

HAYSCASTLE COMMUNITY FORUM

100+ Club

July 2014 Draw Results

Congratulations to this quarter's winners!

1 st	£60	Jayne Williams	3
2 nd	£40	Jean Reynolds	101
3 rd	£25	Irene Griffiths	53

HAYSCASTLE COMMUNITY CENTRE

TO BOOK THE CENTRE...

Contact: Kathryn Wilkins Tel: (01348) 840358 or
Email: kathplaind@aol.com



Neighbourhood Watch (NW)

If you require a NW window sticker or you need any information or would like to get involved please contact Angie on 01348 840808. Our website www.hayscastle.com

contains information about your local NW representatives and of any breaking news in our area.

The deadline for items to be included in the next Newsletter is 31st October 2014.

If you would prefer to receive an electronic version of the newsletter, please contact a committee member.



HOUSE OF RACHEL: FUNDRAISING UPDATE



Thank you very much to all those who attended the coffee morning organised by Bob and Eirlys Griffiths to raise funds for the orphanage at Krivnya, in conjunction with Okehampton Baptist Church. Bob and Eirlys are delighted to inform everyone that they have raised the fantastic total of £825. This money will be used to help create a sensory room and a soft play room in the orphanage and will have a dramatic effect upon the lives of the children.

On Saturday 5th July 2014 Graham, Richard and Alex Devereux and Sarah Ellmer took on a Skydive challenge at Swansea airport to raise money for two charities that have touched them as a family, National Rheumatoid Arthritis Society (NRAS) and Crohn's & Colitis UK. Linda Devereux, devastatingly passed away on July 4, 2013, from complications connected to Colitis. They have raised approximately £2,500 for charity and are hoping to boost this total a little over the next few weeks. Anyone who still wishes to donate can do so online at <http://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/team/devereuxclan> or Graham Devereux has a sponsorship form and collection box. Graham, Richard, Sarah and Alex would like to say a massive thank you to everyone for their support over the last 12 months and they are extremely grateful for all the donations received so far.



Haverfordwest Farmers Market

Every Friday
9.00am-3.00pm
at Riverside Shopping,
Haverfordwest

Visit our website to find out more information on our special event markets



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Your community needs YOU!



We need ideas for a village fete/fun day to be held in 2015. This will be a great opportunity for the village to get together and have some fun! If you have any ideas, please come along to the next Forum meeting on Thursday 16th October.

Haycastle Newsletter

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Haycastle Community Centre



www.haycastle.com

- view the calendar and see what's happening in our community
- see details of forthcoming events at a glance

59th ANNUAL HAYSCASTLE HORTICULTURE & PONY SHOW

AT PLAINDEALINGS FIELDS
HAYSCASTLE, SA62 5QE

(FOLLOW DIRECTION SIGNS)

SATURDAY, AUGUST 16TH, 2014

First Aid Contribution - £2

Classes for: Welsh Mountain Ponies, Mountain & Moorland, Pony Breeding, Childrens' Pony Classes, Hunters, Racehorse to Riding Horse, Working Hunter Ponies, Show Hunter Ponies, Side-saddle Classes, Clear Round, Show Jumping NEW CLASSES, Trekking, Foreign, Coloured Classes, Gymkhana, Mounted Fancy Dress, Vegetables, Flowers, Wines & Beer, Domestic Science, W.I., Y.F.C. & Children's Classes, Companion Dog Show, Vintage Classes

2014 CHARITY: TENOVUS TRELLETT
CHILDRENS GAMES - HAYSCASTLE & BRAWDY YFC - 12.00 start

Admission to Field: Adults - £4.00 Free Car Park

ENTRIES ACCEPTED ON THE FIELD

Judging of Horse & Pony classes starts at 9.30 am
Horticulture at 12 noon. Vintage classes at 12 noon
Dog Show at 2.00 pm

