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January 1994

The Venerable Graham Roblin, O.B.E.

"CHILDREN"

"The Church has failed to teach our children right from wrong". This was one of the headlines following the tragic killing of the little boy James Bulger by two eleven year olds. The words were from a senior cabinet minister. That they are clearly very silly does not mean that they do not reflect a general feeling that somewhere along the line, we want our children to be taught right from wrong, and also that we want them to learn not only Christian principles, but also the basic teachings of Jesus Christ. They also reflect a sadness that our children are not attending church or church related activities.

In our parishes here at Bere Regis and Affpuddle, the church councils at their meetings have faced this anxiety. If there was an easy solution, it would have been acted upon with enthusiasm but over the years many ideas have been tried, but sadly, most have flopped after a while.

Christian teaching is given in the schools, not only by the teachers, who are under obligation to do so, but also by clergy who are kindly invited to take assemblies every week.

Sunday School is a most difficult thing to run in both parishes. We haven't the facilities to cater for modern sophisticated children, and children today are simply not attracted by the idea. There is in any case a dramatic change in what happens on Sundays. People have cars, they visit relatives, they go on outings. Sunday dinner at midday is not such a big occasion. And most important, parents are not too keen to send their children on their own to events; children have to be accompanied, and Sunday mornings are not always times when parents want to continue their taxi-driving service.

So we have the problem. For the moment, Affpuddle is continuing to run Affprise, which is a service once a month designed to involve children. It has been run for ten years, so there are many children grown up now who have been influenced by it. In Bere Regis there is what is called the Family Service on the 2nd Sunday of every month at 11.00am. A group of us are working to make this service attractive for the young. Our next one is on 12th January when we celebrate the ancient country service of Plough Sunday.

At the end of the day it is up to parents to help the church fulfil the function and its desire to show the young the person of Jesus Christ. The teaching of right
and wrong starts and finishes in the home; Religion is also taught and caught by
the attitude and atmosphere of the home, but is obviously made complete by
natural and regular attendance at church services.

The congregations at Bere Regis and Affpuddle are very concerned to help
parents in their desire to attract children to an enjoyment of church, but they rely
on the cooperation and enthusiasm of the parents to do this.

There are always people around with energy, ideas and talent, and would be
delighted to receive offers of help in that very important area of our ministry.

Yours sincerely

Graham Roblin

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**Sidesmen for services at Bere Regis**

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Bellringing—We have been asked to host a Dorset Guild of Bellringers Practice
evening on Saturday 12th January from 7.30 to 9.00pm. All ringers and learners
are encouraged to attend to take advice from those who are more experienced.

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**CHURCH SERVICES – AFFPUDDLE**

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Parochial Church Council Meeting
Wednesday 26th January at 7.00pm in the Vicarage

Change of Service - On the 5th Sunday of the month, the P.C.C. have asked if we could have a Combined Holy Communion service with Affpuddle. The Bere Regis Church will have its Family Communion Service in Affpuddle Church congregation on 30th January.

Saints Day Evening Communion. January 25th is the Feast Day of the Conversion of St Paul. There will be a celebration of Holy Communion at 7.00pm in the Morton Chapel.

Ecumenical Service. We have three ecumenical services during the year when members of different churches meet for worship in one another's churches. On 30th January, we in St John the Baptist are hosts to other denominations at the 6.00pm Evening service.

The New Bishop of Salisbury is planning to visit every Incumbent in the Diocese during his first few months in office. He is coming to Bere Regis at Midday on 26th January and will meet the Vicar and Churchwardens of both parishes.

Fund Raising. The Coffee Morning held on 11th December was a great success and very well supported. Grateful thanks to all who helped to raise the excellent sum of £215.

Don't forget the Jumble Sale at Wareham Town Hall at 10.30am on 15th January. Items of clothing, Bric-a-brac, or small cakes would be very welcome and will be collected if contact is made to either Pat Mills (471308) or Mollie Carlisle (4714410). Otherwise please bring articles to the Town Hall on 15th January between 9 and 10am.

