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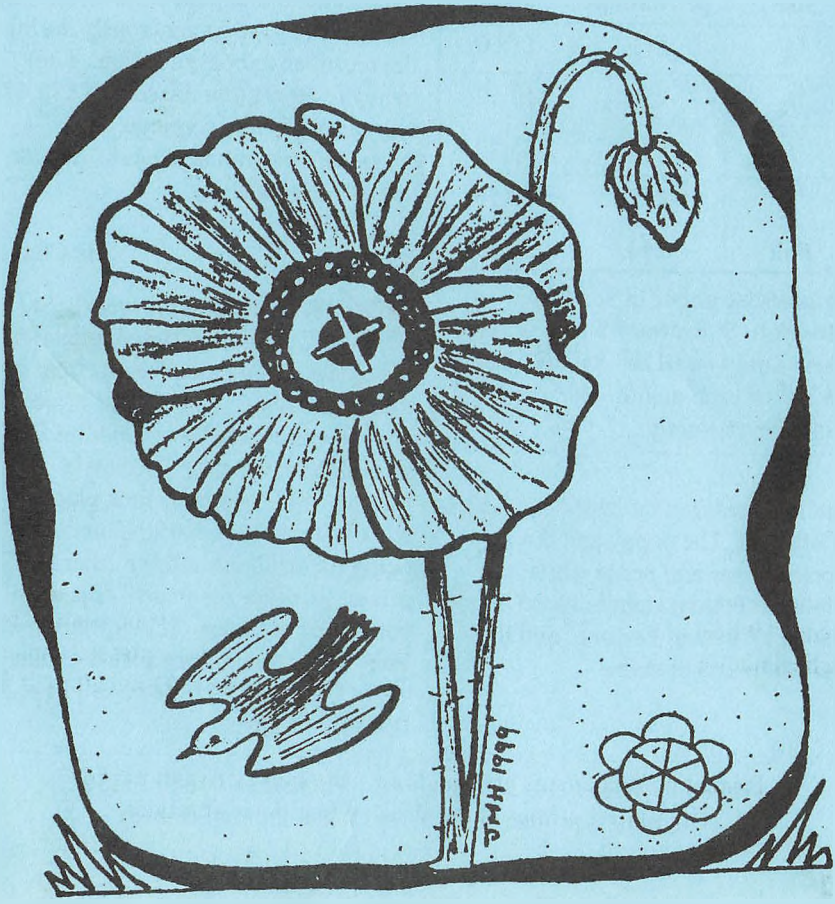

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Letters

Drs. Richardson & Garrod would like to express their thanks to all St Breward parishioners who so generously donated £350 to our equipment fund.

Grateful thanks.

Royal National Mission to Deep Sea Fishermen

On behalf of the Royal National Mission to Deep Sea Fishermen I would like to thank all those within the village who gave so generously during the recent envelope collection. I am happy to report that the sum of £38.67 was raised to help continue this organisation's valuable work. Thank you all very much.

Liz Chance

THE FIRST draw of the weekly St Breward Community Bus Association took place during a coffee morning in the Band Room. The £25 1st Prize winner was Jackie Lewis and the £10 second prize was won by Flossie Rundle. 140 'bus stops took place in our first draw with half the money going to bus funds and the other half as prizes. A fuller report will appear in our December issue. If you want a 'bus Stop' for the next draw please contact Terry Goode on 851392 or call in at St Breward Stores

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St Breward Carnival 1999

What a year!

Fun Day 23rd May 1999

The Football Club greatly assisted the Carnival Committee by holding the Fun Day within their facilities. The weather could not decide what to do - so the stalls were held indoors with the only the brave 'Bar-B-Q er's' facing the elements!

The success of the day was again due to the combined efforts of some Village Organisations and the Committee. Special thanks to the Playgroup, WI, Friends of St Breward School, Offspring Works, Neighbourhood Watch, Heli-Aid and Mr F Yeo who all contributed in providing a range of stalls/games.

The Football Tournament was co-ordinated by Bodmin & East Cornwall Youth League and all the teams who entered demonstrated enthusiasm and a keen, sporting motivation to win. St Tudy were the winners.

The Judges for the day were David & Joyce Brown, from Tintagel - who thoroughly enjoyed the day and the duties bestowed upon them!

The Carnival Queen and attendants for 1999 were selected: Rebecca, Zoe and Laura Teague represented the village.

