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# T'Owd Man's Mutterings



## HORTICULTURAL HIGHLIGHTS 2019

(Photos by Ricky Moss)



In folklore T'Owd Man is a spirit that inhabits mines and caves. T'Owd Man of Bonsall is a carved figure of a miner that was taken to Wirksworth when St James church was being refurbished in the 1860s. It was said that strange noises coming from the old Ball Eye mine at the end of Church St. were of T'Owd Man muttering



CHURCH DIARY

October

St James

6	9.30 am Harvest Festival
13	9.30 am Eucharist
20	11.00 am Morning Worship
27	9.30 am Eucharist

Village Life Church

Sunday 10:30 am Morning Worship  
10:30am UNO Sunday School

Monday 6:00 pm Prayer Meeting

Tuesday 2:00 pm Craft Club

Wednesday 7:00 pm House group

We will be having an all-age harvest festival service on Sunday 13 October, 10:30 to 11:30 am.

Our Family Funday Sunday will be on 27 October, 10:30 to 11:30 am, followed by lunch at 12 pm. Please come and join us.

Our coffee morning is on Tuesday 29 October, 10:00 am to 12:00 pm. Everyone is welcome.

For more information please check out our website: [www.villagelifechurch.org.uk](http://www.villagelifechurch.org.uk)

Bonsall Wesleyan Reform Chapel (The Dale)

All services during October are at 6.15 pm

Do please join us for:

The Village Harvest Supper, Wednesday 2 October, 7.00 pm;

Harvest Thanksgiving, Sunday 6 October, 6.15 pm;

Harvest Gifts and Sale - see Chapel Noticeboard;

Cuppa and Cake, Friday 18 October 2.00 - 4.00 pm.

All are welcome to join with us

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CHURCH NEWS

Humility

How easy it is and how great the desire to want to be heard, and want to be listened to, and the need to be acknowledged. And how easily is the flip-side of this (especially when attention is divided to a mobile phone, tablet or television) to ignore and overlook those right in front of us. We live in a world that constantly encourages us to view ourselves as the centre of the universe. That our security, satisfaction and comfort are the paramount claim on our attention. That we should fill our lives with whatever fad and distraction will salve the never ending itch of our indulgences. And with platforms of social media, with followers and the ears of hundreds, we can create an inflated concept of our importance and our ideas.

We then get irritated when the concept of our importance is not shared by others. This is why we have so little patience when it comes to failed customer service, when we are cut up on the road by other drivers, when someone's lack of experience means you are not dealt with in a particular manner. It can even reach the realms of our relationships, where our attention and affection might become conditional, dependent on how we are treated.

But there is a different way to live. The bible says 'Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love'. And for me the way of humility is the only successful future for humanity.

The business world proves humility as a successful business model. Don't get me wrong; there are plenty of successful businesses driven by belligerent tyrants,

but most great businesses that have major success are driven by caring, quiet spoken leaders, who strive for the success of their teams more than their own agendas. If this pattern works in the rat-race, how much more will it work in the human race. We don't like the idea, as we have a misconception that humility is relinquishing strength so that others can use us as a doormat. But the truth is that humility is when we choose to use our strength for the benefit of the community.

You may not think too often that you are part of humanity, and why should you give your limited energy and resources to help others? Here are some reasons why we should:

1. Most of us needed help, hope and inspiration at some point. Whether you were given any or not, we should try and help others in their need.

2. When the community thrives, everyone's life is better. When we invest in others, everyone benefits. When it comes to relationships don't follow the insane lie that it is 'all a bit of give and take.' Because in that scenario who gets to give and who gets to take? How is that worked out fairly? But if we all choose to give in our relationships everyone is blessed.

3. In my experience, being able to help or equip someone in a meaningful way, gives me far more satisfaction in life than simply focusing on myself and my own agenda.

If we want to see an end to poverty, climate change and injustice in this world, it will come from individuals who humble themselves for the sake of others.

Mathew Quinn

Catholic Church Services

Our Lady and St. Teresa of Lisieux

Gorsey Bank, Wirksworth

Mass Sundays 9 am, Holy Days 7 pm.

Service of Holy Communion every Wednesday morning at 10 am.

Contact Fr. Robbie O'Callaghan  
(01773 743336)

Our Lady and St. Joseph Church

Bank Rd, Matlock

Mass times Saturdays 6 pm,

Sundays 8.30 am & 10.30 am.

Holy Days 9.30 am & 7 pm.