CHURCH NOTICES - AFFPUDDLE

Ivor Mullins - Organist. At the Carol Service on 21st December, we presented to Ivor Mullins a "commemoration plate" to acknowledge his 40 years as organist in Affpuddle. In anyone's book, this is a remarkable achievement, and his faithful service, week by week has been deeply appreciated by hundreds of people down the years. We look forward to many more years of his dynamic leading of the worship in Affpuddle and thank him most warmly for his wonderful contribution to the spiritual life of the Parish.

Mattins. The response to the reintroduction of this ancient service has been very positive, and those that enjoy this form of service once a month hope that those with similar feelings will note that it is held at 11.00am on the first Sunday of the month.

Parochial Church Council. The P.C.C. next meets at Mr Bill Thorniley's house (Raithby Cottage) at 7.30pm on Tuesday 18th January.

Parish Home Group. January. In January and early February our regular programme will be continuing in various homes on Monday evenings as usual.
See the leaflets available on each church for details. Some of our sessions will be spent in preparing for the very interesting and exciting Lent Course, which has been prepared nationally by Rev. Jimmy Hamilton-Brown and colleagues - more details later. All are welcome at these meetings.

APPRECIATIONS

Winifred Mintern would like to express her sincere thanks to the many kind friends and relations who did so much for her during the month her Dear Husband Percy was in hospital. Thank you for your Prayers, letters and cards of sympathy, also for generous donations made to Bere Regis Church in his memory.

My grateful thanks to the Vicar the Ven. Graham Robin for the lovely service and for all his help, to the Choir, and to all who attended the Funeral Service.

To all who have helped me in any way, God Bless you and thank you.

Once again I must say a big thank you to all the kind people who sent cards and good wishes during my recent stay in hospital. Also thanks to all who have visited me with their gifts and advice and for keeping me cheerful. Our house was like Waterloo station so I didn’t have time to think about myself. I’m not complaining, I loved it.

Thanks too for Lis and George for shopping and helping Dennis with ironing and other chores and for our Good Fairy next door (Christine) her help and moral support has been tremendous. Thanks, thanks to all.

Eileen Maidment.

THE DORSET LATVIA LINK

Youth Link. On his first official visit outside London since his appointment, the Latvian Ambassador, Janis Lusis, praised members of The Dorset Latvia Youth Link for all their efforts to help the people in the newly-independent Latvian Republic.

He and his wife, together with other Embassy members, attended a presentation recently at St Mary’s School, Puddletown, given by the 31 members of the team who went to Latvia in the Summer, travelling 3,800 miles by coach and taking £6000 of medical supplies and other equipment to the community in our link village of Ikskile.

The presentation was attended by families, friends and supporters of The Link, who gave a verbal account of the trip together with a showing of slides and a video. Dr Tim Harley, Chairman of The Link, who travelled with the party, outlined future plans to bring back a party of Latvian youngsters for a Summer Camp and home-stay with families in Dorset in 1994. The Link has to raise about £4000 to accomplish this aim within the next 6 months.

The Ambassador expressed his grateful thanks for the interest being shown by Dorset youngsters in the problems facing his country as it struggled to come to terms with independence after so many years of Soviet domination. He stated “This initiative has helped the Latvians overcome their feelings of insecurity and isolation. The visit is seen as a tremendous gesture of interest and concern and an indication that the West has not forgotten the Baltic States”. He congratulated the youngsters on their achievement and on the standard of the presentation evening.

Phil Ventham

Those of you who attended the abovementioned Presentation Evening will be very pleased to hear that the young lady from the Riga Hospital - Jautrīte Mazure - who is suffering from a life-threatening illness, arrived safely on England on Sunday 5th December 1993. She is now under the care of Professor Ramsay at The Royal Hallamshire Hospital in Sheffield.

