

# MOUNT & WARLEGGAN LIFE

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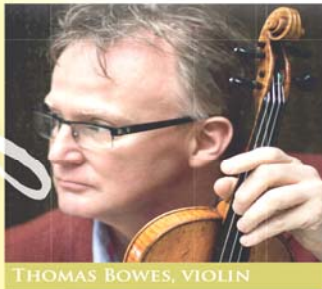
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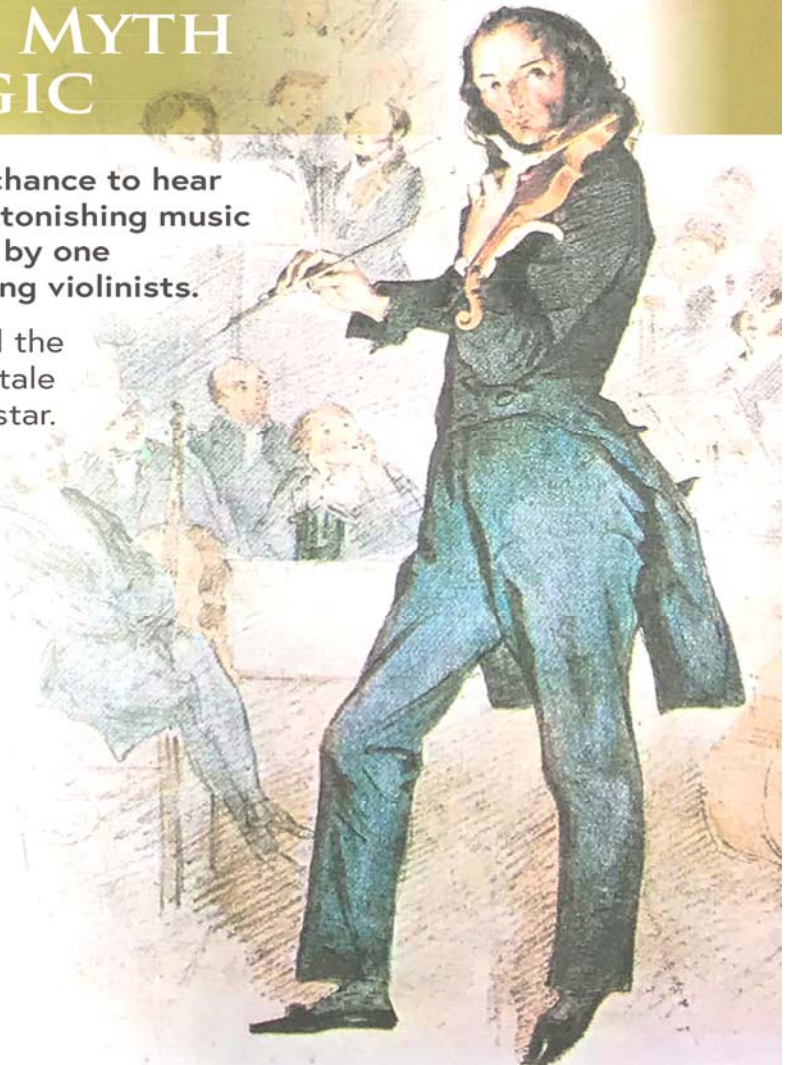
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## AN ARRAN JUMPER AWARDED BEST IN SHOW

We are of course talking about the Warleggan Produce & Craft Show held on the 29th July as part of the Big Do In the Field, held this year at Warleggan.

Entries were good and the church looked beautifully decorated with nature's bounty and some impressive craft work. The winner of the show was Moira Brown's beautiful Arran jumper, a piece of craft that would have taken many hours of work. Last year the cake won over the craft work but this year the winning Bakewell Tart took reserve best in show. Although a difficult year in the garden with drought and then rain before the show, the vegetable and flower classes were well represented and Pam Leppitt's display of three vegetables was best in the vegetable section and Gill Keast's impressive agapanthus were the best floral entry. A superb still life by Myfanwy Leppitt that featured plastic waste, was the best photographic exhibit. The Leppitt family were well-represented, but sadly the artwork by Murray the terrier did not gain a prize!

I would like to thank Matthew Keast. His chipboard sheets that were due to line a barn were diverted to make the table tops on the pews. I would like to thank every person who supported the show; it would not be the display it was without you. Hopefully many people who looked at the entries realised that what they had in their garden or house was worth entering next year.

