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VILLAGE

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August 2023

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Welcome to the August edition of the Newsletter.

Viv has received a lovely letter (see inside) from Hope Cove thanking him for raising over £600 for the Lifeboat – an amazing amount for such a small village!

We have a plea for new members for the Bowling Club. If this is something you have fancied doing, now is the time to try it out.

We have a lot going on locally over the summer, including the Annual Produce Show - full details in this newsletter.



Katherine

GARDEN PARTY

SATURDAY, 26th AUGUST
2 pm – 5 pm
SCOBBISSCOMBE HOUSE GARDEN

Tickets £5
Available from Tuesday Morning Market
and from Don 810358 or Colin 810823

Cream Teas
Cucumber Sandwiches
Cakes

Croquet

Pimms & Wine
(available for donations)

Summer Frocks & Blazers welcome
Surplus to the Friends of St James the Less

DON'T FORGET –

- Get growing, sewing and crafting ready for the annual Kingston Produce Show being held on Saturday August 19th. Entry form at the back of this Newsletter.
- Garden Party on Saturday 26th August at Scobbiscombe House for the Friends of St James the Less.
- The McEvoy's are collecting aid for Ukraine – see inside for more details.

**PARISH CHURCH
FLOWER ROTA**



2023

July 30th-Aug 6th	Ruth Jarvis
Aug 13th-20th	Jeanne Curtis
Aug 27th-Sept 3rd	Penny & Rachel
Sept 10th-17th	Margaret Birch
Sept 24th-Oct1st	Vanessa Walker
Oct 8th-15th	Harvest - All
Oct 22nd- 29th	Margaret Kelly
Nov 5th-12th	Carole Walters
Nov 19th-26th	Caroline Thomas
Dec 3rd-10th	Vanessa Walker
Dec 17th-24th	Christmas - All

KINGSTON READING ROOM 200 CLUB

The numbers drawn in the July 2023 draws are as follows:

15	Carol Beard	£25
203	Margaret Woods	£20
202	Jeanne Curtis	£20
113	Maddie Deschamps	£10

Owen & Elaine Roberts -

owenroberts10@hotmail.com

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**WINTER COMMUNITY PROJECT
REFURBISHING & RENEWING OF KINGSTON
CHURCH KNEELERS**

Appealing to sewers and any interested sponsors or fundraisers.

Introductory session on **Sunday 3rd September** in the Reading Room, to discuss & meet with interested people over a tea/coffee and cake!

Come see what we're thinking and get involved.

Contact:

Jeanne 01548 810718 Karen 01548 810070

**TUESDAY MARKET
TEA/COFFEE ROTA**



2023

August 1 st	Gina/Joan
August 8 th	Joan/Vanessa
August 15 th	Cynthia/Geoff
August 22 nd	Kit/Penny
August 29th	Jeanette/Margaret
September 5th	Anne/Elaine
September 12th	Jacky/Deidre
September 19th	Pauline/Sally
September 25th	Ann/John

**TUESDAY MORNING MARKET
KINGSTON READING ROOM**

EVERY TUESDAY from 10am to 12 noon

Come along to meet up with old and new faces while enjoying a cuppa & chat.

Freshly baked cakes, biscuits, pasties, sausage rolls, organic milk, yoghurt, eggs, potatoes, meat and the corner shop table.

Organic soaps and creams, chutney & Jams, Haberdashery, Crafted gifts, books (50p), woodwork, cards and much more!

Would you like a table to sell your wares? Just 10% to the Reading Rooms.

Just call me if you would like to help out on the tea rota or if you need picking up.

Tina - 07796 975291

MOBILE LIBRARY

The mobile library visits the village every 4th Tuesday at the Fire Station from 11 am to 11.30 am:

2023

Aug 15 th	Nov 7 th
Sept 12 th	Dec 5 th
Oct 10 th	

All copy for September Newsletter by:

Monday 21st August please to Katherine Harding

Thank you!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

(Also see Parish Website for further details.)

