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August 1994

The Venerable Graham Roblin, O.B.E.

The Vicarage
Bere Regis
(0929 - 471262)

In one of the obituaries this month, that of George Payne, it is recorded that in retirement, he offered himself for confirmation. I think this shows great courage. For most people, if you have not been baptised as a baby, or confirmed as a teenager, then you have missed out. You've had it. To be baptised as an adult, or confirmed in later life, this would be too embarrassing, or too much of a commitment.

I understand this perfectly. But of course, when you think about it deeply it is clearly nonsense. It is never too late to be baptised. It is never too late to be confirmed. Indeed many of you will think to yourselves that being Baptised in adulthood when you really know what you are doing is far better than "being done" as a baby.

I am a fervent believer in babies being baptised. For me it has nothing to do with the parents. It is God acting. It is God pouring His Grace and Blessing on the child.

I am also a fervent believer in teenagers being prepared for Confirmation. It is a most formative time in their lives. They are eager and open to all the knowledge there is. I want to feed them with the knowledge and understanding of the Christian Faith. The sad fact is that for many, confirmation becomes more like a graduation ceremony - "we needn't do any more now". This is a bad reflection on our teaching or on our present society.

There is a powerful verse in the bible which goes like this. "When I was a child, my speech, my outlook and my thoughts were all childish. When I grew up, I had finished with childish things".

I know that privately, many adults regret not having been baptised or confirmed, but they are anxious about doing anything about it. I should like you to put away this anxiety of it applies to you. You will find nothing but kindness and understanding. George Payne found great contentment by offering himself when he could have done nothing. Do think about it, and look out for an opportunity to come forward when details of adult confirmation discussions are advertised.

Yours ever

Graham Roblin.

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CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday 7th August - TRINITY 10
8.00  Holy Communion (Affpuddle)
9.30  Family Communion (Bere Regis)
11.00 Latvia Link Youth Service (Affpuddle)
6.00  Evensong (Bere Regis)

Sunday 14th August - TRINITY 11
8.00  Holy Communion (Bere Regis)
9.30  Parish Communion (Affpuddle)
11.00 Family Service - informal service (Bere Regis)
6.00  Evensong (Bere Regis)

Sunday 21st August - TRINITY 12
8.00  Holy Communion (Affpuddle)
9.30  Parish Communion (Bere Regis)
11.00 Affpraise (Affpuddle)
6.00  Evensong (Bere Regis)

Wednesday 24th August - St Bartholomew
7.00pm Holy Communion (Bere Regis)

Sunday 28th August - TRINITY 13
8.00  Holy Communion (Bere Regis)
9.30  Parish Communion (Affpuddle)
11.00 Mattins (Bere Regis)
6.00  Evensong Holy Communion - Healing Service (Bere Regis)

CHURCH DUTY ROTA

BERE REGIS SIDESMEN AUGUST 1994

August 7th  9.30  Mr. House / Mr. Bates
           6.00  Mr. Dashwood / Mr. Ward
August 14th 11.00 Mrs. Stevens / Mr. Croom
           6.00  Mrs Jutting / Mr Barnes
August 21st 9.30  Mr. Strange / Mrs. Hazelrigg
           6.00  Mrs. March / Miss Chesney
August 28th 11.00  Col. Barne / Miss Miller
           6.00  Mrs. Ward / Miss Frampton

SANCTUARY FLOWER GUILD

August 7th  Autumn Leaves
August 14th Mrs. D Barnes  Mrs. B Cobb
August 21st Mrs. E Bangay  Mrs. S Stevens
August 28th Mrs. K Bates  Mrs. Hudson

BERE REGIS READERS - AUGUST

August 7th  Mrs. S Stevens  Mrs. E Jutting
August 14th Mrs. P Mills  Mrs. S Frampton
August 21st Mrs. P Ward  Mrs. S Frampton

BERE REGIS BELLRINGERS

Practices start again on Wednesday evening September 21st at 6.30pm. New learners welcome.

The latest addition to our programme of visiting ringing groups is one from the Bridgwater area on Saturday 10th September from 4.15 to 5.00pm

AFFPUDDLE

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MOWING ROTA

For the fortnight beginning:-

25th July    Richard Hall, David Hall, Tim Reed
8th August   Paul Badcock, Campbell de Burgh, David Russell
22nd August  Sandy Moriarty, Simon Scott, Julian Scott

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CHURCH NOTICES
THE GREAT CYCLE RIDE. For some years now the Dorset Historic Churches Trust organise a Sponsored Cycle Ride around the lanes that join our wonderful old churches. Cyclists visit as many churches as they like; they start where they like and finish where they like. Last year two local, famous, and not over physical members of our Parishes proved it was possible to start from a high point and free wheel to quite a number of churches, thus achieving good sponsorship. This year, you can do it!
The day is Saturday 10th September. The people to contact, or the people to avoid in case they persuade you. You are not that old are:-
Mr. David Payne, 7 Bladen View, Milborne St Andrew.
Telephone 0258 - 837700 (for Affpuddle)
Miss S Frampton, 1 Tower Hill, Bere Regis.
Telephone 471643 (for Bere Regis)

AN EXHIBITION IN BERE REGIS CHURCH. One of the ancient festivals of the country areas of our land is LAMMAS. It was the week-end when people offered what was called the “first fruits of the land” in church. Rather like Harvest Festival, it meant a great deal to those involved in the farms, and it still is to those brought up in our villages.
This year, the people who live in Cyril Wood Court have offered to mount an exhibition of their art in the church. There will be a great range of beautiful church vestments, altar frontals and robes; paintings of local scenes will be exhibited and a whole range of crafts created by artists of Cyril Wood Court will be on display. It is an exhibition only, but anyone wishing to purchase an item will be able to do so privately with the exhibitor.
The church will be decorated with flowers and the general theme will be “The Church in the Countryside”.
Opening times: 10.30am - 5.30pm.

