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ON BEING CRITICAL

One of my sisters was staying with me not so long ago, and we had great fun chatting about things in general, when suddenly she made the remark "you're terribly critical". It stung me a bit, because I hadn't realised before, that this was beginning to be part of my attitude. So I determined to try to alter myself. And on thinking about it, I reflected that we are often most critical of those who have the same characteristics as ourselves. When next you are being highly critical of someone, just stop for a second, and you will see that you are a bit like that person. It usually is the case.

One of the best known stories about Jesus is the one concerning the woman who was about to be put to death for committing adultery. Jesus arrived on the scene, and the men stopped. They saw an opportunity to catch him out. In answer to the question "shall we carry on", Jesus makes that immortal response "Let him who is without sin cast the first stone".

When you and I are filled with anger or highly indignant about something or someone, perhaps we should remember that reply.

If you look at the newspaper today, I bet critics, commentators, politicians and even religious writers, will stand on their dignity, and point accusing fingers at some unfortunate person. On trains and buses, in homes, offices, and works canteens, people like you and me shake our heads, and make judgements about friends and colleagues. We should be silenced when we hear those words echoing down the years "Let him who is without sin cast the first stone."

Am I saying that Jesus condones sin? We often hope that he does! But he doesn't. He simply demonstrates the quality of mercy shown by God to sinners. He hates the sin, but loves the sinner.

There is an old saying which goes something like this "Never judge or criticize a person until you have walked a mile in their shoes." If I ever try to put myself in the position of the person I am judging hastily, I can always be reminded of my own mistakes, my own weaknesses, by very secret failings.

So I must pray to be reserved from self righteousness, or arrogance. God forgives me in proportion to the amount I forgive others. I must pray to have a
generosity of mind and attitude. I must examine my conscience before being critical of someone. I must neither condemn nor condone, but heal and restore.

In the next few days, conversations will take place, and criticisms will be made. Let us make that Jesus remark ring in our ears, "Let him who is without sin cast the first stone." It will make us better, and our world nicer.

With every good wish

Yours sincerely
Graham Roblin

CHURCH SERVICES IN JULY

Sunday 2nd July - 3rd Sunday after Trinity
8.00am Holy Communion (Affpuddle)
9.30am Parish Communion (Bere Regis)
11.00am Mattins (Affpuddle)
6.00pm Evensong (Bere Regis)

Sunday 9th July - 4th Sunday after Trinity
8.00am Holy Communion (Bere Regis)
9.30am Parish Communion (Affpuddle)
11.00am Family Service (Bere Regis)
6.00pm Evensong (Bere Regis)

Sunday 16th July - 5th Sunday after Trinity
8.00am Holy Communion (Affpuddle)
9.30am Parish Communion (Bere Regis)
11.00am Affpraise (Affpuddle)
6.00pm Evensong (Bere Regis)

Sunday 23rd July - 6th Sunday after Trinity
8.00am Holy Communion (Bere Regis)
9.30am Parish Communion (Affpuddle)
11.00am Mattins (Bere Regis)
6.00pm Taize style worship (Bere Regis)

Sunday 30th July - 7th Sunday after Trinity
(No 8.00am Holy Communion)
11.00am Both parishes join together for an outdoor service in the Turnerspuddle churchyard, followed by a picnic.
3.00pm Ecumenical service in Bere Heath Methodist Church.

CHURCH DUTY ROTAS
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2nd July  8.00  Capt Johnson  The Server
11.00  Lt Cdr Thorniley  1 Peter 5 5b-11
July 9th  9.30  Mr D Payne  Mr Elkerton
July 16th  8.00  Lt Cdr Thorniley  Joshua 3
11.00  Affpraise  Mark 3 20-end
July 23rd  9.30  Mrs Wharton  Mr Killer
July 30th  Readers, Sidesmen and Readings to be notified

MOWING ROTA
Fortnight beginning 10th July
Stephen Sanderson  Michael Hipwell  Alex Armitage
Fortnight beginning 24th July
Richard Killer  Dereck Boyt  Bob Holman

CHURCH NOTICES

The "Mind the World Group" is a group of people in Bere Regis who concentrate their minds on how to help those people living in the African continent who are in desperate straits. This group helps us to be aware of the needs of others by highlighting them on their display boards in the church, and also by raising money to send a variety of goods to those able to receive them. Although at the moment, those that meet are church attenders, this need not be, and indeed the group would be delighted to welcome to its meetings anyone who would wish to offer their time to this work. The next meeting is on Monday 3rd July at 10.30 in the home of Pat Chesney.