Carnival Week & the Carnival

Many events were planned for Carnival Week — again the weather was unreliable, yet this did not appear to dampen the spirit of the people attending the different events. Every day saw a variety of activities ranging from Horse Racing to an Extravaganza hosted by the School.

The Committee was delighted with the support received at the unveiling of the new granite sign, in memory of Noel Hill. The weather was particularly horrible at Churchtown during this short ceremony - we definitely felt that Noel was having a laugh at our expense!

Saturday brought the Carnival - many entries and attractions adorned the village route. Thank you to all whom participated in any way, making another successful year.

Special thanks to Clair and Nicholas Teague - who allowed their three daughters to represent St Breward at many Carnivals — they did look wonderful. True 'St Breward Ambassadors'!

The Carnival events this year saw a healthy profit of approximately £1500. This money has been distributed throughout the village to all the Groups and Organisations that exist and contribute to our success.

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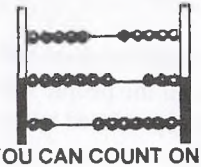

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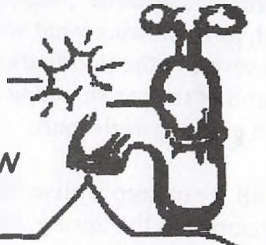

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Church's Page

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Churchwardens:
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Sunday Services

9.30am	Parish Eucharist	Blisland
11.10am	Parish Eucharist	St Breward

St Breward Parish Church

The churchwardens and the PCC of St Breward Parish Church would like to thank all the people who locked and unlocked the church this summer. It was much appreciated by everyone, visitors and inhabitants alike. Thank you.

Sue Hutton

In the Spring I applied to the Diocese for a 'Yew Tree for the Millennium', to be planted in our churchyard. We were successful and on the evening of Sunday Oct. 17th, Virginia Cholmeley and I went to Truro Cathedral for evensong. It was a Millennium Yew Tree dedication service, where the yew trees were blessed and distributed to the parish representatives. The cathedral was packed and it was a lovely service taken by Bishop William.

We lined up and took possession of our trees and I have to say ours is not a 'brilliant specimen' , but I could not ask for the next one! It is about 2" high and, as if knowing what weather it would meet, has a decided list to one side. However, in the information that has come with it – the yew tree will reflect the health of the parish and lie dormant for ages, and then when things feel good will give a growth spurt.

I will try to keep it alive through the winter and we will have a planting ceremony in the Spring. Hopefully it will be standing upright by then. I will keep you informed!

Sue Hutton

New Vicar

On Monday 1st November our new vicar, the Reverend Derek Carrivick will be installed by the Bishop at St Breward Parish Church. We welcome Derek, his wife Penny and family to St Breward and hope they will have a long and happy stay with us.

The Rev. Carrivick resides at the Rectory, Limbhead, St Breward. Tel 01208 850869 and he will be in charge of the three parishes of St Breward, Blisland with Temple and Helland. Times of church services have yet to be arranged so please look on the church notice boards for this information.

The Sunday Club will also resume after this date but all present members will be notified and notices put in the Post Office and Shop.

Catherine McShee

The recent Coffee Morning held on October 16th raised £98.31 for church funds. Thank you to everyone who supported this event.

Christmas Fayre

On

Saturday 20th November

10.30am – 11.30am

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Grand Christmas Draw

All Welcome

Chapel's Page

Minister:	Revd. David S Bridge	Telephone 01208 78205
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Dear Friends

November 1st is All Saints Day and nearly 2 weeks later this year is Remembrance Sunday, which is about as late as it can be. With this in mind, as you read this months Community Magazine, your thoughts may be of saints, friends and loved ones no longer with us.

We say "no longer with us", but the Christian faith assures us that God's gift of mortal life lasting something like "three score years and ten" is but part of a much more glorious gift from God - Eternal Life!

I believe that there are no clocks or calendars in Heaven. Indeed, the meaning of "Eternal" is more than everlasting. The intention of the writers and compilers of the Holy Bible was that Eternal Life is as much to do with the QUALITY of LIFE as with the measurement of the passage of time.

The quality of Eternal Life is "Godlike" or with a divine dimension. This means with the character of God - filled with goodness, love, mercy, joy, peace - and faithfulness. Faithfulness, because God is faithful to his people, especially in the tough, questioning, hurting times when through Him we receive comfort, strength & assurance.

