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ST HILARY NEWS

NEWS, VIEWS AND WHAT'S GOING ON IN ST HILARY



WELCOME

The long summer holidays are over and the evenings are starting to draw in. The weather in August was changeable but did not spoil things for those taking part in traditional summer activities such as picnicing and playing on the village green. For some it was the time to try their hand in the ring at the Vale Agricultural Show – here are Fred and Alfie Pitman with a cooperative member of the Chigwell flock and their rossettes!



NSPCC JAZZ EVENING

The NSPCC Committee held a wonderful jazz evening at the Roundhouse courtesy of Carys and Patrick Whelan. After rain on the previous day, the weather was lovely and conditions underfoot good. The evening started with a lively set by musicians from the 6th form at Cowbridge Comprehensive School who were most impressive!





After a super supper prepared by the committee and friends, the jazz continued with Iolo Whelan and his band serenading guests late into the night. A fabulous evening which raised over £1400 for the NSPCC.

KIDS CRAFTING CLUB

A new crafting club is being set up in the village where youngsters will make things using foraged,



recycled and repurposed materials. Aimed at the under 12s, Beth Whelan hopes the club will meet monthly in the village hall. If you are interested and would like to get involved, please

contact Beth at barefootbeth1@gmail.com or 07504 982623.

ST HILARY NEWS - HAVE YOUR SAY

If you have an event coming up or a project you would like to tell the community about, you can send your item to Liz at newsletter@sthilary.org.uk or Glebe Farm, St Hilary, CF71 7DP. The deadline for contributions for the next edition of St Hilary News is Friday October 4th.

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RECENT EVENTS

WHAT'S ON IN THE TELEPHONE BOX

The Globetrotters Gallery will be in the phone box until mid-September when the prize winners will be announced.



The next event will be for the Rugby World Cup and we were thrilled that Wayne Pivac, who is taking over as Welsh rugby team coach after the World Cup, and coincidently lives in St Hilary, dropped by for a photo.



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COMING SOON

HIDDEN HERE - VALE FILM FESTIVAL



The festival has been inspired by the Creative Rural Communities Team who are working in partnership with the Vale of Glamorgan council. The aim of this pilot is to test if there is interest in provision of a film festival that celebrates film and unique venues in rural

communities across the Vale of Glamorgan. This project has received funding through the Vale of Glamorgan Council and the Wales Rural Development Programme 2014-2020 (RDP), which is funded by the

European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development and the Welsh Government.







Taking place between September 26th and October 6th, there will be events across the rural Vale including Coed Hills Rural Artspace, Cowbridge Big Screen, Dres'd at Pickeston and St Donat's Castle. The full programme can viewed at http://www.valefilmfest.co.uk/. The two events advertised below will take place in the village.



ST HILARY WI



The St Hilary WI walking group enjoyed the Glamorgan Summer Walk, a 6 mile walk on the Gower, around Rhossili in July. The group also had a lovely coffee morning together at Jan Perry's home. All

were impressed with her transformation of the garden over a short time. CN



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Including...

- Painting and Prints
- Equestrian items
- Promises
- and much, much more!



HARVEST SUPPER OCTOBER 11TH

The St Hilary Harvest
Supper will take place on
Friday October 11th. The
meal in the village hall
will be preceded by
Evensong in the church
at 7pm. Tickets can be
purchased from Mary
Llewelyn on 01446
773421 or Gill Harris
(Sorrento) on 07714 961182.



ST HILARY VILLAGE HALL AVAILABLE

The hall is an ideal venue for hobby groups, exercise activities, children's birthday parties, community events and meetings for up to 60 people. Reasonable rates and discounts for regular users: www.sthilary.org.uk/hall-church/booking-the-village-hall or bookhall@sthilary.org.uk for more details.

PRODUCE MARKET OCTOBER 13TH





Sunday 13 October 2019 12noon - 3pm St Hilary Village Hall

Savoury pies, chutney, piccalilli, jams, fruit pies, crumbles and cake for sale - all containing locally foraged ingredients. For example:

Apples - local gardens and Porthkerry Park

Carrots - Stable Cottage Rhubarb - the Crescent Blackberries - local hedgerows Watercress - Marcross Plums - Coed Hills Courgettes - Glebe Farm Mirabelle plums - Llanblethian

Tea, coffee and cake and apple pressing

Creative Militia selling- bees wax and soy wraps, place mats, coaster, napkins and seed cards



Surplus will be donated to St Hilary Church Funds

contact: mdennis.wales@gmail.com/07811 159800

CHRISTMAS AT THE BUSH

Liz and Andy are excited to share their 2019 Christmas

Menu with the village. The "Locals' Meal" for villagers, locals and regulars will be held on Thursday December 12th.



WINTER'S EVE 2019



Keep the date free and start practicing – Sunday December 8th – more details to follow.

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WHAT'S ON —SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER

CUT, CLEAN & CLEAR (3CS)

Wednesday September **11**th and October 2nd meet outside the village hall at 10am.

DROP IN COFFEE MORNING



Coffee, cake and a chat – Wednesday September 4th and October 2nd between 11.00am and 12.30pm in the village hall. Please note the later start time!

YOGA@ST HILARY (MONDAY)

Yoga in the village hall Mondays at 6pm. Class starts at 5.45pm on first Monday of the month. Contact Ann Culverwell on ann.culverwell@yahoo.co.uk or 07855 448356 for more information.

LLANFAIR COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Dates and venues for next meetings: Thursday September 5th at 7pm at Llanfair School. Thursday October 3rd at 7pm in Llanfair School.

ST HILARY WI

The next meeting of St Hilary WI, on Tuesday September 10^{th} , is an open meeting to which all are welcome. It is 'All About Cheese' - a talk and tasting of cheeses led by Ms Eurwen Richards, a cheese judge for more than 25 years. Eurwen is recognised as a world authority on cheese. If you would like to come along, please let Ray Evans know (01446 781221), so we can cater for you. The meeting on 8th October, will feature Liz Loch, from St Hilary, talking 'All About Bees'.

If you are interested in joining the St. Hilary WI, or finding out more about our programme, please contact Caroline Neudegg on 07967976076. All meetings in village hall, new members are always welcome.

LLANFAIR PRIMARY SCHOOL

Autumn term will start on Tuesday September 3^{rd} . Half term will be from Monday October 20^{th} to Friday November 1^{st} .

Autumn term will end on Friday December 20th.

Nursery term dates may vary.

ST HII ARY CHURCH

Regular Sunday service at 11am each week. Harvest supper will be on Friday October 11th.

MONDAY WHIST

Next sessions on Monday September 2nd and October 7th at 7.30pm in the village hall.

YOGA (WEDNESDAY)



Contact Rosalind on 07538 544188 or enquiries@rosalindbaxteryoga.co.uk .

VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE

The next village hall committee will take place on Wednesday September 11th at 5.45pm. Please contact Ewa Thomas 01446 771728 or ewathomas@btinternet.com if you would like to raise

<u>ewathomas@btinternet.com</u> if you would like to raise any issues or are interested in helping the committee.

PILATES 4 ALL IN THE VILLAGE HALL



Pilates course on Fridays at 9.45am in the village hall. Contact Fran from Lula Wellness on 07885 838032 or lulawellness@yahoo.com to book a place.

BUSH INN QUIZ

It's back! Sunday September 8^{th} (and September 22^{nd}) at 8pm. £2 per person

Theme on September 8th: Mama Mia, here we go again! Higher or Lower: restarts.

(Except for September, and December, quizzes are on the 2nd and 4th Sundays).