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Dear Friends,

Well another year is over and we are into 2016, where did 2015 go? It was a year full of many different things, of joys and sorrows, of celebrations and tragedy, both natural and human made, was it different than any other year? Of course for some people there will have been more times of celebration; there will have been weddings, births, anniversary celebrations; and for others there will have been sorrow of loss and bereavement; the loss of people, jobs and places, such is the pattern of life. Each one of us will have experienced many different emotions etc in the past year and will of course in the year to come, that is, as they say, "the rich tapestry of life."



It's how we cope with all the ups and downs of life that can be different. Some people float over things, some get bogged down and stuck in despair and some try hard to reason things out. Whichever sort of person you are it is always important to keep focusing ahead of us, to look for the light at the end of the dark tunnel. I always think that winter is a bit like a dark tunnel, we have short days, those dark mornings that make us want to stay in bed and the gathering gloom at the end of the afternoon heralding the darkness of light. But what comes after the gloom of winter? The sharp brightness of spring, whether it's early or late, it always arrives, the same as day follows night, the world keeps on turning into the light, an amazing thought.

The light of the sun is always there eventually and for me the light of another son, the Son of God, whom we have been celebrating these last few weeks, is always there too for us; he is the light at the end of the tunnel. In all our celebration at Christmas has his light been over shadowed by the glitter of the season so we have lost the meaning of the season? So as we go into this new year let us take the light of Jesus Christ with us, the light which is the love of God always with us, brought to us by the baby in the manger, who shone out God's love to all and continues to shine even in the darkest places now and forever. May the light of God's love be with you this year and forever more.

Every blessing, Rev Cate

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Feniton: David Lanning or Roger White (851441)
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Parishes of Feniton, Escot and Payhembury Church Services in January 2016

SUNDAY 3RD JANUARY

EPIPHANY

Church	Time	Service
Escot	4.00 pm	Evensong (JD)
Feniton	10.00 am 11.00 am	Storytime (LMG) Parish Communion (LMG)
Payhembury	11.00 am	Morning Worship (JWh)

SUNDAY 10TH JANUARY

FIRST SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY

Church	Time	Service
Feniton	9.00 am	Parish Communion (SWe)
Payhembury	10.30 am	Café (DB)

SUNDAY 17TH JANUARY

SECOND SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY

Church	Time	Service
Escot	9.00 am	Matins (JD)
Feniton	11.00 am 6.00 pm	Parish Communion (AT) Worship & Praise
Payhembury	9.30 am	Parish Communion (AT)

SUNDAY 24TH JANUARY

THIRD SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY

Church	Time	Service
Escot	9.00 am	Parish Communion (CE)
Feniton	10.30 am	Morning Worship (LL) with speaker from Bible Society
Payhembury	11.00 am	All ages service (CE)

SUNDAY 31ST JANUARY

CANDLEMAS

Church	Time	Service
Feniton	11.00 am	Joint Parish Communion (CE)
Payhembury	4.00 pm	Christingle (CE)

SUNDAY 7TH FEBRUARY

SUNDAY NEXT BEFORE LENT

Church	Time	Service
Escot	4.00 pm	Evensong (JD)
Feniton	10.00 am 11.00 am	Storytime (CE) Parish Communion (CE)
Payhembury	11.00 am	Morning Worship (MAC)

Comic Theatre Writing Workshops



Following a number of previous successful inputs, Tale Valley Community Theatre is once again privileged to have freelance professional playwright and director Nick Stimson running workshops in Payhembury Hall – this time on comic theatre. After a string of successful serious TVCT dramas, the most recent being the original WW1 promenade production ‘*They*

Dream of Home’, Nick will lead an introductory writing workshop on Saturday 27th February with a follow-up session on Saturday 2nd April. The workshops will run from 10.00am to 4.00pm on both days. In the weeks between those workshops, Nick will offer advice to participants by email.



Our previous productions have included the writing of 12 – 76 year-olds and all over age 11 are welcome to the workshops – no previous experience necessary. You can see more about Nick on the Web by searching for “*nick stimson biography*”.