A Coffee Morning in aid of Church Funds will be held on Wednesday 12th July in the home of Pat Chesney, Tower Hill. Coffee and biscuits served from 10.30 onwards

Combined Benefice Service - 30th July. Whenever there is a fifth Sunday in the month, the two parishes meet together for a combined service, either in Affpuddle or Bere Regis. This time, we are to meet in the churchyard of Turnerspuddle Church for an open air service, and then have a "self supplied picnic." Last year it was rained off! If this happens again this year, we will meet in Affpuddle.

Bellringers. Congratulations to Rene Skinner on being elected an Honorary Life Member of the Salisbury Diocesan Guild of Ringers.

Practises stop during the months of July and August and start again on Wednesday evenings in September. How about making your mind up to have a go and join the Sunday ringing band?

Visiting ringers this month include those from Christchurch Priory on Saturday July 8th at 9.00am till 9.45.

Affpuddle Church Fete. The Church Fete will be held on Saturday 1st July, 1995 from 2.15pm to 4.45pm at Cruck Cottage, Briantspuddle. Do come along and support this event.

FROM THE REGISTERS

BERE REGIS
Funerals  Thomas Ernest Marsh - died 9th May, 1995
Levi William (Bill) Standsfield - died 11th May, 1995
Frederick Cheeseman - died 25 May, 1995

Baptisms  4th June, 1995  William Samuel George Harris
4th June, 1995  Adam Joseph Bond White

AFFPUDDLE
Funerals  Ernest Frank Carter - died 9th May, 1995

Marriages  3rd June, 1995  John Edmund Miles and Victoria Louise

OBITUARY NOTICES

THOMAS ERNEST MARSH was a man of Bere Regis in every sense. He was born in 1917 in the house at Barrow Hill which was to be his home until 1987.

As a boy, he attended the Barrow Hill boy's school just across the road from his home. He came under the influence of the head-master of the school, Mr Job Bugby, who was also our church organist. Soon Tom joined the church choir and when his voice broke, he found that he had inherited the family tradition of singing tenor. When he left school, Tom went to work for his uncle at Bemister Stores. At the outbreak of war he enlisted with the Somerset Light Infantry. He took part in the Battle of Normandy and had recently received a new medal commemorating that event.

During that battle, Tom was injured in the arm but was aware of many of his colleagues dying all around him. He was released from active service due to the
injury but was involved in clerical duties until he was demobbed in 1946. He reached home just in time to be with his mother, who died two weeks later.

Tom returned to work at Bemister's Stores until his father was no longer able to continue the milk round, and Tom took over the family business.

When Tom left the village to go off the serve the country, he had barely noticed the schoolgirl who lived in the house next door. But by the time he came home, Edna had become an attractive young woman and the couple were married in 1952. Jane and John were born a few years later and the family business kept all of them busy for a total of over thirty years. The milk round extended to Winterborne Kingston and Brianspink till as well as Bere Regis and Tom was a well-known, hard-working and respected member of the community.

During his leisure time, he was an active sportsman, playing tennis, cricket, darts and chess. He was also very interested in football and horse-racing and the family would often attend race meetings in various parts of the country. Tom was half-owner of a horse called Kingsberry which won races on three occasions, coming in each time at 16-1.

He travelled around the country in his Jaguar car, which was his pride and joy until 1987 when he was very ill with meningitis. This was a time of great anxiety for the family because Tom was in a coma for four days. When he regained consciousness, he had lost track of time, but his first words were "Did Jimmy White win the snooker?"

Tom made a good recovery from his illness but the Jag had to go, and Tom and Edna moved to South Mead. Life for Tom was never quite the same after that, but he retained his sense of humour and encouraged his grandchildren in their sporting activities. He kept in touch with his old friends from his army days, regularly visited John and his family in Newmarket and enjoyed a monthly meeting with his cousin at Letchworth Matravers. Fortunately his mental capabilities were not impaired and he was still able to walk to the shops most mornings, giving a cheery greeting to his old friends.

