

IBBERTON, BELCHALWELL & WOOLLAND NEWS

Welcome to the Ibberton, Belchalwell & Woolland News.

Thank you to the residents who responded to the paper slip with an email to ibbertonnews@gmail.com , belchalwellnews@gmail.com , woollandnews@gmail.com . Please send any news items / contact details to these email addresses or put paper copies through my letter box at Woolland View for inclusion in the December Issue: - future & reports about events, birthdays, offers of help, adverts etc.

A copy of this Newsletter will be on the Village Hall Web site - www.ibbertonvillagehall.co.uk

Hazelbury Bryan and the Hillside Parishes Benefice Service details

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/369357260969623>

<https://hazelburybryanhillsideparishes.co.uk/>

St. Eustace Church News

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/9314/>



Thank you to everyone one who sponsored Lucinda, Su and

Annette when they visited local churches by bike during the Dorset Historic Trust Ride and Stride week. If you

would still like to donate, please visit <https://www.justgiving.com/team/steustace> We have been fortunate to granted by this trust £5,000 towards our stabilisation project.

St Eustace Day 12th September (service in the church Sunday 15th September join us for refreshments following this family 10.30 am service)

Saint Eustace (Latinized **Eustachius** or **Eustathius**, Greek Εὐστάθιος Πλακιδας *Eustathios Plakidas*)^[1] is revered as a [Christian martyr](#). According to legend, he was martyred in AD 118, at the command of emperor [Hadrian](#). Eustace was a pagan Roman general, who converted to Christianity after he had a vision of the cross while hunting. He lost all his wealth, was separated from his wife and sons, and went into exile in Egypt. Called back to lead the Roman army by emperor [Trajan](#), Eustace was happily reunited with his family and restored to high social standing, but after the death of Trajan, he and his



family were martyred under Hadrian for refusing to sacrifice to pagan Roman gods.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Saint_Eustace

Recently the PCC have been awarded £9,000 by the Buildings for Mission Fund at Salisbury Diocese towards our project. This brings the total raised so far to £60,500 towards our total figure of £100,000. We are awaiting the reply from 3 further granting bodies. If you wish to donate, please visit <https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/9314/> and select 'Please Support if you are able. Thank you for any help you can offer to St Eustace' or

Donate Parochial Church Council Ibberton Sort Code : 30-90-92 *Account No: 40720268

Ref: North Aisle <https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/9314/news/> and download a gift aid notice if you wish.

The PCC will be organising a Harvest Supper at the Village Hall on Saturday 19th October more details later. The Harvest Festival Service will take place the following day at 10.30 am.

Antiques valuation & Afternoon tea

* Bring along your treasured item

* Expertise from

Busby Auctioneers, Bridport

Entry £10 includes one valuation & afternoon tea

**Saturday 21st September 3 – 6pm
at Village Hall, Ibberton DT11 0EL**

Phone: Brenda 01258 472328 / Janet 01258 860625

Please do get in touch with numbers for tea

In aid of Belchalwell Church funds
plus donation to Dorset & Somerset Air Ambulance

Belchalwell News

We are looking forward to welcoming you all to our "Antiques Valuation & Afternoon Tea" at the Village Hall, Ibberton on

Saturday 21st September 3pm-6pm.

You are invited to bring along any treasured item for Mr Hugo Busby from Busby Auctioneers, Bridport to examine and then value for you and afterwards sit down to enjoy an afternoon tea.

Preparations are in full swing with the Belchalwell PCC spending quite a portion of their recent meeting discussing a tasty range of cakes, scones and sandwiches to offer! You will also notice posters advertising our event in local shops and local online news groups.

Entry ticket includes one valuation and afternoon tea.

Any questions or just to let us know you are

coming please call either Brenda on 01258 472328 or Janet on 01258 860625.

Proceeds raised are in aid of Belchalwell Church Funds, plus a donation to the Dorset & Somerset Air Ambulance. See you there!



Brenda Courage

Woolland News

As I write, autumn is undeniably in the air today, but it could foretell an Indian summer next week!

