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## Carnon Downs, Devoran, Feock and Point & Penpol

*Spring evening paddler - looking from Carnon Yard towards Devoran*



### WELCOME to the tenth issue of the Parish Council's Newsletter

I must start by thanking Barrie Thomas who regrettably has stepped down as Chairman of Feock Parish Council; Barrie was a great community champion and really embodied what it is to be the Chairman of the Parish Council. His wisdom and wit will be missed suffice to say he leaves with our deep gratitude and thanks for everything he has done in support the Parish Council and the parish at large. We are also sorry that Hilary Freeman and Bee Robson also stepped down from the Council recently and thank them for their contributions whilst they were on the Council.

As ever there is lots going on in the Parish and numerous events being held over the Spring and Summer months. A party to celebrate the new recreation area of Pengelly Meadows in Carnon Downs in May is free for everyone to attend with refreshments, music etc. further details are contained in this newsletter.

Cornwall Council has introduced new changes for anyone who wants to comment on planning applications. Please note from the 1st April 2022 public comments submitted via email will no longer be accepted. Only an online submission to the Planning Portal or hard copy "letter" will be accepted. Please visit Cornwall Councils website to find out more details <https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/planning-and-building-control/planning-advice-and-guidance/how-to-respond-to-planning-applications/>

We are starting to see a welcome sight coming back to residents' gardens—Hedgehogs. If you see a Hedgehog during the day it is likely needing to be rescued as Hedgehogs are nocturnal animals; please contact <https://www.pricklesandpaws.org/> or phone them 07926576164123. There is an interesting article in this newsletter on how you can encourage hedgehogs to visit your garden.

Many thanks to Bex Rawbone (Project Co-ordinator), Cathy Whitmore (Project Admin) and Cllr Hambly-Staite (Project Lead) for the tremendous success of the HAIRE Wellbeing project which continues to grow and potentially be rolled out across Cornwall; more details are available in this newsletter.

The Electors Meeting followed by the Annual Parish Council meeting are being held on Monday 16th May 2022 at Carnon Downs Village Hall starting at 7pm. All are very welcome I look forward to seeing you there.

To celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee there are plans for celebrations in each village which are being organised by local groups and residents, more details on the Jubilee page in this newsletter.

*Paul Lightfoot, Vice Chairman, Feock Parish Council*



# HAIRE Update

by Bex Rawbone, Project Co-ordinator

## Newsflash...

**HAIRE Feock** launch a new wellbeing website: [www.MyFeock.co.uk](http://www.MyFeock.co.uk)

Through our research with older residents, one of the strong messages that was highlighted to us, was that people found it difficult to find out local information about activities and events that are happening in our area. Our wellbeing team on the HAIRE Project recently produced a monthly 'What's On' guide, which is available in hard copy from Devoran Community Library, Devoran surgery, Linden Hey Tea Garden, and your village red phone box.

**HAIRE: a Feock Parish Council Initiative in association with the University of Exeter**

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[feockpc.com/wellbeing](http://feockpc.com/wellbeing)



Moving up from this our team are delighted to launch a brand-new website [www.MyFeock.co.uk](http://www.MyFeock.co.uk), which includes an up to date calendar of events, clubs and activities in the parish, directory of local groups & services, the Feock Trail walks and other useful local information.

If you would like your event or activity to be listed on our new website please send the details to our friendly **HAIRE Feock** team at Feock Parish Council:

[cathy@feockparishcouncil.co.uk](mailto:cathy@feockparishcouncil.co.uk)

[bex@feockparishcouncil.co.uk](mailto:bex@feockparishcouncil.co.uk)

We are pleased to offer support to those who need help with getting online. Our **HAIRE** team have a number of electronic devices that can be borrowed via our loan service for use at local **computer IT classes**. If you would like to know more please feel free to call us on **01872 863333** or email us as above. Don't forget to follow our Facebook page for further wellbeing updates: '**Wellbeing Feock**'.

We would like to thank everyone who has helped broaden our services for our local community.



Carousels  
live entertainment  
BBQ cake  
refreshments

stalls  
games  
ice cream

## PARTY IN THE PARK

### Pengelly Meadows Recreation Area Carnon Downs

Bring your own chair or picnic rug!

