

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

# LANDKEY NEWSLETTER

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Landkey Mazzard Hall -**PUBLIC MEETING** - **Thursday 4th November 7.30pm** in The Village Hall. You are invited to learn about a possible new community hall for Landkey and give your views on this project. We will be sharing the results of the on-line survey (conducted to better understand Landkeys' needs and expectations at an early stage) but there is still time for you to take part in it. Just visit [www.landkeymazzardhall.com](http://www.landkeymazzardhall.com) and complete the short on-line survey. We need as many views as soon as possible please!

### LANDKEY Women's Institute

Even though we haven't had any formal meetings since early 2020 we have managed to keep in touch by phone, two-monthly Devon Federation WI newsletters and monthly National Federation WI magazines. Four of our members joined Goodleigh WI on a mystery coach trip on 21<sup>st</sup> September. Our membership is small, being 9 in total, but I am pleased to say that we are all well and looking forward to meeting up again. As our first get together, in early October, we hope to share tea and cake at The Willows where we can chat and update one another on our news. I think that with Covid rules being relaxed we will meet in the Village Hall in November and December. I have not got to hand fixed dates for our meetings but I will be in touch by phone with each of our members. If any newcomers to the village wish to join us please contact me, Hazel Price on 01271 831259.

### MILLENNIUM GREEN BIRTHDAY

The Landkey Millennium Green is now 21 years old, and trustees were delighted that so many people joined the party in glorious warmth and sunshine on September 4<sup>th</sup>. It cost quite a bit to set up a free event, so thanks to Charter Vets, Habitat First Group, Solman Davis Electrical Contractors, Darren Smallbone Double Glazing Repair, A2B Chimney Sweep & Stove Installer, Green Man Cider, Lyncroft Stores, Viva Violins, Essential Training – SW Ltd, Midwinter Koval Property Management and Taw Flooring who made his possible. Those who attended were very generous in making donations, and we shall shortly be pressing ahead with work to improve the drainage alongside the path by the football field above the old leat. To celebrate the Birthday there is a PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION with £100 in prizes. If you've taken photos at the Party, (or at other times) why not enter them? The rules are on the Millennium Green (Latest News) page of [www.landkeyvillage.com](http://www.landkeyvillage.com). Entries should be sent electronically to Liz Davies, and her e-mail is [liz.davisltd@gmail.com](mailto:liz.davisltd@gmail.com). The deadline is **1<sup>st</sup> November**.

**First Friday Jazz Club** is the reincarnation of what used to be South Molton Jazz Club. We now meet at the Jubilee Hall, Barnstaple Road, Swimbridge, EX320PQ. on the first Friday of every month. The Hall has a good lighting system, bar, disabled access and parking. Our first meeting on **September 3<sup>rd</sup>** went very well with the Neil Maya Quartet paying tribute to 1959, the Golden Year of Jazz, with music from that era. Each month will see a different band, and whenever possible, a different style of jazz. There are many different styles and it is by no means always banjos and waistcoats, or weird discordant stuff. Strong melodies, technically proficient musicians, brilliant improvisation, that's jazz. On the **first Friday in October**, we will have the Neil Burns Trio, with guest saxophonist Terry Quinney. Tickets are £10 on the door. Or they can be purchased in advance, see <http://www.FirstFridayJazz.uk> for details, and to listen to the musicians who have played for us in the past. Doors open 8 pm, music starts 8.30 prompt. We are operating a COVID safe strategy at the moment. All musicians and customers must provide proof of vaccination or of a negative test within the past forty eight hours, upon entry. We'll review this every month. Although bands are booked until June next year (when B. D. Lenz, the New York based jazz funk guitarist and his group join us), we still have one or two spaces and are always looking for good, professional bands. We are also considering making time for musicians who are just starting their careers and who would benefit from the experience of playing two or three numbers before a paying audience.



