

# Yeoford Village Voice

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**This month:** Car Boot Sale in aid of Ukraine! Train Station Correspondence Chaos! Yeo Rocks! Fly Tipping! Devon Farm Kitchen! And much, much more...

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# Editorial

## April Fools? March morons more like!

Well, the very visible news around the village over the last couple of weeks was the fly tipping, in addition to last month's lost property up towards North Down, which still hasn't been claimed (although some has been disposed of).

Luckily this month's was seemingly a little easier to deal with, seeing as it had the address of the former owner, who, benefit of the doubt maybe didn't realise they'd hired a reprobate to do the house clearance for them. Anyway, the council have sorted it now, but it's worth knowing that fly tipping can be reported at [www.middevon.gov.uk/do-it-online/street-scene/report-fly-tipping/](http://www.middevon.gov.uk/do-it-online/street-scene/report-fly-tipping/) it's more likely to get sorted there than tutting loudly.

Moving on, March saw a few events in the village, the Wine Tasting up at the hall was great fun for all those who attended and there was yet more bingo, which I'm sure had everyone numberwanged up.

This month sees a Car Boot Sale down at the pub on the 2nd, with proceeds going to charities supporting aid for victims of the current atrocities occurring in Ukraine.

Moving into May, the first Yeo Rocks! is hopefully happening at the hall on 20th. At present there's three bands confirmed, from bluegrass and folk through to alternative 80s synth-pop-rock (with no synths). This will be in aid of the Trussell Trust, the Stop UK Hunger charity, and Crediton Food Bank and there's going to be a lot more detail on that coming up, so please look out for more info!

Cheers...

The Editor

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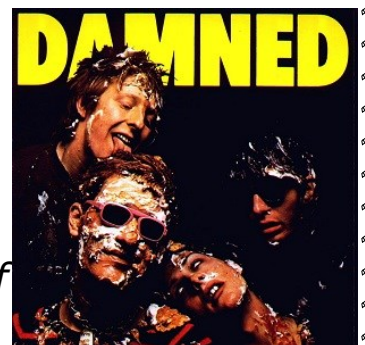
We want to hear from you and want you to use it to convey anything you feel of interest to your fellow villagers.

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. **You must provide a name and address**, even if this is not for publication.

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

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# Local Information

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### COMMUNITY HALL CHARGES (hourly rate)

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Upcoming Visit Dates  
**April 28**  
**May 26**  
**June 23**

*The Duck at Yeoford*  
10:45—11:15

**Top Tip!**

Putting gravy in your steam iron will give your clothes a delicious smelling beefy aroma.

### 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.

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Mon	Sat	Sun
<b>-Fri</b>		
	0540	
0629	0632	
0725	0730	
0834	0837	
0937	0938	0936
1037	1037	1038
1137	1137	1138
1237	1237	1236
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<b>-Fri</b>		
0708	0712	
0813	0816	
0918	0921	
1019	1016	1018
1117	1116	1118
1216	1216	1221
1320	1317	1317
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2023	2026	2016
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### 677 (Fridays only)

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Zeal Monachorum Church	0912
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Colebrooke Church	0932
<b>THE DUCK AT YEOFORD</b>	<b>0940</b>
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
<b>THE DUCK AT YEOFORD</b>	<b>1355</b>
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
<b>YEO VIEW</b>	<b>1002</b>
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
<b>YEO VIEW</b>	<b>1255</b>
Cheriton Bishop School	1310
Crockernwell	1313
Hittisleigh Cross	R
Whiddon Down Shelter	1328
South Zeal Oxenham Arms	1335

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# YEOFORD VILLAGE VOICE FUN QUIZ

No prizes, no pressure...

