

THE BATCH

November 2018

The newsletter for Dunkerton, Tunley & Withyditich

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Dates for your Diary

Date	Time	Event
Sunday 4 th Nov	11.30am	Café & Craft Service, DPH
Sunday 11 th Nov	10.50am	Remembrance Service, All Saints Dunkerton
Sunday 11 th Nov	6.00pm	Dunkerton & Tunley WW1 Commemorative Event, TRC
Thursday 29 th Nov	7.30pm	Parish Council Meeting, DPH

Advance Notice

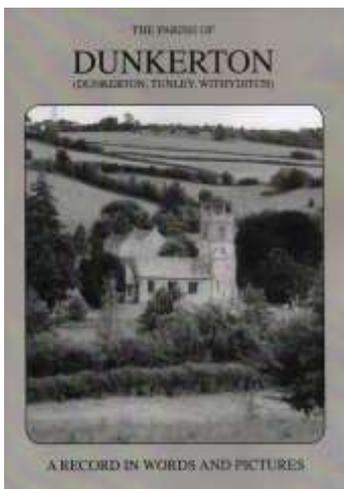
Sunday 2 nd Dec	4.00pm	Christingle Service, All Saints Dunkerton
Sunday 9 th Dec	7.30pm	Tunley AFC Quiz Night and Draw, TRC
Sunday 9 th Dec	Carols and Mince Pies at the TRC (see Page 9)	
Sunday 23 rd Dec	5.00pm	Carols by Candlelight with mulled wine + mince pies
Monday 24 th Dec	4.30pm	Crib Service, All Saints Dunkerton
Tuesday 25 th Dec	9.30am	Christmas Day Service, All Saints Dunkerton

Looking for a new hobby?

The Batch Committee is hoping there is someone who might like to get involved in editing the monthly newsletter. You can improve lots of useful personal and computer literacy skills along the way.

Training will be provided (free!) as you might need it.

If you are interested in finding out more then please get in touch with one of The Batch committee.



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All Saints' Church

The Parish Church of Dunkerton & Tunley

NEW RECTOR

I'm delighted to be able to tell you that Revd Tony Roake has been appointed to the position of Associate Priest in the benefice of Timsbury with particular responsibility for the parishes of Camerton and Dunkerton. He is likely to be licensed on 28 March 2019.

Tony is a vastly experienced priest who has served in urban as well as rural parishes, in the North of England as well as the South, including Sussex and Bournemouth. He is currently Rector of the United Benefice of Christchurch, Nailsea, where he has served for six years and prior to that was Chaplain of the Anglican Church in The Hague and Chaplain to the British Ambassador to the Netherlands.

He is married to Jill, who is a part-time teacher and coordinates many groups in the Nailsea parish. They have grown up-children, grandchildren and several dogs. Tony is and has been a keen sportsman, having played professional football for Tranmere Rovers when he was a teenager and continuing to play both cricket and football until quite recently. Tony and Jill are very keen to get involved in the community and we very much look forward to their arrival. They will live in the Rectory in Camerton.

Future Dates For Your Diary:

Sun 2 Dec, 4.00pm - Christingle
 Sun 23 Dec, 5.00pm - Carols by Candlelight followed by mulled wine and mince pies in the Parish Hall
 Mon 24 Dec, 4.30pm - Crib Service
 Tue 25 Dec, 9.30am - Christmas Day Service

Charlotte de Grey

Churchwarden & Treasurer
 Dunkerton PCC tel. 01761 436618
cdegrey@btinternet.com

SUNDAY SERVICES

Nov 4	Dunkerton	11.30	Café & Craft, DPH Louise Dallimore
	Camerton	9.30	Holy Communion
Nov 11	Dunkerton	10.50	Remembrance Service Dave Orme
	Camerton	11.15	Family Service
Nov 18	Dunkerton	11.15	Family Service Revd. Martin Blewett
	Camerton	9.30	Holy Communion
Nov 25	Dunkerton	9.30	Holy Communion Revd Mark Hutchinson
	Camerton	11.00	Holy Communion
		6.00	Evensong
Dec 2	Dunkerton	4.00	Christingle Louise Dallimore

REMEMBRANCE SERVICE 11 NOVEMBER – AN INVITATION from David Orme

One hundred years after the end of the First World War, this year's Remembrance Service will form part of the "Battle's Over" activities you will read about in The Batch.

