# THE BATCH

# February 2016 The newsletter for Dunkerton, Tunley & Withyditch

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Dates for your Diary			
Time	Event		
10.30, 2.30	Manders Orchard: Pruning Sessions		
10.00am	TRC Play Area Working Party		
7.30pm	DPC Meeting, DPH		
7.30pm	Easter Bingo Night, TRC		
7.30pm	DPC Meeting, TRC		
7.30pm	Annual Parish Meeting, TRC		
7.30pm	Annual Parish Council Meeting, DPH		
7.30pm	DPC, Annual Return Approval, TRC		
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2.00 pm	Dunkerton Fair		
TBC	TRC Fun Day and Dog Show		
	Time 10.30, 2.30 10.00am 7.30pm 7.30pm 7.30pm 7.30pm 7.30pm 7.30pm 7.30pm		

#### **TRC**

Advance news!

# TRC EASTER BINGO NIGHT

THURSDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2016

IN THE HALL: EYES DOWN AT 7.30PM

MORE DETAILS IN MARCH ISSUE
OF THE BATCH



#### With thanks to our new sponsors for 2016!



**TRC** 

CHILDREN'S PLAY AREA

WORKING PARTY

14<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY FROM 10am

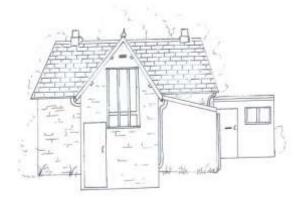
YOUR HELP IS REQUIRED

PLEASE COME ALONG

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# **DUNKERTON**PARISH HALL



Bookings Secretary:
Please make enquiries about bookings to:
<a href="mailto:karenkillpartrick@gmail.com">karenkillpartrick@gmail.com</a>
01761 434541

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

## **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: 7.30pm - 9.0pm Wednesday: 10.00am - 11.30am

7.00pm - 8.30pm

Thursday: 6.00pm - 7.30pm Saturday: 9.30am - 11.00am

For more information please call Charlotta at Universal Yoga on 01761470658 or email <a href="mailto:info@universalyoga.co.uk">info@universalyoga.co.uk</a> or visit the website at <a href="www.universalyoga.co.uk">www.universalyoga.co.uk</a>



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# Are you interested in playing cricket, football or any other sport?

Regrettably, the long established Dunkerton Cricket Club has pulled stumps for the final time as the club members have reluctantly decided that it's time to call it a day and close the club. The Parish Council will work with the remaining club members in seeking to find an alternative solution to closure. The land is registered in the name of the parish council on behalf of the parishioners of the parish and the council would welcome suggestions and ideas from local residents for future use of this community asset - perhaps as a new joint venture with the existing club members. Hopefully all it needs is a little imagination and some new blood and once again cricket will be played on this local pitch.

Are there any budding cricketers in the parish who would like to have a go at re-opening the cricket club, or perhaps footballers who might like to have a crack at starting a new club? The facilities are there and waiting to be used, possibly for an entirely different activity. All suggestions no matter what sport it is will be welcome. Please contact Cllr Robert Gardiner with your ideas, Robert will be pleased to answer any questions you may have. His contact details are 01761 470286 northhillfarm5@gmail.com



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## **Cam Valley Wildlife Group**

www.cvwg.org.uk

Wednesday 3 February 2016 7.30 for 8pm Talk by Nigel Phillips on

## "Wildlife of the Somerset Seas"

Coffee from 7.30pm, talk at 8pm at **SWALLOW (see below)** 

We are delighted to welcome back this excellent speaker who is a Somerset Living Seas Ambassador. Expect stunning photos of a wide variety of wildlife: plants, seaweeds, shellfish, the odd fossil, and of course, birds.

**SWALLOW,** Old Engine House, Old Pit Road, Midsomer Norton, BA3 4BQ. The road is off the A367 Fosse Way, opposite the playground/bowling club: look for the SUN CHEMICAL sign.

Contact Judy on 01761 414034

judy@swallowcharity.org for more information.

£3 for non-members (includes coffee/tea)



# THE MANDERS ORCHARD GROUP

Looking forward to the summer – it's coming!

To encourage a good fruit crop, we need to start taming the apple and pear trees so a gentle pruning day is being arranged for Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> February.

We will have two sessions starting at 10.30 am and 2.30 pm. That leaves Sunday clear if there is more to do and/or the weather is bad.

