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Welcome

Welcome everyone to this year's Chulmleigh Old Fair 2025.

The committee having been working hard all year to put together a full programme of events which includes many traditional favourites together with some new ones.

Look out for Bubbles LaFae Tuesday evening, the Aldabra Giant Tortoises on Wednesday and the return of the fabulous Bicycle Repairman on Saturday evening.

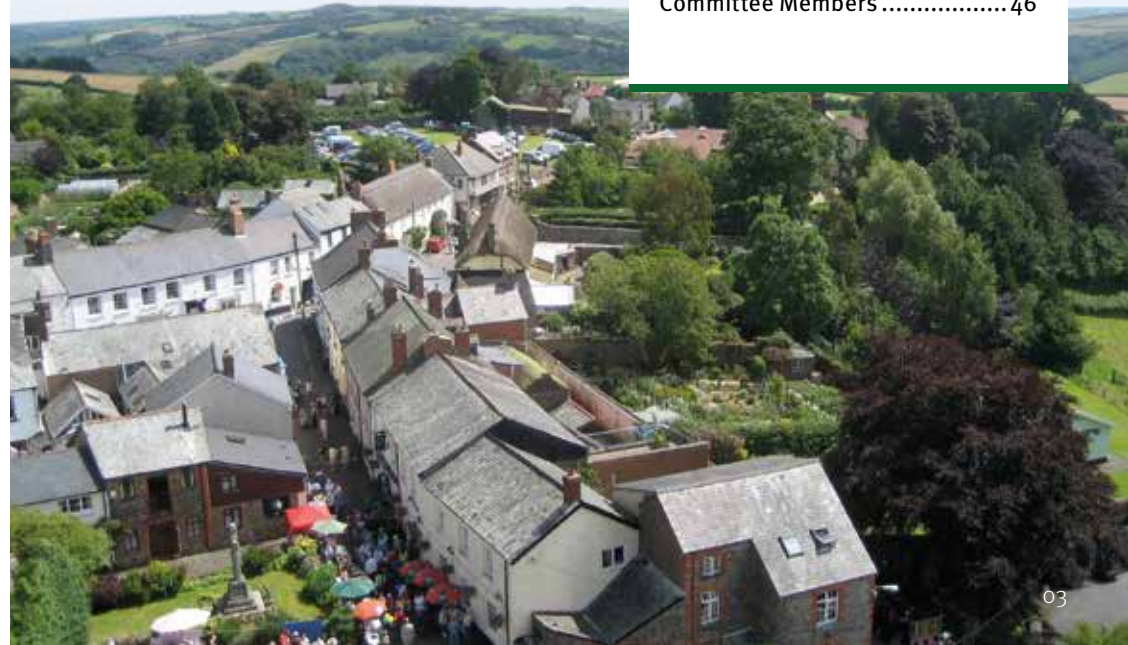
Take time to relax, meet old friends, make new ones and enjoy the fair!

Also, a big thank you to all our sponsors, advertisers, donors of prizes, helpers and committee members who all make Chulmleigh Old Fair possible.

Sue Reed - Fair Chair

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The Royal Charter



772 years ago in 1253 King Henry III signed a series of charters granting permission for annual fairs to be held in many towns and villages throughout the land.

Chulmleigh was one such place and is now one of the very few to uphold their charter to the present day. The fair has survived through the centuries, two world wars and COVID. A transcribed copy of the original Charter can be seen in Chulmleigh Town Hall.

Our fair is linked to the Feast of Mary Magdalene and therefore commences the Tuesday following the feast day which is the 22nd July each year. Mary Magdalene is also the patron saint of our Parish Church.

This year, Chulmleigh Old Fair starts on Tuesday 22nd July with the reading of the Charter by our Town Crier Ben Farlam and runs until July 26th.

The White Glove

Legend has it that King Henry sent his own gauntlet to Chulmleigh to be displayed during the Fair.