Please contact John Somers to book a place. To assist with covering the cost of the sessions, the fee to attend the two workshops is £15 – under 18s free. You can discover more about this initiative and book a place by contacting John Somers at 01884 277390, 07934 611368 or J.W.Somers@exeter.ac.uk

The University of the Third Age



Honiton U3A begin their New Year programme of meetings on **Wednesday 13th January at The Beehive, Dowell Street, Honiton** when they welcome their speaker, Janet Diamond, who will be giving a talk entitled ‘Nomads to Nation – The Early Settling of the Nile Valley’ – a look into the 3,000 year history of ancient Egypt and its civilisation.

Venue: The Beehive Centre, Dowell St., Honiton
Doors open 1.30pm for a 2pm start

Members Free and Visitors welcome (suggested donation of £2.00)

Further information: 01404 43799 Website:
<http://u3asites.org.uk/honiton>

A bag in the hand is worth two in the cupboard!

Now that people are having to pay for carrier bags in supermarkets and shops, we're finding that our village shop is running short. Many people already bring a shopping bag with them, which really helps, but it is handy to be able to offer a bag when needed, so if you have any spare bags to hand into us we would be very grateful.



Thanks, Lin Horrocks

Feniton and Payhembury Mothers' Union

The last meeting of our branch was held on 9th December in the seasonally decorated Parish Hall, with 8 members present and 21 guests. We were sorry that some of our members were unable to attend due to poor health, and wish them well.

The Reverend Cate welcomed everyone and led us in prayer. The Christmas story was unfolded with carols and Bible readings given by our members. Marion kindly accompanied us on her keyboard. Very many thanks to her and also to the Rev. Cate, and to Babs as well for all her help.

A festive tea was enjoyed by all and everyone was wished a Happy Christmas with a glass of sherry and Christmas cake! The raffle and bring and buy was well supported. It was so good to meet up with ex-members, other M.U. members and friends who have supported us over many years; especially joining us on our annual outings.

thank
you!

It is sad that our branch is closing, but I should like to take this opportunity to thank Mary and Paula for their leadership and to Judy for keeping the books in order for us and for allowing us to meet at her home each month. Barbara has booked some very inspiring speakers during this past year and we have enjoyed great fellowship. However, we will be able to keep in touch through the close bond we have with our churches.

It has been a privilege to serve as Secretary, and I thank all our members for their support.

A VERY BIG THANK YOU FOR ALL THE KIND WISHES AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL

Marjorie Wright
Hon. Secretary

News from Payhembury Primary School



December was certainly a very busy month for the school, with the nativity, carol service, Christmas party and theatre trip. A huge thank you to Rob Leach for allowing us to take over his grain store for a week for the nativity. Another huge thank you to John Somers, who provided the lighting and the expertise in setting the main stage.

We were sad to say goodbye to Gill Donne-Davis from pre-school. Gill has worked so hard to provide a caring environment for the children of Payhembury. The first children she taught are now in secondary school!

We were also sorry to lose Jim Kimber as mealtime assistant. He has worked in school for five years and will be missed next term.

Men's Shed Project - Men! We Need You!



Ottery Help Scheme is working in partnership with the Royal Voluntary Service (RVS) and Men's Sheds UK to bring a Men's Shed to Ottery St Mary.

Men's Sheds are sprouting up all over the country with the aim of providing a welcoming and creative space where men can meet socially and at the same time work on any project of their choice using a variety of materials and equipment.

The Sheds are mainly aimed at engaging those who are over 50, but all would be welcome - it may be that you have a talent to share with others or would like to learn more about wood work / metal work or some other craft or hobby. We would love to hear from all those who would be interested in using The Ottery Shed - we need a show of interest to make this happen! We also want to hear from all those who are interested in becoming Shed Committee Members, taking the lead in decision-making and shaping our own Men's Shed in Ottery. Please call Ottery Help Scheme now on 01404 813041 if you would like to be involved.

