

IBBERTON, BELCHALWELL & WOOLLAND NEWS

Welcome of 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 - 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

Details of services, Churches and Clergy Team

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

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

Lent Lunches @ 12 noon

Ibberton – Wednesday 19th March at the Ibberton, Belchalwell & Woolland Village Hall
donations to Dorset Historic Churches Trust

Woolland – Wednesday 26th March at Chitcombe Farm, DT11 0EW

Hazelbury Bryan – Wednesday 2nd April at Jill Noades' house, Nut Bloom Cottage, Park Gate DT11 0HA

Fifehead Neville – Wednesday 9th April at the Village Hall

All are very welcome

St. Eustace Church News

The North Aisle Stabilization project begins on our 650 year old church with a commanding view over Ibberton Village and the Blackmore Vale. Thank you very much to the granting bodies below who have made this project possible.



The Erskine Muton Trust Fund

Buildings For Mission Minor Repairs and Improvements Grant Fund



This stunning print captures the timeless beauty of Ibberton, Dorset, as painted by renowned landscape artist Alfred Robert Quinton in the 1930s.

<https://www.mediastorehouse.com/mary-evans-prints-online/new-images-july-2023/ibberton-dorset-32309442.html>

We are also very grateful to our Local Community who have generously made financial gifts.



29th January: Contractors arrived

Compound constructed at the Village Hall – water collected from here and transported up to the church!

All materials have to be transported up to the church in a 4-wheeled driven vehicle.

The building is protected inside.

Safety works platform constructed

Drilling begins at lower levels of the smaller wall – an electrical powered drill with a water input.

Some solid stone core but an infill of smaller stones – slowing down the process – especially when dealing with the flints

Installed into the holes are the cintex anchors with a fabric net over the metal with a plastic tube on the outside end.

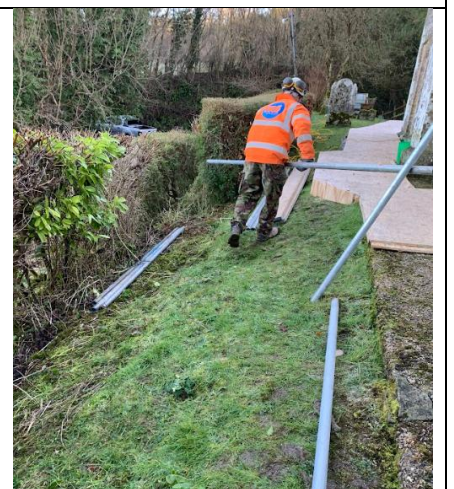
6th February: Scaffold arrives – difficult installation when using a front wheeled vehicle!

Higher level drilling now possible.

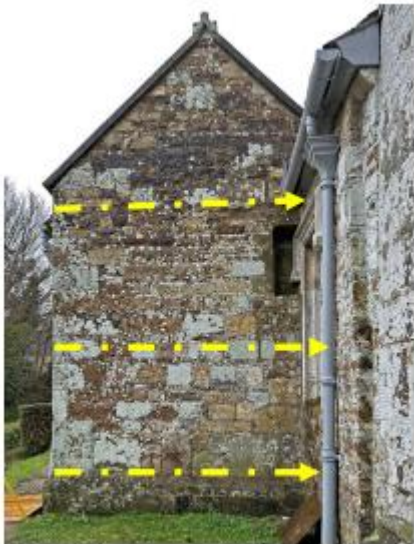
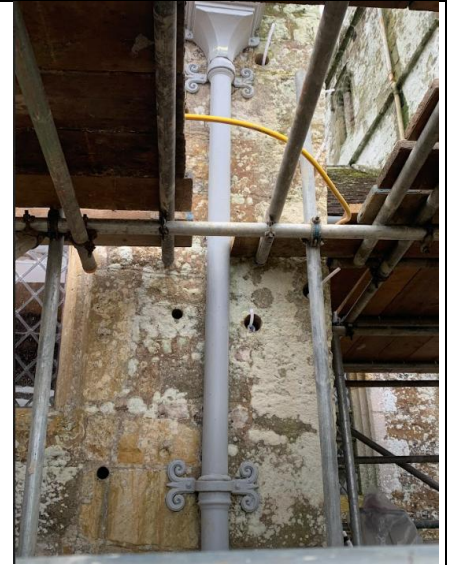
10th February: Structural engineer arrives to mark out the smaller anchors to tie the inside to the outside wall

