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"O valiant hearts, who to your glory came
Through dust of conflict and through battle flame
Tranquil you lie, your knightly virtue proved,
Your memory hallowed in the land you loved"

November is a time for Remembrance. Etched into the windows of the soul of our nation are the scars of hundreds of thousand of our young, killed or wounded in war.

There was a time when the nation remembered and mourned the dead of what was called the Great War. But that was to prove such a tragically short time. The horror of Germany marching across Europe soon re-appeared. Then in 1945, the nation had to re-examine how to remember once again. It had seen half a century of slaughter. Hardly a home had not been affected in some way. Everyone was aware.

Last year, and the year before, we were all reminded again of the appalling grief. Fiftieth anniversaries of the end of the war in Europe and in Japan were commemorated. This year, we are left to remember quietly.

On behalf of the nation's servicemen and women, the Royal British Legion has taken upon itself the responsibility of reminding us, and of keeping alive the memory of those who never came home. It has re-ignited the flame of remembrance. It has put before us the task to remember quietly. At 11 o'clock on the 11th of November (11-11-11) we are asked to hold silence. Just to stop what we are doing, for two minutes.

This silence is not meant to replace the Remembrance Sunday Services and acts of Remembrance at our War Memorials. It is a tiny addition.

When I have kept silence on Remembrance Sunday in the past, I have thought to myself "that wasn't too difficult". Even when I have been soaked through, or frozen stiff, I have realised it was very little in comparison with the pain and the blood suffered by my countrymen only a few years ago.

Coming to this parish after so long with soldiers, it has been very uplifting to find men and women of the Royal British Legion who do much more than keep the silence once a year. Behind the outward front of the Legion Club, there is much going on. There is the Service Committee, whose members visit the sick and housebound, taking gifts of fruit or groceries. They also arrange for the installation of Help Lines or telephone, and sometime pay for the rental. They help older people claim for their War Pensions, or provide wheelchairs for the disabled, they organise 'get togethers' from time to time, to recreate the sense of comradeship that so many miss. All this is for five villages in and around Bere Regis.

And it's not just the old that the Legion thinks about. There is the Youth Section. This Section has won many awards. There is also the Gardening Club; and supremely the Women's Section who, in enjoying their social meeting raise so much money for the Benevolent schemes helping to finance the convalescent homes. I wish more of us could have seen the Bere Regis Women's Section banner being carried so proudly in St Paul's Cathedral recently.

The two World Wars were a long time ago, we think. I was told yesterday that over 12,000 people have been killed in the service of our country since 1945. Just try to imagine how many more were wounded, mentally as well as physically.

It is so good to feel that we are continuing to honour that thought in the hymn "O Valiant Hearts - your memory hallowed in the land you loved".

Yours sincerely

Graham Roblin

BERE REGIS BELLRINGERS

Practice has started again for the winter season on Wednesdays at 6.30 p.m.

Visiting ringers in November are Southampton University on Saturday 16th from 3.15 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. and the Dorchester Branch Practice on Saturday 23rd from 2.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.
CHURCH SERVICES in NOVEMBER

Sunday 3 November
8.00 a.m.  Holy Communion (Affpuddle)
9.30 a.m.  Parish Communion (Bere Regis)
11.00 a.m. Mattins and Holy Communion (Affpuddle)
6.00 p.m.  Evensong (Bere Regis)

Sunday 10 November  Remembrance Sunday
8.00 a.m.  Holy Communion (Bere Regis)
9.00 a.m.  Act of Remembrance, Briantspuddle War Memorial
           Bladen Valley
9.30 a.m.  Parish Communion (Affpuddle)
10.55 a.m. Act of Remembrance, Bere Regis War Memorial, the Churchyard
11.00 a.m. Remembrance Sunday Service
5.00 p.m.  Evensong (Bere Regis) please note the change of time

Sunday 17 November
8.00 a.m.  Holy Communion (Affpuddle)
9.30 a.m.  Parish Communion (Bere Regis)
11.00 a.m. Affpraise (Affpuddle)
6.00 p.m.  Evensong (Bere Regis)

Sunday 24 November
8.00 a.m.  Holy Communion (Bere Regis)
9.30 a.m.  Parish Communion (Affpuddle)
11.00 a.m. Mattins (Bere Regis)
6.00 p.m.  Regis Praise (Bere Regis)
6.30 p.m.  Community Service (Briantspuddle Village Hall)

BERE REGIS CHURCH ROTAS

Sanctuary Flower Guild
November 3rd  Mrs D Ventham  Mrs C Lewis
November 10th Mrs Barne  Mrs P Roblin
November 17th Mrs B Griffin  Mrs Harley
November 24th Mrs M England  Mrs P House

Please let Mary England (471469) or Mrs Pat House (471244) know any favoured dates, or dates to be avoided in compiling the rota for the first half of 1997, before 20th November please.

Bere Regis Sidemen
November 3rd  9.30 a.m.  Mr House / Mrs March
              6.00 p.m.  Mr Barnes / Mr Ward
November 10th 11.00 a.m.  Mr Croom / Mrs England (Remembrance Service)
                   5.00 p.m.  Mrs Griffin / Mrs Jutting
November 17th  9.30 a.m.  Mrs Hazelrigg / Mr Strange
                   6.00 p.m.  Mr Dashwood / Mr Barnes
November 24th 11.00 a.m.  Miss Miller
                   6.00 p.m.  Miss Chesney / Miss Frampton

Readers
November 3rd  Mrs C Lewis
November 10th  Mrs Jutting
November 17th  Mr I Ventham

AFFPUDDLE CHURCH ROTAS
Readers/Readings and Sidemen
3rd November  8.00 a.m.  Capt Baddock
             11.00 a.m.  Lt Cdr Thorniley
             10th November  9.30 a.m.  Mr D Payne
                          17th November  8.00 a.m.  Lt Cdr Thorniley
                          24th November  9.30 a.m.  Mrs Holland