This would have been to show that Royal permission had been granted for the Fair to take place and would therefore offer protection from marauding 'king's men'.

Our large model of the glove (made by Debbie Phillips) reflects the importance of the old tradition. It is carried by the Chief Herald during the opening procession and is then displayed outside the Town Hall for the duration of the Fair.

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Chulmleigh Old Fair Royalty 2025



Congratulations are due to:

Fair Queen:

Hannah Crossley

Attendants:

Scarlett Crocombe

Daisy Peacock

Chief Herald:

Jens Rives-Roberts

Heralds:

Albert Summers

Frank Peacock

Crown Bearer:

Fern Peacock

The Fair will be

opened by: Michael Johnson

The Fair Queen will be

crowned by: Laetitia Johnson

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Tuesday 22nd July

6.30pm

Family Service in the Parish Church

Blessing of Chulmleigh Old Fair and our 'Royalty'.
Led by the Curate, Revd. Christine Chandler

7.00pm

Entertainment in Fore Street

With *Bideford Youth Pipe Band*

Procession of 'Royalty' - led by our Town Crier, Ben Farlam

Opening of the Fair and raising of the White Glove by Michael Johnson

Crowning of the Fair Queen by Laetitia Johnson

The Money Scramble (sponsored by Mark & Angela Joslin)

Children's Races for ages 5-11 (sponsored by The Old Court House)

Grand Finale with street entertainment from *Bubbles LaFae*

9.00pm

Skittles Competition at The Old Court House

£5 per team. Organised by John Smith 580557 or 07891 793596

Refreshments

During the evening from 6.00pm, tea, coffee & cakes will
be served in the Town Hall. Contact: Di Sweeney



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No unaccompanied children

Wednesday 23rd July

- 9am** **Morning Refreshments in the Town Hall**
Contact: Di Sweeney
- 9am – 6pm** **Open Golf Challenge**
Adults and juniors, at the Golf Club Leigh Road.
Sponsored and organised by Jeff & Davinia Thorne 580519
- 9.30am – 3pm** **Craft Market**
The centre of Chulmleigh will be filled with a variety of stalls
Contact: Sam Hopps or Ed Tyldesley
- 10am – 4pm** **Flower Festival hosted by the Parish Church**
Donations shared 50/50 with the fair.
Organiser: Reverend Tony Rockey 581712
- 10am** **Country Fair at Great Mill Park**
Courtesy of the Southcombe family. Entry £3.00 (Children free)
Side shows, catering stalls, **Higher Beings**, **Aldabra Giant Tortoises**,
licensed bar, live music by our very own **Jason Toft** and more
- 11am** **Sheep Show at Great Mill Park**
Contact: Sally Palmer
- 11am** **Pavement Artists Competition**
On Winston Pincombe's forecourt. Contact: Di Sweeney
- 11.30am & 3.30pm** **Vintage Vehicle Rally at Great Mill Park**
Contact: John Down (Tractors) 07971 642162
Contact: John Dixon (Classic Cars) 07956 569842
Town rally starts from Great Mill Park along Fore Street, South Molton Street, Kings Park, Royal Charter Park, East Street, Leigh Road, Ladywell Meadows, Leigh Road again, Back Lane, South Molton Street, Fore Street then back to Great Mill Park. Come and cheer them on.
- 12.30pm** **Flower and Produce Show at Great Mill Park** (see page 15)
Open to the public after judging (pre-registered entries in marquee by 9.45am). Sponsored by 'The Red Lion' with prizes presented at 3.30pm. Contact: Hilary Mosedale
- 2pm** **Family Dog Show at Great Mill Park** (see page 30)
Entries £1.00 per class – pay as you show - Sponsored by West Ridge Veterinary Practice. Organised by Stacey Brewer: Info@luna-grooms.co.uk
Contact: Sam Hopps
- 7.30pm** **Eyes Down at our 'Bingo Night'**
(doors open 6.30pm) **Chulmleigh Pavilion Leigh Road**
Prizes include chicken dinners, chocolates & wine.
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- 8pm** **Swift Watching Walk** (see page 17)
Meet at the Memorial Square behind the Town Hall.
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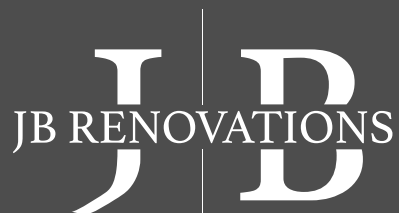