She is apparently already a firm favourite with the nursing staff and with members of the local Latvian community in Sheffield who are visiting her on a regular basis. I am sure she would be delighted to receive a letter or a card from anyone who would like to write to her and these can be sent to:-

MISS JAUTRIE MAZURE
WARD Q2, ROYAL HALLAMSHIRE HOSPITAL,GLOSSUP ROAD, SHEFFIELD, SOUTH YORKSHIRE S10 2JS

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Character: You must be of good character.
Availability: Preferably available throughout the day and night seven days a week, but we are especially eager to hear from people available in the village between the hours of 8am to 5pm, Monday to Friday.
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If you are interested and think you can offer the fire brigade your services in return for comradeship, excitement and the satisfaction of serving your community, then please write to the Divisional Commander at the address below requesting an application form:-

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Dorset Fire Brigade
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BERE REGIS NEWS
VILLAGE DIARY
The diary for 1994 is now in the Post Office. Check it before you commit yourself to an event the date of which may already be booked.

BERE REGIS MOTHER’S UNION
Our December meeting started with carols and readings for Christmas, followed by coffee and mince pies. The last part of the evening was given over to a carol auction. For this members had to bring an item mentioned in a Christmas Carol, i.e. a bell in Jingle Bells or Ding Dong Merrily on High to be auctioned.

Our January meeting is to be at Cyril Wood Court, when we will have representatives reports, a Bible Quiz, and a gift exchange.

BERE REGIS WOMEN’S INSTITUTE
November was the month for our Annual General Meeting. Mrs Sally Cheeseman was elected President with Mrs Zena Rogers Secretary, and Mrs C Burden as Treasurer.

Our January meeting will be on the 18th January. The speaker will be Mrs Jean Cox on Marquetry. The tea hostesses will be Mrs McCloud, Mrs Scott, and Mrs Coburn.

Advance Notice: Pancake Race, 15th February, North Street.

AUTUMN LEAVES OVER 50’s
Our Christmas afternoon started with a lovely programme of songs and poems about Christmas, by the children of Bere Regis First School. This was much appreciated by all the members, and was followed by carols and Christmas songs by Woodbury Hill Singers. The afternoon ended with a special Christmas tea.

Our Christmas Bazaar on the 4th was very successful, with lots of lovely things to buy, and plenty of customers. Thank you all who came.

The New Year Party will be on the 13th January.

BERE REGIS CONGREGATIONAL CHAPEL
So, a new year dawns upon us as we open the door into ‘94. What has it in store for us, I wonder, as we close the door on ‘93 with a mixture of relief and regret. A new year gives us an opportunity to make ‘New Year Resolutions’, and once again ‘turn over a new leaf’. Some alas, have turned over more new leaves than they care to count or remember! The problem is - how long will the leaf remained turned over?

As we have just celebrated the birth of Jesus we know that Jesus came to earth to confront and challenge people to ‘turn over a new leaf’ once and for all, and follow Him as their Saviour and Lord - in other words to be converted. Matthew 18:3. Acts 3:19.

Conversion means that we change direction, turn and follow Jesus and obey His instructions for the rest of our lives, not just for a few days. Having ‘turned’, a disciple is one who continues to walk with the LORD for ever. In so doing, Jesus promises never to leave or forsake any of His converts. Now that is a promise worth entering into and enjoying for the whole of ‘94 and more.

A very happy New Year to you.

On Saturday 22nd January at 7.30pm, we shall be having another of our Celebration and Renewal meetings at the Chapel, Butt Lane. Our speaker this month is Tony Pitman, from the Community of Praise at Somerton, Somerset.

DEALING WITH WASTE IN BEREGIS
We all throw away ten times our body weight of waste every year. All of this has to be disposed of in either landfill sites or incinerators.

It can’t go on. We are quickly running out of landfill space and there are also many environmental problems associated with this method. Incinerators also have a limited life span.
As the rubbish mountain grows, so do our problems. The best way to deal with waste is to reduce it in the first place by considering how to cut down on waste when we are doing our shopping.

