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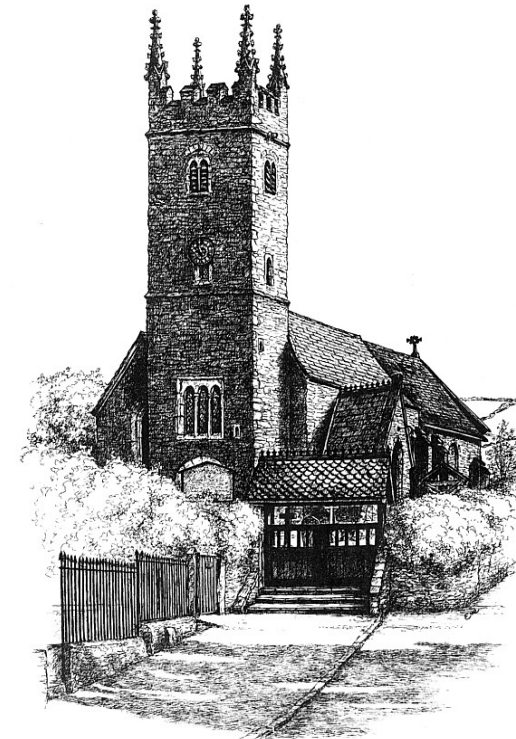
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June 2024



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Team Curate	Rev'd Elizabeth Burren revelizabeth@haldonteam.org.uk	01626 775728	

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Neighbourhood Beat Manager, PC 10392 Ben Chadwick		07710076780	e-mail: 10392@dc.police.uk

We welcome our new Team Vicar, Rev Dave Wilkie

We've just moved to the wonderful village Bishopsteignton a couple of months ago, we are still newbies in the area. The girls have settled into the brilliant local school. We are excited and happy to be here, we are loving the people, the coast and the country...and we've finally got some sun, hooray. Our garden is wild and green and overgrown. Lots of brambles, ivy, tall grasses and a Bishopsteignton favourite, wild garlic. We've got lots of cutting back to do, preparing the ground etc to enable new things to grow. We love all the green in the garden but would also like to get some colour and variety in too.

When change is mentioned in church it can feel hard to step away from what we know especially if you are running at capacity. Part of my role is to look for opportunities to re-engage the church to younger generations. The Church of England have boldly made a strategy to reach out to youth and children which makes up the anagram: PRAY - Prioritise, Resource, Adapt and include You. Church is a gathered community made up of all types of people and all ages. For whatever reasons many Church of England churches do not represent a full age range and that is something the church increasingly recognises needs to be addressed.

When we got married a few moons ago we felt God highlight the verse Isaiah 54:2 'Enlarge the place of your tent, stretch your tent curtains wide, do not hold back; lengthen your cords, strengthen your stakes'. So much so that a vicar we knew at the time got it engraved on a glass plate for us. We've always had a desire to see church exist for younger people and to grow. But this can mean change, while honouring what has gone before and what currently exists. There is no obliteration of the old way, like our mature garden. We aren't digging up every plant and tree. But space to be made to plant new things and a variety. For the church this isn't just the task of one person however, it is too big a task. There is a call on those in and out of the church to (like in Isaiah) to make the tent bigger, stretch out, to make space. Prepare the ground for the new plants and colour to be planted next to the mature existing garden.

Be blessed.

Rev Dave Wilkie (new Team Vicar in Haldon Ministry group) and Rev Donna Wilkie.

June Services

Sunday June 2nd 6.30pm	1st Sunday after Trinity Evening Worship	Ideford
Sunday June 9th 9.30am 6.30pm	2nd Sunday after Trinity Holy Communion Evensong	Ashcombe Luton
Sunday June 16th 11am	3rd Sunday after Trinity Holy Communion	Ideford

*For other services in the team please see the team website:
www.haldonteam.org.uk*

Dates for your diary - regular events

IDEFORD PARISH COUNCIL

The next Parish Council Meeting, **Thursday 13th June 2024 at 7.00pm** in Ideford Village Hall. All parishioners are welcome

BISHOPSTEIGNTON PARISH COUNCIL

Meetings are held at the Community Centre, Shute Hill, commencing at 7.30pm.

Monday June 3rd	Planning Committee
Monday June 17th	Full Council Meeting

BELL RINGING PRACTICE

Practices are normally in Ideford Church on Thursday evenings from 7.30pm until 9.00pm. We would love to have some new ringers join our team, please contact David Aylmore (852259) or Martin Sampson (853391) for more information.

IDEFORD SHORT MAT BOWLS

Small friendly group meeting every Tuesday in the village hall from 7pm till 9pm with a break for tea.

