

# THE BATCH

## March 2017

The newsletter for Dunkerton, Tunley & Withyditich

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### Dates for your Diary

Date	Time	Event
5 <sup>th</sup> March	6.00pm	Taize Worship, All Saints Church, Dunkerton
14 <sup>th</sup> March	7.15pm	Dunkerton WI Meeting, TRC
30 <sup>th</sup> March	7.30pm	Parish Council Meeting, TRC
8 <sup>th</sup> April	7.30pm	TAFC Race Night, TRC
20 <sup>th</sup> April	7.30pm	Annual Parish Meeting, DPH
4 <sup>th</sup> May	7.30pm	Annual Parish Council Meeting, TRC

### Advance Notice

17 <sup>th</sup> June	2.00pm	Dunkerton Fair
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### In Tunley

*We are a friendly, family owned Inn offering hearty home cooked food and accommodation. Whether you are local to us or travelling from further afield, you are guaranteed a warm welcome.*

**Tel: 01761470408**



You are warmly invited to  
**Service of Taizé & Iona**  
 songs, silence & readings  
 All Saints' Church, Dunkerton,  
 Sunday 5 March at 6pm  
 Singing led by Jane Harris



Come and sing simple and beautiful chants & songs from the Taizé and Iona communities & savour the peace and stillness of our church.

Please arrive for 6pm, when Jane will teach the songs by ear - no experience necessary.

The service will then follow, ending at about 7pm.  
 All welcome.

For further info call Jane 07894 205255  
[jane@songways.co.uk](mailto:jane@songways.co.uk)

### DUNKERTON FAIR - CALL TO STALL HOLDERS



### Save the Date - SAT. 17th JUNE

Many of you helped to make the 2015 Dunkerton Fair a great success. Thank you.

The fair is now back on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> June and your help and assistance will be gratefully received. If you ran a stall at the last fair, or have a new idea, and would like to help again, then please contact **Alison Gibbs** to confirm and register your interest.

If you would like to help in any other way please feel free to contact Alison.

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## DUNKERTON AND TUNLEY PARISH COUNCIL

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**NEXT MEETING MARCH 30<sup>th</sup> ... .....7.30 PM**  
**TUNLEY RECREATION CENTRE**

## 2017 ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

7.30 pm Thursday 20 April  
Dunkerton Parish Hall

A warm welcome awaits everyone living in the Parish of Dunkerton & Tunley  
Please come along and hear about the idea of the parish having installed Public Defibrillators in Dunkerton and Tunley (subject to finance) and also exchange your views and opinions about your Parish in general.

Its facilities, services, roads, play areas - any issue at all.

This is your opportunity to ask questions of, and put forward ideas to your Parish Council in an informal setting. Your views and comments will be most welcome.

### Commencing with

**Local resident Dr Tom While talking briefly about how Public Defibrillators could be a life saver**

Entrance & refreshments are free

This is not a Parish Council Meeting. The Parish Council is legally obliged to hold an Annual Parish Meeting open to all Parishioners, chaired by the Parish Council Chairman. On the night copies of the Chairman's report on Council activities throughout the previous year and the Council Clerk's annual financial review will be available. Both the chairman and clerk will be available to answer questions on their reports.

All of the issues raised by Parishioners in this open meeting will then be considered for further action at the Parish Council's formal Annual Meeting which is at 7.30 pm Thursday 4 May Tunley Recreation Centre. Parishioners are, as usual, very welcome to attend this meeting as well. Dr Tom While will also be present at this meeting to talk about the vital role public defibrillators can make to saving someone's life.

Kathryn Manchee - Clerk & Responsible Financial Officer to the Council.



### **Croquet – the sport everyone can play**

If you are looking for a new outdoor sport interest; where you can be as competitive as you like, with light exercise, at a Club that has some of the best facilities in the area and a strong social side – look no further than the Beginners' course at Camerton and Peasedown Croquet Club

Croquet can be played socially and competitively - a game where you use a long-handled mallet to hit a ball through a series of hoops. Men and women play on equal terms. It is a game of skill and tactics and age is no barrier.