Morning Market - every Tuesday 10 am til noon

2023

- Aug 19th Kingston Village Produce Show -
Reading Room
- Aug 26th Garden Party at Scobbiscombe House
for Friends of St James the Less Church
- Sept 12th Police Community Visit – Morning
Market, Reading Room
- Oct 11th Garden Club seed/plant swap
- Oct 26th History Society AGM – Reading Room
- Oct 28th Defibrillator Training – Reading Room

Yoga

**Classes in Reading Room
will recommence in October
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TUESDAY CRAFT AFTERNOONS

1pm - 3pm

Come and join us on the First Tuesday of every
month in the Reading Rooms after Market.

Bring along your crafts that need finishing or
start something new!

Just £2 a session.

Karen 07919947859 / Tina 07796975291

KINGSTON LOCAL HISTORY SOCIETY



The History Society has now concluded its summer programme of events and we did so by a really interesting and enjoyable visit to Wonwell Court Farm on 6 July.

Our grateful thanks go to Eve White and her family for inviting us to see their home, which is one of the oldest houses in the area. We learned that there had been a settlement there since Saxon times and Eve took us through the history that she knew, and had further worked on with our archivists, to produce a fascinating chronological journey about changes to this grade 2 listed house through time to the present day.

We are enormously grateful to Eve. We are also very grateful to her son Paul who told us about the type of farming undertaken at Wonwell Court Farm and plans for the future, including robotised milking. I was delighted that Phil White was also able to add to the family story.

After the visit we returned to West View for afternoon tea and an opportunity to see the presentations of plans and photographs of Wonwell Court Farm and its immediate area that our archivists had carefully prepared and displayed for us.

We now have a break until our AGM which is fixed for 7pm for a 7.30pm start on Thursday 26 October in the Reading Room.

The History Society welcomes new members. If you are new to the village and area, please come along to one of our meetings and events and we'll tell you more about our activities. Our Secretary, Tim Matthews can be reached at timmatthews50@hotmail.com

We have a great website full of historical information and fascinating archive photos and videos – just go to <https://kingstonlocalhistory.co.uk>

I thank the Committee for all their hard work and enthusiasm and we promise we shall have a really compelling programme of winter events for 2023/2024.

Guy Walker, Chairman

August Classes

Monday

5pm- Farming Fit Cycle

5:45pm- HIIT

7pm- Starters Farming Fit

Tuesday

6:30am- Farm Circuits

Wednesday

6:30am- Farming Fit Cycle

8:30am- Farming Fit Cycle

5pm- HIIT

Thursday

4pm- Stretch and Chill for all

5pm- Farming Fit Cycle

5:45pm- Stretch and Chill for all

6:30pm- Farming Fit

Friday

6:30am- Farming HIIT

9am- Farming Circuits

Saturday

6:30am- Open Gym and HIIT

7:30am- Beginners Farming Fit Cycle

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AUGUST 2023 CHURCH NEWS



Our church is open daily for silent prayer, or to visitors who wish to see inside our lovely place of worship.

Regular services of Morning Prayer are held on most Sundays at 9:30 am except the third Sunday of each month when a service of Holy Communion takes place at 11:00 am. Where Village Service is designated in the diary for the month, it will indicate that a member of the congregation will probably be leading a service of prayers and hymns. When there is a 5th Sunday in any month, there may be team services. Very occasionally there may be an extra Holy Communion service inserted instead of Morning Prayer and such a change will be noted in the church calendar at the back of the newsletters. For those visiting the church during the week, please make sure that you don't leave the door wide open when you leave. Thank you.

On Wednesday 19th July a service of thanksgiving for the life of Di Phillips was held in the church. Family, villagers and friends came together to remember both Di and also Graham her beloved husband who died in 2020. Di and Graham gave so much for this village in the many years they lived here and are sadly missed. Di's ashes were interred next to Graham in the graveyard here. Our thanks to Carol and Robert Beard who generously hosted lunch at Scobbiscombe House following the service.