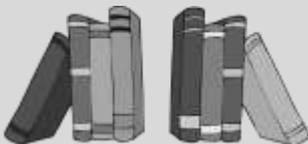
Tale War Memorial

This is an article written by Tom Weekes aged 9. He lives in the house next to the War Memorial. The two brothers, Henry Pratt (1888-1918) and William Pratt (1891-1915) also lived there before the war.

In the service we were told about the people who were on it. Tinky, our cat, cheerfully interrupted during the two minutes silence. There were candles all around. During the service, owls mysteriously hooted. At the end of the two minutes silence, someone played the Last Post loudly. At the end, Tinky finally ran home.

Mobile Library

**Wednesday January 20th
from 11.25-11.45am
in the Parish Hall Car Park at
Payhembury**



Clarets' Corner

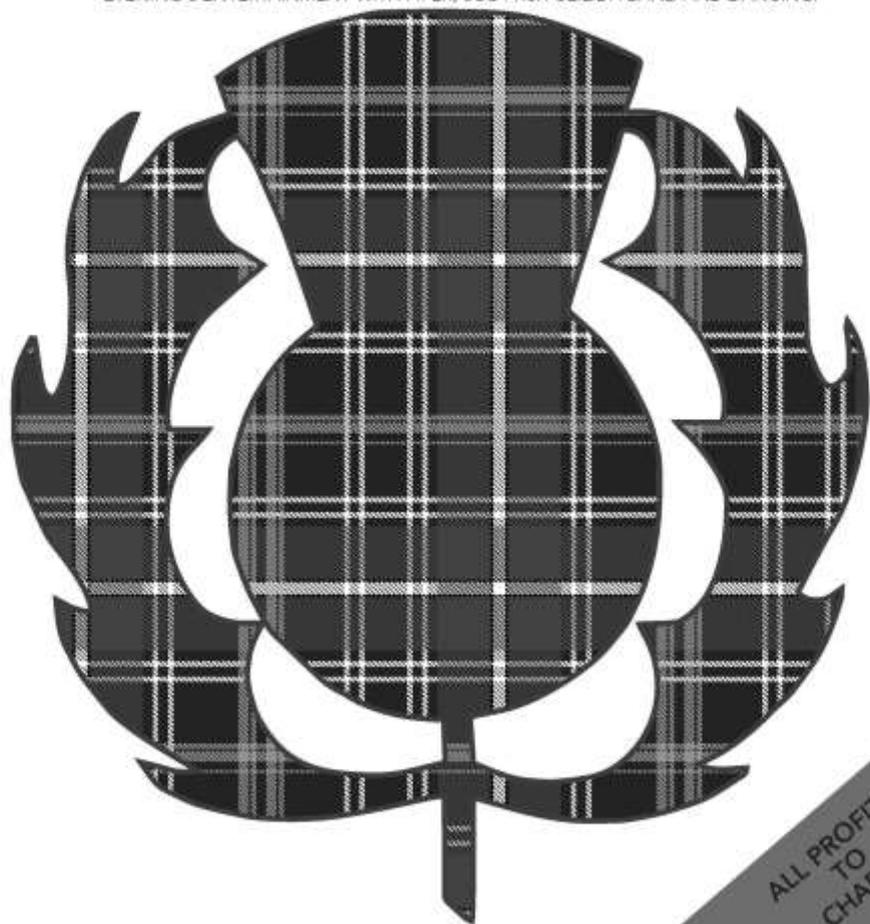


The clarets have been drawn away to MIDDLESBROUGH in the third round of the FA cup, it would be nice to get to the final this year as I haven't been to see the clarets at WEMBLEY since 2009. MANY THANKS to everyone who looked after me during the Christmas period! see you around the village and UP THE CLARETS!!

Marty

BURNS NIGHT SUPPER & CEILIDH

JOIN US TO CELEBRATE THE GREAT SCOTTISH POET, ROBERT BURNS, WITH CANAPÉS FOLLOWED BY DINNER AND A WEE DRAM OF SCOTLAND'S FINEST. ENJOY AN EVENING'S ENTERTAINMENT WITH PIPER, SCOTTISH CEILIDH BAND AND DANCING.



