

STAPLE DIET

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(The West Quantoxhead Village Newsletter)

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SERVICES AT ST ETHELDREDA'S CHURCH

June 5 th	9.30am	Celebration Eucharist with NM
June 12 th	9.30am	Eucharist with DB
June 19 th	10.30am	Family Service with SB
June 26 th	10.30am	Benefice Eucharist with NM at FIDDINGTON
June 26 th	4.00pm	Festival Songs of Praise with NM at WQ

KENN'S WEATHER REPORT

West Quantoxhead Weather during April

A very mixed month but getting warmer.
Rainfall 19.5 mm. Sea mist on 3 days.
Sunshine more than 1 hr on 21 days
Frost on 3 mornings.
Temp. 20.8 c on the 18th but often 18c +
Wind from most directions, no gales,
Cold chill when from the North sector.

'ST AUDRIES FLOWER FESTIVAL'



HELP! The proposed St. Audries Flower Festival arranged for 25th and 26th June (setting up on 24th June) is desperate for additional help and assistance in all fields, on all three days both in donations, setting up and "manning time" - flower arranging, marquee and gazebo erection and securing, stall assistants, refreshments, welcoming, raffle prizes. Please come and help. Contact Jane Stafford 632268

ST AUDRIES WI

The next Meeting is on June 8th at 2.15 in the Village Hall
Competition:- An item beginning with the Letter " A "
Tea provided by the Committee.

VILLAGE HALL NEWS

We are very proud of the beautiful mosaic now hanging in the village hall. Designed by Jackie Glass and created by our craft group. It will I am sure be appreciated by all and become a village treasure. Thank you to Jackie and the craft group.

THE QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS West Quantoxhead

May 28th – June 24th

Individual households to make and display a 'Royal Scarecrow'

Individual households to put up bunting

May 28th onwards

Cascade of Flowers at village hall

June 2nd 9.15pm

Beacon to be lit at the Fire Beacon (above Staple Plain)
Bring a picnic! If a lift to the Beacon is required, please call 07715664799 by Sunday 29th May

Friday June 3rd, Saturday June 4th

10.30 – 12.30 and 2.30 – 5.30

Display of Village pictures – 70 years of village life showing in the village hall

Sunday June 5th from 2.30 onwards at the village hall

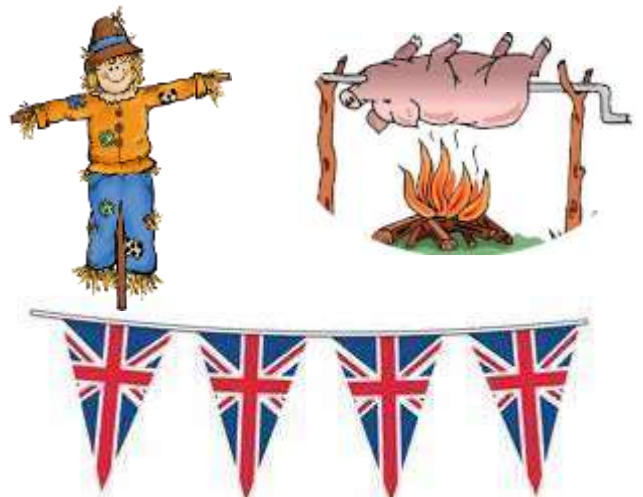
Free Community Meal - Hog Roast and Cream tea

Tea and soft drinks available – bring your own bottle (and chair)

Toast: "The Queen" approx. 4pm

Presentation of mugs to village children

Grateful thanks to the following businesses for their sponsorship: The Windmill Inn (hog roast); St Audries Bay Holiday Park (children's mugs); West Quantoxhead Garage; Sam White, Farrier; J Gliddon and Son; WQ village hall committee for proceeds from Christmas Bazaar.



ST AUDRIES CRAFT GROUP

Really pleased to announce that the Craft Group have completed a mosaic to celebrate the Queen's Jubilee (mosaic designed by Jackie Glass a member of our group). The mosaic is now proudly hanging in the village hall for all to enjoy. The group meet every Tuesday 2pm to 4.30pm in the village hall. £2 per session. We have a mixture of crafts in the group eg patchwork, quilting, crochet, knitting, mosaic, cross-stitch and many more. Please phone if you have any questions or just turn up. June 632410

COFFEE MORNING AT ST. AUDRIES VILLAGE HALL

There **WILL NOT** be a Coffee Morning this month. Our next Coffee morning will be Monday 4th July 10.30am until Midday. As before the charge is £1 per cup - but the biscuits are free! We hope to see some of the old (as in familiar) faces and hopefully a few new ones. Sue and Isobel

FOOD BANK DONATIONS

A reminder that donations can be left in various village shops, churches and the three Co-ops in Williton and Watchet, or at the Foodbank on Monday and Thursday 9:30 – 12:30.

ST ETHELDREDA'S CHURCH

Thank you from St Etheldreda's Church for all your gifts towards our Easter Appeal. It is good to know that the Church is so important to all you villagers. Our big expense in 2021 was getting the Donkey Patch registered, licensed and consecrated. As you will see it has now been used for a Burial. A very special occasion for us all.

Your generosity will help considerably in maintaining your Church in the condition it deserves, obviously, Diocesan and maintenance costs are something we have to meet every year.

We do hope you will be able to come and enjoy the Flower Festival on the last weekend in June.

Again, from The Parochial Church Council, **THANK YOU ALL VERY MUCH**

ST. AUDRIES ART GROUP

Meets every Wednesday in the Village Hall from 10 am until 12.30. New Members are very welcome - if you would like to know more about us please contact Maureen on 01984 632575 or Pat on 01984 632729.

HOLFORD GARDENERS GROUP

HOLFORD AND DISTRICT VILLAGE HALL

TUESDAY JUNE 21st 7.30 pm

'Kews Victorian Gem'

A Talk by Gena Merrett Smith

Members £1.00 Visitors £2.00

EAST QUANTOXHEAD COFFEE MORNING

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East Quantoxhead Village Hall

10-12md Saturday 18th June

Café/Bricbrac/Books

EAST QUANTOXHEAD

From the beginning of the year, residents of East Quantoxhead have been knitting and crocheting flowers in readiness for our Queen's Jubilee. A floral arch will decorate the entrance to St Marys EQ with other floral decorations inside the Church. All on display for a few weeks from May 31st. Visitors welcome.

WINDMILL VILLAGE LUNCHES

16th June

21st July

18th August

15th September

20th October



RIDDLER'S FREE BUS SERVICE TO SAINSBURYS

Riddlers provide a free bus service to Sainsbury's Bridgwater. Every Thursday. Departs from bus stop by Village Hall at 10.38am, arrives Sainsbury's at 11.25am and departs from Sainsbury's at 13.25. If you plan to use this service they suggest you call a few days before 01398 323398 to ensure the driver stops at the bus stop.

PARISH COUNCIL

Would you like to be more involved with your village?

You are all welcome to come along to our next meeting on 6th of July. We also have a vacancy for a Parish Councillor if you would like to join us. Please contact our Parish Clerk, Michell, if you would like more details. Email westquantoxheadpc@gmail.com

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