We should buy more than we need, or choose products in packaging which cannot be recycled or re-used. It is also important to purchase products that have been made from recycled materials, and when shopping to take a re-useable shopping bag rather than using a new plastic bag each time.

Of course, we cannot avoid producing some waste, but there are things we can do other than throwing it away. For example, composting kitchen and garden waste and giving old clothes and household goods to jumble sales and charities, or depositing the clothes in one of the textile containers throughout the Purbecks. Ask the Council for a leaflet.

Recycling is one way of making sure there is less waste to dispose of. So please use your Mini recycling centre at the car park for green, clear and brown glass bottles and jars and mixed steel and aluminium cans.

Remember to wash and squash the tins, cans.

By recycling our waste we can save raw materials and energy and reduce the amount of waste going into landfill sites.

For more information please contact Mrs Wilmot, telephone 0929 556561 extension 281 or write to Purbeck District Council, Westport House, Wareham BH20 4PP.

PARISH COUNCIL
Parish Council Election will take place in May next year. Due to recent resignations there are at present two vacancies. Any parishioner who is considering standing for election in May and would like the experience of serving on the Council for the next five months should contact the Clerk, Mr J M Ruddock, 11 Tarrant Drive, Northmoor Park, Wareham in writing before the 12th January.

DISTRICT NURSES TEA PARTY
Our next tea party will be held on Wednesday 19th January '94, 3pm-4pm. Come and have a cup of tea and piece of cake - everybody is welcome. Venue is the D'Urberville Hall, Wool.

We shall have a raffle - any contributions gratefully accepted. Do come.

Transport may be available - please ring. Looking forward to seeing you all, old friends and new.

Gill Webb, DN Sister. Tel. 462376

BERE REGIS FIRST SCHOOL
The School Governing Body now has two vacancies for coopted governors. This is due to both Ros Russell and David Piercy being unable to stand for another term of office.

On behalf of the school, I would like to record our thanks for their dedicated service over the years - we shall miss their professional contribution and experience.

In order to bring the number of governors up to the correct level of twelve, we need to find two people who would be interested in standing and offering the school some of their time and energy.

Although not essential, we would ideally like to "recruit" someone who is involved with the local business community together with another person who would be willing to become involved in the task of planning and monitoring activities associated with the National and local curriculum.

You do not need to be a parent and we would be pleased to hear from anyone within the local community. If you are interested in helping the school as a governor, please contact Bob Jennings (471198) or the school (471334) for more details. Full and comprehensive training is available through the County Governor Support Service.

BERE REGIS FIRST SCHOOL
As we move into 1994, the children of Bere Regis First School can look back with great pride at their achievements in 1993. Here are some (but not all) of them:-

Mrs Hurdis's class won second prize in the Evening Echo's "Green fingers" award for school gardens.

The school won first prize from Dorset Trust for Nature Conservation, for it's environmental study of the Churchyard.

The football team reached the semi-final in the Purbeck five-a-side competition. "The Advertiser" featured the children's hard work in brightening up the school's drab entrance way. (We would still welcome useful wood, or other materials for enhancing our outside play areas).

Kim Crocker and Daphne McMahon had their items published in the 'Purbeck in Pen' book.

Year Four children have produced beautiful paintings for their Cyril Wood Court exhibition.

The Middle School staff commented very favourably on the high standards achieved by our children who transferred there in September.

A presentation evening and video were produced by the children about occupations in the village and . . . .

. . . . Finally, all the usual events such as the Harvest Festival, the Carol Service and the School Play were proof positive that Bere Regis children have enormous talents and boundless energy!

BERE REGIS FLORAL GROUP
The Bere Regis Floral Group held it's AGM on Tuesday 7th December. The following were elected as officers to the Committee.

President - Mrs C Barne
Chairman - Mrs J Clarke
Vice Chairman - Mrs C Watson
Secretary - Mrs J Crichton
Treasurer - Mrs A Pollard
After the meeting a cream tea with mince pies was served and enjoyed by all.