13th / 14th February: the cintec anchors fabric bags are inflated with a mortar, under pressure, into the tubes

17th February ongoing: Installation of the long wall anchors



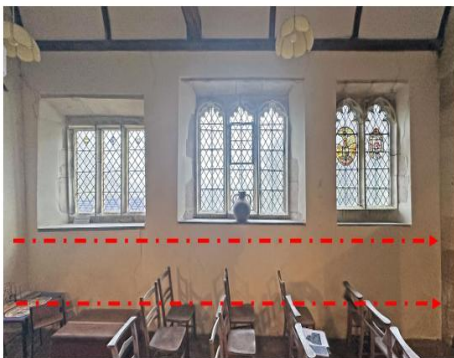




View 'A'

Cintec stitching anchors





More photos to follow as work progresses

Church services will take place on the same day and times but in the Village Hall instead, as they did 120 years ago before the church was restored in the early 1900's. The contractors will also be using part of the village hall car park to store materials within a locked compound.

The Church Service's below will all be held in Ibberton, Belchalwell & Woolland Village Hall

16/2/25 @ 10.30 am Family Service

1/3/25 @ 10.30 am Holy Communion Service

16/3/25 @ 10.30 am Family Service

30/3/25 @ 10.30 am Mothering Sunday Service

Lent Lunch

Please join us at Ibberton, Belchalwell & Woolland Village Hall on Wednesday 19th March at 12.00 – 1.30 pm for choice of soups, bread and cheese. There will be a bring and buy sale as well. All donations will be in aid of Dorset Historic Churches Trust who have kindly made a grant to St Eustace Church towards the Stabilisation Project. All are very welcome.



If anybody would like to buy cards of the church with a black inside 1 card £3, 5 cards for £14, 10 cards for £25 Envelopes included. Please email steustacechurchibberton@gmail.com or visit The Ibberton shop within the pub.

Faculty Application – public notice until 08/03/2025

Remedial work to 1 tower step, form 2 new steps out of concrete and support the top of the tower stones leading out onto the tower roof. Repair lower tower step. Repair the tower door.

Copies of the relevant plans and documents may be examined at (weekdays only)

St Eustace Church

Ibberton

Blandford

DT11 0EN

or Woolland View, Ibberton, Blandford DT11 0EJ Phone: 0771561099 or email

steustaceibberton@gmail.com

Visit to the Church to view the stabilising project works

For all that are interested the Church will be open from 9.30 am to 11 am on

Friday 21st February and Sunday 23rd February if anyone wishes to see the progress made towards stabilising the North Aisle. Please enter by the Church front door and I will take you around.

Annette Newman

Belchalwell News

After all the Christmas festivities, as usual January and February have been quiet months in Belchalwell, but now, although the roads and lanes are still very muddy after all the rain that has fallen recently, there are signs that at last spring is on its way. The banks are covered with snowdrops and the first primroses and daffodils are starting to appear. We start to look forward now towards Easter which will be next month.



A PCC meeting has been arranged for later in February, the outcome of which will be reported in next month's magazine. This year it will be the turn of Ibberton PCC to host the Lent Lunch at the Village Hall. Look out for the dates for this and all the other lent lunches in other sections of this magazine.

Brenda Courage

Woolland News

Members of Woolland PCC met recently and items under discussion centred on church finances and future fund-raising activities.

With Shrove Tuesday looming fast and Lent following on its heels there is the prospect of a bare, flower-free church.

Thus, it seems an appropriate time to express thanks to all on the Flower Rota for enhancing the church for the rest of

the year. If you would be happy to take on a month please phone 817246. There will be room. Thankfully, flowers are evident even in the bleakest weather and the displays at Skinners Farm, Gamekeeper's Cottage and Chitcombe Cottages are a joy to behold.



