

CALENDAR FOR AUGUST 2007

1	6.30pm	St Tudy Football Club – every Wed
2	8.00pm	St Tudy Old Time&Mod Seq Dance Club – every Thurs
3	2.30pm	St Tudy Short Mat Bowling – every Fri
4	2.00pm	Wedding at St Tudy
5		THE NINTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY Hosea 11: 1-11, Col 3: 1-11
	11.05am	Holy Baptism during service at St Tudy
6	7.00pm	St Mabyn Salsa Club – every Mon
	7.30pm	St Tudy Bellringers – every Mon
	7.30pm	Michaelstow Table Tennis Club – every Mon
7	9.00am	Yoga – St Tudy Village Hall – every Tues
	7.00pm	St Tudy Short Mat Bowling – every Tues
11	2.30pm	St Tudy GPA Summer Show
12		THE TENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY Isaiah 1: 1, 10-20, Heb 11: 1-3, 8-16
14	10.30am	Treveighan Coffee Morning
18	10.00am	Magazine Deadline
	7.30pm	Classical Favourites Concert St Mabyn Church
19		THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY Isaiah 5: 1-7, Heb 11:29 – 12:2
26		THE TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY Jer 1: 4-10, Heb 12: 18-end
	2.30pm	Holy Baptism at St Mabyn
	7.30pm	Concert in Blisland Church
29		St Tudy GPA Outing to Highgrove

ST TUDY METHODIST CHURCH

There is a warm welcome to everyone to join us on all or any of the following dates:

Sunday 5th August	11.00am	Service arranged by members of the Church
Sunday 12th August	11.00am	Mr M Ely
Sunday 19th August	11.00am	Revd Stella Long
Sunday 26th August	11.00am	Mrs Lorraine Mead

THANKS

Thank you to all those who purchased a copy of this year's Quiz, we hope you enjoyed it. The 1st prize winners with a score of 98¹/₂ were Mr & Mrs Lowe from Weaverham, Cheshire, 2nd prize with a score of 97¹/₂ was Mrs Yvonne Nobbs. Mr & Mrs Lowe requested that their £10 prize be put back into the funds, which made the total raised £107.

SUE AND JOHN DIBBLE

The Merlin Project Coffee Morning on 14th July exceeded all expectations and raised over £240. Thank you all so much, both supporters and helpers. This money has gone towards a much-needed centre for multiple sclerosis in Cornwall.

Esther Old would like to thank all who attended Desmond's funeral and for all the cards and messages of sympathy. Also to Rev Margaret Millson, Dr Geoffrey Gibbons organist, Tony Cox violinist, John Lobb for the reading, the chosen bearers, Anthea and Carol for the floral arrangements in the church, David and Teresa for all their help. Also for the donations in lieu of flowers for Port Isaac Practice and St Mabyn Church Restoration Fund, which was over £660.

On behalf of TwoFour and Living TV, I would like to thank Rev Margaret Millson, Colin and Jo Hyde, Carol Grigg, Carol Bray, Abigail Kirby-Harris and the people of St Mabyn for allowing us the opportunity to film at this year's village fete. We all had a terrific day and look forward to turning it into a fantastic episode of our programme. We hope it was an enjoyable experience for all involved. Once the dates for the broadcast are released, I will let everyone know. Thanks again.

ADRIAN McCARTHY

ALLEN VALLEY SINGERS

Our social events included a Treasure Hunt and Cream Tea at St Tudy on 15th July, by courtesy of Mr and Mrs Ian Hodges, to whom we give grateful thanks

for a most successful and enjoyable afternoon. On 2eJuly, under the auspices of Joyce Brown, the first of our four charity events was organised, in aid of SKYD (Supporting Kernow Young Diabetics). Joyce hosted this event in her home in Tintagel and she is grateful for all those who contributed and attended the coffee morning. We will publish the amounts that were raised when the four charity events have been completed.

The next charity event (SMILE) for children with cleft palates will be on 22nd September at the Clink, in St Tudy from 10 am-12 noon and promoted by Jenni Tarring. Please support this coffee morning (and stalls) for a very worthwhile cause, so that children in hitherto inaccessible places will be helped to obtain the vital operation to enable them to 'smile' again.

Note: Our participation at St. Tudy Church, on 21st July, with the focus on the recent return of their wonderful organ - and the wedding in St. Gennys on 28th July, will both be reported in the September issue.

