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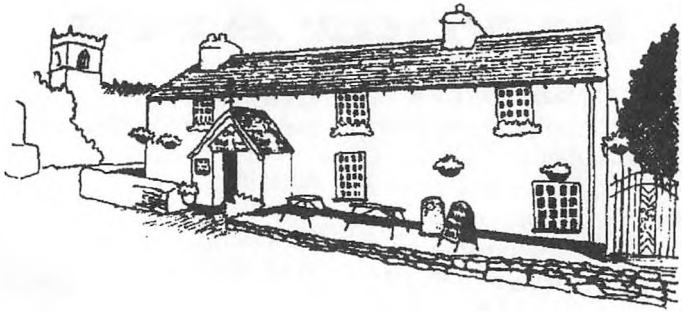

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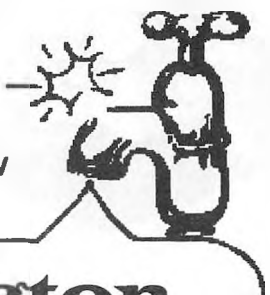

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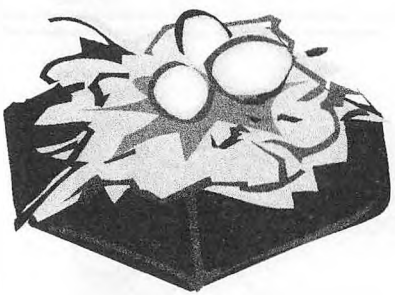
Picking roses in the winter was the beautiful phrase used by the Revd. Matthew Godfrey referring to the good memories we had of dear Ron Clark, as we said our farewells to him at his funeral. Our love and kind thoughts go to his family. VJ

Temple Harvest Festival

We were invited by our daughter, Joy, to the harvest festival at Temple Church. It was so enjoyable with the display of natural produce. David, Eva and Ruben had made cut-out animals trotting along on bales of hay. The scarecrow farmers herding them to market were fun – made by the children earlier in the day, well done Flossie, Brooke, Megan, Eva, Ruben and Mary (from Abbey Farm). The six children present brought seasonal gifts to the altar and read us poems with actions. Mary Hemming had done some beautiful floral displays.

Rev. Sherry Bryan led the service in true Temple style with her guitar as Derek has done in the past. She gave a most appropriate address.

This delightful church is a pleasure to visit in such a beautiful setting – long may it continue.



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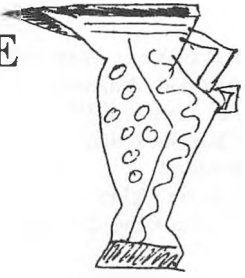

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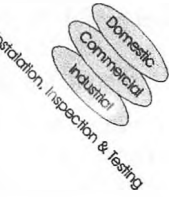

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Dear Everyone,

We're preparing lists for shopping, gifts and cards, wrapping paper, labels, and when is the last posting day for second class mail? What about the overseas friends, we need to have posted their presents and cards to ensure that they're not disappointed on Christmas morning. Then there's the holly, and flowers for someone who has been especially kind, also the carefully chosen sweets for the elderly dear ones who need to be remembered with something that they will find delightful. Every year we vow to start earlier so that the hustle and bustle can be spaced and completed before it's time to go and sing lustily in the open air, "Hark the herald angels sing," do they?

When we are weary, footsore from tramping round the shops searching for inspiration for the awkward ones who seem to have everything, then let's stop, put aside the unlovely materialism and rediscover the real Christmas, no matter if the decorations aren't perfectly arranged, or the string and ribbon doesn't match the wrapping paper, be still and worship just where you are, express some gratitude this Christmas, you see Christmas 2004 is for you, it isn't just for the children, it's for all of us, all of humankind. The Father, God the Father, loved us so much, more than we can ever measure or understand properly, that he sent his only dearly loved son to this world of ours where he shared our hurts, our pain, our misery, he took it all on his shoulders, allowed himself to be cruelly put to death so that you and I, Joe Bloggs and everyone could have a real loving relationship with his Father. Believing this makes all the difference; brings us peace of mind and a lasting joy deeper than the happiness gained from a well chosen gift. Come and join in the lusty singing, mean it when you sing, "Emmanuel, God with us," he really is with us. Then give a present to him, the only worth while one give him the present of yourself, your love, your willingness to have a piece of the action in your life in 2005, it will be the best year yet.