Supported by HAIRE Project

**Saturday, 14th May 2022 - 12-3.30pm ish!**  
**FREE Community Event - Everyone Welcome!**

Join us to celebrate the opening of the new Recreation Area  
New outdoor Exercise Equipment Demo  
Find out what's on, meet people from local clubs & societies

For more info call:  
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## Queen's Platinum Jubilee celebrations across the Parish



**Carnon Downs Queen's Platinum Jubilee Celebration**  
*Hosted by Carnon Downs Community Association and The Hub Carnon Community Methodist Church*

**Sunday 5th June, 1.30pm to 4pm**  
 Carnon Downs Village Hall car park  
*(if wet will be held in the Village Hall)*

**Everyone welcome – please come along on the day and bring a picnic and a chair!**

- \* Cream teas, tea, coffee, soft drinks and Pimms \*  
*(bring your own mug for a discount on hot drinks)*
- \* Children's activities \*Splat the rat \* Coconut Shy \*
- \* Children's Jubilee Hat Competition – bring and wear your hat on the day! \*
- \* Wear your posh dresses and suits! \*
- \* Raffle \* Name the dog \* Musical entertainment \*

**A limited number of tables are available, to reserve a table (please still bring your own chairs if you can) email [carnondownsvillage@gmail.com](mailto:carnondownsvillage@gmail.com) message via Facebook or phone Caroline on 864567**

*Sorry no parking - the event is being held in the car park (weather permitting) so no parking will be available at the hall.*





**JOIN US FOR A RIGHT ROYAL KNEES-UP!**

The community celebration for HM The Queen's Platinum Jubilee.

**EVERYONE WELCOME - BRING FAMILY AND FRIENDS**

**BIG JUBILEE LUNCH**

**FEOCK CHURCH COMMUNITY HALL  
 SUNDAY JUNE 5 AT 1PM**

**THEBIGJUBILEELUNCH.COM** **JOIN THE CONVERSATION**  
 @edencommunities | #TheBigJubileeLunch




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**JUBILEE EVENTS IN DEVORAN**

Organised by the Church, Chapel and Village Hall for the Community

**ALL WELCOME!.**

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 3pm**  
 In Village Hall

Bring & Share Afternoon Tea with Coronation DVD  
*Be part of history being made*  
*Dress for the occasion*  
 Raffle  
 Display of memorabilia  
 Jubilee themed crafts activities for children  
 Children's Homemade Crown Competition

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June 4pm**  
 In Park (Village Hall if wet)

Short Community Service of Thanksgiving




**St Feock Church** is holding a very special service to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee on Sunday June 5th at 10am. **Everyone is very welcome.** The church will be decorated with red, white and blue and we hope the congregation will wear the same colours in honour of this very special lady who is the head of the Church of England— coffee and biscuits afterwards!

We will be finished well in time to join the Big Lunch in the Church Community Hall.

### Point and Penpoll Jubilee Events

**Saturday 4th June from 2pm**

**Point Quay / Point Green / Orchard**

\* Various Competitions / Children's sports \*  
 \* Dog Show \*

\* Bring your own Picnic Tea \* Open Mic \*  
 \* Sea Shanty Shout \* Bar \*

Any profits made from day will be donated to Ukraine appeal

*Times and full programme will be advertised nearer the time.*



## Precept 2022/23

The Parish Council set their budget in December 2021 and agreed an increase to the precept (Council tax) of 15% which equates to an increase for a Band D household of £8.79 per year or 73p a month. Over the last couple of years the Parish Council have completed several large projects including pedestrian safety highways projects on Old Carnon Hill and Bissoe Road in Carnon Downs, the refurbishment of Retallack Recreation Area in Feock and taking on Pengelly Meadows Recreation Area in Carnon Downs which required landscaping works and installation of equipment. The Parish Council had large reserves which paid for these large projects and enabled them to keep precept increases to a minimum. These projects have been completed and due to rising costs and making the decision to rely only on the precept as guaranteed income when writing the budget it has unfortunately become necessary to increase the precept this year.



## Retallack Recreation Area



Retallack Recreation Area is now open again with the newly installed outdoor gym, zip wire, toddler trampoline and cone spinner. Some remedial works are required to tidy the areas around the pathway and also around the gym equipment and this will be carried out shortly, together with some new bench seating and tree planting. The parking area will be opened once the new gates are installed and the grass in the area has had time to become established. Please note the parking area is only for park users and the gates will be locked overnight.

An official opening event similar to the Party in the Park being held for Pengelly Meadows in Carnon Downs will be held at Retallack Recreation Area on Saturday 3rd September. If you are a local group who would like to have a table at the event to show residents what you can offer please get in touch with Bex via [bex@feockparishcouncil.co.uk](mailto:bex@feockparishcouncil.co.uk)

## Parking restrictions in Feock

Following the consultation on the installation of yellow line parking restrictions in Feock near to the top of Loe Hill, the Parish Council have been successful in securing funding from Cornwall Council to have the parking restrictions put in place and have asked Cormac to plan this work into their work programme for this year. The restrictions are necessary to ensure the road is kept clear of parked cars to enable access for emergency vehicles, buses and residents as often the road becomes clogged up with inconsiderately parked vehicles and on a number of occasions have impeded access for emergency vehicles and buses.

