



## Ashill Village Newsletter May 2019

**WELCOME** to your May Big Issue newsletter!  
The Ashill Beer & Music Festival is on 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> June...all the bands and further information to follow. Look out for the posters around and about soon!

### Forthcoming events:



# Get Your Fizz On! @ The Ashill Inn Prosecco Weekend

*Cider and Ales too*

*Try our Prosecco Cocktails*

*4<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> May      Open all day  
BBQ available*



**BRADNINCH MILLERS MORRIS  
WILL BE DANCING AT  
THE ASHILL INN  
AT 8.00PM ON FRIDAY 10TH MAY**

### Village Hall Maintenance Day

**On Saturday May 11<sup>th</sup> from 10am – 1pm.**

A Spring tidy up of the Hall and outside areas.

The marquee will be erected to check for any necessary repairs too.

Please come along, if you are free, to help in any way that you can.

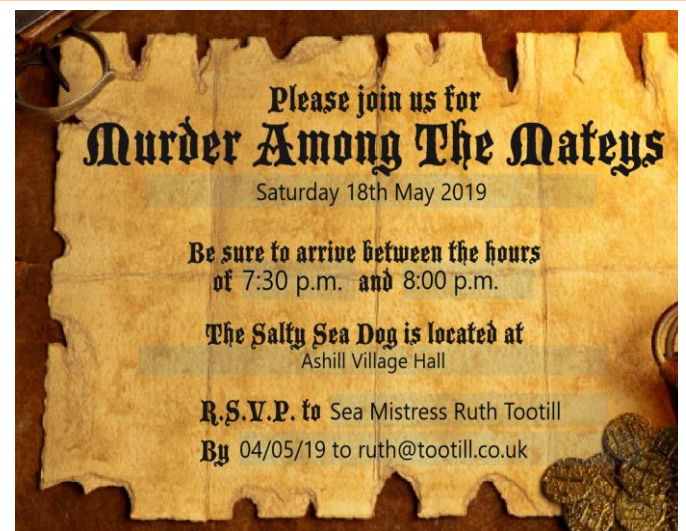
Your time will be very much appreciated.

Refreshments will be available to keep you all going!

### St Stephen's Ashill Church Services

Rev Michelle Paton, our new Associate Minister, will be starting her ministry in September. Meanwhile, there will be Communion service each 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month.

**19th May Holy Communion at 6.30pm with Rev Simon**



Another murder in Ashill...

You are all invited to join us for a swashbuckling night to include Ashill Inn's scrumptious fish and chips.

The Salty Sea Dog's bar will be open too.  
£12.50 a ticket

### Ashill Coffee Morning

If you didn't manage to come in April, then try to come on **Wednesday May 29<sup>th</sup>** so that you don't miss out on our lovely cakes, chat and coffee!

10-12 at the Village Hall.

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# Ashill Beer & Music Festival

2 Days Of Quality Ale  
Quality Music & Great Food

**Fri 7<sup>th</sup> June**  
6pm - Midnight

**Sat 8<sup>th</sup> June**  
2pm - Midnight

**Ashill Village Hall**  
(1 Mile From Uffculme)

**Admission £5 per day**  
**2 Day Pass £8**

**Includes Festival Glass**  
**Under 18's Free**



The Ashill Beer and Music Festival raises funds for the annual upkeep and running of the Village Hall. Maintenance of the Village Hall facility is largely dependent upon the fundraising activities and events and donations from the local community.

So, if you can, or you know of anyone at your work, family or friends who could sponsor a beer barrel please do get in touch with Becky Darby 07809 222 551 or [becky.darby@hotmail.com](mailto:becky.darby@hotmail.com) Sponsor forms can be found on the Hall website [www.ashillvillagehall.co.uk](http://www.ashillvillagehall.co.uk) in the pub and sent to all newsletter recipients.

This year Becky has found some amazing bands - old and new. The food outlets will be there too as well as the cash bar.

If any Ashillians would like to pop down to the Hall on the evening of **Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> the barrels are being tapped ready for the Festival.**

## Ashill Flower Show

**Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> August**

The Show schedules are available from Rosalie Fleet 01844 841357 or [rafleet05@gmail.com](mailto:rafleet05@gmail.com) Schedules are now available to download at [www.ashillvillagehall.co.uk](http://www.ashillvillagehall.co.uk)

Now is the time to take a look at the Flower Show Schedule to prepare for some of the classes.