1. What was started in 1824 when the House of Commons agreed to buy the 38-painting collection of banker John Julius Angerstein for £57,000?
2. Madrid's Museo Taurino is dedicated to which spectacle?
3. Founded by Alan Schaaf in 2009, which online image hosting service uses a giraffe mascot that was created as an April Foo's Day joke, but was "too cute to give up"?
4. Nitta Sayuri is the Japanese title character and first-person narrator of which 1997 Arthur Golden novel?
5. Who won his third major and first open Championship at the Royal Liverpool Golf Club in 2014?
6. Using T-Discs, which "Hot Beverage System" is a single-serve coffee machine that was first introduced in France in 2004?
7. Which annual world championship has been held in the village of Willaston, near Nantwich in Cheshire, since 1980 when local man Tom Shufflebottom won on 5 July? The competition's 18 rules include the banning of water (as a stimulant drug) and each competitor using a 3 x 3 m area.
8. Launched in 1929, Bib-Label Lithiated Lemon-Lime Soda originally had 7 secret ingredients. What is its current name?
9. Daniel Vangarde co-write the Ottowan hit D.I.S.C.O. His son Thomas Bangalter forms half of which music duo?
10. The title of which 2012 Iain Banks novel is the two-word term for the absence of sound when a radio broadcast is in progress?

Answers below...

**Quiz Answers:**  
1. National Gallery; 2. Bullfighting; 3. Ingrid Bergman; 4. Memoirs of a Geisha; 5. Kory Meier; 6. Tassimo; 7. Worm charming; 8. 7 Up; 9. Daft Punk; 10. Dead Air

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# Devon Farm Kitchen expands to Crediton

Devon Farm Kitchen, the social enterprise that delivers 'deliciously satisfying' frozen meals to people in their own homes across South Devon with every penny of profit going to support Rowcroft Hospice, now delivers to Crediton.

The freshly frozen meals are highly nutritional because they've been developed with advice and input from dietitians with Devon Farm Kitchen fulfilling an important service for local people, particularly those who are elderly and vulnerable, who may be unable or not inclined to prepare healthy meals for themselves.

Devon Farm Kitchen Manager Joe Bradshaw said: "We're providing a unique service to our community by lovingly crafting nutritious meals that encourage healthy eating, and by generating profits that help sustain the expert care that Rowcroft Hospice provides to patients across the region."

The meals are handmade in small batches by Devon Farm Kitchen's own chefs in their Torquay kitchen using the finest produce sourced directly from Devon's farmers, fishing communities and other local producers with gluten-free, vegan and vegetarian options and desserts.

The frozen meals are delivered to customers ready to heat on ceramic plates and bowls which are then washed and returned to the driver on the next delivery. There's no plastic involved and the cardboard packaging is 100% carbon neutral, fully compostable and 100% recyclable.

All profits from Devon Farm Kitchen go to support Rowcroft in caring for patients with life-limiting illnesses, and their families, across 300 square miles of South Devon. The charity cares for over 2000 patients each year, with 80% of people cared for in their own homes across the region.

To find out more about Devon Farm Kitchen or to place an order, please go to [www.devonfarmkitchen.co.uk](http://www.devonfarmkitchen.co.uk) or call **01803 217 477**.



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## Board Games Night

Yeoford Board Games Night is back!

It is normally held on the fourth Thursday of every month at The Duck at Yeoford from 7pm.

The next one will be held on Thursday 28th April.

Just turn up, bring whatever you want and join in! For more info, contact Simon at [friedegghead@gmail.com](mailto:friedegghead@gmail.com) or check [www.facebook.com/YeofordGamesNight](http://www.facebook.com/YeofordGamesNight).



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## CREDITON HAMLETS PARISH COUNCIL

At the March meeting of CREDITON Hamlets Parish Council Councillors asked the Clerk to submit to Devon County Council (DCC) an Expression of Interest in a 20mph Zone for Yeoford. DCC will assess the submission and if it is accepted it will be considered for implementation.

If you would like to read the full minutes of the meeting they are on the PC website. The next meeting will follow the Annual Parish Meeting which starts at 7.15 pm on Monday the 4th of April at Yeoford Community Hall.

Please contact one of your councillors or Rachel Hodder, the Parish Clerk ([clerk@creditonhamlets.org.uk](mailto:clerk@creditonhamlets.org.uk) or 01363 85523), if there is something you would like to have discussed at the Council meeting.

Members of public are very welcome to attend any meeting and speak during the public session. Meeting details and contact information for Councillors are on the Parish Council website ([www.creditonhamlets.org.uk](http://www.creditonhamlets.org.uk))

## CREDITON HAMLETS ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

This year's Annual Parish Meeting will be held at 7.15 pm on **Monday 4th April** at **Yeoford Community Hall**.