## Annual Parish Council and Electors Meetings

The Annual Parish Council meeting which is also the May Parish Council meeting is being held on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2022 in Carnon Downs Village Hall following on from the Electors Meeting which will start at 7pm. All residents are welcome to attend the Electors Meeting and raise any issues they wish. There will also be reports from the Chairman and Chairs of the Council's sub Committees and our Cornwall Councillor, Martyn Alvey. The agendas for both meetings will be displayed on the website and noticeboards prior to the meeting.

There are currently two vacancies on the Parish Council, one each in Devoran and Feock wards. If you are interested in joining the Council please contact Debra, the Parish Clerk via 01872 863333 or [debra@feockparishcouncil.co.uk](mailto:debra@feockparishcouncil.co.uk) The list of our current Councillors contact details are listed later in this newsletter and also available on the website and noticeboards.

## Hedgehogs in your garden by Matt Thurlow

When I moved to Carnon Downs I had only seen hedgehogs on the odd occasion for many years but I was lucky enough to find one in my garden and since then every year I have seen up to three hedgehogs at a time with one hibernating in a shelter we built. I have since gained friends in the village who each have 3 to 4 hedgehogs visiting their gardens, one is the other side of the bypass so unlikely to be the same ones. This leads me to believe we are very lucky and have a very good population of hedgehogs here. Hedgehogs are still in danger and listed as vulnerable due to habitat fragmentation as people build solid fencing/walls around gardens and as we remove hedging to make more space in our gardens. Solid garden fencing/walls stops these animals from traversing through our gardens and foraging and also prevents them from finding other hedgehogs. We can all do little things to help hedgehogs and enable them to move through our gardens, for example I have cut little holes at the bottom of my fences, they aren't pretty but they could be if done properly! These are some examples of gaps that hedgehogs use in my garden, the catchy term is 'hedgehog highways'

Keeping hedges and sheltered areas around our gardens is also important to maintain dark areas for hedgehogs to move through, although hedgehogs will tolerate a bit of light. Leaf litter piles are also vital for insect populations which the hedgehogs normally feed on. During the summer accessing fresh water is really important for hedgehogs so maintaining shallow dishes of water is also really helpful. Proper hedgehog food is available, although I make use of the cat food I have in the house, my cat is not best pleased!



There are several good campaigns and organisations below that help hedgehogs and people manage their gardens for hedgehogs if you want to learn more:

<https://ptes.org/campaigns/hedgehogs/>

<https://www.hedgehogstreet.org/help-hedgehogs/link-your-garden/>

<https://www.wildlifetrusts.org/actions/how-create-hedgehog-hole>



## A Better Deal by Cllr Keith Hambly-Staite

A new era for bus travel is promised by Cornwall Council with new buses (already provided) and new prices! More comprehensive details will be published in the next issue of CONNECT but here we address improvements on Route 493 Truro-Trelissick Garden- Truro.



To remind residents, following an intervention by Feock Parish Council an amendment was made to the route which means that the bus drives through Feock village with a new 'hail and ride' stop at Trevilla before going on to Trelissick Garden. This means that anyone wanting to enjoy the parkland and gardens at Trelissick can now do this easily and safely. With reduced bus fares for all, plus concessionary fares for the elderly it will even be a financial winner with the NT non members parking fee paying for the bus fare or a cup of coffee.

What does 'hail and ride' mean? Simply it means that if you want to use the bus, not just for Trelissick but for Truro as well, just check the timetable (eg St Feock Church 09.42 or 11.42) stand in a lay-by near the junction of Trevilla Hill and Trevilla Road and when the bus comes in sight put your hand out and the bus will pick you up.

Being a rural route the buses do not come in threes but with two morning journeys to Trelissick and two afternoon journeys back through the village there is ample time to enjoy what must be one of the top visitor destinations in Cornwall, an attraction that is fortunately on our doorstep. Shopping trips to Truro are also now possible at reasonable cost saving parking fees with a bus stop in the centre of town opposite the Hall for Cornwall.

In addition to the revised route and lower prices, improved signage will be introduced at all the bus stops in Feock village in the next few weeks. We are also seeking to have larger print size timetables produced and we would be interested to know if this is an issue for anyone.