This year – 2019 there is a class for any item of sewing and the photo class is Bridge or Bridges.

The children in the older age group will need to start growing their broad beans on blotting paper and put together some ideas as to how you make a 3D model of Ashill Church using recycled materials.

The younger group will need to make a bracelet from either thread, loom bands or beads.

Take a look at the schedule to see the full list of classes for fruit and vegetables, cookery and house craft, flowers, and flower arranging. There are also some helpful hints and recipes.

Entries close on Wednesday July 31st. That's the Wednesday before the show, so you have plenty of time to make you plans for your entries.

*Greta*

Show schedules will be delivered to your inbox soon!

## Sampford Peverell Historic Vehicle Show

The show this year will be on **Sunday 11th August** at Uplowman Village Hall.

Once again, the charity will be the Devon Freewheelers: also known as Blood Bikes.

As always, any type of vehicle welcome, no age restrictions, craft/trade stands too!

For more information and application forms or if you would like to help out please contact Lindy Astbury (Secretary) on 01884 820527 or [lindyastbury@gmail.com](mailto:lindyastbury@gmail.com)

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## Updates

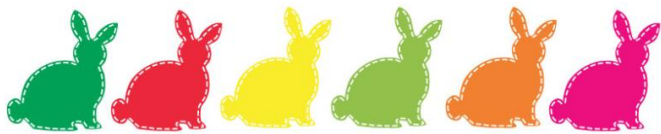
### Easter Egg Hunt

Thank you to everyone who took part in the hunt on such a hot afternoon. Fortunately, no chocolate eggs melted!

The letter clues made the sentence 'rabbits love carrots' and the 21 knitted rabbits, hidden in our church, love their new homes too.

Thank you for all those who kindly donated Easter eggs for the youngsters and Rosalie for her time at the church.

Barbie



### RECYCLE YOUR CRISP PACKETS!

£16 received  
for the first  
box



and nearly  
50% full  
on the  
next one!

The Crisp Packet Recycling Scheme recycles your crisp packets and prevents them from ending up in landfill. Not only are you helping the environment, but the packets you recycle helps your Village hall.

Pop your packets into No 7 Ashill Courtyard anytime. There is a bin behind the black fence. Thanks, *Smurf*.

### Village Hall AGM

Ruth and Claire have now stepped down from the committee.

They have both worked hard as Trustees of the hall and their help was much appreciated.

Rob has now joined the committee so there is still one vacancy.

The AGM was well attended and there were some very positive thoughts and suggestions from those attending. These will be discussed by the Committee.

The minutes of the AGM are available on the website [www.ashillvillagehall.co.uk](http://www.ashillvillagehall.co.uk)

### Walking Football in Ashill

Would you like to come along to regular Walking Football games in Ashill?

It has very specific rules that outlaw all running and allows no contact between players.

Teams are either 5 or 6- a -side. As a result of the rules the match is played at a brisk walk reducing injuries.

If you used to play football or have never played but are interested please contact Smurf at

[tony.murphys@btinternet.com](mailto:tony.murphys@btinternet.com) or 849134



May: Prosecco Weekend 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>

May: Bradninch Millers Morris 10<sup>th</sup> 8pm

May: Maintenance Day Village Hall 11<sup>th</sup> 10-1pm

May: Pirate Murder Mystery Sat 18<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm

June: Ashill Beer & Music Festival Fri 7<sup>th</sup> & Sat 8<sup>th</sup>

July: A village Event

Aug: Flower Show Sat 3<sup>rd</sup> Village Picnic

Sept: Film Night. Any ideas welcome!

Oct: Games Night (with same Pig Racing entertainer) Sat 12<sup>th</sup>

Nov: Annual Fireworks Night Sat 9<sup>th</sup>

Dec: Children's Christmas Film Sat 1<sup>st</sup> pm

### Ashill Newsletter

The Newsletter is distributed to those email recipients who subscribe to the mailing list.

There are a few paper copies left at The Ashill Inn as well as on our 2 village noticeboards and the Village Hall website.

If you know of anyone who would like to subscribe to the mailing list or wish to have a paper copy please contact Barbie at [barbiesmail123@gmail.com](mailto:barbiesmail123@gmail.com)

If you have anything that you would like to add into the next edition please contact Barbie by Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> May. Thank you.

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