AFFRAISE FAMILY SERVICE. 11.00am Sunday 21 August
Picnics and barbecues are popular in the summer holidays, and we’ve had some in the parish recently. Getting the food together can seem quite a hassle, but is all works out if everyone plays their part or contributes their share. Jesus presided at an enormous picnic once, after he had taught the people for a long time outdoors and far from their homes. Come along to our service today and hear how he solved the food problem! All are welcome.

AFFPUDDLE and BERE REGIS. This year, we have started having a combined service on the fifth Sunday of the month (this only occurs 3 to 4 times a year).
On 31st July, we are having a Special Service in the grounds of TURNESPUDDLE CHURCH at 11 o’clock. After the service there will be a chance to meet together socially, by having a picnic. It will be a “bring your own picnic”, but as other people’s picnics are always better than your own, why not share? It should be a lovely occasion.

PARISH HOLIDAYS. During the last week in June Affpuddle Parish was host to Dr. and Mrs. Allebrand who were our only guests in the Parish Holiday Scheme which is organised by the Highway Trust Ltd. to enable parishes throughout England and Wales to raise funds for their church/parish.
Unfortunately unlike the two previous occasions when Affpuddle participated the response was poor and we only entertained two guests. However, a varied programme was organised for George and Janice which included visits to Salisbury, Sherborne Montacute, Kingston Lacy, Corfe Castle, the Tank Museum, Clouds Hill, Hardy’s birthplace, Poole and Dorchester. Our guests were entertained by three families in the Parish and three other families provided delicious picnic lunches. Sue and Peter Taylor provided accommodation.
The Churchwardens and P.C.C. are most grateful to all those who accompanied the visitors on the outings, who provided picnic lunches, who entertained our guests in any way and who helped to make the venture a success. Despite the poor response and thanks to everyone’s help and generosity £513.13 has been raised for church funds.

FROM THE REGISTERS
Funerals
Mr. George Payne, Affpuddle, 30th June 1994
Sir Frederick Coates, Bere Regis and Affpuddle, 1st July 1994

Baptisms
Bere Regis 3rd July Samuel David Loveless
17th July Charlene Bett Gale
Amber Watts
10th July Robert Stephan Greening
Samuel James Greening

OBITUARIES
MR ROBERT WILLIAM CHARLES GEORGE PAYNE (aged 81)
George, as he was always called, died suddenly on the morning of Monday 27th June. He had been poorly for some months, but then about a month previous, he made a remarkable recovery and was able to return to his beloved home in Briantspuddle. He hated being away from home, so it was lovely for him and his family to be together. He had a very good last month, and on the day before his death, he was able to indulge in his great hobby, whist.
George was a man of Dorset. Born at Wool, he spent all his working life on the land, mostly as a woodsman, either in the local forests, or on the army ranges. His father had done the same thing before him, so it was in his blood.

The bicycle was the liberating force when he was a young man, and in one of his forays into the wider world, he met his wife. He had cycled to Charminster to do some sheep shearing. That was fifty three years ago. They moved into a cottage on the Morton Estate, and there they stayed, bringing up their two children, Doris and David. It was a life of certain hardship, and the war came with its inevitable disruptions, but they were very contented.

On retirement, George had to move, and they came to the bungalow in Briantspuddle. Here gardening and whist were the dominant hobbies. He also looked after the churchyard, with his son David, for some seventeen years. The church became an important part of his life, and in 1969, he offered himself for Confirmation. It was to be a big moment in his life, and only a week before he died, there he was at the Pet Service on the green, singing away with gusto and happiness.

A large congregation crowded into the Affpuddle church to remember with great thanksgiving a man of Dorset and of the land; a devoted husband, father, grandfather and friend. As one of his whist friends said, “he was given a good hand and he played it well”.

“May he rest in the love of God.”

BRIGADIER SIR FREDERICK COATES, Bt.

Suddenly, at home, on the afternoon of June 24th, Sir Frederick Coates died, after a lifetime of adventure, hardship, resilience and fun; a lifetime “lived to the full”.

He came to the parish with his wife “Johnny” after leaving the army. It was here that he spent his retirement years, enjoying his passion, sailing.

The son of the lord mayor of Belfast, he was educated at Eton and Sandhurst and commissioned into the Royal Tank Regiment. At the outbreak of war he was sent to the Middle East, and was wounded for the first time in 1941. He lost most of one hand. After a spell at home he was part of the Normandy Landings, D-Day +5, and was one of those who pushed towards the Rhine. His tank was over the river, and he was standing by it, when he was hit by shell fragments, wounding him very severely. From that moment he had a pronounced limp, and the need to use one or two sticks.

