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### Best Wishes for a Happy & Prosperous New Year

It's the start of a new decade and big changes are in store for the country. Whatever your views on Brexit or the new administration, it's time to look forward to the future and put past divisions behind us. By working together there is no limit to what we might achieve.

A good example of this is the completion of Bradninch Football Club changing rooms. Due to sheer hard work and the dedication of players, coaches and supporters they have built and equipped a facility which does credit to the club and the town. There is an open day on Saturday 18th January, so go along and admire their handiwork, they are an example to us all.

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## Bradninch Tennis Club award Junior Player with Trophy



Jake Lucas (pictured on the right), aged 9, from Bradninch was awarded the Pat Dickens' Memorial Silver Salver from Cliff Bennett, the Club Chairman. Jake was chosen as this year's winner by Juniors' Coach, Christine Porter. She said that Jake attended every session and is always enthusiastic and helpful. He has also shown that the best way to improve your skills and ability in your sport is by regular practice.

The runner up was Gabrielle Coles (pictured on the left), also from Bradninch, who was recognised for her good selection of tennis strokes which she employs with power, often surprising her opponents.

Pat Dickens passed away in November 2015. She was a member of Bradninch Tennis Club for many years and played well into her 80's.

If you are interested in finding out more information about the Club visit <https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/BradninchTennisClub>

## A NIGHT AT THE MOVIES

The community cinema starts the new year with the Elton John biopic Rocketman followed in February by Downton the big screen version of the wildly popular tv series.


The cinema which has been running since September 2018 was set up and run by the Guildhall Management Committee as a community resource and also to raise funds to help maintain the Guildhall.

The project has been very successful with good attendance each month which is fortunate as the Guildhall Management Committee have to pay a £100 licence fee for each showing before making any profit.

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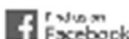


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The trial will be based in rural areas of Devon (outside of settlements with a population over 10,000).

If you are a micro business owner, freelancer or sole trader, sign up online at [www.engagingruralmicros.com](http://www.engagingruralmicros.com) or contact [engagingruralmicros@devon.gov.uk](mailto:engagingruralmicros@devon.gov.uk) before the end of December 2019.

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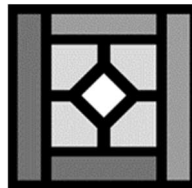
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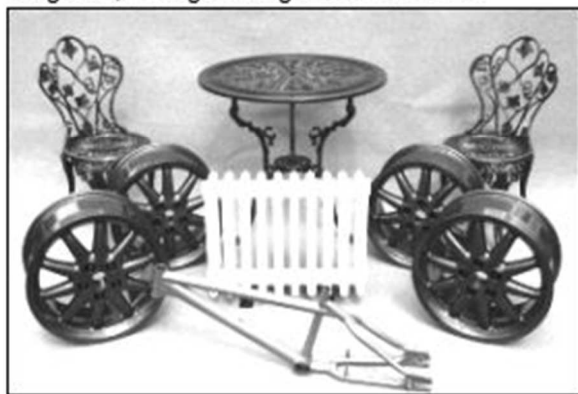
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# Bradninch Football Club

Happy new year from all involved at the football club. It's been an amazing year for the club.

On the pitch we have had some great performances from all of our teams, some decent cup runs and even a new under 6s team join the fold. This is essential to the club moving forward.

We have five youth teams now at the club, including the under 15 girls team and have approximately seventy eight players actively involved in playing regular football representing Bradninch. This is a huge number from such a small town and it's down to the hard work and commitment of the few coaches that give up their time to run the teams. All of the youth teams are currently training at Cullompton Astro turf in the week and it's a pleasure to see the dedication of both the players and the coaches to continue training in the cold and often wet months!

The two senior teams are still very well represented each week we have a full senior team playing both home and away, again with the full support of the managers and coaches, who work tirelessly to produce some excellent football.

## New Changing Rooms

Off the pitch we have been extremely busy too. The changing rooms are now fully working and open for business. I can't stress how important this building is to Bradninch fc.

It's our first ever changing rooms on the site and it's taken several years to get to this stage. There have been a few key individuals who have made this a reality, they know who they are and we will thank them all in January.

This leads me onto the official opening, we are planning to have an event on Saturday 18th January 2020.

We would like to show the whole of Bradninch what Bradninch fc are all about. We want to welcome everyone in the community to come up and see what we have achieved. We will have some of the youth teams playing football in the morning and one of the senior teams in the afternoon.

We are hoping to have someone from the surrounding football world to officially open the changing rooms around lunchtime. We plan on serving up some food and drinks during the day.