For further details of the "Make Big Savings by Bus Scheme" visit [www.transportforcornwall.co.uk](http://www.transportforcornwall.co.uk) for more details.

<b>493</b>		<b>Truro to Feock</b>									
		via Trelissick Gardens   Calenick									
Mondays to Saturdays except bank holidays											
		●	●						●	●	
Penair School										1445	
Truro Lemon Quay	0720	↓	↓	0920	1120	1320				1455	↓
Truro Health Park	0724	↓	↓	0924	1124	1324				1520	↓
Calenick Bridge				0928	1128	1328				1500	↓
Calenick Kea School				0930	1130	1330				1502	↓
Playing Place Bus Shelter	0732	↓	↓	0932	1132	1332				1504	↓
Trelissick Gardens	0740	↓	↓			1340				1540	↓
171 Feock St Feock's Church	0744	↓	↓			1344				1544	↓
Feock Harcourt	0748	↓	↓			1348				1548	↓
Feock Village Green N	0750	↓	↓			1350				1550	↓
Feock Village Green S				0936	1136					1508	↓
Feock Harcourt				0938	1138					1510	↓
Feock St Feock's Church				0942	1142					1514	↓
Trelissick Gardens				0946	1146					1515	↓
Playing Place Bus Shelter	0754	↓	↓	0954	1154	1354				1526	↓
Calenick Kea School				0957	1157	1357				1529	↓
Calenick Bridge				0959	1159	1359				1531	↓
Truro Health Park				1005	1205	1405				1535	↓
Truro Lemon Quay	0805	↓	↓	1009	1209	1409				1539	↓
Penair School	0815									1609	↓
										1605	↓
										1803	↓

● Mondays to Fridays on schooldays only     
 ● Every Saturday, Mondays to Fridays during school holidays

## Memorial trees

The Parish Council are keen to see more trees planted around the Parish and if any residents would like to have a tree planted in one of the parks or other Parish land in memory of a loved one please get in touch with the Parish Clerk so that we can gauge the interest in this idea.