His indomitable spirit took over. He knew he would not be a fighting soldier again, so he changed tack. He went to a “crammer” and by sheer hard work retrained at the Royal Military College of Science. This led to a highly successful career as a technical staff officer, at the Fighting Vehicles Research and Development Establishment. From this time onwards, he was to be the man who promoted the development of the tank, leading to the modern Chieftain.

Sailing soon began to take over his spare time. He loved it. He helped found the RAC Yacht Club; he was a well known and respected member of the Royal Yacht Squadron, and a very active of the RNLI, as well as chairman of the Poole Maritime Trust. Inevitably he was also a most keen and active supporter of the Royal Tank Regiment Old Comrades Association.

His courage was legendary. Although always walking with difficulty, and in pain, sit him in a boat and he was “at home”. So it was that he set out on the disastrous 1979 Fastnet race. His yacht was knocked down three times by high seas, he was swept overboard and safely hauled back to the cheers of his crew.

Happily, he was still sailing with his wife in their yacht within a fortnight of his death.

One of the most moving and remarkable sights was to see Sir Frederick making his way to the altar rail, dropping his sticks and launching himself forward to arrive safely at the kneeling position. Anyone with a minor pain or ailment was shamed into silence. He was a very fine man who loved life, loved people, and loved God. The large congregation who poured into Bere Regis church bore witness to the phrase used in The Times obituary of him, “He was universally popular”.

May he rest in peace.

Thanks for Sympathy

The family of the late Mrs. Mabel Cleall would like to thank all friends and neighbours for their many cards and messages of Sympathy received during their sad loss, also for the beautiful floral tributes, our thanks to those who attended the service and special thanks to the Venerable Graham Robin for conducting the Service of thanksgiving.

Please accept this as our personal message of thanks.

THE DORSET LATVIA LINK

It is possible that by the time you receive this issue our visitors will have already arrived from Ikskile to join our Summer Camp a TRIGON near Wareham. We pray for good weather and a trouble-free stay for them all. Anyone who would like to help with the camp may contact either Phil Ventham on 471215 or me on 471577. Alternatively there will be an opportunity for everyone to meet them on Sunday 7th August at the 11 o’clock service at Affpuddle followed by a picnic at Culpepper’s Dish. Please bring your own picnic and something to drink. (If the weather is inclement we will meet at Briantspuddle Village Hall).

Jenny Silavs, Hon. Sec.

ANTON SILAVS

Many of you will be aware that at Christmas 1991 Jenny and I went to Ikskile in Latvia to meet my father and family after an absence of 47 years. Following this visit, The Dorset Latvia Link was born and the rest, as they say, is history. Sadly my father died on 22 June (2 days before his 81st birthday) after a long illness, but I was very fortunate indeed to be with him and the family at this very sad time.
and to be able to attend his funeral. I would like to express my sincere thanks to all our friends, and especially to the members of The Dorset Latvia Link, for their help and support particularly of Jenny during my absence, at this difficult time.

My father was very interested in the work of The Link and met many of the members during the two visits that we made as a group. He was still "brushing up" his English until shortly before his death in anticipation of further visits and I know that he was very proud to have been connected in some small way with the work of The Dorset Latvia Link. George Silavs

BERE REGIS NEWS

RECYCLING ORGANIC WASTE. It has been estimated that 30% of household waste is organic, not including newspaper. Much of this can be composted on our gardens, saving a great deal of money and the world a lot of peat (which is a valuable and unrenewable resource).

The properties of organic waste and compost material contaminate other dry waste material. It can attract flies and produce unpleasant odours.

Most of this waste is buried and can increase pollution as organic waste breaking down in landfill sites combines with rain and other substances and generates a noxious fluid called "leachate". Leachate can leak out of the landfill site and pollute rivers and contaminate drinking water supplies.

When organic waste breaks down in anaerobic conditions of a landfill it generates gas and the major component is methane which is highly explosive and it contributes to the increase on the greenhouse effect.

When it comes to the disposal of household organic waste, home composting is the ideal answer.

Purbeck District Council is currently promoting home composting and has the leaflets available for interested members of the public explaining how to make a compost bin and offering guaranteed discounts on factory produced composters and wormeries.

For further information please contact Sally Wilcox telephone 0929 556561 ext. 281, or write to Purbeck District Council, Westport House, Worgret Road, Wareham, BH20 4PP.

PARISH COUNCIL. At the July meeting the Council received reports concerning the Local Government reorganisation and the meetings held regarding the Waste to Energy Plant that is rumoured to be planned.

The Local Government Commissioners have proposed that the future local Government of Dorset should be based upon three Unitary Authorities (Councils). These would be two in the conurbation of Bournemouth with Christchurch and Poole. The third would be the remainder of Dorset.

An alternative structure based on four Authorities by splitting the rural Dorset Authority into two, eg East and West has also been included by the Commissioners. The Commissioners are very concerned that as much public participation is entered into on this important debate and invite everybody to respond either as individuals or as organisations. All households will receive a questionnaire and are invited to respond by 21 September, 1994. The Parish Council will be responding after a further discussion at their meeting in August.