### St Paul's Church

We extend a welcome to all who would like to join us for Anglican Christian worship at our parish church. Services have been taking place more normally since Covid restrictions were eased in July although a few precautions remain. We continue to advance the technical improvements introduced during the pandemic and are starting to hold events again. Among these will be a sponsored Knit-In on **21<sup>st</sup> October** with funds raised to go to the church. Funds have been strained over the past 18 months and we would welcome any financial support. We will hope to hold a Remembrance service on **14<sup>th</sup> November**, with Christmas plans to be announced in the next newsletter and online. Further details available on the website : [www.landkeyparishchurch.org](http://www.landkeyparishchurch.org)

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#### 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 December/January  
2022 newsletter will be  
20th November 2021

### Red Telephone Box

The box adopted by the Parish Council in  
Landkey Town is being repainted and



spruced up so it can be  
put to use as a village  
book exchange. We are  
very grateful that volun-  
teers have come forward  
to help implement this

Welcoming all new and returning mem-  
bers! Come and get that Slimming World  
feeling on Tuesdays at 6.30pm at the  
Swimbridge Jubilee Hall.  
No need to book but if  
you'd like more info just  
call/text Claire on 07584  
372638



### Devon Air Ambulance

DAA needs a community of volunteers to  
keep its 19 charity shops open and our  
helicopters flying. The great thing about  
volunteering in our retail shops is that we  
have a role to suit everyone, whether you are  
young or older, an outgoing type or someone  
who likes to work behind the scenes. As with  
all volunteering roles, you can choose where,  
when and for how long you volunteer. To find  
out more about your nearest shop and how  
you can help, please contact our Volunteer  
Manager Cara Jones on 01392 304343 /  
c.jones@daat.org Shop Locations: Barnstaple,  
Bideford and various other locations across  
Devon

### MOBILE LIBRARY VAN.

**PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF TIMES**  
**AND there is no longer a stop at**  
**CASTLE INN CAR PARK**

**Thursday October 7<sup>th</sup>,**  
**November 4<sup>th</sup> and**

**December 2<sup>nd</sup>**

Meadow Close 13.10 - 13.40  
Benes Close 13.50 - 14.50  
Bakery way 14.55 - 15.45



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### PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS

Wednesday October 6<sup>th</sup> and  
November 3<sup>rd</sup> December 1<sup>st</sup>  
Meetings are held at 7.00pm in The  
Old School Centre  
([ms.isaac@btinternet.com](mailto:ms.isaac@btinternet.com))

**Landkey United Fellowship: Tues. Oct.  
12th 2.30pm in the Village Hall.**  
Beyond Covid – what next? For over ten  
years the informal monthly meetings of  
the Fellowship have welcomed speakers  
on many topics and offered company and  
friendship. If the group is to restart we  
need new ideas and helpers – come along  
on **Oct. 12th** or contact Marian on  
830717 with your suggestions. (The  
Fellowship is linked to the local  
Methodist Church but is open to any-  
one, both men and women)

### LYNCROFT STORES & POST OFFICE

**Lyncroft Stores** is an independent shop run by John and Janette Stitt.

They have a well stocked shop and offer excellent service. If they don't have what you would  
like, ask and they will try to get it for you within a couple of days. They sell everything from  
toilet rolls to dog/cat food, baked beans, eggs, flour, milk, cereals, beer, cider, wine and spir-  
its, all the basics plus chocolate, some frozen items. There is also a good selection of celebra-  
tion cards, newspapers, magazines and comics.

The **Post Office** does all the normal things like parcels, cash withdrawal and deposits, elec-  
tronic bill payments, e top-ups, car tax.

Please use both of the above services, **USE IT OR LOSE IT**

For opening times for both the shop and the post office please see below.

Lyncroft Stores is also the base of the village defibrillator.

### LYNCROFT STORES

Please note the opening hours  
for the post office and shop are

#### SHOP

Monday - Saturday 8am - 6pm  
Sunday 9am - Noon

#### POST OFFICE

Monday - Saturday 9am - 4.30pm  
Sunday 9am - Noon

#### SHOP & POST OFFICE

Bank Holidays close at Noon



### 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 (evening enquiries preferred)  
for more information.