



Tormarton Newsletter

March
2018

TORMARTON AND WEST LITTLETON NEWS

Diary

Sat	3 Mar	6.30 for 7 pm	Panto-tainment! Tormarton Village Hall – see below
Wed	7 Mar	7.30 pm	Faith Matters Group at Tormarton Court – see below
Fri	9 Mar	7.30 pm	Madrigals Evening in West Littleton, followed by supper
Mon	12 Mar	6.30 pm	Parish Council Meeting in the Hall Committee Room

Advance Notice

Mon	16 Apr	8.30 pm	100 Club Draw at The Major's Retreat
Sat	30 June	evening	'Pimms, Paté & Pudding' Party at Tormarton Court

Recyclable & Refuse Collection:

Recycling items and food bins are now being collected **every** week.

Black and green bins will be collected **alternate** weeks.

For details on Recycling items to be put in each box/bag, check information on leaflets that have been left

Tormarton – Mondays

Bins: 12 & 26 March

B4465 towards Codrington – Fridays

Bins: 9 & 23 March

West Littleton – Mondays or Tuesdays (depending on location in the village)

Bins: 5/6 & 19/20 March

TORMARTON CHURCH SERVICES

Sun 4 Mar:	10.30 am	Morning Worship with Holy Communion	Rev. Sally Wheeler
Sun 11 Mar:	4 pm	Mothering Sunday Service	Rev. Sally Wheeler
Sun 18 Mar:	10.30 am	Family Service, followed by refreshments	Rev. L. Godfrey

WEST LITTLETON CHURCH SERVICES

Sun 11 Mar:	10.30 am	Matins (1662)	Rev. Christopher Mulholland
Sun 25 Mar:	9 am	Holy Communion (1662)	Rev. Sally Wheeler
Fri 30 Mar:	10.30 am	Good Friday Devotional Service	Rev. Christopher Mulholland
Sun 1 Apr:	10.30 am	Easter Sunday Holy Communion (1662)	TBA

PANTO-TAINMENT - Old MacDonald's Strange Adventure – Saturday 3rd March – 7 pm

The Village Hall, Tormarton. Bar open from 6.30 pm

Tickets **£8 pp** to include a hot dog **Children go free!**

Entry to this Village Extravaganza is by **ticket only** – only a few left if you haven't bought yours yet

For tickets **contact Diana Elliott on 01454 218364 or email: diana.elliott@hotmail.co.uk**

Madrigals in St. James' Church, West Littleton – Friday 9th March

The annual Madrigal Concert by the Bristol University Madrigal Ensemble will be held at St James's Church, West Littleton on Friday 9th March at 7.30 pm. Tickets not required – retiring collection after the concert.

Supper following the concert at Cadwell Hill Barn (£10 at the door).

For further information please contact David Adams on 01225 891100

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Mothering Sunday: 4pm Service for All Ages with posies and cakes!

There will be a special Mothering Sunday service at 4 pm on 11th March. Please bring all the family and especially mothers. Tea and cakes and special posies for mothers will be provided. Everyone is very welcome for this beautiful service.

Faith Matters Group, Tormarton – Wednesday 7th March

The meeting this month is on Wednesday 7th March at Tormarton Court. If you are interested in being there, or want any further information, please contact Sally Wheeler (01225 892180) or Bruce and Noreen Finnamore (01454 218236).

Tormarton Annual Parochial Church Meeting and Revision of the Church Electoral Roll

The Annual Parochial Church Meeting (Church Council AGM) will follow the morning service on Sunday 15th April to which all are invited.

Prior to the meeting it is the duty of Janet Wells, as Electoral Roll Officer for the Church, to invite any new members to join the Church Electoral Roll. If you would like to join the members list for the church, then you will find the relevant papers and enrolment forms on the notice board in the church porch. Please contact Janet Wells Tel 218549 if you require further information.

PARISH COUNCIL NOTES from the Chairman

1. **Gypsy/Traveller Site Planning Application PK17/2008/F** - The planning permit issued by South Glos Council is currently being challenged legally by the Tormarton Action Group (TAG) with a view to having this decision quashed. More information on this action will be issued in due course.
2. **Defibrillator Meeting** - An "Understanding your Community Defibrillator" course has been arranged on the evening of Wednesday 18th April 2018 to gauge the level of interest within West Littleton and Tormarton villages for a community defibrillator in each village. Further details will be published on the village notice boards.
3. **The Next Meeting** of the Parish Council will be held in the Hall Committee Room on Monday 12th March starting at 6.30 pm.

100 Club: Winners in the February Draw were: H.Barraclough (£50), E.Abbott, J.Orchard, I.Elcock, Tormarton Cricket Club and T.Allen (£10 each). The final draw for 2017/18 will take place at The Major's Retreat on Monday 16th April at 8.30 pm. If anyone new to the village would like to join, please contact Pam Davis for further details on 01454 218301.

Pilates takes place in the Village Hall on Monday evenings, 7-8 pm. This group has been taking place for some time now so we are not able to take beginners, but anyone interested, who has already done some pilates, can contact Sophie, email: sophiehthomson@hotmail.com, phone: 07786 653834. The cost of each class is now fixed at £6.50, but before each session of 4 classes you will be asked how many you would like to book and pay for. (£25 if booking for all 4).

Rota Volunteers, Tormarton Church

Church Flowers: No flowers during Lent

Church Cleaning: Mrs. H. Gent and Mrs. N. Finnamore

Mowing Rota: TBC

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