Perhaps in celebrating All Saints Day and in Remembering at Armistice-time we can find comfort & strength for each day as my Mother does. My Father died nearly 4 years ago, but Mum believes that he is still with her - he is with God - but so are we! Our Father in Heaven also dwells in the hearts of his people. In God, through our Christian Faith, the mortal and the eternal are one - God's Kingdom in Heaven and on Earth.

May you find God with you even if some dim November days may seem depressing.

As ever - I send Christian Greetings,
Sincerely – David Bridge

Blisland Methodist Church Services for November

14th	2.30pm	Remembrance Service Preacher Rev. D Bridge
28th	2.30pm	Preacher Superintendent Minister Rev. Glynn Uster

St Breward Methodist Church November Diary

3rd	10 to 11.30am	Coffee Morning
7th	11.00am	Mrs Manders
14th	11.00am	United Service Parish Church
21st	11.00am	Fellowship
28th	11.00am	Revd Bridge

Harvest Festival 99

Thank you to everyone who joined in the Harvest celebrations. The services were well attended. The chapel was looking lovely with all the harvest gifts and flowers and smelling even nicer! A very tasty supper was enjoyed by all who came and this was followed by the sale of harvest gifts. The auctioneer was Mr Raymond Hoskin, ably assisted by Marie and Denise. Thanks to them and to everyone who came. The harvest weekend raised over £260 for chapel funds.

Nesta Teague

Blisland WRVS Club

For our last meeting of the year (we do not get together during the winter months) we met at our local well-known Blisland Inn for lunch on October 5th. With friends who had entertained us at their homes during the summer and with the wide choice of lunch which was available, we selected what we fancied and all enjoyed the meal, lingering for a while, just having a bit of chat. Thanks to Margaret & Gary our hosts for looking after us so well.

T Ham
Club Organiser

Blisland Area Poppy Appeal 1999

Remembrance Day this year will be commemorated on Sunday 14th November. The house to house collection, and remote farm visits will be undertaken by Audrey and Brian Pierce, and Leo Burns respectively.

A collection box will also be placed in the Blisland Inn during the preceding week.

B Pierce

North Cornwall Hunt

The North Cornwall Hunt has had a successful summer of fund-raising and social events and we look forward to the 1999/2000 Season with confidence. The 1999 Point-to-Point was a huge success with the Maiden Race being split into four divisions. The Country Field Sports Day at Pencarrow in August was well attended and we are arranging the usual events during the coming season, which will be advertised on the Meet Cards. The Point-to-Point will be held at the Royal Cornwall Showground on Saturday, the 5th February 2000.

The four Joint Masters, Messrs Richard Hancock, Mike Biddick and Vincent Jones and Mrs Diana Treffry, continue in office and James Pearson continues as Kennel Huntsman assisted by William Clancy, with Adam Ellery whipping in.

Autumn Hunting started in August with the Pony Club meet at Lamphill and has continued with a good tally of foxes to date. The Opening Meet will have been held at Hamatethy on the 23rd October and subsequent Meets will be advertised in the press or details can be obtained by telephoning the Kennels on *850223*.

Diana Treffry

November 1999

Wed	3rd	The Malsters Arms, Chapel Amble
Sat	6th	Ivey (for the Moor)
Wed	10th	Glyn Barton
Sat	13th	The Old Inn, St Breward
Wed	17th	Tintagel Country Club
Sat	20th	Ruthernbridge
Wed	24th	St Mabyn Inn
Sat	27th	Lavethan (Blisland)
Tues	30th	Chain Bridge

Meets are subject to alteration.
Please see press for any changes

The ABSOLUTE Deadline for December copy will be Wednesday 15th December.

Francis likes to wind down early for Christmas

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A Once in a Lifetime Piggy-back

There were many humorous occasions whilst living on the farm. For instance, the day I went down to the bottom field to feed the poultry we had enclosed there. Coming back, the sow was waiting to come in for her evening meal, so I brought her into the yard.

We used to put her food in her trough, in her little house before we let her in, of course this time I hadn't done this, but she rushed into her house as usual.