We are also currently responding to an invitation to sing carols in Cardinham Woods, much later in the year and details will be given nearer to this event. Newcomers are always welcome to apply to the Musical Director, Janette Man, tel. 01208 841784. Bookings to Jennifer May tel. 01208 880131. General contact: Publicity Officer, Dr. Joyce Hargrave-Wright. Tel. 01208 264004.

ST TUDY THURSDAY AFTERNOON CLUB

On 12th July, we had the pleasure of a presentation from Wayne Elliott from the Meteorological Office in Exeter, which was most interesting and informative and gave a fascinating insight into how the weather forecast is made and the many aspects of the Met. Office workings and duties involved. There were plenty of questions, with interesting answers. Thank you all for the good attendance. It was a most enjoyable afternoon. There will not be any Club meeting in August, but in September it will be business as usual, and will be advertised.

RON HEATH

MICHAELSTOW FETE

After a fortnight's worth of rain, the annual Michaelstow Fete was blessed by a lovely sunny day. Our thanks go out to Monty and Angela Whitebloom for the loan of their lovely garden in the old Rectory. A perfect setting. Over 200 people enjoyed a variety of stalls and the excellent teas laid on by Carol Prout and her band of helpers.

A big thank you to Maureen Narraway who ran coffee mornings to raise funds for a variety of stalls, persuaded numerous people in the parish to come and help. Thanks also to Gilly French-Blake for running the successful raffle, Annie Spicer and Jose for organising and running the tombola and the Camelford Band that entertained the crowds during the afternoon. The Stevenson family who made £79, (an all time record) on the book stall, plus a host of others who all contributed to the grand total of £1614. I, of course, will be writing thank you letters to those who ran stalls or helped put and take down the tables, chairs, bunting etc.

JOHN EDWARD-COLLINS

ST TUDY PARISH COUNCIL

The Parish Council met on 30th May. All Parish Councillors were present. Also attending were Cllrs Colin Brewer, Cornwall County Council and Colin Mutton, NCDC.

There was one planning application – Mr R Jago – extension to bungalow. This had been submitted previously but NCDC required that an extension built without planning permission 20 years ago be included in this application. Some Councillors were unhappy about giving retrospective support but otherwise the application was supported by the Council.

Cllr Margaret Shelley was thanked for writing in the Magazine for the last three years for the Parish Council.

The subject of the trees on the hedge between Glebe Pare and the Playing Field has been reported on by the Forestry Officer of Cornwall County Council. He would support the coppicing of the trees but this is a matter for the owners of the hedge. The Council understands that Mr Stagg will be writing to the householders concerned.

The Council unanimously voted that Mrs Judith Jasper and Mr Brian Greaney be co-opted as Parish Councillors to serve this Parish.

MEV SHELLEY

BINDING STONE FUND UPDATE

At the beginning of July there was a healthy £722.27 in the account so we have been able to donate £60 to the Short Mat Bowls Club for the purchase of two new Jacks and at long last the granite stones have arrived which are to be put around the azaleas near the bus shelter, to match those around the Chestnut Tree. Sales of the Poetry Book (included in the Binding Stone account) are paying for these, and the total cost is £246.75. This still leaves £415.52 in the account. If you have not got a copy of either the Binding Stone book (£4.50), or the Poetry on the Wall booklet (£2.95), both are on sale at the Post Office, or from Sue Dibble at Cavalier Cottage, St Tudy. All the proceeds go in the Binding Stone account and St Tudy village organisations can apply for funds for various projects. To date we have donated a total of £3,761.35.

BINDING STONE COMMITTEE

A WEEK IN THE LIFE OF A VILLAGE CHURCH, OR WOULD JESUS HAVE LIKED JAZZ?

On Wednesday and Thursday the church was given over to the TV crew to record an artificial wedding, with I suppose, an artificial priest and artificial sun shining in at the windows, (real) schoolchildren begging autographs. The cost of the star's car would have almost provided the matching funds we need to qualify for the grant promised by English Heritage. The man who faithfully checks our fire extinguishers must have been surprised! Almost everything in the church that can be moved was left moved.

The Friday weather changed "Jazz on the Green" into "Jazz in Church". The audience (congregation?) numbered about three times the one at last Sunday's service. We all faced west, those who could not stand too much, far East, those who couldn't get enough near the orchestra at the west end, with a few rows between almost empty at first. (My precautionary cotton wool stayed in my pocket.) A few lively couples danced near the lectern and there was a quiet chorus of tapping toes. In the interval we ate our packed suppers. We applauded loudly and often; at the end we stood to applaud. I was deeply moved and wondered what Jesus would have thought of it all. I think he would have enjoyed it as we did. Indeed, in a sense I believe that, this evening, in St Mabyn he did. Thanks, Bodmin College Jazz Orchestra! (And the Friends of St Mabyn Church).

