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# TEA AT THE PALACE!

Mollie Roach,  
Founder of the local  
charity Solva Care,  
was invited to  
attend one of the  
King's Tea Parties at  
Buckingham Palace  
on 21 May 2024  
along with the Co-  
ordinator Lena  
Dixon. It was a  
splendid event  
despite the weather.


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#### Defibrillator & CPR Training

**2 sessions will be held in Solva Community Clubhouse & AFC on:**

**Monday 12th August 4:30pm to 6pm**

**Tuesday 13th August 6pm to 7:30pm**

**Please put your names on the sheets at the Bay View Stores.**

**Defibrillator training, including basic life support, will give you the confidence to act quickly and effectively if someone has a cardiac arrest. Those attending will learn how to operate a defibrillator and how to perform CPR.**



## COUNCILLOR'S CORNER

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Once again it has been a quiet few weeks due to the General Election but a few matters have surfaced that have concerned residents.



Firstly is the annual roadside grass verge trimming. This used to take place in late May and then repeated about 3 months later. This year it has started early July and will be 1 cut as both a cost cutting measure and also to allow the wild flowers in the verge to mature and seed. As the local County Councillor I have asked for the busier back road routes to be cut first rather than the main roads as these routes suffer from the worst visibility loss when they become overgrown . It has been noted that the A40 and other primary routes receive multiple cuts and this is because these come under Welsh Government funding and hence different arrangements.

As the visitor season comes to its peak , there is concern amongst small businesses that bookings are down and that some letting properties may not achieve the 182 days required to maintain Business Rate status and hence be financially very much worse off. It is my intention to continue to push PCC to lobby Welsh Government for help for affected Small Businesses that will lose out. Finally in our neighbouring Community Council it is great to see that the once closed toilets at Pebbles and Nolton have now reopened thanks to a collaboration between the CC and a local business. It just proves what a community can achieve and I hope should the toilets in Solva ever be under threat when the current funding arrangements run out the same success can be achieved here.

As always if you require any Council related help please feel free to call me on 07976 553913. Best regards Mark

## SOLVA SURGERY



### Opening Hours:

Phone lines are open 8.00am – 6.30pm. Main Surgery line is: 01437 721306.

- We are closed at weekends and Bank Holidays. When we are closed, emergency cover is available by phoning NHS 111 to access the Out of Hours Service.
- For anything life-threatening, patients are to dial 999.



**Friday Club takes a break for the summer school holidays. The last one is on the 19th of July and we start again on the 6th of September.**

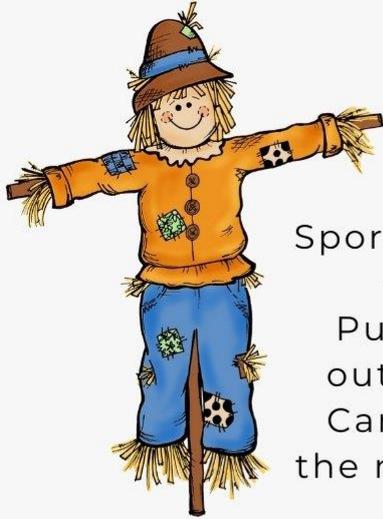
A big thank you to all of you who attend, to all helpers and to the kind people who provide such varied and interesting entertainment throughout the year.

*Lena Dixon*

Run on most Fridays during school termtime, between 2-4pm in the Solva Community Clubhouse, Friday Club is run by Solva Care as a weekly 'get together' where villagers can engage with each other in a variety of activities.

It provides fun and entertainment sessions that include several bands – Country and Western, Pembrokeshire Ukulele Pirates, St. Davids Cathedral Hand Bells and more. There are various craft sessions delivered by local people, gentle movement sessions provided by yoga and activity specialists. There are also music quizzes, beetle drives, and scrapbook memories and reminiscing sessions.

All ages can attend, when and if they can, and Solva Care can assist with transport. Call Lena on 07805 717556 or Sandra on 01437 721450 (just to check that it is running) or just come along.



## Solva Scarecrow Trail

4-5 August. 10.00-6.00.

Theme: Sports Personalities.

Sports personalities will appear all round the village on 4-5 August from 10.00 to 6.00 each day.

Purchase your map and competition sheet from outside Bay view Stores (Top Shop) or the Lower Car Park (£5 per set). Prizes for those who guess the most correctly and for the scarecrow builders. A great day out for the family!

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1. Solva Community Clubhouse
2. Solva Memorial Hall
3. The Harbour
4. Trinity Quay

Lower Solva (access code is C123. This code is written on the cabinet)



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### Ydych chi...

- ➔ Gydag amser rhydd i sbario?
- ➔ Eisiau helpu yn eich cymuned leol?
- ➔ Yn meddu ar drwydded yrru lawn?

### Ydych chi...

- ➔ Dros ddeunaw oed?
- ➔ Yn iach yn gorfforol?
- ➔ Yn gweithio'n dda o dan bwysau?
- ➔ Yn barod i ddysgu sgiliau asesu cleifion?

### Gallwn wneud y canlynol....

Darparu hyfforddiant llawn ar asesu cleifion a chymorth bywyd sylfaenol gydag AED.

