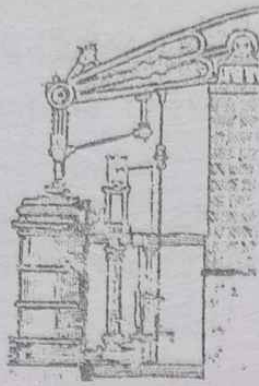


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LET'S LIGHT UP HAYLE!

Following on from the article switched-on Hayle in our April edition, here is the latest news, from Richard Horwell & Jayne Quick.

We are all new to this and so we were glad to have as much information from the appropriate sources as possible. We actually started by approaching the shopkeepers of Hayle to see what their response was. Brilliant is the word that springs to mind! Enthusiasm no end and they were delighted that somebody in Hayle had got off their backside and done something.

Then we had the idea of collecting tins. So now there are tins in nearly every shop, pub and garage etc. (We still have a few to put out) and for those who want to see Christmas lights in Hayle this year, please help us by putting any loose change in the tins provided.

The next stage was to actually see where the lights could be erected. Unfortunately not on the electric poles already there, so it was a trip to Penwith and the Harbour Company to get permission to put up our own poles. Sockets would be embedded in the ground so that the poles could be removed or put up as needs be. Once again a brilliant response and now we have the go ahead. In the meantime there have

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been meetings at Penwith District Council for all the lighting committees, ie. Penzance, Mousehole, St. Ives and others. There is funding for all these committees, but a big but is we have to match the grants pound for pound. That means raising money by raffles, auctions, and donations. We are not just handed over a lump sum, we have to work for it. There will be a raffle every month the first being for a £200 Mountain bike. This idea came from Sarah and Jeff Turk of Hayle Cycles who also put the bike up for the raffle. Thank you both!

There will be an auction at the Cornish Arms sometime in July (anyone wishing to donate anything, we would be most grateful. Phone me on 752597)

We would like to thank everyone who has donated money to the lighting committee so far. It is very much appreciated.

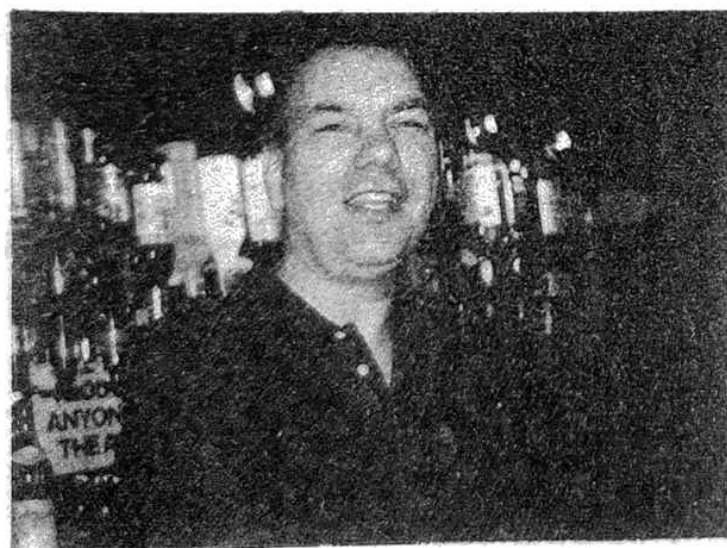
We are hoping this year that the Switching On Ceremony will be held at the Day Care Centre car park on Friday 3rd December. This will light the way for the Illuminated Carnival the next evening.

We will keep you, the people of Hayle informed along the way of hopefully the continued progress of the Christmas lights but we do ask for your continued support and help. It will be nice to hear people talking about the Hayle lights this year and not everyone else's.

Richard Horwell (chairman)

&

Jayne Quick (vice-chairman)



THANKS NEIL YOU'RE A STAR

Neil Raby of the Copperhouse Inn who started the fund-raising for the Hayle Lights by raffling an Easter Egg, and raising £35.00.

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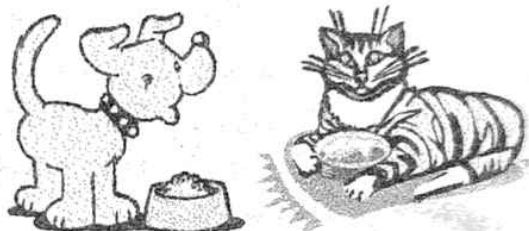
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THE YEAR 2000 - A NEW START FOR THE PEOPLE OF HAYLE.

Once again the co-ordinating committee of all the organisations in Hayle that are working together to celebrate the Millenium held a meeting at the Community Centre on 22nd APRIL.

The first item to be discussed was the Cycleway, which is due to be opened on Midsummer Day 2000. Brian Capper, our new Mayor, had met with Sustrans, the Charity that is building the Cycleway as they had wanted to start re-surfacing the roadway. Mr. Capper wanted to

avoid the road being dug up once it had been laid to put down the electricity cables, so explained to Sustrans the plans for King George V Memorial Walk on which everyone is working.

This is looking very good, as funds from Europe should be forthcoming. John Lindfield, and Helen Rodda, who was at the meeting, are working hard to obtain funding from a variety of sources. An application to the Environmental Trust has already been successful and more are in the pipeline.

Mr. Foy who is in charge of Parks and Gardens, was at the meeting also, he had met with Georgina Schofield on site, a satisfactory meeting, with no problems regarding the planting

anticipated. There was a debate as to whether or not the shelter should be demolished, and in true democratic fashion it was put to the vote, and the decision to keep it was made.

The ladies of the Flower Club have already started to plant the scented garden for the visually handicapped, they had hoped to have a Braille plaque installed as well. Mr. John Runnalls very kindly donated a granite post on which to mount the plaque, but I now understand that the cost of such a plaque is too much for the funds of the Flower Club. Also I'm sorry to have to report that some of the plants have been stolen already.

Jim Cook of the Railway Club has been researching the history of the

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railway and is anxious to have as much information as possible, particularly the Memorial Walk section. He would like any photos or artefacts. Tel. 75 5989.

The Lions project to improve the pathway and access at Phillack Church yard is progressing well. They have commissioned an architect who is working on the plans, and they are also going to provide seating.

The Rotary Club are pushing ahead with their plans for an award to be made to the Young Person of the Year, hopefully first nominations to be made this July.

The Old Cornwall Society are going to re-furbish Phillack Holy Well, and

also renovate Joseph Carne's grave.