Concerning the Waste to Energy Plant there has as yet (15th July) not been an application to build a plant. A very factual seminar was held by the County Council where the problems of waste disposal in Dorset were explained together with the various methods of dealing with it. Burying is now so expensive that methods previously considered expensive look more reasonable, particularly with the grants that are available for producing energy from non fossil fuels and the returns for the power generated. The risks of such schemes were all aired but in the end the one which appeared to be the best solution and most acceptable, eg composting the rubbish, failed because the compost can not be used anywhere in the human or animal food chain. The problems lie in the heavy metals content. With the waste to Energy Plant, using an incinerator, these impurities can be filtered out before they can emerge from the stack. With a composter there is no such filtration. If you are asking where these nasties come from just consider what you do with your old torch batteries and paint tins etc.

The really safe solution is for a disciplined populace separating all of their own waste and for this to be collected and dealt with as appropriate. There would then be no discussion concerning toxis, dioxins and heavy metals, but then we do not live in a perfect world. The discussion will continue and the Council will keep you informed.

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LIBRARY. Please note that from Thursday 4th August the Library will be visiting Bere Regis on THURSDAYS and not as present on Fridays. The location will be as present in the Car Park but the times will be 10.50 to 12.25.

MOTHER'S UNION

Our July meeting commenced with Communion, taken by the Vicar, and afterwards we had our Annual Meeting. At this meeting Mrs. Di Phillips was elected as our enrolling member and Mrs. Eileen Bangay was thanked for her past three years as enrolling member.

On the 3rd August we are to have a social evening at Culverdell, the home of Mrs. Di Phillips.

BERE REGIS WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

In June we had our members evening, when Mrs. Fysh gave a talk on research into the Women's Land Army, and members were able to give their war time experience in the village. After which we all enjoyed a delicious supper.

The next meeting will be in September.
AUTUMN LEAVES OVER 50's CLUB.
At our July meeting we had the Rose competition, with about 30 entries. The winner of the Rose Bowl was Mrs. Selby, and the judge was Mrs. Penny Roblin. There was a wonderful display of teapots, and an exhibition of necklaces. The prettiest, judged by the members, belonged to Mrs. Peggy Tharby. The afternoon ended with a cream tea.

On August 10th we are all invited to Larkspur, by Kath and Charlie for tea.

BERE REGIS SCOUT GROUP
Welcome to our Scouting friends from Latvia!
When you read this their camp, together with the local scouts and venture scouts, will be under way with an interesting and adventurous programme produced by a lot of hard work, time and organisation by the Scout Group leaders and Latvia Link members. Visits to Brownsea Island, the birthplace of Scouting, Salisbury and London are included.

You are welcome to come to a family picnic to meet them on Sunday 7th August at 1.00 in Culpepper's dish.

The Cub Pack Holiday at bowling Green Wood (part of Lulworth Castle grounds) was lucky this year with near perfect weather and again very encouraging parental support for the leaders. The usual energetic activities produced large appetites and after the usual very late settling into tents on the first night, deep sleep and a chance for leaders to relax. Thankyou on behalf of all the cubs to everyone who made it possible.

The Venture Unit usually find a 'different' place for their AGM and this year I was privileged to be invited to their meeting inside the lifeboat which had been used for the TV Lifeboat series. I was somewhat relieved to find it was on dry land awaiting offers for its sale at the RNLI Headquarters at Poole as I envisaged bouncing up and down on waves in the quite strong breeze which was blowing that evening. I was asked to present Duke of Edinburgh Bronze awards to three more of the Venture Unit members making a total of thirteen out of the fifteen members of the Unit, quite a record for a Scout Group I think. Thanks to Phil Ventham and Daniel Bull for their invitation to hear about some of the results of their hard work and patience. JCE

THE CONGREGATIONAL CHAPEL
Have you heard the story of the proud greyhound, who bragged about his great running ability to the rest of the animal kingdom? Well, it wasn't long before his claims were up to the test by a hare. With ease the little creature outran his barking pursuer, and disappeared out of sight, much to the delight of all the other watching animals and birds. The beaten dog proudly excused himself, however, by saying, "You forget folks, that I was only running for fun, but the hare was running for its LIFE!"

You know, motivation makes a big difference to almost everything we SAY and DO. Do we eat to live, or live to eat? Without a motive in our life we just drift and stagnate. What motivates YOU? What makes you 'motor' along? Is it the demands of everyday living, my family, my job, my home, my car, my boss, my holiday, my hobby, everyday pleasures, running for fun? All centred around ME and MY, here and now, and that's bound to end one day - then what? What if JESUS CHRIST is at the centre of my whole LIFE? If he was the motivator for me having life on this earth in the first place, so now He is my motive for living each day? What a difference that makes, for it gives full meaning to LIFE, not only here and now, but here after. "For to ME, to LIVE is CHRIST". Philippians 1:21. Now that's what I call 'RUNNING FOR LIFE - with Jesus my LORD.

2nd BERE REGIS GUIDES
6 girls took part in our annual sponsored sleepout in aid of St Mungo's (who provides shelter for some of London's homeless) and our own unit funds. They slept under the stars and even spotted a few satellites whizzing around - yes it was a beautiful clear night. Approximately £45 was raised, well done to Zoe, Kirsty Emma, Donna, Natalie and Sarah.

