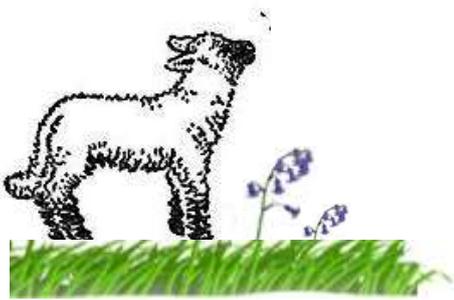


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THIS MONTH.....

100 YEARS AGO

Local: Charles Coombes of Chick, Trusham, appeared in court in Newton Abbot, charged with absenteeism under the Military Service Act. He was fined and handed over to the military authorities.

National: A munitions factory explosion at Uples, near Faversham, Kent, killed 108 men. The noise was heard as far away as France.

International: British forces surrendered to Turkish troops at Kut in Mesopotamia (now Iraq), Of the 13,000 soldiers captured, more than half died in Turkish jails

Judith Rowland

COFFEE MORNING

On: Friday April 8th

At: 10.30-12 noon

In: the Village Hall

Why: Another opportunity to come and catch up with friends, enjoy homemade cake and cookies and help raise funds for the church- all for £1. There will also be a raffle and a book stall (contributions gratefully received). Looking forward to seeing you.

Jane Brooks (PCC)



CHUDLEIGH FILM SOCIETY

Our screening for **Friday 8th April** will be *Calvary* (98 min), a drama set in an Irish village. The actor,

Brendan Gleeson, plays the part of a 'good priest', Father James, who is given a week to live by a vengeful mystery man. This melodrama tries to 'spot the killer' amongst the

various oddball village characters, played by an excellent supporting cast in a soulful, thought-provoking and warmly human fable.



Screening: 8pm in the Woodway Room, Chudleigh Town Hall (doors open at 7.15pm for the sale of alcoholic / soft drinks /sweets). Non-members: £5
Enquiries: 01626 859593 or visit our website for details: www.chudleighfilmsociety.org

ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING

You are invited to come to the annual meeting on **Monday 11th April, at 7pm**, for a presentation and report on what has happened in the life and work of the church in the last year. There also be an opportunity to contribute to our plans for the forthcoming year. We will start with refreshments at 6.45pm. Do come. We'd love to see you!

Pat Smethurst

VILLAGE QUIZ

Last month's loosely linked Agatha Christie Mystery Quiz wasn't too much of a whodunnit for competing teams (with Famous 4 becoming 5 with the surprise and very welcome re-appearance of DAJ). Scores would have meant A grades for all if it had been an exam. The team awarded an A* with merit was **Not (Ready) Yet** who will be taskmasters for this month's quiz on **15th April at 7.30pm**. Just £4 per person including light refreshments and a mental spring-clean.



Judith Rowland

C.A.D.A.S.

Chudleigh & District Amenity Society

The well attended talk given by Brian Portch gave insight into Concorde. This month's meeting on **15th April** will be addressed by historian Dr Todd Gray speaking about Remarkable *Women of Devon*. He will highlight the often overlooked part that women have played in shaping the history of Devon.

David Williams

TRUSHAM AGMs

The Parish and Village Hall AGMs will be held at **7.30pm on Tuesday 26th April**, in the hall at 7.30pm.

Where will **YOU** be?!



FRIENDS OF CHUDLEIGH LIBRARY

We will be celebrating 400 years of Shakespeare **2-4pm on Saturday 23rd April** (his birthday). Bring your favourite Shakespeare bits, ready to read them or just to listen. This is a fun event - and no grand acting is required, just sharing admiration of the Bard. Light Refreshments. £2 at the door.

On **Monday 25th April** we meet two rising stars in the world of British Crime Writing: Clare Donoghue, will be talking about her new book *Trust No One*, featuring her two main characters, DS Jane Bennett and DI Mike Lockyer. Chris Ewan, best known for the *Good Thief* series of travelling adventures featuring Charlie Howard, will be talking about his new stand-alone novel. Tickets, available from the Library, need to be bought in advance: £2 and include light refreshments.

For information about Friends of Chudleigh Library, contact Jill Hughes (Librarian, Chudleigh Library) on 852469 or Douglas Neely (Chairman) on 853456

LATER

????????? warm sunshine maybe?

EARLIER

TRUSHAM CAUSLEY FUND

Trustees met in March and agreed to give a grant of £585 to the village committee towards the village defibrillator, this being the balance of money needed after the existing fund-raising events had taken place.

Pat Smethurst Minutes Secretary

THIS 'CRIME' PAID OFF!