The next meeting of the Floral Club will be held on Tuesday, January 11th '94, at 2.30pm at Winterborne Kingston Village Hall. The speaker will be Mrs Anne Stevens of Ivy Cottage, Anstey whose beautiful garden opens regularly to the public.

BERE REGIS BROWNIES

Over the last few weeks the Brownies have been getting ready for Christmas. They have been making clay figures and felt stockings which have been decorated on the theme of Christmas with trees, stars etc. On the last Brownie meeting before Christmas, we will be having a joint party with the Rainbows and Guides to celebrate Christmas and the end of term. We would like to thank Rebecca Dodd, who turned out to be our only representative for the Remembrance Service. Also the parents who have helped us, especially with the carnival. We would like to wish you all a Happy Christmas and New Year.

2nd BERE REGIS GIRL GUIDES

The past few weeks have been spent with the guides getting ready to be tested for their confectioners badge. Unfortunately only three girls have completed the full syllabus. Zoe, Sarah and Katie gained their badges by presenting an iced cake, iced biscuits, making sweets and presenting them in a hand made box.

The other Guides, who all iced biscuits, will be able to complete their work in the New Year.

We hope that all the Rainbows, Brownies and Guides enjoyed our Christmas Party. We all look forward to new challenges in 1994.

Guides recommence on Tuesday, 11th January, 1994 at the Scout HQ from 6.30pm until 8.15pm.

PLAY AND LEARN VAN – January 1994

Wednesday 19th January 9.15 - 9.45 - Bere Regis School
10.30 - 11.00 - Bere Regis Surgery

THE R.B.L. WOMEN’S SECTION

-Held their Branch Meeting 17th November '93, members present being 20.

The meeting opened with the Exhortation, by the Vice Chairman in the absence of our Chairman who is recovering from a recent operation, we all wish her a speedy return to full health. Minutes of the September meeting were read, passed and signed as a true record. In her report the Treasurer said our Bank Balance to date stood at £312.18. Our Poppy Appeal to date £127.95 and our Busy Bee’s at £46.27.

Our Poppy appeal Coffee Morning which was held at Turberville court on November 27th was once again very poorly supported, with just the few faithfulls attending. Members, where were you? In spite of the few who did come, £103 was raised.

Our Carol Service held at H.Q.'s on November 29th was once again enjoyed by Members and visitors from other village organisations, with Branch members waiting upon the ladies with mince pies, sherry and coffee.

The County Conference held on December 1st was attended by our Standard Bearer, Delegate and 2 members, it had been proposed at the monthly meeting that the Delegate should vote for the resolution, at the conference we were awarded the Poppy Cup for the largest Branch, and the Dorothy Cross Memorial Cup for the highest donations to Women’s Section schemes.

We now have a Deputy Standard Bearer, Mrs Carr, and Mrs Parker who came 3rd in the Standard Bearers Competition said she would contact her in the New Year in view of training sessions.

Winners of the Cake Competition were 1st, Mrs Read and 2nd, Mrs House, each were awarded a small prize.

R.B.L. GARDENING CLUB

Road turkeys, best Gammon Ham, Topside o' Beef, potato salads, rice salads, crisps, fresh baked wholemeal and white rolls, watercress (of course) lettuce and even a home made vegetarian quiche.

Eight bowls of Trifle (various), fruit salads and fresh fruit bowl inclusive of plump juicy grapes, delicious chocolate gateaux, etc etc.

Tables groaning under the weight of food glorious food. Enough for second and even third helpings.

A banquet for Royalty perhaps. Well, no. Just part of what was on offer at the RBL Club on Tuesday 7th December for the Bere Regis & District RBL Gardening Clubs Annual Christmas Party.

Your Committee, (boom boom) accepted Elaine Standfield's offer to organise the catering, and by heck, what a marvellous spread she provided. Naturally, the rest of the committee volunteered to assist and are happy to accept some of the credit but all agree that our most grateful thanks go to Elaine both for her choice of food and her tremendous effort. Thank you Elaine, you done us proud!

