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Templeton Community Council

TEMPLETON NEWSLETTER

<u>May 2018</u>



Templeton Village Hall

TEMPLETON COMMUNITY COUNCILLORS

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CLERK TO THE COUNCIL

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COUNTY COUNCILLOR

Elwyn Morse, Omore House, Templeton * 01834 860401

To book the church hall contact Clerk to the Council Hall Hire charges: Meetings £12. Half Day £25. Full Evening using kitchen £25. All Day £50.

USEFUL TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Narberth Health Centre Police (ask for local station) Pembrokeshire County Council Withybush Hospital 01834 860237 101 01437 764551 01437 764545

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FOTS is a voluntary group working together to add value to our community school.

Our aim is to raise vital funds to support our school but more importantly,

To bring people together and have fun doing so! We usually meet once a term.

To organise activities for the following term, but also have ad hoc meetings when planning a big event.

We have a committee consisting of a chair person, a vice chair person, a treasurer and a secretary however we welcome anyone else who would like to support our community school.

Templeton Community Association and our own fundraising endeavours we have recently purchased new playground equipment and educational games and are busily planning a chocolate egg hunt for the children and a sponsor event before the children break up for the Easter holidays.

Thank you.

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It has been an extremely busy and positive year. Some of our wonderful successes this year include; gaining second place at the Parti Llyfaru event of the Urdd County Eisteddfod followed by a brilliant Eisteddfod at school to celebrate St David's day, winning the 'Siarter laith Cymraeg – The Welsh language Charter' Bronze Award which recognizes our commitment to providing high quality Welsh language provision, Rowan Class (10 - 11 year olds) winning the language provision, Rowan Class (10 - 11 year olds) winning the South Hook LNG's 'Recycle a Mascot' Competition, receiving £1,000 and a spot in the Company's 2018 calendar and being presented with the fifth plaque for promoting Healthy Schools and the Eco-Schools Green flag.

Congratulations to our fantastic sports teams who have competed in netball, football, rugby, swimming, athletics and cross –country and to our musicians who have performed in numerous concerts and festivals in school and across Pembrokeshire.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the whole of Templeton Community for supporting our school. We feel very blessed to be so central to village life. We have hosted a couple of community days where the children have thoroughly enjoyed showing local residents our lovely school and the work they have been doing in their classes. Please look out for more of these events in the future,

We are very grateful to Templeton Community Council who have been extremely generous. They have presented our school with a number of donations that have been put to very good use. Our school continues to flourish, yet we would not be able to enjoy our success without the close working relationship we have without local community.

Thank you for taking the time to find out about Templeton CP School.

Kevin Phelps Head Teacher





TEMPLETON COMMUNITY COUNCIL NEWS

Currently there are six Councillors with three vacant seats. If anyone would like more information or be considered for these vacancies, please contact the Clerk, Vicky Mitchell on 07999 833038. Our primary role is to ensure that our voice is heard by the County Council, reporting issues requiring attention in the village and working to improve facilities in Templeton and district.

Three years ago we applied for Aggregate Levy funding to renew the play park and make it more attractive to a wider age range. As a result we have seen much greater use of the play park with families using the picnic tables and friends finding it a good place to meet in fine weather.

Last year we sold a redundant field and have used the money to purchase the hall from St John's church. This will ensure that the hall will continue to be available in the future for use by villagers. There are already exercise classes , monthly coffee mornings, sewing classes and Templeton Young Farmers.

As part of the planning agreement to build in the field behind the hall we have been given a large area of land as an extension to the village green which we already manage and also land alongside the hall

We are now applying for a grant to enable us to extend the hall creating an additional smaller room and improve the kitchen and toilet facilities We are hoping to attract organisations to deliver more services to the village such as health, exercise and training courses.

We are currently landscaping an area in the centre of Cold Blow and will be installing a bench.

We work in partnership with the Community Association and jointly fund the annual firework display which can be viewed from the green.

TEMPLETON SCHOOL NEWS

TEMPLETON COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

The Association is open to everyone in the village. A coffee morning is held in the village hall on the third Tuesday of every month and we welcome new faces.

Any money we raised before is used for village improvements. We are responsible for planting the flower containers and baskets around the village and would welcome anyone who would like to help us.

We will be holding our annual plant sale on 12 May. It will take place on the village green and there will be stalls from garden centres and keen gardeners, offering a wide range of flowers, plants etc We serve tea and coffee and bacon rolls. It is a great start to the summer



Templeton United Reform Church 1818—2018

This year is the bicentennial of Templeton URC. A lot has happened in those200 years....but we are still here!! We are arranging a few events throughout the year, including a flower festival in

June and Songs of Praise in September, as well as talks and a supper evenings. Please come along to some of the events, all the hard work preparing is only worth it if people support.

We would like to thank those who supported 'The Christmas Tree Festival.' The chapel looked so beautiful and we raised over £200 pounds for Ty Hafan at the carol service.

We meet at 9.30 a.m. every other week. The fellowship and friendliness is wonderful and we always finish with a coffee and chat;. Why not come along? You may enjoy it!!

FLOWER FESTIVAL June 22 - June 24

finishing with a musical evening at 6pm.

Songs of Praise September 16th Further details from Secretary Meirion Morse Tel 860401 Templeton School is without doubt a wonderful and successful community primary school. It is very much the heart of the community and is proud of its high regard locally. The school is almost full to capacity with nearly 120 pupils at the school. I would advise any prospective parents in the area to make sure you contact the school in plenty of time in order to secure a place at the school.