GEORGE DYKE

ST MABYN GARDEN CLUB

The celebration of the 20th anniversary of the St Mabyn Garden Club was a very joyous occasion when 28 of its members gathered at the St Mabyn Inn on Wednesday 20th June for dinner. It was an evening of much talk and laughter and a very enjoyable meal. Many thanks to John Lobb for organising the event and for the wine he so generously provided.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday 12th September when we visit Goonhavern Garden Centre. Meet at the bus shelter at 1pm or at the nursery at 2pm.

CALLING ALL BUDDING ORGANISTS

Do you play the piano or organ? How about playing the pipe organ in St Mabyn Church? Dr Geoffrey Gibbons, after playing for us for some years, will no longer play at St Mabyn after Christmas, but you'll be glad to hear that he will continue to play at St Tudy. There is time to brush up your hymn playing! If you are willing to play, perhaps two or three times a month we may be able to help with the cost of organ lessons. Young or not so young, why not come and find out more about it, who knows, it could lead on to greater things! Phone me, Molly Dyke on 01208 841704.

CARN AWN SINGERS

The Singers are very pleased to have been invited to take part in a concert at Blisland Church on Sunday 26th August at 7.30 p.m. This concert is to help raise funds for The Betjeman Appeal for repairs to the roof. Tickets can be reserved in advance - telephone 07785 550032. The programme will include readings of works by Sir John Betjeman and other English poets and some favourite songs by British composers. Blisland Church was described by John Betjeman in a broadcast in 1948 as the most beautiful he had seen in the West Country and it remained a favourite of his. Last year the Church held an Evensong to celebrate the centenary of his birth and this year the PCC are seeking permission to dedicate the West Window to the memory of Sir John and commemorate this with a small plaque in Delabole slate. Cam Awn Singers have tan been invited by the St,Minver Band to talcc part in a concert at St Minya Church on Sunday September 16th at 7.30 pin.

FROM REVEREND MARGARET

Life in the parish has continued to be very busy since the July Magazine was published. There have been three fetes, all very different and all very enjoyable, raising valuable money for the churches. It means that we will once again be able to pay our insurance. Thank you to EVERYONE who helped in any way whatsoever to enable the fetes to be so successful. Much hard work went on behind the scenes beforehand and on the actual day itself.

The dreadful weather meant that St Tudy had to hold its fete in the Village Hall, but it was a very pleasant venue. St Mabyn had Tara Palmer-Tompkinson put in an appearance along with the TV crew, who were filming a series for the

autumn called "Dirty Cows". Michaelstow was blessed with glorious weather and the Old Rectory at Michaelstow was a wonderful venue. Many thanks to Monty and Angela for kindly allowing us the use of it. There have been several musical evenings at the various church venues. Once again the weather affected venues and numbers attending, but nevertheless the evenings themselves were most enjoyable.

St Mabyn has also had a film crew filming a sequence from the forthcoming series of Doc Martin, which again will be shown in the early autumn. The Benefice is really on the map.

Because of holidays, I have had to change one or two services at Michaelstow and St Mabyn. There will still be a service at the usual time but it might not be the usual one.

Alan and I will be unavailable from the afternoon of Sunday 5th August until Tuesday 21st August, as we shall be on holiday. Any problems please contact the Churchwardens.

Congratulations to Mary Low on your 91st birthday and Sir Louis on your 92nd birthday. We look forward to celebrating your "century". Congratulations also to Mark Grigg and Rachel Chamberlayne of St Mabyn on your engagement. Congratulations also to St Mabyn School, to Daphne Puttock, the head teacher, her staff, children and governors on their excellent Ofsted report.

School holidays are now upon us so may you all have a happy, healthy and safe summer. God bless you all.

REVEREND MARGARET

CORNWALL'S LIVING CHURCHYARDS PROJECT

A very interesting study day was held recently at Lanteglos Church, organised by the Cornwall Wildlife Trust and Truro Diocese. We were shown how our churchyards, wherever they are situated, can be havens for wildlife and plants as well as pleasant, reflective places for both locals and visitors.

Not everyone wants to see a churchyard or cemetery overgrown but by leaving some areas of longer grass and flowers, cover and food are provided for small mammals and insects, which in turn are food for birds and bats. Compost heaps for grass cuttings encourage slow worms and hedgehogs and when rotted down can be spread round shrubs to nourish them. Lichens, small ferns, pennywort and stonecrops flourish on tombstones and the stonework of the churches.