Hence, we are anticipating our Harvest Festival service which falls on 27th October at 6.30 pm.

Gardening has been a somewhat erratic affair this year with normally reliable vegetables stubbornly

unwilling to perform and unusually bountiful crops of other things. We warmly welcome any donations of flowers and fresh, tinned, bottled, cultivated or wild foods with which to create a colourful display. The service will be followed with a drink and light fare and we hope that you will all make a huge effort to attend this essentially rural festival.

Mark Henerson has suggested an appealing list of entertainments for the autumn/winter programme of the Woollanders Culture Club. Which one is top of your list?

Mark has also strimmed the grass in the churchyard at the beginning of August while Lydia, Steve and Tim from Chitcombe applied themselves to hedges, grass, the path and overgrowth adjacent to the church this month. They are returning to clear one or two more trees near the Manor House, to improve the aspect. Other volunteers would be greatly welcome to assist, using own tools, at any time. There is a lot of goodwill about to see the churchyard looking spruce.



Julie Robson



WORLD'S BIGGEST
COFFEE
MORNING

at Holmwood,
Ibberton, DT11 0EL



Come for coffee and a chat!

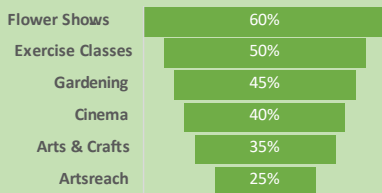
Cake donations welcome ...
please contact Heather on
01258 807 949 or on
07766 064421

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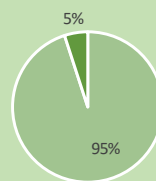
Recently the hall has been awarded Hallmark 3 a recognise standard for village halls overseen by ACRE <https://acre.org.uk/> Part of this assessment included producing a formalised business plan. A survey conducted earlier this year produced the results below. The trustees and committee are exploring possible ideas for gardening, flowers, fruit, vegetable and cooking events in the future. If you have any ideas, please get in touch with the village hall and help to make this happen for our community in 2025.

Ibberton, Belchalwell & Woolland Village Hall Survey Results

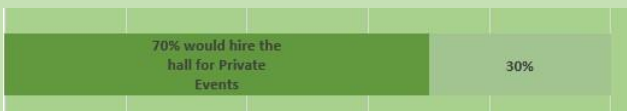
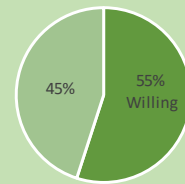
Events the community would support



95% would miss the Village Hall if it no longer existed



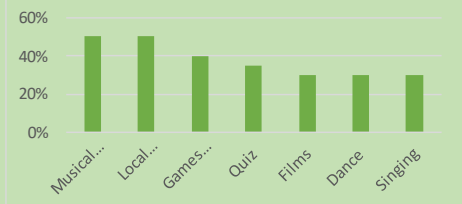
Willingness to run / help at new activities



| Times preferred for events | | | |
|----------------------------|-----------|----------|---------|
| Time day | Week Days | Saturday | Sundays |
| Mornings | | | |
| Afternoons | | | |
| Evenings | | | |



Events the community are most likely to support



Unique character

Are you looking for a friendly place/location adaptable for a variety of needs?

IBBERTON, BELCHALWELL and WOOLLAND VILLAGE HALL

Ibberton DT11 0EL

www.ibbertonvillagehall.co.uk

'What three words' - threading.link/strategy



Secluded location

- Sports and exercise groups
- Clubs
- Meetings
- Training sessions
- Workshops
- Dog training
- Polling station
- Parish council meetings
- Local drama productions
- Dances
- Jumble sales
- Private parties, birthdays or wedding receptions

- High speed Internet
- Movie & conference facilities
- Bluetooth connection
- Off road parking for 20 cars
- Fully licenced venue
- Disabled & unisex toilets
- Full serviced kitchen
- Grassed area
- Floor area 10.75 x 5.75 m

Hire of Hall £7.00 per hour
 Full use of kitchen £5.50
 Internet use £1 per hour
 Corkage £15
 Local rates apply

Starting a new club/activity offer – first 3 sessions half hiring rate

Optional Extras to hire off site
 Tables, chairs and portable stage

Catering can be arranged with 'The Ibberton'
 contact: The Ibberton
 Church lane, Ibberton, Blandford,
 Dorset DT11 0EN
 01258 817956 theibberton@gmail.com



Contact:
ibbertonvillagehall@gmail.com
 07771561099

As with all community buildings it is important for the village halls to generate income from hirings of the hall and furniture. Thank you all who have supported us over the year.