The TADS all star production of *The Body on the Lawn* made a net profit of £800. This will be distributed as follows: St Petrock's (helping the homeless) Exeter- £400; Village defibrillator fund- £200; St Michael's Church fund- £200.

Trusham thespians take a well-deserved bow!

PARISH MEETING

- The Parish Meeting has placed the order for the defibrillator, taking the managed option scheme which provides training. Funding from the Causley Fund will cover any additional monies required after village fundraising and a grant from Cllr. Ford has been taken into consideration.
- It was noted that Historic England have applied for Listing of the War Memorial.
- The committee decided to provide a celebration drink to accompany the cream teas being arranged for the Queens 90th birthday celebrations organised by St.Michael's church on 12th June.
- The Parish Meeting AGM will be on Tuesday 26th April at 7.30pm.
- The Village Hall committee had received a quote of £1,450 for repainting the hall. It

was decided to ask again if villagers were prepared to volunteer to do this.

- A quote of £200 had been accepted for road salt storage facilities.
- BT to be asked if they would agree to the repainting of the telephone box; the village would fund paint; a committee member had volunteered to carry out the work.
- Hall AGM to follow on after Parish Meeting AGM on 26th April.

LITERARY SUPPER

Those who attended last month's Literary Supper organised by John Ralston and the Trusham and Teign Valley Book Club enjoyed an appetizing Sheldon meal and an entertaining talk given by local author, Charles Flyte who described a young journalist's bicycle antics as well as giving intriguing observations about 'Mr Teasy Weasy'. Education for some and success for others was provided by Penelope Putz's wide-ranging literary quiz.

Judith Rowland

LENT LUNCH

Many thanks to all who supported the Lent Soup Lunch in the Village Hall. £110 was raised which will be shared equally between the St Petrock's Centre in Exeter and the village defibrillator fund.

Pat Smethurst

LENT SUPPORT

And many thanks to the cooks who fed us with a variety of tasty soups and breads as well as toothsome biscuits and cake so that we could lend support to the concerns chosen by the organisers - as well as enjoying a sociable get together!

Judith Rowland



Roger and Phil cannot believe how many different soups Peter claims to have sampled.....

and Peter is trying to hide from Pauline his embarrassment at having tasted Anzac biscuits, carrot cake as well as.... though to be fair he wasn't the only over-consumer of very tasty food..



AND

FAREWELL

Lyn will have moved by the time some of you read this but we would like to thank her for delivering i~Trusham and wish her well in Bovey Tracey.

STOP PRESS

EASTER SUNDAY TRUSHAM RACES

The Church Lane going was, as usual, hard, rutted and pot-holed, but the weather was fine, if chilly. Most participating eggs wore fancy colours. Owners (some visiting) rolled their eggs in accordance with the rules, though one strange bouncing variety was spotted. Jacobs won the day - a village Jacob and a visiting Jacob.



NEXT MONTH'S CONTRIBUTIONS

These need to be with Judith by **the 18th** at the latest - 852221/ Fordale, Church Lane or emailed to jr.i.trusham@gmail.com Thank you

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Date	Leader	Readers	Intercessor	Duty wardens	Flowers etc
3 rd April 10am Holy Communion	Rev John Hall	1.Exodus 14 10-end Judith Rowland 2.Acts 5 27-32 Mary Cook	Mary Cook	Diana Northcott Judith Rowland	Gill & Dave Hewlett
10 th April 10am Holy Communion	Canon Robin Murch	1.Zephaniah 3 14-end Margie Wilson? 2.Acts 9 1-6 7-20 David Smethurst	Officiate	Pat & David Smethurst	Gill & Dave Hewlett
17 th April 6pm Evening Praise	Rev Paul Wimsett	1.John 10 20-30 Helen Harding	Not required	Helen & Peter Harding	Dawn & James Butler
24 th April 10am All Age Worship	TBA	1.Genesis 22 1-18 Dan Metcalfe 2. Acts 11 1-18 Pat Smethurst	Mary Cook	Dan & Julia Metcalfe	Dawn & James Butler
1 st May 3pm Rogation Walk	Rev Paul Wimsett	Not Required	Not required	Mary Cook	Tricia Bird

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<i>Village Hall bookings David Davies</i>	<i>853777</i>

Regular dates - VILLAGE DIARY
<i>TWIG:</i> Trusham Women's Interest Group at the Cridford: 2 nd Thursday 8pm 4 th Thursday 12.30pm
<i>Mobile Library</i> 1 st /3 rd Thursdays monthly - in the Square 4.10-4.40pm
<i>Art group:</i> every Thursday 10am-12.30pm in Village Hall. All new members most welcome.
<i>Bell Ringing:</i> Regular practices alternate Wednesday evenings.