A joyous Christmas to you, Val Jones

Please pray for and encourage our new Confirmees, Beatrice Tucker and Josh Dingle, confirmed in Truro Cathedral on 13th November at a moving service shared with a couple from Ladock. We lunched in the cathedral restaurant then went round the shops and market.

CHURCH SERVICES FOR DECEMBER 2004

Date	Temple	Blisland	Helland	St Breward	Sunday Club
5th Dec		9.30 am Holy Communion **Rev David Reed**	NO SERVICE	11.10 am Holy Communion **Rev David Reed**	No Sunday Club 4:45pm minibus for Luxulyan, Youth Service
12th Dec	6.30 pm Carol Service **Rev Sherry Bryan (Rural Dean)**	9.30 am Holy Communion **Rev Conrad Sargisson**	9.30 am United Service (AT CHAPEL) **Mrs G Grundon**	11.10 am Holy Communion **Rev Conrad Sargisson**	Village Hall then Church
19th Dec		9.30 am Matins **Val Jones (Reader)**	9.30 am Holy Communion (BCP) **Rev Conrad Sargisson**	11.10 am Holy Communion **Rev Conrad Sargisson**	Church for Christingle Service
Christmas Eve		11.30 pm Midnight Mass **Rev Conrad Sargisson**	3.00 pm Blessing of the Crib **Val & Jenny**	8.30 pm Christmas Eve Holy Communion **Rev Conrad Sargisson**	
Christmas Day	12.00 noon Holy Communion **Rev Clive Cohen (Archdeacon)**	10.00 am Holy Communion **Bodmin Team**	10.00am United Service (AT CHAPEL) **Val Jones (Reader)**	NO SERVICE	
26th Dec		9.30 am Holy Communion **TBA**	NO SERVICE	NO SERVICE	

Chapel's Page

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Dear Friends,

A holiday memory which abides with me long after the event was a day cruise to the Greek island of Santorini. I guess it could well be described, as have other places, as the jewel in the crown - truly beautiful. On our way home we were blessed to be able to watch the sun setting into the sea in a blaze of colour you had to see to believe. Having watched the very last sliver of sun disappear into the sea I happened to look up and there, just a few degrees higher was the tiniest silver crescent of a new moon. Of course, it had been there for some time but we hadn't been able to see it until the blazing sun had disappeared beneath the horizon.

All this was brought to mind this morning as I was browsing through a book of ideas for Advent and Christmas worship. I read "No matter how bad the world may seem, God's signs of hope are always present..."

Unfortunately, it is when we most need to see God's signs of hope in our lives that they are so often eclipsed by the brightness of the world's distractions. He is always there, but we sometimes can't see him through the clutter.

This is often true at Christmas time when the real meaning of is lost amongst the bright lights, the festive decorations, the rich food and the ever open bottle of... whatever.

Yet this is a time of hope, representing as it does the beginning of Christ's life amongst us, the beginning of his work of salvation. How sad then that too many people are distracted by the brighter lights of the world and miss the signs of hope and real peace which Christ offers us.

The moon is always with us albeit on the other side of the globe or only thinly visible. Christ, too, is always with us but sometimes, like at Christmas time, his light is eclipsed and we miss the particularly beautiful crescent of hope which he offers.

I pray you won't be distracted by the bright festive lights this year but will be renewed again by the vision of hope to be seen in the real Christmas story.
God bless you all, Stella.

Blisland Methodist Church Services for December

Sun 12th	2.30pm	Preacher Rev S Long (Carol Service)
Sun 26th	CANCELLED	

Helland Chapel December Diary

Dec 5th	11.00am	Readers service
Dec 12th	9.30am	Mrs D Grundon
Dec 19th	6.30pm	United Carol Service to be led by Rev Stephen Williams
Dec 25th	10.00am	Mrs Val Jones

St Breward Methodist Church December Diary

Sun 5th	9.30am	Rev S Long
Sun 12th	9.30am	Rev A Sowden
Sun 19th	9.30am	Mr H Huntley
Sun 26th	9.30am	Church Fellowship

Christmas Day Service 9.30am Rev S Long

Carols by Candlelight Wednesday Dec 8th 7.00pm Everyone welcome.

