

## Village Hall Cleaning Rota

January - Sam Jones and Merle Davies  
February - Young Farmers Club  
March - Ann Wedge, Claire Watkin and Sonya  
April - Owen and Barb Stanier  
May - Sue Davies, Judith Gethin and Sam Jones  
June - Gwyneth Pryce and Marilyn Price  
July - Plymouth Brethren  
August - Carol Adams, Helen Sneade and Christine Watkin  
**September - Joyce Gethin and Karen Probert**  
**October - Norman Cotton and Graham Bayliss**  
November - Janet Rogers and Maisie Watkin  
December - Linda Watkin and Brian Probert

Please note the Cleaning Rota is being updated.

**FLICKS IN THE STICKS:** - start 8pm/doors open 7.30pm  
Tea, coffee, licenced bar & refreshments//Ticket prices -Adult -  
£4.50, OAP £3.50, Family (2 Adults + 2 Children) £12.50. Contact  
Brian Probert - [brianprobert@me.com](mailto:brianprobert@me.com) for more information.  
**October 4<sup>th</sup> – Rocketman**

## CHURCH YARD GRASS CUTTING/TIDYING SCHEDULE

Ring Carol and Pete Adams 670891 for more information if you can  
assist on any of the dates detailed below;  
**September 3rd**

## HOLY TRINITY CHURCH -

Holy Communion Services are held once a month usually on the 2nd  
Sunday in the month at 9.30am. Everyone is welcome.

## POST OFFICE - MOBILE

The mobile post office van is at the Village Hall Car park on  
Mondays 1.15pm – 2.15pm and Thursday 10.15am – 11.15am.

## SARN WI

Meet the second Thursday of each month at 7.30pm – Sarn Village  
Hall.  
Guest and news members welcome.  
Contact Christine on 01686 670585 for more information

## SARN BOWLING CLUB

The Club would like to invite anyone who is interested in playing  
outdoor/ indoor bowls. For more details, please contact Donald  
Pryce on: 01686 670 507.

## SARN LOCAL HISTORY

Meetings are at 7.30pm in Village Hall. Small fee. Everyone  
welcome.

**Tuesday**, September 24th Andrew Turner 7.30pm "History of  
Morris, Marshall & Poole and how it is linked to the economy"

**Saturday**, October 5th 2.00 - 5.00pm Drop in plus updating the  
parish survey of homes and occupiers etc (last done in 2000).

**Tuesday**, October 29th AGM at 7.15pm plus Dr Rachael Jones  
"Class distinction as seen through the justice system in Victorian  
Montgomeryshire"

For more information please contact Marilyn Price (01686 670237)

## SARN ACORNS

For more information please contact Janet Rogers via our  
Facebook page -  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/210800032642137/>

## SARN BAPTIST CHAPEL

Revd Maggie Rich (01686 670947) – [www.sarnbaptist.org.uk](http://www.sarnbaptist.org.uk)  
We extend a warm welcome to all our services.  
(Diary extracted from Sarn Baptist website)

### **September 2019 Sunday**

1st-10.30am-Rev'd Michael Collis  
8th-10.30am-Holy Communion - Rev'd Maggie Rich  
15th-10.30am-Joint Service at Sarn - Rev'd Maggie Rich  
22nd-10.30am-Rev'd Maggie Rich  
29th-10.30am-Harvest Thanksgiving Service - Rev'd Maggie Rich

### **October 2019 Sunday**

6th-10.30am-Mr. Andrew Powell  
13th-10.30am-Holy Communion - Rev'd Maggie Rich  
20th-10.30am-Joint Service at Kerry Baptist Chapel - Rev'd Maggie  
Rich  
27th-10.30am-Rev'd Maggie Rich

On **Thursday, 3rd** at 2.00pm - Radnorshire and Montgomeryshire  
Half Yearly Meeting at Sarn Baptist Chapel

## NEWTOWN MOBILE LIBRARY

The mobile library van is in the Sarn Village Hall Car Park from 9.25  
until 9.50 a.m. on the third Friday in the month.

## KERRY COMMUNITY COUNCIL

News Items for Sarn Newsletter from the Minutes of the 26th June  
and the Un-adopted Mins of the 31st. July Meetings  
Possible Walking Treasure Hunt in conjunction with the Publication  
of Kerry Footpaths Brochure.

**Due to Cllr. N. Hayward's absence the Clerk read a report  
provided by Cllr. Hayward as follows.**

I am making minor fine tuning and the odd grammar/punctuation  
fixes. Also adding text associated with Country Code and  
similar warnings and instructions.

I'm now really waiting for the website content to be posted up, so  
that I can refer to it from the treasure hunt. Without this in place,  
the final finishing touches to the treasure hunt can't really happen.  
Given that I think the website will take a few months (realistically  
over winter) to be fully built out with enough materials to link to  
from the treasure hunt, then I'd plan on running the treasure hunt  
properly at the start of next summer (perhaps May). It would be  
good to start thinking about what event we can set up, but I guess  
that can wait until September's meeting!

Note that having this all-in place at the start of next summer fits  
well with the tourist season.

**Update on KCC Web-site. Cllr. Haywards written report as  
follows:**

Slow progress, but hopefully we're getting there. Carmen and I met  
up with the Kerry and Sarn History Groups (including Veronica and  
Carrie White), a week or so ago. It was a very good meeting, and I  
think the two History Groups will happily take on the sections  
around Local History over the course of winter. The first task will be  
for them to work out exactly what subjects they want to cover. And  
I need to re-structure the Local History section once I hear back  
from Carrie regarding the text for the main section

I am hoping that Veronica will work with Carmen to get the  
Footpaths section populated, including with the current Walk that  
has been published once the compass bearing text has been  
corrected on it. Presumably further footpaths will come on board  
as they are developed through Veronica and Carmen.