On the evening of Wednesday 19th July at Malborough Church, Robert Beard (accompanied by Carol Beard and Deirdre Seeley), represented the Churchwardens of Kingston at the Totnes Archdeaconry Visitation Service. The Venerable Douglas James Dettmer, Archdeacon of Totnes welcomed the Wardens, supporting Clergy and guests to a service during which new Wardens were welcomed and a renewal of vows was made along with thanksgiving for all who hold the responsible duty of Church Warden in their respective churches. The service also included the Archdeacons' Charge (the Diocese of Exeter's Climate Emergency Declaration – March, 2023) that we do all in our power to make our churches more environmentally friendly. We can be proud in Kingston that we are very conscious of this and are already doing our best.

Please consider becoming a Friend of St James the Less church. By becoming a Friend, you can be assured that our church and graveyard will still be here for the generations who follow us. You do not have to be a worshipper in our church in order to become a Friend. We have several exciting events planned for later in the year. Please see details of an upcoming event elsewhere in this edition of the newsletter. Don Kelly will be delighted to give you further details on how to join and how your participation will help us all. His email is donaldkelly8@aol.com or phone number 810358.

The local contacts for St. James the Less, Kingston are our Church Wardens, Brian Alloway, 810692, bj6devon@gmail.com and Robert Beard, 810500, r.beard@scobbiscombe.co.uk

Brian and Robert will be pleased to help you find the right person to talk to and help with any church-related arrangements. Please note full information is also on the Parish website as well as the Modbury Team website:- www.modburyteam.org

DIARY FOR AUGUST 2023:

- 2nd August – PCC Meeting 7:30 pm Scobbiscombe House
- 6th August – Lay led Village Service, leader Jeanne Curtis
- 13th August – 9:30 am – Morning Prayer
- 20th August – 11:00 am – Holy Communion
- 27th August – 9:30 am – Morning Prayer



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Sun 6th August – THE COUNTRY STRONG BAND

Sun 13th August – JOHNAHS LIFT

Sat 19th August - HAZAAR

Sun 20th August – BOULEVARDIER JAZZ

Sat 26th August – SECOND HAND COUNTRY BAND

Sun 27th August – ELECTRIC EDEN

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READING ROOM DEVELOPMENT UPDATE

Breaking news! We are going to install WiFi in the Reading Room very shortly - prepare to see a step change for the better in what we can offer. Watch this space for updates.

What about the proposed extension and improvement of the Reading Room? Having obtained planning consent, expert professional advice and full costings (basically all the technical elements) the Management Committee is now moving to the next key stages of the project:

- The opportunity for everyone to see more, have your say and get involved
- How the project is to be funded?

In early September, it is planned to hold an open forum and provide the opportunity for everyone to get involved, have their say, and in that way taking the project forward in the direction that will best serve our needs. More about this next month – but in the meantime feel free to email the project group through the RR Committee's secretary, Juliet Manners, on KRRsecretary22@gmail.com

On the progress of the funding stage we have had the benefit of advice from several professional fund raising agencies in Devon and some of the committee have attended training sessions specifically focussed on how best to achieve success in funding applications. As a consequence, we now have a much clearer idea of what potential funders want to see and why this is so important. We will be happy to discuss this and other funding issues at the forum.

Overall the message is loud and clear - we must show that the proposed development will produce real benefits for the local community and that the building will provide for a wider range of activities that will be regularly used and enjoyed.

To improve our prospects on both fronts we need some fresh thinking on additional uses and benefits for our community. Your opinion matters - come and voice it!