St Breward Christmas Lights

The St Breward Christmas Lights and Christmas Tree at Row, will be switched on just prior to the Carols by Candlelight Service at 6.30pm on Wednesday 8th.

Doreen would like to thank everyone who helped raise £452 at the recent Coffee Morning; Liam & Bash for cutting, transporting and erecting the tree and stringing the lights across the road; Brian Garrett for the use of his garden for the tree and for spending all day Sunday erecting the lights and "doing the lectrics"; also Anthony Vanderplank & Joe Kay who also helped but seemed to spend a lot of time reminiscing about De Lank quarry. A special thank you to ??? who volunteered her husband Andy with his cherrypicker - a much safer way to erect the lights.

If you are going out to look at the Christmas lights in st Breward, besides Penvorder Lane and Shallowbridge, a trip up Chyryn Drive is very worthwhile - tis more lit up than Piccadilly Circus.

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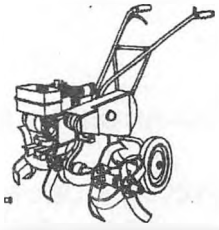

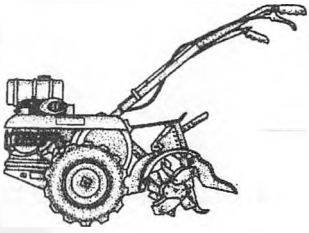

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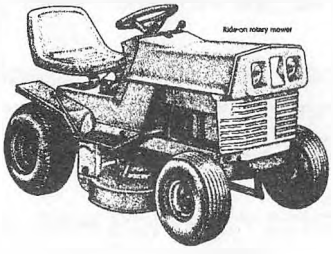

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Blisland - Dates for your diary

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CHRISTMAS PARTY:
On the 18th Dec there will be a Christmas Party in the Village Hall. The fun will begin at 7pm. Please bring a plate of food as entrance is free!!! I am sure there will be liquid refreshment to be purchased on the night. There will be fun, games and music! Come along and get into the Christmas spirit!!!

CAROL SINGING:
Christmas would certainly not be the same without our annual Carol Singing. This is always well supported by talented Carollers - and we receive a warm and slightly alcoholic welcome wherever we sing!!! The dates this year will be the 19th and 20th Dec, starting at the Village Hall at 6pm.

A happy Christmas to you all!!

Martin & Carolyn Wilson

Blisland Gardening Club.

We held our AGM at the last meeting and all the committee members remain the same for yet another year. The Secretary recounted the year's events to date and proposed that the members of the gardening club could start to feed some ideas for future Garden visits and speakers. We will have a new Suggestions Box that will be available at our monthly meetings. The Treasurer also gave a report of the Accounts and it is good to see that we are in a comfortable financial position. This is only due to the fact that we have had a healthy membership to date and that you are very generous when it comes to raffle prizes and plants for our Plant Stall. Our annual Plant Sale also swells the funds quite considerably. So a big thanks you to you all.

After our AGM we had a most entertaining and illuminating evening with our own homegrown panel of speakers who most ably answered all the questions fired at them from every corner of the hall!!! It was an insight into the expertise of Henry Kendall and Jean Smith. Many thanks to them both.
Some lovely refreshments enhanced the evening too. We had wine and nibbles to start the evening with a swing, finishing as usual with tea and coffee and a good deal of chat!

Our next event to look forward to will be David Pearce on November 26th talking about Vegetables.

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Band News

Demolishing a dry stone wall, tripping over tent guy ropes and colliding with a static caravan proved to be part of the tortuous fun in the *blindfold egg and spoon race* held at St Breward Silver Band's weekend of fun at Harlyn Sands Holiday Park, Padstow. The three legged race across the parks camping area also had its spills and thrills resulting in a red card for Clair Teague and Linnaire Peters for deliberately falling in front of fellow contenders, resulting in a mighty pile up of mangled bodies, not a pretty sight for the faint hearted. Swimming in the heated indoor pools, together with an excellent carvery meal, disco and cabaret in the club house all added up to a enjoyable fun weekend. A great way to wind down from a hectic summer season of concerts, carnivals, and competition work.

But as I write this editorial, the band have been hard at it again recording a new CD to be released early part of next year, this follows the success and virtual sell out of the bands popular and most enjoyable CD Breezin. The new CD demonstrates the continuing improvement and quality of playing under the direction of its musical director Aaron Harvey.