The people of the village regret his passing from our midst but give thanks for his life-long involvement with us. We offer our sympathy to Edna, Jane and John and their families. We give thanks to almighty God for his life and we commend him to God's safe keeping.

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FRED CHEESEMAN was born in Bere Regis in 1915. He was educated at Sitterton school, and when he left became a shepherd, with his father.

After a short while he joined Bedford and Jesty as a watercress farmer, a profession he was to follow for the rest of his life.

He met Irene, a girl from Tolpuddle, and married her in 1940. During the war years Fred was a member of the local Observer Corps.

Later they had two daughters, Thelma and Gillian. In the early sixties Fred decided to start his own cress beds at Brockhill, after a lot of hard work, this became successful, and was eventually taken over.

For many years he was a member of the Bere Regis Fire Brigade. He was a keen gardener and sportsman, and also enjoyed bellringing.

Fred was true son of Bere Regis, who never left the village if he could help it. He never retired, and sadly died suddenly on 25th May, aged 79, leaving his wife, daughters, grandchildren, great children, sons in law, and friends, who all miss him tremendously.

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LEVI (BILL) STANDFIELD (aged 93)

It was with great sadness that many of the older citizens of Bere Regis heard of the death of one of its residents, Bill standfield. He died at the Forest Hill House on 11th May, and the funeral service was conducted by the Revd Hugh Maddox in the parish church of Bere Regis.

Bill Standfield was born in Bere Regis and lived and worked here all his life, until his last few years when he was forced to move away for nursing.

He left school at the age of 13, and was apprenticed as a gardener at Doddings Farm. He spent the rest of his working life there. Not unnaturally, his expertise was often sought, and he would always be happy to advise on rose pruning, tree planting, and any horticultural problem.

Like many a countryman, he was quite a solitary character, just loving the countryside and all that goes on in it. After retirement, he enjoyed living in Turberville Court where he had an apartment with a garden, and he was assiduous in attending to his roses, much to the delight and admiration of passers by.

With his great friend Mr McDonald, he was a regular churchman, and only had to stop due to being unable to care for himself. It was then that he moved to Forest Hill Home.

Donations from his family and friends were divided between the Nursing Home and his church. He will be sadly missed by all who knew him.

May he rest in the peace of God.

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PHYLIS MARY GIBBS (aged 82)

After a number of months of declining health, 'Phyl' Gibbs passed away on 13th May. She died peacefully in Poole Hospital. Her funeral took place in her own church in Bere Regis, where she had worshipped for many years, and then after cremation, her ashes were interred with those of her late husband at Wool.

Mrs Gibbs was born in Poole, the daughter of the Second Cox'n of the Poole Lifeboat, so it was totally appropriate that she should have wanted the hymn "Eternal Father" at her funeral, with the prayer "For those in peril on the sea".

On her marriage to Tom, she moved to his home at Wool, and it was there that her son David was born. Very sadly, Tom died in 1978, and it was then that she moved to Bere regis, to be near David and his wife Jean, as well as the grandchildren and great grandchildren. They treasured her presence amongst them. In her last
few years in Bere Regis she became very much a mother figure to those in the village with whom she came into contact.

Before her last few years, she entered into everything, and enjoyed herself. She joined Autumn Leaves, the Royal British Legion Ladies Section, Age Concern, and the Mothers Union. The church meant an enormous amount to her and she was a devout attender at Evensong each Sunday.

She had a lovely singing voice, and used to love entertaining with the "Gadabouts". This she did for many years, going to old peoples Homes, Hospitals, Womens Institutes, and other groups always having a smile, a kind word and a joke with those she knew well. She kept this up as long as she could even into the time when her health was deteriorating.

The members of her family were her life, and she will be sorely missed by them all. She will also be remembered with great affection by her many friends. May she enjoy her new life with the Lord she prayed to every day.

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ERNEST FRANK CARTER (aged 86)

Having enjoyed the fiftieth anniversary of VE Day on Monday 8th May, Ernie Carter passed away peacefully in the early hours of the following day at his home in Brianspuddle. He was 86, and just two days away from celebrating his 55th Wedding Anniversary with his beloved wife "Floss".

Born in 1908 at Turnworth, on the road from Whitechurch Stickford to Okeford Hill, Ernie grew up in the heart of the country. He attended school at the little schools of the local villages, but left at 13 years of age to work on a farm. His natural gifts soon indicated that he should become a gamekeeper, and this he did right up to war time.