The Macmillan fund raisers are donating trees for the scented garden, and in reply to a question about the idea that had been reported in the press regarding every household lighting a Millenium candle, Joy Runnalls said Macmillan Nurses had a supply of candles and all proceeds from the sale of them went to help their work. Wouldn't it be lovely if every house on the route of the Illuminated Carnival in December, the last one this century, were to place a lighted candle in their window?

There is an authenticated supply of tin, that was smelted at Mellanear works and recovered from a boat

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sunk off the coast. It could be possible to have a commemorative medallion made and distributed in Hayle, maybe free to all schoolchildren and available to be purchased by members of the public. The committee is still working on that one.

All the ideas, hopes and plans will be on show in the Library in July. Any suggestions or comments you may have would be welcomed, you can write to anyone on the Pump Editorial Team, see page 2, or leave a letter at any of our drop-off points, also on page 2. The Town Council would be pleased to hear from you – stunned is probably the appropriate word- their address is the Passmore Edwards Institute, Hayle.

Sarah Turk.

Took the wife up to Truro to do some Summer shopping. She wanted something long, flowing and cool so I pushed her in the river.

Trevor, Furniture Warehouse.

HAYLE ART SOCIETY

As a new term began on Thursday 25th May we are making plans for the next ten weeks when we meet at the Passmore Edwards Institute on Tuesdays 1.00pm to 3.30pm and Wednesdays 7.00p.m. to 9.00pm.

A successful Spring Fair was held at Phillack Church Hall in March which boosted our funds and was enjoyed

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by all. Many thanks to all those who came along and supported us.

We have recently had the pleasure of painting to music and benefitted from demonstrations using pastels, water soluble oils, portrait painting, figure sketching and learning new techniques with water colours. We are looking forward to a demonstration of producing picture frame mounts and watercolour landscape painting. When the weather improves we are hoping to venture out and about to paint our wonderful local scenery.

We also have occasional social evenings when all the members get together and a visiting tutor gives demonstrations and offers

constructive criticism of our most recent works.

Our annual exhibition and sale of pictures will be held at the Passmore Edwards Institute during Hayle Heritage Week and we hope to see you there.

At present there are a few vacant places left on Wednesday evenings, the cost being £12 per 10 week session, so why not join our friendly group and be fired with inspiration and enthusiasm for the joy of painting.

Gloria Jeff tel 753405

What's a cat's favourite cereal?

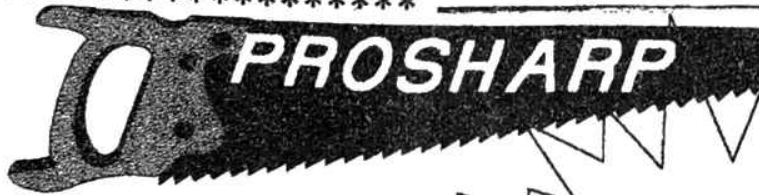
Mice crispies.

THE LONDON MARATHON

Our training started in November '98. Two or three short runs with a long run on each Sunday. We increased the mileage on our long run each week by about two miles, which meant that by March we were running 21 miles. During the last 3 weeks of our training we cut back on the mileage.

On the morning of the Marathon, we were up early to catch the first train from Charring Cross Station to Maize Hill for the Red Start, which is the Mass Start. We got to our section ready for the word for the off at 9.30!

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our 26 mile run, the mile markers seemed to be coming up pretty quickly. At 13 miles this year we were able to see the faster runners at the 21 mile mark. The crowds are very encouraging all along the route, especially from 22 miles onwards. I crossed the finishing line in 4hrs. 34.5 mins. Quicker than last year.

The money I raised this year was for The Cornish Heart Unit Fund (CHUF). I'm hoping it will be around £1500!

I would like to thank Diane Wood who trained with me and who ran for the Parkinson Society, and all family and friends who helped me with my sponsorship.

A special thank you to the customers of Daniels Supermarket who have raised £7000 in the last 3 years for local charities CLIC & CHUF.

Kim Lockett



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GNASHERS WIN!!

The Hayle Branch of the B.H.F. held a Quiz Night at Hayle Bowl and Leisure Club in May by kind permission of the owners.

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were the "Gnashers" from Hayle Dental Practice. £260.00 was raised towards the Bodriggy Health Centre Defibrillator Appeal.

The full amount is nearly raised as the National British Heart Foundation Committee has agreed to fund 50% of the total cost.

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Letter.

Scumbags or what?

Just how low are some people in Hayle prepared to sink? Will they ever have any pride in their town? The Flower Club are creating a scented garden for the visually handicapped along King George V Memorial Walk and the plants that they have carefully propagated and planted are being stolen. Now that is about as low as anyone can go, stealing from the blind. I hope that they will be caught and shamed, as I understand that the CCTV camera by the Library can focus that far.

Name & address supplied.

letter

In answer to the letter in the last issue of the Hayle Pump regarding Phillack Church Hall at Copperhouse Market Square.

The Hall is owned by the Church and managed by Phillack CCC. It receives no public money and survives on letting fees from organisations which make use of it for charitable fund raising and other events. There are many improvements which could be made to the Hall but you will understand that what resources are available go first on essentials.

We welcome support. Why not come to the regular Thursday Coffee mornings?

*T.P.D. La Touche
60 Riviere Towans.*

PENWITH DISTRICT COUNCIL ELECTION

I would like to take this opportunity of thanking everyone who supported me in the recent local elections.

I am grateful to you all for allowing me to continue my work for Hayle and its future.

Sonia Menadue.

On the bus the other day a chap asked me if I was reading the newspaper I was sitting on.

What a stupid question!

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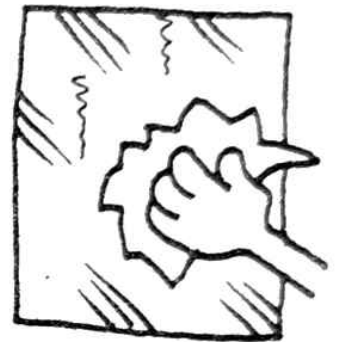
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The innumerable uses of a Newspaper when I was a boy

1. Read by the family.
2. Lighting the fire.
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5. Fishmongers used it
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9. Blocked up draught holes and cracks.
10. Was used as a tablecloth.