On a more formal note and on behalf of the chairlady and band secretary I have to announce that the band's Annual General Meeting will take place in the band room on Monday December 13th at 7-30pm: reports on the year 2004 together with the election of serving officers for the year 2005 being on the agenda.

Don't forget the bands last concert of 2004, *Music For Christmas*, to be held in the Chapel St Breward on Sunday 19th December at 7-00pm (please refer to the advertisement in this magazine). Last years concert proved to be a sell out, so come early for the best seat. Don't forget to bring along your Christmas Hat you could win a prize from Father Christmas, and who knows what festive songs those Girl Guides and Brownies have in store for this years show.

Finally the players and supporters of the band would like to take this opportunity in wishing you all a wonderful festive holiday, and hope you enjoy good health and fortune for the year ahead.

Brian Hummerstone, Publicity Officer.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

On behalf of the St Breward West Country Community Responders, may I take this opportunity thank you all in St Breward for your help and support during this, our first year.

We wish you all a very happy Christmas and a healthy and prosperous New Year.

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Both stops are now fortnightly visits, Stopping on 15th and 29th of December.

Wishing a happy Christmas & prosperous New Year to all our readers

GROUP TRAVEL EXCURSIONS

Fri 3 Dec	Tavistock Dickensian Evening and late Night Shopping	£5
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Sat 16 Jan	Cinderella - Theatre Royal, Plymouth	£21

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Blisland Parish Council (November Meeting)

The Parish Council met on Thursday 11th November. Eight Councillors were in attendance, plus six members of the Public. There had also been an extraordinary meeting on Monday 25th October also attended by eight Councillors, with no members of the Public present.

The extraordinary meeting held in late October considered final amendments to the Council's Risk Management Plan, copies of which were circulated to Councillors at issue 1 prior to the November meeting.

The November meeting was the first with our New Clerk Sandra Harris in attendance. PC Rice offered a written report to the Council, which advised 2 recent thefts of motorcycles from sheds in the village, so far not recovered. No significant issues were raised during the Public session. There were two planning decisions, Jolybrook Farm, new access, approved, and Darcroft Garage, new bungalow, rejected. Five planning applications were considered by Council. Merrymeeting Farm application for a barn conversion would only be supported if the design is brought in line with planning guidelines; Pope House, enlargement of a Garage, was unanimously supported; 3 Church Close, Pergola to be attached to a garage, was unanimously supported; Tremarvid, Cassacawn Road, fitting of dormer windows and second floor, would be supported provided that the window design was brought into proportion with the rest of the building & compliant to the guidelines; High Clere, Tregenna Lane redevelopment of the site with 4 four bedroom houses was rejected, of particular concern was access coupled with over development of the site, furthermore Council were concerned that approval of this application would set the precedent to redevelopment of every small parcel of land inside the building line, and thereby ruining the village. New seats & chains have been fitted to the swings on the green, and a safety mat should be fitted before Christmas. Peter Hicks has been contracted to design a scheme to convert the toilets adjacent to the Institute into a single unisex and disabled facility. Council were asked to resolve the memorial to Edgar Rowe in time for its December meeting. The Risk Assessment Action Plan was adopted at issue 1. It was agreed to make a £500 donation to Blisland Church in support of the costs of the Graveyard extension. An extraordinary meeting was set for Thursday 2nd December to consider, amend/extend & adopt Standing Orders. The Budget for 2005/06 was finalised and accepted. The Chairman advised the meeting that he had spoken to the NCDC Electoral Roll Officer who advised that there had been no requests for a by-election, and consequently the vacancy created by the resignation of Charles Edward-Collins should be filled by co-option. Under Parish Matters, concern was raised about surface water on Cassacawn Road, and the state of the Road from the Metherin cattle grid to Manor Common. These will be drawn to the attention of Highways. The meeting closed at 10.30 pm.

Please note that a copy of the approved minutes for the meeting of 7th October can be downloaded from the Parish Council page of www.blisland.com and/or viewed on the Parish Council, PO & Shop, Village Hall & Blisland Inn notice boards.