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Flower & Produce Show

Wednesday 23rd July 2025 at the Country Fair

Closing date for entries Friday 18th July

Full schedule and entry forms in Central Store, Newsagents/Post Office, Old Dairy and Chawleigh Shop. The show opens to public at 12.30. Prize-giving starts at 3.30pm. Enquiries: Hilary: (07814560826) hmmtio@live.co.uk

Class I	Vegetables and Fruit	Class XI	Children 5 - 8 Craft
Class II	Cut flowers	Class XII	Children 9 - 12 Cooking
Class III	Pot plants	Class XIII	Children 9 - 12 Flower Arrangement
Class IV	Flower arrangement	Class XIV	Children 9 - 12 Craft
Class V	Cooking	Class XV	Children 13 - 16 Cooking
Class VI	Preserves and Produce	Class XV1	Children 13 - 16 Flower Arrangement
Class VII	Wine & drink	Class XV11	Children 13 - 16 Craft
Photography		THERE ARE ALSO EXTRA COMPETITION ENTRIES - DETAILS OF WHICH CAN ALL BE FOUND IN THE SCHEDULE. (Look for the C before the entry number)	
Adult Craft		MAKE 2025 THE YEAR YOU WIN!	
Class VIII	Children under 5 (various)		
Class IX	Children 5 - 8 cooking		
Class X	Children 5 - 8 Flower Arrangement		



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Old Fair Competitions

Spot the Oddity

Look for the signs in the windows of those shops taking part and list your answers on the quiz sheet available from Chulmleigh Newsagents. Contact Ed Phillips 01769 580424

Business Window Competition

We would like to invite the shops and businesses of Chulmleigh to take part in the window competition, the theme this year is 'Alice in Wonderland' The Bourne Farm Perpetual Trophy donated by Rosemary Wedlake will be presented to the winner when judged. Judging will take place on Tuesday 22nd July. 1st, 2nd and 3rd places will be awarded with a Rosette and prizes.

Scarecrow Trail and Competition

This is for residential properties. Scarecrows must be viewable from the public highway. The theme this year is 'Alice in Wonderland'. Please pick up an entry form from the Chulmleigh Newsagents and Post Office. The Scarecrow trail will be published after the judging on Wednesday 23rd July. Contact Claire Withers 07922 614442

Pavement Artists Competition

Children of all ages meet at 11am Winston Pincombe's Forecourt on Wednesday 23rd July. (see page 12)

All fair activities are entered at your own risk.

Chulmleigh Swifts & House Martin Conservation Project

would like to offer 2 summer evening swift watching walks during Chulmleigh Old fair, on Weds 23rd July and Fri 25th July both starting at 8pm.

Give your well-being a boost, and immerse yourself in the joy of watching the annual spectacle of superb aerial displays, by our high flying visitors: the swifts, house martins and swallows during their hectic breeding season.

Join Chulmleigh Swifts Project guides on a swift watching summer evening walk in the town centre, they will help you watch from prime locations.

Walks start at 8pm, meeting at the Memorial square behind the Town hall. Duration: 1-2 hours. Comfortable shoes recommended, short walking distances, periods of standing & watching. Bring own refreshment.



Memories

Or why I fell in love with Chulmleigh Old Fair.

We moved to Chulmleigh some 44 years ago and 'The Fair' soon became a must for us and our young family. Shortly after arriving we were all at the Swimming Gala.