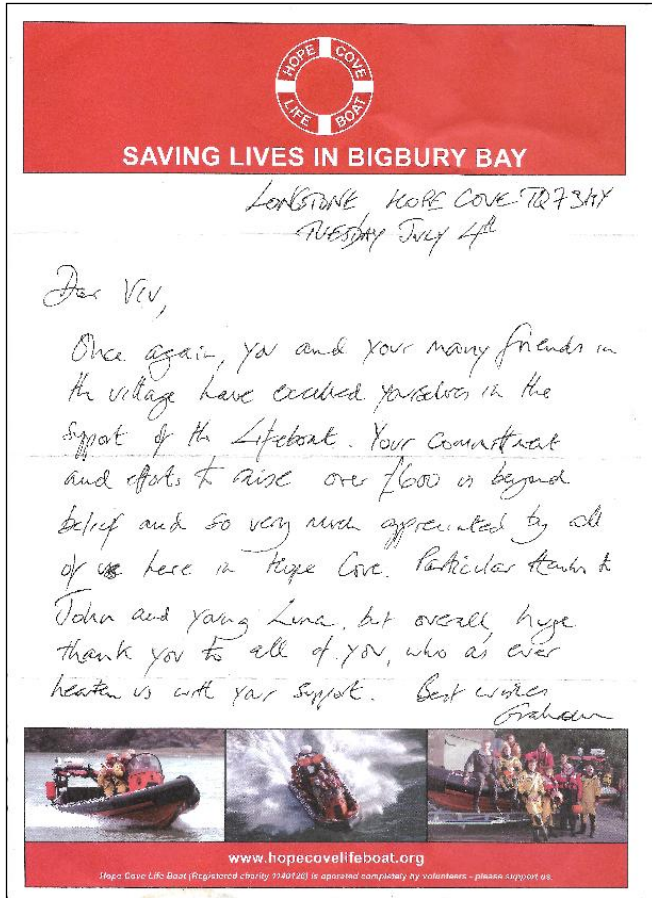
To help us gather your ideas, and also gauge the level of support in the village for the project, we would like to survey everyone who lives in the village and those who have second homes here. If you are a member of the KEG Facebook Group you will shortly see a post relating to the project and asking for your contact details. Please respond so we can keep you informed directly, gather our data and keep as paperless as possible.

We are excited at this opportunity to extend and improve the Reading Room for the benefit of all and we hope that you are excited by this too.

Kingston Reading Room Management Committee

THANK YOU LETTER FROM HOPE COVE LIFEBOAT

As you probably know, for years Kingston has supported the Hope Cove Lifeboat, through Viv Freeman's 'vegetables on the wall'. Here is their lovely letter expressing their thanks for the latest contribution:



KINGSTON SHORT MAT BOWLS CLUB

AN URGENT PLEA!

The KSMBC has been meeting regularly for over 30 years having been a founding member of the local league. We continue to play in the Reading Room on Monday and Friday evenings but our numbers are very low and whether we are able to continue is in doubt.

Surely there must be Kingstonians who would like to join us and make the club flourish again?

You will also be helping the Reading Room Committee to attract the funding for the proposed improvements as these are partially dependant on the numbers of organisations which continue to make regular use of the premises.

If you are interested please come along to one of our meetings (which start at 7 pm) or contact Adrian Woods on 01548 830209 for a chat about what is involved.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Adrian
Chairman



KINGSTON VILLAGE PRODUCE SHOW

**19TH
AUGUST
2023**



Kingston Produce, Arts and Craft Show

The Kingston Produce Show, on 19th August 2023, is rapidly approaching.

We hope your crops are growing well and you are busy crafting and cooking!

The Produce Show entry form is published in this newsletter. We hope all is clear but if not, please contact us.

Could last years winners please return their cups to us by 12th August:
Young Persons - Fletcher Stansby, Alexa Young, Rowan Young

Craft - Anita Ellis
Photography - Alex Linzer, Louise Macmillan
Flowers - Sue Green

Flower Arranging - Chris McEvoy, Rachel Dalley
Preserves - Colin Burton

Cookery - Sue Green, Vanessa Walker, Colin Burton
Vegetables - Colin Burton
Best in Show - Rachel Dalley