There was a pool of water in the doorway, and as I stepped across, rather too late, hoping to close the door behind her, she, finding nothing there, rushed out again, not in a very good humour. She barged out between my legs, and I over-balanced, spread along her back, looking over her tail. She was very large, and splashing and grunting, wondered what on earth had got hold of her. She galloped, snorting madly, down the yard, where I fell off. Clutching my stick in one hand and a bunch of flowers in the other, I had only one thought – were there any spectators enjoying seeing me having a piggy-back in the real sense?

I was spared that indignity; no one was there with a camera. What a lost opportunity! And I never could have staged it again.

Gwen Masters
Looking Back

1st St Breward Brownies

.... are holding a "Sale of the Century" Coffee Morning at St. Breward Methodist Chapel on Saturday 30th October from 10 30am to 12.30 p.m.

The girls have been busy making Items for their stalls and following a democratic vote, have decided that 50% of the proceeds will go to the RSPCA at St. Columb (their local charity) and Help the Aged (for their National Charity) the other 50% will go to Brownie funds.

Good citizenship is part of our programme and wed be delighted if you could join us for a coffee and a chat.
If enthusiasm is anything to go by – It'll be standing room only!!

See you there!
Marilyn Pluess
Barn Owl

NCDC takes lead in checking the quality of Cornish air

The quality of Cornish air is being checked around the clock by a state-of-the-art air quality monitoring station recently installed on a busy in Bodmin street.

This is the first such station operated by a district council in Cornwall. The project has been set up by NCDC following a successful application to the DETR for funding approval.

Air pollutants from traffic and other sources are measured continually by the automatic equipment at the Watson Petroleum/Texaco filling station on Bodmin's Dennison Road. The equipment measures oxides of nitrogen, sulphur dioxide and particulate matter together with windspeed and direction data.

The data collected is downloaded remotely using a mobile phone link to a dedicated computer run by NCDC's environmental health team at Wadebridge.

Specialist computer software enables this local data to be compared with that collected by many similar units throughout the UK so that experts can build up their knowledge of how airborne pollutants spread.

'Whilst air quality is generally good within North Cornwall, it is important that we monitor it closely, particularly at traffic "hot spot" areas in our towns."

"Looking after North Cornwall's environment is one of NCDC's key priorities. We are developing a strategy to ensure that air quality considerations are integrated into all our policies and Cornwall-wide issues like the County Transportation Plan."

said Dave Spode, Principal Environmental Health Officer.

The portable unit will remain at the Bodmin site for around six months before being moved on to other busy traffic areas in the district.

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Camelford	-	09.55	11.55	13.45		
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Bodmin		08.20	10.38	12.38	14.38	18.18

Saturdays

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Camelford	—	09.45	11.55	13.45	16.25	-	
St. Breward	07.45	09.58	12.08	13.58	16.38	17.58	
Bodmin		08.20	10.28	12.38	14.38	17.13	18.28

From Bodmin to Camelford (NatWest Bank)

Mondays to Fridays

Bodmin		07.15	08.30	13.00	17.15
St. Breward	07.45	09.00	13.30	17.48	
Camelford	-	09.12	13.42	—	

Saturdays

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Bodmin		07.15	08.30	13.00	15.35	17.25
St. Breward	07.45	09.00	13.30	16.05	17.58	
Camelford	—	09.12	13.42	16.17	—	

C: connects with X3 to/from Truro
***: service runs during school holidays**

This timetable runs until 27th May 2000

Jane Hanscomb

St. Pratt's Festival Blisland.

What a weekend rain, rain & more rain no sign of St. Pratts Dryth! But despite the weather the people who did turn out to support us had a great time, there were people from St. Breward, Bodmin, St Austell , Mevagissey, Truro and Plymouth so our advertising paid off.

Mr. Raymond Shaddick from Radio Cornwall came to open the show, not only that but he stayed all afternoon and presented prizes, talked to people and signed autographs, he was wonderful. I am so glad we had a thank you gift ready for him that was presented by Anneka Sleep and Ruth Davison, both of whom are from our Sunday school.

Unfortunately most of the Fayre had to be indoors leaving the animals, Pet show, several games and the Army Cadets on the green. Grateful thanks to the brave souls who steadfastly held their post!. The birds and Rabbits (Thanks to North Cornwall Aviaries) the miniature ponies (Mrs Deacon, Millpool) calf (Mr Masters) and pony rides (Mrs Dicken Temple) were a joy to all. Thanks to all who helped.