Although organised by the Parish Council this is a meeting for residents and is an opportunity for parishioners to raise and discuss local issues with Councillors and each other and celebrate local activities.

All welcome - please join in

## Yeoford 200 C£ub March Draw

**1st prize (£30):**  
CARL WHOLEY

**2nd prize (£20):**  
GEORGE HARROD

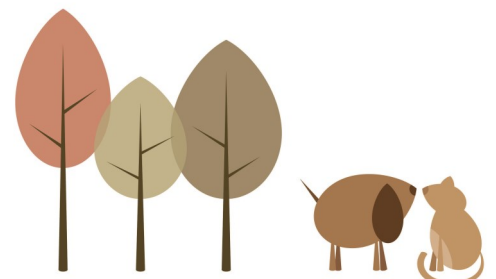
**3rd prize (£10):**  
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**4th prize (£10):**  
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April is the last draw for the current year with the new year starting in May. Members of the PTA will be contacting existing members with regards renewal and please feel free to email [yeofordschoolpta@gmail.com](mailto:yeofordschoolpta@gmail.com) with any queries or new registrations.



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# Yeoford Train Station Petition



Planning, Transportation & Environment

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7<sup>th</sup> March 2022

Dear Mr Lucking,

## **Re Feasibility into 2<sup>nd</sup> platform at Yeoford Station petition**

Thank you for your petition in respect of the above, which has been passed to me to respond.

Although Devon County Council has led on the delivery of new stations across the County in recent years, many of the rail network investment decisions sit with Network Rail and the Department for Transport, therefore I have discussed the potential for this scheme with colleagues in the rail industry to understand whether there is likely to be a strategic case for such investment at Yeoford Station.

Yeoford Station currently benefits from an hourly service to Exeter, which is a good level of service for a settlement of its size. According to pre-pandemic figures, at its peak annual patronage at this station was approximately 18,000 passengers, which equates to between 20 and 30 passengers using the railway per day. With Exeter being the County's strategic centre for employment, retail, education and culture, it is reasonable to assume that the demand for travel into Exeter would be higher than the demand for travel into Okehampton. It would therefore be challenging to make a strong value for money economic case for investment in a new platform and bridge at Yeoford based on the anticipated limited rail passenger demand between Yeoford and Okehampton.

Furthermore, the Dartmoor Line reopening has significantly enhanced rail services to/from Crediton, which as of this Summer will have hourly services to Okehampton and half hourly frequency trains to Exeter. The rail passengers generated both from Okehampton and Crediton all helped strengthen the business case for the significant investment in the railway. We will need to understand what impact the increased frequency will have on rail patronage including on nearby rail stations as this may result in some rail users in the Yeoford rural area being attracted to make use of the Crediton Park and Ride with greater timetable flexibility.

The other key factors in making a compelling business case for the Dartmoor Line was the ability to offer competitive journey times by rail compared to car between Okehampton and Exeter. Network Rail have indicated that introducing additional stops on the Dartmoor Line will slow end-to-end journey times between Okehampton and Exeter and could impact on mode shift from car to rail. Based on the limited rail passenger demand between Yeoford and Okehampton the disbenefits to Okehampton rail users would likely be greater than the benefits of introducing an additional stop at Yeoford.

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At the current time, the County Council is using its limited feasibility funding resources to focus efforts on progressing the business case for new passing loops on the West of England (Exeter to Waterloo) line. This would facilitate extension of rail services on the Barnstaple line (including Crediton Station) through to Axminster in East Devon. Cross city connectivity for communities in North and Mid Devon would be improved, expanding leisure, employment and education opportunities and East Devon towns on the railway would benefit from increased frequency of local rail services to and from Exeter.

Although this will come as a disappointment, I hope the reasons for not pursuing the feasibility study are clear as based on the evidence of existing passenger use of Yeoford station and considering potential demand for travel to Okehampton, we do not think that there is a sufficiently strong strategic and economic case for a second platform. Also, with limited funding resources, the County Council is prioritising other rail projects, which will provide greater benefit to a larger proportion of Devon's residents.

Yours sincerely,



Jamie Hulland  
Transportation Strategy and Road Safety Manager

## Yeoford Station Petition

I acknowledge your mail of 7th March which you correctly assumed was hugely disappointing. I cannot let it pass without making the following comments.