Some may now ask how did you have such an event when there is no Swimming pool in Chulmleigh. However we did have a swimming pool at the Community College built by the Staff, senior boys of the College and local residents. The pool was built in response to a tragic accident in 1959 when a young local girl drowned in the Little Dart River below Chulmleigh. It opened in 1962 and later become the venue for our Gala.

However back to when we were attending one of our first Swimming Galas. The organiser approached me and said 'I believe you are involved in Gymnastics, would you help judge the diving competition'. I was not sure why being a Gymnastics Coach qualified me to judge diving but happily agreed. The deep end of the pool was 5ft which was less than the height of some of the competitors resulting in a few grazed heads.

However I will have the enduring memory of a queue of dripping, shivering young people awaiting their turn to perform, none were quite up to the Tom Daley standard but their enthusiasm was.

Sadly the last Gala was in 2001 before the pool was closed down and filled in, due to maintenance, repair costs etc.

This started the families love of the 'Fair' and we never missed one. Even now most of our family with their own offspring return every year (like many others). It has been a privilege to be part of the team that makes this possible.

Peter Older



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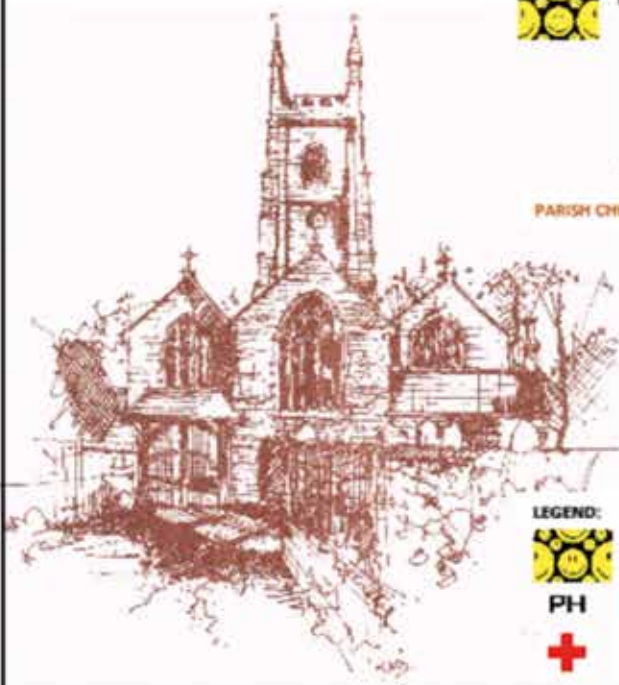
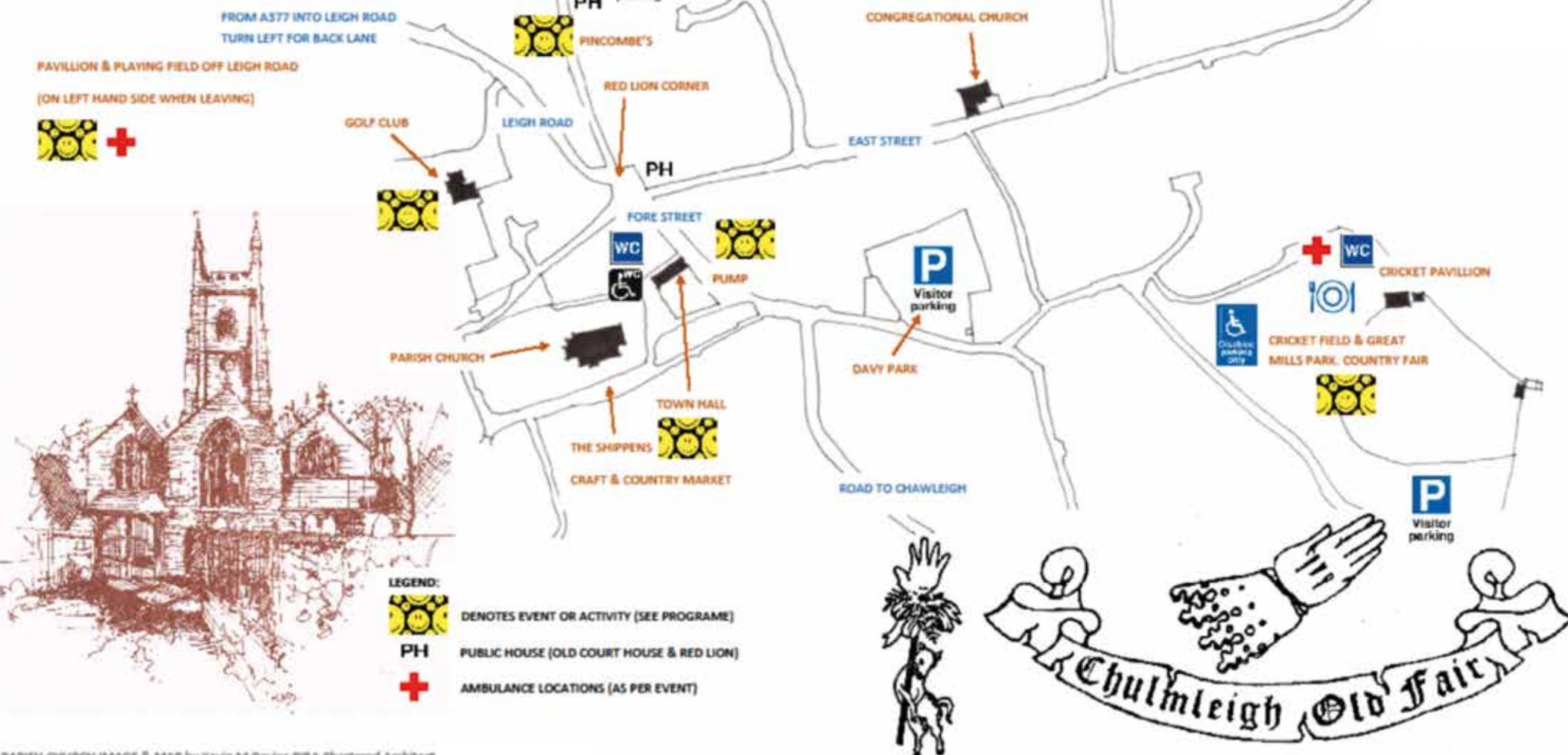
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Poem and short story

