

Atherington Argus

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Crocuses on the Village Green

By Chris Hart

Suggested donation of 25p an issue to assist with running costs.



Congratulation to Sadie and Chiz at The White Hart on the birth of Beauden (Beau) Joe Quance on Thursday 21st February.
A baby brother for Izzy and Bruno.

Richard Lethbridge Presents

‘Atherington on Film’ An evening exploring
our heritage



Films from the past

@ Atherington Pavilion, Friday 29th March,
Doors Open 6.30pm

Door opens for Film only at 7.00pm (approx 60mins, suitable for all ages)

£4 Film only or £10 with Supper option

To reserve a Soup and Pud supper please ring Sarah 560537

B.Y.O Tipple. Tea and Coffee available.

Proceeds to St Mary's Church, Atherington.

Chris Hart reports this month that there has been a report given saying that there was an attempt at breaking into a garden gate. Garden equipment is now on the menu for easy pickings. Make sure gates, sheds and garages are securely locked.





Vintage Tractor Run

Sunday 19th May

*Departing Umberleigh Village Hall, EX37 9AB, at 10.00am
(Tea/coffee available from 9:00am)*

£12.00 Entry per Tractor, including a meal

A cooked lunch on return from about 2:00pm

A warm welcome to all!

For a booking form, or to reserve a meal only (£7) please
contact Harold 01769 560665,
or email carolnorman.raybarrow@gmail.com, prior to 12/5/19

If anyone is able to help with the refreshments (cakes, puddings etc.) or would be able to donate a raffle prize, please contact either Carol Norman 560172 or Jenny Boyce 560404.

All Proceeds St Mary's Church, Atherington

Coffee Morning



Atherington Church Hall Saturday 16th March at 10:30

To raise money for the Defibrillator

Cakes, Books and Bric-a-brac

**North Devon: World Class Nature
A talk with Andy Bell**

(The North Devon UNESCO Biosphere Reserve Co-ordinator)

North Devon is one of just six UNESCO designated Biosphere Reserves in the UK. Find out what this means and why the area that we are lucky enough to live in is so important on a global scale.

Andy will explain why this is of international significance and how the actions we take now will impact on our region for the next generation and beyond.

Saturday, 11th May

7 pm in the Pavilion

£2.50 adults, £1.00 children under 16

Jacket potatoes and salad available before the talk from 6 pm

Community Garden



Spring is on it's way and work needs to resume on the village community garden. Let's work together and get it finished this year.

Please remember that this is a village garden and is an opportunity for everyone to experience the exhilarating pleasure of seeing it come to life as well as the satisfying side-effects of dirty hands and aching backs.

All help very much appreciated.

Gardening will restart in Friday evening, 5th April from 6 pm. Also on Saturday morning, 27th April from 10 am. Tea and cake provided!

VINCENT GAMBINI

This is Not a Magic Show

Beaford Arts Production

THIS SATURDAY - 2nd March

Come and be amazed

Suitable for children of school age and adults

Please support the Pavilion and the Arts

*Buy your tickets at the village shoppe,
Smithy Hair Salon or direct from Beaford Arts*



Come and join us at Atherington Pavilion

**Wednesdays 9:30am – 11am
during term times**

Craft, sensory and messy play activities,
tea/coffee, snack time and singing.

Suitable for babies up to 4yrs old
£2 per family or just £1 for babies under 6 months



Easter Egg Hunt and Coffee Morning

With Car Boot Sale

Saturday 6th April 10.00am

@ Atherington Children's Playing Field, EX37 9HY
Stalls, Raffle, Children's games and Refreshments

Egg hunt in the Playing Field! £2 entry

To reserve an egg hunt prize please ring Sarah 560537

Sellers 9am, £5 per car

Buyers 10am

Stalls available, £10 per table



*All Proceeds Atherington Church and Children's Playing Field
Find us on Twitter and Facebook*