Ever mindful of costs, entertainment was provided by the committee, ably assisted by members of the audience, (thank heavens). What would have I done without you.

A perfect evening, rounded off by the glorious sounds of the Electric organ as provided by newcomer to the village Edwin Smith and dirty songs by you-know-who.

Your committee will now resign. (Following procedure laid down in the Constitution). Surprise surprise. Guess who's "volunteered" to form the 'new' committee for next year.

However, if you feel like a change, the AGM is on Tuesday the 4th January at RBL Club North Street, 7.30pm - around 7.35pm ... probably. But just to make it interesting we have the lovely and very popular Anne Stevens with a talk and slide show on Wild Life & Country around Ivy Cottage. You'll love it.

Many thanks for your support throughout the year. We need it.
BERE REGIS SPORTS CLUB

Fouling by dogs on the playing field

Following the notice in last month’s magazine the Sports Club Committee are concerned as it would appear that somebody is walking their dog along the eastern boundary of the football pitch. The dog has left some large and unpleasant deposits. This is particularly unpleasant especially for the spectators of the football club who watch the football along that boundary. The Sports Club Committee would appreciate any information as to the dog and its owner responsible. If you have any information please let any of the Committee Members know.

FOOTBALL RESULTS: 1st Team

20 Nov Bere Regis 3 6 Flight Refuelling Res.
A Birch, R Robinson

27 Nov Flight Refuelling 3 2 Bere Regis
A Birch, R Pendleton

4 Dec Allendale 8 1 Bere Regis
M Crocker

11 Dec Dorset Senior League Cup Round 1
Bere Regis 1 2 Dorchester YMCA
R Pendleton

2nd Team

20 Nov Morden 5 3 Bere Regis
D Goodwin, G Watts, C Oram

27 Nov Bere Regis 3 0 Kingston
R Cummins, W Cope 2

11 Dec The Mount 4 2 Bere Regis
G Watts, C Oram

Sunday Team

21 Nov Bere Regis 8 0 Widney Aish
R White 2, S Townley 2, G Watts 2, D Brown

28 Nov Bere Regis 6 3 Wareham Wanderers
S Townley 2, W Cope, G Watts
A Cheeseman, og 1

12 Dec Dorset Sunday Junior Cup Round 3
Bere Regis 6 2 New Star
R White 3, S Townley 2, 1 McLeod pen

REPORT

A blustery day heralded the arrival of Flight Refuelling and their reserve ranks to the mighty bastion of football known as the Rec. Bere’s first eleven were experiencing a hideous run of form which had accumulated a massive 2 points from a possible twenty. They were crushed by their opponents after some encouraging signs early on, and any chance of a revival was dashed and petered out in the rain. Strangely, the FA and their computer had re-matched the same two teams the following Saturday in the return fixture. It wasn’t going to be Bere’s day, as their apparent lack of luck was cruelly exposed despite the fact that they came close. Notwithstanding the fact that a new goalkeeper was brought in, and with a fearsome reputation to boot, Bere slumped to their biggest low of the season at Allendale where they lost 8-1, however the damage could have been worse was it not for the goalkeeper’s heroics. A cup match always brings optimism to the ranks, and Bere responded in their League Cup match at home to Dorchester YMCA. It was a fine solo effort by Rob Pendleton which opened the scoring. This remained so until ten minutes from time, the opposition played a double substitution which effectively transformed the game and in the final two minutes they conceded a free kick which proved fatal.

It was the end of Bere’s season with only the dogfight against relegation to look forward to. It was rumoured that the board were immobilising the help of NASA in order to try and repair the seemingly irreparable damage inflicted this season.