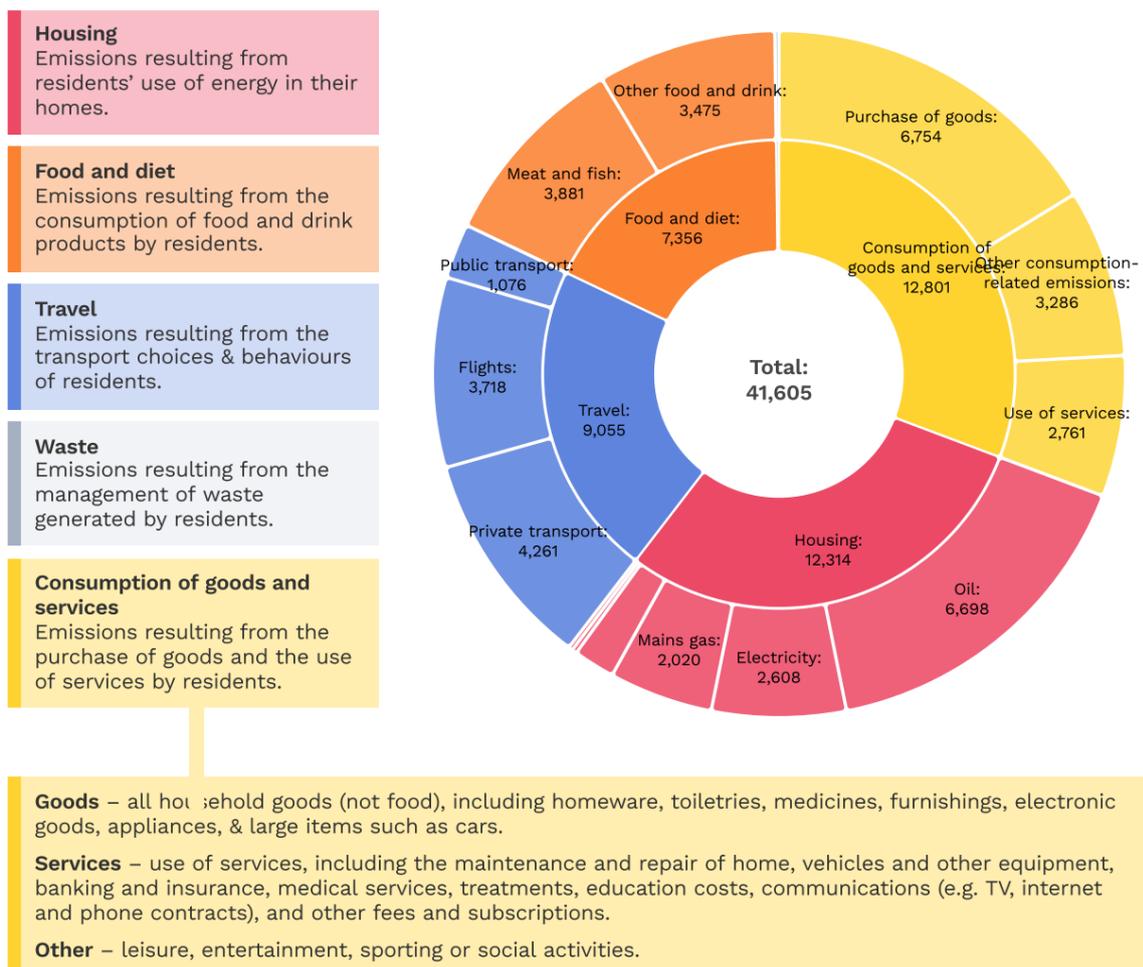


## Feock Carbon Footprint Shock! By Cllr Sue Cooper

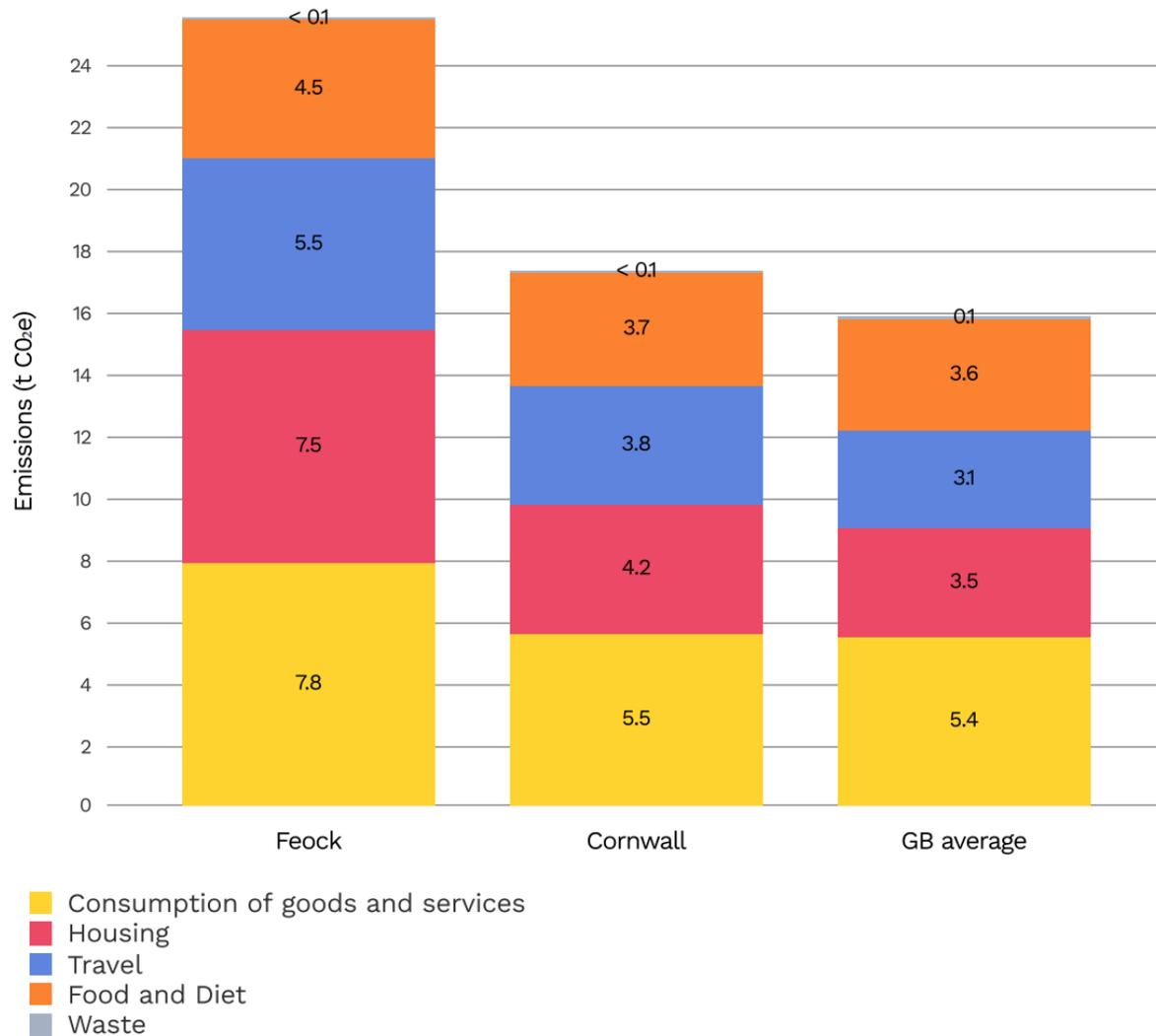
A very revealing document was circulated to members of the re-formed Parish climate action group this month. The Climate Action group became somewhat inactive during Covid but is now re-energised. The group (named F-ACT, Feock-Climate, Action Today) are hoping to change the picture presented in the shocking report researched by Devoran resident Joke Snel.

