TINGEWICK AND DISTRICT NEWS

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A belated Happy New Year to you all!

We're back with the first issue for 2022. There wasn't an edition out in January as I took a month off – I hope you all don't mind but it was the first break I've had from the magazine since I took over in April 2018 and I really needed the time off to recharge.

So, we're back to our regularly schedule programming! Things are starting to become a bit more "normal" again – if you can remember what that was!

The Community Café is back to their weekly schedule so make sure you check out their Facebook page in order to see all the yummy cakes that they have on offer.

Both St. Mary Magdalene Church in Tingewick and St. Giles Church in Water Stratford are open for a variety of services. Check out pages 3 and 14 for more details or keep an eye on the diary for services.

Speaking of the village diary, don't forget that you can follow the diary online from the Tingewick News website – it's been given a bit of a makeover so please take a look, and if you have any events you'd like adding (for free of course) you can drop me an email or contact me through the website.

VILLAGE HALL NEWS

FEBRUARY 2021

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Contact Details:

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Chairman: David Partridge, telephone 01280 848460.

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St Mary Magdalene Church Tingewick

Services for February

Wednesday 9th February: 10.00am – Holy Communion (spoken)

Sunday 13th February: 10.30am – Benefice Family Communion

Sunday 20th February: 10.30am – Family Communion

Sunday 27th February: 9.00am – Family Communion

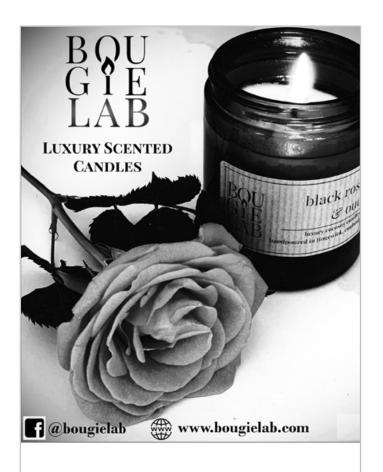
Church Opening

The Church is now closed during the day apart from for services. We will re-open daily again in the Spring.

Food Bank

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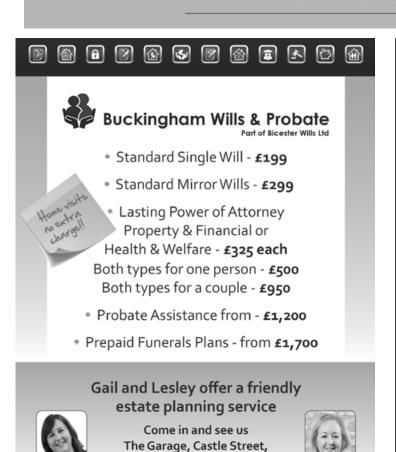
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February's "O Brother" Quiz

Each answer ends in the letter O

- 1. British journalist, broadcaster and former politician who has middle names Denzil Xavier
- 2. A game designed in 1947, adapted from Newfooty, a table football game that had been invented years earlier.
- 3. A technique of mural painting on freshly laid plaster
- 4. Character played by Naomi Harris in the Pirates of the Caribbean series
- 5. A sweet Italian liqueur with almond-like flavour
- 6. Rapid in tempo
- 7. A Mediterranean wind that comes from the Sahara (and also a model of car)
- 8. The 17th letter of the Greek alphabet
- 9. A failure or humiliating situation. A Farce.
- 10. Name the London taxi driver who won Mastermind in 1980, who went on to become a presenter and radio host.

Answers to December's "Which one of the four" quiz

- 1. Copper
- 2. Singapore
- 3. Richard III (Killed at the Battle of Bosworth Field, the last English king to be killed in battle)
- 4. 113 (111 is divisible by 3, 117 divisible by 3, 119 divisible by 7)
- 5. Richmond. (There were 12 Wombles that appeared in the 90's TV series, but many more mentioned by name)
- 6. Calf of Man
- 7. E is a single dot
- 8. 518 (64 is 4x4x4, 216 is 6x6x6, 1000 is 10x10x10)
- 9. Richard Nixon. Three articles of impeachment were filed against Nixon for "high crimes and misdemeanours." However, he resigned from office on 9th August 1974, before the impeachment commenced
- 10. Mississippi

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ADVENT

Paula gave us a lovely evening service for the first Sunday of Advent, with readings, poems, prayers and the lighting of the Advent Ring. It was well-attended, the congregation arriving through falling snow and scrunching home through a village that looked like a Christmas cake – an atmospheric start to the season.

CHRISTMAS

By the time this is published, we hope (Covid permitting) to have enjoyed a 'Promenade' Carol Service moving through the village on the evening of 17th December, and a benefice Family Communion on Christmas morning.

CANDLEMAS

There will be a benefice service of Candlemas Family Communion at 10.30am on Sunday 31st January. Snowdrops – 'Candlemas Bells' – should be plentiful in the churchyard, to help us celebrate this lovely festival with its story of Mary and Joseph taking their baby to the temple.

PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES

There are no minutes from the Parish Council included in this issue as none had been received by the time of publication. Available Minutes can be found on the <u>Parish Council website</u> and the Village Notice Board outside the school





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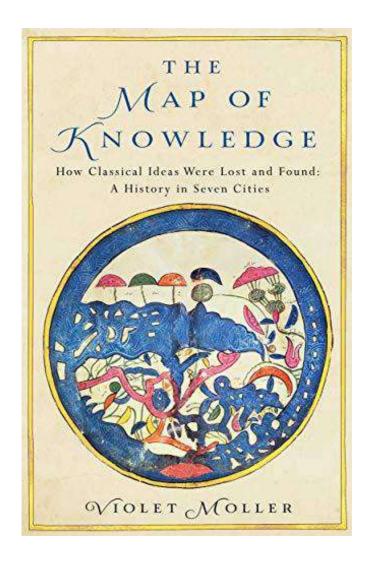
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Tingewick Historical Society



The Map of Knowledge – Violet Moller tells us more about her book

Wednesday 2nd February 2022

7.15pm for 7.30pm – Tingewick Village Hall £1 members / £2 non-members

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TINGEWICK AND WATER STRATFORD HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY



January 2022

*** TALKS and EVENTS Diary for 2022 ***

Date	Time	Location	Event	Information	Contact
Friday 25 th March	7.15 pm for 7.30 pm	Tingewick Village Hall	AGM		Below
Sat, 2 nd April	1pm – 3pm	Tingewick Village Hall	Plant swap	Gardeners Swap Day!' and bag some bargains	Below

RENEWAL OF MEMBERSHIP AT THE CAFÉ TINGEWICK VILLAGE HALL

On all Fridays in February beginning 4th February

Come along and have tea and cake and also renew your membership at the same time. You will know when your membership ends by checking your current card.

The cost is only £5 per family, and for this you will get reductions to all the events and trips that we run, and reductions at various nurseries and other businesses in the area.

NOT YET A MEMBER? Then please consider joining our Society and come along to the Café and have a chat with us. For further information please ring Justine on 07897480000.

AGM Friday 25th March 2022 – 7.15 pm for 7.30 pm

We would like to welcome you all to our AGM which will take place at TINGEWICK VILLAGE HALL

If you wish to join our small and friendly committee, and have a say in how the Society is run, then this is your opportunity to do so! The Society organizes various events, runs trips, and talks, and gets involved in the local Community. You can be part of it.

If you are interested in joining, then please attend the AGM, or ring Teresa Smith (Chairman) on 07703755807 for further information.

GARDENERS SWAP DAY SATURDAY 2ND APRIL 2022 - 1pm to 3pm

Come along to our 'Gardeners Swap Day!' and bag some bargains.

Just bring along the items you would like to swap ('in date' packets of seeds – unused or partly used; or seed saved from your garden/allotment – please seal in an envelope and label clearly; plant cuttings or divisions – clearly labelled; unwanted healthy plants; gardening magazines and books; garden pots – ceramic (no plastic); other garden related items, etc.) and for each item you bring along, you'll be given 'swap vouchers' that you can use to purchase new items. Don't worry if you haven't got anything to swap as items can also be bought for cash

General information contact: Charles Tanner - 01280 847680 EMail: ctanner.pt@btinternet.com

^{**}We will also be running a book stall and refreshments will be available** Location: TINGEWICK VILLAGE HALL

Village Diary - February 2022

Date	Time	Event	Venue	Contact
Tue 01		Food Bin & Recycling Bin Brown Bin (Certain Postcodes)		https://www.tingewicknews.co.uk/binday
	09:00	Real Results Fitness	Village Hall	
	18:30	Cubs	Village Hall	Neil Blunstone: 07966 346210
	19:30	Scouts	Village Hall	Neil Blunstone: 07966 346210
Wed 02	10:00	Fun 60+ Table Tennis	Village Hall	Jean: 01280 847950
	19:30	Historical Society - The Map Of Knowledge	Village Hall	Jane Bradford: 01280 848392 / 07495 529196 / j.bradford834@btinternet.com
Thu 03	10:15	Pilates	Village Hall	Joanne: 07851 032316
Fri 04	09:00	Community Café	Village Hall	
Sun 06	12:00	Private Function	Village Hall	
Mon 07	10:00	Fun 60+ Table Tennis	Village Hall	Jean: 01280 847950
	13:30	Patchers	Village Hall	
	19:30	Line Dancing	Village Hall	Madeline Bennett: 01280 848447
Tue 08		Brown Bin (Certain Postcodes)		https://www.tingewicknews.co.uk/binday
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Wed 09	10:00	Holy Communion	St Mary Magdalene	
	10:00	Fun 60+ Table Tennis	Village Hall	Jean: 01280 847950
	19:30	VHC Meeting	Village Hall	
Thu 10	10:15	Pilates	Village Hall	Joanne: 07851 032316
Fri 11	09:00	Community Café	Village Hall	
Sat 12	09:00	Private Function	Village Hall	
Sun 13	09:00	Warhammer	Village Hall	https://www.tingewicknews.co.uk/Warhammer
	10:30	Benefice Family Communion	St Mary Magdalene	
Mon 14	10:00	Fun 60+ Table Tennis	Village Hall	Jean: 01280 847950
	13:30	Patchers	Village Hall	
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Wed 16	10:00	Fun 60+ Table Tennis	Village Hall	Jean: 01280 847950
	19:30	Ace Tails	Village Hall	
Thu 17	10:15	Pilates	Village Hall	Joanne: 07851 032316
Fri 18	09:00	Community Café	Village Hall	
Sun 20	10:30	Family Communion	St Mary Magdalene	
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	10:00	Fun 60+ Table Tennis	Village Hall	Jean: 01280 847950
	19:30	Parish Council	Village Hall	Email: clerk@tingewickparishcouncil.org.uk Tel: 07984 055185
Thu 24	10:15	Pilates	Village Hall	Joanne: 07851 032316
Fri 25	09:00	Community Café	Village Hall	
Sun 27	09:00	Warhammer	Village Hall	https://www.tingewicknews.co.uk/Warhammer
	09:00	Family Communion	St Mary Magdalene	
Mon 28	10:00	Fun 60+ Table Tennis	Village Hall	Jean: 01280 847950
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