Our next event is a short one night lightweight camp at the beginning of the summer holidays. We are also continuing with our wildlife survey and badge work at Tisbury Court.

Hoping you all enjoy the summer holidays and see you full of enthusiasm in September.

Is there anyone out there who would be able to help run the Rainbow unit here in Bere Regis. We also need new Brownie Guides, Jane & Jane, due to pressure of work, will be leaving soon. CAN YOU HELP??? If you have a few spare hours each week please ring Pat Bentley on 471875.

SANDFORD MIDDLE SCHOOL
I am sure you will be sorry to hear that the Head, Patrick Bloomfield, has decided to leave Sandford to take up a new challenging post as head of an Isle of Wight school. His years here have seen some major changes in our education system and he has coped admirably leaving the school in a very good shape. We thank him for his leadership and wish him and his wife well for the future.

The Governing Body is please to be able to announce that they have appointed Mr. Geoffrey Pike as the new headteacher starting in January. Mr. Pike is at present a deputy head at Ferndown Middle School.

For the new school year Peter Searle, the deputy head, will be acting headteacher until the new head's appointment.

The school is very grateful for the support of parents and friends at the Summer Fete held at the school last month. About £1200 was raised at this event. Future
fund raising ‘Car Boot sales’ are to be held at the School in the autumn term on the following dates; 25th September, 16th October, 20th November and 18th December.

JCE

1st BERE REGIS BROWNIES

Brownies have now finished for the summer holidays and will start again at the beginning of September.

in the meantime, we are looking for new Leaders to take over the running of the Pack. Both of us have been involved with the Brownies for two years and have enjoyed ourselves immensely. Unfortunately, due to work commitments, we are no longer able to continue. We are therefore asking for volunteers to come forward.

The Brownies meet on a Wednesday from 6.00pm till 7.15pm - obviously time is also needed to prepare for the evening, badges, etc., and is variable. At the moment, we have 14 girls (all between 7 and 10), although the Pack can be up to 24 when full. Patience and humour are essential, but the rewards are worth it!

Jane Storey 471041 - Jane Prior 472390.

BERE REGIS CUBS

Thankyou to all cubs and their families who have supported us throughout our action-packed summer term programme of events.

The District Cub Sports Competition at Bovington Middle School on July 9th produced a welter of talent. Cubs ran, threw, dribbled (football) and jumped as though their lives depended on it. The reward for all this effort was an overall THIRD placing - the best we've ever done - a remarkable achievement for a small village Cub Pack up against the larger packs for Upton and Lychett Minster, and Wool and Bovington. WELL DONE TO ALL OUR CUBS! A special thanks to our mighty eight: the Tug -o-War team who heaved their way to the final and were only just beaten.

The Cubs have also been on two camps this term. The pack camp at Bowling Green Woods where they practised tracking skills, hiked, played wide games, did backwoods cooking, built bivouacs and worked towards their Camper’s badges. Then taking part in a District Camp at Lulworth Castle where a round of 15 activity bases meant trying your hand at anything, from craft skills like making a Boomerang, to Water games (ideal for the hot weather we had), to Assault courses and Abseiling. A variety of new experiences which they all seemed to enjoy.

As any Cub will tell you, we've done a lot of other activities as well. We finish the term on a fun note, with a “Where's Wally”? entry in the carnival - did you spot where Wally was?

Wishing all Cubs and their families a Happy Summer Holiday. See you back at Cubs on Thursday 15th September.

MIND THE WORLD

Can you help us fill up 2 Banana Boxes?

We are looking for some lightweight items to fill the spaces left in two boxes of writing materials which we plan to send to a primary school in Uganda.

If anyone could help by supplying either small pieces of thin cotton fabric or sewing needles, we should be most grateful.

Items please to Pat Mills, Merrydown, Shitterton or Phillpa Ward, 16 North Street or to any other member of the “Mind the World” committee.

Many thanks

PW

THE R.B.L. WOMEN'S SECTION

Our last meeting was held on May 18th, 22 members attended, minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed. The Treasurer gave a good report on our Bank Balance, as result the following donations were made:- Benevolent, £200. General, £100. County, £100.

Speakers act this meeting were Mr. A Crabb and Mrs. D Phillips on “Dorset Dialect”, this most interesting and humorous. Teas were then served and a raffle was run.

June 15th was our annual mystery tour, several members and friends enjoyed the trip via the New Forest with tea at Lyndhurst, then wending our way back with a stop for a drink and ending our afternoon and evening with a fish & chip supper.

June 18th, our Annual Fete was held at H.Q.’s, this realised £200.20p. Our grateful thanks for all who donated, helped and supported us.

Cenotaph for August Mrs. Bert and Mrs. Carr.

RBL GARDENING CLUB

The Carnival is Over. By the time you read this half the Club Committee will be in hiding. Or sporting beards and speaking gruffly in deep deep voices. What a performance. Great fun though. Blame Elaine, it was her idea. ‘Fairies at the Bottom of the Garden’ indeed.

Last months Bees in Your Garden went down well. Very professional, and played to a full house as usual.