Using the Impact Tool [www.impact-tool.org.uk](http://www.impact-tool.org.uk) which has been jointly developed by the University of Exeter and the Centre for Sustainable Energy, Joke created a picture of the Parish Carbon Footprint. While, of course, the data is to an extent generalised, there is no hiding the stark fact that Feock’s footprint is a hefty one as shown by these two graphs.

This first picture shows the annual carbon emissions from the various activities that residents within the boundaries of Feock engage in: from Heating to Eating:



The second shows how we compare with the rest of Cornwall and with Great Britain as a whole.



We would probably expect our Cornish footprint to be larger than the national average with our older houses and Cornwall's rural nature, but Feock is a surprising distance above both regional and national figures.

While it is shocking to find that we consume more services, household fuel, travel and food than the average in Cornwall, the figures also present us with a massive opportunity to make a real difference as a community.

It can seem overwhelming and sometimes feels pointless to try to act alone, but if we join together as a community to look at what we can do in our Parish, we could quickly have a genuine impact.

Think Global, Act Local never seemed more relevant. If you would like to join us in the F-ACT group and try to work out how we can make Feock a leader in green living and cut down the size of our footprint, please contact Debra, Parish Clerk at [debra@feockparishcouncil.co.uk](mailto:debra@feockparishcouncil.co.uk) for details of the next meeting and to be added to the circulation list for updates.

This article is about our impact as a community, to calculate your personal impact a good tool can be found at [www.footprint.wwf.org.uk](http://www.footprint.wwf.org.uk)

## Planning changes

Please note from the 1st April 2022 Cornwall Council are no longer accepting public comments submitted via email. These are now only accepted online by setting up an account or in hard copy by letter.

Public comments on an application can be submitted up until the date of decision which is shown on the planning page of Cornwall Council's website. Any comment received before the decision date will be reviewed by the case officer. Cornwall Council recommend that if you wish to comment on a planning application that you submit your comments as soon as possible. This is so that the case officer can take your opinions into consideration.



To comment online you will need an account. If you do not already have an account, you will need to register on Cornwall Council's website. By setting up an account you will be able to: **Comment on applications; track applications and set up alerts to be notified of applications in your area**

If you are unable to register an account, you can email [webmanager@cornwall.gov.uk](mailto:webmanager@cornwall.gov.uk) for help.

All comments made towards an application will be published on Cornwall Council's website. The address for hard copy comments is: Cornwall Council Planning, PO Box 676, Threemilestone, Truro, Cornwall, TR1 9EQ.

Whilst Cornwall Council are the Local Planning Authority and decide all planning applications in the Parish. The Parish Council is asked to provide a consultee comment for each application. To do this the Parish Council has a sub-committee of Councillors who discuss and agree consultee comments for each application in the Parish.

Each application will either be discussed and a consultee comment agreed by Committee Members via email, or taken to the next Planning Committee or Parish Council meeting as per the Committee's Terms of Reference. A copy of the 'Terms of Reference' for the committee together with a list of planning applications currently being considered for comment can be found on our website - <https://www.feockpc.com/current-planning-applications>

## HAIRE Feock and Feock Parish Council invites you .....

**Free community event 'Party in the Park' on Saturday 14th May from 12 noon to 3.30pm, at Pengelly Meadows Recreation Area**, Carnon Downs (just opposite the Doctors Surgery at the entrance to the new Taylor Wimpey estate).