A long run without a win is no good to anyone and away to Morden, Bere were looking to cause an upset, and they very nearly did with some opportunistic wing play from Gary Watts, who went on to score after trickery. The vastly improving Chris Oram added a second, but the home side used the slope of Mount Fuji to great advantage, and with the help of an avalanche of luck they ran out 5-3 winners. Agricultural side Kingston were the next opponents. They have always proved a side to be reckoned with, after some 186 meetings, honours were just about even, with Bere winning 73, Kingston 67. It was always going to be a battle, but it was not quite as first expected, and Bere were able to come out of their trenches taking them on and romping to a 3-0 win when Kingston looked like Division 56 standard. It was a tribute to the manager’s faith in their youth policy when Wayne Cope netted twice to seal victory. A game in the League Cup ensued against The Mount and they were winless going into the match, but all that was soon altered as Bere squandered chances by the hatful, enabling AS Mount to celebrate their first win in their first season. Once again, a computer virus forced Bere to face the same opponents the following week. They could not cope with mounting problems and foundered 4-2 despite the same old faces scoring again.

Talk of their first championship after three long seasons in the wilderness were rife after the Sunday heroes dismissed the dismal challenge from Widney Aish in Dorset Division 4. They were swept away by 8 goals of the highest quality from the regular scorers. Even though the opposition were as meek as a newly born lamb, they had to be beaten and Bere went about their task with the utmost professionalism. A robust Wareham Wanderers faced Bere next and without Rob White, it seemed a more difficult job in hand. There was some very anxious moments in defensive quarters, as the home side stumbled through the first half and for the first time this term the heads seemed to drop. But a half time pep talk worked wonders and Scott Townley took Bere to 17 points gained out of 18. It was
the biggest batch played at the rec. for some years, as Bere’s all conquering
Sunday heroes ran out onto the hallowed turf to face combative New Star FC,
who were an old foe. They were the only team to take a point off our runaway
leaders. Despite abominable conditions, the game was played in superb spirits.
A gale blowing, accompanied by torrents of rain made for a scrappy match as
the players in the pools of mud battled to maintain their footballing integrity.
It was important for Bere to play against the wind in the first half, and they did well
with some conviction in the early exchanges. Gary Watts linked well with big Scott
Townley create the first chance. Much of the first half went the way of the
weather, and the visitors were unable to capitalise on periods of pressure.
The talk amongst the 6900 crowd was that 1-0 was a more than tolerable scoreline
to face in the second half. The faithful’s prayers were answered 30 seconds from
the kick off as veteran Mark Bennett threaded through to Rob White for him to
supply rampaging goalscorer Scott Townley at the far post, where he converted
after some confusion. He added his second, a carbon copy five minutes later to
send the Bere crowd into raptures, as there was a threatened pitch invasion from
the newly opened Garage Stand, but this was quelled by the relentless rain. It now
seemed imminent that the floodgates would open, but unfortunately it was
Bere’s defence that parted the Red Sea to enable “Star” to level, setting up a
thrilling finale. Meanwhile, the referee was considering calling the game off,
not due to the rain. But the fact that there was a serious archeological find in the
centre circle. Only later it was confirmed as a false tooth belonging to Bere’s powerhouse
midfielder Archie Cheeseman. The result was put beyond “Star” with a stingning
hattrick from the enfant terrible Rob White, who took his season’s tally to fifteen.

The game’s champagne moment was reserved for local lad Wayne Cope, who
went clean through and slid the ball past the advancing keeper. As he reeled away
in delight to salute row F of the Garage Stand, the ball rolled into the mud and
pulled up an inch from the line. Despite desperate shouts of “Finish it off,” Wayne
continued on with his one man party. A moment that will rank alongside the
famous “Kev Steele and the Barn” incident of 1979. At the end, it was Wayne Cope
again who tumbled over the challenge of their keeper. The ensuing penalty was
converted by hero Ian McLeod for his first goal on home soil for four years. They
now progress onwards into the last eight and a trip into the unknown.