Bring your brains along with you to this months Club Nite. Its Quiz time once again. The proper one I mean. Not like the Christmas fiasco by yours truly. No cheating, no help, no clues but prizes for the winning team.
In case you have mislaid your card its . .

AUGUST 2nd        QUIZ NITE        QUIZMASTER SUE STONE

8pm start but come early to sort out your team-mates.

September 6th you’ll find out how to ENJOY YOUR GARDEN with our old friend Tom McKinley. Very knowledgeable and always good for a chuckle. As a first time allotment holder I could do with a laugh. The title alone is enough to make me choke.

Here’s a delightful little tit-bit. On 20th August, Woodbury Hill will be swarming with Foresters. No, its not the Woodchoppers Ball. These are the noble order kind and they have cordially invited Gardening Club members and guests to join them on the hill for their BAR-B-CUE jamboree. Entrance is FREE but you pay for your grub. Those of you who attended last year’s Club Party Nite will be pleased to know that Elaine and Adrian Standfield are taking care of the catering. ‘Nuff said.

As a Newcomer to the Village I missed the fairs on Woodbury Hill but have heard a lot about them from an Old Timer pal. It would be great to have regular ‘dos’ on the Hill again.

See you-all on Tuesday 2nd. Dress optional.

BERE REGIS FLORAL GROUP

This months report includes our June demonstrator Mrs. Angela Tunstall of Bridgwater, whose theme of “IMPRESSIONS” covered a wide range from and English Country Garden featuring a basket filled with an array of garden flowers such as astrantia, stephanandra, astrolemeria and ivy etc., to her impression of Ascot. This was a striking arrangement on a wrought iron pedestal using large exotic blooms to great effect and topped with a feathered hat!

July’s demonstrator was Frederick Burdock of Salisbury whose theme was “BIRDS OF A FEATHER”. An entertaining afternoon using birds to adorn his arrangements. Mr. Burdock started with the delightful English Blackbird using contorted hazel, cow parsley and dried materials. Other arrangements included an all blue colour scheme using campanulas, scabious and agapanthus, together with maroon berberis and an Owl. Geese were used for two arrangements, one with dried and fresh grasses, seed heads, dried palm leaves, hostas and gold carnations. The other in contrast was a kitchen arrangement using a wide variety of herbs, geraniums, dried grapes and pineapple. Mr. Burdock finished with most exciting arrangements of pinks and yellows housing a parrot.

As is customary there will be no meeting in August. the next meeting will be held on Tuesday 13th September at 2.30pm at Winterborne Kingston Village Hall. The demonstrator will be Mrs. Jean Cox of Bournemouth whose theme will be “FLORAL FLUTTER”.

BERE REGIS SPORTS CLUB

Cricket Results

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Report

Deep into their season, the club were searching for much needed morale boosting victories as the double whammy of relegation was an ever present threat. However there were green shoots appearing in the falling campaign. Close games are a feature of Bere’s play at home, and with Pimperne visiting there was no exception, the batsmen worked hard at the top of the order to forge out what was to be a winning score. The bowlers failed to reach their mark and Pimperne were secure until a three wicket burst ensured a tight finish which culminated in five run outs as Bere’s fielding closed in like a spider’s web. Another solid home performance followed against arch rivals Yetminster, when once again it was the sharpness and ability to defend runs that brought Bere home. Nine wickets were shared between The Kerb and Steve Cheeseman coming out from behind the stumps. A third win out of four was settled as once again it was Steve Cheeseman, this time with bat who added a club record 62 with Lyndon White to steer Bere to safety after collapsing to 92 for 7, the hot cauldron of the Delph was not too much as Bere went on to bowl their way to rich deserved victory. With team charged on the following Sunday, it was a lack-lustre performance from a side who crumbled in the face of some unorthodox batting, and the score had proved too much for Bere despite a battling maiden fifty from Roger “Oz” Goswell. Table toppers Wimborne 2nds were next on the agenda and the skipper Russell Hewitt returned to form with a fighting 63 off some hostile bowling. Wimborne rarely lived up to their champion’s tag but were too good in the end as Bere contrived to throw the game away along with 19 valuable points.
The seconds have been experiencing a most Jekyll and Hyde season as they have beaten sides above them whilst hoping to climb the table to reach safety. Much fancied St. Georges took Bere on and on their luxurious carpet Bere reached a woefully inadequate 128 with Reg Fripp, the star from Sunset Strip smashing his way to a rapid 46. Bere were cruelly exposed in the field and despite taking four wickets they were always finishing second. In the dust of the Delph, Bere batted first and were off to a flyer with new found star Roger Goswell hitting his way to 45, and big hitting from Steve Cheeseman and Perry Spicer made sure Bere reached maximum batting points, but once again there was an absence of that killer instinct as the score of 176 was surpassed with ease, however there were some promising performances with Johnny D and clousettes delighting the crowd with the flourish of the bat. A four pointer confronted Bere with basement boys Portland III, and the return of mighty skipper Mr Rotavator bolstered Bere's ranks and batted his way to a winning position and a rejuvenating points at a surprisingly warm and pleasant Portland.