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23 JANUARY 2016 | 7.00PM | DAYHEMBURY PARISH HALL

TICKETS | £32

CONTACT | KIRSTY CANN ON 01404 851 421 OR [KIRSTY@CANNS.CO.UK](mailto:kirsty@canns.co.uk)

DRESS | HIGHLAND DRESS OR BLACK TIE

Broadhembury and District Gardening Club

Wednesday 6th January in Broadhembury Memorial Hall, from 7.30pm

Mike and Edna Squires on 'Plant Heritage'

What's going to happen about Plymtree Soup Lunches this year?



Several people have been asking this and have decided not to continue. We are grateful to those who have offered to help, however what is really needed is a new group who can take over completely.

Not all is lost, as we have decided to run a one-off 'souper' lunch on a Saturday in March. Keep your eyes open for details.

Hope to see you in March...

Helen Purves

Apple Pips

Apple Pips Baby and Toddler group would like to thank everyone who entered the competition to win a signed copy of Kirstie Allsop's book, 'Christmas Crafts', which she kindly donated to the group. Congratulations to Lisa Weekes whose winning number was drawn at the Apple Pips Christmas party. The competition raised £40 for Apple Pips. Thanks also to Father Christmas for visiting us all and making the party so special.

Apple Pips starts again on 4th January 2016 in the Parish Hall from 9am-11.30am each Monday. We have lots of exciting things planned for the Spring Term so please do join us!



Thank You

A big thank-you to all our friends and neighbours for their love, concern and best wishes when I was very unwell recently. I'm feeling much better now so thank you all very much.

Pete and Jan Penly

Youth Club

The Youth Club will be holding its AGM on **Friday January 8th at 8pm in the Six Bells Inn**. We will be discussing the future of the club and hope to see potential new committee members there. We particularly would like to see someone willing to take over the role of Chairperson.

Graham Mullin
Youth Club Treasurer

W.I. January 12th, 7.30pm, Broadhembury Hall

Happy New Year everybody from us!

If anyone would be interested in joining us, please contact **Julie Ashcroft on 841189**, or **Angie Carr on 841862**.

Christmas comes but once a year, and when it does, the WI gets cracking and has a jolly good knees-up, or, as we call it, a Christmas Bring and Share Supper. It was a lovely occasion, with festive music, candles and holly, plenty of terrific food, and a really fascinating musical quiz. Our next meeting is on January 12th, in Broadhembury Hall, when Dr. Don Archer will speak on nursery rhymes, 'Vinegar and Brown Paper,' in the evening at 7.30 pm.



On January 26th, at 12.30, Linda Wilson is hosting a New Year Lunch to help raise funds. There will be an exciting raffle, as well as a chance to taste Linda's exquisite cooking. Please prebook. February sees us at Broadhembury, with Martin Smith speaking on Driving Awareness, at 2.30pm, and there will be many and glorious cakes and tea, for a small charge. Everybody, not only WI members, is invited, and it should prove most instructive for all. It is on the 9th. Hope to see you then.

Julie Ashcroft

PAYHEMBURY SPRING BULB AND FLOWER SHOW...

... would like to wish everyone a very Happy New Year 2016!

Tale Valley Choir

Meets generally alternate Wednesdays
in the Church of St James the Great,
Talatun EX5 2RL



7.30 - 9.00 pm

£3 per person payable half-termlly

Contact Emma Palmer if you are interested in joining us

empal1@icloud.com or 01404 823083

*Music reading, not necessary,
sense of humour, vital*

February Half Term Children's Holiday Club East Devon

Hello. My name is Mary Lorimer and I will be running a holiday club in Plymtree Village Hall for 3 days from Monday 15th to Wednesday 17th February 2016, 9am to 5pm. The club is for primary school children (aged 5-11) and we will offer morning, afternoon or whole day sessions, providing a range of games, crafts and activities, led by qualified staff. Our aim is to make the sessions fun and as engaging as possible.