Moonlight Mystery: The Unexpected Thief

Under the cover of darkness he crept slowly through the gate and up the garden path towards the house. The moonlight showed the way, casting a silvery glow on the winding path. Hearing a noise, he froze, hoping to remain undetected. When he realized it was only the wind whistling eerily through the trees, he resumed his mission, hoping to find a way in.

He climbed quietly up onto the window ledge and in through the open window into the house. He waited for a minute to ensure his presence had gone unnoticed, scanning the room looking for treasure. Nothing. Moving into the next room he searched high and low but there was nothing of value to be found. Then, out of the corner of his eye he spotted something glittering in a beam of moonlight on the kitchen worktop. He quickly picked it up and made his way out of the house.

Staying hidden within the shadows, he hurried back home, moving swiftly and quietly to avoid drawing any attention to himself. Once safely back in his own place, he admired the treasure he had hunted down that night.

To you and me it didn't look like much but to Oscar it was perfect. He dropped the glittery hair scrunchy onto the floor and batted it around with his paw for ages, enjoying flicking it up into the air and chasing after it.

When he had finally had enough of playing with his new toy he carried it carefully in his mouth to leave as a present outside the bedroom door of his beloved owner. Oscar had learned very quickly that Elizabeth did not appreciate all the gifts that he left for her. He still didn't quite understand the fuss that she had made when he had brought her a mouse from the garden and left it in her slipper. These days he chooses his gifts much more carefully, and hair bands were his favourite thing to go out and hunt for at night. Despite meowing very loudly at the door, Elizabeth did not come to see him, so he left the trophy for her to find in the morning.