In 1933, Floss came into his life, and eventually they were married in Affpuddle. This was in the first year of the war, in May 1940. Like so many others, Ernie was called up, and selected for service with the Royal Artillery, so off he went for basic training. It was in the middle of this, that he was informed that his home had been burnt to the ground by an incendiary bomb, but that his new bride was alright. He was given seven days leave! As the war progressed, he was sent to India and Burma, and became one of the men of the "forgotten army" who had the terrifying job of defeating the Japanese. It was a time he was never to forget, but he talked happily about it, and was very proud to have been a soldier.

After an absence of nearly four years, he returned home to England, and set up home in Brianspuddle. He never moved again, because he loved the place. His love of the countryside could be enjoyed with plenty of shooting and walking and gardening. He no longer earned his living as a gamekeeper however, but as a bridge builder and reparer on the County Council. This still kept him outside.

His experience in the jungles of Burma began to catch up with him, and so he took early retirement with acute arthritis. Indeed he had to have two hip replacements. Then towards the end of his life, he began to go blind. This affliction caused him immense frustration. But his character remained unchanged; always cheerful, always "Ernie".

The church was packed for his funeral on 13th May in Affpuddle church, and it was conducted by the Revd Hugh Maddox from Morden. As one parishioner said to him the night before he died "good night old soldier" May he rest in peace.

THANK YOU

Mrs Floss Carter would like to thank all relatives, friends and neighbours for all the cards, messages of sympathy and help during her sad loss. My grateful thanks to the doctors and community nurses for their care over the years, to Revd Hugh Maddox for conducting such a lovely service and to Bere Regis British Legion for their help. Thank you to everyone who donated to Bere Regis doctor's Surgery in Eric's memory.

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Edna Marsh and Family wish to express their sincere thanks to all family friends and neighbours who sent kind messages of sympathy after the sudden loss of a dearly beloved husband, father and grandfather, also thanks to all who donated towards the National Meningitis Trust, and many thanks to Mrs Brenda Pitfield for a lovely service. Also a special thank you to Dr. Harley for his prompt attention.

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Ken, Fred and Kevin Standfield wish to thank all those who attended Levi (Bill's) funeral on 19th May and for the cards and letters and donations for Bere Regis church and forest Hill Nursing Home. Our thanks also go to all the Homecare assistants who attended him at Turberville Court.

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Phyllis May Gibbs - David, Jean and Family wish to thank the Revd Hugh Maddox, church wardens Mr John England, Mr John House, for all their help and support, all family and friends who sent letters and cards of sympathy and all who attended the Funeral Service and all donations for the Parish Church which has amounted to £220 - Many thanks.

Kay Norris wishes to express her grateful thanks to all those ladies who gave their time so willingly to help with the repair work on the church's velvet Altar Frontal, and especially to Di Phillips who co-ordinated the time-table for us and kept cheerful throughout. We shall be using the Frontal during Advent so you will be able to see what was done and why we had to do it in a good light, and before the holiday season starts.

Sandford Middle School are holding their Summer Fayre at the school on Saturday 1st July at 2.00pm. Your support would be much appreciated and all friends both old and new, will be most welcome.

The Dorset-Latvia Link. Arrangements for the Youth Link visit are well in hand with only a minor alteration in the dates of departure/return. Our travel agent
has managed to obtain a very favourable air fare for our travellers and we wish them all a trouble free journey and a happy and worthwhile visit.

I have recently returned from a brief visit to Latvia and whilst there took the opportunity of visiting the new site for the Summer camp. It is set in 20 acres and has a river running through it, in fact it is an ideal site. However the building is in a sorry state with much to be done. Work has already commenced in order that the very tiny orphans and their "minders" can spend their brief holiday under cover but the remainder of the summer Camp children together with our contingent will be under canvas. The team will be taking out camping and other equipment to help with this aspect.