It is an opportunity to make the service as relevant as we can to people in the parish. So if there is anything you might like to contribute in or around the usual formalities of the Remembrance, either something personal to you, or your family or friends' memories or stories, or something more

general relating to the effects or impact of conflicts past and present, please get in touch and we can plan it in. Ring 0773 4815271 or email daveorme56@gmail.com



DUNKERTON & TUNLEY PARISH COUNCIL

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Also Follow the Parish Council on [Facebook](#)

Report on the Dunkerton & Tunley Parish Council Meeting 20 September 2018

Bus Service Cuts

The issue of rural transport is being discussed by several parishes within the Cam Valley Forum and the Somer Valley Forums. Both forums are being helped by the Timsbury working group which hosted a parishes meeting with B&NES on this issue earlier in the year. The parish council is at the moment doing as much as it can on these rural transport issues by being involved in these discussions. Post meeting note – Following the commercial decision by First Bus to withdraw the 179 bus service from the end of October a service funded by B&NES is now operating Monday to Friday every two hours between Midsomer Norton and Bath bus station. Timetables are available from www.travelinesw.com.

‘Battle's Over - A Nation's Tribute’ World War 1 Commemorative Event

Though all the details are yet to be finalized, a street party at the TRC is planned to commence at 6 pm serving wartime food, and following this a beacon (one of a national chain) will be lit at 7 pm. Contributions towards the defibrillator will be requested. Dunkerton church bells will be rung at 7.05pm. It is hoped that the Camerton bells could be rung at the same time.

Tour of Britain Cycle Race

How privileged we were to have the race go through our parish, and in particular to note the support that

local residents in our parish and its immediate surroundings gave the riders.

Public Rights of Way and the Deregulation Act 2015

The parish council has a window of opportunity to add any missing footpaths to the Definitive Map produced by B&NES. More details from, and any comments on this to, Di Prescott as Lead Cllr.

The Wheelwrights Footpath Bath Road Tunley Extension

The parish council continues to work on implementation of this improvement to road safety.

Community Support and Events

It is planned to hold a coffee morning once a month. The first club will be held the 1st or 3rd Saturday in November. More details to follow.

Update on Defibrillator for Tunley.

This is in progress but with the funding of an electricity supply to the phone box approved by the parish council it is hoped to install this as soon as possible. Post meeting note:- It has since been decided the Tunley Defibrillator will be located on the exterior wall of the TRC hall.

Millennium Book Reprint.

A third reprint of these books will be sold at £10 per copy.

Speed of Traffic on the B3115.

Concerns have been raised with the parish council about the speed of traffic on the B3115. This will be addressed at the next meeting giving the parish council an opportunity to review the history of this issue for the benefit of the newer councillors.

Finance

The balance of funds is £14,047.18. Without the Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) reserves the balance is £9,753.09.

Planning Applications Update

18/03132/FUL Wisteria House Bath Road Tunley
Erection of a first storey extension over garage to provide master bedroom with en-suite and dressing room. APPROVED

16/06226/LBA Crossways House Crossways Lane Dunkerton: Internal and external alterations for the erection of front boundary wall, gates and railings; internal washroom alterations, removal of former car parking at front and rear and to return garden. Erection of new skittles building following demolition of existing. PENDING DECISION.

18/01675/FUL Parcel 2400, Fosseway, Englishcombe Installation of a hardstanding field access track – APPROVED

18/02238/FUL North Hill Farm Tunley Road Change of use from cattle yards to industrial storage (use class B8) – PENDING DECISION

18/02535/FUL 10 Brooklands Dunkerton Erection of first floor side extension over existing single storey extension with loft room and rear dormer – APPROVED

18/02782/FUL Tynning House Bath Road Tunley Erection of a double garage to the rear of the property and demolition of existing side double garage. APPROVED

18/03973/REM Removal of condition 6 of application 1552 (Erection of a Bungalow, with services, on land adjoining White Ox Mead Lane, Peasedown St. John, and the use of an existing vehicular access thereto) PENDING DECISION

Planning Applications for D&TPC Consideration

Planning Application REF 18/04117/FUL Hillside Cottage Old Fosseway Dunkerton: Garage conversion with the installation of a window to replace garage door. Erection of a first-floor side extension (above garage) with 2x windows, 1x side window, Juliet Balcony & 2x roof lights.

The parish council supported this application.