The Server
Philippians 1 3-11
Mr Armitage
Proverbs 9 1-11
Luke 13 18-end
Mr Silavs
Romans 4 13-end
Mr Gainsford
John 8 51-end
The Server
Colossians 1 3-12
Affpraise
Lt Cdr Haigh
Romans 11 13-24
Capt Baddock
Matthew 24 37-44
Cleaning and Flowers

3rd November  Mrs Solly  Mrs Smith
10th November  Mrs Kayll  Mrs Gainsford
17th November  Mrs Armitage  Mrs Ventham
24th November  Mrs Killer  Mrs Kayll

CHURCH NOTICES

VISITING PREACHER

On 3rd November in Bere Regis Church at 9.30 a.m., we have a Sudanese priest visiting us. He is the Reverend Joseph Ayok. Earlier this year he was instituted into the parish of Chideock, near Bridport, but he will be with us to talk about developments in the Southern Sudan and Northern Uganda. His visit is sponsored by the "Mind the World" Group.

RECITAL

It is a great pleasure for us that Miss Natalie Klein, the celebrated young cellist, has agreed to come and perform for us again this year. Her recital last year was an outstanding success. She will be accompanied again by Carole Presland on the piano. The recital will be in Bere Regis Church, but is sponsored by Cyril Wood Memorial Trust. Admission is by programme only and this can be obtained from Mrs P Smith on 01929 471909.

Admission price: £8.50
Date and time: Friday 8th November 7.30 pm

CHURCH YARD TIDY UP (Bere Regis)

The church yard is such an important part of the parish, and when it is cared for, everyone is delighted. It does take time and energy to make sure it is maintained, so we look to volunteers to help from time to time. Can you spare a couple of hours on Saturday 9th November from 10 - 12 noon? Male, female, young and not-so-young - all are welcome. Refreshments at noon!

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

At Affpuddle, the Act of Remembrance this year takes place at the War Memorial at Bladen Valley, Briantspuddle. This is at 9.00 a.m. Following this, there will be a service in Affpuddle Church, starting at 9.30 a.m.

At Bere Regis, the Royal British Legion will join the parish for the Remembrance Ceremonies. There is a parade for Legion members, and after marching to the War Memorial in the churchyard, there will be an Act of Remembrance. We are asked to form up at 10.50 a.m. around the Memorial, and then we will have a Remembrance Sunday Service in the church.

Evensong on Remembrance Sunday will be at 5.00 p.m. and not 6.00 p.m. The churchwardens have suggested this change because the Vicar is due to appear on the Remembrance Day Songs of Praise on BBC1, and they think that the regular attenders at Evensong may enjoy watching this.

HARVEST FESTIVAL THANK YOU

The produce from both Affpuddle and Bere Regis Harvest Festival is given to the Dorchester Cheshire Homes. This includes the generous offerings of parents and children of Bere Regis County First School. The people of the Cheshire Homes have sent a lovely letter of thanks for these gifts, and asked that their gratitude be passed on especially to the children of the school.

TRAIDCRAFT is the name of an organisation in the country that strives to help sell products from 'third world countries' at a proper price. So often people producing goods for the 'developed world', in these 'under-developed' countries are given a pittance for what they do. There will be a TRAIDCRAFT evening in Cyril Wood Court on Wednesday 13th November starting at 7.00 p.m.. It will be a good opportunity to get Christmas things and help others at the same time.

ADULT CHRISTIAN INFORMATION

The third of the information talks given by the Vicar will be on 28th November in the Bere Regis Church, starting at 7.00 pm.
BRIANTSPUDDLE with AFFPUDDLE and TURNERSPUDDLE

An informal evening service will be held in the Village Hall on the fourth Sunday of the winter months. Our next service will be on 24th November at 6.30 pm. This service is open to all. No special knowledge or books are needed. Refreshments are served after the service. Those who came last year really enjoyed these informal services.

FROM THE REGISTERS

Holy Baptism - Bere Regis
22nd September 1996 Georgina Margaret Falconer Shave
daughter of Malcolm and Susan Shave

Holy Matrimony
Bere Regis
5th October 1996 Damien William Smith to Amanda Mary Jane Hill

Affpuddle
12th October 1996 Andrew Field Adeney to Amanda Anne Mitchell

Funeral
9th October 1996 Frances Evelyn Lys

OBITUARY

Miss Frances Evelyn LYS (aged 91 years)

It will be hard for many in Bere Regis to imagine the parish without Miss Evelyn Lys. For almost the whole of this century, she has been in the village and one of those people who, by temperament and ability, is able to give service in the community. So it was not surprising to find her church packed for her funeral on 9th October.

Miss Lys was born in the parish in 1905, the fifth child of the parish doctor. Dr Lys and his wife lived in a house called White Lovington, now demolished, and the site of several houses on the way up Rye Hill. It was in a home that also was the Surgery that she was brought up, so the attitude of service to others was part of her lifestyle.

Soon after the First World War had started, Evelyn was sent to St Swithins School for Girls in Winchester, and after completing her time there, she went on to a College of Domestic Science in Gloucester. Older members of the parish will remember her as a fantastic cook.

With the sad death of her mother in 1930, Evelyn decided to remain at home to look after her father. They moved from White Lovington to Woodburyside, and there they stayed until after the Second World War. Woodburyside had a tennis court, so she was able to indulge her passion for tennis. She also involved herself in the "war effort", by being one of the two ladies in the "Air Raid Precaution" (ARP). There is a photograph in existence which shows members of the ARP in their tin helmets, lined up on the Recreation Field. Evelyn is there in the front rank.

She was already a very well known person in the community, because it was she who had founded the Women's Branch of the British Legion seventy years ago. Over the years she had been its Secretary, Treasurer and President. At her death on 30th September, she was still its President. Her voluntary service to the community was part of her whole life.