**Lynda Small**

**Vegetable Classes.** *3 diff. veg:* Pam Leppitt, John Keast, Ross Harrison. *Potatoes:* Andrew Lane 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>, Jenny Brown. *Carrots:* Roger Turnbull, Pam Leppitt, Andrew Lane. *Onions:* Pam Leppitt, John Small, Jacob Turnbull. *Cucumber:* Pam Leppitt, John Small, Andrew Lane. *Peas:* Linda Bensley, Pam Leppitt, John Keast. *Beans:* Pam Leppitt, Jasmina Goodair, Theo Turnbull. *Courgettes:* John Small, Linda Bensoay, Andrew Lane. *Strange Shape Veg:* Ross Harrison 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>, Petra Jory. *Herbs:* Andrew Lane, Gill Keast, Linda Bensley. *Soft fruit:* Pam Leppitt, Lynda Small, Gill Keast. *Tomatoes:* Pam Leppitt 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>, Andrew Lane. *Rhubarb:* John Small, John Keast.

**Flower Classes.** *Pot plant:* Jasmina Goodair, Liz Lane. *Annuals:* Pam Leppitt, Jasmina Goodair. *Foliage:* Liz Lane, Linda Bensley, Jasmina Goodair. *Perennials:* Lynda Small, Liz Lane. *Insect Attracting Bloom:* Linda Bensoay, Pam Leppitt, Liz Lane. *Fuchsias:* Linda Bensoay, Jasmina Goodair, Gill Keast. *Sweet peas:* Pam Leppitt, Clare Alford, Gill Keast. *Buddleia:* Jasmina Goodair 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup>, Lynda Small. *Hydrangea:* Gill Keast, Linda Bensoay, Jasmina Goodair. *Flower 3 stems:* Gill Keast, Petra Jory, Liz Lane.

**Cookery.** *Date & Walnut Loaf:* Rebecca Street, Petra Jory, Gill Keast. *Bakewell Tart:* Lynda Small, Pam Leppitt. *Panettone Buns:* Pam Leppitt, Gill Keast, Liz Lane. *Cornish Pasty:* Quillie Erskine, Hector Lane. *Jam:* Pam Leppitt, Ian Wheatley, Jeanette Hill. *Savoury preserve:* Jeanette Hill, Lynda Small, Petra Jory. *Marmalade:* Lynda Small, Ian Wheatley, Ann Moore.

**Photography** *Bodmin Moor.* Glyn Leppitt, Jenny Brown, Norman Brierley. *Green:* Alastair Hill, John Keast, Norman Brierley. *Free Choice:* Myfanwy Leppitt, Petra Jory, Moira Brown. *Lines:* John Keast 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup>, Alastair Hill.

**Art & Craft.** *Sketch:* Gill Keast, Nicky Hill, Myfanwy Leppitt. *Watercolour:* Maria Turnbull, Nicky Hill. *Oils/Acrylic:* Sarah Wootton, Andrew Lane, Maria Turnbull.



*Non-fabric craft:* Maria Turnbull, Mike Udy, Sarah Wootton. *Knitted item:* 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Moira Brown, Maria Turnbull. *Upcycled Item:* Mike Udy, John Small, Deborah Wheatley

*Under 5, Vegetable Animal:* Ivy Alford. *5-11 Handwriting:* Harry Butler, William Keast, Henry Alford

**TROPHIES. Best Fruit or Veg:** Pam Leppitt. **Best Flora:** Gill Keast. **Best Cookery:** Lynda Small. **Best Photograph:** Myfanwy Leppitt. **Best Art or Craft:** Moira Brown. **TROPHIES AWARDED ON POINTS: Under 16 Entries:** Alastair Hill. **New Exhibitor:** Linda Bensley. **Most Points:** Pam Leppitt. **Reserve:** Gill Keast. **BEST IN SHOW:** Moira Brown [Arran Jumper]. **Reserve:** Lynda Small [Bakewell Tart]



**DOG SHOW CHAMPION  
'BEST IN SHOW'**

*Dani with handler Zhan*



**Pam Leppitt—Most points**

*"Mmm as if I haven't got enough to do, now I've got all these trophies to clean!!"*



**SEPTEMBER PARISH LUNCH**

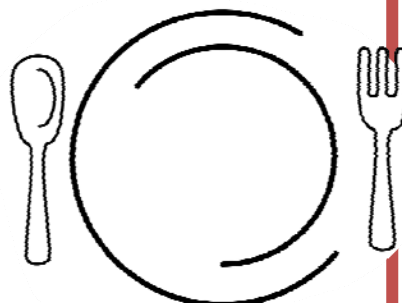
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## WISH Women – what are we doing?

Well, what we are doing is going from strength to strength! 36 women on the WhatsApp group now, which is how we keep in touch, plus a couple who prefer to keep it old tech...Summer has seen us outside, walking at Respryn and spotting wildlife with Jasmina, and visiting Judy's lovely garden at Pantersbridge. And in September we are back in the Hall. The third Thursday of the month at 7.30 looks like this:

**September** – Look after your Pelvic Floor – with Liz Court (Pilates Liz) We promise you will learn something you need to know and have a laugh!