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CLASS ONE SALE

An excellent turn out again, thank you. There was so much donated that we raised over £200, yet again! It really is a great accolade to this village of ours that we have so much support. There is so much we wouldn't be able to do without you. The raffle prizes were fantastic and Class One will benefit greatly from these funds.

CHRISTMAS PLAY

This year, our annual thespian experience is entitled "Father Christmas and the Elemental Stabiliser". What does that mean, I hear you ask? Well, to find out you will have to come along to one of the performances. The dress rehearsal is to be held at 1.30pm on Monday 13th December in the Chapel. Please bring your little ones along to this performance. The main shows, in the Chapel, are on Tuesday 14th and Wednesday 15th at 6.30pm. (Please keep your youngsters away from these evening performances, as the children have worked so hard on this, it would be a shame not to be able to hear them properly.) Each year, the children get better and better and now that they are so confident, we are able to take them even further with dances and speeches. Mr & Mrs Brewer have excelled themselves, yet again, with the writing and choreography. (Have been asking around but it seems Wayne Sleep isn't related to anyone here! Strange!) Please come and support our children and you will have an AMAZING time, believe me! A small donation in the bucket on your exit would also be appreciated, as this money will go towards the costs of next year's performance.

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They are on their way! During December and January, the Yellow Pages will be delivered to your door. PLEASE let us have your old copies and indeed, your new ones too if you don't need them. Now that BT has issued the new purple 'Book' which has classified listings in it as well, you really don't need your Yellow Pages, do you!? No, of course not, so please hand them in at the shop or at school or let Viv Hill know (851294) and we'll arrange for collection. After Christmas, the children will be coming round in posse's to collect anyway, so please don't throw them away. They mean cash to our school. Hassle your families and work colleagues and let's see if we can exceed last year's total of 546. Of course we can. This is St Breward! We can do anything!!

And finally.....

The children of the village wish all of you a very Merry Christmas and a healthy and hopeful New Year. We thank each and every one of you for your support and generosity over the last twelve months and look forward to a bright New Year.

NORTH CORNWALL FOXHOUNDS

December		2005	
		January	
Wed 1st	Pendogget	Sat 1st	Blisland
Sat 4th	Davidstow	Wed 5th	St Kew
Wed 8th	Lanjew Lawn Meet	Sat 8th	Alex Tor
Sat 11th	Ivey Lawn Meet	Wed 12th	Little Tregolls Lawn Meet
Wed 15th	Maltsters Arms, Chapel Amble	Sat 15th	Penrose Burden Lawn Meet
Sat 18th	Hamatethy Lawn Meet		
Fri 24th	Sladesbridge		
Mon 27th	Camelford		
Wed 29th	Chainbridge		

Social events arranged to date:

Monday 6th Dec Hunt Supper, Withiel
Tuesday 7th Dec The Red Lion St Kew 7pm (Supporters Club)
Thursday 9th Dec Camelford Bingo 7pm (Supporters Club)
Monday 20th Dec Xmas Draw and Skittles, Tintagel Country, Club
Tuesday 4th Jan Blisland Inn 7pm (Supporters Club)

Macmillan Cancer Relief

Isobel and Tony Willcocks wish to thank all those who contributed to their recent Coffee Morning, in aid of the above charity. The sum of £192.00 has been sent to Macmillan Cancer Relief.

That figure included a very generous donation of £40.00 raised at a 'Quiz Night' organised by Gary and Margaret Marshall at The Blisland Inn.

TO ALL BLISLAND RESIDENTS

By now you should have received a copy of the Blisland Parish Plan questionnaire*. Please spend a little of your time completing this, the more of you who do the more accurately our finished Plan will present the view of the Blisland Community. The questionnaires should be completed in time for collection no later than Friday 17th December. After this we will collect together the information provided and analyse it before writing the Plan. There will be a 'Public Airing' of the Plan before it is finalised & printed. You should see your copy by Easter next year.

We are very pleased with the way the process has run to date, so "MAKE OUR DAY" this Christmas, and aim for Blisland having the highest percentage return of any Parish Plan questionnaire in the West Country.

Parish Plan Steering Committee

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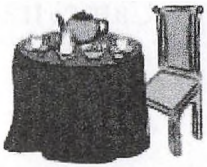

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QUIZ - DEC. '04

Inevitably a Christmas theme - the following are the initials associated with Christmas.