Open Art & Ann Scarett - Lisa Dyer ** return to Art Club

Colin and Janet Burton (Dolphin Lodge)
ProduceinKingston@btinternet.com

**SCHOOL SUMMER HOLIDAYS
WHAT'S ON @ KINGSBRIDGE
LIBRARY FOR KIDS**

<p>SUMMER READING CHALLENGE Read 6 Books Collect Stickers Win a badge Enter Prize Draw UNTIL SEPT</p>	<p>KIDS YOGA Fun yoga for kids 3-6 yrs TUE 25TH JULY 2.30PM - 3PM</p>	<p>FAMILY PRINT WORKSHOP Create beautiful collagraph prints Booking Essential MON 31ST JULY</p>
<p>WILDLIFE SPOTTERS Fun Science Living things & their habitats. Animal species & more. 3RD AUG 10-11 AGE 6-10</p>	<p>CRAFT & PARACHUTE GAMES Design your own sports shirt and win a £10 book voucher. Play games. TUE 8TH AUG 2.30PM</p>	<p>KARATE Demonstration for kids and the chance to have a go SAT 19TH AUG 10.30-11.30 AGES 7-11</p>
<p>SCIENCEDIPITY Hands-on experiments with carbon dioxide gas. learn to use a stethoscope and much more MON 21ST AUG 2-3.30 AGES 5-10</p>	<p>LIBRARY OLYMPICS Table Tennis Twister Skittles Board Games and more! TUE 29TH AUG 10-11.30</p>	<p>OTHER ACTIVITIES THROUGHOUT THE HOLIDAY CHARACTER HUNT SKATEBOARD DRAWING COMPETITION PEBBLE HUNT</p>

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New Residents

Kingston Parish Council extends a warm welcome to all new residents. If you need any help or information please do contact the Parish Clerk (e-mail: kingstonclerk@gmail.com).

Recreation Ground Monitoring Team

Thank you from KPC. Weeks ahead are:

31st July	Colin Burton	21st August	Jon Wakeling
7th August	Peter Dowling	28th August	Sue Green
14th August	Simon Matson-Thomas		

We are still seeking volunteers to join the team and assist with Recreation Ground monitoring. If you are interested, please contact the Parish Clerk.

Next Kingston Parish Council Meeting

Thursday 21st September 2023 in the Reading Room. The next Parish Council meeting will take place in the Reading Room at 7.30pm on Thursday 21st September. The Agenda will be placed on the Parish Website no later than 14th September. Public are welcome to join the Open Forum which is held at the beginning of each KPC meeting for any questions you may have.

Defibrillator Training

Southwest Ambulance Services are giving free defibrillator training, open to all. There will be a session in Kingston Reading Room, organised by KPC, on Saturday, 28th October 2023 at 10.30am – 12 noon. If you would like to attend, please advise the Parish Clerk, Lorraine Squire, on kingstonclerk@gmail.com. All are welcome – no previous experience needed.

Police Community Visit

Our local police will be visiting the Tuesday morning market on 12th September to meet Parishioners and introduce themselves as our Neighbourhood Team, offering help and advice. Please do come along to say hello.

Recreation Ground Skate Park

Unfortunately the skate park equipment in the recreation ground has reached the end of its life and will have to be removed. Sources of funding to replace it are being investigated. **The skate park has been taped off as instructed by SHDC and people are asked to stay off the ramps in the meantime.**

Ash Die-Back

Most people in our parish will already have heard of Ash Die Back disease; this short run-down aims to provide a bit more information and explain why it matters to us here in Kingston.

What is Ash dieback?

Ash dieback is a highly destructive fungal disease affecting (you guessed it) Ash trees. First recorded in the UK in 2012, it has since become widespread across all regions. It causes leaf loss and canopy decline, resulting in deadwood formation and often death of the tree. The fungus is spread via airborne spores, with estimates suggesting 80% of Ash trees will succumb to the disease over time.

Why is it important?

Ash trees are the third most common British tree, with 60 million estimated outside of woodlands. Ash provides a significant habitat and cultural value; the effects of the disease will have a major and costly impact on our natural environment, including Kingston's.

Identifying Ash dieback:

Ash dieback can affect all ages of Ash trees, but younger ones show symptoms faster. Overall, all affected trees will show these signs:

- Dieback of leaves and shoots, visible in summer
- Dark diamond shaped lesions where branches meet trunk
- New growth from dormant buds, called epicormic growth which is a stress response
- Canopy decline and lots of dead and brittle wood forms

Your Responsibilities:

Owners and managers of the land on which ash trees grow are responsible for managing the risk from trees. If your Ash tree or one of its branches falls on someone, says you may be liable. This is why diseased trees around the village are starting to be removed or worked on by local agencies and land managers – to manage and reduce risk. Although the risk to human safety is extremely low, tree owners nevertheless have a duty of care and as such need to consider management options for infected Ash trees on their land.