**October** – Sleep – with Dawn Howarth. How to help it happen.... This will include gentle relaxation..Zzzzz

**November** – Christmas wreath making. We will all combine to bring stuff from our gardens and from home, and a trip to Trago will provide everything else we need. Watch for details and decorate your front door for the season!

**December** – we are not sure yet, but something social?

Tea and coffee, and biscuits if you are lucky, will be available at every session. Don't forget £2 towards our rent. It's a bargain!



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## WARLEGGAN VILLAGE ROAD CLOSURE

The road through Warleggan Village will be temporarily closed from 09.30 to 15.30 on Wednesday 28th September for road works.

### UNPLANNED ROAD CLOSURE!

The most direct route from Yorkshire to Duloe with a low-loader and 17 tonne swing shovel is not via Warleggan! Four hours to extricate the vehicles.





## RECTOR'S RAMBLINGS – CELTIC SPIRITUALITY

The Celtic and Gaelic tradition of spirituality has remained largely unnoticed or ignored by the mainstream Christian churches for centuries. Then as the Education Act of 1872 began to mark the end of the Gaelic oral tradition in Scotland, **Alexander Carmichael**, a Scottish author with interest in folklore and legend, spent some 50 years on his ***Gaelic Pilgrimages***. During this time, he travelled widely around the Isles of the Outer Hebrides collecting prayers and reflections from those Gaelic speaking peoples who farmed, fished and lived in these remote Outer Isles of Scotland.

His work, ***Carmina Gadelica*** was published in 1900 and is a rich compendium of prayers which were said in the homes.

They focused on our relationship with nature and the elements, wind and rain, water and soil, and light and darkness. They were characterised by the idea of community, and in this tradition the idea of the Trinity was central. This is idea of the unity of three persons in One, and it echoed in their language and poetry. God lives around us, in all the things of Creation, above and beneath us, at our side as well as inside our inner being. It is about being at one with the world around us.

Each day would begin with a prayer when the hearth fire was first lit or kindled and blessed as the source of life, of warmth and hot food, and ended with a prayer as it was raked through at the end of the day and prayers were asked for God's protection in the hours of darkness. Each aspect of life, seen as a part of a journey with God, and was the subject of a prayer.

Interest in Celtic spirituality reemerged towards the latter of half of the twentieth century. In recent years, largely through the work and writings of Canon Pat Robson of our Diocese here in Truro, there has been attempt to reignite the flame of the Cornish Celtic tradition. Celtic spirituality, has its focus is on the *sky that touches the land, the sea that touches the shore and the heaven that touches the earth*, (Martin Wallace), and now fit snugly with our concern for the environment and anxiety over global warming, and with our growing appreciate of the world and the place in which we live and call home.

### **A prayer of God's protection**

God to enfold me, God to surround me, God in my speaking, God in my thinking.

God in my sleeping, God in my waking, God in my watching, God in my hoping.

God in my life, God in my lips, God in my soul, God in my heart.

God in my sufficing, God in my slumber, God in mine ever-living soul, God in mine eternity. (*Carmina Gadelica*)

**GarrySwinton(Rector)**

## CHAPEL NEWS

Andy Day the circuit Superintendent minister left at the end of July and the circuit now has a stand-in until a new minister is appointed.

On the 1<sup>st</sup> October Mount Chapel will hold its annual Harvest Festival with Tamsin Gates conducting the service. It will be followed by a pasty and pudding lunch. If you wish to attend please contact Shirley Jory to order your pasty and give us numbers so we know how many puddings to make.

As always everyone welcome to any Sunday service at 11am.

### THE BIG DO

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> July must have been the one dry weekend in four, we were so lucky with the weather, just one short sharp shower mid afternoon and otherwise breezy but dry.

Both Warleggan and Mount came together to host its annual summer fair "The Big Do". Attractions included the Coconut shy "Topple the Twit", tombola and bottle stall, lucky dip darts, the dog show and for the first year a true Cornish game called "Smite" was introduced to everyone by Carole and Peter Parry. The tea tent offered both cakes and Cornish split cream teas, whilst the First Castle Canyke scouts troop manned the BBQ.

The beer tent kept everyone lubricated, however the presence of the Police van and our Local PCSO might have stopped some. We were amazed by how much fits into a police van and to have a small cell in there as well is quite a surprise. They now have all our fingerprints on file!

One of the main tents this year housed some local crafters and their wares, it was great to see such talent and they were a good addition to offer to visitors. If you're interested for next year let us know.