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2. RTRNR
3. TTDOC
4. THATI
5. ITBM
6. WSGSUTC
7. WSWTFBN
8. JB
9. OIRDC
10. FTS
11. SATWS
12. WTKOOA
13. IDOAWC
14. MBC
15. AIWFCIMTFT
16. IHIL
17. AFTROG
18. OCTOCT
19. TAGFHC
20. JTTW
21. LCDAC
22. LJSS
23. LD
24. OLTOB
25. WWYAMC

Well done to all those of you who have puzzled their way through my quizzes. I will try to keep them going in 2005. HAPPY CHRISTMAS to you all.

QUIZ - NOVEMBER '04 ANSWERS

1. Boscastle
2. Lead
3. Bonnet
4. Sennen
5. Lerryn to Looe
6. Igraine
7. Marazion
8. Bosinney
9. TwoWatersFoot
10. Charlestown
11. Heinz
12. Lanivet
13. Aunt Ursula Birdhood
14. 9 days
15. Advent
16. Sancreed
17. 20 metres
18. Humphrey Arundell
19. Launceston
20. Pilchards
21. Earthworm
22. Lostwithiel
23. King Hywel
24. Gingerbread
25. St Enodoc

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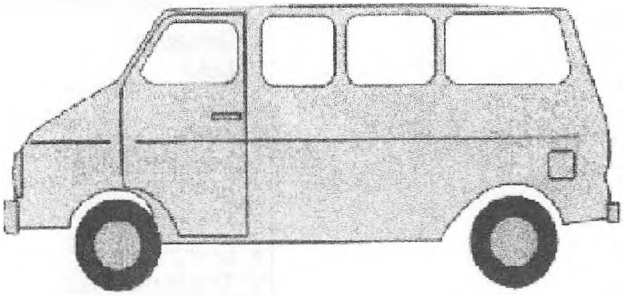

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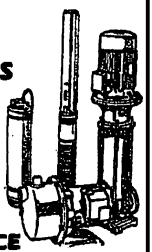

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TRADITIONAL FRUIT CAKE

Ingredients:

1 Cup of Water
1 Cup of Sugar
4 Large Eggs
2 Cups of Dried Fruit
1 tsp Salt
1 tsp Baking Soda
1 Bottle of Whisky
1 Cup of Brown Sugar
8 oz nuts
Juice of 1 Lemon

Method:

Sample the whisky to check for quality. Take a large bowl. Check the whisky again. To be sure it is of the highest quality, pour one level cup and drink. Repeat. Turn on the electric mixer, beat one cup of butter in a large fluffy bowl. Add 1 tsp sugar and beat again. Make sure the whisky is still okay. Cry another tup. Turn off the mixerer. Break two eggs and add to the bowl and chuck in the dried fruit. Mix on the turner. If the fried druit gets stuck in the beaterers pry it loose with a drewscriver. Sample the whisky to check for tonsisticity. Next sift two cups of salt. Or something. Who cares? Check the whisky. Now sift the lemon juice and strain your nuts. Add one table. Spoon. Of sugar or something. Whatever you can find. Grease the oven. Turn the cake to 35°. Don't forget to beat off the turner. Throw the bowl out of the window. Check the whisky and go to bed.

I'm on a Committee

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But though various notions are brought up as motions, there's terribly little gets done.
We resolve and absolve, but we never dissolve, since it's out of the question for us.
What a shattering pity to end our committee – where else could we make such a fuss?

I.B.Harris-Tottle. Blisland.

Christine Woolf's farce "Belas Stage" won the £300 first prize in Cornwall Drama Association's One Act Play writing competition. Entries came from nationwide; the second prize winner living on the Isle

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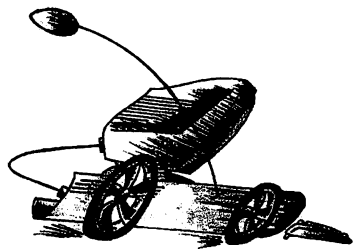

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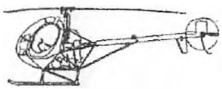

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What a village!!

Back in July the Responder Group decided to enter into the fun of the St Breward Carnival, it was not the best of evenings, with a very heavy downfall at the outset, but we all soldiered on and had a very enjoyable evening, with three of the group shaking buckets towards funds, it was our first "fund-raising" event as a group and we had a lot of laughs, we were all wearing our new West Country uniform, some for the first time, and had a very enjoyable time – one member tried her luck offering heart massage for money.