The petition was not primarily about increased services to Exeter (a merely incidental benefit) but about **facilitating** travel to Okehampton for the residents not only of Yeoford but of hamlets and villages including Colebroke, Coleford, Penstone, Neopardy, Woodland Head, Binneford and Hittisleigh. Who is to say how many would like to travel to Okehampton; do the operators not wish to fill those near- empty carriages in off-peak times and increase revenues? No doubt part of the Council's strategy is to move travel from road to rail and yet you are suggesting that potential users of the Dartmoor Railway travel to Crediton on narrow (and desperately potholed) roads.

I find your comment regarding 'disbenefits' to Okehampton rail users to be merely specious. It has been used by operators on the Tarka Line in the past to justify reduced services and the making of most stations request stops. Are train services not there to pick up passengers? Would Exeter/Okehampton travellers be so seriously disadvantaged by the stop of a few minutes at Yeoford, by request? I note with great interest that some Okehampton trains stop at Newton St Cyres.

We all need reminding of course, as retiring Councillor Nick Way pointed out to your Council in 2021, that £250,000 was allocated some while ago from the 'Invest in Devon' fund to be used at Yeoford but was diverted elsewhere.

I intend to put our correspondence in the public domain.

David Lucking  
Yeoford  
11 March 2022

YEOFORD COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION AND BUSKER BERNIE PRESENT

# YEO ROCKS

GET YEO ROCKS OFF!

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**YEOFORD VILLAGE HALL  
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# CARSHARING

## Save Money Help the Planet

## Share Your Car Journey With Someone Else

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Carsharing can save you money. Carshare will give a suggested contribution the passenger can contribute but of course its up to you. For example its suggested a return trip Crediton to Exeter would have a contribution of £2.00. So five days a week that's a saving of about £460 pounds in a year. If the passenger would otherwise take the bus they would be saving about the same. You can, if you both have cars, take turns with driving and each also save on wear and tear .Of course you can also have more than one passenger.

Carsharing can make a big contribution to reducing your personal and our communal carbon footprint. Its estimated that sharing a weekly commute between Exeter and Crediton with one other person for a year saves 950kg of CO2. That's like 42 extra trees doing their amazing work at cleaning our atmosphere.

Lots of people report that they have really enjoyed meeting new people and having company on their journeys.

With all the new house building in Crediton and surrounds the roads, especially at commuting times, will get more congested. Liftsharing can go a long way to easing these problems.

The website and app have lots of FAQs to answer your questions and help you get started. Its worth putting in your journey multiple times because the logarithms brain is limited and won't pick up that you would travel through somewhere. For example if you live in Yeoford and are going to Exeter you might also put in Crediton to Exeter to pick up lifts.

Be patient you might not at first get a match. The more people who join the better it works. If you want further support contact at us at [info@sustainablecrediton.org.uk](mailto:info@sustainablecrediton.org.uk). We would also love to hear your success stories.



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## Holy Trinity Church Yeoford

Today, Revd. Jenny We were thrilled to welcome Evelyn into our Church Family at her Christening in March. Revd. Lewis Eden conducted the service.

Messy Church was well attended in March. We looked at the parable of the Mustard seed and enjoyed many seed and bird related crafts with Lewis explained the parable and the children acting out being tiny seeds growing into big trees.

Our family service will be on 10th April Palm Sunday this month, with the children acting Jesus triumphant entry into Jerusalem, because the Holy Communion Service will be on Easter Sunday.

The next Community Lunch is on April 4th 12-30 for 1pm.

Café Company Mondays 10-11 am

**Services for April**  
 Family Service April 10th Palm Sunday

Holy communion on Easter Sunday

17th April 9-30  
 9-30am

May I wish you all a very happy Easter



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### **An appeal to all our villagers**

If you, your children or anyone you know plays in the recreation ground please always check with them that they have returned the goals to the edge of the field.

This is because the Air Ambulance **CANNOT LAND** if the goals are in the middle of the field.

If you pass the recreation ground or see anybody playing with the goals in the centre, could you please remind them (politely) that they should be returned to the edge after use, or move them back if you find them abandoned like this.

Thank you all for your cooperation.