The Big Do Raffle sold all one thousand tickets and some of the lucky winners were Julie B from St Neot, Cathy H from Bodmin, Chris A from St Neot and Judy from Panters bridge, congratulations to you all and thank you to all who brought tickets.

The Produce and Craft show was held in St Bartholomew's Church and had a vast number of entries, I'm sure further details will be provided in this newsletter.

Many people from both Mount and Warleggan volunteered this year to help make the day a great occasion and success, without the help of the community the event could not be held, so many thanks once again to all involved.

A lot of people turned out to enjoy the afternoon and enter the dog show and even though the weather was looking a little dodgy it turned out fine, with even some sunshine appearing at the end of the afternoon.

**Jo & Alex Pearce-Smith**

## WARLEGGAN HISTORY GROUP

Wednesday 27th Sept 7.30pm "Fireside Tales"

an evening of story telling—

"Our own Dad's Army", "The Butcher's Block" "The Shops of Mount"

Wednesday 25th October 7.30pm

"H.T.P. Hosken, Trevithick, Polkinhorne" -

a presentation by Philip M Hosken.

From 1890 HTP, was a conglomerate of several companies that included milling, shipping, baking, wool treatment, transport and was part of everyone's life in Cornwall and beyond.

## VERONICA COURTS

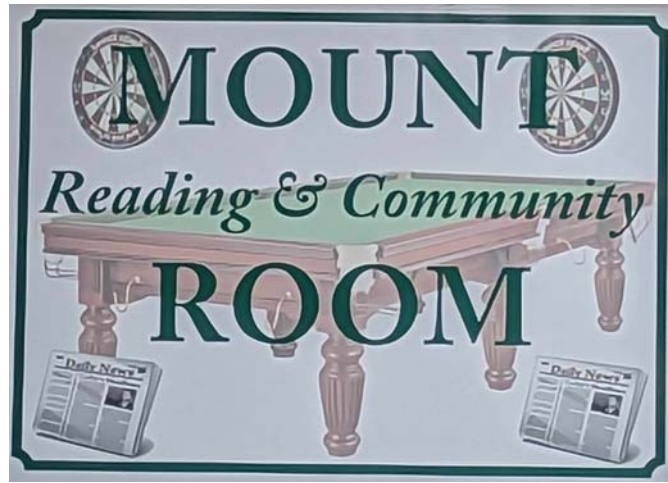
We were all saddened to hear of the death of Veronica and would like to pass our thoughts and condolences to her family.

Veronica contributed much to the Parish over the years serving on the Parish Planning Committee, the Hall Management Committee and the Carnival Committee.

## CHURCH SERVICES

SEPT 3 <sup>rd</sup>	09.30	Holy Communion
10 <sup>th</sup>	18.00	Evening Prayer
17 <sup>th</sup>	09.30	Holy Communion
24 <sup>th</sup>	18.00	Evening Prayer
OCT 1 <sup>st</sup>	09.30	Holy Communion
8 <sup>th</sup>	11.00	Harvest at Lestow Farm
15 <sup>th</sup>	09.30	Holy Communion
22 <sup>nd</sup>	18.00	Evening Prayer
29 <sup>th</sup>	Joint 5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday at Warleggan	Holy Communion

**REMINDERS : NOVEMBER 12TH 'REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY DETAILS IN NEXT ISSUE AND ALL SUBSEQUENT EVENING PRAYER WILL BE AT 3.00PM**



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# MOUNT READING & COMMUNITY ROOM

Chairman : Rob Jory 01208 821127

Treasurer Richard Jenkin 07717691720.

Membership is £20 per adult, children under 16 go free with a paid adult family member. At the minute we have dart boards and snooker table but hoping to perhaps acquire some books and possibly board games and cards. As of yet no hire charges have been worked out this will be discussed at the AGM on 11th September at the Reading Room also at Reading Room on 15th September is a BBQ and open evening at starting 6pm.

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**NEXT ONE** Sept 7th / **October 5th** / November 9th / **December 7th**

Coffee & Cake but most importantly a chance to sit and chat with your neighbours  
and friends & keep up to date with Parish politics!

**AND** raise money for St Bartholomew's Church

<b>WARLEGGAN JUBILEE HALL</b>	<b>DIARY OF REGULAR EVENTS</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	Table Tennis 10.30am
<b>MONDAY</b>	Warleggan Young Farmers' Club Business Meeting 7.30pm 1st Monday of each month
<b>TUESDAY</b>	Pilates Mixed Ability Class 11.45-12.45pm
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	History Group 7.30pm 4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday (unless otherwise stated)
<b>EVERY THURSDAY VILLAGE GREENS PRE-ORDER &amp; COLLECT 3-4PM</b>	<b>1st THURSDAY of each month Café</b> 10.30am—1.00pm
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