Devoran Scouts are kindly providing a marquee for us to use in the field with tasty BBQ food. Carnon Downs Community Association have a stall selling cakes and cold drinks and a lucky dip. There will be live performances from local singing groups, Stagezone Youth Theatre and the Aggie Folk Band. Plus our fully trained fitness instructor (Cathy Whitmore) will be running a demo on the new installed outdoor gym equipment for you to have a go. There will be lots of other fun activities going on throughout the afternoon for all generations, including 'Dotty' the old fashioned ice cream van, children's carousel, stalls and outdoor games.

Bring a camping chair or picnic blanket to watch the live performances whilst meeting friendly people from our amazing community. **Get the date in your**

**diary—Saturday 14th May!** We look forward to seeing you there!

**For a countdown to the 'Party in the Park' and further updates please follow our Facebook page: 'Wellbeing Feock'.**

**Bex Rawbone—HAIRE Feock (wellbeing) Project Co-ordinator, Feock Parish Council**



## The Right Light at Night by Cllr Sue Cooper

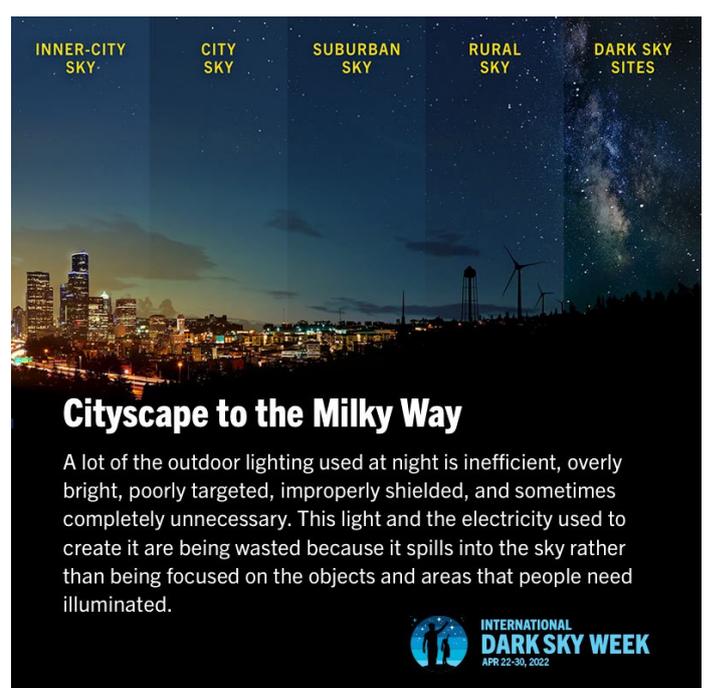
We tend to have a bit of a black and white view about light: either something is lit or it is not. So it came as a surprise to me when resident, Ross Biddle, pointed out that it is perfectly possible to have a sensibly lit residential area and yet still have a dark sky.

Ross shared a link to a recent online talk for this month's Dark Skies week by Steve Tonkin (the Dark Skies Adviser for the International Dark Skies Reserve at Cranborne Chase near Salisbury) which provides a comprehensive and utterly fascinating insight into the vast range of issues around outdoor light. There is not space here to go into all the issues in detail but the impact of poorly planned outdoor lighting is far greater than most of us realise.

While the most obvious impact is on bird life with disruption to feeding, mating and migration, and to bats with some being entombed in their roosts by misdirected lights, and to marine life with animals who rely on natural reflected light or moonlit horizons to navigate being lured into danger by artificial light, the biggest disaster we face is the impact of artificial outdoor lighting on insects. Indeed, recent research shows that insects are not only lured to lights and become easy prey for predators or batter themselves to death but that they are actually killed by some types of blue light. The shocking truth is that lighting especially outdoor lighting, is adding to the already catastrophic decline in nature particularly the insect populations. And along with the rest of the natural world, we cannot survive without insects.

Of course, we need light, but we also need the night to be dark for nature and for our own biological rhythms. To avoid harm, we can all make a massive difference by researching, planning and installing lights with care. A good starting point is to find the 5 principles of safe lighting to be found at [www.darksky.org](http://www.darksky.org), which in brief are that lights should be: useful, targeted, at low light levels, controlled, be as warm a colour as possible (avoiding short wavelength blue).

For more information, search for Steve Tonkin, Virtual Astronomy Club, The Right Light at Night and [www.darksky.org](http://www.darksky.org)



## Libraries and Climate Change by Cllr Keith Hambly-Staite

We are increasingly urged to consider ways of reducing our impact on the world at a time of climate change. Feock Parish Council has declared a 'climate emergency' which means it is always looking at ways in which it can reduce its carbon imprint. The ONS tells us that many people are buying less fuel for transport and home heating but that is because of the cost which is pushing many people into fuel poverty. Hardly a positive contribution to dealing with climate change! And then at another level are books!