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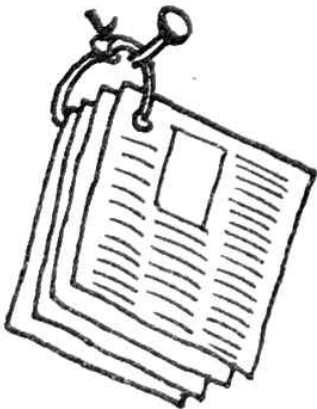
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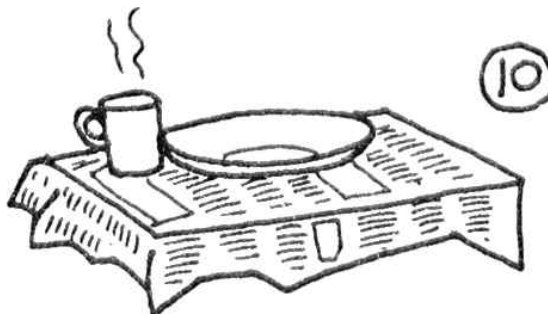
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And I'm sure it had many more uses.

G. Horwell, St. Erth



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Tuesday 20th April

Spend the afternoon at St Mawgan Air Base sorting trucks and loading remainder. Take truck to Newquay car park overnight. Go home.

Wednesday 21st April

Janet takes me to car park at Newquay for 4.45am, by the time the BBC have done their bit it is 5.30am before we are on the road. First stop Exeter Service station to pick up more drivers. Stop at M25 service station for coffee. One driver forgets

that he is driving a lorry and mounts a very high kerb and shatters a wheel and tyre, we continue on to Dover where we are messed about by Kennings and ATS, three tries to get the correct wheel and three failures. Eventually Kennings' manager comes with a similar lorry and takes a wheel off and fits it to the one that was hired in Cornwall. In the meantime a restaurant owner called Chris rings through to Eurotunnel and asks if we can have free transport through the tunnel, which they agree to, this saves us a lot of time. Eventually leave on the shuttle at 12.30am, arrive in Calais and drive to 204km from Paris. We all sleep in the cabs of the lorries.

Thursday 22nd April

Start day with no shower or wash, the service station we pull in to is disgusting. Drive on all day from 8.00am until 11.30pm, finish up at Chambéry on the French/Italian border. No food, all closed up, but toilets are good and clean.

Friday 23rd April

Last night I slept in the cab, took boxes out of lorry and one driver slept where the boxes were, the other driver slept under the lorry. Wake up very cold, only to find that all around us are snow-capped mountains. Hooray! We have a cooked breakfast and are on the road before 9.00am. Drive straight through to Pescara in Italy where local Lions are waiting at an hotel, we arrive at 4.00am

Saturday morning. I go straight to my room, have a shower and crash out until 7.30am. I and my fellow driver Nigel are up first and have breakfast before anyone else is up.

Saturday 24th April

Everybody ready to go, Italian photo session, and then Carlos the District Governor from the area announces he is coming with us on the rest of the journey. Start out at 10.00am, drive to Brindisi in a hurry to catch the military ship to Albania. (Phone Janet and promise to ring from the other side, but not to be, it was three days later, as all the phones were down.) The military ship is full of paramedics and armed soldiers, we leave at approximately 8.00pm, seven hour crossing.

Sunday 25th April

Arrive at Durres, Albania, early morning, BBC cameras waiting for us, approximately 10.00am when we leave ship. Take a couple of hours to sort out paper work with the help of Durres Lions Club President, Arben and his wife, plus the Mayor of Durres and his secretary Desdemona who are both Lions. We go to a reception held by the Lions in a fish restaurant, but it was not long before we realise that we are all eating and they are not. We pay for this meal. Albanian people have very big hearts but no money and very little food. I found that I loved them all, they have so much generosity but so little to give. Ken Clarke, Barry a shoe repair man from Newquay, Lindsey the Western

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Morning News reporter and Nick the cameraman from the same paper and myself set forth for the refugee camp, accompanied by Arben and his wife and son. On the way we have to stop and fuel up, whilst doing this, approximately 6 miles down the road we see tracers from guns going off, also overhead we see tracers from missiles that had been fired out in the Adriatic. We arrive at the camp just outside Durres to be greeted by hundreds of children, whilst we are manoeuvring the lorry it gets bogged down, this is to do with Ken's driving, we can't go forward or back, so we have to stay where we are. Two officials come out to check what we have, they tell us it all has to go

to their stores, the refugees are indicating that they want us to give it to them. A big argument follows, Arben does all the talking and eventually they back down, to the cheers of the refugees. They have no names, just numbers on a piece of paper. Two refugees and Arben's son help us to start unloading. It was very distressing but on the other hand very satisfying.

When we have finished unloading then we have to get the lorry out of the mud, after some time we manage to get going and everyone is shouting with joy and emotion. The BBC then asks me for an interview, I tell them to p... off!!, I have come to do a job and have succeeded, they insist that I should say something rather than just Ken Clark doing all the talking, so I agree, the result is shown on Spotlight News. After the interview I start to go back to the lorry and find that I can hardly walk, but I get there and drive to Arben's house. Once there I take my shoes and socks off (the first time for three days) for a shower and realise my feet and legs are badly swollen to half again their normal size. Arben and his wife are both doctors so after they have taken a look, I have a shower and they put me straight to bed.

One other lorry went to another camp and the other five went to a warehouse where the Lions are organising five other camps around Durres to take a lot more refugees,

most will be housed by Albanians. So the aid will go to both Albanians and refugees.

Monday 26th April

We find out that we cannot get back to the mainland yet so we are hanging about. We visit the hospital that Lions International have put approximately £100,000 into building and handed it over to the military, very impressive but very distressing to see the children, some only two months old. We distribute soft toys and teddy bears etc. I go back to the Mayor's office with Desdemona, his secretary, and we eventually leave her office at 10.15pm. She takes me to where her husband works, he is a doctor in the original hospital and he

checks my legs and feet and tells me to rest them as much as possible. We then go back to Desdemona's apartment, leaving her husband at the hospital where he has another 8 hours to finish his 48 hour shift, then it was straight on to 8 hours a day for the rest of the week. He is looking very tired. She makes me an evening meal and I crash out on a spare bed.

Tuesday 27th April

Up at 7.00am, Desdemona has to be at work for 7.30am. I stay in her office for a couple of hours while she is in a meeting with the Mayor. She enters her office and informs me that there is a driver waiting downstairs to take me back to Arben's house. When we arrive we are told to get

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our things together because we have approximately 2 hours to get to the port and on to a military ship to get us to Bari in Italy. We arrive at Bari at 10.30pm and decide to sleep in the lorries for the rest of the night. There is no café open and the toilets are closed so it is another uncomfortable night.