It would be great to have some helpers! No expertise is necessary - advice and tuition will be available. Just bring some basic bring pruning tools and stepladders if you have them. If you don't have any there will probably be enough to share. Hope to see you there

The MOGgies



# STOP PRESS NEWS from the Parish Council CHANGE OF NAME TO

#### **DUNERTON AND TUNLEY PARISH COUNCIL**

Following discussions at the Annual Parish Meeting and subsequent DPC meetings we have received a formal notification from BANES:

- (1) On 23 July 2015 the Dunkerton Parish Council of the parish of Dunkerton resolved to request the Bath and North East Somerset Council pursuant to the Local Government Act 1972 Section 75 that the name of the above parish should be changed to Dunkerton and Tunley Parish Council.
- (2) The Council resolved on 17 December 2015 to change the name of the parish to Dunkerton and Tunley Parish Council.

NOW therefore the Bath and North East Somerset Council pursuant to the Local Government Act 1972 Section 75 GIVES NOTICE that with effect from 17 December 2015 the name of the parish of Dunkerton is changed to Dunkerton and Tunley Parish Council



## All Saints' Church

The Parish Church of Dunkerton & Tunley Rector: Revd Gordon Ripley 01761 470249 gordon.ripley364@btinternet.com Churchwardens: Matthew Frayne 01761 437754 matthew.frayne@gmail.com Charlotte de Grey 01761 436618 cdegrey@btinternet.com

## A note from Ann Meloy, Reader

A lot of people think that Christmas comes to an end on 6<sup>th</sup> January (Epiphany or, if you prefer, 12<sup>th</sup> night) but not in the church! The Christmas season ends with the Presentation of Christ in the Temple (Candlemas) on 2<sup>nd</sup> February when the Nativity figures will need to be put away for another year. The only thing that needs to be disposed of on 6<sup>th</sup> January is all the greenery, by which time the real trees are losing their needles anyway and any other natural decorations are starting to look a little jaded. Between now and Trinity Sunday always seems the busiest time of the year. We've already had Epiphany and the Baptism of Christ and on the 10<sup>th</sup> February the season of Lent begins, a time of selfexamination and to remember Christ's suffering at the hands of his accusers, which culminates with Good Friday and the cruel ordeal of crucifixion. Then we have the biggest celebration in the Christian calendar, when we remember the joy of that first Easter Day when Jesus Christ rose from the dead.

There is no doubt that it was an amazing life. In the 17<sup>th</sup> century an anonymous author wrote:

"Here is a man who was born in an obscure village, the child of a peasant woman. He worked in a carpenter's shop until he was thirty, and then for three years he was an itinerant preacher. He had no credentials but himself. While still a young man, the tide of popular opinion turned against him. His friends - the twelve men who had learned so much from him, and had promised him their enduring loyalty - ran away, and left him. He went through a mockery of a trial; he was nailed upon a cross between two thieves; when he was dead, he was taken down and laid in a borrowed grave through the pity of a friend.

Yet I am well within the mark when I say that all the armies that ever marched, and all the parliaments that ever sat, and all the kings that ever reigned, put together, have not affected the life of man upon this earth as has this one solitary life."

But would we recognise Jesus if we met him in the street today? How many beggars or "Big Issue" sellers have we ignored? How many people sleeping rough have we



walked past without even noticing them? Jesus was homeless (Luke 57.58). How many times have we ignored Jesus when we have ignored these people?

#### BENEFICE SERVICES

7 Feb	9.30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Camerton
	6.00 p.m.	Evensong	Dunkerton
14 Feb	9.30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Dunkerton
	11.15 a.m.	Family Service	Camerton
21 Feb	9.30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Camerton
	11.15 a.m.	Family Service	Dunkerton
28 Feb	8.00 a.m.	Holy Communion	Camerton
	9.30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Dunkerton
	6.00 p.m.	Evensong	Camerton
6 Mar	11.15 a.m.	Mothering Sunday	Dunkerton
		Family Service	

## **WI Report** from Judy Chidlaw

I hope it is not too late to wish you a happy new year!

The first meeting of 2016 was very well-attended despite a cold windy night. In the absence of treasurer, JanFrances, kindly collected subscriptions outstanding along with money for the Avon News. Sue Snook and Judy will attend the Group meeting in Timsbury on Monday 18th January.

Our guest for the evening was Sue Mathison and Ruffles, a retriever-labrador cross. Her talk, Hearing Dogs for the Deaf. She described what life as a deaf person was like before and after she took Ruffles into her home. The isolation, lack of confidence and the misunderstanding of the general public to the deaf person was very problematic. But once the decision was made, the vetting, the training, the waiting for the right dog, was achieved there was no looking back. Today Ruffles is Sue's ears, able to communicate with her when the door bell, alarm clock rings or her husband calling from the garden. Many things taken for granted by those who can hear. Sue says the best thing is people instantly recognise she is deaf by the presence of Ruffles. Sue gave an inspiring often humorous talk. When Marilyn wrote the vote of thanks on a board for Sue to read out, her sentiments of adopting Ruffles if or when he retires was echoed by many members Visit www. Hearing Dogs For the Deaf for more information.