Following years of exclusion from their own church building, the authorities are presently negotiating the return of the church to the people of Iksile. Under the Russian Rule the Iksile Church, together with several others around the country, was turned into a repository for thousands of books, following damage to the National Library in Riga. Many of the churches treasures have been kept in a safe keeping against such a longed for event. However, the church itself requires a great deal of attention to restore it to its former state. The church was turned into a 3-storey building by installing 2 suspended concrete floors, with little regard for the effect such work would have on the structure of the fabric of the building (our churchwardens would have a fit!!). Years of neglect have taken their toll and although there is some government funding for this project it will be a long tough battle. Jenny and I were very fortunate to be taken on a conducted tour of the church at Christmas 1991 so are aware of just how great a task is ahead of the church members. However, the Iksile Pastor and his congregation are facing up to the challenge and at Easter, although the church has not yet been handed over, the church bells were rung for the first time in years amidst much rejoicing, thanksgiving and not a few tears. As a matter of interest Iksile is the site of the very first church built in Latvia (12th Century and now a ruin but a focus during the years of bitter struggle) and the last church to be built in Latvia, the one mentioned above.

Finally, life in Latvia is now very difficult for the majority of folk with high prices and wages fixed at the same level from independence. Drugs and other medical necessities are very expensive, so much so that parents who must pay for all drugs when a child is ill, do not do so with the result that many children become so ill that they require hospitalisation. This solution may help the parents but creates a great burden for the state system. The Link is planning to concentrate its efforts this year on medical aid for Latvia and if anyone feels that they would like to make a specific donation for this purpose they can either contact the Secretary or Dr Harley.

George Silavs

Dorset Wildlife Fair. Dorset Wildlife Trust is holding its annual wildlife fair this year at the private estate of their patron, the Hon. Mrs Charlotte Morrison at Melbury House, Melbury Sampford. Taking place on Saturday 22nd July from 11am to 5pm the event has a strong emphasis on the countryside with a wide choice of activities and a number of different conservation bodies attending making this day the premier conservation day in the county.

As would be expected there will be a number of guided walks taking place throughout the day around the gardens and estate, as well as demonstrations of many traditional country crafts and a special Wildlife Art Exhibition. However, there will also be other entertainment and plenty to look at with a jazz band, historic and Irish dancing, model boat racing on the lake, children's environmental games and a large Craft Fair in the house.

Refreshments and bar facilities will be available throughout the day and admission is only £2.50 for adults and £1 for children (under 5's are free). Everyone who comes receives a free entry to a special Wildlife Holiday Draw so why not come along and enjoy a superb day's entertainment in magnificent surroundings.

BERE REGIS NEWS

Parish Council

At the start of the June meeting the Chairman reported that Mr David Pearce had tendered his resignation from the Council. The Council recorded their gratitude to him for his contributions during his time as both a District and Parish Councillor. As a result of this there is now a vacancy on the Council which will be advertised.

There were some red faces at the meeting when the topic of naming the pathway from West Street through to the Car Park was discussed. The Council, thinking that the path had no name, wished to call it 'Kellaways' after the business that was previously on the site. The announcement in this Journal primed off those in the know to remind us that it had a name already - Chapel Lane. That of course reminds us of the former Chapel which in time became the carpenters workshop for Mr Barnes building company. Our embarrassed apologies and grateful thanks to those in the know.

The council had to consider the costs of repairs to the Play Area after an incident in which some equipment was fired and other damage inflicted. The total cost is of the order of £800, which has to come from the Council Tax ultimately. The Play Area was put there, as a result of hard fund raising, for the benefit of young children. This type of vandalism is undertaken by older children. The Police have been asked to include the Play Area in their visits to the Village, particularly in the evenings.

Inspector Mason of Wareham reported on the Crime figures for the Parish over the previous month. There had been five crimes and three arrests. In summing up he thought that we enjoyed a below average crime rate for the area.

The 'Bere in Bloom' and gardens competition is scheduled for July. Last year's competition focussed our attention on some beautiful entries. Please have a go. Entry forms are available from Sue Stone - 471933 CM
THE CONGREGATIONAL CHAPEL, BUTT LANE, BERE REGIS
We can all find things to complain about without much trouble, can’t we? The Government (of course), the weather - when is summer going to start this year? What terrible programmes we get on TV! Why do I have to settle for no job, or no wage increase, when those at the top get even more? On the other hand have you found anything to be thankful for lately? We have all read, or seen on our TV screens, the tragedy of the ear in Bosnia, and the awful suffering there, mainly by the civilian population.