Feeling tired now, Oscar climbed into his favourite cat bed in a cozy spot next to the warm radiator. He gave himself a bed time wash, meticulously grooming his fur until it gleamed. Purring contentedly he curled up into a ball and settled down to sleep.

A few hours later he opened one eye sleepily as he heard the bedroom door creak as it opened, hoping that Elizabeth would like her present. "Oh Oscar" she exclaimed with a mixture of surprise and amusement, "Where have you been sneaking off to this time? It really is a mystery where you find these gifts for me from." Stretching as he got up, Oscar dashed over and was quickly scooped up into Elizabeth's arms for a cuddle. It was the place he loved most in the entire world.

Julia Bushell
Last year's Flower and Produce show winner
of the 500 word short story competition
(theme was mystery)



Chulmleigh Old Fair each year from Tuesday to Saturday

For those of you who do not know
This really is the place to go!

Opening Ceremony of crowning the Queen
The Fair Glove is raised & for a week it can be seen

Pennies are thrown from the Town Hall
Collected by every age kid when they fall

Children's Races are all run
Before we have the final fun

A circus act magically appears
With everyone clapping and lots of cheers

Country Market with stalls so bright
Country Fair even birds take flight

Sheep Show and Dog Show for all to take part
Tractors and Cars wait for those to start!

Twice they will parade all around the town
People will wave and smile but sometimes frown!

Entertainment to sit and listen to and chill
Circus and Fun Games all for a thrill.

Flower Show which is a delight to behold
Dog and Sheep Show for the young and the old

Sports Day for all, races for medals and cups to be won
Disco and Motor Scavenge which really must be done!

Is it time for us committee to have a break
Don't be silly for goodness' sake!

Treasure Trail for everyone with plenty of questions
Everything is secret so never any suggestions

Six a side football for the kids to win prizes
Flower Festival with arrangements all shapes and sizes

Now you might be thinking there cannot
be much more
A History Walk around the town with plenty
to explore

On Saturday is our Grand Finale Day
The committee are saying Hip Hip Hooray

All our hard work has finally come together
Now all we pray is, for very good weather

Orienteering, Golf and Coffee Morning to start
Then the Fancy Dress for all to take part.

Everyone cheers and laughs when it's funny
Our fire service follows collecting some money

There is always something for the crowds to see
With the Town Hall serving some cakes and Tea

Entertainment that makes the crowds join in
With skittles to play, can you hit the pin?

Then it is time for the Fun and the Games
The Grand Draw is announced with all the names

Now comes the road race with competitors ready
Down the hill, up the hill they must run steady

Out come the tables ready for the evening fun
Do you think our work is almost done?

The bands are here so on your feet
Or relax and enjoy as there is plenty to eat.

At 11.45pm with no great fuss or cheer
The Glove is removed and stored for next year.

The committee are tired but still they are busy
As Stewards and cleaners, do they have time
for something fizzy?

The crowds are sad as we clear it all away
That time has now come to call it a day

Di Sweeney
Poem written for the Folk Club



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FAMILY DOG SHOW

Chulmleigh Old Fair on Wednesday 23rd July 2025 Great Mill Park, Chulmleigh, EX18 7BJ
Rosettes to 6th place ~ £2 per entry ~ Pay as you show Judging starts at 2pm
Kindly sponsored by West Ridge Veterinary Practice

Class 1. Best Dog/Bitch puppy, any breed,
6-12 months - **John Walker Trophy**

Class 2. Golden Oldie Dog/Bitch,
any breed 7 Years +

Class 3. Crossbred Dog/Bitch

Class 4. Pedigree Dog/Bitch

Class 5. Local Lassy or Laddy
(Residing within a 10-mile radius
of Chulmleigh) - **Hague Trophy**