The next meeting is on the 9th February. Guest is Tony Griffith "Art of the Magician"

## **NEW EDITOR STILL REQUIRED!**

The Batch Management Committee are looking for a creative, responsible person to get involved in local journalism, media and graphic design to take on the Editorial role. It involves sorting the varied monthly copy that is submitted to our "batchcopy" weblink, then putting this info together and compiling the monthly edition ready for our outsourced printing.

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

Need a venue for a function? Why not try the Withyditch Centre?

More details can be seen at www.dunkertonparish.org.uk. This shows pictures of the Centre and the location.

For further information, contact anyone on the web site or listed on the notice board at the Chapel door.

Tony Hearn 01761-470507



# DUNKERTON PARISH COUNCIL

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## Report of Dunkerton Parish Council's Meeting held at Dunkerton Parish Hall 26 November 2015 and other Parish Council News

#### **Parish Council News**

#### **Change of Parish Councillors**

Cllr Taylor ceased to be a parish councillor and vice chair of the council with effect from 26.11.15. Cllr Orme was unanimously elected as the new vice chair.

#### **Complaints about the Council**

B&NES Standards Committee met on 10 December 2015 to respond to four complaints about Dunkerton Parish councillors. Please find below their decision extracted from the draft minutes of their meeting.

"The Standards Committee (the body responsible for dealing with complaints about councillors) carefully considered the complaints listed 1-12 in the report, the Investigating Officer's report, the evidence presented and the statements made at the meeting. It concluded that there was one breach of the Code of Conduct (complaint 3). The Committee concluded that there were no breaches of the Code of Conduct in respect of all the other complaints.

As the Councillor in question was no longer a Councillor, the Committee had no power to issue any sanction."

#### **Change of Name**

Bath and North East Somerset Council has approved the change of name of the parish council to Dunkerton and Tunley parish council. We will start using the new name once B&NES has completed the legal administration related to the name change such as informing the relevant central government departments.

#### **Dunkerton Cricket Club**

Cllr Gardiner reported that Dunkerton cricket club had decided to close. Councillors agreed that every effort must first be made to retain the facilities as a community asset. The parish council will discuss the situation with the remaining club members to see if

there is any possible alternative solution to closure whilst also asking if any local residents are interested in running the club – please see separate article. If this proves unsuccessful the parish council will advertise for an outside club who may be interested in leasing the ground.

#### **Review of Dunkerton Street Lighting**

Residents of Brooklands have requested an upgrade to the street light on Church Lane in front of their homes. Following a discussion about the cost of a new light being over £800 plus the fact that the LED lights are dimmer than the existing light it was agreed that the parish council would pursue the possibility of changing the colour with SSE contracting.

Post meeting note – unfortunately this is not possible without replacing the whole lighting unit.

#### **Finance**

The balance of funds as at 26 November is £11,862.42.

#### **PLANNING**

#### **B&NES Planning Decisions**

#### 15/04453/FUL The Hermitage, Dunkerton, Bath.

Erection of new double garage and porch with associated courtyard alterations for improved parking - PERMITTED

#### **Paperless Planning**

Following the lead by Dunkerton Parish Council eight other parish councils are now paperless with two more in progress. BANES are now insisting that all parish councils become paperless for planning from April 1 next year.

# Planning Application Ref 15/04718/FUL Church House, Church Road, Dunkerton, Bath.

Erection of single storey outbuilding following demolition of existing outbuilding. Erection of external colonnade linking existing house and outbuilding and single storey boot room extension to existing house. External works to include Installation of external swimming pool, replacement and blocking up of windows and new door opening. The parish council unanimously objected to this application as it does not comply with policies CP8, GB.2, NE.1 D2, D4 and BH.2 of the core strategy. The parish council was particularly concerned that the excessive amount of glass used in the proposed outbuilding would detract from the setting of the grade 2 listed building itself and the church.

#### West of England Joint Spatial Plan Issues and Options and Joint Transport Study Consultation

It was agreed to submit a response to this consultation stating that the additional housing that needs to be built would be more sustainable if located in South Gloucestershire or near Weston Super Mare as both areas already have developed infrastructure. Additional housing within the BANES area is not sustainable due to the lack of transport infrastructure.

### **Update Highway Related Matters:**

#### The Hollow

All the drains in The Hollow have now been cleared as part of the annual drain clearance schedule for our parish.