Wednesday 28th April

At 9.00am we set off back up through Italy and keep going until just before the French border where all the drivers get fed-up and we stop. Ken wants to keep going, but he is out-voted. We all go into a service station and I buy everyone a drink, the time is 11.15 pm and we have been driving all day with only toilet

stops!!!

Thursday 29th April

Leave at 9.15 am, everyone very quiet after last night's upset. Drive through to Calais, arrive at 1.00 am in the morning.

Friday 30th April

Spend a couple of hours in the Hypermarket, we are booked on the Shuttle for early afternoon. Get to Dover and drive back to Cornwall, arriving at Kennings depot at Truro at 10.30 pm.

My personal thanks go to;
Richard Branson who sponsored the fuel.

Euro Tunnel for free transport through the tunnel and back.

Italian Authorities for free Tolls through Italy.

Italian Military for free crossings to and from Durres.

To the Lions of Durres for helping us so much.

To my own Lions Club in Hayle for sponsoring a lorry.

And last but not least to all the people of Hayle for their support.

The route we took was as follows;
Cornwall - Dover - Calais - Reims - Troyes - Dijon - Lyon - Chambéry - Modane - Torino - Parma - Bologna - Rimini - Pescara - Bari - Brindisi - then ferry to Durres in Albania.

The journey was approximately 4,200 miles in total.

Mike Hobson.



HAYLE & PORDIC

Hayle Twinning Association met their visitors from Pordic on Saturday 22nd May. It was the start of a very full weekend. In the evening many of the host families and their visitors met up for a meal and a drink at the Cornubia Hotel where they renewed old friendships and made many new ones.

On Sunday the "Fun Day" began with the chairman, Maurice Trathen, welcoming the Hayle Town Mayor, the Hayle 1st Guides, the Hayle Platoon Army Cadets and the St. John's Ambulance Cadets. He thanked the Hayle Rugby Club for all

their help and for allowing the Twinning Association the use of their club house and facilities.

The "Fun" started with the Hayle Town Band giving a lively concert which was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Then the games began with darts and pool with the towns competing against each other. Many thanks to the Tai Kwando Club for their marvellous display. The outdoor events started off with a tug-of-war which ended up a free for all with the children from both towns adding their weight to the proceedings. At the end of all the events, surprise, surprise the result was a draw! Then it was back to the club house for the buffet which had been laid on by the committee members and some

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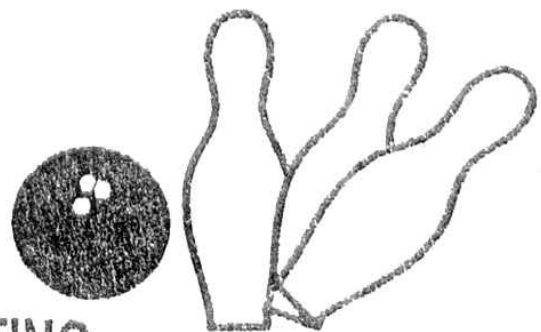
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thank EVERYBODY for all their hard work and especially to all the host families for making this weekend possible. If anyone would like to become a host please contact any of the following;

M. Trathen (Chairman) 75 3520

J.H. Aplin (Secretary) 75 2967

D. Hicks (Treasurer) 75 4809

The party from Pordic departed Hayle on Monday at 9.30am after a very full and eventful weekend. A party from Hayle will be visiting Pordic in September, this will be open for the people who have acted as hosts in the past, but if there are any spare seats and you would like to go, please contact any of the above.

M. Trathen.

**FRIDAY JUNE 18th 2 – 4 pm
SANDUNE SAFARI**

Upton Towans was once the site of the National Explosives Works.

Come and have a look at the explosion of history and wildlife now found there with local expert Chris Haes and Countryside Officer Philippa Hoskin.

Meet : Follow the B3301 and park in the lay-by just after St Ives Bay Holiday Park. Free event.

What do you get if you cross a carrier pigeon with a woodpecker?

A bird who knocks before he delivers his message.

of the host families. We would like to thank May for all her hard work in the kitchen.

After everyone had had their fill, the Penpol School Choir gave a lovely concert, our visitors from Brittany were very impressed with their singing and professionalism, many thanks to the children and their teachers. Then the Hayle Ladies and the Hayle Male Voice Choirs took it in turns to entertain us with some beautiful singing, many thanks, we would like to say again how much we enjoyed all of the Choirs.

The local group "Rum, Bum & Baccy" gave a rousing ending to a very happy and busy day. Once more the committee would like to

A VIEW FROM THE STEEPLE

Chris' "Last Stand" – I mean Service was a very emotional event which saw St. Elwyn's filled with the many friends who came to celebrate his time in Hayle and to wish him well in his new Ministry in Bodmin. After the Service there was a Farewell Buffett Supper at the Day Centre.

Choral Movements.

St. Elwyn's Choir too, is saying its goodbyes, firstly to its Musical Director, Neil Shepherd, his wife Catherine and children Leanne and Matthew. Neil is taking up a new post at Keynsham and we wish them well in their new home.

Senior Choristers Eileen & Arthur Atkinson are also leaving Hayle. The Choir wishes them both a happy "retirement" although this will surely be short-lived because they will always find something to do in whichever community they live.

New Voices Appeal

St. Elwyn's is now looking for new Choir members. If you enjoy singing or even if you croak like a frog, so long as you do it in tune, bass, tenor, alto or soprano you will be very welcome. Practices are on Wednesday evenings 6.30 at the Church.

Fund Raisers

For those "Guys & Gals" who were unable to come to the Line Dancing

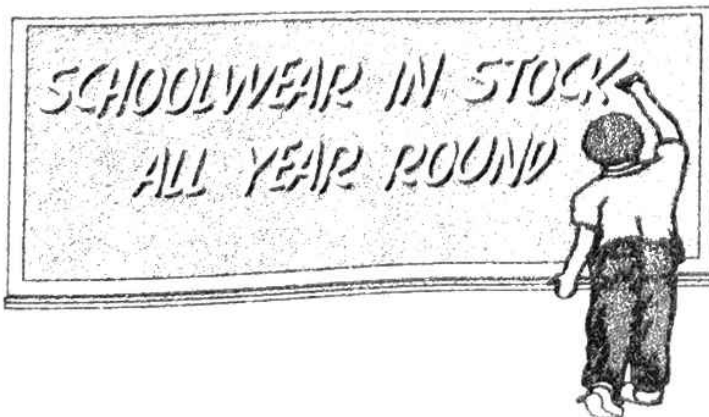


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Sun 12 Jun 11 – 11.45 Royal Cornwall Show.