With the temperatures soaring and talk of hosepipe bans, the time of year has arrived for the resumption of football training. The first and second elevens have received new managers and despite relegation from Division One, there still is a competitive second division to play in. Training will take place on Wednesdays at the recreation ground under the watchful eye of an ex-army PT and qualified FA coach. All players, new, old and alike are most welcome, come along and put Bere back into the top flight.

AFFPUDDLE NEWS

WILLIAM FRAMPTON EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

Grants are available for young people living in the Parishes of MORETON, AFFPUDDLE and BRIANTSPuddle who are undergoing apprenticeships, further education, or a period of training, and who are in need of financial assistance.

Apply to:- The Clerk, William Frampton Educational Foundation, Sawenake House, 42 High West Street, Dorchester, Dorset.

PIDDLE DUCK RACE

The Briantspuddle Hall Committee have organised a duck race to be held on Saturday 6th August, the day of the Horticultural Show, at 1.00pm. Why not have a fluffer on a duck?

You may "purchase" a duck from any Hall Committee member at £1 per duck. The ducks will be lowered into the river at Briantspuddle Bridge and the owners of the first three ducks to arrive at the right of way footbridge in the watermeadow will win £50, £25 and £10 respectively and the last duck to arrive will win a surprise... have a go and help raise funds for the Hall. Lady Neill has kindly agreed for the public to follow the race in her field and Mr. Meaden has kindly agreed for three stewards to be on his land to keep an eye on the ducks. We must stress that no member of the public is allowed to enter the river and parents are asked to keep their children away from the waters edge. teas and ice creams will be available in the Hall yard afterwards at the horticultural show.

If you do not manage to purchase any ducks before the date of the race we will be selling ducks during the last half hour before the start of the race at the bridge and in the hall yard. The Hall Committee is most grateful to Wessex Water for sponsoring the race.

THANK YOU

Mrs. Payne, Doris and David would like to thank everyone who sent letters, cards, messages of sympathy in their sad loss. Also thank you to all who attended the service and gave donations for the church. Special thanks to the Revd. Graham Roblin for such a lovely service, Dennis for reading the lesson, The Royal British Legion for their offers of help and also the Bladen Social Club for providing the refreshments and the club room at our convenience.

Yours sincerely, Daisy Payne

BLADEN SOCIAL CLUB

Horticultural Show, Saturday 6th August

Entries close on Thursday 4th August. All exhibits to the Village Hall and staged before 10.30am please on Saturday morning. The show opens at 2.15pm.

CAR BOOT SALE

The car boot sale, to be held on Saturday 6th August, will be from 1pm until 4.30pm. Cost per car will be £5, space is limited so please book your place soon. Tel. BR 471766.

Teas will be served during the afternoon and there will be games, raffles and various stalls. If you would like to run a stall please telephone BR 471766.

Evening Entertainment: Barbecue in the Hall yard from 8pm until 9pm with a village skittles knock-out competition.

Entry fee per team will be £2 per team of 4 people. The competition starts at 8pm sharp. if you wish to enter a team please tel. 471766.

Tuesday Club: 9th and 23rd August, 7th and 20th September, 2.30pm Bladen Social Club

Village Quiz: Saturday 3rd September

Again, £2 per team of 4 people. All profits from the quiz will be donated to Bere Regis Surgery, along with the money raised from the Vic Gale memorial darts knock-out competition on 30th July.
What a splendid trip we had, all the way to Oxford in a school bus, Saturday 25th June! The weather was extremely kind to us, as was the driver who took us on a grand tour around the countryside on the way there and the way back, thus avoiding all the usual Saturday traffic jams and at the same time treating us to the lovely countryside we so often miss when seated in our cars, which of course are much lower than coaches. Oxford was wonderful and well worth perhaps a second visit next year. We were most grateful to the landlord at Tarrant Hinton for allowing us to invade his pub at such short notice (10 minutes) and serving us so quickly with their splendid meals.

Our meeting in July was followed by a talk on Crossing the Arctic Circle which almost cooled up off in our present heat wave. On Saturday 20th August there will be a fundraising barbecue at Delaware, Briantspuddle, weather permitting. All oar most welcome. There will be a bring and buy stall. Food will be available from 12.30, but the gathering will commence at 12 midday.

BRIANTSpuDLE HALL COMMITTEE
The Annual General Meeting of the Briantspuddle Hall Committee was held at the Hall on 8th June 1994.
The following elections took place:-
**Elected Committee Members:-** Mrs. Vingoe, Mrs. Badcock, Mrs. Tucker, Mrs. Thorniley, Mrs. Killer.

**Village Organisation Representatives:-**
Co-opted - Mr J Russell.

The following Officers were re-elected:-
Chairman - Mrs. Vingoe, Hon. Secretary - Mrs. Badcock, Hon. Treasurer - Mrs. Thorniley.

Consideration was given to approaching two other people to be co-opted onto the Committee. The Committee would welcome suggestions or volunteers for this task. It is important that any willing talent can be utilised for the local public good.

The previous year’s fundraising had been successful. The 1993 Street Fair had raised £1158.00. The Committee had run a cakes/jams stall at Milton Abbas Street Fair which had raised £445.00. The Christmas Fair had raised £183.00.