Planning Application REF 18/04084/FUL Lower Tunley Farm Stoneage Lane Tunley. Conversion of barn to 1 dwelling and Planning Application REF 18/04085/LBA Lower Tunley Farm Stoneage Lane Tunley: Internal and external works to facilitate conversion of a Listed barn to a dwelling.

The parish council supported these applications.

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be **Thursday 29th November** at Dunkerton Parish Hall at 7.30 pm

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NOTICES

BRISTOL LIONS CRICKET CLUB extend an open invitation to residents and supporters to their Presentation evening Saturday 24 November, 7pm, at St Patrick's Church, Netham Road, Redfield Bristol BS5 9PF. £10 head to include Sri Lankan buffet.

TABLE TENNIS TABLE

Free to good home - contact Max Crofts 01761 436723 or John Summers 01761 435419 to view at Dunkerton Parish Hall.

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Dunkerton WI

Dunkerton W.I held their Harvest Supper evening on October 9th at Tunley Recreation Centre. President, Judy, opened the meeting by thanking Jan for conducting the September meeting in Judy's absence as President. At that meeting Linda Dowsett was the speaker with her amusing anecdotes when she applied to enter the T.V. quiz The Weakest Link, hosted by Anne Robinson. Over the years Linda has raised an amazing £250,000 for The Guide Dogs Charity, and is now ready to retire.

Marilyn hosted a BBQ and Bring and Buy at home and realised an astonishing £272 for Mercy Ships. At October's meeting Judy welcomed three new members, Pauline, Lisa and Ellie. There were seven apologies. Judy thanked Sue Wagstaff for accompanying her to the AFWI AGM in Weston-super-Mare at the newly renovated Winter Garden Pavilion. Guest speakers were Graham Daynes on Hearing Dogs for Deaf People, Eleanor Stewart who gave an account of her life as a nun and midwife and had written two books.

Chairperson, Jean Simms gave an inspiring address on what Friendship means to members of the W.I. and finished on a cheerful finish with the song "You Gotta Friend" by Randy Newman. We were so pleased to find Dunkerton pennant hanging proudly amongst many on the wall - a big thank you to Maggie, who had designed and made it. A very successful meeting.

Other business followed with members agreeing we should support SWALLOW a local charity for young people with learning difficulties this year. Members wished Elisabeth and Margaret many happy returns on their special birthday.

The highlight of the evening followed when Judy was delighted to present a cheque to Roy Steggles for his well-deserved charity Sperringcourt Animal Sanctuary of £200, the proceeds raised from members monthly Bring and Buys. He has kindly brought along our favourite Eagle owl Gizmo and also a snowy owl who was making her first appearance. Roy thanked us and



related yet again some heart-rending tales. Truly a special person.

Supper then continued the night, to which we were happy to invite Roy and friend. Pretty table decorations had been made by Valerie and Viv provided seasonally decorated white cloth serviettes and plenty of delicious food was provided. We hope everyone enjoyed the evening particularly our new members.

Next meeting is the AGM on Tuesday 13th November

From
Judy Chidlaw



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DUNKERTON PARISH HALL



Bookings Secretary:

Please make enquiries about bookings to:

Email: 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.

Dunkerton Quiz Night Results

The 11th Annual Dunkerton Quiz was as challenging as ever and about 50 participants tackled Michael de Grey's questions on a range of subjects, including County Towns, Sport, First lines of Books, World Heritage Sites and True or False (would you have known that Twit-Twoo is a sound made by two owls, not one - Twit (female) answered by Twoo (male)?).



Thanks to donations of main course, delicious puddings and raffle prizes plus a cash bar, £750 was made to be shared between Hall and Church funds. Many thanks to quizmaster, donors and participants.

Dunkerton Parish Hall **Regular Events**

Monday 5.45 p.m. – 7.45 p.m. D.O.G.
(Dunkerton Obedience Group)
Ruth/Nick Barrett 07752 150711



Women's Yoga Mondays

A weekly drop-in yoga class that aims to be nourishing and supportive for all women of any age, where we can stretch, breathe and find a place of deep rest within the body and mind.