Mon 21 Jun 7.30 St Ives Pier

Sat 26 Jun 3 pm Golowan Festival
Penzance

Mon 28 Jun 7.30 St Ives Pier

Sun 11 Jul 1.30 Lands End

Mon 12 Jul 7.30 St Ives Pier

Sun 18 Jul 1.30 Lands End

Sun 25 Jul 7.30 Hayle Amphitheatre

Wed 4 Aug 7.30 In the Marquee,
Hayle, as guests of Hayle Town Band.

Many of these will depend on good weather. Any enquiries please ring; 01736 753546

on 1st May, y'all missed a great evening!

Many thanks to everyone who worked so hard for the Spring Fayre and raised £580 for Church Funds.

And Finally

To end on a more optimistic note after all the departures, St. Elwyn's has had one very special arrival, in the shape of Father Tim Cotton, our new Curate. A very warm welcome is extended to him and his family. May they enjoy their time in Hayle as a part of our community.

The Sanctuary Sparrow.

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ANDREW GEORGE VISITS
THYATIRA.



Hayle MP Andrew George visited the Thyatira Community Co-operative at North Quay on Friday 11th May.

After meeting members of staff he visited the displays of Thyatira's products and services, the projects in which they were currently involved and photographic material from the Community Archive. He also saw the newly re-furbished workshop, which has just taken delivery of a Digital Colour Copier which will greatly enhance the scope of the Co-operative's printing facilities.

He stated that he was greatly encouraged and delighted by the progress of Thyatira since it had moved to its new home on North Quay, and hoped that this community enterprise would continue to grow, providing more jobs and training in the future.

Steve Burlingham, Thyatira's Director said that a lot of hard work and dedication had gone into building up the co-operative. It had

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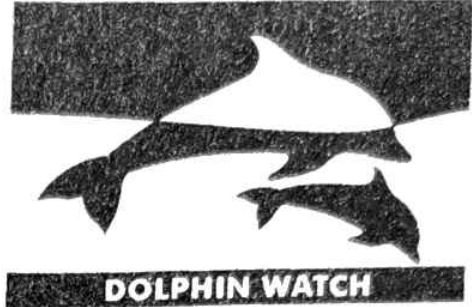
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Please also report any incidents of the dolphins being harassed by boats or when a dead dolphin has been found.

With your help we want to continue to work for the dolphins, to protect them from boats and other hazards and show how important the South-west is for bottle-nose dolphins.

Information: *Whale & Dolphin Conservation Society, Alexander House, James Street, Bath BA1 2BT*
Tel. 01225 334511

TOWN COUNCIL ELECTIONS 6TH MAY 1999

**I would like to thank everyone who
voted for me at the recent elections**

*Shirley Collings,
32 Henver Gardens, Reawla.*

been a struggle at times, but now they were able to provide a wide range of products and services to the local community. It was hoped that these would be added to when all the facilities were fully completed.

*Georgina Schofield
Thyatira Community Co-operative.*

SATURDAY JUNE 26th 2 - 4 pm ALL CREATURES GREAT AND SMALL

Find out how the different species rely on one another to exist on Godrevy Towans with local wildlife expert, Chris Haes. Free event.

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HAYLE CARNIVAL COMMITTEE

**Extract from MAKING TRAILS.
Issue No. 3.
The Cornish Way.**

Cornwall County Council is responsible for this project which will extend the National Cycle Network across Cornwall to Land's End. "The Cornish Way" will consist of 5 inter-linking trails which cover 170 miles (275 km) of signed routes for walkers and cyclists. These routes will consist mainly of minor roads and traffic-free off-road sections. Where possible, sections will be made accessible for the mobility impaired and some sections of off-road routes will also be available for equestrian use. The network will be officially opened in June 2000.

Trail Bulletins.....


First and Last Trail

Hayle Town Council has agreed to the proposal to route the trail around Memorial Walk.

Planning permission has been granted for the route between Marazion and Penzance Railway Station and between Newlyn and Penlee Point.

Engine House Trail

The route has been amended slightly to match the existing Mineral Tramways route along Pennance Road and Sandy Lane. English Partnerships has agreed to fund works between Devoran and Camborne. Construction works have



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commenced in the Carnon Valley to surface sections of the Mineral Tramways in stone and to improve visibility at its existing junctions with the highway.

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- * A contemporary and high-profile new facility for Cornwall.
- * Opportunities for leisure and for regular journeys.
- * Routes in and between principal towns.
- * Green access to the countryside and Cornwall's landscapes.
- * Safer off-road sections for novice cyclists.
- * Possibilities to use the trails in conjunction with public transport.
- * Maps, guides and a Holiday

Planner to be produced, with routes graded for suitability, enabling users to explore and enjoy routes to their fullest potential.

Funding is primarily through the Millennium Commission via Sustrans and through the EC Objective 5(b) programme. Other funding partners are English Partnerships, Rural Development Commission, Single Regeneration Budget, Cornwall Millennium Fund Council, County Environmental Trust Ltd., China Clay LEADER, the Highways Agency, Cornwall County Council and the private sector.

The team would be happy to hear from individuals / organisations that may be able to assist in providing off-road sections to the routes, providing sponsorship for public art or for maintenance of trails after their launch in 2000, or sponsoring bike stands.

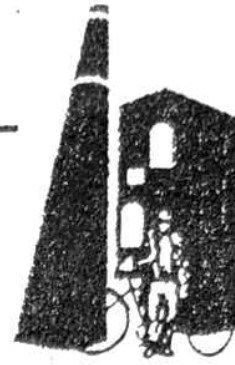
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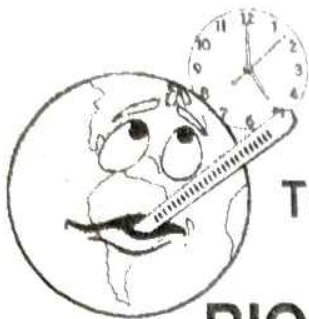
Sundays & Thursdays 10am – 12noon Meet at the hide in Ryan's field.

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over the estuary also. Previously visitors had to walk along the busy (dangerous!) Chenhall Road itself. Can I please request visitors now use this route and not walk along the road. Also please do not venture in front of the hide or allow your dog into the field as it would scare all the birds away! The hide is always open and entry is free.

This summer we have introduced a programme of birdwatching events and a local ornithologist, Kester Wilson is already busy taking visitors out (he has three telescopes and five pairs of binoculars for them to use!) Kester will be based at the new hide every Sunday and Thursday morning.