Camerton and Peasedown Croquet Club will be holding their Beginners' course on Sunday afternoons (from 2.00 to 4.30 pm) from 2<sup>nd</sup> April to 7<sup>th</sup> May (excluding Easter). All equipment will be provided – all you need is a pair of flat-soled shoes.

The Club's experienced and accredited coaches will take you through all the different skills and tactics you'll need to play this increasingly popular game. The course costs a mere £25; that is £2 per hour, less than the cost of a coffee.

You'll be introduced to this fascinating game. At the start of the first day you may be a bit hesitant about hitting the ball - but by the end, you'll be clearing the opposition and scoring hoops as if it was second nature. "Beginners give our better players a shock," noted one of the Coaches.

Our Club has established itself as part of the Community. It offers superb facilities - with 4 lawns, a Club pavilion and beautiful views across the Somerset countryside – not forgetting FREE equipment, FREE additional coaching and a wide range of inclusive social events.

For more information or to book your place, please contact Brian Wilson on 01225 708540 or Mo Boys, on 07929733640,

#or visit our website at

[www.camertonpeasedowncroquet.co.uk](http://www.camertonpeasedowncroquet.co.uk)



### **LOCAL CRIME REPORT UPDATE Feb 2107**

#### **Computer Scam.**

Watch members be aware that members of the public are being called by persons unknown claiming that their computers have been compromised. The caller is calling from the following number 01412592056, this is a scam please hang up if called. It is also likely that the caller will change their number so you should be alert to any call about your computer; it is likely to be a scam.

You were sent this message because you are in the following group(s): Dunkerton - The Hollow (Dunkerton, BA28BG).

#### **Nottingham Knockers**

Please be aware there have been reports of "Nottingham Knockers" in the area. These are groups of people who call at the door, often claiming to be ex-offenders "trying to go straight", selling overpriced, poor quality cleaning products. They can be very persuasive and often intimidating in getting people to hand over money, and will target elderly or vulnerable people. The Police recommend that residents are wary when answering the door to people they don't know. Always engage a door chain before opening the door, and ensure that any other entrance to your home is secure before you do so. Pedlars are supposed to show a Pedlars Certificate that has been issued by the Police, but please don't always assume that what they show is genuine.

We are continuing to ask people for information on any other types of rogue traders, especially those that put leaflets through the door offering gardening or repair services, tarmacking or driveway repairs. Please send these leaflets to your Neighbourhood Watch Administrator at Concorde House. Any other information you can provide would also be helpful, such as the date and time it was delivered, a description of the callers and details of any vehicle used. If someone in your area is actually using such a service, please let us know immediately so we can check they are a genuine tradesperson. If you have any information regarding an incident, please contact the Police on 101.

Please be aware that in the early hours of 28th January unknown offenders have forced entry to Peasedown Cricket club. Once inside fruit machines have been damaged cash has been stolen and a cash register taken.

Please contact us if you have any info about this incident quoting ref:5217020276

**If you have any information regarding this or any incident, please contact the Police on 101.**

**Alternatively, you can call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555111**



# DUNKERTON PARISH HALL

## The King William, Tunley

The King William Inn, Tunley, Bath BA2 0EB  
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W: [www.kingwilliaminn.co.uk](http://www.kingwilliaminn.co.uk)



### Bookings Secretary:

Please make enquiries about bookings to:  
Email: [Richardhopkins1@talktalk.net](mailto:Richardhopkins1@talktalk.net)  
Or Contact tel no: 07775 870051

Also tables and chairs for hire – very useful if you are planning a barbeque or other event.

