (Bring and Buy stall this month)

Landkey Village Hall AGM

Our Village Hall is a well used Village facility. If you have anything to suggest, question or comment about it in any way or join the committee, then please do come to the AGM on **25th March** at 7.30pm in the Hall.

LANDKEY CRAFT GROUP

Our meeting on **3rd March** is the 2nd of a two parter to complete making a macramé bracelet. On **April 7th** we have our AGM at 7pm followed by our monthly meeting at 7.30pm, This meeting we will be making soap in the tradition of Clovelly Soap Company. All are welcome at the craft club. Non-members it's £3. Hope to see you there.

Spring Awakening' Pilates session with

brunch - Date: **Saturday 21st March**

2020, Landkey Village Hall Time: 9:30am

12pm Pilates session: (1 ½ hour followed

by brunch) Suitable for beginners. - Cost:

£25 pp. - If you would like to find out

more information or book your space,

please contact Rebecca on 07706042746.

rebecca@healthybalance.org.uk



Chittlehampton YFC

Big Breakfast

Sunday 1st March,

Goodleigh Village Hall, 9am-1pm

Adults - £8, Children - £6

Please contact Emily Pincombe for more information on 07754509496

Chittlehampton YFC

Easter



Umberleigh village Hall

Wednesday 25th March, Doors open 7pm, Eyes Down 7:30pm £5 for a book. £1 per line

Contact details as above.

EASTER BINGO Thursday the **9th of April** at Land-

key village hall. Doors opens 6.30pm, eyes down

7.00pm. Raising funds for the North Devon Hospice.

Great prizes to be won!

IT'S BACK - T&D Childcare football coaching

sessions!! - 8-12 Year olds - Monday's 4.15-5.15pm

4 - 7 Year olds - Thursday's 4.15-5.15pm

4 - 7 Year olds - Friday's 4.15-5.15pm

Pay as you go per session - £5 per child

6 week block - £24 (=£4 per session)

Millennium green football pitch (Landkey)

The sessions will start the week commencing the **9th March**

For more information or to book please message the T&D

Childcare Facebook page, email

t-dchildcare@outlook.com or text 07787423014

LANDKEY W.I. ACTIVITIES

March Meeting - At 7.30 p.m. on **Wednesday, 11 March**, in the Village Hall, Carrie from The Willows will be demonstrating Cake Decoration. We are invited to bring with us a cake suitable for decoration so that we can follow Carrie's methods.

Our general competition will be for the best decorated cake and

we will be holding our regular Flower of the Month competition.

- **April Meeting** -At 7.30 p.m. on **Wednesday, 8 April**,

in the Village Hall, we will be holding our **Annual Meeting**. If

there are any nominations for the Committee, please let the

Secretary know at the March Meeting. From those nominated

and willing to stand for the Committee, the Officers of Landkey

W.I. will be chosen. Sylvia West, an Area Advisor, will be

attending. One of our members will be passing on the advice

she has received concerning the writing of a will. Finally, it is

intended to discuss the Equality and Diversity policy of the W.I.

We will be holding our regular Flower of the Month

competition. - Further details from Landkey W.I. Secretary, Ha-

zel Price, on 01271 831259.

ST PAUL'S CHURCH

With Easter approaching, we extend an especially 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. We also hold Communion services on **Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m.** During Lent, a series of weekly simple soup-based lunches is being held and they are open to anyone who would like to join us. Please ring / email in advance, though!

Diary Dates: 4th March: 12.30 p.m. Lent Lunch in the village hall. -

11th March: 12.30 p.m. Lent Lunch at The Old Manor with Josie Foster

axfordfoster@hotmail.com -18th March: 12.30 p.m. Lent Lunch at West Hayes,

Acland Road with Elizabeth Nunn 01271 831561 - **22nd March:** 10:30 a.m. Mothering Sunday service. -

25th March: 12.30 p.m. Lent Lunch at The Ingle with Sarah Ewington 01271 830949. - **1st April:** 12.30 p.m.

Lent Lunch in the village hall. - **5th April:** 10.30 a.m. Palm Sunday Service in St. Paul's. - **12th April:**

10.30 a.m. Easter Day service in St Paul's. **20th April:** 7 p.m. Annual Parochial Church meeting in the church.

-Further information may be found at www.landkeyparishchurch.org

Village website - users and contributors welcome

The village website is run jointly by Landkey Parish Council and Landkey Village Hall. Both organisations encourage Landkey residents to make use of the features of the website, especially the Events Calendar as well as the Bookings Diary for the village hall. Contributions of news items, points of view and images would also be welcome so that this village resource can be made as useful as possible for all. If anyone would like to contribute to the site, please contact Charles Waldron on cerwaldron@gmail.com for login details.