Dave Flumm

Landscape Conservation Grants

Mr. J. Burrow , the Clerk to Hayle Town Council has been notified by the Cornwall Landscape Project that they are looking for schemes throughout the county which they can finance. They have grants of £1,000 of 50% of the total scheme whichever is the least, and are very keen to work with landowners who promote farm conservation but are not eligible for the Countryside Stewardship scheme. They are very anxious to allocate funds in the near future, otherwise they may lose the finances they have available, so if you need money now is a very good time to apply for it. The sort of

projects which would be eligible are;

- *Restoration and repair to stone stiles
- *Repair to hedgerow or boundary features which form part of historic field system networks or are important features in the landscape

- *Restoration of former farm ponds and mill ponds

- *Fencing to allow grazing for wildlife habitat management e.g. heathland management

- *Restoration and repair to Holy wells or Scheduled Ancient Monuments or Listed Structures.

- *Restoration of Historic gardens

- *Repair to waterside features such as quays

- *Clearance of eyesores in the countryside which can include areas which have been repeatedly used for tipping

- *Repair to features of Cornish industrial heritage

- *Conservation works which form part of a wider conservation strategy.

The grants are at present undersubscribed, so if you feel you are eligible apply to Mr. Burrow at the Passmore Edwards Institute.

TOWN COUNCIL ELECTIONS 6th MAY 1999

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FOUNDRY UNDER FIVES

We've had a couple of busy months; a Meat Demo., a visit from our MP, an Auction, Parent's Evening, Tempest Photos and another Nearly New Shop.

A big thank you to Peter Hampson for yet again holding a very informative Meat Demo., combined with Peter's sponsored slim the evening raised approx. £150.00.

The Auction on 27th March raised

£918.00 which was doubled by Barclays Bank under their £1 for £1 scheme, those who attended had a good night. Thank you to the Cornish Arms for hosting the evening, also thank you to all the local businesses and parents who donated goods.

Andrew George MP left his mark by leaving two sets of hand prints (in cement) one to auction, and one for our garden to go alongside our children's hand prints. The visit went well and he also painted a picture which was to be displayed at the Houses of Parliament on 12th May as part of the Pre-School Learning Alliance awareness day.

5th May brought the Tempest photos.

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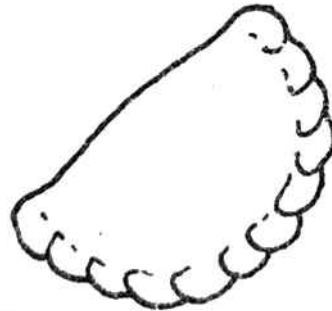
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Parent's Evening was yet another success, many thanks to Mrs Murrells and Mrs Kent from Penpol School and also to Local Health Visitor, Pam Fisher.

Our second Nearly New Shop didn't have as much to sell as our first, but still managed to raise a whopping £400.00 for playgroup funds.

But our most important and biggest fund raiser is on **SATURDAY 17TH JULY AT HAYLE RECREATION GROUND – FOUNDRY UNDER FIVES SUMMER FAYRE** - fun starts at 11am until 3pm.

We are still looking for local groups, musical and/or display to help us make this day a huge success.

If you can help please telephone the playgroup on 75 5511 and we'll get back to you straight away.

*Jackie Emberson F.U.F.
Harbour View, Hayle.*

*What do you call a cat that
swallowed a duck?*

A duck-filled-fattypuss.

Poem

IN HAYLE

Better folk I cannot meet
In every shop in every street
In Hayle.

A smiling face, a pleasant word,
Cheerful greetings often heard
In Hayle.

Some will grouse and cannot see
That shops have good variety
In Hayle.

From pretty skirt to piece of fish
Buy book of stamps or china dish
In Hayle.

Shops and keepers do their best
To keep their windows smartly
dressed
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No room for moaners can I find
Nøwt to do? (they must be blind)
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The Joslins



**ST. EARTH CONCERT BAND.
NEW JUNIOR MEMBERS.**

A recent publicity campaign by the St. Erth Concert Band proved a great success when the children (pictured) joined the band, all eager to learn to play.

Six of them chose the clarinet, one trumpet, one French horn and one baritone. They are all working hard and making good progress. At the moment there are eight girls and one boy. Are there any boys who would like to join Ben and the girls on Tuesday evenings at St. Erth Methodist Church Hall at 6.30pm?

The Band has vacancies in some sections, particularly trumpets, trombones and saxophones, but any player who would like to join would be most welcome. We play a wide range of music and have engagements booked for the summer at St. Erth, St. Ives, Penzance and Land's End.

Sylvia Yarwood, Secretary 752605
George Lawry, Musical Director
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Hayle Library – Junior Activity

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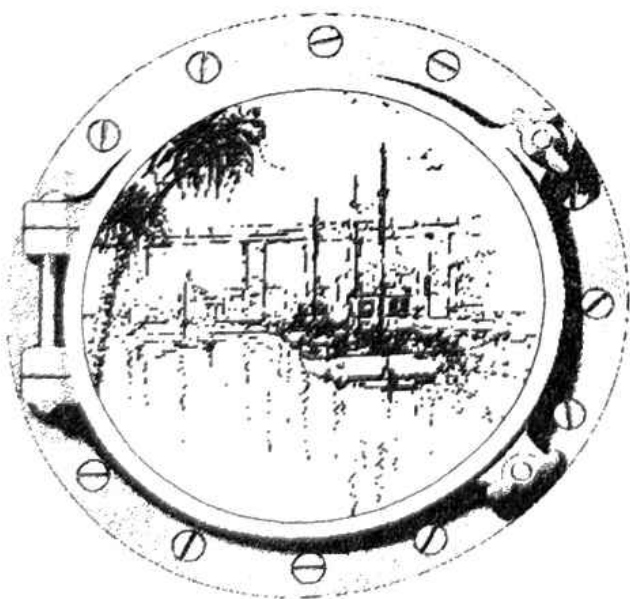
Some months ago Mayor Shirley Oliver attended the launch of the C.L.I.C./ Joey Appeal at Treliske to raise £75,000 for a special 4-bedded C.L.I.C. Unit on Sennen Ward at Treliske Hospital.

On Thursday 25th March at 7p.m. St. Elwyn's Church was packed for a concert organised by Mrs. Oliver in aid of the appeal and £592.15 was raised.