It was her church commitment that marked her life in an indelible way. She was christened in the ancient Bere Regis Font on 16th March 1905, and she never ceased to worship and be involved in nearly every part of the church life. To see her walking to the 8 o'clock Holy Communion service on a Sunday morning, come rain, hail, snow or storm, aged 90, was inspirational. There she would be, with her sister Audrey, kneeling quietly in the pew without any fuss or bother, Sunday by Sunday. We shall miss her so much. We will also miss her taking her turn at dusting in the church. Again, to have seen her, with Audrey, dusting the pews on a cold, dull February Friday afternoon is a memory not to be forgotten. It was a hidden offering, but not hidden to God.

Everyone who knew Miss Evelyn Lys will automatically and naturally associate her with her sister and companion in life, Audrey. To Audrey we extend our warm condolences at this most difficult time.

May Evelyn rest in the warm love and joy of the Lord she served so willingly.

CHURCH FUND RAISING

The Christmas Coffee Morning will take place at Cyril Wood Court on Saturday 7th December at 10 30 a.m. There will be a cook's table, gift stall, and raffle and a special Christmas cake competition. Do come and enjoy the social occasion.

New Year Jumble Sale at Wareham Town Hall. This annual event will soon be upon us - January 25th - so please bear this in mind when discarding household or personal items. More details later.
BERE REGIS NEWS

MOTHERS UNION
At our October meeting members enjoyed a Harvest Evening with hymns, readings and prayers, followed by a superb feast of homemade food with a glass of cider. Later in the evening we had great fun with a Bible auction. Goods mentioned in the Bible with the text, were auctioned by Mary England, when bidding was fast and keen. Included were loaves and fishes - bread rolls and a tin of sardines, wine, lilies, fruit and vegetables, an apron in the shape of a fig leaves, and much more. A draw was also held, so a good total was added to funds. Many thanks to Penny and Graham for the use of their home.

Some members enjoyed a lovely day out to Bucklers Hard with others from the rest of the Blandford Deanery, then a trip up the river, followed by tea provided by Beaulieu MU and a talk and tour of the Abbey.

On 9th October, 14 members visited The Verne prison on the day news broke that The Verne has been selected for a pilot pioneering scheme called APAC - Association for the Protection and Assistance of the Convicted. This is where inmates are responsible for the day to day management of a wing at the prison, with a Christian ex-offender as director under the control of the Governor.

This was started in Brazil many years ago, and America now has 150 prisons with an APAC wing, also Australia. It has improved morale and cuts re-offending. This is very much a Christian based project, with volunteers and families actively involved. The Chaplain and prisoners asked us to pray for the success of this scheme, and we ask you to do the same. We were shown a video of the work in Brazil, then enjoyed a cup of prison tea, and a chat and question session with a dozen inmates. All too soon it was time to leave, or be locked in for the night, as the gates are closed at 8.30 pm.

At our November meeting we shall come together for Holy Communion, when the preacher will be a Franciscan Brother from Hilfield Priory. Anyone wishing to join us will be most welcome.

Di Phillips.

THANKS
Miss Audrey Lys would like to thank all those people who have sent her cards and letters of sympathy following the recent death of her sister Evelyn. She regrets that she is unable to reply to them all personally, but appreciates the kind thoughts.

THANKS
Maureen Waite and Family, daughter of the late George Elliott, would like to express their sincere appreciation to his friends in Bere Regis who attended the funeral on 10th September 1996.

A special "Thank you" must go to the Venerable G Robin who conducted such a moving service, the Royal British Legion and his dear friends at Turberville Court, all of whom made his brief stay in Bere Regis a very happy one.

It is clear Dad will be missed by many, but having such wonderful friends will mean his memory will live on for a long time yet.

Thank you all.

Maureen Waite

THE R.B.L. WOMEN'S SECTION
The RBL Women's Section held their monthly meeting on 18th September - 25 members attended. After the Exhortation, business followed, the Treasurer, Mrs House in her report said that we could donate a further £600 to Women Section Schemes and it was unanimously agreed as follows:

- Benevolent Fund £400
- General Fund £200

Our speaker for the afternoon was Mrs Humphreys, our Group Chairman who gave a most interesting talk on 'My Life in the Legion'. Teas were then served by Mrs O Curtiss and Mrs Halings and a raffle run by Mrs Payne and Mrs Reed.

Our Carol Service will be held on 25th November at Headquarters at 7 pm when it is hoped that members from all other village organizations will attend.

Cenotaph for November - Mrs Presslee. December - Mrs Preslee and Mrs Maidment.

BERE REGIS WI
We were well pleased to see so many old and new friends at our September promotional evening. What a pleasure it was to have a convivial hour or two with friends perhaps often missed in our everyday life. So keep it up ladies and please come again. The welcome will always be waiting - age no deterrent - bring your ideas with you - let us know our VILLAGE is alive - with other organisations within the village we are the backbone of village life. It is up to us to maintain it, otherwise we will be just a village with a name found on a map.

Our next meeting will be 19th November at 7.30 pm - this will be our AGM.

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S INSTITUTES
If you receive this magazine before the 30th October, do not forget that during the half term week, on the 30th at 10.30, there will be a puppet show for the younger family members entitled 'Small Wonder'. Tickets from Mrs Mauder - 471342.

On 30th November we have a folk musical 'Tolpuddle Man'. This show was premiered to great acclaim at the Crown Court in Dorchester and went on to become the highlight of this year's Thomas Hardy International Festival. Through a combination of drama and song this powerful production covers the events which led to the trial and sufferings of the families at Tolpuddle, and their eventual triumphant return. Tickets £4.00 from Mrs Mauder - 471342.

Please note for the people who think that the performances that are brought to our Hall are by local amateurs. All productions are by touring companies organised by Artsreach, the County based Arts Centre which is sponsored by all the District Councils, Mobil Oil, the RDC and South West Arts. Without the sponsorships it would not be possible to present these performances. Also let it be known that these performances are not available in Wareham and other towns. I hope that you will see that I am simply asking for the performances to be supported.