Our grateful thanks to Mr Simon Draper for doing the Pet Show and who once again donated the prizes. The art exhibition by Katia. (Dickinson) lent on the air of mystery and rugged beauty to the Church and was admired by many all week long. The children's art /poetry also in the church the previous week showed a wonderful example of self-expression that only children have, fantastic stuff

On to Sunday and the Patronal procession, what dedication! After a short service officiated by Rev. Conrad Sargission, the St Breward band in full blast followed by a sea of umbrellas made its way to the cross, after a few prayers and hymns and the laying down of flowers and a prayer beautifully read by 11 year old Katie Davison from the Sunday school a very wet and bedraggled procession in full voice returned to the church. It was wonderful to see so many people taking part regardless of the rain. Some of the Sunday school children had unexpected "painted" faces where the colour from the flowers in their hair had run, they thought this was great fan. A quick change out of their robes (some kindly loaned by St Breward Church) and they were off to the village hall for a splendid feast accompanied with music from the band followed by an enthralling magic show by Mr Richard Ready and Monkey friend who had us all spellbound. Meanwhile Nina Davey was talking to the villagers, getting them to reveal their innermost thoughts for her programme Cornwall Celebrates on Radio Cornwall.

The Monday night concert was enjoyed by a few loyal supporters many of whom were our friends from St. Breward. I was disappointed by the lack of support

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from our own village not only because of the hard work that it takes to organise it all but I was embarrassed because our Stars, Trevor Ternouth and Shirley-Ann Kernow put on a show to rival any other in the county and deserved a larger audience. However I'm happy to say that those who did attend had a great evening, the bar and pasty supper went down well while the grand draw which raised £246.45 was drawn and many people present won prizes. The top prize of a flying lesson, kindly donated by the Bodmin Flying Club, was won by Veronica Ferguson of St. Breward, who was absolutely delighted.

This year we are pleased to announce we are donating £100 to Blisland Church Fund, £100 to Blisland Sunday school and £100 to The Children's Hospital Appeal, for the children's cancer unit at Treliske. Thank-you to everyone who helped and supported in anyway.

Deanna Kendall

Allen Valley Singers

We have been busy this Autumn with several concerts taking place. In October we joined 160 ladies to sing at a concert for Cornwall Federation of Ladies Choirs, in Newquay. It was certainly an experience and called for a lot of concentration on our part as we were directed by different conductors who interpreted each arrangement differently. Janet Eathorne from Radio Cornwall was our most entertaining compere.

We recently held a concert in aid of Restormel Mentally Handicapped and were joined by guest performers, The Fishermen's Friends from Port Isaac who sang rousing sea shanties. The evening was well attended and raised over £300 for this worthy cause.

We are currently learning new songs for Christmas. At 6pm on Sunday December 12th we are singing in Lamerton Church. Closer to home, on Tuesday December 21st we are giving a concert in Hengar Manor between 7.00pm and 8.45pm which should be a very festive evening. Everyone welcome.

If you wish to make a booking for the choir, phone Jennifer May on 01208 880131.
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Jennifer May

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Ash	green seed planted now should germinate next Spring brown seeds take 18 months
Oak) Hazel)	drop the seeds in water, plant only those that sink
Beech	as oak & hazel after removing prickly case
Alder	Allow conelets to dry out indoors for 2 weeks shake rub between hands and sow seeds
Hawthorne	place berries in plastic bag, allow flesh to rot (approx. 3 weeks), Mash away flesh to leave seeds, sow.

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St Breward Neighbourhood Watch meeting at Memorial Hall on Mon 4th October

The guest speakers were introduced, i.e. PC Bill Faraday, recent Horse Watch Co-ordinator, current dog handler and Wild Life Officer and his assistant Alison (employee of Mole Valley Farmers), PC Dave Lewis, the D & C Constabulary NHW Liaison Officer and PC Dave Leslie, the local Crime Prevention Officer.

PC Dave Lewis gave the latest developments of Ringmaster. The purchase of the Ringmaster machine was sponsored by Legal & General but the cost of the telephone calls were paid for by the D & C Constabulary. Such calls were found to be expensive and were curtailed. The system was currently being evaluated.