Class 6. Rescue Dog/Bitch

Class 7. Best in Show – **Crocombe Perpetual
Cup** (winners of classes 1-6 are eligible)

Class 8. Brace – Matching Pair, Any breed/Sex

Class 9. Most Waggy Tail

Class 10. Child Handler under 14 years old –
Woodland Trophy

Class 11. Dog/Bitch the judge would most like
to take home

Class 12. Dog and Handler Egg and Spoon Race
- Rosettes to 3rd place only

- Handler to hold both dogs' lead and spoon handle in one hand only
- If the egg falls off the spoon you withdraw from the race
- No holding of the egg on the spoon
- SUPPLY YOUR OWN EGG FOR THIS CLASS

SHOW EXPECTATIONS

- All dogs are shown at the owner/handler's risk
- Please bring something to sit on for you and your dog and bring water, although some may be provided.
- Dogs under the age of 6 months are not to be shown
- If your bitch is in heat/season, please do not attend
- Please ensure your dog is on a suitable lead (NO RETRACTABLE LEADS) and wearing a collar with the appropriate ID According to The Control of Dog's Act 1992
- Always keep your dog under control, and DO NOT allow your dog to wander up to other dogs
- Ensure you have a way of picking up after your dog
- The ring operates on a one-way system please make yourself familiar
- There are no specific times for classes – this all depends on the number of entries
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Thursday 24th July

10am – 4pm

Flower Festival hosted by the Parish Church

(See Wednesday's listing for details)

10am – 2pm

Sports Day

Open Golf Challenge

Adults and juniors, at the Golf Club, Leigh Road

Sponsored and organised by Jeff & Davinia Thorne 580519

10am – 1pm

Junior Tennis Tournament.

(See opposite for details) Organised by the Chulmleigh Tennis Club

Held at the Chulmleigh Sports Centre. Contact: Sue Reed

2pm

Sport for All at Chulmleigh Playing Field

Traditional Sports day with Cups (for Chulmleigh residents),

Medals and Money Prizes. Everyone welcome to take part.

BBQ and refreshments available. Sponsored by Lee Govier.

Organised by Graham Berry. Contact: John Smith

6pm – 8pm

Childrens Party at the Pavilion Leigh Road

Music, fun and games with **Party Pigs**. Entry for children £4 each.

Children to be supervised by a responsible adult (no charge)

BBQ & Refreshments available. Contact: Coral Crocombe

6.30pm – 7.30pm

Motor Scavenge with staggered start (not a race)

Collect clues from the Town Hall. Organised by Mark & Angela Joslin

Contact: Di Sweeney

9pm

Skittles semi final at The Old Court House

Organiser: John Smith 580557 or 07891 793596



Junior Tennis Fun & Games

Thursday 24 July

(10am-1pm)

Chulmleigh Sports Centre EX18 7AA

Tennis Fun, Games and Competitions for ages
8-16 for Chulmleigh Old Fair Sports Day

**Rackets & balls provided, please wear trainers, bring
sun hat, sun block & water.**

All abilities welcome, no experience required!

Group 1 – 10am-11.30am – Ages 8-11

Group 2 – 11.30am-1pm – Ages 12-16

£3 entry, payable at the event. **To book your place,**

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Alternatively, email us at Chulmleightennis@gmail.com.

You can just turn up but places will be limited.