Do please feel free to turn up on the day and look around our new facilities. They are some of the nicest changing rooms in the area and we are all extremely proud of them.

Happy New Year from Bradninch Football Club, see you on the 18th.

Gary Osborne

## Silverton & Exe Valley Seniors

### Events & activities for the *50s plus!*

Details of the 2020 Excursions programme will be announced early in the New Year with the full programme being available to take away from the AGM (followed by Tea & Cake) in the Silverton Community Hall on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> February commencing at 2:30 PM.

If you would like more information about any of our outings & events or would like to join the Club (annual membership £5) please contact Martin Clough Club Secretary 38 Hederman Close Silverton EX5 4HW Devon 01392 860971 or e-mail: martin.mcassoc@btconnect.com

#### Some New Year Jokes....

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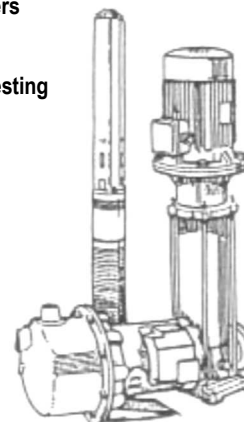
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The great Bradninch tradition of the Twelfth Night Lantern Parade and Bonfire will be held on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2018. We will celebrate the end of Christmas and the start of the New Year by parading through the streets of the town with our lanterns and making as much noise as possible. There will be singing and dancing at The Guildhall before we take our old Christmas trees and lanterns to a big bonfire to be burnt. It is lots of fun and we hope you and your family will join in.

**This year's theme will be Nature & Space**  
2019 was the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of man landing on the moon.

### **Lantern Making Workshops**

Bring your family along to the lantern making workshops at The Guildhall on:

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> through to Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> January,**  
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Lanterns are easy to make and will probably take just a few hours to do (although yours can be as big and elaborate as you like!). All the bits and pieces that you will need will be provided and there will be grown-ups available to help you and to show you what to do. There will be a charge of £3.00 per lantern to cover the cost of the materials. All you need to bring is a jam jar lid, a pair of secateurs or scissors for cutting the willow and your imagination. All lanterns to be cleared during Saturday.

### **Lantern Coffee Morning**

The coffee morning of the 28<sup>th</sup> is for the Lanterns and 12<sup>th</sup> Night, so do come along. **All help, offers of cakes and bakes and raffle prizes very welcome.** You may just get one too many boxes of chocolates that you need rescuing from or that wine auntie likes!

### **Lantern Parade and Bonfire**

The parades will take place on **Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2020 at 6.30 pm**. It is hoped, one parade will start at the top of Townlands in West End Road and the other will start at the bottom of Hornbeam Gardens in Parsonage Street. You can either join in at the start or join in as the parade passes you. The two parades will meet at The Guildhall at approx. 6.50 pm where there will be singing, and dancing from Bradninch Millers Morris. Everyone will be carrying their lanterns and noisy instruments and dragging their old Christmas trees along for the bonfire.

Once we've all met at the Guildhall, the noisy parade will continue down Millway to the football field where there will be a big bonfire of the Christmas trees and you will be able to enjoy some hot soup and more. The road closure order has been granted – we are still looking for a couple of volunteers to man the "Road Closed" signs.

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If you don't want to drag your old Christmas tree along on the parade, you can drop it off at the football field on the afternoon of Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January – we would welcome a small donation to cover costs.

Any questions please contact Nina Smith 01392 882615 else via the Facebook page.

**We hope to see you at the lantern making workshops and at the parade.  
Merry Christmas!**

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## Musical Gardens 2020

There may be a need to dispel a rumour arising from the report of the town council meeting.

The 2020 Musical Gardens WILL happen and I dearly hope it will be the very best we can offer the 100's of visitors and guests it attracts.

Next year is the 20<sup>th</sup> Music Festival, an amazing achievement for a free at source, community based, open music event. So, I wish to make 2020 a year of amazing music in celebration of our achievement, especially showcasing young and up and coming artists and performers.

It will also be my last Music Festival as "booker" or organiser and am proposing the Gardens weekend takes a fallow year in 2021.

I have managed to secure some funding so the weekend will not be a "beg, borrow or steal" event as can offer musicians and performers a little more than just endless tea and cake.

Therefore, we could have a profusion of young and old artists to move across the venues. A major venture but one I hope the town will rise too.

### **An early Call for Bradninch & Hele Gardeneers**

Next year's Musical Gardens weekend will be the 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> June and I would love to have 20 venues for the 20<sup>th</sup> Festival celebration.