We encourage new members of any age to join us, no experience necessary, just turn up and 'have a go'

IDEFORD SOCIAL CLUB

Monthly meetings - please contact Kath Mortimore for details - 853394.

CHURCH CLEAN AT ST. MARY'S

Wednesday 5th June, 10am - 12noon. Refreshments provided, come when you can, leave when you must. All equipment will be provided.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Ideford Church Key Rota

June	Lesley (Bees Corner)
July	Nicola Aylmore (2 Church Road) Christine & Libby (Brendon)

Ideford Church Flower Rota

June 2nd	Sarah Chatfield	June 16th	Eileen Turner
July 7th	Sally Elliot	July 21st	Janet Street

Luton Altar Flowers and Brass Cleaning

June	M Reddaway
July	C Reddaway

Chudleigh Library - opening times

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Stay and Play at Chudleigh Library. Every Wednesday, 1pm - 2pm. Suitable for children age 0 - 5 and their carers. Tea/coffee available for a small donation.

Websites and Sat. Nav.

Haldon Team Website	www.haldonteam.org.uk
Ideford Parish Website	www.ideford-parish.co.uk

Church post codes for Sat Nav:	St Mary's, Ideford	TQ13 0BB	
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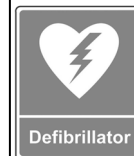
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044/24 CLERK'S REPORT AND FINANCE:
044.1 The balance of accounts in March 2024 was £.12489.66 The bank reconciliation for March 2024 was agreed by all and signed by the Chair and Clerk.
044.2 The following payments were approved:

£50.00	DCT	Membership renewal
£1263.43	Staff	Salary, Mileage and expenses
£169.17	DALC	Membership Renewal
£151.20	Community Heartbeat	Subscription Renewal

Payments made since the last meeting: £14.40 Monthly DD to Scribe Accounts £12.00 + VAT. 044.3 The final quarterly budget update for the year ending 31 st March 2024 was provided. 044.4 Legal and administrative update:- A number of policies have been reviewed along with statutory documents and end of year statements.

045/24 DATE OF NEXT MEETING - Thursday 9th May 2024.
046/24 CLOSE THE MEETING - The meeting closed at 21.09pm.




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FINAL DATE FOR BOOKING IS MONDAY MAY 27TH

Ideford Litter Pick

Sunday June 2nd

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Litter Pick!



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This is just a taste of the Shaldon Festival of Music, full details can be found at: www.shaldonfestival.co.uk



Save the date -
evening of Saturday December 7th

Ideford Village Festive Meal

More details later in the year, but put the date in your diary now.

040/24
cont.

040.2 Light Pollution.

Light pollution discussed, led by Cllr. Gardner, focusing on LED transition and its impact on bats, as there are a number of rare bats in the parish. Importance of community involvement emphasized; funding for blue light filters discussed. Street light purpose debated; Chudleigh contact for filter info suggested. Consideration of timers and advice for residents.

040.3 Litter Pick

Discussed village litter pick logistics, including date and approach. Set date: Sunday, June 2nd. Village hall chosen as hub with refreshments; promotion at Salmon Lunch. Time for event to be decided

040.4 Maintenance at the Millennium Green.

A discussion was had about concerns raised to do with the Millennium Green, it was agreed that this should be given to the trustees.

040.5 Roadworks, Parking issues - we are awaiting the yellow lines and potholes. Lanes deteriorating, may become unusable by next winter. One lane needs resurfacing. Cllr Peart proposes using funds for pot hole repairs via other contractors, with DCC approval. Pot holes are fixed after reporting, a discussion on the set standards for pot holes took place. Olchard Lane urgently needs resurfacing due to merging pot holes, posing danger.

040.6 Sustainable Ideford – Cllr Gardner reiterates what he said at the parishioners meeting earlier.

040.7 Wildlife Wardens – repeats what he said at the parishioners meeting.

041/24

PLANNING:

041.1 Planning application: 24/00529/HOU – Orchard Cottage, Olchard Removal of existing front extension and construction of a new front and side single storey extension with internal alterations. All agreed to support this application.

041.2 To note the following planning decisions:

23/01140/LBC – Well Cottage, Olchard Replacement windows Grant of conditional consent

23/01142/HOU – Well Cottage, Olchard, New solar array on the studio, Grant of conditional planning permission.

23/01143/LBC – Well Cottage, Olchard, New solar array on the studio, Grant of conditional consent

041.3 To note withdrawn application: **24/00104/FUL** – Coombe Hill Cross, Ideford Coombe Erection of a dwelling, Application withdrawn.