Each session costs £20 (whole day £40) with concessions for siblings.

I will be running the club with Jayne Johnson. Jayne is a qualified primary school teacher and ex-police officer. I am a qualified secondary school teacher and self-employed literacy tutor.

For further information and booking please contact Mary Lorimer on: 01884 277226 / 07923 333225 / chc.eastdevon@gmail.com

Nature Notes

Observations from December

Hello and a Merry Christmas to you all!

Lots of activity in the garden. On the feeders – lots of goldfinches (goldies), blue tits, great tits, long tailed tits, coal tits (more of them this winter), greenfinches, chaffinches and our friend "Woody", the great spotted woodpecker, who visits us most days.

On my walks up the lane towards Willands Ash, I often see a sparrow hawk. He (she) sits on top of the posts, and is getting very bold, because she doesn't fly away until the last moment. The buzzards are also about – one hears them before seeing them – mewing like cats.



Leonard tells me that we have got a rare visitor near Yellingham. A cattle egret. This is a smaller, dumpier bird than the little egrets, which are now common in the UK. We've seen a solitary cattle egret in previous years in that area of the Parish.

I was hoping to have been on the River Exe birdwatching cruise by now, which, unfortunately, we had to cancel because of the bad weather forecast, which, in the event, was wrong, so we

could have gone! I do recommend this trip to anyone with an interest in birds – it is excellent.

Alan Jones – 841671 – baroda.jones@btinternet.com

**William Garvey, furniture designers & makers, of Upton,
are delighted to sponsor Payhembury Parish Paper**

Yellingham Farm Diary – December



Wow..... following on from my notes in November, the apple pressing was amazing. I contacted an apple pressing company from Newton Abbott, who duly arrived on the appointed day and the process began. We had collected kilos and kilos of apples in trays and then it was over to them. First they washed them all, then they were put in batches through a large macerator and then layered in a large press, which was situated in the back of their van. In the first pressing they took away 125 litres, which is their capacity when mobile, which was returned within three days, pasteurised, and bottled. A few days later the same procedure was followed and another 125 litres was pressed. The result was amazing and instead of watching the majority of my apples rot over the winter, after using and giving away as many as possible, I am now the proud owner of 320 beautiful bottles of our own apple juice. I have had lovely labels made and sales for Xmas are good. With any luck you may see some in the shop.

A quick note on the farm. The wet weather has caused havoc with the fleece of my sheep and bellies and bottoms need addressing. The shearer is due tomorrow and he will belly out and dag (rear end tidy up) all the lambs. This is now essential, as markets and most importantly abattoirs are getting very strict on ensuring animals are “clean” before slaughter. Quite right too, even though it is difficult with the ground as wet as we have here at Yellingham. The in lamb ewes will also be dagged out in preparation for lambing. This process removes the wool from around their rear ends and also around the teats, so that it is all clean and aids both the lamb in the navigation process to the teat and gives the shepherd a clear view of what is going on! Lambing isn't far off.....

Janet East

Parish Coffee Morning

Wednesday 27th January 11 am
Biricha

Alan and I will be delighted to welcome you at the next Coffee Morning, which will be held at our house 'Biricha' – three doors up from Pollybrook Cottages – on Wednesday 27th January at the usual time of 11a.m. Please come and join us for a friendly get-together. All proceeds to Church Funds.

If you would like further information about the coffee mornings, or would like a lift, please give me a ring on 841828.

HAPPY NEW YEAR EVERYONE

Marjorie



**Every Second Wednesday at
9.15am in St Mary's Church,
Payhembury. Stories, craft,
prayers and singing for toddlers
and their carers.
For more information call Becky
on 841825**

Parchie and Parchina

Hi friends, we hope you have had a great Christmas. We had a wonderful time and really enjoyed having our field mouse friends with us. They were amazed at the Christmas tree in church; they enjoyed playing in the tree and swinging from the branches. Mum was very worried we would break the baubles, but we were very careful. We made some great swings out of the tinsel!