Friday 25th July

- 9am – 6pm** **Open Golf Challenge**
Adults and juniors, at the Golf Club, Leigh Road
Sponsored and organised by Jeff & Davinia Thorne 580519
- 10am – 4pm** **Flower Festival hosted by the Parish Church**
(See Wednesday's listing for details)
- 10am** **Treasure Trail** Adult and Junior. Meet on Red Lion corner
Bring a pen, local knowledge not needed. Contact: Sue Reed
- 11am – 6pm** **Six-a-side football Young players at the Playing Fields**
(see opposite) Contact: Sue Reed
Light refreshments in the Pavilion
- 3pm** **History Walk Meet by the new town map on Red Lion corner.**
Organised by the History Society. Contact Sue Reed
- 4.30pm** **Clay Pigeon Shoot**
Courtesy of Norman Brend. Coming from Chulmleigh Town up South Molton Street towards the school, straight on at Bond Cross towards Trunk Bridge. 250 yards on your left. Postcode: EX18 7AG. Beginners welcome.
Contact: Simon Phillips
- 7pm** **Pool Competition at The Old Court House**
Play until finished, knockout and the best of three. £5 per person.
Contact: John Smith 580557 or 07891 793596
- 8pm** **Swift Watching Walk**
Walks start at 8pm, meeting at the Memorial square behind the Town hall.
Duration: 1-2 hours. Comfortable shoes recommended.
- 9pm** **'Hatchet Jack' playing at The Red Lion**
Free entry. All welcome.



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Your support is much appreciated. This year you can also buy tickets online, see page 8.

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Saturday 26th July

9am

Coffee Morning

Contact: Steve Sweeney

9am – 1pm

Photographic & History Exhibition

In the Town Hall by Phil Gurr and The History Society

Contact Di Sweeney & Sue Reed

10am – 1pm

Flower Festival hosted by the Parish Church

(see Wednesday's listing for details)

10am – 1pm

Orienteering for novice and experienced

Meet on Red Lion Corner. Organiser: Banger Bending 581474

2.15pm

Afternoon of Fun and Entertainment in Fore Street

Featuring, **Barnstaple Youth Marching Band & Cousin Jack**

2.30pm

Judging of Fancy Dress Parade

(see page 41)

3pm

Fancy Dress Parade and Prize Giving

Contact: Di Sweeney

Grand Draw (see page 38)

Afternoon Teas in the Town Hall

4pm

Skittles Final in Fore Street

Organiser: John Smith 580557 or 07891 793596

5pm

Fun and Games

With John Smith. Take part in our traditional Fair games & races

6.30pm

Open Road Race

Runners to register in the Town Hall before the start.

Contact: Pete Older 580028

From 7pm

Street Party for all the Family in Fore Street

An evening of entertainment, Street Food, live music, including Ricky Knight & The Bicycle Repairman and lots of family fun.

Something for everyone to enjoy. Contact: Sue Reed

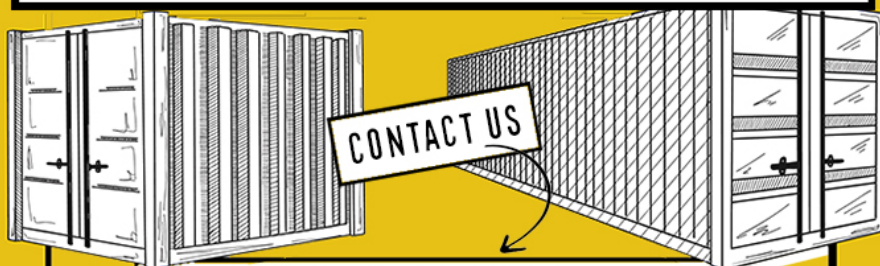


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By popular request a new class for family groups has been added this year.

2pm Assemble by class in the Dental Practice car park. 2.30pm Judging and awarding of rosettes. 3.00pm Parade into town for prizes and the presentation of the Chulmleigh Old Fair Cup for best juniors and the Fullbrook Cup for the best overall entry.

Judging at 2.30pm sharp & the parade leaving at 3pm sharp.

Class 1: Children 8 years and under - walking or in anything decorated.

Class 2: Children aged 9 to 15

Class 3: Pairs and Groups under 16

Class 4: Anything decorated – mixed ages

Class 5: Family group

Class 6: Pairs or Groups 16 years and over

PRIZES – Class 1 & 2 = 1st £7, 2nd £4, 3rd £3 Class 3, 4, 5 & 6 = 1st £10, 2nd £6, 3rd £4

For any enquiries please contact

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