Over 50 Silver Trophies
Over £1000 Prize Money

SECRETARIES: Mrs Sarah Davies, Coedffynnon,
Haycastle, Haverfordwest. SA62 5QA
Tel: 01348 840235 / 07748 113666
Horticulture: Mrs Victoria Rowe,
Rhynaston Fawr, Haycastle, Haverfordwest.
01348 840272



Strawberry Tea

On Saturday 26th July, the Community Centre Committee organised a Strawberry Tea. It was a glorious day with succulent strawberries and cream, scones and many other sweet treats on offer. The children were entertained with many activities including Loom Band making, a Strawberry Trail, apple bobbing, and lucky dip.

Our thanks for the many raffle prizes donated, all of which made the afternoon a success. Our special thanks to Mrs Sian Phillips and Mrs Davina Kerslake with daughters Nirvana and Indira for their kind help in making and serving the teas.

The amount of £120 was raised on the day. All proceeds raised will be used towards the upkeep of the Centre.

Events at The Cross Inn

Put these dates in your diary!

Saturday 6th September
Live music with 'The Mustangs'

Friday 26th September
Curry and Pint Night

Saturday 25th October
Live music with 'Phoenix'

CHURCH AND CHAPEL SUNDAY SERVICES

**St. Mary's
Hayscastle**

**St Lawrence
Welsh Hook**

Newton Noddfa Chapel

17/8/14: 2.00pm Rev A. Jenkins
31/8/14: 10.30am Rev A. Jenkins
Cymundeb

21/9/14: 10.30am Rev. R. Gordon
28/9/14: 6.30pm Rev. A. Jenkins
Communion

19/10/14: 10.30am Miss D. Jones
26/10/14: 2.00pm Rev. A. Jenkins
Cymundeb

At 11.30am

2nd and 4th Sundays
every month

At 11.30am

1st & 3rd Sundays
every month

**The Quarterly 13th Sunday is normally
shared by Hayscastle, Welsh Hook, Roch
and Nolton parishes.**

The recent Church Fete held on the 28th June at the Woodland raised the fantastic sum of £900.

Well done to all involved.

Environmental Society

All village flower beds have been cleaned out and replanted with summer bedding. Thank you to all members and non-members who helped. Special thanks this year to the Grasshoppers who cleared out and planted the two beds by the Community Centre/Chapel. We managed to keep on top of the watering during the dry spell in June after planting.

A field trip to Picton Castle including a long guided walk with Roddy Milne took place instead of the June meeting. An earlier spring walk through Priskilly woods and a shorter walk from the Chapel to the Church saw recording of flora and fauna for the Square Challenge.

Some maintenance in the Community Woodland has taken place but the H.E.S is sadly short of volunteers with strimmers to keep up with this and would be pleased to hear from anybody willing to assist. Fuel is provided for operator and machine.

Grasshoppers Club

Well done in their first effort with village flower beds. Look opposite the Community Centre and Chapel to see their result. Also well worth seeing their vegetable beds and flower pots in the Community Woodland. Thank you to Huw Davies for donating more topsoil for four additional beds now planted with carrots, beetroot, French beans and pumpkins. Lettuce, broad beans, peas and potatoes have been harvested and perhaps by now eaten. They are looking forward to entering produce in the

Hayscastle Show in August.

A field trip to Tre-rhos Common SSSI was a recent highlight with fine weather included. Different flowers and insects were seen and much enjoyment was had bouncing on a pingo. The resident ponies were friendly as well.

Meetings will recommence on 8th September after the summer break.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Little Rhyndaston Nurseries will finally close at the end of July. Dave and Pam would like to thank everyone who has supported their business over the last 38 years. They will continue to provide the plants necessary for the village flower beds for the foreseeable future and will also continue with the children's Grasshoppers Club.



Congratulations to Tomos Evans and team who came first in the NFYFC English Reading Competition in Stafford in July. Rhys Jones was part of the Under 21 Just a Minute team who performed superbly despite being denied a place.