We then put the event to the back of our minds and started getting on with the business of responding.

In October, I was invited to a social evening by the Carnival Committee. As a relative newcomer to the village, I accepted and went along to the Football Club with husband in tow expecting just to have a drink and leave.

Imagine my surprise, when entering the football club Rev, my husband, and I were greeted with "What's your names, you're playing skittles", some fellow responders were also there representing other village groups, so there was our group – Bev, Rev, Kev, Jan, Mike, George and Jackie – and even if I do say so myself, we had some very keen players. It was a very good evening, and one I found most enjoyable. Then we were invited to help ourselves to some food and that was a truly wonderful spread, there must have been some very busy cooks that afternoon.

So I felt it was a lovely evening, but it did not end there.

A presentation of cheques was then to be made to local groups. All different groups were awarded rising sums, then Anita said the last award was made to a new group in the village, and the award was for £500 to .....St Breward Responders. I can't begin to tell you of my emotions, excitement, gratitude, they go on. But we, as a group cannot thank the carnival committee enough for this large amount which is going to make such a difference, and, of course, to everyone in St Breward who have been giving to these funds over the last months.

We are in the process of purchasing a hand held navigation system in order to locate even the remotest of cottages on the darkest of nights.

But, please remember, if you have to dial 999 for an emergency service, make sure you know your post code or your ordnance survey reference (available from Kevin at Moorgoods) and make sure that you make your property stand out. If you cannot stand outside for the emergency vehicle, leave lots of lights on, the door open, etc etc

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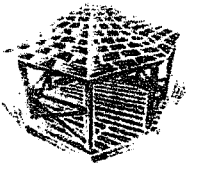

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"When does the band start?" *Reprinted from The Trio September 04*

"When Micky Hunt raises his baton!"

Port Isaac resident Mr WA Hunt, known to all as Micky, has been appointed President of the Cornwall Brass Band Association.

Micky has devoted over 60 years to the brass bands of Cornwall as a player and conductor. He has previously been Chairman of the CBBA and President of the Cornwall Youth Brass Band. In 2001 he was made a Bard of the Cornish Gorsedd in recognition of his work for the county's brass band movement.

On a personal note I would like to thank Micky for all his help in providing music for RNLI functions. Without fail he has always been pleased to be part of the RNLI events. be they ceremonial or fundraising.

One Thursday evening I was asked, "When does the band start?" I replied, "When Micky Hunt raises his baton!"

David Castle President, Port Isaac RNLI

I too remember the great evenings we had dancing the Flora Dance up the street right over to the terrace and back down again, bringing joy and happiness to many visitors and locals.

Which just goes to show, Micky, they can take away the band, but they cannot take away our memories. SM

BST: There was consternation in the Wills family home at Rylands the other week, when Dai announced that he was ready to dish out Sunday lunch. Caroline pointed out that it was only 11.00am – Dai had forgotten to change the clocks to BST. I suppose you could say they had Sunday Brunch, a new culinary event in St Breward.

His workmate Foggy said that he would never make that kind of mistake because he never cooks Sunday dinner!

Here are a couple of jokes from my old friend Arthur Stephens, late of Carbilly and now living in exile in Ivybridge. He has sent a postal subscription for 2005 and says he enjoys reading all the news.

An old lady standing in a bed of cabbages on the garden, talking to her new next door neighbour.
She said, "my husband Bert dropt dead cutting a cabbage here in the garden."

Her neighbour said, "O dear, however did you manage?"

"Well," she said, "I opened up a tin of peas!"

There was an accident on the Bodmin bus last week. A man had his eye on an empty seat and a woman sat on it.

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As we look back at 2004 and remember the highlights or dramatic events here in Cornwall, that disastrous August afternoon in Boscastle and the storms that recently struck Looe and Penzance will remain in our memories

Both these events demonstrated the destructive power of water and the sea and serves as an appropriate introduction to the National Trusts theme for 2005 - as it joins with other organisations nationwide to celebrate Sea Britain. This year long celebration will commemorate the 200th Anniversary of the Battle of Trafalgar and the death of Lord Nelson at that same battle.