Management options:

There are a number of options for managing diseased trees, depending upon their location and the potential associated risk:

- Do nothing where there is no risk to safety
- Remove dead and diseased wood
- Pollard and top of the tree
- Fell or dismantle the tree

More information can be found at www.treecouncil.org.uk in: Ash dieback – a guide for tree owners.

Sources of Information

Kingston Parish Council website: www.kingstonparishcouncil.co.uk. If you have anything you feel would benefit our community by including it on the Web Site, please contact Cllr Merv Freeman on 01548 810070 or by e-mail on burlockcouncil@gmail.com. If you are on Facebook, the Kingston Events Group (KEG) and Charterlands Chatter pages are also well worth joining.

Your Councillors are here for you:

Eve White (Chair) 810289	Mervyn Freeman (Vice Chair) 810070	Holly Rahder 07973 179395
Don Kelly 810358	Joel Wakeling 07546 511578	Heather Summer-Nutting 07557 003326
Suzannah Grant 810013	Lorraine (Q) Squire (Clerk)	

READING ROOMS KEYS

We will shortly be changing the locks on the main door to the Reading Room and distributing new keys to everyone who is responsible for an activity that takes place in the Reading Room.

No date has been set for this yet, but we will keep you advised.

It would be helpful if you could email me with your name and email address if you do run an activity at the Reading Room so I can let you know when the new keys are available for collection.

If you have any concerns or questions, please don't hesitate to contact me either by email KRRsecretary22@gmail.com or by phoning me on 07808 946405.

It goes without saying we will always have spares available for those times when people forget keys and for one-off events booked in the Reading Room.

Many thanks,
Juliet (Reading Rooms Secretary)



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UKRANIAN AID APPEAL

I am collecting aid on behalf of my brother, Steve McEvoy, who is fundraising to send three more vans as part of a convoy with humanitarian aid for Ukraine on 18th September 2023. "Cornwall & Devon sending love" have sent 137 vans and volunteers on the 2000 mile journey since the war began and they will continue to deliver aid through the generous financial support and donations.

We are collecting provisions, medical aid and equipment. The full list is on the posters.
Please phone Louise McEvoy – 07971897737; Chris McEvoy - 07597 866458.
Drop off at 16 Yellands Park or we can collect. *Many Thanks!*



We are planning to fund 3 more large vans to take humanitarian aid in the next convoy on the 18th of September 2023, the 15th convoy since we all started in March 2022 with

CORNWALL & DEVON SENDING LOVE TO UKRAINE

Although Putin's exploits have seemed to disappear from the headlines of most of our mainstream news providers recently, the pain and suffering caused by the bombs and missiles that continue to rain down on Ukrainian towns is still part of everyday life.

The aid that we deliver will not help everyone, but with your support, we can continue to bring some comfort and smiles to lots of faces. We have been overwhelmed by the support given on our previous trips by everybody in our local community and beyond. The gratitude of the Ukrainian refugees that we have met, and the generosity from donators of aid and provisions that we have collected and successfully delivered, has motivated us to go again.

'Cornwall and Devon sending love to Ukraine' <https://sendinglovetoukraine.org/> are a group of volunteers that continues to grow. Our efforts have been supported by individuals and local businesses, organisations and charities who have given generous financial support. We collaborate closely with contacts on the Poland/Ukraine border to take targeted aid and supplies. They tell us what they need, and we try to deliver. Together, since March '22, we have organised 137 van loads of provisions and medical items and equipment. The aid is all from donations and is sorted, organised, and transported by volunteers. The expenses are also funded entirely by donations and the volunteers. Our vans will join with this next convoy in what we're hoping will be largest yet.