PC Bill Faraday was then invited to give a talk on the 'Horse Watch Scheme'. He explained that the scheme started when there were a series of attacks on horses. Pictures of such attacks were shown. There was a need to warn owners of other horses to be on their guard. Moreover, there was a need to have the fullest details of the various horses in the area giving such details as owner, contact details, description of horse, photograph showing winter and summer coat, name of vet, etc. Such details help in placing loose horses, as well as stolen horses. For £3.50 per address per year, you can register all your horses under the Horse Watch Scheme and receive a regular newsletter via your co-ordinator. The information does tie in with Farm Watch and Neighbourhood Watch Schemes. Branding of horses, or freeze marking, is recommended. It has been said that Judges will NOT mark down branded horses, quite the opposite. They are inclined to mark UP because it shows responsible ownership. Branding of hoofs do wear off. It was recommended that Postal Codes be marked on horse rugs, etc. The effeciveness of marking trailers with postal codes using welding equipment was emphasised. PC Bill Faraday then showed the Horse Watch signs which are available free of charge from your Horse Watch Co-ordinator. His assistant, Alison then gave a highly informative talk on Feeding and Worming, giving details of cost etc.

PC Dave Leslie then prepared to mark the various pieces of tack with the owners postal code that the audience has brought along. He, like his college, emphasised the importance of the postal code on equipment giving the example of the case of recovered goods being given back to the suspected thief because the owner could not be traced. However, it was also emphasised to make sure that only areas of tack were stamped that would not weaken its load bearing strength. The advantages of microchips were discussed.

Forthcoming Dates for the St Breward NHW meetings:

Monday 1st November, Memorial Hall, 7.30pm: Talk on the Farm Watch, Church Watch and Ringmaster Scheme by PC Dick Parkinson of Resources and PC Dave Lewis. All welcome.

Monday 6th December, Memorial Hall, 7.30pm: Christmas Quiz with a prize for the winner at which you will discover many frightening facts! Everybody welcome.

Kevin Foster Acting Secretary, St Breward NHW Scheme

St Breward Parish Council

The Council met on Tuesday 5th October 1999 at 7pm in the Memorial Hall. The District Councillor, Mr Kempthorne also attended. Members of the public present were Mr and Mrs Stansfield.

There were three planning applications and recommendations made to North Cornwall District Council were as follows:

- 2 Coombe Road - erection of front porch - no objections. The erection would be in keeping with the bungalow concerned.
- East Rose Farm - erection of a garage/workshop - no objections. This erection would be of local stone and in keeping with adjacent buildings.
- Old Coal Yard - conversion of old ticket office - not recommended. This lies outside of the development area. Also, the application implied that a residential caravan be sited there for an indefinite period.

Comments were needed on the Draft Regional Planning Guidance Document for the South West, to be inputted by the end of this month by the Chairman. Local requirements were discussed which included:

- The need for affordable housing in the SouthWest.
- Because of road accidents in rural areas, the need for road improvements to eliminate accident black spots and to limit speed in country lanes.
- The need for public transport companies to co-operate with superstores. leisure centres, schools, colleges and employers to arrange timetables to suit potential users rather than running empty buses during most of the day.
- The need to encourage high technology enterprises into the County rather than low technology businesses whose products could be made more cheaply abroad.

Other matters included:

- A sleeping policeman on the road leading to Penvorder Cottages, after five years of procrastination by the authorities concerned, had been installed so incompetently by a contractor that traffic struck ground when crossing it. The matter would be dealt with urgently.
- Dogs. probably owned by visitors, were fouling common land at Penquite. The Dog Warden would supply a dog loo and appropriate notices
- Concern was expressed that certain hedges in the Parish had yet to be trimmed. Owners of the land on which the hedges lie would be contacted.
- The Diamond Wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs Bessel was celebrated during the last month. Congratulations and best wishes were expressed on behalf of the Council.

The next Council meeting will be held in the Memorial Hall at 7 pm on Wednesday, 10th November. The public are welcome to attend,