041.4 Planning enforcement: no updates at present.

042/24

CONCERNS RAISED BY PARISHIONERS TO COUNCILLORS: none

043/24

AUDIT 2023 – 2024

The clerk asked if there were any questions on any of these and there was not, so all of the following were approved by the council:-

043.1 Certificate of Exemption from limited assurance review.

043.2 Summary of Receipts and Payments for year ended 31st March 2024.

043.3 Fixed Asset Register for the year ended 31st March 2024.

043.4 Fixed Asset Risk Assessment for the year ended 31st March 2024.

043.5 Annual Return Explanation of Variance.

043.6 Statement of Internal Control for the year ending 31st March 2024.

043.7 Parish Council Risk Assessment for the year ending 31st March 2024.

IDEFORD PARISH COUNCIL

**Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting
held in the Village Hall on 11th April 2024 at 7.00pm**

Present: Cllr T Hill - Chair
Cllr A Carter-Woodwark
Cllr D Fox
Cllr H Bellamy

Cllr M Bating
Cllr C Hill
Cllr J Gardner

In Attendance: Cllr R Peart (DCC)
Cllr K Gearon (TDC)

Mrs J Thompson - Clerk
Mrs Clarke, incoming Clerk
11 members of the public

<u>Item</u>	<u>Discussion and Decisions</u>
035/24	WELCOME AND APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE: The Chair opened the meeting at 19.44pm and introduced the new clerk, Mrs. Clarke, who will be taking over from Mrs Thompson and he hopes Ideford will be able to utilise some of her unique skills. Apologies were received from PCSO Bunce
036/24	MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING It was proposed by Cllr Fox, seconded by Cllr Carter-Woodwark and was agreed by all, to accept the minutes of the meeting of Thursday 14 th March 2024 as a true and accurate record.
037/24	DECLARATION OF INTERESTS: The chair declared an interest on the agenda item of the Millennium Green and his wife also being a trustee. Later as the discussion went to planning matters Cllr Carter-Woodwark indicated she had an interest in planning matter 24/00529/HOU
038/24	PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: MOP SWW Water accumulation between Longthorne and Ugbrooke impedes passage; drain blockage reported by both mop and chair. Blocked gully noted, but not addressed due to absence of standing water. Complaints about Welsh workmen's behaviour (swearing) raised by mop; to be reported to SWW and contractor. Cllr Peart confirms awareness of blocked gully and workmen's language; council to inform SWW.
039/24	REPORTS: Cllr R Peart (DCC) nothing to add after the Annual Parish meeting earlier. Cllr K Gearon (TDC) nothing to add after the Annual Parish meeting earlier. Police report: 2 recorded offences, dog on dog and a burglary.
040/24	PARISH MATTERS: 040.1 Discussion about developing and publicising the Biodiversity Policy and Action Plan. Cllr. Gardner requests a regular agenda item on the topic. Community engagement and website traffic discussed. Biodiversity now a factor in all planning applications. Proposal to discuss different plan areas periodically to maintain momentum. Cllr. Bellamy to pass detailed report to Cllr. Gardner for review.

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It has been brought to the attention of the Parish Council that a local farm gate was recently left open allowing cattle to escape onto the road. When out walking in our beautiful countryside, please follow the Countryside Code - follow local signs, keep to marked paths and always leave gates as you find them.

The full Countryside Code can be found at:
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Sustainable Ideford A-Z

P is for Plastic

The Survivors

Congratulations comrades: bottles, fishing line, yoghurt pots, carrier bags, garden netting, toothbrushes, rubbish sacks and all you other bits of packaging that made it across the treacherous waters with me.

We didn't get tangled in a porpoises' limbs, end up in the stomachs of whales, broken down into microbeads, swallowed by anchovies or sucked in through the cilia of mussels.

Our kind may be down-trodden, squashed, buried in sealed chambers, but don't dismay our offspring have already infiltrated the food chain, the water supply. Remember our kind are the chosen ones, have been gifted with everlasting life.

Our kind will surely inherit the earth.

Veronica Aaronson

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- Recycle everything you can. Most supermarkets, and small Co-op stores, accept flexible plastic (film, etc) for recycling.
- We can reduce our plastic consumption. In the recent Greenpeace Big Plastic Count, one SI member used 67 pieces in a week, the other only 27 (both were two-person households).
- Join the Ideford litter pick on 2 June!

Millennium Green News

The ground work for the new storage unit on the Millennium Green is due to start in early June. It will be necessary to close the Green for a couple of days while the diggers are working, hopefully this shouldn't be for long.



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