CM

WHERE WERE YOU?

What were you doing on the evening of October 3rd? Watching yet another boring programme on the telly, more DIY at home, or paying through the nose to see a show at Poole or Bournemouth. Just a few of us were at the Drax Hall watching one of the most talented young groups of performers anywhere in the South, presenting 'Meet me at the Regal' a story of the golden days of the cinema.

The Forest Forge Theatre Company - "skilfully recreated an old style picture house upstairs in the quaint Drax Hall" - to use the words of the Echo reporter. The cast of three played numerous roles - singing, dancing, playing musical instruments, as well as impersonating many old time film stars. It was funny, sad, lively, with brilliant acting by youngsters destined to make it big in the future.

So where were you? There are not many village hall committees who bring such high class entertainment to their locals, so next time there is a production here, get up, get out and support your dedicated hall workers. You are lucky to have them. Thanks to Chris and Margaret and their team for a delightful evening.

Di Philips

BLOOD DONING

The next blood donor session will take place on Tuesday 26th November in the Drax Hall, Bere Regis, from 1.30 p.m. to 3.30 p.m. and 4.30 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.

New donors are always urgently needed and will be most welcome, as will regular and lapsed donors. Do please try to come along.

Further information on giving blood can be obtained by telephoning 01703 703747 or from your local organiser Mrs R Short on 01305 853538.

We are now seeking a replacement for Rosemary Short as the local organiser for Bere Regis. This voluntary position involves attending three donor sessions a year (afternoon and evening) and also the putting up of posters two weeks prior to each session. It is also responsible for ensuring the dates of sessions are communicated for inclusion in the Parish Magazine. Expenses are paid. If anyone feels they could undertake this worthwhile role, please contact Rosemary on the above number.

LUCY THE LABRADOR

Did you see Lucy of West Street and her family on 14th September walking from Bere Regis church to Affpuddle and Moreton churches? She was on the Dorset Historic churches Trust sponsored walk.

She raised a magnificent £170 in sponsor money and is, I think, the only labrador to do so! £85 of this money goes to the Dorset Historic Churches Trust and £85 to Bere Regis Church. Well done Lucy and her family and very many thanks to all the kind sponsors.

Looking ahead to the 1997 walk. You may have a dog which would like to do this walk. Just keep an eye open in this magazine for the date next September. Enquiries to Sybil Frampton.

AUTUMN LEAVES OVER 50's CLUB

Our last meeting was our Harvest Afternoon. We were entertained by the Woodbury Hill Singers, and then enjoyed a delicious harvest tea. The competition for a vinegar bottle was well supported.

On the following Saturday we held our 25p sale, which proved to be very successful, with lots of good things to buy.

Our next meeting will be on 13th November, when we are to have a talk on the RNLI by Mr Ian Ventham. The competition is an umbrella. Please remember the Christmas Fayre, to be held on Saturday 23rd November, at 2.30 p.m. in the Drax Hall.
THE WOODBURY HILL SINGERS

The singers have started their entertainment for the Autumn and have had several venues- W.I. Briantspudle; Harvest Supper, Winterborne Kingston; Dorchester Foresters for the Scanner Appeal; and Autumn Leaves Harvest Afternoon.

B.R.R.A.D. - Bere Regis Residents Against Development

As it has been some time since the last public meeting and exhibition that we organised and as many of you have been enquiring about the latest status of the housing/Structure Plan proposals for the village we felt an update was required.

After the public exhibition the B.R.R.A.D. working group collated the information gathered and presented numerous objections to and objectives for the proposed Structure Plan to both the Parish and District Councils.

The Parish Council have subsequently put forward similar objections and various recommendations to the District Council.

The District Council have since held a day long meeting where proposals for the whole of Purbeck including Bere Regis were discussed by District Councillors. Subsequently, the District Council produced a “Draft” Draft Structure Plan for limited discussion purposes. copies of the same were forwarded to the Parish Council for their comment but not to B.R.R.A.D.

Although the B.R.R.A.D. working group have not to date been given the opportunity to study the Plan in detail we did attend the recent Parish Council meeting at which it was discussed and debated by councillors. At the meeting it was ascertained that the Structure Plan, including the housing proposals, had been altered slightly in detail to those originally presented at the public display held at the Drax Hall but in general terms the proposals remain unchanged. In other words the same level of housing is still proposed despite the level of opposition.

As the District Council instigated and invited public participation in the process of forming the Structure Plan the working group are very concerned and disappointed that no response has been received to the numerous objections and concerns raised over their Structure Plan proposals.

Consequently, we have again written to the District Council requesting a response to our objections and observations that were fully detailed in our letter and statement sent to them on the 10th July. We have also asked for details of the ‘Draft’ Draft Plan.

We have requested a response by the 24th October with a view to holding a meeting to discuss their response and in turn further actions to be taken.  

Guy Storey 471041

BERE REGIS TWINNING ASSOCIATION

Bonjour !!!

On 11th September Bere Regis Twinning Association gave a presentation of the villages of Cerences and Flamanville, the two villages in Normandy, one of which we are looking to twin with us.

The presentation consisted of photos and videos of both villages. This work being most ably devised and executed by Tony Bates, without whom it could not have taken place. There was information on display of the surrounding areas and comprehensive descriptions of what each village has to offer in the way of schools, sports etc. All researched by Caroline Hество, our French committee member. The rest of the committee was on hand to answer any questions and offer a glass of wine or soft drink to any thirsty soul.

The meeting was well attended considering it was a very windy evening, and we now have several new members in the association who joined that night. (I don't think the wine had any influence on their decision). All in all it was a very successful evening.

Over the next few days/weeks, the committee will be posting a voting slip through your letter box asking you to vote for one of the following three options.

That we:-  
1. Twin with Cerences  
2. Twin with Flamanville  
3. Keep looking for an alternative village to twin with.