Mondays 10.00am - 11.30am
Dunkerton Parish Hall
BA2 8BG £10
Call Maria 07794 981849

For more information please call Charlotta
at Universal Yoga on 01761470658 or
Email info@universalyoga.co.uk
Visit the website at 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

Intermediate 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
Email: - alisongibbs1@btinternet.com



Withyditch Baptist 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

UNIVERSAL YOGA CLASSES



Tuesday :

6.30pm – 8.00pm teens welcome only £3 for teens

Wednesday :

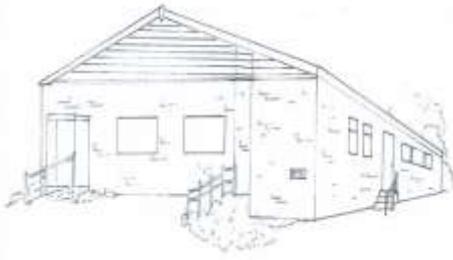
7pm - 8.30pm Pregnancy class

Thursday:

6.30pm - 8.00pm

Sunday:

Once a month 10am - 11am Family Class



TUNLEY VILLAGE RECREATION CENTRE

Judith Morris - Treasurer and Hall Bookings

jpamtunley@gmail.com or 01761 471288

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secretary.ba20dz@gmail.com or 07905 863791

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tunleynews@gmail.com or 07971 085046

Tunley News

Your New TRC

The TRC, like many other local organisations, has been struggling over the last two or three years. A request for support went out recently and the local community has responded marvellously. We now have a new committee and supporters' organisation "The Friends of the TRC". Fresh ideas for future events abound, please come along and be part of the new look TRC. Additional members to join the Friends Group will be very welcome, our next meeting is at 7:30pm on Thursday 1st November followed by a December meeting on Thursday 6th and the first Thursday of each month thereafter.

WW1 – “THE BATTLE’S OVER”

Dunkerton and Tunley villages were both accepted to host one of the beacons, of which

there will be a thousand throughout the U.K. These have to be lit at **7 p.m. on the 11th of the 11th month 2018**, to mark 100 years since the end of World War 1. This will happen on the Tunley Recreation ground, this being the highest point in the two villages.

There will be an indoor street party, with wartime music, food etc., (including spam sandwiches, jelly etc) to be held at **6pm**, followed by the lighting of the beacon at **7pm**.

There will be no tickets for this but generous donations will be gratefully received. There will also be a raffle. All the proceeds from the evening will go towards paying for a Defibrillator to be installed in Tunley. Dunkerton already has one. Can we commemorate the terrible loss of life and after World War 1 by saving future lives through having a defibrillator?

If you have any wartime memorabilia, flags etc to decorate the TRC or just want to lend a hand putting up the bunting please along to the TRC on Saturday 10th November at 10am.

If you can contribute spam sandwiches, jelly, and any other party food please bring that along to the TRC on the Sunday afternoon between 4.30 and 6pm.

We look forward to seeing as many from the parish as possible.

Tunley Community Coffee Morning

Back in the summer when we held the first meeting of the re-launched TRC committee and Friends of the TRC we started looking for ways to bring all the Tunley residents together and one of the ideas was to introduce a coffee morning. So the Tunley Community Coffee Morning was born – our first coffee morning will take place on **Saturday 17th November 10am til 11.30**. Please come along. Everyone is welcome, especially if you are new to the village and have never been to the TRC before. It's an opportunity to say hello and find out what's happening in Tunley and how you can get involved in village life.

Whilst we were planning our coffee morning, our neighbours in Dunkerton were also thinking of doing the same - so on the third Saturday morning of each month there will be a coffee morning in Tunley, and on the first Saturday of each month there will be a coffee morning in Dunkerton. Two villages, one

parish, pots of coffee and lots of cake, what more could you ask for!

Security of the TRC Grounds at Night.

Unfortunately, we are experiencing problems with the improper use of the TRC car park at night. We regret that we have had to install a gate across the access drive that will be locked at night. The gate will be installed in the next few weeks. Pedestrian access will not be affected.

Christmastime in Tunley

Carols and mince pies at the TRC on Sunday 9th December, save the date, more details in December Batch.

If you have any Tunley news that you would like included in The Batch please email it in WORD to me, Martha, at tunleynews@gmail.com

CONTACT US: You can contact our Secretary with any questions or general enquiries secretary.ba20dz@gmail.com

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

DOLLS' HOUSE CLUB - 3rd Tuesday evening - Info – Mrs S Snook 01225 833637

YOGA CLASSES - Tuesday Mornings 9.45 – 11.00am
Contact Yvonne 01761 472143 or email yvonne.bretoniere@googlemail.com

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.