The concert was given by pupils of the four schools of Hayle – Bodriggy, Penpol, Hayle Community School and St. Pirans. The Church was packed for the concert given by young people for young people. It was the first time the four Hayle

schools had come together in a united effort, and the Mayor, in her introduction, felt that they would benefit by doing something for young people less fortunate than themselves. With around 140 children taking part, the musical items and group speaking were loudly applauded. They concluded with John Rutter's arrangement of "All Things Bright and Beautiful" and the Mayor was invited to join them on stage. It was conducted by Neil Shepherd, Director of Music at St. Elwyns – although he is shortly leaving- and Peter Luing (Kids-R-U) on the organ. Two young lads with leukaemia were to read short verses "Glad That I Live Am I" and "Friends" but were not well enough

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on the night, and two pupils kindly stepped in. Debbie Couch, a C.L.I.C. nurse, and Peter Nicholson from the local support group spoke on behalf of C.L.I.C.

The children were well applauded and portrayed how much they enjoyed taking part by their smiling faces.

Leader of the Godrevy Team Ministry, Rev. Tony Neal included in his welcome how pleased he was to introduce a 'first' for Hayle and that he was delighted that so many had come together from all walks of life in St. Elwyn's Church for such a worthy charity. The programme was chaired by Rev. Chris McQuillen-Wright who emphasised beautifully

with the young people. "Sing Hosanna" at the beginning and "Trelawney" at the end were sung with enthusiasm by the children and packed audience, which included the vice-chairman of C.C.C. Phil Tregunna and his Consort, visiting Mayors with their partners from Truro, St. Ives, Marazion and St. Just, members of Hayle Rotary, Inner Wheel, Lions, Chamber of Commerce and Grand Bard Ann Trevenen-Jenkin.

In giving her thanks at the end, Shirley Oliver presented Neil Shepherd and Chris. Mc-Quillen-Wright with a card depicting St. Elwyn's Church and the same card together with a shield to each school, saying that the evening was all about joy and living and reciting the well-known poem "Smiling." Shirley reiterates her heartfelt gratitude to everyone who helped and supported the event.

Shirley Oliver & Julie Cook.

SUNDAY JUNE 27th 2 - 4pm

DANCE OF THE BUTTERFLIES.

Join local butterfly enthusiast, Sally Foster to see the beautiful flight dance of the silver-studded blue butterflies and other fragile inhabitants of the sand dunes, with a walk on Gwithian Green and Towans. You can buy afternoon tea at the Café at the end of the walk.

Meet; Green Lane 100 yds S. of Gwithian Church Hall. Free event.

It is with sadness that Alan & Tricia are leaving "The Mad Hatter" Coffee Shop in Copperhouse, due to ill health.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all our customers for their company (and their cash!) over the last two years, we will miss you all.

We hope you will all welcome Carmel when she re-opens the coffee shop. She will not however be opening the gifts department.

Once more, thank you one and all and good luck Carmel.

Alan and Tricia Russell.

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A SHORT HISTORY OF HAYLE TENNIS CLUB.

The Club was formed at a meeting in the Ambulance Hall on 18th May 1978.

There were thirty people present and a committee of nine were elected. We started playing at Hayle Community School two nights a week for seniors, then on Wednesdays for juniors. We played at the School for about ten years, then decided to get a lease on some land. After a lot of letter writing and a lot of set-backs we finally leased the land at Tremeadow Terrace from Penwith Council. Now we had the task of funding the project. With grants from the Sports Council, County, Penwith, and Hayle Councils, a loan of £6,000 from the L.T.A. repayable over 5 years and money from our own account we had £17,000, the amount needed.

Work started on 1st June 1988. Two

tarmacadam courts were laid and we started playing on them on 6th July 1988. These courts served us well for 8 years. Then in 1996 with a grant from the Sports and Arts Council of £10,000 we had them upgraded to all-weather courts.

This our 21st Anniversary year has started well with £21,000 from the Lottery and other grants. We have laid a third all-weather court which was opened on 2nd May 1999 by Andrew George MP.

The Men's team won Division Three last season and moved up to Division Two. We also have a Women's team in Division Two West. We also have a Junior section, and now have Sara Caffrey as Club Coach who will be coaching them.

Sara is also available for private coaching.

For further information about the club contact;

*Richard Horwell, Chairman
5 Dracaena Ave, Hayle 75 2597*

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YOUTH PROJECT

Hayle's teenagers will have the chance to launch and run their own café in a project due to take off this autumn.

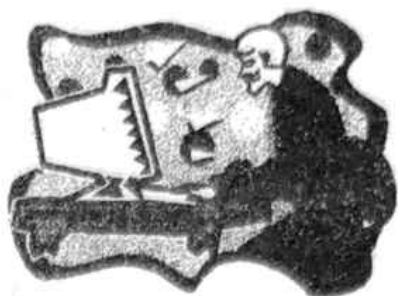
Hayle Youth Project, a five year initiative funded by the Rank Organisation, with partnership support from the Diocese of Truro and Cornwall County Youth Service, will involve young people in setting up and running the café in the Millennium.

The youngsters will be able to learn new skills, from the practical planning and labouring involved in a building conversion, to marketing, accounting, food hygiene, cooking, managing and buying, when its doors are opened.

It will provide a place for younger teenagers to meet and socialise, and during the day will act as a business attracting older people.

Former Hayle policeman Dave Raymer chairs the management group, which also consists of Charlie

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Further information;

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**SUNDAY JULY 25TH 2 - 4PM
SANDS OF TIME**

Join Andy Jones on a walk back in
time on the Towans for National
Archaeology Day and discover the
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history of the sand dunes of Gwithian
and Upton. Free event.

Meet; main pay car park, Gwithian
Towans, off B3301 Hayle to
Portreath Rd.

Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal

On Friday May 7th the R.B.L. held an awards evening. The standard was marched in by Mr. W. Lewis (deputising for Mr. J. Oliver owing to illness.) The exhortation was given by Mr. H. Trevaskis. Chairman Mr. S. Harris welcomed everyone including the two speakers - Vice Admiral Sir James Jungius KBE and Lt. Cdr Alex Heggie. Mrs. S. Oliver Town Mayor presented Poppy brooches for 15 years collecting for the Poppy appeal to Mrs. Marea Harris, Mrs Isabella Oliver, Mrs Phyllis Blewett, Mrs Margaret Renfree and Mrs. Dot Tredinnick. A Poppy tie-pin for 15 years was presented to Mr. Jim Oliver.