It has also been announced that Tomos Evans and Sian Phillips have both been awarded speaking parts in this year's film production of 'Under Milk Wood'.

Llongyfarchiadau pawb!

Hayscastle Community Diary of Events 2014

3	AUG	6.00pm	Film Club – doors open 5.45pm	Community Centre
4		2.00pm	Over 55s Meeting	Community Centre
6		7.30pm	Environment Group Meeting	Community Centre
14		7.30pm	WI Meeting	Community Centre
16			Hayscastle Show	Plaindealings Fields
17		6.00pm	Film Club – doors open 5.45pm	Community Centre
31		8.00pm	Quiz Night	The Cross Inn
1	SEPT	2.00pm	Over 55s Meeting	Community Centre
2		8.00pm	Brawdy-Hayscastle YFC AGM (meetings held weekly)	Community Centre
3		7.30pm	Environmental Society Meeting	Community Centre
6		9.00pm	Live music with The Mustangs	The Cross Inn
8		4.30-6.00pm	Grasshoppers	Community Centre
8		7.30pm	Community Council Meeting	Community Centre
11		6.00pm	Brownies (meetings held weekly)	Community Centre
11		5.00pm	Rainbows (meetings held weekly)	Community Centre
11		7.30pm	WI Meeting	Community Centre
17		7.30pm	Historical Society Meeting	Community Centre
22		4.30-6.00pm	Grasshoppers	Community Centre
26		6.30-9.00	Curry and Pint Night	The Cross Inn
28		8.00pm	Quiz Night	The Cross Inn
30		4.30-6.00pm	Grasshoppers	Community Centre
1	OCT	7.30pm	Environmental Society Meeting	Community Centre
6		2.00pm	Over 55s Meeting	Community Centre
6		4.30-6.00pm	Grasshoppers	Community Centre
9		7.30pm	WI Meeting	Community Centre
13		7.30pm	Community Council Meeting	Community Centre
14		4.30-6.00pm	Grasshoppers	Community Centre
16		7.30pm	Community Forum Meeting	Community Centre
20		4.30-6.00pm	Grasshoppers	Community Centre
25		2.00pm	Feed the Birds Day	Woodland
25		9.00pm	Live Music with 'Phoenix'	The Cross Inn
26		8.00pm	Quiz Night	The Cross Inn

Hayscastle YFC

Hayscastle YFC has had regular meetings over the summer. May was taken up with rally preparations and on Rally Day all the members took part in various competitions, and gained good results. Being a small number means that everyone is needed to do something but a lot of competitions can't be done. In June it was sports which really appealed to everybody. We had our own team for dodgeball and Jason, Adam and Hannah also played in the pool team. We joined some Brawdy members for rounders and Jason was chosen for the County team at the Wales Sports Day. Sam, Rhys and Jason are at last old enough for the rugby and made up a team with Brawdy and played well. Adam and Jason have also played darts and pool.

In preparation for merging with Brawdy from 1st September members have been getting to know each other with visits to Clerkenhill and Newgale beach. On 12th July most of us helped with the food at the tractor run. We are now preparing for Hayscastle Show and the County Show and then looking forward to being part of a bigger club when we merge with Brawdy.

Hayscastle Club will still exist but as part of Brawdy-Hayscastle YFC. It is an exciting challenge for members but one that will be of benefit all round and a new beginning to bring in new members of all ages. The AGM will be on 2nd September at Hayscastle Community Centre at 8pm and there is a welcome for anyone interested to attend. A programme for the winter months will be ready then and next year in February it will be panto for the County competitions, so join the club and get a chance to show off your talent on stage! A dinner is being arranged in the Autumn to celebrate the formation of the new club and during the year more events are planned for Hayscastle's 40th year and Brawdy's 65th.

Meetings will now be on **Tuesday nights at 8pm** at the Community Centre and new members are very welcome.

Please contact Hannah (01348 840150) or Jason (01348 840606) for more information.