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The Batch is**

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2017**

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## Dunkerton Parish Hall Regular Events

Tuesday 7.00 – 9.00 p.m. D.O.G.  
(Dog Obedience Group)  
Ruth/Nick Barrett 01761 432246

### YOGA CLASSES

#### Monday :

7pm – 8.30pm teens welcome only £3 for teens

#### Wednesday :

9.45am - 11.15am

7pm - 8.30pm Pregnancy class

#### Thursday:

6.30pm - 8.30pm

#### Sunday:

Once a month 10am - 11am Family Class

For more information please call Charlotta  
at Universal Yoga on 01761470658 or  
Email [info@universalyoga.co.uk](mailto:info@universalyoga.co.uk)  
Visit the website at [www.universalyoga.co.uk](http://www.universalyoga.co.uk)



## EXERCISE CLASSES

Thursday mornings:- 9.15-10.30am

**Medau Movement Exercise Class** - enjoy your body moving with whole body rhythmic movement that stretches, mobilises, strengthen, tones and improves coordination and wellbeing all to fun music - all ages and abilities.

Friday mornings:- 9.15-10.30am

**Beginners Pilates Class** - mat work that strengthens tones, stretches and mobilises, improves core strength and stability, benefits posture and breathing and all round well-being.

For more information, please call:

Alison Gibbs on 01761 439917

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## All Saints' Church

The Parish Church of Dunkerton & Tunley

**Rector:** Revd Gordon Ripley

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## From the Rectory

*'Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden'*

The Book of Psalms – 'The Book of Praises' - form the deepest part of our worship. The words of the Psalms form our deepest and richest text. The Psalms articulate our deepest needs and longings – but maybe not?

The Psalms are a bit like Marmite – you either love them – I do! - or can't stand them. Some find them too deep, too dark and too forbidding – and can't stand them!

What is not in doubt is that for 2000 years they have formed the critical foundation stone of our worship.

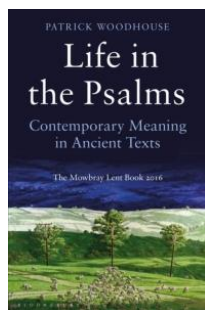
They can be wonderful and they can be difficult ... but they tell the story of a people from the inside, they are an expression of faith which encapsulates the relationship between God and his people.

The Psalms took the centre stage in worship in the three great annual Hebrew Festival celebrations - Passover (Pesach) which was linked to the barley harvest in spring, Festival of Weeks (Shavout), which took place seven weeks later in summer and was linked to the wheat harvest and the Festival of Tabernacles (Sukkot) which took place when 'all safely gathered in' in the autumn.

The Psalms express a huge emotional range. There are Psalms of Praise and thanksgiving, of Hope and Trust, of delight in the Law, of Wonder at God, of Despair, depression, guilt, and even hatred and rage. Every emotion is revealed, nothing is hidden.

There are Communal songs of praise glorifying God, Communal songs of Lament asking God to intervene, Royal Psalms which were sung before a battle or on a Royal occasion. Those retelling the sacred history of Israel, Individual Psalms of lament ... and of thanks ... and trust, Pilgrimage Psalms and songs which focus on the pilgrimage journey to Jerusalem.

Patrick Woodhouse, formerly Precentor at Wells Cathedral and a still a priest in this Diocese, has produced a book *'Life in the Psalms: Contemporary Meaning in Ancient Texts'* ISBN: 9781472923141 Published by Bloomsbury Continuum at £12.99.



This book provides an excellent study for the season of Lent as he groups them into six weekly themes of discipline – Pilgrimage, Prayer, Wonder, The Way, Hope and Suffering.

I commend it to you for your Lenten study for 2017.

Your friend, in Christ

**Gordon**



'Thy Kingdom Come' began as a call from the Archbishop of Canterbury for prayer that people might come to know Jesus Christ. In 2016 the response was both humbling and overwhelming. Hundreds of thousands of people joined in from churches of many denominations and different traditions all around the UK and also across the world. Prayer events happened in cathedrals and chapels, in homes and schools, in halls and

on the streets, as people came together to pray.

This year even more people are already involved and Thy Kingdom Come is being supported by the denominational leaders of Churches Together and by many from across the worldwide Anglican Communion. As Archbishop Justin has said: 'This is not a C of E thing, it's not an Anglican thing, it's a Christian thing!'