To help us to keep hiring fees to a minimum for members of our three communities we rely on commercial hirings to subsidise these rates. Below is a marketing flier to sell our unique situation and very competitive rates for businesses. Please pass this on to anyone you think might be interested. It can also be downloaded from the Village Hall Website along with the business plan.

Ibberton, Belchalwell & Woolland Village Hall

Film Night

Thursday 28th November, 2024 @ 7 pm

for 7.30 pm start



Bob Marley: One Love

£5

with Popcorn & Ice cream,

Bar

Booking 01258187269 / 07771561099
ibbertonvillagehall@gmail.com

Ibberton, Belchalwell & Woolland Village Hall



Winter

Party

Saturday 23rd November

3 - 4.30 pm

Crafts, games, film, food & fun

Children 11 years & under welcome from Ibberton,
Belchalwell & Woolland Villages

Helpers DBS checked

Ibberton, Belchalwell & Woolland Village Hall, Blandford DT11 0EJ



Fort Dorsetborn

Saturday 16th November 2024 7:30pm

Doors open 6.45pm: bar, light refreshments & raffle (cash / card). Recommended 13+.

Standard Ticket £12 Under 18s £6

Telephone booking: Tel 07771 561099 or email ibbertonvillagehall@gmail.com



1am. An Iron Age hillfort in North Dorset.

Away from dysfunctional families and small-town gossip, Viv and Daisy can be entirely themselves. With so much beyond their control, Fort is their stomping ground. Their escape. Until the ghost turns up. Best friends for as long as they can remember, their bond has survived school bullies, witchcraft, jealousy and vengeful cows. But at the end of a summer when everything is changing, can it survive the ghost?

Dorsetborn are an Associate Company of National Youth Theatre, and create new work across Dorset and the South West. This autumn they return with Tabitha Hayward's thrilling debut play *Fort*, inspired by the people and places around us, about two girls who'd do anything for each other. Originally drafted on a Royal Court Introductory Group, *Fort* was longlisted for the *Bruntwood Prize 2022* and shortlisted for the *Masterclass Pitch Your Play Award*.

Age guidance: Recommended 13+

Running time: 70mins + interval

www.linktr.ee/dorsetborn

"A brilliant and funny piece of writing"

Masterclass Pitch Your Play (Shortlisted 2023)

About the Writer

Tabitha Hayward is a writer of plays, poems and stories, originally from North Dorset, currently based in London. Her plays have been performed at the Southwark Playhouse, the Burton Taylor Studio in Oxford, and the Black Cherry in Bournemouth. She was selected to take part in a Royal Court Introductory Group in 2019, and has been shortlisted for development as a writer at the Traverse Theatre in Edinburgh, and at Bristol Old Vic. She is also a poet, and has been shortlisted for various national and international poetry competitions.

Annette Newman



Ibberton Village What's App Group If you would like to join, please message 07771561099 to be added to the group

Ibberton Parish Council News

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Ibberton, Blandford Forum, DT11
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WEDDING DRESS EXHIBITION



Will be held in St Mary's Church
Friday 24th and Saturday 25th January 2025
As part of Sturminster Newton Wedding Fair.

**DO YOU HAVE A WEDDING DRESS YOU MIGHT LEND US
TO DISPLAY AT THE EXHIBITION ?**

You may have been married recently, or many years ago.
You may have a family heirloom stored away. The dress might
be traditional or modern, designer or hand made, old or new.
Each dress has a story to tell.

