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To book the village hall or anything else contact Lynne Brookes on 07484 748614 Llandyssil-hall@hotmail.com

Upcoming Dates Old School Hall 2024

Tuesday 5th March WHIST DRIVE - 7.30pm.

Saturday 24th February 6 NATIONS RUGBY on TV – 2:15pm & 4:45pm

Saturday 10th March 6 NATIONS RUGBY on TV - 3:00pm

Saturday 16th March 6 NATIONS RUGBY on TV – 2:15pm

Tuesday 19th March LADIES GROUP -7:30pm.

Thursday 21st March SCHOOL HALL OPEN MEETING - 7.30pm.

Friday 22nd March QUIZ NIGHT - 7:30pm

Tuesday 26th March MAKERS by CANDLELIGHT Craft - 1:30pm

Sunday 7th April SUNDAY SOCIAL - 4:00pm

Tuesday 23rd April MAKERS by CANDLELIGHT Craft - 1:30pm

Saturday 27th April COFFEE MORNING - 10:15am

Thursday 2nd May POLICE COMMISSIONER VOTING – 6.30am - 10.15pm

Sunday 5th May SUNDAY SOCIAL - 4:00pm

If you have anything you would like included in the May newsletter, please email by 20th April 2024.

And if you would like to add your email so you can be notified of upcoming events, please send a message to Llandyssil-hall@hotmail.com

Tuesday 5th March at 7.30pm – Whist Drive

I am sure there are many people who would like to play Whist but do not know how, so this first evening will be mainly to help beginners.

However, we need ALL experienced players to come too so you can pass on your knowledge to others, hopefully we can then put on regular Whist Drive evenings. £2 pp plus a raffle, BYO refreshments & the kitchen will be open to make tea/coffee.

Maybe someone would like to use the hall for similar events such as Bridge or Dominoes. There is a full set of Bingo equipment also available if anyone would like to start this up. The Hall is there to be used as your community centre.

Tuesday 19th March at 7:30pm - Ladies Group

This month it's 'Keeping Safe from Scammers' by PC SO Amie Bartlett. 16th April, Long Mountain Flowers. £3 for non-members includes refreshments.

Thursday 21st March at 7:30pm - Open Meeting

The Open Meeting is for everyone to find out how the Hall is managing and provide new suggestions for its continued use. Please support the Hall, it is yours.

Friday 22nd March at 7:30pm - Quiz Night

The Quiz Night in January was its usual success. Scoring was extremely tight but the winning team, by a tie break question, included Sally & Tony Porter, Graham & Ann Heather and Meurig & Fran Garbutt. This next Quiz will be the usual fun night of quiz, games, music and social all for £2 pp plus a raffle. Contact Lynne if you would like to book a table (max of 6 per table) or just turn up and join in. People also welcome to come just for the social and watch the antics. As always - BYO refreshments.

6 Nations Rugby - next screenings

Sat 24th Feb 2.15pm Ireland v Wales and 4.45pm Scotland v England: Sun 10th Mar. 3pm Wales v France:

Sat 16th Mar 2.15pm Wales v Italy

Rugby screenings on the hall TV are receiving good support. BYO refreshments.

Sunday 7th April at 4:00pm - Sunday Social

Sunday Socials will re-commence. Originally advertised as March but due to rugby viewings it has been moved to April. BYO refreshments & come to catch up with everyone. No charge, just a small raffle to raise a few pounds for the Hall. First Sunday of each month: 5th May: 2nd June: 7th July: 4th Aug: 1st Sep: 6th Oct: 3rd Nov.

Saturday 27th April at 10.15am - Coffee Morning

Please come and meet your neighbours and friends for an hour or so over a coffee and biscuits. Raffle will be held as usual.

FOR SALE - 'Butterfly Playback Rollaway' Table Tennis Table



Table size: 275cm long x 153cm wide x 76cm high (9' long x 5' wide x 2'6" high) **Minimum play area:** 5.1m long x 3.3m wide (17' long x 11' wide), guideline only. **Storage size:** 188cm high x 178cm wide x 66cm deep

No longer required. Perfect condition. View in hall. Suitable for indoor & outdoors, melamine resin surface, strong metal frame, net, posts & bats incl. £120 or best offer.

Powys County Council voting for a new Police Commissioner will take place in the Hall between 6.30 am and 10.15pm on **Thursday 2nd May 2024**.

At the January coffee morning the final Llandyssil village lottery was drawn. 1st prize Ray Jones: 2nd prize Myra Hamer: 3rd prize Dora Hughes

Côr Trefaldwyn is a choir that's based in and around Montgomery (clue is the name). However, it's more than just a group of people singing, and it's anything but formal.

We meet on Wednesdays at 8-9.15(ish)pm, usually in St Nicholas's Church, sometimes in The Dragon (everybody needs a break now and again). We learn songs from a hugely diverse range of styles and genres, we have lots of laughs too. In fact, I'm not quite sure which we do more of.

Occasionally we put on concerts, often with Monty Folk, combining traditional world music with arrangements of strange and ancient things – some familiar, some not so. Our concerts are very informal & include elements of dance and audience participation.

The musical side of things is run by me, I write and arrange the music to fit the singers we have, not ones we wished we had. Not everybody reads music, and many have only a passing acquaintance with the notes on the page. We help each other, we look after each other, we care for each other.

We already have Llandyssil-connected singers in the choir, Jenny Brignell-Thorpe & Rev Paulette Gower, and we would warmly welcome more (of any gender) especially as we will be giving a concert with Monty Folk at St Tyssil's on 18 May, as part of a weekend of Peter Warlock events.

Come and give it a go – you might be surprised – or ask us if you want to know more. You can get me at ian@morganwilliams.org.uk. Ian Morgan-Williams, Hafgan, Llandyssil

Walking Groups

A walk is organised from the village on 4th Wednesday of each month. The Montgomery Group on 2nd Wednesday of the month. The Berriew group organise two walks every month on various days. Contact Mike Membery on 07811712767 for more info. There is also a map of walks on the village bus shelter.