

February

- all at the Village Hall unless stated otherwise, and all would welcome newcomers

Mon	1st	7 pm	Happy Hour
		8 pm	Badminton (Seniors)
Tues	2nd	7 & 8 pm	Dancing lessons with Judy & Sid
Wed	3rd	7 & 8 pm	Dancing lessons with Judy & Sid
Thurs	4th	7.30 pm	Short Mat Bowls
Fri	5th	10 am	Toddler Group
		7.45 pm	Whist Drive
Sat	6th	2.30 pm	Great Bring 'n Buy Sale
Mon	8th	10.30 am	Exmoor Quilters workshop
			No Happy Hour / Badminton this evening
Tues	9th	7 & 8 pm	Dancing lessons with Judy & Sid
Wed	10th	7 & 8 pm	Dancing lessons with Judy & Sid
Thurs	11th	10.30 am	Exmoor Quilters workshop
		7.30 pm	FeteFun Day Planning Meeting
Fri	12th	10 am	Toddler Group
			No Whist Drive this evening
Mon	15th	7 pm	Happy Hour
		8 pm	Badminton (Seniors)
Tues	16th	7 & 8 pm	Dancing lessons with Judy & Sid
Wed	17th	7 & 8 pm	Dancing lessons with Judy & Sid
		7.30 pm	WI - Indian Balm - Maggie Hyland
Thurs	18th	7.30 pm	Short Mat Bowls
Fri	19th	10 am	Toddler Group
		7.45 pm	Whist Drive
Sat	20th	8 pm	Ballroom & Sequence Dance with Ben. Bring & Share supper
Mon	22nd	7 pm	Happy Hour
		8 pm	Badminton (Seniors)
Tues	23rd	7 & 8 pm	Dancing lessons with Judy & Sid
Wed	27th	10-3 pm	Bead Group (01271 889028)
		7 & 8 pm	Dancing lessons with Judy & Sid
		7.30 pm	History Society: A talk on Parracombe by the Parracombe History Group
Fri	26th	10 am	Toddler Group
		7.45 pm	Whist Drive

Turn over for March dates.....

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Fri	5th	10 am	Toddler Group
			No Whist Drive this evening
Mon	8th	10.30-3.30	Exmoor Quilter's workshop
		7 pm	Happy Hour
		8 pm	Badminton for Seniors
Tues	9th	7 & 8 pm	Dancing lessons with Judy & Sid
		7.30 pm	Parish Council Meeting
Wed	10th	7 & 8 pm	Dancing lessons with Judy & Sid
Thurs	11th	10.30-3.30	Exmoor Quilter's workshop
Fri	12th	10 am	Toddler Group
		7.45 pm	Whist Drive
Sat	13th	8 pm	Ballroom & Sequence Dance with Ben. (Charity Dance)
Mon	15th	7 pm	Happy Hour
		8 pm	Badminton for Seniors
Tues	16th	7 & 8 pm	Dancing lessons with Judy & Sid
Weds	17th	7 & 8 pm	Dancing lessons with Judy & Sid
		7.30 pm	WI - Children's Hospice - Ian Roome
Thurs	18th	7.30 pm	Short Mat Bowls
Fri	19th	10 am	Toddler Group
			No Whist Drive this evening
Sat	20th	8 pm	Ballroom & Sequence Dance with Ben (FVH funds)
Mon	22nd	7 pm	Happy Hour
		8 pm	Badminton for Seniors
Tues	23rd	7 & 8 pm	Dancing lessons with Judy & Sid
Wed	24th	10-3 pm	Bead Group
		7 & 8 pm	Dancing lessons with Judy & Sid
		7.30 pm	History Society "Shapland & Pettef" - Alison Mills from Barnstaple Museum
Fri	26th	10 am	Toddler Group
		7.45 pm	Whist Drive in the Meeting Room this evening
Sat	27th	7 for 7.30 pm	The Filleigh Variety Show
Mon	29th	7 pm	Happy Hour
		8 pm	Badminton for Seniors
Tues	30th	7 & 8 pm	Dancing lessons with Judy & Sid
Wed	31st	7 & 8 pm	Dancing lessons with Judy & Sid

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Filleigh Fete / Fun Day

In anticipation of the above Summer event, a planning meeting is scheduled for

Thursday 11th Feb at 7.30 pm

in the Village Hall

It is hoped to meld together the Fete, Teddy Bears Picnic and a Garden & Craft Show and use the event to raise funds for all participating local organisations.

Please come along and support this effort:-

Your Community Needs You

and the event cannot go ahead if there is not enough commitment in the neighbourhood.

Joining in will help you get to know your neighbours, as well as help in building a stronger and healthy community.

All ages welcome

For info phone Tanya Hussell 01598760332
(e-mail t.hussell.filleigh@btinternet.com)

The Panto team did a brilliant job of getting us laughing together after Christmas.