This Association will be trying to follow this maritime theme in its talks and excursions for 2005, please watch this space for further details

However our 2005 season starts with our Annual General Meeting on Friday 14th January at Wadebridge Town Hall, commencing at 6.30pm. After our AGM we are very pleased to welcome as our speaker Mark Harold, who is the National Trust Regional Director for Cornwall & Devon. There are very many demands on Mark's time and we are grateful that he is coming to talk about the Trust and its plans for the future.

Do take this opportunity to meet one of the National Trusts senior officers. The talk will begin at 7.00pm

Friday 11th February will see our first meeting with a maritime theme, when we welcome Claire Muckrow, from the RSPB. Regional Office, who will be giving an illustrated talk on "Sea Birds of Cornwall" Again, this meeting is at Wadebridge Town Hall, starting at 7.00pm

You are most welcome to attend any of our meetings, whether a member of the National Trust, this Association, or not. Meetings cost £4. 50 (for Association members) or £5.00 for guests. This includes a buffet supper and a free glass of wine.

For further details, please contact:
Eileen Treby, our Booking Secretary, on 01208850964
Or, Jane Windeler, our Membership Secretary, on 01208863548

I would like to thank the everyone who helped to produce this magazine throughout 2004. The distributors, contributors and advertisers.

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St. Breward WI November 9th Meeting

This was the first afternoon meeting in 2004 winter when we hoped to encourage more members to attend, instead of coming out on a dark and cold evening.

Those present were told about the success of our president, Mrs Christine Woolf, who won first place in the Cornwall Drama Association National One Act Playwriting Competition. This was not a WI only competition but open to everyone so a tremendous success for Christine (many of you will have seen Tresidder's Seeds at various events).

Two of our members have suffered car accidents recently but are recovering.

It is possible that the recently postponed Blisland Group Meeting may take place in June 2005 when we hope that the weather will not disappoint them again.

A letter of thanks for the £105 raised at the Macmillan Coffee Morning was read out by the secretary.

As usual the AGM at the Royal Albert Hall takes place during the Royal Cornwall Show, on June 8th. We have already entered for the RC Show competition "Earth" which should provide plenty of scope for a display.

The National Maritime Museum is offering a free meal to the value of £5 to the over 60's paying the admission charge of £4.30 from November 1st to December 31st. Our finances may prove sufficient to provide a bursary to Denman College for the Cornwall Weekend, more about this in the New Year.

If members have any ideas for speakers or subjects for next year please let Mrs Irene Alexander or Mrs Jennie Teague know by our February meeting.

Our next meeting will be our Christmas Tea in the Memorial Hall at 2pm when members are asked to provide something on a plate and a prize for the competition or raffle costing not more than £2. There will not be the normal competitions but various quizzes. Do come to this enjoyable meeting to meet old friends and make new ones.

Our speaker was Mrs Alice Brown who organizes most of the musical events by the Visual and Performing Arts committee (now to be called "The Combined Arts C'tee). Alice's knowledge of Church music is extensive and accompanied by recorded selections talked about composers in general, and especially Bach and Handel who were born in the same year but pursued different paths.

Please note the date for our Christmas celebrations; hope to see most of our members there. December 14th, 2pm

Anne Holmes

Life can be colourful. Get rid of the blues and you can be in the pink.

St Breward AFC & Social Club

Duchy December Fixtures

4th	Callington	Away 2.30pm KO
11th	Foxhole	Away 2.30PM KO
18th	KO Cup	St Anne's Chapel Please note 2.00pm KO
27th	No Game	

Ladies Fixtures

5th	Newquay	Away
12th	Roche	Away
19th	Stoke Climsland	Home

Watch Noticeboard for Sunday fixtures.

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ST BREWARD AFC & SOCIAL CLUB

Following an AGM on Tuesday, 9th November, an amendment to the rules of the Social Club was made.

With immediate effect, men over the age of 65 years and ladies over the age of 60 years, who have paid and registered in the past and have effectively become Life Members, must still register their names each year when membership is due for renewal on 1st September, even though no further subscriptions are required.

Failure to do this means that the relevant people will not be entitled to the benefits of being a Member, which includes a share of the National Lottery, if the Social Club was to win anything.

We would also remind all adults over the age of 18 years that they will also not be entitled to the benefits if they have not renewed their membership since 1st September and paid their £2 subscription in full.

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