In the meantime we shall also be putting up a display board in the local pubs and other public places, giving a brief description of each village so that you can have one final look at what each village has to offer.

Voting slips should be placed in the Ballot Box which will be in Bere Regis Post Office. The closing date for voting will be November 22nd 1996.

Finally, if anyone is interested in French lessons or conversational French, either beginner or advanced or requires further information about the association, please contact any of the committee members:

Bernard Hammick 472424, Ruth Draycott 471295, Peter Loxton 471660, Roger Angel 471898.

BERE REGIS FLORAL GROUP

The October meeting, 'Dare to be Different', with Avril Hill was a great success with 200 people attending. In November we have a local demonstrator, Jenny Moore from Wareham and her title is 'Contrasts'. Visitors are always welcome.
BERE REGIS SCOUT GROUP

A report on the cubs 80th Birthday celebrations by Akela - Mandy Miller.

On Saturday 21st September Bere Regis Cubs joined the other Cubs in Wareham and Isle of Purbeck District for the 80th Birthday Party at Bowling Green Woods. To help celebrate the Group Leaders provided bases for the Cubs to participate in all afternoon. These were as diverse as backwoods cooking, blindfold tasting, a string trail and assault course also a water base, all in glorious sunshine.

At five o’clock everyone sat down for a tea party where we were joined by Mr and Mrs Weld. 80 Candles were lit on a huge cake and the youngest Cub from each group joined in to blow the candles out. After a ‘wide game’ we sat and sang songs round a roaring campfire and then walked cross the fields in the dark to meet the parents at the Castle car park.

We now have 24 Scouts and they are busy learning canoeing at an indoor pool. We welcome a new Scout Leader - Jan King who is planning to take a training course as a Scout Leader.

A dozen of our Venture Scouts have left to go to University and so the remaining Ventures would be very happy to welcome new members. We wish all those who have left to go to University success in their studies.

Our Antiques Valuation Evening on 16th November has been postponed until the New Year.

A Thank you Party for John England was held at the Royal Oak skittle alley on Saturday 12th October. Many friends who have worked with John in supporting Scouting over the years were there. The Scout Group presented him with a telescope, for bird watching, which we hope he will find useful when he is occupied as a Guide to visitors to Brownsea Island. We are very grateful to John and Mary for all they have done for the Group over the years.

Pat Hall

RETIRING, RETRAINING AND REPLANTING

The District Nurses based at Wool said farewell at the end of September to four colleagues.

Sister Elaine Few who has worked in the area for over 12 years has decided to take early retirement and as at the end of November will no longer be working. Elaine and I have known each other for over 20 years and as well as being a true professional she has been a good friend both to myself and her colleagues - she hopes to do some voluntary work and play more golf! Elaine has been responsible for many of our patients going to Lourdes on the Jumbulance and the Across Foundation - which she still takes an active part. We wish her a healthy and happy retirement.

Jackie Cooke has recently achieved her ambition of opening a florist shop - her expertise with flowers is well known to us all who have worked with her over the past 13 years where she has been a reliable, conscientious, Auxiliary Nurse, well loved by her mostly older clientele. In her own time Jackie founded the Stroke Club in Wareham and she could be seen most Saturdays driving the ambulance collecting her clients, and most years taking groups on holidays. We wish her well with the Woolbridge Florists.

The "other" Jill (Moreland), as she has been known, has worked in the area for 4 years as a "Bank" Nurse - on call at a minutes notice to help out - and help out she has - caring and filling in with true professionalism - thanks Jill - enjoy your gardening and cycling.

Lastly, Linda Tatum has left the fold to go back to school to train as a Registered Nurse - well done Linda and good luck.

As the recently moved on District Nursing Sister at Wool, I would like to say to them all - Thank you for all the cakes at the District Nurses tea parties - Thank you for all the hard work and extra hours worked and very good wishes to you all. I know we shall keep in touch.

DISTRICT NURSES TEA PARTY

To be held Tuesday 5th November at D’Urberville Hall, Colliers Lane, Wool. 3-4 pm - a farewell to the ‘Old Team’! Come and join us. There will be a raffle. Some transport may be available. Please ring 463237 - answerphone.

Gill Webb

COMMUNITY HEALTH VOLUNTEERS

The GP’s surgery at Puddletown is currently launching a FRIENDS OF THE PRACTICE scheme. Funded by Dorset Health Commission and administered by Dorset Healthcare Trust in Boscombe, the project was pioneered in East Dorset over 10 years ago, and FRIENDS OF THE PRACTICE schemes now operate from local medical practices in Dorchester, Milton Abbas and Cerne Abbas.

FRIENDS OF THE PRACTICE seeks to involve volunteers in the community in helping Practice patients in a variety of ways eg, befriending and supporting families, elderly or handicapped people, visiting, wheelchair pushing, sitting to give carers a break, shopping errands, transport to appointments etc. The scheme is very flexible and tailored to the needs of specific patients and the gifts which particular volunteers have to offer. Volunteers do not need to be themselves patients of the Practice.

In areas in which FRIENDS OF THE PRACTICE is already operating, many benefits have been seen:- patients and their carers benefit from practical help and social contact, the Practice benefits from being able to offer extra help and support to patients when professional help is not what they really need, volunteers benefit from the satisfaction of
taking part in rewarding and useful work and the community benefits from an extended care service.

If you have a few hours to spare and would like to be involved in this exciting new project, please contact: Sue Chalk, (Volunteer Co-ordinator), The Puddletown Surgery, Mill Street, Puddletown. Phone: (01305) 848333

BERE REGIS CAMERA CLUB

Meetings first and third Thursday of every month Cyril Wood Court - 7.30pm

On a bright and sunny Sunday morning in September, 5 intrepid members armed to the teeth with camera gear were seen at Arne Nature Reserve. Steve (no one can get as close as I can) Barrett and Dave (tripod) Gibbs, spotted a Roe fawn which they spent an age stalking. Only to find it was so tame they could have virtually walked right up to it! I look forward to seeing the results.