It was suggested that we carry out churchyard surveys to see what we have around us. Anyone interested can obtain help, advice and possible grant funding for churchyard wildlife projects from Living Churchyards Project, Cornwall Wildlife Trust, Five Acres, Allet, Truro, TR4 9DJ, www.cornwallwildlifetrust.org.uk or contact me Jenny Muir 850293.

WELL DONE!

At a football tournament recently held at St Tudy, St Teath young lads won the cup. Two of the winning team came from Michaelstow — Jack Brown and Jack Reed of Tregreenwell. Well done boys.

MIKE AND MAUREEN NARRAWAY

ST MABYN SCHOOL

We have been able to appoint a new cook and we warmly welcome Angela Renals to our team. Already the wonderful smell of on site cooking wafting through the school makes us all feel hungry at lunchtime. The meals have greatly improved and our dinner numbers are definitely on the up. A new menu has been produced and will be circulated at the beginning of the autumn term. Why not give them a try next term?

We continuously monitor and tailor our classes to best meet the needs of the pupils, so following much discussion with Governors, staff and parents, next year the classes will be arranged as follows: Class 1 — Reception and Y1 with Miss Beams, Class 2 — Y2 and Y3 with Mrs Titcomb and Miss Curtis, Class 3 — Y4, Y5 and Y6 with Miss Henschley. Our classes remain comparatively small to many other schools and all classes will have additional support from HLTAs (Higher Level Teaching Assistant) and Teaching Assistants.

During the holiday period, the Class 3 classroom is being refurbished which will involve lowering the ceiling, redecoration and the installation of twelve computer stations to provide greater opportunities for developing ICT skills. The KS2 SAT results are outstanding this year and a credit to all the hard work of pupils, staff and parents. The results were as follows: English Level 4 100%, Level 5 58%; Mathematics Level 4 91%, Level 5 58%; Science Level 4 100%, Level 5 66%. Level 4 is the expected attainment for Y6 pupils. Congratulations everyone and especially the pupils. We are very proud of you all.

We have successfully revalidated as "Investors in People" and received an excellent report. Well done team and thank you!

Autumn term begins on Thursday 6th September. Log on to www.stmabrischool.blogspot.com and keep up to date with school happenings.

FROM THE PARISH REGISTERS

Holy Baptism	
7th July	Oliver Winfried Bischoff at St Tudy
22nd July	Benjamin Jack Prideaux at St Mabyn
	Cerys Olivia Prideaux at St Mabyn
Holy Matrimony	
21st July	Colin Richard Leeder and Lucy Rebecca Macnamara at St Mabyn

FOR SALE

Garden Master Shredder/chipping machine. Takes up to 4" diameter sticks. Powered by a 4 stroke Vanguard engine. It is mounted on a frame with 4 wheels for mobility within the garden. £550 ono.

J EDWARD-COLLINS Tel. 01208 850502

ST TUDY GARDEN PRODUCE ASSOCIATION

The first judging of baskets and tubs took place one morning in July when it wasn't raining! The second one will be sometime in the week before the Summer Show. This will be held as usual in the Village Hall on Saturday 11th August, doors open at 2.30. If you haven't received your schedule and would like to enter – it's open to everyone – please give Peggy Metters a ring on 851367. And to those who won cups at last year's show –

PLEASE RETURN THE TROPHIES TWO WEEKS BEFOREHAND!

On Wednesday 29th August there is an outing to the gardens at Highgrove House, Prince Charles' home in Gloucestershire. Numbers are obviously very limited to Highgrove, and it will be a full day! If you are interested please contact Brain and Lilian Larnerton (851056) for details of costs, times and the necessary security arrangements.

JANE KING

SUMMER MUSIC IN ST MABYN

On 27 June an appreciative audience packed into St Mabyn Church for the second of our concerts in the Summer Music in St Mabyn season. The Triggshire Wind Orchestra with their Musical Director, Janet Elston, performed a lively and varied programme, which also featured a beautiful saxophone solo from St Mabyn girl, Beth Lee. The St Mabyn School Wind Players, comprising of six young players on clarinets and flutes, soloist Zoe Ray, accompanist and soloist Steve Tyrell and a rare performance of St Mabyn Wannabees completed the line up. Cornwall has a marvellous musical heritage and with up to 50 young musicians in the Triggshire Wind Orchestra, coming from an area covering Stratton to the River Camel, the future is in safe hands.