Did you see the heart rending story of 8-year old Igor Pavlovets, one of the million victims of the nuclear disaster at Chernobyl in 1986? He is the size of a two year old, has no right arm and his legs are malformed and stunted. He wants to be a fireman when he grows up. Now he is rebuilding his life in England with the love and devotion of his foster mum Barbara Bennett.

We have also heard of the terrible accident of ‘Superman,’ when he was thrown off his horse, and is now paralysed. But did you hear of the brave little girl in a similar condition, who has sent a letter and video to ‘Superman’ to encourage him not to give up, but to prove that he is a Superman in reality as well as on the screen.

When we think about those who are so much worse off than ourselves, then we realise we have much to be thankful for after all. And have you heard the good news about CHRIST JESUS and all that He has done for those who believe on Him, receive Him and follow Him as their Saviour and Lord?

BERE REGIS MOTHER’S UNION
What a delightful evening we had on our outing, when we visited Rev. Jimmy Hamilton-Brown’s garden at Spetisbury. The garden looked beautiful, with not a weed to be seen. Afterwards we visited the Cock and Bottle for refreshments.

Our next meeting will be on the 5th July, when we have Holy communion, followed by the A.G.M.

AUTUMN LEAVES OVER 50’S CLUB
There will be a report on the summer outing in the next magazine, as it went to press before the outing took place.

Our next meeting will be on the 12th July, when we have our Open Day and Summer Fayre, with stalls, cakes, plants, raffle, etc. There will be a Rose competition for members, and exhibition of bells, and a competition for a spoon, to be judged by the public. Do come along, and have an enjoyable afternoon with us.

BERE REGIS FLORAL GROUP
Mrs Pam Bluer of Bristol gave a most interesting demonstration at the June meeting of the Group, using pieces of drift wood as a basis of her "Inspirations". Her love and knowledge of plant life was clearly apparent as she recalled the historical background of much of the greenery from her garden.

Also in June was a most successful Coffee Morning held at Throop Farm. The many stalls and raffle raised a magnificent sum of £450, thanks to all those who contributed to and supported the event. However, such an event could not succeed without the very hard work and selfless generosity of the hosts Mr and Mrs E Herridge, who unreservedly opened up their lovely home and made all who were there so very welcome. A big thank you to you both from the Bere Regis Floral Group.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 11th July 1995 at 2.30pm at Winterborne Kingston Village Hall. The demonstrator will be Germaine Smith from Langport whose fascinating theme will be Shades, Shapes and Shadows. Do come and join us.

Note - There will be no meeting in August.

THE R.B.L. WOMEN’S SECTION
Held their monthly meeting on May 17th, 24 members being present. After the exhortation, the Chairman asked member to stand for a short moment of silence

Mr Boreham can be contacted on (01929) 472082 or secretary Mrs Jill Cleall on 471744 for more information.

*NEWS FLASH* Entrants to "Best House" and "Best Photo" should contact Ken or Jill in order to confirm entry. Programme details will be available at the end of July.
in memory of a past member, Mrs Gibbs, who passed away recently and will be missed by all.

After the minutes were read and business discussed, our speaker was Mrs June King who gave a most interesting talk on "Pills and Potions". Teas were then served by Mrs O Curtiss and Mrs M March and a raffle run by Mrs Maidment and Mrs Presslee.

Our Annual Fete held on June 10th realised £239. Our thanks to all who supported us and all who helped and donated making the afternoon a success.

Cenotaph July - Mrs Curtiss and Mrs Parker.
Cenotaph August - Mrs Burt and Mrs Carr.

WOODBURY HILL GROUP

Our meeting on 8th July will be an open invitation for all. Our speaker will be Mrs James, giving an in depth talk on Hearing Dogs for the Deaf - a very worth charity we do not "hear" much about.

We would like very much for you, the reader, to come and support us and our speaker - without support no charity survives - looking forward to seeing you.

Refreshments by our hostesses for the evening, plus a raffle.

BERE REGIS SCOUT GROUP

Thank you to those who helped during the Ramblers '60' celebrations with the Scout/Guide discovery Trail and refreshments.

Please see the separate announcement for the 'Shitterton Spectacular' on Saturday evening 8th July at Shitterton Farmhouse. Tickets £5.00 in aid of the Scout Group Funds from lan Venham.