Would you like to throw open your gates and be a part of this year's weekend event?

The Musical Gardens weekend has long been the main source of funding for the Bradninch Music Festival but is becoming broader in the local causes it supports.

The weekend draws hundreds of people to our town and is considered a very unique event and one we should have pride in.

All things to be chatted about.

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Mike Lamb

A thought of light hovers over dark  
 Desolation.

A sabled vale of the heart  
 Laments its colour gone.

An indifferent sun divulges  
 Her fragile glory.

A careless breeze blows over barren  
 Beauty.

A bird-bat a-birling escapes  
 Vision blackly.

A swarm of arid leaves is pendant  
 Upon crooked limb.

A rainbow plunges, bolts into  
 Sodden ground.

A huddle of trees the shouldering  
 Glare silhouettes.

A lance all-radiant hurled, splinters  
 Off nimbus shield.

A rafter empty, it hosted afore  
 A guerdon of light.

An innkeeper, at triad quitting,  
 Farewell doth wave.

A moon-owl laments afar, a  
 Muted moan.

***January beholds this way and that.***

A horse, its breath smokes forth as  
 Exhalation o'er dewy dusk.

A street lamp makes of the wet lane  
 A glistening lattice.

A lone cow sneezes, splotches and tromps '  
 Twixt puddles of mud.

A zenith in noon's light summons in soil –  
 Downed limb of tree.

A raised field with horizon white  
 Certifies its cold.

A whirr of pheasant doth go,  
 Rove above gate to hedge.

A liquid glaze of the rill, it  
 Ripples down fold of field.

A sheep is gleged amid  
 A ravelled web of wood.

A leaf-ridded tree now bowers  
 The faint sun's blaze.

A little lamb bob-nodding, on green acres  
 Is blithe.

A snowdrop-surprise doth blazon  
 Some hope of Spring.

A caliginous cloud here shields  
 Our star of day.

***February awhile is tardy to pass.***

## An Interesting Research Project

Wyndham House is currently involved in a Welcome research project running over the next three years examining the effects of waiting times on patients. Our role will be to help with collecting the experiences of patients and staff operating in a rural practice. These will be compared with the experiences of patients in a practice in a deprived community in East London.

None of us want to wait for healthcare. We need healthcare when we feel unwell, or anxious, or are in pain. Waiting, in these situations, can feel like an agony or as if no-one cares. Yet many health practices involve waiting: from the 'watchful waiting' that a GP may use in order to work out what is really wrong, to the slow time of psychotherapy for mental health difficulties, to the waiting that is an integral part of care at the end of our lives. Waiting, then, might be something we want to decrease in some situations and increase in others.

The politicians have been arguing about waiting times in A&E and for GP appointments. We are lucky at Wyndham House to have excellent access but this is built on both patients and our staff appreciating the importance of time and how it constantly changes with circumstances. Our priority is to adapt to the needs of each individual by using a system that is flexible.

This only works when used appropriately by everyone and I am pleased to say that this has always been the case for all the time I have been working at the surgery. I am also very aware that more than 10 minutes with one patient means others will spend longer in the waiting room. However I think all patients understand that at some point in the future they might need longer in the consulting room themselves.

Conversations with the research team have led me to think about time in another context; it is often a currency. We 'give', 'spend', 'offer' and 'share' time, all verbs that we also commonly use when talking about money.

Time is one of our most valuable commodities and each of us has an unknown amount of it. So at the start of a new year, there are a variety of ways in which we can spend our own time. One of these might be to seek out those who stack up a lot of solitary time during the rest of the year.

This time of year presents lots of opportunities for us to alleviate some of the loneliness and isolation that exists in all communities. Spending our time trying to correct this would seem a healthy use of it. A pay-back for the times in the past when we have been helped ourselves.

A Happy New Year to all from the Wyndham House Team.

Another joke.....

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The plan is to have the first gathering on Thursday 9 January at 7.30, continuing on the second Thursday of each month thereafter, if there is sufficient support.

For this first meeting please bring along your three favourite poems and we will take it in turns to read them to the group.

For subsequent months we will choose a theme for the poems, to be decided by those present at the preceding meeting.

The cost will be £2 each to cover the hire of the room plus donations for tea/coffee.