INDOOR SIX-A-SIDE CRICKET

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A convincing victory was gained by Bere’s winter cricketers under the new
guidance of Graeme Price. They compiled a massive total of 164 with everyone
contributing apart from Mr. Rotivator. The win was sealed by a fine all round
performance from our County star Chris Oram.

AFFPUDDLE NEWS

Play and Learn Van - January 1994
Thursday 13 and 27th 11.50 - 12.30 Briantspuddle

Parish Holiday Committee
A meeting of the committee will be held at Raithby Cottage at 8pm on Monday
24th January.

Affpraise Family Service
We begin the new Year, appropriately, with a new coat. A very fancy new coat
at that! Whose coat am I talking about? Come and join us in our family worship
at this service and find out! Sunday 16th January, 11am.

Christmas Fair
The Briantspuddle Village Hall Committee organised a successful Fete this year,
at which all village organisations took part.

This year a new format was tried with great success; the fair was held at a
slightly later time and mulled wine was served.

A net profit of £148 was made for the Hall Funds. The committee would like
to thank all those who took part and helped to make it such a successful event.

Special Clean
The post Christmas Special Clean of the church will be done on Saturday 8th
January. Please spare some time to help with this task. From 10.00 until 12.00
Please bring extra dusters and cleaning rags.

Village Hall Committee
The Village Hall Committee would like to invite local volunteers to join its
committee to fill one or two vacancies on the committee.

We meet about 5 times per year, usually on a Monday night, for a friendly,
interesting and lively discussion. All or local organisations have a representative
member on the committee, but we need a few more volunteers who are interested
in assisting with the organisation of local events, hopefully come up with some
new ideas, and generally assist with the day to day running of the hall. If you are
interested and feel you can help please contact Gill Vingo, our Chairperson, for
further enquiries.

Briantspuddle W.I.
After our Christmas Dinner outing in December we go back to the Village Hall
this month, 5th January 7.30pm, when Mrs King from Upton will explain to us
how she came to write about her village. Teas: Janet Croft and Beulah Burden,
hostess: Martha Tucker.

At next month’s meeting, 2nd February, Lyn Penman and her group will be
singing “songs from the Shows”. The Show will start at 8pm and is open to
anybody who would like to come along. There will be teas and coffee and snacks,
tickets 75p available at the door on the night, but we would be grateful if you
could inform Betty Fisk at the Village Stores of your intention come along, so
that we can take this into account for catering purposes. The group are building
up a very good reputation in a very short time so do come and hear for yourselves.
Keep Fit
Briantspuddle W.I. have organised a keep fit class to commence Tuesday 4th January, weekly, from 6.15pm until 7.15pm. This class is open to ladies of all ages, all you need is a blanket or rug to sit or lie on. Wear whatever you feel comfortable in. The class is open to non W.I. members. Please do wear comfortable trainers or shoes in view of the wooden floor in our Village Hall.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY - JANUARY 1994
January 15th 10.30am Church Jumble Sale, Wareham Town Hall

Forward Planning
Saturday 12th March Scout Group Jumble Sale, 2.30pm
Friday 15th April Bournemouth G&S Concert in Church
Saturday 18th June Bournemouth Cub Roast
Saturday 25th June Church Garden Party

CHURCH AND VILLAGE ACTIVITIES
AGE CONCERN 2.00 pm Thursdays, Tisbury 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 7.15pm Junior, 7.45pm Full Choir, Friday
CUBS in Church
D.S.S. VAN 6.30 pm Thursday, Scout HQ
FLORAL GROUP First Mondays 10.15-11am - BR P.O./car park
GUIDES 2.30 pm 2nd Tuesday,
W. Kingston Village Hall
MINI MARKET 6.30 pm Tuesday, Scout HQ
MOBILE LIBRARY 10.00 am 2nd Saturday, Drax Hall
Every Friday - 9.30-10.40 am Car Park
MOTHER & TODDLER 2.00 pm Monday, Congregational Church
MOTHERS UNION 7.30 pm 1st Wednesday, Vicarage
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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

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SWIMMING CLUB
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