Daily Mass Mondays and Fridays 7 pm. Tuesdays – Thursdays 9.30 am.

Sacrament of Reconciliation –

Fridays 6.30–7 pm, Saturdays 10.30–11 am, Adoration Thursdays and Fridays 7 am – 11 pm

Contact Fr. Bernard Needham (582804)

There is a fortnightly newsletter listing ongoing events.

On Sundays breakfast is available in the church hall after the 8.30 Mass and tea/coffee and biscuits after the 10.30 Mass. All are welcome.

FLOODLIGHTING

September

Apologies for missing the last issue.

John and Pauline Sewry remembered Patrick as a loving brother, uncle and friend, especially his love of fun. Gordon and Christine Hardy remembered Ron and Pam during the second week for their birthdays. Phil and Ronnie Addis remembered Grandma Christine and Granddad Addis on their birthdays in September.

October.

This month Claudine Balmer and her family remember her mother, Betsy Ellison; she also remembers her brother Fred Peake, especially on 19th. The family of Doreen Rickards remember Ian, Millie, Isaac and Peter, especially during the third week of the month. October 22nd has special memories of Nora and Frank Seedhouse for all their family. Jenny Webster and all her family remember their mother and father, Joan and Keith, especially on Keith's birthday on 27th. October 28th is the particular time that Louis Pearson remembers Guy and Alice.

I have included all those who have been mentioned in previous years, hoping that is what you wish. If this is OK, could you please let me have your donations to keep our spire lit. In future months, please let me know your wishes and if there is any wording which needs changing.

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Horticultural Success

Dear Editors,

I was astounded to find that I had not only won first prize in the "1 bottle of home-made wine, spirit, beer or cider" category, but also the Harry Morris Memorial Cup for Best in Show. Amazing! Unfortunately, I couldn't attend on the day due to being at Wembley and as such not in the photos, so I've attached a photo taken at home. The winning brew was an Old Porter recipe and I must say it is delicious!

Colin Draycott



(Photo from Colin Draycott)

Harvest Auction

The Harvest Auction will be held at the Kings Head on Sunday 6 October with an 8pm start. Any donations to me or to Bill and Jill.

Thanks

Richard Taylor (823704)

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(Photo from Chris Broome)

### Illustrated talk on climbing Mera Peak (6,476m) in Nepal

I will be giving a talk in the Village Hall on Friday 11 October, starting at 7.30 pm on my attempt in April/May this year to climb Mera Peak in the Everest Region of the Nepalese Himalaya. This was probably the most challenging thing I've done so far in my life, taking me to my physical limits. It was a private trip with just three people in the party. I shall be showing slides and video clips on the big screen of the spectacular scenery, the mountains, valleys, the local people and their way of life. The Chernobyl Children's Lifeline banner was proudly photographed on the summit at 7.45 am on 26 April, the 33rd anniversary of the Chernobyl disaster. Tickets, available on the door, will be £5.00, children under 15, £3.00. Refreshments will be available and we'll be holding a raffle. All proceeds will go to the Bonsall & Derbyshire Dales Link funds to put towards next year's visit of a group of Ukraine children.

**Chris Broome**

### Village Hall autumn fair

The Village Hall Autumn Fair is from 10.30 am to 12.00 noon on Saturday, 2 November. Last year, the attendance was low. Let's improve it this year! Please find a few minutes to attend, enjoy some refreshments and spend a couple of quid. This is an important annual fundraiser for the Village Hall funds. Remember the Hall belongs to the village and is run by a voluntary committee. If you want a stall at the fair, please phone me on 823591. New committee members are most welcome.

**Leigh Johnson**

Treasurer & Trustee, Bonsall Village Hall Committee

### Harvest supper

The harvest supper will be on Wednesday 2 October at 7pm in the Wesleyan Reform Chapel. Everyone is very welcome and if you would like to come, please either put your name on the list at the Church or the

Wesleyan Chapel, or ring me on 826350 and say if you would like meat & potato or cheese & onion pie. There will also be apple crumble or apple pie. Please can you reply by 30 September.

**Norma Marshall**



### Introducing 50+ forum to Bonsall Parish

Matlock 50+ giving Derbyshire's 50+ community a voice. Join our group and get your questions answered, your voice heard. We have speakers four times a year on topics that our members suggest, with time for questions. Our meetings are free and include a tea and biscuit break. You can join the 50+ group when you first come and there is no obligation to come every time we meet. The meetings are on Mondays, from 2 - 4 pm, at The Imperial Rooms in Matlock. The next ones are on 16 September and 18 November. We can arrange transport to and from the meetings. If you want to get more involved, you can join the working group to help arrange the meetings – we meet once a month for less than two hours.

