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Editorial

Get back to school kids!!!
And whoosh, the summer holidays were over, well nearly...for some there's a Covid-induced staggered return to school, so enjoy those extras days at home students, and for parents, erm, endure it!

So, August...that was a wet one, let's hope that September fares a bit better, congratulations to anyone that managed to get away from the downpours!

Anyway, this month sees a determined stance in the village as several parties try to enforce some sort of normality. First up there's the PTA Bingo Nights up at the Hall on the 10th and 16th, more details inside. Then, on Saturday the 18th, there's the Rotary Club of Boniface Crediton hosted Will Blake Band, who went down a storm the last time they played. Tickets normally go quite quickly for those events, so get in touch with Nick Yarnold on the number inside. And finally, down at the pub there's a Coffee Morning for Macmillan on the 24th.

In other events news, we've had to postpone Yeo!Cider this year due to basic logistics and supplier uncertainty, but no matter, it means we can put our efforts fully into next year's Yeofest!

What else, I had a call from a reader flagging the unfortunate death of three otters on the railway line, which is being investigated by the Otter Trust, so there you go.

And that's that! One day all this will seem like a strange blip in the Matrix, but until then, keep taking the pills...

Cheers… **The Editor**

The Village Voice Is <u>YOUR</u> Village Magazine

We want to hear from you and want you to use it to convey anything you feel of interest to your fellow villagers.

Please leave any items for the YVV at Torridon, Station Road before the **20th of each month**, anything after that date may not be considered until the following month. **<u>You must provide a name and address</u>**, even if this is not for publication.

You can also email to: **yvveditor@yahoo.co.uk** or call **01363 84501** to speak to the editor, **Jonathan**.

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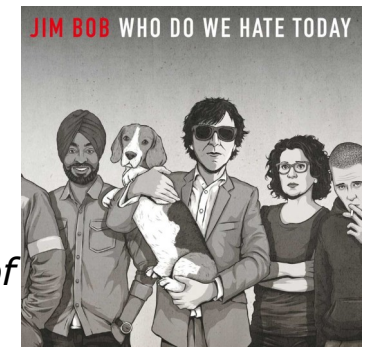

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Mid Devon Mobile Library

Upcoming Visit Dates

2, 30 September
28 October
25 November

The Duck at Yeoford
10:45—11:15

Yeoford Community Garden

Yeoford Community Hall now has an area dedicated to providing a small community garden. Any villagers are welcome to get involved in running and maintaining the garden.

Please speak to **Dee Hawkins** or email **yeoford.hall@gmail.com** for further information.

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0726	0731		0918	0921	
0834	0838		1019	1016	1018
0939	0938	0939	1116	1116	1119
1037	1038	1037	1216	1216	1223
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677 (Fridays only)

Dartline Coaches

Zeal Monachorum Church	0912
Coleford Gospel Hall	0927
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THE DUCK AT YEOFORD	**0940**
Raddon Down Cross	0945
Crediton TIC High Street	0955
Exeter Bus Station	1020
Exeter Bus Station	1320
Crediton TIC High Street	1345
Raddon Down Cross	1350
THE DUCK AT YEOFORD	**1355**
Colebrooke Church	1403
Coleford Gospel Hall	1408
Zeal Monachorum Church	1423

669 (Tuesdays only)

MD Buses

South Zeal Oxenham Arms	0915
Whiddon Down Shelter	0922
Hittisleigh Cross	0930
Crockernwell	0945
Cheriton Bishop School	0947
YEO VIEW	**1002**
Colebrooke Church	1010
Coleford Gospel Hall	1013
Crediton St Saviour's Way	1022
Crediton Morrisons	1027
Crediton Morrisons	1115
Crediton St Saviour's Way	1235
Coleford Gospel Hall	1244
Colebrooke Church	1247
YEO VIEW	**1255**
Cheriton Bishop School	1310
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YEOFORD VILLAGE VOICE FUN QUIZ

No prizes, no pressure…

1. Which film's climax features an attack on the title quartet by the giant Stay-Puft Marshmallow Man?
2. Which Apollo 11 astronaut, once dubbed "the loneliest man in the universe", wrote the book Carrying the Fire?
3. What is world's largest and oldest youth charity?
4. Toji is the job title of a master brewer of which fermented-rice drink of Japanese origin?
5. Founded by Ukranian immigrants in 1882, Rishon LeZion is the fourth largest city in which Middle East country?
6. A powdered form of which element, the most abundant metal in the earth's crust, is extracted via the Wöhler process?
7. Which alias links two-time US Presidential election loser Adlai Stevenson, the Marvel villain Elihas Starr, a Batman TV villain played by Vincent Price, and a BBC2 TV show?
8. Which pink-coloured bubblegum was invented by Walter Dierner, an employee of the Frank H. Fleer Company, in 1928?
9. At 6 foot 5 inches, who is the tallest member of Monty Python?
10. Which flower genus is named after the ancient Greek word for "star", referring to the shape of the flower head?