**Yeoford Community Association**





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## Yeoford School PTA Easter Fundraising



Please see below details of the events Yeoford School PTA is undertaking at Easter.

<b>Easter Raffle</b>  <b>£5 a book</b> <b>£1 a ticket</b>	Easter Lunch Hamper	Easter Egg Hamper	<b>Draw will be undertaken at Yeoford School on 7 April 2022</b>  <b>Prizes can be collected from school or dropped off to winners</b>
	Children's Creative Crafts, Books and Easter Egg Hamper x 5	Large Easter Egg	
	Easter Cake	Box of Easter Cupcakes	
	Sandford Cider & Chocolate Egg	2x Bird feeders and Chocolate Egg	
	Beer and Chocolate Egg	Bird Nest Box and Chocolate Egg	
	Bow Garden Centre Voucher	Prosecco and Chocolate Egg x5	
	Pink Fizz and Chocolate Egg x5	Body Gift Sets & Chocolate Egg x5	
	Plus many more prizes – see FB page		
<b>Easter Cupcakes</b> <b>Box of 6 for £5</b>	<b>* Pre-order required by 4 April</b> (*please note designs and colours of toppings may vary)		<b>Available to collect from school on last day of term (8 April 2022)</b>
<b>Easter Bunny Hot Choc Cone</b> <b>£1</b>	<b>* Pre-order required by 4 April</b>		<b>OR</b>  <b>Deliveries can also be arranged</b>
<b>Easter Stocking Trail</b> <b>£2 per entry</b>	Find a variety of Easter Eggs in the front windows of houses around Yeoford Village and win a prize! Running from the 26 <sup>th</sup> March – 7 April 2022		<b>Prizes will be issued on the last day of term or delivered for non-school children</b>

Please email [yeofordschoolpta@gmail.com](mailto:yeofordschoolpta@gmail.com) to place orders for the above.

Further details of the above Raffle prizes can be found on the School's website: [www.yeoford.devon.sch.uk](http://www.yeoford.devon.sch.uk) and PTA Facebook page.



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 Saturday 8:00-14:00

Wednesday CLOSED  
 Booking App: Nearcut



**Yeoford Community Primary School**

World Book Day

All the pupils dressed up as their favourite story book characters and celebrated World Book Day. We enjoyed a story sharing visit from The Bookery in Crediton.



Our fabulous new outdoor shelter

If anyone has spare storage or shelving units, suitable for the shelter, or bean bags, cushions & throws for the new Fox class reading corner they could donate, we would be most grateful.



Owl class participated in an Academy Hockey Tournament at Tedburn School and developed some new sporting skills.



**BUMBLEBEESYEOPORD**

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. We would be happy to talk through joining our fantastic Foundation Stage Unit which will be open from Monday to Thursday weekly. We now also have a breakfast club and successful after-school club that runs until 5.30pm, please contact us if you require details on this.

Once again, we would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone in our community well!

[www.yeoford.thelink.academy/website/admissions/482041](http://www.yeoford.thelink.academy/website/admissions/482041)  
[www.facebook.com/Yeofordcommunityprimaryschool/](https://www.facebook.com/Yeofordcommunityprimaryschool/)

**HELLO FROM ECO COUNCIL**

*What we've been up to...*

We've been excitedly filling in our Eco Award paperwork and are eagerly awaiting to send it off and see if we can get our first award! We are going to be completing three projects: Litter, Energy and Marine life. If you have any comments about how Eco Council has impacted you we'd love to add them to our application.

**Keep Britain Tidy**

Exciting news we have pledged to collect 30 bags of litter from our school and the local community as part of the Keep Britain Tidy campaign. We have a new set of litter pickers and will be launching our Lend4Litter campaign. This will allow children to take a litter picker home to help tidy their local area. Make sure you send us lots of pictures!

*Dates for the diary*

**March 25th - 10th April** - Keep Britain Tidy Campaign.  
**8th April** - Closing date for poster competition.  
**22nd April** - Earth Day.

**Competition time**

As part of our Marine project we will be entering a national competition to win a £5000 makeover for our playground. We need: bottle tops!

As part of our litter campaign we are also launching an anti litter poster competition. Entries to Miss wright.





# CAR BOOT SALE

**Saturday 2nd April**

12.30pm - 4.30pm

£10.00 per pitch

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