At our A.G.M. we welcomed our new Secretary Alison Stanley and Committee member Alison Atkinson of Tolpuddle. Thanks to those who have retired.

BERE REGIS GUIDES AND BROWNIES

Guides continue to enjoy outdoor activities with Ski-Bobbing at Warmwell and cookouts at the H.Q. Meanwhile all the Brownies have now gained their First Aid Badge. Well done.

Rainbows, Brownies and Guides form all over the Piddle Valley are getting together for a day out on Brownsea Island. Here's hoping for a calm dry day on Saturday 1st July.

On Wednesday 19th July we are holding our end of term Bar-b-que. All parents, grandparents, Aunts, Uncles and friends are invited to join in at the Scout H.Q. from 6pm until 8pm.

Pat Boutley 471875

BERE REGIS SPORTS CLUB

Cricket Results

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The Cricket Club has not been in a healthier state for seasons, with both teams starting off with a purpose and will to win. The premier eleven have been second to none in that respect, and the old campaigners are showing the bite which seemed to have long gone. There was a minor hiccup away at UN safe Haven, Marnhull where despite a fighting 63 from Russell Hewitt, the troops went down, but they picked themselves up away at the stately home of Kingston Lacy. A club record of 227 was equalled, a rare feat of awesome batting taken from Lacy's buffet bowling, where Mark Bennett helped himself to a 'Bradmanesque' 87 not out, only to follow up with a devastating 4-8 when the home side had no answer to searing pace bowling. There was a slightly different story away to table toppers Swanage, who clubbed their way to 197 off an extremely weakened Bere side who
crumbled in reply after a swift start. It was the start of a batting nightmare for local heartthrob Graeme Price, but the self styled 'Spin King' took three wickets with his gentle boundary breakers and coupled this with a defiant 31. Next up were Holwell of Sherborne fame, a team who Bere have not faced since 1985, and there were only one or two players surviving, but nevertheless Holwell were handed a drubbing and Bere fell one point short of a maximum 20. In form Mark Bennett impressed the selectors, namely himself with a near faultless 60 not out, whereas other selectors did not fare too well. The bowlers wreaked havoc early on as Jammy Baptiste whispered across the damp grass bowling the odd delivery that moved a yard. There was amiable support from Steve Cheeseman who took late wickets to wrap it up at the end. All in all, yet another fine fielding performance, closing the gap at the top.

There were expectations of an easy victory at home to Lychett, but the home side capitulated under a bowling onslaught including a hat-trick, they succumbed to an all time low of 41 all out when the opposition were severely underestimated. But they were soon back on the winning trail, and took the scalp of all scalps against Wareham. It was the first time Bere have face Wareham in any league, and the seconds rose to the occasion exacting a full points tally from the game over a side who really thought the game was theirs before the start. But Bere's batsmen had a 'turkey-shoot' with heartthrob Graeme Price hitting 53, with support from The Calypso King 'behind the grill' Reg Fripp supporting with 35, he turned all-rounder claiming 4 wickets sinking the hopes of the visitors who disappeared without trace, not surpisingly though. It was heavy going away to Iwerne Minster at the revered Clayesmore School, but Bere managed 150 which was to ampie by some 81 runs. Once again it was the Calypso King who shone with a fighting 41 and Bere marched on. An absolutely travesty was witnessed by the seconds on June 4 where a depleted side mainly composed of boys lost by 238 runs to a Bournemouth side who exercised their right to put out players from nine divisions above Bere. But Bere's rock in the middle was the Pink Panther who stood firm as all about him fell.

The club would like to note the recent success of the Ladies' Darts team, who won the respective League held over the winter. This was the latest achievement in a long line of darting triumphs for the club over the last three to four years.

Finally the recent football six-a-side was held on 3 June was a huge success, the winners were from Branksome, but five teams from Bere ensured that local interest was high. It was this year that the competition became firmly established amongst the top in Dorset, with a healthy fifty five teams entering.

Also, notice to all Footballers, that training starts on July 5th and the A.G.M. is on July 19th.

PLAY AND LEARN VAN
Wednesday 12th July
9.15 - 10.00 - Bere Regis School
10.15 - 11.00 - Bere Regis Surgery

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, Savernake House, 42 High West Street, Dorchester, Dorset

BRIANTSPUDDLE W.I.
During our evening walk in June we saw parts of Corfe Castle we had not seen before let alone knew they existed. This was followed by a pleasant pubcrawl in the locals of Corfe. Ten days later we found ourselves in Bath; we certainly got around in June.