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

WOOF-ITS – Dog Training Club – Wednesday evening classes 7-10pm. Positive reinforcement methods used.

Contact Lorraine on 07905863791 or Email woof.its24@gmail.com

ZUMBA CLASS – Friday evening 7-8pm. Everyone welcome, experienced and people new to Zumba.

Contact by email

hammad589@btinternet.com

or Facebook 'Zumba With Karen'. A Move GB Partner.

NEED A VENUE?

Tunley Recreation Centre

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 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 please email Judith at jpamtunley@gmail.com.



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

Team details - Somerset County Football League

- Division Three

Manager – Duncan Fear 07921 176839

Kick Off times in November 2.30pm &
December 2pm

League Fixtures

03 Nov	Away	Draycott
24 Nov	Home	Burnham Res
01 Dec	Away	Chew Magna
08 Dec	Home	Banwell
15 Dec	Home	Somerton Res
22 Dec	Away	Stockwood Green Res
29 Dec	Home	Hutton

League Results

22 Sept	Away	Combe St Nicholas	Won	2-1
29 Sept	Home	Chew Magna	Lost	3-1
02 Oct	Away	Burnham Res	Won	1-0

Cup Results

13 Oct	Home	Hutton	Lost	3-2
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We are holding a Quiz evening including the draw for our Christmas raffle on Sunday 9th December at the Tunley Recreation Centre starting at 7.30pm. Please do come and join us.

Training is on Tuesday and Thursdays at the ground please contact Duncan Fear for more details. If you are interested in joining Tunley Athletic in any capacity please contact anyone of the above for more information. Please come and support your local village club.



Cam Valley Wildlife Group

Website: cvwg.org.uk

Goosard Reserve workdays – usually on last Saturday of each month – Please contact Roger on 01761 419778 for info.

Wednesday 7 November 2018

Botany drinks 7-9pm at Palladium Electric in Midsomer Norton (the new Wetherspoons pub in the High St) A chance for Botany Walkers to socialise over the winter months.

All welcome

Wednesday 14 November 2018

7.30pm Talk “Standing up for Trees” by Owen Rogers of Woodland Trust

Coffee & cake from 7.30pm, talk at 8pm. Members £2, (non-members: £3)



Never Mind the Rain – Croquet Continues!!

From Saturday 6th to Sunday 7th October, Camerton and Peasedown Croquet Club was the venue for the National Final of the 'B' level series - a Croquet Association tournament for up and coming players. Players came from all over the UK including Edinburgh, Wales, East Anglia not forgetting players from local clubs and CPCC's own home grown talent

On Friday, club members made sure that everything was 'tip top' for this prestigious event, but on Saturday, when the 16 players arrived with their supporters, they were greeted with rain and cold winds

Such weather does not put off Croquet players; so, once they had put on their 'wet weather gear' play started on all 4 lawns. Spectators enjoyed the first day's play (from inside the club house and marquees.) We saw many long clearances and hoop scoring when everyone thought it not possible. Games were hard fought so much so that, at the end of the first day 67% of matches had been won/lost by only 2 hoops

Sunday brought better weather - some sunshine, but the wind was cold, so everyone wore layers of clothing. The top 8 players from day 1 started to do battle for the trophy – the other players fought hard for honour and reputation

We enjoyed and were amazed at all these games – impossible shots seemed to become possible 'If only I could play like that!!'

The Final, the best of 3 games, was between James Galpin of Nailsea and Lorna Dewar of Edinburgh. Even though James is only 17 and Lorna has only been playing for 3 years we

were entertained by some outstanding play and it was nip and tuck all the way. Game 1 to James 7/6 – Game 2 to Lorna 7/6 – then deciding Game 3 went to James 7/4

The Tournament Manager, Mo Boys (Chair of CPCC) congratulated all players for giving spectators so much to enjoy over the two days. She thanked the myriad of CPCC members who had set up the lawns and provided the lunches, tea and cakes. Brian Wilson (CA Council Member) presented the Trophy to James Galpin (pictured below) who, in turn, thanked everyone at CPCC for their excellent hospitality and the quality of the lawns



Croquet is a competitive sport – so after the presentations 2 players were determined to finish their match and continued until the light faded and a result was achieved

If you want to try croquet – it's a game everyone can play – just contact Mo Boys on 01225 708540 or Ros Key Pugh on 012225 427525 to arrange your own free introduction - you could be the future winner



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