Woolland will be hosting the Lent Lunch at The Shoot Room, Chitcombe on Wednesday 26th March from 12noon. We will do our best with a choice of soups, bread and cheese but we really need you to supply the good cheer. We warmly welcome one and all, irrespective of whether or not you come to church. There is plenty of space! There will be an optional Bring and Buy stall and all proceeds from the event go to a charity.

Mark and Fenella Henderson have worked brilliantly to equip The Woollanders with a new list of varied and lively entertainments to celebrate the changing season. The early bird catches the worm, and sadly one has already sold out, so please don't have too long.

We send our very best wishes to Stan Harris and Richard Sparsholt.

Julie Robson

Ibberton, Belchalwell & Woolland Village Hall News

A.G.M Tuesday 25th February, 2025 7.45 pm everyone is welcome

Film @ Ibberton, Belchalwell & Woolland Village Hall DT11 0EJ

Paddington in Peru

Friday 7th March, 2025 @ 7 pm

with Popcorn, Ice cream

& Bar available

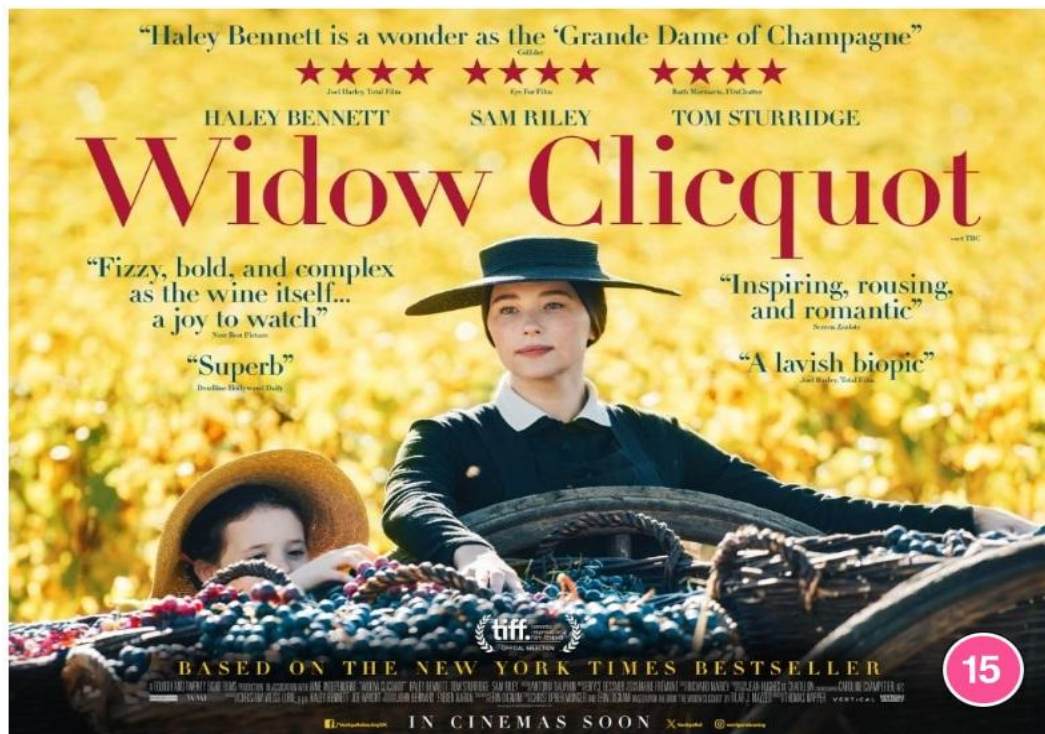
Family ticket £12.50, Child £2.50, Adult £5

Bookings 07771561099 ibbertonvillagehall@gmail.com

Pay on the door



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Actors: Haley Bennett Tom Sturridge Natasha O'Keeffe Cecily Cleeve Ben Miles

Widow Clicquot is based on the true story behind the Veuve Clicquot champagne family and business that began in the late 18th century. After her husband's untimely death, Barbe- Nicole Ponsardin Clicquot (Bennett) flouts convention by assuming the reins of the fledgling wine business they had nurtured together. Steering the company through dizzying political and financial reversals, she defies her critics and revolutionizes the champagne industry to become one of the world's first great entrepreneurs.



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

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 12 noon 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 1 – 2 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.

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