This month we stay in the Village Hall to wish one of our members all the very best in her forthcoming marriage and to listen to a talk on homeopathy.

BLADEN SOCIAL CLUB
The Horticultural show will be held on Saturday 5th August in the Village Hall, Briantspuddle at 2pm.

This year, the Lady Debenham Cup will awarded to the most attractive garden as seen from the road.

If anyone would like to run a stall at the show, please telephone 01929 471766 or 01258 837267. The cost will be £5 per stall and this money will be donated to charity.

BRIANTSPUDDLE VILLAGE HALL
The Annual General Meeting of the Briantspuddle Hall Committee was held on Monday 5th June 1995. The meeting was not well attended. The Chairman, Mrs Vingeoe, gave a report on the previous year's activities. The Treasurer presented accounts for the period 1st April to 31 December 1994. At the previous Annual Meeting, the accounting period had been changed from 1st April to 31st March to 1st January to 31st December. Mrs Badcock resigned as Hon. secretary and was thanked for all her work on behalf of the committee during the previous years. Mrs Vingeoe was elected Chairman, Mrs Thorniley was elected Secretary and Treasurer.

100 CLUB
The first draw for the newly formed 100 club took place at the Annual General Meeting. The winning number for the June prize of £25 was number 45. The Committee are most grateful to all those who took up membership for the year 1st June 1995 to 31 May 1996. All 100 numbers were sold. After the prizes have been paid there will be a profit for the Hall Funds (The new boiler) £460.00. It is hoped that everyone will enjoy a bit of a flutter whilst helping the hall. The next prize (£5.00) will be drawn on 1st July 1995. Good Luck.
MILTON ABBAS STREET FAIR
Thank you to everyone who has responded to last month's request for jam jars. Your gifts are greatly appreciated and thanks to the kind donation of some fruit some of the jars have already been filled. We need offers of help to make more jam (jars from Philippa Thorniley! - getting your own back) and also to make cakes please, contact Gill Vingoe for further instructions.

HALL BOILER
Listed Building consent has now been obtained and with any luck by the time you read this the new boiler should be installed.

HALL BOOKINGS
Please note that all Hall bookings should be made via Philippa Thorniley (Bere Regis 471497).

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

July 1995
1st 2.15pm Garden Fete - Cruck Cottage - for Affpuddle Church
1st 2pm Garden Fete - Sandford Middle School Summer Fete
2-2nd 2-6.00pm NHS Trust Garden Fete - Martinstown
6th Age Concern - Outing to Cotswolds
8th Shitterton Spectacular
12th Coffee Morning - 2 Tower Hill - for Bere Regis Church
12th Autumn Leaves Summer Fair
15th 10.00am Mini Market - Drax Hall
18th Bere Regis W.I. - Open Meeting
20th 7pm Coffee Evening - 101 North Street - for Drax Hall

August 1995
5th 10.00am Mini Market - Drax Hall
5th 2pm Horticultural Show - Bladen Social Club
9th 3.30pm Tea Party - Vicarage - for Arthritis and Rheumatism Research
9th Tea at Larkspur - for Autumn Leaves

September 1995
9th Great Cycle Ride
13th Silver Jubilee Luncheon - Autumn Leaves

October 1995
21st Cavalcade of Costume by Mrs Betty Penny
Bere Regis Church

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
CAB Wareham - Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri - 10am-2pm
(closed Wednesday)
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.
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5 mornings Bere Regis School - Tel 01305 848792
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
SUNDAY SCHOOL Senior - 7.00 pm Friday, Scout HQ
W.I. BERE REGIS 10.15 am Sundays in Church
W.I. BRIANTSPUDDLE 7.30 pm 3rd Tuesday, Drax Hall
TUESDAY CLUBS:
JUNIOR CLUB 7.30 pm 1st Wednesday, Village Hall
YOUTH CLUB 7.00 pm 6-9 years, Congregational Church
SWIMMING CLUB 7.00 pm 9 & over, Congregational Church
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WOODBURY HILL SINGERS 2.30pm Mondays, Larkspur
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