I regret to have to announce that Marion Cox (our stalwart treasurer) is defecting to take up residence in Wareham and will therefore be leaving the club. Marion was the main force behind starting the club and keeping us all in order! Her photography has improved greatly, even though she claims that she doesn’t know what she is doing! We all thank you for all your time and effort. Enjoy your new home in Wareham, keep taking those photographs.

Forthcoming Attraction - Wildlife 95

Thursday 21st November at 7.30pm.

There will be a public slide show by Colin Varndell the nationally recognised wildlife photographer. The show entitled Wildlife 95 - is a collection of his best bird, animal and flower pictures taken last year. Our Vice Chairman - Steve Barrett has had a sneak preview, and if he says they are good, they must be good. If you are keen on birds and animals, this is a show not to be missed. You don’t need to be photographer or club member to enjoy these pictures.

So come along to Cyril Wood Court 7.30pm sharp, admission will be £2.00.

Where are all you keen photographers? We know you are out there, don’t be shy, come and meet us! We welcome any one interested in taking better pictures, using anything from a compact camera to more advanced equipment. For further information contact Dave Gibbs on 471500 or Julian Lightfoot on 472007

THE POP IN PLACE

The Pop In Place, Bere Regis has had an excellent start and we thank everyone for their kind donations of books, clothing, vegetables etc.

We have now received the grant from the Community Council Community Projects Fund to the tune of £500 and we are at present developing our library with suitable shelving and purchasing nature videos and reference books. If you haven’t used it yet it’s well worth a look, we have a very experienced librarian and we feel we are offering the community a very good facility.

We need to develop our Educational home play area for the toddlers that attend and we are waiting to hear the outcome of an application for money that we have presented to the Williams Trust.

We are holding a Pop In Christmas party - this will be on Saturday the 14th December at 3.00 p.m, everyone is welcome. It will take the format of a sing along led by the PIP committee with Dorothy Bentley White at the piano, there will be free food for everyone afterwards. If you would like to attend Pop In and need transport we can arrange this for you, telephone 472023 or put your name on the list.

The Pop In will close on the 20th December - this morning will be a festive Pop-In with mince pies and carols. We will open again on Monday 6th January.

Alone at Christmas?

If there is anyone who is alone at Christmas and would rather not be, we do have some offers from families that would happily welcome you. So don’t be afraid to come and chat to one of the helpers at the Pop In. If there is a demand the Pop In Place will open on Christmas Day.

The Pop In is there for everyone irrespective of age so if you haven’t already popped in why not give it a try.

If you have entered items on the ‘New to You’ scheme, please come back and collect your money.

SAVE THE CHILDREN FUND

The local committee of the Save the Children Fund are holding a Christmas Fair on Wednesday 13th November at the Corn Exchange in Dorchester. This will be from 10.00 a.m. until 1.00 p.m. Stalls will include - Christmas cards and gifts, cakes and produce, white elephant and there will be a raffle. Entrance is 50p but children get in free.
BERE REGIS SPORTS CLUB

Football Results

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The all-new Bere Regis 1st eleven has made steady progress in the early part of the season. With a sparse sprinkling of local talent, Bere's mercenaries have found themselves thoroughly ensconced in the middle reaches of Division Two ensuring a solid base for a promotion push, and with an ever burgeoning squad available who knows what can be capable. In a fixture that has caused many a hard fought battle down the seasons, Bere met Wareham and were outplayed and given a lesson in how to finish on a day when chances went begging. It was left to a combination from Bere's two central defenders, Rob White and Martin "Albero" Balsom to net the home side's only consolation.

The adventures of Archie's faithful followers witnessed another chapter in their away trip to Handley Sports. The day had written disaster all over it as the pitch could not be located, even the referee's mobile phone failed to remedy the situation. Finally after circumnavigating Blandford Camp, Bere met their match on a small but almost perfect playing surface against opponents were spurred on to maim Bere at all costs by their crazed manager. One altercation ended in skipper Dean Rogerson crashing to the ground and the ensuing melee saw referee hand out cards as if they were confetti like an enterprising talk-show host his stock phrase was "a chat with me will cost you £6.00".

Absolutely necessary though as Handley Cavelmen dished out some untimely threats to all of Bere's personnel. On the playing side, Bere self-destructed just before half-time and with it lost their impetus in the wind. An altogether more pleasant experience was met at home to pace-setters Hospital Metalcraft who against, Bere grafted hard for a point at home. Steve Cheeseman opened the scoring with a pile driver, then a reply on the hour sparked the game into life and the lead exchanged hands three times.

Wayne Cope and Ricky Cummins' goals almost settled matters, but scores were levelled and Bere scored from a perfectly flighted free kick from the in-from Kev Cox, and the referee disallowed a flawless headed goal for a reason unknown to anyone including himself. Cup fever once again hit the terraces, and a decent crowd witnessed Bere venture into the second round, after an uneasy 2-0 victory at home to Allendale.

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A moment of brilliance from pacy forward Ricky Cummins put Bere 1-0 up following intelligent approach play capped off by a diving header par excellence. A second from Squinter Lumsden saw Bere into the money spinning second round. Next month there will be a focus on the fortunes of the evergreen Sunday Heroes.

The Sports Club will be holding a Family Quiz evening on 9 November at the Clubhouse starting at 8.00pm.

Steve Cheeseman

THE CONGREGATIONAL CHAPEL
BUTT LANE, BERE REGIS

Even for the casual observer, the eclipse of the moon and the sun has quite a fascination. This year we have twice witnessed the eclipse of the moon at night-time, firstly on the 4th April and then again on 27th September. Then on Saturday afternoon, 12th October, at around 3pm, the sky changed to reveal the partial eclipse of the sun.