Friday, 15th March

Atherington Pavilion

Doors open 7pm

Quiz starts 7.30pm

£2pp, Teams of up to 6

*Curry Supper, £5

*Options inc. Mild, Veggie, Medium or Non-Cur

Quiz & Curry Night

B.Y.O tipple, Soft drinks available

Proceeds to Atherington Church and Playing Field

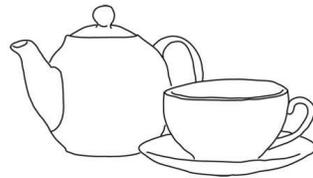
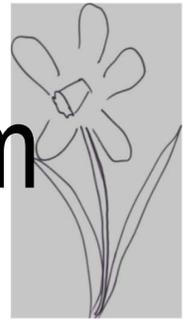
Bring and Share afternoon tea

A warm welcome to all

*Join us to raise a glass to our dear absent friends
and neighbours.*



Sunday 28th April, 4pm



View photos of the days gone by... Help us identify locations and people from the past.... With thanks to the Beaford Archive

Opportunity to play 'Gwens' piano, gifted to The Pavilion from Jack Burkhills family.

Share memories and stories together

The planting of memory trees and shrubs in the community garden.

In memory of our dear neighbours; Jack Burkhill, Rosie Glover, May Woolacott.

Please feel free to bring along any old photos from days gone by to share and reminisce over.

High Bickington Playing Field Association Committee

The Playing Field AGM will be Wednesday 15th May 2019 at the Church Hall from 7.30pm and we would welcome new friends and old, to come along. The Committee is comprised of Steve Pearce (Chairman), Sarah Parker (Secretary), Nikki Pearce (Treasurer), Derek Herniman, Amy Drayton, Andrew Hearn, Darren Avery, Fred Avery and they will be happy to answer questions you have about the field.



Whiddon Wagon – Fish and Chip Van
Umberleigh Train Station 4pm – 7pm

Tuesday 12th March
Tuesday 26th March
Tuesday 9th April
Tuesday 23rd April
Tuesday 7th May
Tuesday 21st May



News Flash- plastic free Atherington

Good news- John Hockridge our local milkman is now delivering milk in glass bottles. Deliveries are Tuesday and Saturday.

Listen out for the early morning clink, clink, clink!.

Tel 01271 345144 or email johnhockridge64@gmail.com

What's on This Month?

Ladies Tea Circle - Each Wednesday afternoon rotating each week around Members' homes.

St Mary's Parish Church - www.tworiversmissioncommunity.org

Services

Sunday, 10th March at 4 p.m. Family service/Messy Church in church hall

Sunday, 24th March at 4 p.m. Holy Communion service

Sunday, 31st March, at 10.30 a.m. Mothering Sunday and leaving service for Rev. Mike Clark at St. Mary's, High Bickington

Umberleigh Christian Fellowship – The Church by the Bridge

Sunday Services at 11am.

Pop in for coffee and cake on the first Tuesday of the month from 10 - 12 noon.

A warm welcome to all.

Further details from 01271 830662 or 560057

Concert by South Molton Circuit Choir on Sat March 2nd at 7.30pm. Refreshments available proceeds for age concern.

Mobile Library - Next in the Square Tuesday 5th March: 15.05 – 15.35

WI - Contact Margaret Maidlow – 01769 560498 Visitors always welcome

Luncheon Club: Thursday 7th March @ The Jack Russel, Swimbridge.

Contact Tony Squires on 01769 560489 for information.

Next Parish Council Meeting – Tues 19th March 2019– The Church Hall 7-30 pm

Contact Parish Clerk, Terry Squire on 01598 710526 or District Councillor and Parish Council Chairman, Walter White 01769 560303

<http://atheringtonparishcouncil.org.uk/index.html>

Local Bus Timetable - Operated by Turners Tours Route 325

Monday to Friday other than service marked T,Th,F which operates Tuesday, Thursday and Friday
No Service on Saturday, Sunday or Bank Holidays

Atherington – Barnstaple		T, Th, F
Atherington Church (Eastbound)	08:19	10:19
Bishops Tawton, Mount Pleasant (Northwest bound)	08:32	10:32
Sticklepath, Old Torrington Road (Northbound)	08:50	-
Barnstaple, Bus Station (Stand B)	08:55	10:40

Barnstaple – Atherington		T, Th, F
Barnstaple, Bus Station (Stand B)	13.30	16.30
Sticklepath Hill (Eastbound)	-	16.40
Bishops Tawton, The Bridge (Southeast bound)	13.40	16.55
Atherington Post Office	13.51	17.06