We played some great family games as well and spent a lot of time dressing up as different people. Parchina was very cheeky and found a piece of white plastic and tied it around her neck to look like Rev Cate, then she stood at the front of the church and tried to tell us all a story, it was really funny! I do hope no one tells Rev Cate!

But Christmas was really good fun, we enjoyed all the singing at the services and we even had a Christening when little Archie was Christened. It was lovely to see him and his family and he was so happy.



I have to say we are a little disappointed that we haven't had any snow, we love snow balling and sliding down the roof of the church on our toboggans. We haven't been able to do that for so long I expect our toboggans are covered in cobwebs. Perhaps we can find out how to make artificial snow in the future and have our own snow slides.

Well a new year has started and we are looking forward to lots of exciting things to come after the holidays. The children will be back in church for their usual services. We do love their singing and we hope that someone might keep the heating on longer so our toes will keep warm. We are also looking forward to more soup lunches, as we love to pick up the crumbs people leave afterwards. Parchina and I rush around the church and have races to see how many we can pick up in a minute and also who can carry the most. I have to say Parchina is really fast. Well we must rush off now and peep outside to look.

Happy New Year, Parchie and Parchina and family

Cup of Tea and Bingo!



Our next get-together will be on:

**Wednesday 6th January 2016
in the Parish Hall from 2.15 pm**



Hope you have all had a good Christmas and are looking forward to a happy and healthy New Year. Perhaps even with a bit of luck? So join us for a few games and you could win.....well, you all know what!!

Look forward to seeing you on the 6th.....Louise and Joy

Payhembury Weather

www.payhembury-weather.co.uk

Rainfall: Both November and so far in December have been drier than normal in south west England, unlike in Cumbria.

Temperatures: It has been really mild over the past two months, with maximum temperatures close to the records. The lawn has continued to grow and daffodils have been spotted before Christmas. There were only a couple of early mornings in November when the temperature was below zero.

Weather elsewhere: The Met Office issued a red warning for rain in Cumbria on 5 December which means take action and Cumbria was overwhelmed by flood water causing misery for the second time within 10 years. The rain gauge at Honister collected a massive 341.4mm (13.7 inches) of rain on 5 Dec, making it the highest 24 hours total on record in the UK.

Payhembury Monthly Temperatures degC

Nov/Dec 15	1960-90 Climate	Measured Averages	Warmer or colder than average?
Max Temp	10.4/8.5	13.1/12.7	Warmer
Min Temp	4.0/2.7	8.0/8.5	Warmer
Mean Temp	7.2/5.6	10.5/10.6	Warmer
Temp Range	6.4/5.8	5.0/4.2	
Highest Max	17/15.5	16.9/13.6	6 Nov 15
Lowest Min	-6.5/-9	-1.8/3.4	23 Nov 15
Lowest Max	1.5/-2.5	6.8/10.7	21 Nov 15
Highest Min	14/12.5	13.3/11.9	10 Nov 15
Payhembury		Rainfall mm	Date of max
Nov 15	85	58	14 Nov 15
Dec 15 2 weeks	47	15	14 Dec 15

Current weather in Payhembury and a forecast can be viewed at www.payhembury-weather.co.uk

Roger Saunders

COMING TO A VILLAGE NEAR YOU

Friday 12th Feb 2016



Gaz Brookfield, Nick Parker and Ben Wain

Payhembury Parish Hall

LICENSED BAR
Doors Open at 8pm

Ticket price £4.00

Tickets available from PAYHEMBURY PROVISIONS
& Caroline/David 01404 841134

Bringing a touch of festival magic to a dark
winter's night



Helping to raise funds for MS TRUST

Soup Lunch

We start a new year with the soup lunch on **Monday 11th, 12-2 in the church**, weather permitting!

Everyone is welcome and we look forward to seeing you all again.