The Matlock group covers surrounding communities, including Wirksworth, Darley Dale, Winster and Tansley. 50+ is funded by Derbyshire County Council Adult Services and we have a forum support officer who supports our work. Past topics for meetings have included: Befriending; The Blue Badge scheme; Cyber-crime; Defibrillators; Derbyshire Community Bank; Driving safely for longer; Fire safety; The internet; Home safety; Local bus transport; Local health & Healthwatch; Local MP Q&A; Pensions; Personal Insurance; Probate; Recycling; Scams; Time swap; Trading Standards; Trusted Traders; and Welfare rights. If you have any questions, please contact me at fandibben@btinternet.com. You can find more about the 50+ forums in Derbyshire at [www.derbyshire.gov.uk/community/50-plus-forum/50-forums.aspx](http://www.derbyshire.gov.uk/community/50-plus-forum/50-forums.aspx).

**Nick Dibben**

Chair, Matlock and surrounding communities 50+ forum

## VILLAGE NOTICEBOARD



### St James' toy collection

Some of you may know that St James' holds a 'Toy service' every November when members of the congregation bring along a toy to the service to donate. We then take them to the Jigsaw project in Matlock so that they can put them in their Christmas boxes. We were hoping this year to make another donation but we were wondering if anyone from the village, who could and wanted to, would also like to donate a toy or a book, crayons etc. They need to be good quality and safe. You can leave them in the church any time you're passing during the next six weeks, in a bag if possible, and they will be collected daily then added together so that local families in need will have some little extras to give their children this Christmas. Thank you.

**Marion Heasman**

(Secretary, St James' PCC)

### Village lunch

This month, our ever-growing group was treated to a meal of pork escallops and sausages with mixed vegetables and new potatoes, served with a tomato sauce. This was followed by a Bonsall plum crumble and tea or coffee. Before the meal, we were fascinated to hear from some of the Bonsall School pupils about the exciting things they will be doing in the coming months of the new school year. And of course, not to forget the quiz, giving everyone's brain a stretch during pauses between courses! The next lunch will be on 16 October at 1pm in the Village Hall. Everyone is very welcome; we now have regulars aged from eight weeks to (I won't give this number away!) years old. If you didn't add your name to the signup sheet for the next meal, ring 826309 by 9 October and leave your name to secure a place. Please give any details that are important for your diet. We also offer a take-out service if you know of anyone who is unable to get to the Village Hall. Best wishes for the autumn season.

**Jenny March**

### Village Hall key

The lock on the front door of the Village Hall will be changed during the first half

of October. The new key will be placed in the key-box located on the wall next to the door. You will need to contact Jackie Smith (07771 764366) to obtain the key-box code. The code will be changed every month. Regular users of the hall will be notified of the code by Jackie.

**Chris Broome**

(Village Hall Secretary)

### New village noticeboard

Hopefully, you will have noticed the large noticeboard that has appeared on the wall by the Fountain Cafe. A huge thank you to all who helped raise funds for the board and to the Parish Council who made a very generous contribution and helped organise the board for us all to use. It is deliberately open with no cover, so that everyone can access it. Anybody wishing to put any notice on it is advised to put some form of see-through cover on their notice to protect it from the weather. It is great to see that several notices have appeared so far. Please use this resource as much as possible to communicate village activities and areas of interest and please could you remove notices when the event is over. Thanks.

**Loreen Elliott**



(Photo by Ricky Moss)

### Save the Cockerel - Update

People may be wondering what's happening with the fate of the cockerel?

Well, our aim, is to get work underway in the Spring of next year having raised a considerable amount of money. Unfortunately, the steeplejack who quoted to do the work, has now gone out of business, so we will need to find another contractor. If you have any ideas or contacts who might be able to help then please let me know.

Meanwhile we are still actively fund raising - if you can help we would love to hear from you.

**David Kirkham**

Treasurer, St James Church

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### Notice of Concert

The Dalesmen male voice choir will hold a concert on Saturday 26 October at 7:00 pm in St. Alkmund's Church, Church Drive, Duffield, Derby DE56 4BA. The concert is to support Prostate Cancer UK.