The hope is to see at least 80 per cent of Church of England churches and cathedrals taking part and the Archbishop has said: 'It's not complicated – we're simply asking people to pray in whatever way they want and with whoever they want for others to come to know Jesus Christ'.

#### **The aims are:**

For people to pray with God's world-wide family from 25 May to 4 June - individually, as a family or as part of a church

For prayer events to be held across churches in the UK and the world

For people to be transformed through prayer by the Holy Spirit, finding new confidence to be witnesses for Jesus Christ

The wave of prayer, nationally, will start in May and run for 10 days between the festivals of Ascension and Pentecost.

The PCC have decided that our contribution in Dunkerton will be, as it is in the School holidays, to hold a special Café and Craft Service in the Village Hall on the morning of Friday June 2<sup>nd</sup> at 9.30 am. Everyone, of course, invited to join us at this service. There will be more details closer to the time but please put the date in you Diaries.

**Gordon**

## BENEFICE SERVICES

Mar 5 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Holy Communion	Camerton
	6.00pm	Taize Worship	Dunkerton
Mar 12 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Holy Communion	Dunkerton
	11.15am	Family Service	Camerton
Mar 19 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Holy Communion	Camerton
	11.15am	Family Service	Dunkerton
Mar 26 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am	Holy Communion	Camerton
	9.30am	Holy Communion On	Dunkerton
		Mothering Sunday	
	6.00pm	Evening Prayer for	Camerton
April 5 <sup>th</sup>		Mothering Sunday	
	9.30am	Holy Communion inc.	Camerton
		Holy Baptism	
	6.00pm	Evensong	Dunkerton



## WI Report

Dunkerton W.I. met on the evening of 14th February at Tunley Recreation Centre.

There were apologies from several members, but we welcomed a prospective member. Jean. Due to the popularity of War Horse Puppeteers only two tickets were allocated, which meant eight people were disappointed. Maggie had made prettily decorated green felt badges for the "Feel the Love" climate awareness day. Proceeds of the sale of badges will be donated to Cam Valley Wildlife Group. Jan emphasised the need to know how many members will be attending the Group meeting on 28th March, which Dunkerton are hosting. Viv has kindly offered to sew some napkins and Valerie volunteered to make table decorations. This year Frances is organising a trip to Sudeley Castle on Tuesday 29th June.

Our speaker for the evening was Dr Burroughs from Yeovil. His subject was his experiences in visiting and giving talks to W.I.s up and down the West country. However large or small, rich or struggling a W.I. was, he had amusing, if not tongue in cheek tales to tell.

The meeting ended with tea or coffee and Sue's homemade heart-shaped biscuits. Well it was Valentine's Day!

**The next meeting is Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> March.**

**Speaker is Mike Rowland - Subject "Follow Me".**

Judy Chidlaw (Secretary)

## NEW EDITOR STILL REQUIRED!

### **New Year fancy taking on a new challenge?**

The Batch Management Committee is looking for a new editor. It involves sorting the varied monthly copy that is submitted to our "batchcopy" email account, then putting this info together into the monthly edition ready for our outsourced printing. Training, help and a gradual hand-over will be provided so no-one is thrown into the deep end.

The BMC is a not-for-profit, motivated group and are looking for a like-minded individual keen to promote everything local on a voluntary basis.

Please contact our sub-editor, David, on 01761 438721 to find out more if you are interested.

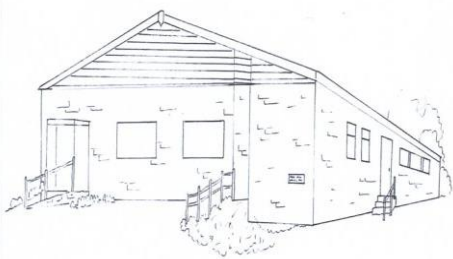


## **Withyditch Chapel Centre**

'The Chapel maintains a regular First Sunday Service each month at 3pm with Tea/Coffee and cake refreshments after.