Train Timetable Operated by Great Western Railway

Monday to Friday

Fr Only

Exeter	05:50	06:48	08:31	09:27	10:27	11:27	12:27	13:27	14:27	15:27	17:02	17:57	19:00	21:00	22:53
Umberleigh	06:41	07:49	09:27	10:23	11:23	12:23	13:23	14:23	15:23	16:23	17:59	19:00	19:57	21:58	23:49
Barnstaple	06:55	08:01	09:39	10:35	11:35	12:35	13:37	14:37	15:35	16:35	18:12	19:14	20:09	22:11	23:59

Barnstaple	07:00	08:43	09:43	10:43	11:43	12:43	13:43	14:43	15:43	17:13	18:14	19:17	20:24	22:16
Umberleigh	07:09	08:51	09:51	10:51	11:51	12:51	13:51	14:51	15:51	17:23	18:22	19:25	20:32	22:24
Exeter	08:07	09:47	10:47	11:48	12:47	13:48	14:48	15:48	16:44	18:29	19:31	20:19	21:33	23:16

Saturday

Exeter	05:54	06:55	08:31	09:27	10:27	11:27	12:27	13:27	14:27	15:27	16:57	17:57	18:59	21:00
Umberleigh	06:45	07:52	09:27	10:23	11:23	12:24	13:25	14:23	15:23	16:23	17:53	18:59	19:56	21:58
Barnstaple	06:59	08:06	09:39	10:35	11:35	12:35	13:37	14:37	15:35	16:35	18:07	19:13	20:08	22:11

Barnstaple	00:05	07:05	08:43	09:43	10:43	11:43	12:43	13:43	14:43	15:43	17:08	18:13	19:16	20:24	22:30
Umberleigh	-	07:14	08:51	09:51	10:51	11:51	12:51	13:51	14:51	15:51	17:18	18:21	19:24	20:32	22:38
Exeter	01:00	08:13	09:47	10:48	11:48	12:48	13:48	14:48	15:47	16:44	18:23	19:30	20:19	21:29	23:31

Sunday

Exeter	08:43	09:54	12:03	14:08	16:04	18:07	20:01
Umberleigh	09:43	10:46	13:03	15:01	17:03	18:58	21:03
Barnstaple	09:55	10:56	13:14	15:11	17:16	19:09	21:15

Barnstaple	10:00	11:29	13:23	15:29	17:21	19:26	21:30
Umberleigh	10:10	11:37	13:32	15:37	17:30	19:34	21:39
Exeter	11:08	12:32	14:32	16:29	18:31	20:26	22:41

Atherington Businesses Directory

Ashwood Joinery	Martin Huggins	01769 561154
Atherington Acorns Playgroup Wednesday Mornings in the Pavilion	Katherine Broad	07766 088639
Avon	Linda Brayley	01769 560572
Chantry Nursery	Mr Martin	01769 560347
Daisy Park	Emma Paisey	01769 579077 www.daisypark.co.uk
General Builder	Tim Rose	01769 560410
HC Rosettes bespoke Rosettes for any event	Claire Large	01769 560556
Lilcott Farm Farm Produce – Meat & Eggs	Julie & Mark	07846 397823
Pet Shop 2 Go Pet Products & Accessories		01769 736637 www.petshop2go.co.uk
Sea Breeze Painter & Decorator	Dave Scott	01769 560758
Smithy Hair Salon	Alison Montague	01769 560046
Sports Massage Therapist	Abi Hanafin	07866 686021
Thatcher	Ian Rose	01769 560031
ThatchIt Thatcher	Toby Rose	07935 066041 info@thatchit.com www.thatchit.com
Village Shoppe & Post Office	Chris & Jo Hart	01769 560248

Contact Jo Hart if you would like to add your Village Business or Group to the list

Other Contacts

Atherington Pavilion Project, Jenny Boyce 01769 560404
Safer Atherington Streets Group – www.saferatheringtonstreets.org.uk
Atherington Conservation Area – www.athconv.wordpress.com
Parish Council - <http://atheringtonparishcouncil.org.uk/index.html>

Hire of one of Atherington's Halls

For availability and rates contact: -

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The Pavilion – in the Playing Field – Mrs Alison Montague 01769 560529

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