

# THE VILLAGE BELL

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**Diary Dates** – next 2 months Red = NEW!!

**18<sup>th</sup> Oct** WI Puddington Village Hall 7.30  
AGM bring food!!

**20<sup>th</sup> Oct** Entertainments Fund Raiser  
Christmas Shopping evening! 7.00pm VH

**26<sup>th</sup> Oct** Cider with Roadies Mobile Cider  
Press on Village Green. Pressing apples from  
1.30pm, music, talk on apples and a play\* to  
finish with! Bread and Cheese/ham lunch.

(Common Players Production) \* tickets £3.00

**27<sup>th</sup> Oct** Tarting Up Time – get out yer gloss!  
Painting the windows inside the Village Hall  
11.00 am. Bread and soup lunch provided.  
Bring any white gloss you have and brushes!

**31<sup>st</sup> Oct** Halloween Children to meet at the  
Village Hall at 5.30pm to go round in a group.  
If you wish them to call on you please put some  
indication at your gate. Share out in VH after.

**3<sup>rd</sup> Nov** Bonfire Chrissie's field (time to be  
confirmed). Contributions of burnable waste  
accepted from mid October, but please no  
glass, ceramics or aerosols as the field is used  
for grazing. Pick up can be arranged - contact  
John B 860980 Help may be needed on the day.  
Best Guy competition. If anybody (over 18)  
would like to help with the fireworks let me  
know! Bar and barbeque.

**6<sup>th</sup> Nov** Parish Council Meeting 8.00 Village  
hall

**12<sup>th</sup> Nov** Village Hall Meeting 8.00

**15<sup>th</sup> Nov** WI Kennerleigh Village Hall 7.30  
Cookery Demonstration

**17<sup>th</sup> Nov** Villages in Action puppet show "The  
Magician's Daughter" for all ages, details to  
follow.... at the Village Hall

**8<sup>th</sup> Dec** (provisional) Grown up's Social

**15<sup>th</sup> Dec** Children's Christmas Party

**20<sup>th</sup> Dec** WI The Oaks Puddington Christmas  
Party

**22<sup>nd</sup> Dec** Carol Service 6.00

**31<sup>st</sup> Dec** New Years Social Village Hall

Details are believed to be correct, but see  
posters around the village for further details  
and to confirm dates!

## **Ongoing**

Library Coffee Morning 10.00 onwards  
alternate Fridays. Come and join the library,  
change your books and have a chat. Debbie  
will order books for you, let you take out a  
generous number and no fines to pay!!

50p for coffee or tea and biscuits. Profits to  
Village Hall.

Computer Forum alternate Thursdays 1.30pm  
Join the "Silver Surfers" and let Gerry help you  
with your problems.

Interesting and informative. £2.00 inc coffee  
and biscuits.

## **Updates**

Village Hall Meeting – handles being fixed in  
the toilets for easier access, still waiting for  
estimates to build ramp for disabled access.

Wine Tasting raised £113.00 for Village Hall.  
Thanks to Christina and Anne for making it  
happen (and Rory of course)

Harvest Supper Jolly good evening – thanks to  
all helpers and auctioneers!!

## **For Sale**

Old polished wood bookcase/display cabinet  
with glass doors. 44ins high x 36ins wide.  
£45. 01884 860042

Old dark wood hall stand. £25. 01884 860042

Local dressed building stone. £85 per ton to be  
collected. 01884 860042.

Puddington lamb £40.00 half, £70.00 whole.  
Ready for the freezer. Alan 860558

Puddington Jubilee Mugs still available £4.50  
(bone china) John B 860980

I shall be coming round (hopefully) selling British Legion Poppies for the 2 weeks prior to 11<sup>th</sup> November. I'll try to get to you all in the first few days!!  
Chrissie

**Bounce with Bob** ..... take the bus to Exeter Wednesday or Friday and see above the hedges!! **No petrol - no car parking**  
Departs Puddington Cross 9.25am  
Leaves Exeter Bus Station 1.35pm  
Fare £3.20 return - Free to pass holders

November 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Morchard Bishop Memorial Hall  
Film Night  
**Harry Potter 'Order of the Phoenix'**  
7.15pm all tickets £3.00

#### This month's recipe

Our favourite apple recipe is **Tarte Tatin**.

Peel core slice a quantity of apples into an oven proof shallow dish. Add brown sugar and butter, heat until soft and caramelized.

Roll out puff pastry to fit the dish plus an inch all round. Lay on top of the apple mix

Place in hot oven until the pastry is golden brown  
Remove from oven, put a plate on top and turn over.  
Wonderful with ice cream or clotted cream

Can also be made with any other fruit or (still with sugar and butter) with mushrooms, onions, peppers etc as a vegetarian meal.

Thanks Sydney! (My kind of measurements)

Morchard Bishop Art and Craft Fair  
Memorial Hall  
Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> October  
10.00am - 4.00pm  
Entrance 50p Refreshments

**Apologies** to Kingsley and Heather P for giving the wrong phone number for the Wine Tasting. At least it was within the Village!

**Hire of Hall is £10.00** (check availability first)  
Got something to promote? ring 860505!  
E-mail [chrissie@puddington-village.net](mailto:chrissie@puddington-village.net)

If you would like to contribute in any way with articles or delivery please let me know.

**† St Thomas a Beckett †**  
1st Sunday in month. Morning Worship  
2nd " " Eucharist  
3rd " " Morning service led by Worship Group.  
  
All at 9.30am. Everyone is welcome to all of these.

**Black Dog Inn**  
**Wine Tasting** 7<sup>th</sup> November 7.30  
  
Curry Night every Tuesday  
Steak Night every Wednesday  
Take-Away (full menu) 7 days/nights

#### **Can you help?**

Una would like somebody to do a bit of sewing for her phone 860251

A Village Hall/Old Parsonage Production