For more information contact : rm.damerell@gmail.com



Stretch and Tone is a workout which has Yoga and Pilates to help you to improve flexibility, build strength and tone your body, you'll leave class feeling relaxed and calm. The practice lasts for 45 mins, so come along and give it a try! There are loads of options so don't worry about your ability, just do what you can and enjoy your workout!

Join us on Tuesdays at 11.00 am for
45 mins at Village Hall, Ibberton

Contact Louise to reserve your space

Louise.stan@hotmail.com



Starting Friday 20th September



Headteacher: Mrs K. Waring BA (HONS) QTS NPQH

Telephone: 01258 817492

Places available at our Pre-school (Barn Owls)

Barn Owls is a warm, welcome and caring pre-school that provides a safe, secure and stimulating environment in which children can learn. We provide care for children from the age of 2 years old. Children aged 3 and over will receive 15 hours of 'free childcare' through the Government's free entitlement scheme. There is also limited funding available for 30 hours per week. Additional sessions can be booked for a small charge. We are open Monday to Friday (term time only) 8.30 until 3.30 and offer a combination of morning, afternoon and full day sessions. We also have a breakfast and after school club that children aged 3 or over may access.

Please visit our website or contact the school should you have any further queries. We would love you to join us at our warm, caring, rural village school.



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Places available at Hazelbury Bryan Community Primary School

Our children deserve to be in a safe and happy learning environment where they can feel confident to grow and achieve. We support the children in knowing they can do anything they want to do, following our vision:

"Have Courage and Shine Bright".

We build trusting and secure relationships. Our staff genuinely care about each child as an individual and the families with whom we work.

We aim to be the spark igniting each child's passion for the very start of their school journey. Our beautiful grounds, Forest School, gardening facilities and swimming pool are just a few of the assets to our amazing school.

Our strong and experienced team have a shared drive, vision and passion. We support the children to be independent and resilient learners.

Please visit our website or contact the school should you have any further queries. We would love you to join us at our warm, caring, rural village school.

Innovative Piano Lessons

'To all budding pianists and keyboardists or to those that want to take their playing to a higher level, an innovative and exciting new approach to learning piano suits all ages! Contact me for a free trial lesson and more information:

Judith, Ibberton, Dorset 07990079488 judeswiss@yahoo.com

Judith Waker

Possible Pilates Session on Thursday Afternoons in the Hall

These sessions are becoming very popular so Zane is now conducting a friendly group session in the hall at 11.30 am on Thursdays they are looking for one more person to join them to share the cost. If you would to join this group please email - ibbertonnews@gmail.com for further details.

Zane also has a 12.30- 1.30 pm slot available on the same day.



Why not get a small group together and share the session and hall rental?

Zane Eglite, the Pilates and Yoga Instructor, <https://www.onlineyogapilates.co.uk/instructor-zane-eglite> is excellent. If you are interested, please get in touch with her directly via mobile 07730380471 or her web site. You will read that she is very experienced and will tailor make the 1 to 1 sessions or group session, to meet your needs.

Annette Newman

Milk Deliveries and much more!

The Milk and More milkman delivers to the village on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings early. (You can order up until 6 pm the previous evening and pay online). These items can be regular items and / or one-off purchase. Visit the web site and find out the range of goods available and delivery is all free.

https://www.milkandmore.co.uk/?&bidkw=milk%20and%20more&dvc=c&h=https://clickserve.dartsearch.net/link/click?lid=43700022501741727&ds_s_kwgid=58700002608594601&gclsrc=ds



Local Freecycle

If you have any items to include, please email ibbertonnews@gmail.com / text 07771561099 for the August Edition

Local News

<https://sncl.org.uk/whats happeninginstur.html>

New Monthly Newsletter for Sturminster Newton and the surrounding area. Adverts are free.

<https://blackmorevale.net/latest-issue/>

<https://www.theblackmorevale.co.uk/the-blackmore-vale/>

<http://www.fippennynews.co.uk/print-edition-apr-2022/>

<http://www.hazelburybryan.com/>

<https://childokeford.org/the-village/the-hill-2/>

<https://www.shillingstone-pc.gov.uk/>

<https://sturminster-newton.org.uk/>