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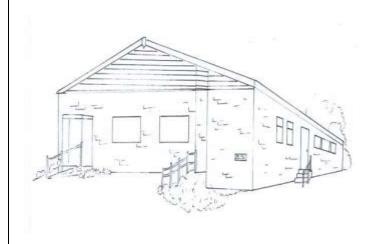
Some of the "Slow" markings still not back in place. Cllr Patch to chase this up with B&NES Highways. Hedges between the top of the Hollow and John Bull House and down the full length of The Hollow have been cut, we are grateful to John Wareham for having this work carried out.

#### **Update on Rights of Way Matters**

The promised steps have been cut into the bank inside the kissing gate opposite Withyditch Chapel. This is a great improvement and will make access to the footpath a lot safer. The footpath foray hasn't happened yet due to the inclement weather and the fact that the relevant councillors haven't all been available at the same time. However it hasn't been forgotten. If anyone knows of any missing signs, or knows of any place where a sign would be beneficial please would you let Cllr Prescott know?

Next meeting 3 March Dunkerton Parish Hall 7.30 pm





## TUNLEY VILLAGE RECREATION CENTRE

**CONTACT US:** You can contact our Secretary with any questions or general enquiries secretary@tunleyrec.org.uk. All booking enquiries to enquiries@tunleyrec.org.uk or Phone 01761 479165.

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**

Wednesday and Friday evenings are Vacant at present - For details, please contact 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 <u>barling08@yahoo.com</u>, 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 – Thursday evening classes 7-10pm. Positive reinforcement methods used – Contact Lorraine on 07905863791 or email woof.its24@gmail.com

#### **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 <a href="mailto:enquiries@tunleyrec.org.uk">enquiries@tunleyrec.org.uk</a> or telephone 01761 479165.

## CHILDREN'S PLAY AREA WORKING PARTY 14<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY FROM 10am

Following a BANES play area inspection in October of last year the TRC were instructed to remove the Zebedee spring seat and advised to remove or replace the two cradle swing seats.

Two new cradle swing seats have been purchased at a cost of £332.40. We are hoping to carry out the fitting of the new seats plus most of the remaining remedial work that is required by the inspection report at nil cost by way of the working party on 14<sup>th</sup> February, but **help is required, as much help as we can muster,** Please come along to give a hand, without help the village children play facility is in real danger of being lost which would be a tremendous shame!

Email <u>secretary@tunleyrec.org.uk</u> to pledge your help, thank you.

# PLEASE HELP US IMPROVE IT OR YOU'RE GOING TO LOSE IT!!

# Tunley Athletic Football Club

The Recreation Ground, Tunley, BA2 0EB

#### **Contacts**

Keith Bridges - Chairman 07969 674857 Yvonne Dix - Secretary 07889 310041 Pete Fear & Bryan Moore - Life Members & Tunley Residents

<u>First Team</u> - Somerset County Football League - Division Two (East) Manager – Duncan Fear 07921 176839

League Fixtures – KO 2.30pm in Feb & 3pm in March

06 Feb	Home	Stockwood Green
Res		
13 Feb	Home	Cutters Friday Res
20 Feb	Away	Pensford
09 Mar	Away	Radstock Town
Res (Wed	nesday) KO 7	7.30pm
12 Mar	Away	AFC Brislington
19 Mar	Away	Saltford
26 Mar	Home	Pensford

Cup Fixtures – KO 2.30pm

27 Feb Away Highbridge Town

Reserve Team - Mid-Somerset Football League - Second Division Manager - Martin Cox 07704 137857

League Fixtures – KO 2pm

06 Feb Away Coleford Res 13 Feb Away Saltford Res

Cup Fixtures – KO 1.45pm

20 Feb Away South Petherton – Intermediate Cup

27 Feb Home Coleford – Paulton Hospital Cup 05 Mar Home Bath Villa – Tony Baxter Shield

#### **Results**

#### **First Team**

League Gar	mes	
05 Dec	Home	Somerton
		Lost 4-2
12 Dec	Home	Long Ashton
		Lost 2-1
19 Dec	Away	Farrington Gurney
		Lost 9-0
09 Jan	Home	Hengrove Athletic
Res		Lost 3-0
16 Jan	Away	Stockwood Green
Res		Lost 2-0

#### **Reserve Team**

League G	ames	
05 Dec	Away	Mells & Vobster
Res		Won 5-1

# Cup Games Tony Baxter Shield

12 Dec	Away	Coleford Res
		Won 4-2
19 Dec	Away	Old Crown
(Weston)	-	Won 2-0

#### **Intermediate Cup**

16 Jan	Away	North Petherton
		Won 4-3

A number of games were cancelled in November due to the weather.

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.

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