**Marion Heasman**

(Secretary, St James' PCC)



### Bonsall Arts Trail

Bonsall Arts Trail, on 4-5 April 2020, is now accepting applications from Derbyshire-based artists and groups. If you make ceramics, textiles or jewellery, or if your practice involves glass or textiles, we welcome your application. For more details please visit our website at [www.bonsallartstrail.org](http://www.bonsallartstrail.org), contact us at [bonsallartstrail@yahoo.com](mailto:bonsallartstrail@yahoo.com) or find us on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/bonsallartstrail](http://www.facebook.com/bonsallartstrail). By telephone, please contact Amanda Graham (Chair) on 07881 021742. We are also asking Bonsall householders to host visiting artists over the weekend. If you're interested, please contact Claire Taylor on 07989 597811. If you're a Bonsall artist and would like to run a workshop over the weekend, we'd be delighted to hear from you too!

**Amanda Graham**

### Genuine lines from science exam papers

When you breathe, you inspire. When you do not breathe, you expire.

H<sub>2</sub>O is hot water and CO<sub>2</sub> is cold water.

When you smell an odourless gas, it is probably carbon monoxide.

Water is composed of two gins, Oxygen and Hydrogin. Oxygen is pure gin. Hydrogin is gin and water.

Three kinds of blood vessels are arteries, vanes and caterpillars.

Blood flows down one leg and up the other.

Dew is formed on leaves when the sun shines down on them and makes them perspire.

The tides are a fight between the Earth and moon. All water tends towards the moon, because there is no water in the moon, and nature abhors a vacuum. I forget where the sun joins in this fight.

(Spotted by Peter Fellows)

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### Report of 17 September meeting

#### District Council climate emergency action:

Cllr. Pawley reported that the District Council had made an arrangement with a company (Chargemaster UK) for eight electric vehicle charging points in Bakewell car park; eight at the Edgefold car park in Matlock and one in Wirksworth. Also Matlock illumination lights have been changed to LEDs (0.5W) from previously 15 Watt. A report on further work is due in September/October.

#### Village Website:

The Parish Council agreed a payment of £350 to transfer the current village website to a new more accessible system. The current website will remain in place until the new one is ready. Thanks to Brett Biedscheid, who is carrying out the Parish Council's part of the work as a volunteer.

#### Trees in the churchyard:

Valley View Landscapes are carrying out works to remove self-seeded trees overhanging houses on Yeoman Street, and on two dead ash trees within the churchyard. Conservation Area consent and a bat survey have been obtained, enabling the work to go ahead. The Parochial Church Council is contributing towards the cost of the works that fall on its land.

#### Flood report final comments:

The Parish Council has sent final comments on the report to the County Council:

- The report needs to further address the question of adequacy and capacity of the combined sewers;
- A programme of more frequent gully maintenance needs to be implemented to prevent recurrence;
- The report identified the highway surface height on Yeoman Street as a contributory factor to property flooding and the Parish Council wants to know what action the County Council is proposing to take to address that problem.

In the meantime the County Council is preparing to undertake a full survey of the culverts and has begun to contact adjacent landowners about the work.

#### Annual audit of accounts:

The Parish Council accounts have been approved by the external auditors PKF Littlejohn LLP; the audit report is available for public inspection on the village website or by contacting the Clerk.

#### Masson Ward Councillors:

A Boundary Commission review has identified that the District Council has more Councillors than other comparable authorities, which might mean a reduction from two councillors to one in Masson ward. It would eventually be a Government decision. The Parish Council agreed to write to the Boundary Commission to express the Parish Council's preference for retention of two District Councillors. This is on the basis that the current system allows good representation and support for the work of the Parish Council, and that having two Councillors enables mutual cover to be provided on local issues, whereas a single councillor would be less able to similarly represent the interests of the Parishes and populations within the ward.

Full details of the meetings can be found in the minutes on the Parish Council page of the village website at [www.bonsallvillage.org/](http://www.bonsallvillage.org/) or on the village noticeboards. The next meeting of the Parish Council will be at 7.30 pm on 15 October. If you have any issues to be raised at the meeting please contact the Clerk Tony Payne with details by 7 October.