Recently, Estyn, the Inspectorate for Education and Training in Wales carried out a full inspection at Templeton School alongside its federated partner school, Tavernspite. The whole school communities of both schools were absolutely delighted when Estyn judged both schools to have 'Excellent' standards, the highest judgement possible. This is an incredible achievement and is the result of a tremendous amount of hard work and commitment from the staff, governors, parents and, most of all the children.

At school obviously, our greatest pride are the pupils. As a team of staff we feel privileged to work with such characters, who bring so much fun, sunshine and joy to our working days. They work hard, are very friendly and supportive to each other and use their talents in the best possible way. Our new motto, agreed by the pupils is, 'Live well, laugh together and learn forever', very apt indeed. This is displayed proudly on our new signs in the front of the school.

The school accommodation and grounds are looking fantastic. We are very grateful to the Valero volunteers plus parents, staff and children for painting the outside of Templeton School building during the summer holidays. In the grounds we have had new adventure play equipment built which was paid for by the Friends of Templeton School – thank you!

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COFFEE MORNINGS

3rd Tuesday of every month at 10.30 a.m.

All welcome please join us



Coffee & biscuits, raffle, quiz

TEMPLETON W. I.

Meet on 1st Tuesday afternoon of every month

New members very welcome

For further details contact Sylvia Watkins

Telephone 01834 860678

DRIVE FOR LIFE

Older Drivers Refresher Course

Experienced motorists aged 65+ can brush up their driving skills on a **free** one day refresher course.

The Drive for Life aims to provide experienced drivers who are driving regularly with an overall update on all aspects of safe driving.

For more information on the Drive for Life Course or to book a place contact Road Safety Team on 01437 775144 or

email road.safety@pembrokeshire.gov.uk.



ST JOHN'S CHURCH

Pudding Evening 15 June

Summer Fete 8th August

Harvest Supper 5th October

For further details contact Secretary Mrs Ruth Price 01834 861264



MOLLESTON BAPTIST CHAPEL

Services every Sunday 10.45 a.m.

Secretary Haulwen Nicholas 01834 813567



Templeton Community Association

BIG PLANT SALE

Village Green Saturday 12th May

Admission £1 children free Stalls, single pitch £15

Refreshments available

Further information telephone

Joan Belt 01834 860430



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LOCAL BUS SERVICE NO 381

This service is run provided by PCC and operated byTaf Valley Coaches

Tel: 01994 240908

(Tenby to Haverfordwest Service) Monday to Saturday Templeton, Boars Head

7.59a.m - 9.12 -10.12 - 11..12 - 12.12 13.12 - 14.12 - 15.12 - **S**15.42 - **Sch**16.02 S - 17.12 -18.06

Return Haverfordwest 8.55- 9.55 - 10.55 - 11.55 - 12.55 - 13.55 - 14.55 15.55 - 16.55 - 17.55

(Haverfordwest to Tenby Service) Monday to Saturday Templeton Bus Shelter

7.49 9.33 a.m. - 10.33 - 11.33 - 12.33 - 13.33 - 14.33 - 16.33 - 17.33 - 18.33

Return Tenby 7.25 - 8.40 - 9.40 - 10.40 - 11.40 - 12.40 - 14.40 - 15.10S&H 15.10Sch - 16.40 - 17.35

Sundays Tenby to Haverfordwest Boars Head

9.29 - 12.29 - 15.29 Return Tenby 9.00 - 12.00 - 1500

Sundays Haverfordwest to Tenby Templeton Bus Shelter

1100 - 1400 - 1700 Return Haverfordwest 10.30 - 13.30 - 16.30.

S & H Saturdays and School Holidays only. Sch School holidays only

Please check times as they may change

Also see PCC web site under transport *www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk

Service 322 Narberth to Carmarthen Service 430 Narberth to Cardigan

MOBILE LIBRARY SERVICE—Playground Car Park

The mobile library calls in Templeton playground car park between 13.15 and 13.45 every three weeks

Dates for 2018 Friday 11 May, Friday 8 June, Friday 6 July,



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 Winter
 Summer
 1 April-30 Sept

 Opening hours
 Mon & Tue 8.30–1600
 Mon-Fri 8.30–17.30

 Wed & Thurs closed.
 Fri & Sat 8.30–1600

 Sunday
 10.00–1600
 Sat + Sun 8.30–1600

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 Mon & Tues
 Mon-Sun 10.15–1600

 closed
 Wed-Sun 10.15–4.00
 Kon-Sun 10.15–1600

NARBERTH LIBRARY Opening hours

Tuesday 2.00pm - 6.00pm - Wednesday 2.00pm - 6.00pm Thursday 10.00am - 12.00noon & 2.00pm - 5.00p.m.

TEMPLETON HERITAGE GROUP

On the 11th November each year we hold a Memorial service at the war memorial on the village green car park. This year Remembrance day falls on a Sunday which will clash with our local church services and the British Legion service in Narberth. As this only happens once every 6 /7 years we have decided to stick with our tradition of holding our service on 11th and hope as many people as possible will attend.

We are disappointed to see that one of the Airfield history interpretation boards, which we had been involved with, is being damaged by vandalism. Someone is collecting the empty gun cartridge cases and using them to gauge graffiti on the board that is situated on the Thomas Chapel entrance to the airfield, this despite the notice warning against the danger of picking up anything on the airfield.