The Chapel has full heating facility and the Schoolroom with toilet and kitchen facilities are available for functions.

Contact 01761 470507



## TUNLEY VILLAGE RECREATION CENTRE

**CONTACT US:** You can contact our Secretary with any questions or general enquiries [secretary@tunleyrec.org.uk](mailto:secretary@tunleyrec.org.uk).

Anyone wishing to help in any way with the running of our centre's facilities please contact the Secretary at the above email address.

### Regular Events

**Friday evenings are Vacant at present –**

For details, please contact [enquiries@tunleyrec.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@tunleyrec.org.uk) or 01761 479165.

**DOG CLASSES** - Dog Club – Dunkerton Obedience Group meet on Mondays 7.30 – 9.30 p.m. Contact: Secretary Mr Nicholas Barrett, email [barling08@yahoo.com](mailto:barling08@yahoo.com), phone 01761 432246

**DOLLS' HOUSE CLUB** - 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday evening - Info – Mrs S Snook 01225 833637

**TODDLER GROUP** - Wednesday morning - Info – Mrs M Manley 01761 415620

**WOMEN'S INSTITUTE** – meeting on the second Tuesday of each month (except July and August) at 7.15pm - contact Sue Snook 01225 833637 for further information.

**WOOF-ITS** – Dog Training Club – Wednesday evening classes 7-10pm. Positive reinforcement methods used. Contact Lorraine on 07905863791 or email [woof.its24@gmail.com](mailto:woof.its24@gmail.com)

**TRE SESSIONS** - Friday mornings at 11am. Pre booking essential. Contact Deborah Maddison at [dmtreuk@gmail.com](mailto:dmtreuk@gmail.com) or 07498 665385

### NEED A VENUE?

TUNLEY RECREATION CENTRE has a modern facility which is ideal for your Wedding Reception, Parties, Meetings, Classes and Business Meeting requirements.

The accommodation consists of Bar, Kitchen with serving area, Seating at round tables for up to 80 persons.

For Talks and Meetings we can accommodate up to a 120 persons. The facility has disabled persons access and toilet. There is ample on site Car Parking and an outside children's play area.

For all booking enquiries, including hall availability email us [enquiries@tunleyrec.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@tunleyrec.org.uk) or telephone 01761 479165.

## Tunley Athletic Football Club

### Race Night



**Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2017**  
**At Tunley Recreation Centre**  
**Starting at 7.30pm**  
**All welcome to join in the fun**  
 More info from Yvonne Dix – 0788 931 0041

## Tunley Athletic Football Club



### Tunley Athletic Football Club

The Recreation Ground, Tunley, Bath BA2 0EB

### Contacts

Craig Doughty - Chairman 07595 631513  
 Yvonne Dix - Secretary 07889 310041  
 Pete Fear & Bryan Moore - Life Members & Tunley Residents

**First Team** - Somerset County Football League - Division Two (East)

Manager – Duncan Fear 07921 176839

KO times Feb 2.30pm & March & April 3pm

### League Fixtures

18 Feb	Away	Fry Club Res
25 Feb	Home	Chew Magna
04 Mar	Away	Pensford
18 Mar	Home	Pensford
01 Apr	Away	AFC Brislington
08 Apr	Home	Long Ashton

### League Results

28 Jan	Home	AFC Brislington	Lost 2-1
04 Feb	Away	Long Ashton	Lost 4-1
11 Feb	Away	Chew Magna	Lost 2-0

We have only 6 games left to play in the league as listed, hopefully the weather will hold for us not to get cancelled games.

Our now annual 8 a Side tournament is taking place on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July. If you would like to enter a team contact Craig Doughty on 07595 631513.

Please come and support your local village club. If you are interested in joining the club in any capacity please contact anyone of the above for more information.