During the past two years due to COVID restrictions we have apparently been doing more of two things - enjoying nature and reading books. The U.K. Publishers Association stated that people rediscovered their love of reading during the pandemic and book purchases soared during the pandemic. But what are the implications of this for climate change? It has been estimated that a book's carbon imprint can range from three to seven kilograms of carbon! And yet books educate, entertain and inform us. The internet is not the answer either. As a family member recently told me with an electricity cut access to information could be lost which is why the printed word remains so important.

Whilst considering this I came across a view from the publisher Penguin Random House. Amongst other suggestions they urged people to use their local library. They argued that libraries are environmentally friendly places. They provide books, journals, audiobooks and ebooks that can be reused time and time again. A different type of recycling! They concluded that every item that comes into the library is there with the intention of being read many times, saving the carbon imprint of a book's manufacture across dozens of people.

We have our own library in the parish, Devoran Community Library located in the Parish Council Office in Market Street, Devoran. Managed by Feock Parish Council supported by Cornwall Council there is a changing collection of books but most titles of interest can be ordered online from your Cornwall Council Library Account and supplied for collection from the library on a monthly basis.

The library is open Mondays to Fridays 09.30 to 12.00 noon. Further information is available from Debra Roberts, Parish Clerk.

## Your Parish Councillors and Social media accounts

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Vacancy—please contact the Parish Clerk for more details.

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Vacancy—please contact the Parish Clerk for more details.



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## What's On!

The HAIRE Project Wellbeing team have started to produce a monthly listing of groups, meetings and events within the parish, a few events are included below in this newsletter, but there are many, many more on the full What's On Guide. The guide can be found on our Facebook page, MyFeock website, and in our Bookswap phoneboxes and Devoran Community Library where there are hard copies to take away. If you would like a copy emailed to you please message [bex@feockparishcouncil.co.uk](mailto:bex@feockparishcouncil.co.uk) or if you are unable to access the website copy or a hard copy again please get in touch.

Similarly if you know of a group or event not listed please let Bex know so they can be added.

**Believe in children**  
Barnardo's



# COMPETITION

The Theme this year is  
**A CHARACTER FROM A BOOK**  
(this can either be an adult or children's book)

## JULY 16<sup>TH</sup> & 17<sup>TH</sup>

COME AND SEE THE SCARECROWS ON  
SATURDAY THE 16<sup>TH</sup> & SUNDAY 17<sup>TH</sup>  
GET A FAVOURITE SCARECROW ENTRY FORM  
AND MAP FOR £4 OF WHERE THEY ARE AROUND  
THE VILLAGE FROM ST. LOY, FORTH COTH  
2 DOORS DOWN FROM THE DENTIST

WHY NOT COLLECT A TAKE AWAY CREAM  
TEA AFTER YOU HAVE FINISHED YOUR  
WALK SATURDAY FROM 3.00PM OR  
SUNDAY FROM 3.00 TO 4.30PM TO  
ENJOY LATER ON AT YOUR LEISURE

FURTHER DETAILS FROM  
SHEILA ON 01872 863842

[www.barnardos.org.uk](http://www.barnardos.org.uk)  
Barnardo's Registered Charity Nos 118880 and 10017605



### Dates for your diary!

**Tuesday 10th May** - 7.30pm - Devoran Village Hall AGM

**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> May** – 12-3.30pm – ‘Party in the Park’ Community Event, supported by HAIRE (wellbeing) Project @ Pengelly Meadows Recreation Area, Carnon Downs

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May** – 10-11.30am – Community Coffee Morning – Devoran Village Hall (Lower Hall) - supported by HAIRE (wellbeing) Project

**Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> May** – **Community Sunday Coffee – Devoran Chapel (schoolroom) – 10.30-12noon** – come and join us for an opportunity to share time with friends and neighbours over a relaxed cup of coffee!

**Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> May** – **1-3pm** – Pawsome Afternoon Tea @ Cats Protection Adoption Centre, TR3 6GE

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May** – 7pm - Feock Home and Garden Society meet on at Feock Church Hall with Jan Pentreath, “Snapshots of Cornish Maritime History”

**Thursday 26th May** - 7.30pm - History talk by Mark Norris - Devoran in the 1940s

**Fri 27<sup>th</sup> May** – 7.30pm – ‘A Concert for Oliver’ with Nankersey Male Choir @ Carnon Downs Methodist Church – fundraising for Just4Children: Oliver’s Scoliosis Journey - £5 (under 16s free) – Raffle & retiring collection

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