Mev Shelley

Paul & Kathryn

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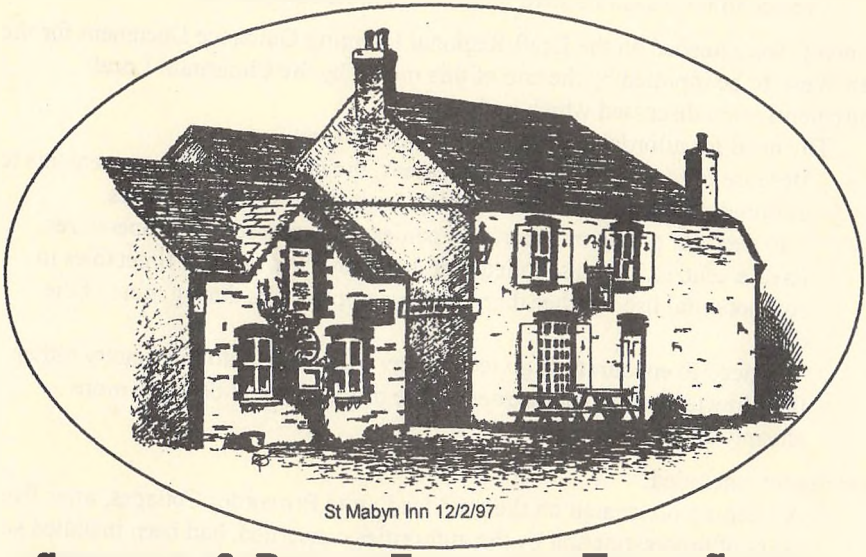

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News from The Old Inn

As many of you know the Old Inn has changed hands! Myself, Darren Wills (licensee and partner) have lived and worked (mainly in farming) in the village all my life. Together with my business partner Simon Hetherington, who decided to give up medicine we had the chance to purchase the pub, and take up a more relaxed occupation or that's what we thought!

So far we have refurbished both gents & Ladies toilets, painted and laid new carpet in the poolroom, painted and cleaned carpet etc in our restaurant. We have replaced all the old chest freezers with an up to date art walk-in freezer & chiller. All the beer lines and cellar equipment, beer pumps and the majority of the catering equipment have been replaced. Both bars have been sanded and varnished and the private garden has been converted into a public beer garden, replanted with various plants (thanks mum & dad). We rebuilt the outside toilet, for convenience and put ten new picnic benches for a little comfort!

We have men's & ladies darts teams, ladies on Monday nights and men's on Friday nights. Please come and support them if you can.

We have changed and added variety to the menu, both in the bar and restaurant, and have a wide variety of home-made specials. On Tuesday & Thursday Lunchtimes we have introduced a **Senior Citizens Special** of Home-made soup of the Day followed by large Battered Cod, Chips & Peas – Both for £6.00.

We are now open Monday – Thursday 11am to 3pm & 6pm till 11pm. Friday & Saturday 11am to 11pm (All day). Sunday 12 noon to 10.30pm (All day). This year after many requests we will be open on Christmas Day from 12 Noon onwards (but, sorry no Christmas Day lunch). Our 31 seater restaurant is open lunch times and evenings , with bookings preferred as it can fill up rather quickly. Company Christmas parties catered for in our comfortable restaurant, wedding receptions, birthday parties, christenings etc etc. Phone for details.

PS Thank you to all our suppliers who sponsored our advert in October's North Cornwall Advertiser. (Hope you can do the same for the Cornish Guardian)

Denis I have the Discovery, wax jacket and the walking stick. All I need is the dog!!

(Hands off Holly Ed)

The Old Inn's

Christmas Menu from 1st December 1999 to 24th December

Soup of the Day
Or
Melon with Cranberries
Rolled Smoked Salmon
with Bread & butter
or
Prawns with Rosemary Sauce
& Bread & butter
Traditional Roast Turkey & Stuffing
With Four Vegetables of the Day & Roast Potatoes
Or
Roast Beef & Yorkshire Pudding
With Four Vegetables of the Day & Roast Pudding
To Finish!
Christmas Pudding with Cream or Custard Or Ice Cream
Or
Raspberry Roulade with Ice Cream
Or
from the Sweet Menu
Christmas Menu 4 Course
£13.50
with Mince Pies + Coffee + Mints
and of course Christmas Crackers.

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Carnival AGM & Election of new Officers for 2000

The AGM was held on 28/09/99 in the plush Village Hall. All new Officers were nominated for Year 2000:
Chairman: Brian Mitchell
Vice Chairman: lain Cameron
Treasurer: Kevin Coleman
Secretary: Anita Cornelius
All members present were nominated as the Committee for 2000.

IF YOU HAVE ANY IDEAS OR WOULD LIKE TO HELP THE CARNIVAL COMMITTEE - DO NOT HESITATE TO CONTACT ONE OF THE OFFICERS! WE PLAN TO EMBRACE THE YEAR 2000 WITH INNOVATIVE CHANGES - WATCH THIS SPACE!!