#### Tony Payne

Clerk and Finance Officer. 27 High Street DE4 2AS. T: 822311; email [bonsallclerk@gmail.com](mailto:bonsallclerk@gmail.com)

### Parish Councillors

If you have any concerns or requests of the Parish Council, they should ideally be raised in Public Participation section of the monthly meeting. If however there is an urgent matter, while individual councillors will try to assist, a direct response is better achieved by contacting the Clerk to the Parish Council directly:

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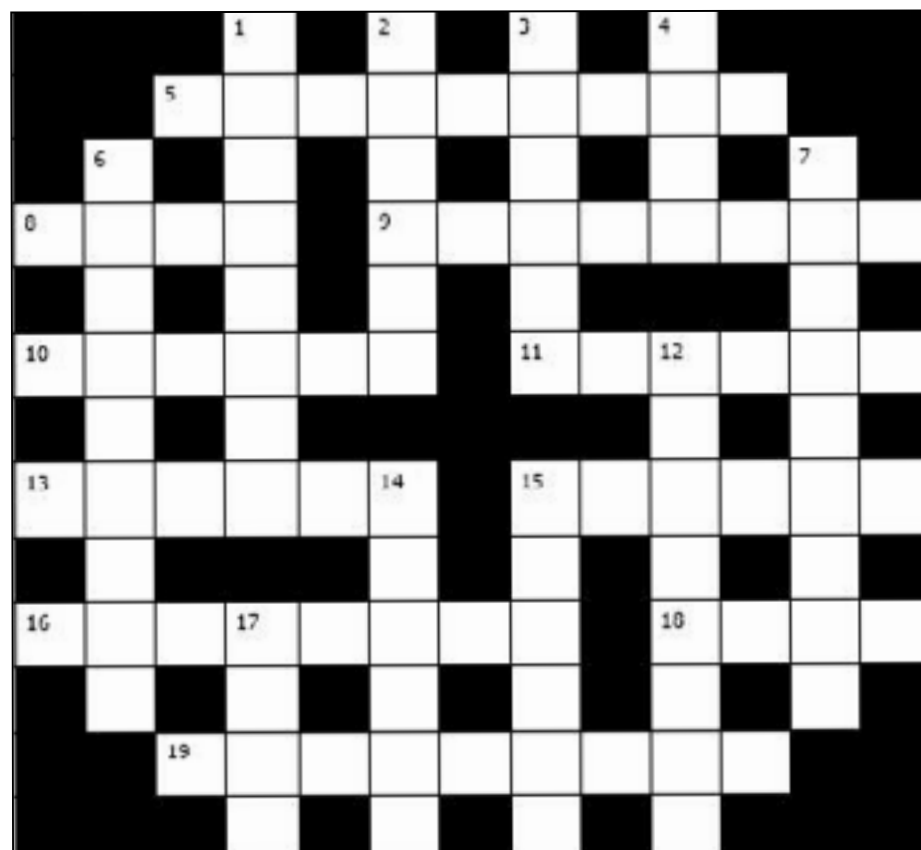
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## CROSSWORD #110



### Across:

5. A 17? It's immaterial! (9)  
8. A short medico heads west for the end of a 17. (4)  
9. Viking craft left - to Gabon, bizarrely! (8)  
10. A 17. Those over there support article. (6)  
11. Cyril's confused over a component of 17. (6)  
13. Take off; stop eating; drink! No, the reverse. (4-2)  
15. One vehicle between two bishops in small compound. (6)  
16. Celebrity returns to Australia in love at first - sporting this hair-do? (4-4)  
18. Type of 17 found regularly off on lake. (4)  
19. Hopeless! At home, dog up to it. (9)

### Down:

1. First seen climbing mountain, cast gets plastered! (8)  
2. Little preparation for middle-distance runner heading north to practise, initially. (6)  
3. Pernickety, restrains heads of the opposition. Given more freedom, a 17 might be this. (6)  
4. Mix balm for Charles, perhaps. (4)  
6. A 17. Rail operates initially, followed by a French stoppage. (9)  
7. A crustacean climbs up post - for a 17? (9)  
12. A type of 17 followed by autumn leads to avalanche. (8)  
14. Leap around question for a sign. (6)  
15. Little dog runs up to boy for a 17. (6)  
17. Air found rising in rotting nosegay. (4)

### Answers to crossword No. 109

Across: 1. Barracuda. 8. Fish. 9. Immolate. 10. Grilse. 11. Insure. 13. Writes. 15. Anabas. 16. Enacting. 18. Open. 19. Wild Beast (wild = anagram). Down: 1. Cachalot. 2. Braise. 3. Scampi. 4. Idol. 6. Mirroring. 7. Stargazer. 12. Seahorse. 14. Skiddy. 15. Angler. 17. Chip.

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