Hayscastle WI

We started the Spring with our guest speaker Mrs S. Gardner who gave us a talk on ways of dealing with stress in our everyday lives. Also on the evening we held a Bring and Buy table top sale to raise funds for Shalom, our chosen charity for this year. May saw our Resolutions and this year the motion was to increase organ donation. A vote was taken and this went on to the National AGM in Leeds where 9890 voted in favour of the motion.

June brought our Mystery Evening Trip when we visited the Wickedly Welsh Chocolate Factory in Haverfordwest. Mr Mark Owen, the owner, gave us a talk and demonstration on the art of chocolate making. We also had a few tasters! This was followed by a fantastic meal at Crug Glas, Croesgoch. We supported Hayscastle Church Fete by holding a cake stall. With all the lovely weather we have had our Annual BBQ in July which was a lovely evening. Thanks must go to our chefs for the night, Roy, Ray and John.

As part of the Dewisland Group we took part in the Centenary Baton Celebration while on its way around the country. An Afternoon Tea and BBQ was held at the Duke of Edinburgh, Newgale, also a coffee morning at Victoria Hall, Roch when the baton was passed onto the Preseli Group.

We are now busy preparing for Hayscastle Show, please come and visit us on our stall and find out more about the WI movement. Over the last few months a few of our members have been hospitalised and we send them our very best wishes. Congratulations go to some members on new grandchildren who have been born over the last few weeks.

Meetings are held on the second Thursday of the month at the Community Centre at 7-30pm so ladies pleased come along and join us.

1st Hayscastle Rainbows

This term has been one of our busiest yet. We have had new Rainbows starting and sadly said goodbye to some of our older girls.

We have been working on our Big Brownie Birthday Challenge Badge. The girls decided on lots of exciting activities, including memory boxes and a treasure hunt. This was lots of fun, with the winning team finding the Treasure Chest.

We had a great time at our Family Pool Party, where we invited the Rainbows and their families to come along for some fun. Mr. Baster kindly came along and made bug

hotels, and taught us about moth recognition, which the girls thoroughly enjoyed. We have also had a visit from Newgale YMCA who, after completing some fun challenges, told us about some of the activities available to us as a group. We certainly hope to visit there in the near future.

We finished the term with a wacky sports day and a tea party.

If any girls between 5—7 years are interested in joining the Rainbows please contact

Shan Dixon (01348 840042).



~ ~ ~ IT'S FILM CLUB ~ ~ ~

AT

HAYSCASTLE COMMUNITY CENTRE

SUNDAY 17th AUGUST 2014

6.00 PM until 7.30 PM

(or as soon as the film has ended!)

Doors open 5.45pm

SHOWING: MAMMA MIA (PG)

" " FREE ENTRY " "

Refreshments available before the film starts 5.45 - 6.00
OPEN TO CHILDREN, TEENAGERS AGES 5 - 18, and ADULTS!

Under 5s MUST be accompanied by an adult.

THAT'S ALL FOLKS!



Brownies

A warm welcome awaits at 1st Hayscastle Brownies

We meet every Thursday evening during the school term at Hayscastle Community Centre.

"Rydym yn Darganfod, Rydym yn Tyfu"

"We discover, We Grow"

Girls aged 7-10 interested in joining our pack please contact The Owls

~ Sarah Lewis 01348 840410 ~

~ Davina Kerslake 01348 840051 ~

Hayscastle Historical Society

The History Group met in May and held its long awaited AGM. Bob Griffiths remains as Secretary and Kay Thomas remains Treasurer. Mike Kerslake officially stood down as Chairperson, but as no-one volunteered to take his place he remains chairman until a willing victim comes forward.

We were delighted to welcome two new faces at the last meeting and hope they will become regular members of the group. As always our discussions at the meeting covered all sorts of topics and the Chairman had a terrible time trying to keep order! Our next meeting is in September at the Community Centre.