Contributions to [our GoFundMe fundraiser](#), and donations of

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<https://gofund.me/a8c75872>

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KINGSTON READING ROOM BOOKINGS

August 2023							August 2023							September 2023						
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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY														
31 Jul 18:00 9.30pm Bowls club	1 Aug 09:00 -12:30 Morning Market 18:30 - 10pm KEG Band Practice	2	3	4	5	6														
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28	29 09:00 -12:30 Morning Market 18:30 - 10pm KEG Band Practice	30	31	1 Sep 18:00 9.30pm Bowls club	2	3 10:00 -12.30pm Panto Rehearsal 14:00 -4pm community project														

This calendar shows the bookings as at the time this newsletter was finalised. You can access the calendar on www.kingstonparishcouncil.co.uk . Click on **Reading Room then Reading Room Bookings**

Kingston Reading Room Hall Hire charges 2023



- Sessions are 8:30am to 1:30pm, 1:30pm to 6:30pm, 6:30pm to 11:30pm. If more time is needed to set up or clear away, then it must be booked.
- Commercial events are charged at £7.50 per hour or part hour, including set up and clean up times.
- The charge for sole occupancy of the Reading Room for a full day is by negotiation.
- Hall uses that satisfy the objects of the Reading Room charity trust deed are charged at a subsidised £10 per session. They must be non-profit (and may be subject to financial review) and open to all residents of Kingston Parish, be advertised in the Kingston Newsletter and on Kingston related social media (e.g. KEG Facebook page) as such and be approved by the Management Committee at least one month in advance of the first session.
- Private parties for Kingston Parish residents are charged at a concessionary rate of £10 per session.
- The downstairs meeting room is charged at £5 per session.
- Bookings are recorded in the Reading Room bookings calendar which is available on the Parish Council website. Please check the calendar before requesting a booking.

All enquiries to:
Benjamin Russell (Rusty), Bookings Secretary – 07824 702465
kingstonreadingroom@gmail.com



SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES IN AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER

	Aveton Gifford 11.00 am	Bigbury 11.00 am	Kingston 9.30 am	Modbury 9.30 am	Ringmore 9.30 am
August 6th	Sunday Worship	Communion	Village Service	Communion	Communion
August 13th	Sunday Worship	Communion	Sunday Worship	Communion (BCP) (8 am) ----- All Age Service	Sunday Worship
August 20th	Communion	Sunday Worship	Communion (11 am)	Communion	Sunday Worship
August 27th	Communion	Sunday Worship	Sunday Worship	Sunday Worship	Communion
September 3rd	Sunday Worship	Village Service	Sunday Worship	Communion	Village Service
September 10th	Sunday Worship	Communion	Sunday Worship	Communion (BCP) (8 am) ----- All Age Service	Sunday Worship
September 17th	Sunday Worship	Sunday Worship	Communion (11 am)	Communion	Sunday Worship
September 24th	Harvest Communion	Sunday Worship	Sunday Worship	Sunday Worship	Communion

Summer Reading

As you think about the summer and perhaps a well-deserved holiday, what is going to make it onto your summer reading list?

A few years ago the comedian Lee Mack was being interviewed on BBC Radio's 'Desert Island Discs'. Like all the other guests he was offered a Bible to take onto the Desert Island. In response he said:

'I'm glad you get the Bible, because I would read the Bible. I think it's quite odd that people like myself, in their forties, are quite happy to dismiss the Bible, but have never read it. I always think, if an alien came down and you were the only person they met, and they said, 'What is life about? What is earth about? Tell us everything? And you said 'Well, there's a book here that purports to tell you everything. Some people believe it to be true; some people do not believe it to be true. 'Wow, what's it like? And you go, 'I don't know, I've never read it.' It would be an odd thing wouldn't it? So, at the very least read it.

If you would like a copy of the Bible for your summer reading list and beyond then please get in contact and I would be happy to hand one on.

Enjoy the summer!

Matt Rowland.