Answers below...

Quiz Answers:

1. Ghostbusters; 2. Michael Collins, whose fellow Apollo 11 crew members were Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin; 3. YMCA (young Men's Christian Association); 4. Sake; 5. Israel; 6. Aluminium; 7. Egghead; 8. Double Bubble; 9. John Cleese; 10. Aster

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County Councillor Newsletter—Who Does What?

It was only when I became a councillor that I realised that there are three levels of local government and each one has an area of responsibilities. These responsibilities reflect very much the amount we pay in council tax to each of the three levels. Anybody looking at their last bill will see that county council takes the largest amount followed by the police, district council and finally parish or town.

In broad terms county is responsible for education, highways, libraries, public transport, social services, waste disposal and highways! It is the last of these about which I have most enquiries. The district council is broadly responsible for planning, recycling, street lighting, leisure, licensing, parks and open spaces and cemeteries. Your local parish is really only responsible for allotments and its open spaces and assets.

As a county councillor I have a lot of questions about speeding, potholes and the state of hedges. I am a member of the local speed watch and have seen the impact it can have. With this in mind I am investigating portable speed indicators which, using Bluetooth, can give accurate details of the number of cars speeding past the camera. I shall be looking at this with some of the parish councils where speeding is a problem. I am also looking, with the help of our highways officer, to acquiring sets of pothole repair kits! I know that this is not the real answer to the mass of potholes but at least it might go some way to help.

I am continuing with my surgeries but there are one or two changes. They are always on Saturday and except for Cheriton Bishop and Yeoford they begin at 10 am. The first Saturday is on Crediton Town square, the second Saturday I shall do my first surgery at 9 30 in The Old Thatch in Cheriton Bishop and then follow that with an 11 o'clock surgery at the Duck in Yeoford. The third Saturday will see me in Copplestone in the Sunnymead play area and the last Saturday I'll be at Bow Aquatics in Bow (obviously!). You do not need to book an appointment but just turn up and have chat. I need to get to know the people of the villages and hopefully you want to get to know me!

Contact frank.letch@devon.gov.uk Phone number 01363 775739

The League of Friends of Crediton Hospital and its Community Patients

How we may help

"Promoting the health and well-being of our community"

The League of Friends of Crediton Hospital and its Community Patients (L.O.F.) is a local, Crediton – based charity, that is able to offer modest grants to groups or organisations in the town, and surrounding villages, who are in need of some financial assistance, and whose main aim is to support health and well-being.

If you belong to a local group that meets this criteria, then please download a grant application form at **www.crediton-hospital-lof.com** or email **secretary@crediton-hospital-lof.com**, and request one. You may then be invited to give a brief presentation at a future committee meeting, after which a decision will be made.

The Duck At Yeoford

Our opening times for September are as follows:

Wednesday 5.00pm - 11.00pm
Thursday 11.30pm - 11.00pm
Friday 11.30am - 11.00pm
Saturday 11.30am - 11.00pm
Sunday 11.30am - 5.30pm

We are closed Friday 10th, Saturday 11th and Sunday 12th September.

We are also hoping to hold a Macmillan coffee morning on Friday 24th September with Mandy from Temple Spa.

If you would be interested in volunteering on the day or would like to make some cakes etc please do not hesitate in getting in touch with myself or Mandy Vellacott.

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On August 9th we celebrated Paddy and David Dornom's 63rd wedding Anniversary. They supplied wine and we had an anniversary cake as desert. We all enjoyed the occasion very much.

Messy church is to start again on 25th September in the Village Hall. The Harvest Festival is on 26th September in church followed by the Harvest Lunch. Numbers for lunch please to Carol Price 01647 24468.

The next Community Lunch is on 6th September at 12-30 for 1pm.

Café Company is on every Monday from 10 till 11am except when it is the lunch.

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12th September 9-30 Holy Communion

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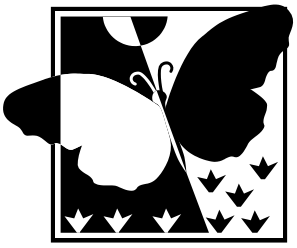

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If anyone has a child coming up to the age of 3, or is 3 already, do please give us a call on 01363 84234 from Monday 6th September. We would be happy to talk through joining our fantastic Foundation Stage Unit which will be open from Monday to Thursday weekly. Alternatively please email us with any questions and we'll get back to you from 6th September **adminyeoford@thelink.academy** Once again, we would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone in our community well!

Online admissions for Primary places in September 2021 has now closed but, due to the flexible structure of the school, we would be happy to look at any future applications and try and support anyone who would like to join our wonderful school family.

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