## Changes to your rubbish collection service from 6 November 2017



### What is changing?

Most households across Bath and North East Somerset will be changing to every other week collection for their rubbish from 6 November. We will be providing a 140 litre wheeled bin for the storage and collection of rubbish. We realise that one size does not fit all, so in a small number of cases where a 140 litre wheeled bin is not suitable for your property, or family situation, we may provide a larger bin or a re-useable rubbish bag to contain rubbish for collection.

Recycling collections, including food waste will **remain weekly** and our emphasis will be on encouraging you to use this weekly service to its full potential.

Over 70% of UK councils including all our neighbours in Bristol, North Somerset, Somerset, Wiltshire and South Gloucestershire, are already running every other week collections for rubbish (in wheeled bins) and weekly recycling collections. They are seeing the benefits including reduced street mess, cost efficiencies and collecting more recycling (instead of rubbish).

Collection days and times may change as we will need to redesign the routes so that they are as efficient as possible.

### Look out for your letter in March

From 9-13 March all households will be sent a personalised letter informing them how the changes will affect them. To reduce postage costs, most letters will be included in the envelope with your Council Tax Bill.

This letter will let you know whether we have allocated your property a wheeled bin or re-useable rubbish bag for rubbish collection, and the frequency of your rubbish collection. The letter is for information and no response is needed. If you are concerned that the container we have allocated is not appropriate for your specific property, or if despite recycling all you can, you feel that your household will not manage with the allocated container you can complete an online query form.

We will write separately to residents who

- live in a registered House of Multiple Occupancy (HMO)
- are currently registered for an Assisted Collection (those who require the help of our crews to carry their rubbish and/or recycling to an agreed collection point). You will be asked to complete a form to update your details to re-apply for an assisted collection if you still need help. For some residents wheeled bins will be much easier to manage.

### Why are we introducing the changes?

#### 1. To keep our streets cleaner

Containing rubbish in a bin or bag will prevent animals and birds ripping open bags and making a mess which is unpleasant for everyone and costs us to clear up.

#### 2. To recycle more

We have a very comprehensive recycling collection where you can already recycle 17 different types of household waste every week. We know that some residents can recycle more than they are currently doing – about 75% of a household's waste can be recycled using the current collections, but we still find that over half of an average rubbish bag consists of items that could have been recycled. Our local research shows that if you recycle all you can you will still have space left in your rubbish bin when collected every other week. The change will help to encourage everyone to use their food recycling collection – only about 50% of households currently use this. About a third of the waste in black sacks currently is food.

#### 3. To save money

Every lorry load of waste costs £1000 to dispose of whilst every lorry load of recycling earns an income of £100, so reducing the amount put out as rubbish is essential.



### Find out more

[www.bathnes.gov.uk/recycle](http://www.bathnes.gov.uk/recycle)

Our website is being updated as details are confirmed and more FAQs added so please check back here [www.bathnes.gov.uk/recycle](http://www.bathnes.gov.uk/recycle) for updates.

- Like our facebook page [www.facebook.com/recycleforbathnes](https://www.facebook.com/recycleforbathnes) to receive updates and tips to recycle more.
- Get ready for the change – you can order extra free recycling containers online [www.bathnes.gov.uk/orderacontainer](http://www.bathnes.gov.uk/orderacontainer)
- View the bins and re-useable rubbish bags and get advice and tips from our Waste Campaigns Team to help you recycle all you can to get ready for the change at our community roadshows [www.bathnes.gov.uk/roadshows](http://www.bathnes.gov.uk/roadshows)
- Book a free talk for your community group - contact [wastecampaigns@bathnes.gov.uk](mailto:wastecampaigns@bathnes.gov.uk) to show you how to make the best use of the recycling service, including practical tips to help your get ready for the change.
- We need residents to star in our social media campaign to encourage others to recycle more. We want your stories, photos, videos and recycling tips to share with others and are keen to hear from individuals and groups – including schools, families, housemates, work groups – how do you do it in your home/school/workplace? Find out more <http://www.bathnes.gov.uk/services/bins-rubbish-and-recycling/recycling-and-rubbish-collections/latest-recycling-updates>

# Tradesmen's Directory

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