As you know, an eclipse occurs when one body hides or obscures another. A solar (sun) eclipse happens when the sun, moon and earth are in a direct line. A lunar (moon) eclipse occurs when the earth is directly between the sun and the moon. Or put another way, during an eclipse of the sun, the moon is between the earth and the sun, and so blocks the light from the sun to the earth. But during the eclipse of the moon, the earth blocks the light from the sun reaching the moon.

An eclipse reminds us of the wonder of God's marvellous and majestic creation as described in Psalm 8. An eclipse, especially of the sun, reminds us of the sin in all mankind that blocks the light of God's son from reaching a person's heart. That blockage can only be removed by the person asking for God's forgiveness.

A true Christian is one who lives his or her life in a direct line with God's word and truth. May the light of Christ continually shine in your heart, as you live for Him each day and night. "The god of this age has blinded the minds of unbelievers, so that they cannot see the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God. For God who said, 'Let light shine out of darkness', made his light shine in our hearts, to give us the light of knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Christ." 2 Corinthians 4:4-6.

On Saturday 23rd November at 7.30pm we shall be having our monthly Celebration meeting at the Chapel, Butt Lane, when the speaker will be Geoff Barnard. Geoff is an excellent Bible teacher, with a particular understanding of the scriptures from a Jewish perspective. Every one is very welcome to this meeting.
AFFPUDDLE NEWS

Bladen Social Club Harvest Auction

The Church wardens and Parochial Church Council would like to thank the Bladen Social Club for organising a Harvest Auction on 5th October. £160.00 was raised and given to the church. Thank you to all those who donated the produce, who attended the auction and Mr Steele who persuaded all those present to part with their money and thus raise this magnificent sum of money.

Village Hall News

Sun Flower Competition: The Hall Committee are most grateful to Mrs Judith Ram for organising a Sunflower growing competition. Mr Sheppard won the first prize, followed by Mrs Horsey who won both second and third prizes. £57 was raised for Hall funds.

Trilith Archive Film Show: On Friday 11th October Trilith presented a film show of Archive Film from the last 100 years of life in Dorset. About 50 people attended the show, Gill Vingoe and Jenny Beedle donned striped shirts, white gloves and short black skirts, got out their torches and acted as ushers. Jennifer Champion sold squash as well as choices in the interval. At the time of going to press it is not possible to let you know how much was raised for hall funds but a good time was had by all. Thank you to everyone who helped to make this evening possible.

Briantspuddle WI

A very well attended evening together with a lot of delicious food prepared by our members made our birthday party a great success. The party was attended by almost forty people, including the Woodbury Hill Singers and guests from other institutes, some of whom have become "regulars". Thanks to everyone for all the hard work. This month, 6th November we elect our officers for the coming year at our Annual General Meeting after which Diane Holness will help us create our own homemade Christmas wreaths, which can be used year after year. Some of these will be for sale at the Christmas Fair.

Christmas Fair - Saturday 7th December 3.30 - 5.30 p.m.

As announced in last month's magazine Briantspuddle WI will be organising the Christmas Fair in the Village Hall this year. This is not a fundraising event for our WI but simply an opportunity for people to get together and purchase items for their Christmas presents.

The Bladen Social Club will be serving refreshments in the club during the event, there will be a variety of stalls and if anyone wishes to run a stall, for which there is no charge, please contact our secretary Nicky Killer, 01929 471002, for further details. Father Christmas did admit to being extremely busy that day so we may not see him at the fair, but there will be a Lucky Dip for the youngsters. There will also be a raffle to cover any costs incurred by the WI.

Dorset Historic Trust Cycle Ride

Thank you to all those people who so kindly helped to make this year's cycle ride such a success. Over £400 was raised by seven cyclists in Affpuddle parish this year.

It is very much appreciated by cyclists when they are greeted by someone in the church to sign their card and give them a drink and we at Affpuddle were able to have helpers on duty all day, where 51 cyclists called in that day.

AFFPUDDLE & TURNERSPUDDLE PARISH COUNCIL

The Parish Council met on 11th September and 9th October.

Talks are still continuing with Sir Patrick Neal regarding the circular walk in Lea Woods and the matter of the path from Bladen Valley to Lea Woods is to be brought before the Rights of Way Sub-committee in November.

It was reported that more people were using the village shop and the 'Friends of the Village Shop' incentive had been a success.

During the Public Discussion Period Mrs Vingoes, Chairman of the Hall Committee, outlined a proposal to make an application for money from the National Lottery Charities Board for improvements to the Hall. Improvements sought would be to the toilets and kitchen to bring them to the required standard. The PC, as owners of the building, approved the proposal and it was agreed that a meeting should be arranged for representatives and all regular Hall users to determine the requirements. Mr Beedle went on to explain the format of the proposed application and the layout of the alterations.

During the Summer recess, a planning application to extend 21 Bladen Valley, Briantspuddle was circulated to Councillors. There were reservations to the application and this was indicated to the PDC. Unfortunately the PC's reservations were not received in time and the application was approved. At the October meeting this topic was discussed at length and it seemed that there was deep feeling in the village that the matter had not been dealt with properly. The PC is to write to PDC Planning Committee to object and request an explanation why the application was delegated in the first place - particularly for a listed building in a sensitive area. Also, the three weeks allowed for objections to be passed to the Planning Committee was considered too short as this could easily fall between PC meetings.
For some time the PC had been trying to improve road safety on the dangerous bend outside Peony Cottage, Affpuddle. It was thought that DCC highways would realign the road and provide a kerb on the inside of the bend in conjunction with building works in progress at the Chalk Pit opposite. However, it seems that DCC are planning to paint a white line with hatching on both sides of the bend! In reply to a letter from the PC about this matter and traffic routes generally, DCC said that it could not agree to a kerb at the bend because of drainage problems. There was agreement regarding re-routing heavy traffic by turning at Waddock Cross when travelling north to join the Bere Regis to Wool road at Gallows Hill. The PC will object to the decision about the kerb and point out that white lines and hatching could be dangerous in causing pedestrians to think they were safe when walking in the hatched area.