Their next effort is the Variety Night scheduled for Saturday 27th March. If YOU or SOMEONE YOU KNOW has got a talent to show or an act to perform and help them with their fund-raising, please give Donna (01598 760593) or Lissa (01598 760552) a ring- don't wait to be head- hunted- they're busy ladies! Proceeds will be divided between the Village Hall and South Molton branch of the St John's Ambulance.

Down Park Weather Report

Nov '09 we had 218.5 mms rain (8.6" for us Luddites) 4 dry days.

Dec '09 64.6 mms (2.54 ") with 14 dry days.

*Compares to Nov '08 (108mms 4.3" / 10 dry days)
and Dec '08 (85.5 mms 3.4" / 17 dry days)*

2009 was 7inches drier than 2008!

Hope 2010 will keep up the reducing rainfall pattern.

Thanks Alan for all your recording and info.....

Sorry to say....

Filleigh School staff and parents have had recent problems with dog mess in the School grounds and Village Hall car park. They have asked us to mention this in the Flyer.

Please do not leave your dog to stray around the School, and remove any mess they leave in the area.

Many thanks for your co-operation

Our Toddler Group meets every Friday morning in the Village Hall (from 10am),

but if you cannot make that one, or would like an additional social opportunity to meet other families,

West Buckland School now has one on Wednesdays from 9.30 am - 10.45 am (free)

Contact Debbie Loat for info :- 01598 760598

Or 07776 357381

And an (alternative) note from Filleigh Church:-

14 Feb: Sunday Celebration at 4.30 pm at Chittlehamholt Village Hall, fun, cakes, tea, Christian teaching in a different style.

Good family time.

14 March: ditto

**The Great Bring 'n Buy Sale
Filleigh Village Hall**

2.30pm Saturday 6th February

All money raised will be doubled (*yes x 2!*)

by the Devon Community Foundation
and be donated to the Western Morning News

150th Anniversary Grassroots Challenge

supporting older people in need across the Westcountry.

We require:-

1/ Contributions to the stalls:-

i.e. Ladies clothing / accessories / children's clothing / toys /
produce / books / surplus gifts / white elephant / IT equipment
/ small furniture / anything else?

2/ Help to (wo)man the stalls / do the teas

3/ Customers

Offers or enquiries to Tanya please (see front page for contact details)

Applause deserved for:-

Arthur and Joyce Warren- their regular dances at the
Village Hall in 2009 raised £2,013 for our Village Hall and
£1,800 for a number of other charities
and

Joyce and George Jones- the Friday Night Whist Drivers raised
£1,230 for lots of local charities

Add it up- over £5,000 - brilliant effort by all concerned.

The Stags Head Inn
Filleigh • Barnstaple • Devon



Local produce, prepared
and cooked to perfection!

Bar Snacks, Blackboard and
À la Carte menus

Sunday Lunch our speciality!

Real Ales, Quality Lagers

Real Ales, Quality Lagers

Table Reservations - Filleigh (01598) 760 250

PARISH REPORT

I am very pleased to report that Gordon Hewitt has agreed to serve as a Parish Councillor.

Gordon has lived in Filleigh for a number of years and has the interest of Filleigh very much at heart.

Our Parish Council meeting in December was attended by several Parishioners concerned with the speed of traffic through Filleigh. There were also concerns from residents living at Hill Village and East Heddon and I would like to thank all those people who wrote telling me of their concerns. As a Parish Council we will be pursuing an extension of the 30 mile limit from the Stags Head Inn to the Cable Board factory and also a speed limit from Heddon Cross to the Link Road. The Police were in attendance at our meeting in December and have agreed to increase their monitoring of traffic speeds at Stags Head and at Barton Close. I would appreciate feed back from residents if this extra monitoring is helping.

At the start of a New Year I should like to wish you all a Happy New Year.

If there is anything we can do to help with any concerns Parishioners may have, please contact me or any Parish Councillor who will do their best to help.

Our next Parish Council meeting is on March 9th at 7-30 pm

Roger Watts(Chairman) 01598 760282

Clerk - Veronica Cook 01598 760324

Ian Dennis 01598 760597

Roger Bowen 01769 573402

Stephen Cook 01598 760432

Albert Cook 01598 760434

Paul Smalley 01598 760336

Gordon Hewitt 01598 760377

Another opportunity to join in /support activities in your community.

The Village Hall AGM is set for 27th April 2010 and new faces (and enthusiasm) are always welcome. If you want to come along to a meeting before the AGM to see what it is like, the next one is on

2nd February 2010

For info phone the chairman- Richard Maxwell 01598 760305

<u>December</u>	<u>Winners of the 100 Club Draw</u>	<u>January</u>
£20.....Peter & Beryl Morgan		£20.....Steve & Rachel Huxtable
£10.....Doreen & Audrey		£10.....Rick Maxwell
£5.....Roger Watts		£5.....Sally Dawson
£5.....Libby & Harry Beatty		£5.....Alan & Kath Davey