Babs Leach,
841409

Church maintenance

Church maintenance day will be on **Saturday 30th January from 10-12 am**. There is a lot of painting and oiling of doors to be done, so if you are able to, come along and give a hand.

Thank you, Babs

Girls' Night Out

19th January from 8pm
The Six Bells.



Look forward to seeing you all, any newcomers very welcome.

Babs

Parish Paper Deadline: Monday 18th, 4pm!

Please do try to get articles in on time!

If you really can't make the deadline, please let us know in advance and we'll do our best to accommodate you.



Welcome to Payhembury
Daisy Florence Pike!

Daisy was born on 16th
November, weighing
7lb3.

Get Writing!

I would like to introduce a new, monthly item into the Parish Paper – poems written by parishioners. I envisage that there will be calls for poems written by those of primary school age, secondary school age and adults. To begin with contributors would not be restricted to a particular theme, but for reasons related to the amount of space used, there will be a word limit. We are hoping to excite the imagination of those who may not have written a poem since school days – or not at all. You do not have to be a ‘poet’ to submit something.

As a starter I thought we could publish some limericks in the March issue. To start the ball rolling, I am showing here two well-known ones, plus one I have just written. Limericks have a structure which can be discovered by speaking these verses out loud. There are plenty of websites which give tips on all aspects of writing a limerick. One example can be found at: www.jbryant.eu/pages/limerick.htm

“There are three beats in the first, second and fifth lines of a limerick and two in the third and fourth:-

“Diddy-DUM diddy-DUM diddy-DUM
Diddy-DUM diddy-DUM diddy-DUM
Diddy-DUM diddy-DOM
Diddy-DUM diddy-DOM
Diddy-DUM diddy-DUM diddy-DUM”

Here’s one from Ogden Nash:

*A flea and a fly in a flue
Were imprisoned, so what could they do?
Said the fly, "Let us flee!"
"Let us fly!" said the flea.
So they flew through a flaw in the flue.*

And another from Edward Lear

*There was a young lady of Niger
who smiled as she rode on a tiger;
They returned from the ride
with the lady inside,
and the smile on the face of the tiger.*

And one from me

*There was a young woman from Tale
Who decided to learn how to sail;
She bought a huge yacht
But the thing she forgot?
For the Tale it was way out of scale.*

What you submit should be your original creation. This one is aimed at writers of any age. So get writing and send your entries to me at j.w.somers@exeter.ac.uk or by post to: Pear Tree Cottage, Lower Tale, Payhembury, Honiton, EX14 3HL by **January 20th** for publication in the March paper. This will give me time to look at the (huge number!) of entries, give help and feedback and select those for publication. Please add your name and contact details and, if under 16, your age. The next poetic format will be announced in the February paper for publication in the April paper.



John Somers

Bus shelter

Our new bus shelter is now sitting proudly in Waterloo Plot and is looking fantastic!

The shelter has been a true community project, involving many generous members of our parish who have sawn, shaped, drilled and hammered every part of the shelter.

Thanks firstly must go to Luton Green Saw Mills, who very kindly cut all the timber free of charge for the shelter. We have also been very fortunate to have a great team of volunteers who have willingly given their time to build the shelter from scratch and we would like to thank them all for their generosity.

Special thanks however, must be given to Robert Leach, Bill Eaton, Tim Cox, Clive Fowler, Richard Autherson and Keith Williams, who have given up many evenings over the last couple of months for this sizable DIY project!

It is a real asset to the community, and we hope all will enjoy using it.

Payhembury Parish Council

Payhembury Bells

Our village bells need some repairs and so we've decided to hold a fair next July to raise some money. If anyone is having a New Year clear out could you keep us in mind, as we're trying to build up a stock of Tombola prizes and books.

Could any keen gardeners please raise a few extra plants for us, as we plan to have a plant stall too.