The final section is the one on Clubs and Societies. That's one  
that I need to get started on next. I have asked Mike for a set of  
text regarding the Kerry Football Club.

## **Purchase of Notice boards**

An order has been placed for 3 additional Notice Boards with Green Magic at a cost of £315 excluding VAT. Delivery to Cllr. M. Morgan who will arrange for installation.

## **PCC Verge side Maintenance**

PCC response 3rd July to my email of the 1st. July.

I have been asked to contact you in response to your query regarding grass cutting in Kerry this year.

We have had a number of factors affecting our service this year but these have primarily been a reduction in number of cuts from 4 to 3 (May, July and September) and a change of contractor.

Our new contractor took a bit longer to complete the first cut of the season due to learning what bits were to be cut etc. The 2nd cut, that has just started, should be quicker. Additionally, due to lack of familiarity with the area the contractor made efforts to leave both daffodils and wild flowers so as to avoid complaints – this has led to more areas being left than some people might have expected but all these areas should be cut on the 2nd and 3rd cuts. One other factor which has been noticeable countywide is that ALL plants got a really good start this spring and were therefore taller when cut.

The overall standard achieved by the contractor has been acceptable and I expect the subsequent cuts to be better.

If you have any specific issues – especially once the 2nd cut has taken place – please contact me direct and I will endeavour to deal with them in a timely manner.

## **KCC Planning Consultations\***

C. 19/0908/REM Pt Encl 1786 City Lane, Sarn SY16 4HH  
Section 73 application to vary condition 1 of permission P/2012/0184 to extend the deadline for the commencement of the development

KCC Response. "Council wishes to support this application".

## **Finances.**

Account balance as of 5th July 2019. Community Acc £20,123.16  
Money Manager Acc £11,088.50 giving a total of £31,211.66

## **Next Scheduled Meetings.**

Council is in recess during August and will reconvene on Wednesday 25th September 2019 at 7-30pm in Kerry Village Hall.

Clerk: Mrs. Angela Feltham, Bryn Gethin, Tregynon, Newtown, Powys. SY16 3PJ.

Phone: 01686 650747 email. [clerkkcc@gmail.com](mailto:clerkkcc@gmail.com)

[www.kerrycommunitycouncil.gov.uk](http://www.kerrycommunitycouncil.gov.uk)

\*Although KCC works in conjunction with PCC as consultants, it has no authority to grant planning permission.

## **REQUEST FOR GRANT FUNDING.**

Local groups are invited to submit applications for grant funding from Kerry Community Council.

Please note, due to the increased demand on KCC's funds, Council is no longer able to award grants for general running costs but is pleased to assist with funding specific projects.

Applications should be made in writing to the Clerk detailing the purpose of the grant and enclosing up to date accounts and bank details.

## **CLOSING DATE - Monday 11th November 2019.**

Grants will be awarded at the November meeting and payment made at the end of May 2019.

Clerk: Mrs Angela Feltham, Bryn Gethin, Tregynon, Newtown, Powys. Phone. 01686 650747 [clerkkcc@gmail.com](mailto:clerkkcc@gmail.com)

## **SARN COFFEE MORNING GROUP -**

The Sarn Coffee Morning meets on the second and fourth Monday of every month at Sarn Village Hall at 10.00am to 12 noon. All are welcome. Further details can be obtained from Merle on 01686 670631 or Pam on 01686 670432.

**YOGA** - Mixed Ability Yoga classes are held in the Village Hall on Wednesday evenings. Please contact Karen for further details - phone 07794 337318 or email [karentheyoga@gmail.com](mailto:karentheyoga@gmail.com)

**SARN YFC** - Please contact Jess Banks 07969 322602 for more information.

## **The Sarn**

For events and information please see

<https://www.facebook.com/The-SARN-food-drink-plants-1885573981557751/>

## **MESSAGES FROM RESIDENTS**

### **Posted on SRA Facebook – Benjamin Breeze**

Due to a few incidents of horses being rode/lead on the footpath through the village with horse muck been left in front of the school and cemetery gates could we politely remind users of the following Highway Code:54 You MUST NOT take a horse onto a footpath or pavement, and you should not take a horse onto a cycle track.

## **CONTACTS**

Community Council – P Dyer 01686 670459

YFC- Jess Banks 07969 322602

Chapel – Rev M Collis (01686 670236) & Rev.M. Rich (01686 670947)

Montgomery Practice Patients Assoc- Linda Watkin (01686 670764)

Sarn Local History – Marilyn Price (01686 670237 )

Bowls – Don Pryce (01686 670507 )

Sarn Holy Trinity Church – Rev Fountain (01588 630324) Jo Thornton - (670781)

Sarn W.I. Christine on 01686 670585

Yoga: Karen – (07794 337318) or [karentheyoga@gmail.com](mailto:karentheyoga@gmail.com)

Sarn Recreation Assoc – Norman Cotton (01686 670995)

Hall Bookings - Gwyneth Pryce (01686 670507)

**Notification to Newsletter Distributors** – the hard copy Newsletter will be available for collection from the Village Hall by the last day of the month prior to the new issue i.e. the September/October issue will be available by the 31<sup>st</sup> August. If there is a delay you will be contacted to advise.

Items for the Nov/Dec 2019 newsletter should be sent to Ria Roberts - email [sarnrecreationassociation@gmail.com](mailto:sarnrecreationassociation@gmail.com) only or post on Sarn Recreation Association Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/groups/210800032642137/> no later than **18th October 2019**. Please send entries in plain text and 'unformatted', the text provided will be added to the newsletter as received with the exception of the KCC entry, which sometimes requires abridging due to the amount of information.

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