The accounts were presented to the meeting. During the previous financial year a Fund Raising Current Account had been opened with Portman Building Society. Sufficient funds were retained in this account to deal with expenditure connected to the main with the Street Fair and other fund raising events. The opening of this account had helped to separate the fund raising and administrative functions of the committee. During the previous year the running expenditure on the hall had been £2741.00. The Thatching/Buildings Funds stood at Portman Building Society £7788.00. Post Office £9715.00. Barclays Bank Deposit Account £2113.00.

In order to facilitate the preparation of the end of year accounts it was agreed that the accounting period should be changed from 1st April to 31st March to 1st January to 31st December. The period after 31st March tended to be very busy with the preparation for the Street Fair and January was generally a quieter month with more time to prepare end of year accounts.

Other matters:- The poor result of the 1994 Street fair due to the bad weather conditions on the day. The introduction on an experimental basis of a Duck Race to be held in August.

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH
I am sorry to report that during the past quarter there have been more 'break-ins' and thefts from the villages.

Many years ago it was the responsibility of the police to ensure the security of your home or business. Owing to the increase in crime and the shortage of police to deal with it every citizen must now assume this responsibility. The police are now so stretched that they spend nearly all their time trying to catch the suspects after the event.

Every parishioner, must to a large extent, be responsible for the security of their homes and businesses. The police will advise people how best they can secure their property. I have some forms which you can fill in and request a survey, if you want one, let me know - it is too late when you have been burgled.

Nothing that you do for physical security will be without cost but it may save you from worry and loss of property. The following should be considered.

(a) Special door locks, these will make it much more difficult for thieves to break in and get out with your goods.

(b) Window locks. A thief may break a small area of glass near the latch and open the window. If the window is securely locked he will have to break all the glass to make an entry and exit with your property. Note: If the doors are locked without the keys available he will have to escape through the window.

(c) Garden tools. Recently a number of garden tools have been stolen including expensive lawnmowers. Keep them locked up.

(d) Alarms. You may think it worth while fitting sound and lighting alarms.

Finally let me remind you that the security of your property is your responsibility. Remember to lock your doors and windows when you are out at night.

Everyone should, however, be vigilant and note anything suspicious particularly car numbers which give you concern. Keep an eye on your neighbours property particularly when they are on holiday.

Bill Thorniley
DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

August 1994
6th 1.00pm Duck Race, Briantspuddle, 2.15pm Horticultural Show, Briantspuddle
6th-9th 10.30am - 5.30pm Lammas Exhibition, Bere Regis Church
20th 7.30pm Foresters Barbecue, Woodbury Hill Farm

CHURCH AND VILLAGE ACTIVITIES

AGE CONCERN 2.00 pm Thursdays, Turberville Court
AUTUMN LEAVES 2.30 pm 2nd Wednesday
BEAVERS 6.30 pm Monday, Scout HQ
BINGO 7.45 pm Drax Hall (Mondays)
BRITISH LEGION CLUB 7.00-11.30 pm Monday-Saturday,
12.00-2.00 pm & 7.30-10.30 pm Sunday
BRITISH LEGION WOMENS SECTION 2.30 pm 3rd Wednesday, HQ
BRITISH LEGION YOUTH 7.00-10.00 pm Wednesday
BROWNIES 6-7.15 pm Wednesday, Scout HQ
B.R.S.C. Winter Season Opening Times: Tues,
Wed & Fri 7.00 pm, Sat 4.25 pm,
Sun 7.30 pm
BRIANTSPUDDLE SINGERS Tues 7.45-9.30 - Village Hall
CHOIR PRACTICE 6pm Junior, 6.30pm Full Choir, Friday
in Church
CUBS 6.30 pm Thursday, Scout HQ
D.S.S. VAN First Mondays 10.15-11am - BR P.O./car park
FLORAL GROUP 2.30 pm 2nd Tuesday,
W. Kingston Village Hall
GUIDES 6.30 pm Tuesday, Scout HQ
MINI MARKET 10.00 am 2nd Saturday, Drax Hall
MOBILE LIBRARY Every Thursday-10.50am-12.25pm Car Park
MOTHER & TODDLER 2.00 pm Monday, Congregational Church
MOTHERS UNION 7.30 pm 1st Wednesday, Vicarage
PARISH COUNCIL 7.00 pm Second Thursday - Drax Hall.
Sub-Committees on PO noticeboard.
PLAYGROUP BERE REGIS 5 mornings Bere Regis School - Tel 463214
PLAYGROUP BRIANTSPUDDLE Enquiries Gill Jennings 471198
RAINBOWS 4.30 pm Tuesdays - Scout HQ
RBL GARDENING CLUB 1st Tues, 8.00 pm - Club House
SCOUTS Junior - 7.30 pm Monday, Scout HQ
Senior - 7.00 pm Friday, Scout HQ

SUNDAY SCHOOL 10.15 am Sundays in Church
W.I. BERE REGIS 7.30 pm 3rd Tuesday, Drax Hall
W.I. BRIANTSPUDDLE 7.30 pm 1st Wednesday, Village Hall
TUESDAY CLUBS:
JUNIOR CLUB 7.00 pm 6-9 years, Congregational Church
YOUTH CLUB 7.00 pm 9 & over, Congregational Church
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