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1. across A mega star perhaps 5,4
2. One of us 11
3. Roast a nut for the traveller 9
4. Tune in here for discovery 5,9
5. Ariel or Oberon for example (not Shakespearian) 9
6. Keep cool man, use this when you come back 9
7. I hope senor has meltdown for this layer 10
8. Walt Disney's favourite planet? 5
9. The third orbiter from the sun in the Arthurian legend 5

10. Discovered in 1846, write back with melody 7
11. One of five – hangs around with Uranus 5
12. Not from here, but a box office hit shortly 5,11
13. If you get one of these you may be on the carpet 6
14. How some astronauts get that down to earth feeling 9
15. In the good brig Elia we saw Orion's star 5
16. Enter, tall sir and go from one star to another 12
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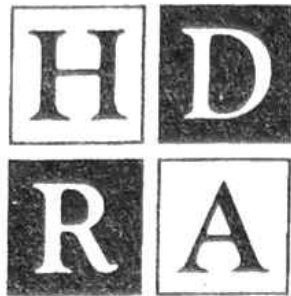
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One garden is open in Cornwall, within easy reach of Hayle. At Sithney Water Cottage, Breage, Helston, John & Gen Garnett are opening their one acre mixed organic garden with fruit, vegetables and flowers, between 11am and 6pm on both days.

They also have rare breeds, poultry, wildlife pond and polytunnel/ green-house.

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the Henry Doubleday Research Association Ryton Organic Gardens the following weekend, on June 26th.

Rae Baillie-Smith.

Genetics

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By this talk of "Man-Made"
Which to my mind is downright pernicious!

Yorkie

U3A in Hayle

An opsimath is someone who takes up learning in later life. We may not be as active in body as we once were, but there is nothing wrong with our minds. We are never too old to learn new skills, develop new interests or refresh old ones. We are never too old to take up new challenges. Hence U3A, or to give it its full title - University of the Third Age. The more we keep our brains active, the better they function.

U3A was introduced into this country in 1982 and was adapted from a French practice that has



existed in their university for a long time. There inhabitants have free access to universities and their facilities - very well where there is university, but not much where there isn't one! adaptation is to set up groups interested people to start own classes on a self-help There are now many throughout the UK, membership is approaching half million mark. A branch formed in Hayle about six ago and numbers over a hundred.

U3A is not only about learning, is also about building friend so there is a social side to meetings as well. We run in Creative Writing, Philosophy Art, Music Appreciation, and Play Reading, as well as Gardens Group and a Club. These meet fortnightly Visits to places of interest



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David Hocking



WEDNESDAY 28TH JULY 9 - 11PM
GLOWING GLORIES
 What glowing glories lurk in the sand dunes under cover of night? Bring a torch and find out with local wildlife expert Chris Haes and Countryside Officer Philippa Hoskin. Free event. Meet; Main pay car park, Gwithian Towans Off the B3301 Hayle to Portreath Rd.



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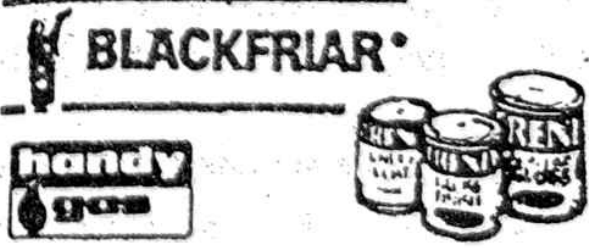
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Talking is what any politician does a lot of; talking is what people in Hayle do. The problem is that none of them communicate – there's one helluva difference! Talking is just one way, communicating is two way. By the way, before I get carried away talking so much that I forget to communicate my name to you, and people start whining about anonymous writers trying to stir discontent through the "Pump", I am Jeremy, to be found in "bajjer arts" up in Hayle Shopping Arcade off Foundry Square, and with the phone no. 756756. (More personal details on application and sent under plain

cover!) If people don't see me at my easel and work out my occupation I tell those who ask that I am a communicator. In radio journalism, in training (radio & sales), in writing, acting, and in my art – I communicate. If no-one communicates then everyone talks and inevitably it will be rumour, speculation and half-truths. Yes, in this instance I am referring to the Hayle Harbour Project –how" it going? Up to the middle of April "not a lot of people knew that." About then Cllrs Rob Lello and Grenville Prowse attended a meeting with Hayle & District Chamber of Commerce and by the way, this article has no political axe to grind, thank you.) They communicated for over an hour. They told us they were "for" the project but couldn't say it in so many words for fear of jeopardizing the solution of some thorny legislative problems, and in any case if they couldn't say how long before a decision could be given what was the use of saying anything. They also said that they were troubled by being cast as the bad guys when they were doing their best. I was one of the first to point out that no news is NOT good news. No matter how little the news or how bad the news people always prefer to be informed. If all that can be said is "events are progressing and only 10% of the proposals are a problem but it might be a twelvemonth before a successful



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result is obtained" there may be some quiet cussing but everyone will feel that their councillors have communicated with them.

The other problem that the councillors claimed was an obstacle to progress was Mr Carruthers' lack of "communication" with Penwith District Council. Apart from feeling I wanted to bang heads together, might I suggest both parties get together, and they could communicate their ideas and problems to each other and to ALL of us. Then we will all know for sure what is going on, and believe that our Councillors do listen to us.

Have I communicated my ideas to you?

The baffer.

Why we eat popcorn at the Flicks

But why? Why is this American snack so closely linked to the movies?

The answer, it seems, goes back to 1885 when an American inventor, Charlie Cretons, came up with the first popcorn machine.

Until then, popcorn, already a popular snack in the USA, was sold by street vendors who would sit in front of stores. The new machine, which could be pushed on foot or towed by a horse, meant vendors could follow crowds at fairs, theatres

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An Oklahoma banker lost his job from the bank when the bank failed. He thought of

setting up a popcorn store next door to a movie theatre. Within a couple of years or so, he had recouped back enough money to make up what he had lost.

Popcorn has also played its own role in history outside many cinemas over the years since then.

Also, in 1945, "which I can't believe to be so long ago, but it is", a Percy Spencer discovered the microwave. When the corn was exposed to the microwave energy it popped the corn. Thus the microwave oven was born.

*Mrs. T. Robinson,
8 Pools Court*

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Bird Power, or Feathered Friends

Looking out of my lounge window the other day, I saw "Dylan - the Black Cat From Hell" (a neighbour's name, not mine).

He was stalking two pairs of collared doves, who were aware of this and kept flying off just far away to be out of danger. The cat would then retreat back to the lawn of the bungalow opposite and try again. Suddenly, as he started once more on his stalking, a magpie came screeching out of the conifer tree, dive-bombed the cat, who turned tail and flew like a "bat out of hell" into the undergrowth.

I've seen and heard parent birds doing this to protect their young from danger, but never before seen a different species do this.

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