Vicar: The Revd Matt Rowland (830260: every day except (normally) Saturday)
Readers: Joyce Howitt (07929 117397), Gil Snook (07563 663410), Michael Tagent (810520)

ENTRY FORM FOR THE KINGSTON VILLAGE PRODUCE SHOW

Entry Form

Kingston Village Produce Show									
Name				Age if young person					
<i>Our intention is not to be over prescriptive but we recommend that entries should follow commonly accepted standards. Think RHS, Good Housekeeping etc. There will be no Charge for entry but request you make a voluntary donation to cover running costs.</i>									
Please mark the line wish to enter and return this form to Colin or Janet (Dolphin Lodge) or to ProduceinKingston@btinternet.com keeping a copy. Your submission should reflect your Entry but we we do understand that things do go wrong at the last minute.					Entrants will be assigned an entry number for display of their submissions that will be used to identify their entries for the purposes of judging and will be the only means of identification to the judges. Names will be disclosed after the judging for the public to identify the entrants and to allow maximum gloating. Class winners will be calculated and announced with the awards.				
Entry Forms available from the Kingston News letter, Colin or Janet or by request on email ProduceinKingston@btinternet.com				Entrants should refer to the narrative on the Show Brochure for a more complete description for the entry			The Produce Show will open to the Public from 14.00		
Class A		Class B			Class E			Class H	
Vegetables		Cookery			Fruit and Eggs			Photography	
2-5 potatoes	1	Victoria Sponge	1	Plate of 12 berries	1	Stone and Water	1		
2-5 salad potatoes	2	c500g loaf of bread	2	Currants 1xvariety	2	Wildlife/Animals	2		
3 onions	3	4 Scones	3	3 cooking apples	3	Still life	3		
5 shallots	4	Open Fruit Tart/fruit pie	4	3 dessert apples	4	Kingston the village	4		
2 bulbs garlic	5	1 pasty	5	3 pears	5	South Hams Coastal	5		
3 leeks trimmed	6	Class C			3 stalks rhubarb	6	Nature	6	
3 globe beetroot trimmed	7	Drinks			3-5 gages or plums	7	Weather	7	
Soup mix of vegetables	8	Non alcoholic Fruit Syrup	1	3 eggs	8				
3 runner beans	9	Infused Alcoholic Beverage	2			Class I			
5 french beans	10	Cider/Beer	3			Craft			
3 carrots	11	Wine	4	Class F		Scarecrow	1		
Any brassica	12	Class D			Flowers		Exhibit - Recycled materials	2	
1 lettuce	13	Preserves			Flowering house plant	1	Hand Made (soft)	3	
3 courgettes	14	Fruit Jam	1	3 Dahlias	2	Hand Made (hard)	4		
1-3 squash	15	Marmalade	2	Mixed flowers/foilage/grasses	3				
3 radish	16	Chutney/piccaililli	3	3 roses	4				
3 tomatoes any size	17	Condiment	4	Wild Flowers	5	Class K			
5 cherry tomatoes	18			3 Sweet Peas	6	Young Persons (in 3 age groups)			
3 chilli peppers	19	Class J			Patio arrangement	7	Vegetable Hedgehog	1	
2 cucumbers	20	Open Art (in any Medium)			Class G		Plate Garden	2	
Salad mix of 5 vegetables	21	Seascape/Landscape	1	Flower Arrangement		Flower Jam Jar	3		
Amusing Root Vegetable	22	Life	2	Interpretive Class	1	Chocolate cereal cake	4		
Bunch mixed Herbs	23	Still Life	3	Small Arrangement	2	Small/miniature scarecrow	5		
Exhibition Veg (up to 3)	24	Abstract	4	Miniature Arrangement	3	Photograph	6		
Scoring Regime		1st 10 points, 2nd 5 points, 3rd 2 points, highly recommended 1 point.							
Timing		Staging	Please bring your entry to the Reading Room for Staging by our Staging team between 9.00am to 10.45am						
		Judging	From 11.00am						
		Grand Opening	2.00pm						
		Awards	4.00pm						



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We look forward to seeing you.

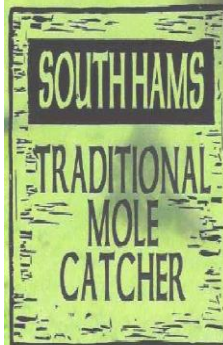
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