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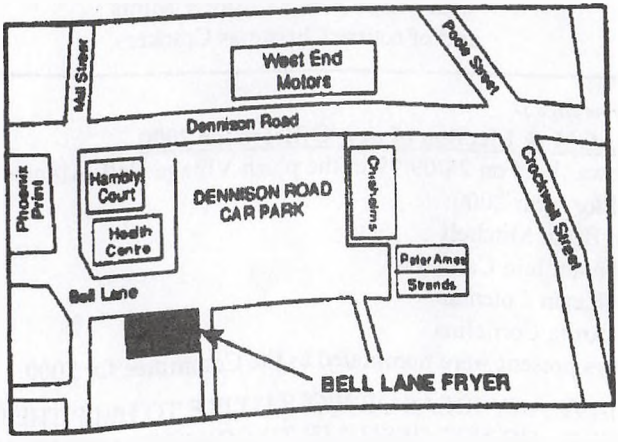

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St. Breward WI October meeting.

Mrs. Jo Newman was present at the October meeting to show us the photos that she had taken at the Osteoporosis classes and to discuss the results so far from the exercises advised. The Macmillan Coffee morning held at Mrs. Pat Dibb's house raised £125, an excellent result from a fairly small attendance and a lovely friendly, social time. The Four corner day at the Memorial Hall proved another success, with the four tutors kept quite busy with their individual groups; once again this was organised by Mrs. Dibb - thanks to her and the helpers on the actual day.

The next immediate outing will be to the St. Petroc's Group Meeting at Mount on October 21st by the community bus bearing our competition entries, then much later on there will be the Christmas Cream Tea at Lanhydrock on December 15th when all sorts of Christmas presents can be purchased in the National Trust shop. We should all benefit from the Flower Arranging afternoon on November 30th under the expert tuition of Mrs. Hilary Cragg, whose arrangements are always sought whenever we hold open meetings.

Now is the time to order the Home and Country Magazine (£11.88 p.a.) which is the "glossy" magazine covering events and institutes all over the country. More recipes could still be given to Mrs. Powell for inclusion in the Rose Cottage recipe book, but time is running out now. No more cake ones are required but savoury ones are needed — we don't all live on cakes!

Mrs. Yvonne Toms from Polperro gave us a most interesting insight about the life of a housemaid in Buckingham Palace right from the first letter asking her to come for an interview, through the pitfalls of having the King George VI's sheets on Prince Charles' bed made up absolutely without a crease to accosting him with a "good morning" instead of a curtsey and "your royal highness"! Four excellent meals were available for under 60p total daily in 1971, your own room with heating etc but the protocol even among the servants was very strict.

The winner of the flower competition for blue flowers was Mrs. M. Wilton, and Mrs. P. Bousfield had the best royal souvenir. Next Month Mr. Tiggy Old will talk about Willow Craft, and a Willow Pattern item and a flower of the month are the set competitions.

Anne Holmes

St Breward AFC & Social Club

On Oct 23rd the first eleven played Helston Ath. in the first round of the senior cup. The result being St Breward 0: Helston 4. The second team played in the first round of the junior cup on Oct 2nd and had a great victory over higher division Tywardreath. The next round of the Junior Cup is on November 6th when they play Premier Division side Kelly Bray. Kick off is at 2pm with extra time if necessary. All league matches from November onwards kick off at **2.30pm.**

Fixtures for November

1st Team

6th
13th
20th Fixture to follow
27th Bude Home

Dec
4th Millbrook Away

2nd Team

Kelly Bray J/C KO 2pm
Tintagel Res. Home
Tintagel Res Away
Lanlivet Away

On October 6th the Wadebridge Gateway Club visited Brake Parc for a pool and skittles evening and on October 7th Bodmin Gateway came for a social evening. On both occasions refreshments were provided by the football club and both evenings were very enjoyable.

On October 7th, a presentation of a carriage clock was made by the chairman Chris Greenaway to Mrs Caroline Wills who has give up the cleaning of the club after 6 years service.

Don't forget the Quiz night (teams of 4; £4 per team) on November 19th when a superb, locally made, granite chess board will be auctioned for the Carnival fund. The Chess board will be on display in the village shop until quiz night.

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