The third of our planned concerts will take place on Saturday 18 August in St Mabyn Church at 7.30pm. Pauline Kent (Soprano) accompanied by Roy Dinshaw and supported by St Tudy based Tenor, Phil Tizzard, and Boscastle's own 'Champaign Charlie', Roger Nicholls present an evening of " Classical Favourites". There will be something for everyone to enjoy. Admission free with refreshments served in the church and a retiring collection.

Advance Notice: The fourth and final concert in this season of Summer Music in St Mabyn will be " A Harvest Concert " with Wadebridge Male Voice Choir on Saturday 22 September at 7.30 in St Mabyn Church. For more information please contact: Restoration Appeal Secretary & Concert Coordinator.

JENNI TARRING 841329

ST TUDY VILLAGE HALL

The St Tudy Village Hall Management Committee is pleased to report that the Safari Supper on 16th July was again successful. Thanks to all of our helpers and to all of those attending.

At this supper, an engraved plaque was fixed to the entrance foyer of the Hall to commemorate the long service of Miss Mary Winn. Photos were taken of Mr Cyril Winn and friends. A granite plaque has also been made to be placed by the Mary Winn crab apple tree in the Hall grounds. Money collected in the village shop paid for the tree and foyer plaque.

MARGARET SHELLEY

ST TUDY CARNIVAL

We were lucky to escape some of the awful weather that has blighted us this summer when we held our Carnival in July. The committee would like to thank all those who helped in anyway and special thanks to all, who took part in the carnival. The village was host to many famous names including: Jamie Oliver, Bruce Forsythe and his Strictly Come Dancing Team, Fireman Sam, Scooby Doo, Snow White, Sitting Bull and Cruella Deville amongst others. The turn out was slightly smaller than in recent years but the quality of the entries was as high as ever. Many had put a lot of effort into their floats and costumes, which was much admired and appreciated by the spectators; comedy came in the form of the entries from St Mabyn Young Farmers and St Tudy AFC and glamour from the Ladies returning home from Ascot.

The carnival was led by Anne Masters on her horse Hector followed by St Breward Band and our Fairy Queen and Attendants who did us proud. Many thanks to the girls: Katie Morrish, Rosa Berman and Clover & Daisy Newton and their parents for the effort they put into the trailer and costumes. The girls looked delightful and we hope they enjoyed the evening.

CARNIVAL RESULTS: Children 6 & Under: 1st Sebastian Vanderplank - Fireman Sam; 2nd Marley Lamerton - Cowgirl; 3rd Hannah Bate - Snow White. Children 7-14 years: 1st Georgina Bate - Witch; 2nd Charlotte Williams & Kye - Horse & Hounds. Adult Walker: 1st Margaret Yeo - The Seed; 2nd Deborah Lamerton - Cruella Deville; 3rd Sid Bastard - Sitting Bull. Group of Walkers: 1st Toby, Will & Daisy Fennimore - Eco Taxi; 2nd Dave & Linda Belcher, Sharon & Andy French, Lawrence Belcher and Kay McLeod - Enter The Dragon. Artistic Float: 1st St Breward Brownies - Clowning Around; 2nd Jack Button - Fl Racing Car; 3rd St Tudy Over 60s Committee - St Tudy under 60s go to Ascot. Open Float: 1st Daniel & Abby Kellow, Grace, Oliver & William Symons - Jamie Oliver's 4 & 1/2; 2nd St Tudy AFC - St Tudy on Tour. Humorous Float: 1st Rayson's Rabble - Strictly Come Dancing, 2nd St Tudy AFC Under 15's - Cinderella; 3rd St Mabyn Young Farmers - St Mabyn YFC does Fl. Best Non-Tableau: Sebastian Vanderplank - Fireman Sam. Howard Fraser Shield & Best Tableau: Daniel & Abby Kellow, Grace, Oliver & William Symons - Jamie Oliver's 4 & 1/2. Vintage Classic Vehicle: 1st Francis Thomas - Austin Seven 1933; 2nd Phil Tizzard - Hector the Fire Engine; 3rd Tony & Diana Mindel

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Bullnosed Morris. Visiting Queens: Senior Queen: 1st Bridgerule, 2nd Camelford. Senior Attendants & Senior Group: 1st Camelford. Fairy Queen: 1st Chacewater; 2nd St Breward. Fairy King: 1st Pool, 2nd Chacewater. Fairy Attendants: 1st St Breward Fairy Group: 1st St Breward; 2nd Chacewater Best Royal Vehicle: 1st St Breward, 2nd Camelford 3rd Chacewater.