We have no idea how many people will come to this so if you would like to express an interest or have any questions, please do get in touch (contact details below). Otherwise, just turn up on the night at Room4U (situated in the Silverton village car park on Wyndham Road, EX5 4JZ)

Simone Stanbrook-Byrne & Yvonne Nicola  
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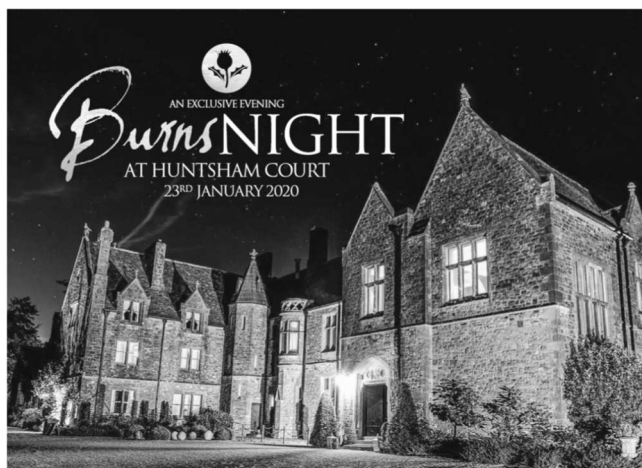
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3rd	Bradninch Millers Morris	20.00	West End Hall
3rd	Lantern Making	10.00	The Guildhall
4th	Sustainable Bradninch CM	10.00	The Guildhall
4th	Luke Taylor Surgery	11.00	The Guildhall
4th	Lantern Making	10.00	The Guildhall
5th	Lantern Making	10.00	The Guildhall
6th	Pilates	9.00	The Guildhall
6th	Yoga	19.00	The Guildhall
6th	Ballet	4.00	The Guildhall
6th	12th Night parade		
7th	Move it or Lose it	10.30	The Guildhall
7th	Ballet	4.00	The Guildhall
9th	Karate	18.30	Duchy School
10th	Taekwondo	18.00	The Guildhall
10th	Ballet	1.45	The Guildhall
10th	Bradninch Millers Morris	20.00	West End Hall
11th	WI CM	10.00	The Guildhall
13th	Pilates	9.00	The Guildhall
13th	Yoga	19.00	The Guildhall
13th	Ballet	4.00	The Guildhall
14th	Move it or Lose it	10.30	The Guildhall
14th	Ballet	4.00	The Guildhall
14th	Folk Club	19.30	The Guildhall
15th	Karate	18.30	Duchy School
16th	Youth Club	19.00	West End Hall
16th	Taekwondo	18.00	The Guildhall
17th	Ballet	1.45	The Guildhall
17th	Bradninch Millers Morris	20.00	West End Hall
18th	Memorial Fund CM	10.00	The Guildhall
18th	Film Night	19.30	The Guildhall
20th	Fitness Class	19.30	West End Hall
20th	Pilates	9.00	The Guildhall
20th	Ballet	4.00	The Guildhall
20th	Yoga	19.00	The Guildhall
21st	Ballet	4.00	The Guildhall
21st	Move it or Lose it	10.30	The Guildhall
22nd	Karate	18.30	Duchy School
23rd	Taekwondo	18.15	The Guildhall
23rd	Library Van	11.00	The Guildhall
24th	Ballet	1.45	The Guildhall
24th	Bradninch Millers Morris	20.00	West End Hall
25th	wine Circle CM	10.00	The Guildhall
27th	Fitness Class	19.30	West End Hall
27th	Ballet	4.00	The Guildhall
27th	Pilates	9.00	The Guildhall
27th	Yoga	19.00	The Guildhall
28th	Move it or Lose it	10.30	The Guildhall
28th	Ballet	4.00	The Guildhall
29th	Karate	18.30	Duchy School
30th	Taekwondo	18.30	The Guildhall
30th	Yoga	19.00	West End Hall
31st	Ballet	1.45	The Guildhall
31st	Bradninch Millers Morris	20.00	West End Hall

## FEBRUARY

1st	Luke Taylor Surgery	11.00	The Guildhall
1st	Gospel Hall CM	10.00	The Guildhall
3rd	Fitness Class	19.30	West End Hall
3rd	Ballet	4.00	The Guildhall
3rd	Pilates	9.00	The Guildhall
3rd	Yoga	19.00	The Guildhall
4th	Move it or Lose it	10.30	The Guildhall
4th	Ballet	4.00	The Guildhall
5th	Karate	18.30	Duchy School
6th	WI	19.30	The Guildhall
6th	Taekwondo	18.30	The Guildhall
7th	Ballet	1.45	The Guildhall
7th	Bradninch Millers Morris	20.00	West End Hall
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8th	Library Van	11.00	The Guildhall
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13th	Taekwondo	18.00	The Guildhall
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14th	Bradninch Millers Morris	20.00	West End Hall
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