The Mulberry tree in the Ring at Briantspuddle was leaning over and following a request from the PC, PDC have agreed to get a tree surgeon to prune it.

Mr Rolls reminded the Councillors that the annual village quiz was to be held in the Village Hall on 4th November and asked for four volunteers.

The puddle next to the War Memorial at Bladen Valley was said to be worsening. After some discussion it was felt that the PC could not act directly and the matter was the responsibility of the residents of Bladen Valley.

THE DORSET LATVIA LINK

As reported in the last issue we were awaiting a reply from Latvia concerning medical reports etc in connection with a new prosthesis for Aleysha. I am happy to say that we have now received some of the required information and enquiries are continuing for the rest.

We tend to complain about our National Health Service and it is only at times like this we realise how very fortunate we are in this country to have our records so easily accessible. We hope to have more news of Aleysha in our next issue.

The Newsletter on the “doings” of the Link for the past six months is currently in production and should be with you by the time the November issue of the Parish Mag arrives on your doorstep. If anyone has any items for ideas for future Newsletters, or would like to become a member of the Link, would you kindly contact our Subscription Secretary, Hilary Menzies on 01929 471263.

Briantspuddle Christmas Fayre

This will take place in Briantspuddle Village Hall on Saturday 7th December 1996 and the Briantspuddle WI has very kindly invited The Dorset Latvia Link to run a stall. Donation of cakes, bottles for the tombola and other suitable, saleable items would be most acceptable for the stall and the Secretary may be contacted on 01929 471577 to arrange collection.

Sadly most of the youngsters from our Youth Link are off to pastures new, either to university or in employment. We take this opportunity to thank them all for their hard work and involvement with our Link over the past 3 years and wish them every success in the future. Happily Phil Ventham has some up and coming young hopefuls who wish to join the Venture Scouts so the work of the Youth Link should continue in the future.

Jenny Silvas, Hon Sec.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

November 1996

8th  Natalie Klein concert, Bere Regis Church  7.30 p.m.
9th  Bere Regis church yard ‘tidy up’  10.00 a.m. - 12.00
12th Dorset Wildlife Trust coffee morning  10.30 a.m. - 12.00
13th  R.N.I.L. Talk, Autumn Leaves
13th  Save the Children, Christmas Fair, Corn Exchange  10.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m
13th  Traidcraft Christmas Shopping, Cyril Wood Court  7.30 p.m.
13th  Folk Art (Decorative Painting), Cyril Wood Court  7.00 p.m. - 9.00 p.m.
and every Wednesday until 18th December
23rd  Xmas Bazaar, Autumn Leaves, Drax Hall  2.30 p.m.
30th  ‘Tootpud Man’, Drax Hall

December 1996

1st  Ancient Order of Foresters Carol Service  3.00 p.m.
Bere Regis Church
7th  Christmas Coffee Morning at Cyril Wood Court  10.30 a.m.
(proceeds to Church Funds)
7th  Briantspuddle WI, Christmas event  3.30 p.m.
11th  Autumn Leaves Xmas Afternoon  2.30 p.m.
14th  Pop in Place Christmas Party, Drax Hall  3.00 p.m. - 6.00 p.m.

January 1997

18th  Quiz Evening, Scout HQ  7.30 p.m.
25th  Jumble Sale, Wareham Town Hall  10.00 a.m.
CHURCH AND VILLAGE ACTIVITIES

Age Concern
Autumn Leaves
Beavers
Bingo
British Legion Club
British Legion Women's Section
British Legion Youth
Brownies
B.R.S.C.
Brantspuddle Singers
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Pop in Place
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Tuesday Clubs:
  Junior Club
  Youth Club
Swimming Club
Turberville Court
Woodbury Hill Singers

November 1996

2.00 p.m. Thursdays, Turberville Court
2.30 p.m. 2nd Wednesday
6.30 p.m. Monday, Scout HQ
7.45 p.m. Monday, Drax Hall
7.00 - 11.30 p.m. Monday - Saturday
12.00 - 2.00 p.m. and 7.30 - 10.30 p.m. Sunday
2.00 p.m. 3rd Wednesday, HQ
7.00 - 10.00 p.m. Wednesday, HQ
6.00 - 7.15 p.m. Wednesday, Scout HQ
Winter season opening times: Tues, Wed, Fri
7.00 p.m., Sat - 4.25 p.m., Sun - 7.30 p.m.
7.45 p.m Tuesdays, Village Hall
6.00 p.m. Junior, 6.45 p.m. Full Choir, Fri in Church
Wareham - Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri 10.00 a.m. -
2.00 p.m. (closed Wednesday)
Bere Regis Surgery (for patients of the surgery only)
Wednesdays 9.00 a.m. - 12.00 noon
7.30 p.m 1st and 3rd Thursdays, Cyril Wood Court
6.30 p.m. Thursdays, Scout HQ
1st Mon 10.15 a.m.-11.00 a.m. Bere Regis P.O.
Secretary - Jenny Silvas - 01929 471577
2.30 p.m. 2nd Tuesday, W. Kingston village hall
6.30 p.m. Tuesdays, Scout HQ
10.00 a.m. 2nd Saturday, Drax Hall
Every Friday 2.10 p.m. - 3.45 p.m., car park
2.00 p.m. Mondays Congregational Church
7.30 p.m. 1st Wednesday, the Church
7.00 p.m. 2nd Thursday, Drax Hall
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4.30 p.m. Tuesdays, Scout HQ
8.00 p.m. 1st Tuesday, Club House. - Brian 472135
Junior - 7.30 p.m. Mondays, Scout HQ
Senior - 7.00 p.m. Fridays, Scout HQ
7.30 p.m. 3rd Tuesday, Drax Hall
7.30 p.m. 1st Wednesday, Brantspuddle Village Hall
7.00 p.m. 6 - 9 years, Congregational Church
7.00 p.m. 9 years and over, Congregational Church
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