Thanks - Lin Horrocks
and the Payhembury ringers

Many, many thanks to all of you who supported the bells coffee morning. With your help we raised the grand total of £89. What a smashing start to Christmas. Pat & myself wish you all a very merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Brian

Devon County Council Community Survey

With tough decisions being made about public services, Devon County Council is asking people to let the council know how the changes are affecting them and their quality of life. Have Your Say before 7 January at: <https://services.devon.gov.uk/web/dcc-surveys/communitysurvey2015>

Do you have an event to publicise, or some news to share? Email: payhemburypaper@yahoo.co.uk



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RD&E Hospital Exeter 01392 411611
Ottery St Mary Hospital 01404 816000 (MIU Mon-Fri 8am-1pm)

Your Parish Council

Meetings held 2nd Wed of alternate months (starting January) 7.30pm in the Parish Hall

Keith Williams	01404 841772	Robert Leach	01404 841408
Mark Disney	01404 841353	Tim Cox	01404 850005
Bill Eaton	01404 841522	Mary Lorimer	01884 277226
Paul Hynam	07770 481774	Sue Morris, Parish Clerk	01404 850094

email: payhemburypc@googlegmail.com

Useful numbers at the County Council (all 0345)

General Enquiries	155 1015	Registrars	155 1002
Roads and Transport	155 1004	Libraries	155 1001
Disability Information	155 1005	Children/Families	155 1013
Bus passes	01392 383 688		

Emergencies

Social Care 0345 600 0388
Highways 01392 383329
Animal Welfare, Petrol, Explosives 01392 499499

Useful numbers at the District Council (all 01395)

Switchboard	516551	Pest control	516551
Emergency (out of hours)	578237	Environmental Health	517456
Dog problems	571457	Council Tax/Benefits	517446
Missed Bins/Recycling	571515	Car Park Fines	571780
Planning Matters	517475		
Support for elderly, disabled & vulnerable residents			578237

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CALENDAR FOR JANUARY 2016

- Sun 3rd Morning Worship, 11am
- Wed 6th Tea and Bingo, Parish Hall, 2.15pm
Gardening Club, Broadhembury Memorial Hall, 7.30pm
- Fri 8th Youth Club AGM, 8pm, Six Bells Inn
- Sun 10th Café Service (DB), 10.30am
- Mon 11th Soup lunch, the church, 12-2
Bible Study, Cherrybrook, 8pm
- Tues 12th W.I. meeting, 7.30pm, Broadhembury Hall
- Thurs 14th BBC Social 'Movie Night' 6-8pm at Cherrybrook
- Fri 15th Emmaus Group, Cherrybrook, 9.15am
- Sun 17th Parish Communion, 9.30am
- Mon 18th PARISH PAPER DEADLINE, 4pm
- Tues 19th Girls' Night Out, Six Bells, 8pm
- Sat 23rd Burn's Night, Parish Hall, 7pm. Tickets to be bought in advance from Kirsty Cann
- Sun 24th All ages service, 11am
- Mon 25th Bible Study, Cherrybrook, 8pm
- Wed 27th Parish Coffee morning, 11am, Biricha
- Thurs 28th BBC at Rev Cate's
- Fri 29th Emmaus Group, Cherrybrook, 9.15am
- Sat 30th Church maintenance, 10-12 am
- Sun 31st Christingle (CE), 4pm

Church Flowers: Mrs. L. Granger: 2nd & 9th; Mrs. S. Derbyshire: 16th & 23rd; Mrs S. Ford: 30th & Feb 6th

REGULAR WEEKLY ACTIVITIES HELD IN THE PARISH HALL
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MONDAY	Apple Pips Pre-school Youth Groups	9.30-11.30am 9.00-12.30pm 5.30-8.30pm
TUESDAY	Pre-school Musical Moments Pilates	9.00-12.30pm 9.15-10.15am 7.00-8.00pm & 8.15-9.15pm
WEDNESDAY	Pre-school Pilates Short Mat Bowling	9.00-12.30pm 9.15-10.15 & 10.30-11.15am, Men 7.30-10.00pm
THURSDAY	Pre-school Pilates for beginners	9.00-12.30pm 9.15-10.15am
FRIDAY	Pre-school	9.00-12.30pm

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