### Y Camau Nesaf

- ➔ Gwnewch gais gyda'r cod QR gyferbyn
- ➔ Mynychu digwyddiad recriwtio lleol ar gyfer cyfweiliad
- ➔ Cwblhau gwiriadau clirio (DBS, cliriad iechyd galwedigaethol a thystlythyrau proffesiynol)
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## Community Welfare Responder

When a patient faces an emergency, it can be an anxious wait for an ambulance. A Community Welfare Responder can attend to help a clinician assess a patient and check on their welfare.

### What happens

When a 999 call of a specific type is made in a Community Welfare Responder's area, they are alerted by WAST's clinical team. They are requested to attend to assess the patient and provide clinical observations to the clinician, allowing the clinician to make informed decisions on the best care pathway.

### Do you....

- ➔ Have free time to spare?
- ➔ Want to help in your local community?
- ➔ Have a full driving licence?

### Are you....

- ➔ Over the age of eighteen?
- ➔ Physically fit?
- ➔ Good under pressure?
- ➔ Ready to learn patient assessment skills?

### We can....

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### Next Steps

- ➔ Apply with QR code opposite
- ➔ Attend a local recruitment event for interview
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## Did You Know?

Water polo matches were once held in Solva harbour, sometimes during regattas. The 1907 regatta match was billed as "Solva v The World". One match in 1906 involved 18 players!

# Solva Community Cinema

Upcoming films at Solva Memorial Hall 7.30 pm



1 August Wonka (PG)

5 Sep The Zone of Interest (12A)

Doors open at 7 pm. Refreshments are available or BYOB. Tickets £5 for adults and £3.50 for under 18's. Become a member for £5per year and get 20% off the ticket price and the use of a free cushion! If you have any film suggestions, please email us at [solvacinema@gmail.com](mailto:solvacinema@gmail.com)



Congratulations to Crissie Edwards of Whitchurch (left) who recently competed at the British Championships for Icelandic Horses at Aston le Walls in Northamptonshire. Crissie won the 5-gait class with her mare Pokkadís. In addition Dr Charlie Day (below left) and her daughter Isobel (below right) who live near Caerfachell also competed very successfully on their horses Stjörnuglóð and Sóti. Charlie won the Figures Test and Issy won the 4-Gait

Solva has one of the largest herds of Icelandic horses in the UK. Small but very strong, the horses were taken to Iceland by the Vikings and have two extra gaits in addition to the usual walk, trot and canter



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# EDITOR'S NOTE

*an introduction*

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself as the new editor of the Solva & St Davids Newsletter.

My name is Mic Rushen (that's short for Michelle) and I have lived on a little farm just outside Solva for the past 22 years, having moved to the area from the New Forest. I favour rather brightly coloured hair so you won't miss me! 😊

I breed Icelandic horses and sheep, work as a fibre artist and am closely involved with the Icelandic Horse Society of Great Britain (I've edited their magazine, Sleipnir, for several years).

In my spare time I enjoy photography, swimming all year with the Solva Swimmers and singing in a few local choirs, including St Davids Community Choir. I can occasionally be found helping out at the Solva coffee morning, or teaching a needle felting session at the Friday Club.

I'm very much looking forward to producing the newsletter, and hope to bring you plenty of exciting articles and pictures in the coming months. I'm also happily anticipating meeting the small army of volunteers who see that everyone local gets a copy of this newsletter. I'm aiming to get each issue out before the 1st of the month so the entire month's events etc can be seen at a glance., so **the deadline is now the 10th of the month preceding publication.**



You'll see there are a few changes even in this first newsletter - there will be quite a lot more in the next edition. I'm very happy to receive your news items, photos etc, so please do get in touch.

Mic

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**NEXT NEWSLETTER DEADLINE 10th AUGUST**

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# St Davids City Council

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## NOTICE OF CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS

**Monthly Meeting – Monday 2nd September** – 7.00pm in the Memorial Hall

**Second Monthly meeting – Monday 16th September** - 7.00pm in the Memorial Hall

The agenda and minutes are available from the Clerk and on the City Council website – <https://stdavids.gov.uk/>

Members of the public are welcome to attend and are given reasonable opportunity to make representations about items of business on the agenda to be discussed. Members of the public wishing to attend on a remote basis should notify the

Clerk to the Council by 12pm on the day of the meeting so that guidance can be provided on how to attend.

## COMMUNITY BANK

Please be advised that the Community Bank has changed from Thursday to every Monday 10am-3pm in the City Hall

## ST DAVIDS LIBRARY OPENING TIMES

**Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10.00am - 5.00pm** (Closed 1.00pm - 2.00pm) **Saturdays 10am- 12pm**



## COFFEE AND CHAT

Every Wednesday from 10.00am – 12noon in the Drop-In Centre, City Hall, St Davids - All are welcome to attend. FREE



## ST DAVIDS POLICING TEAM

St Davids Policing Team Drop-In Surgery - Members of Dyfed

Powys Police will be running a monthly Drop-In Surgery on the **first Thursday of each month from 10.30am – 12noon** in the Youth Drop-In Centre (entrance via Bryn Road). An opportunity for local residents to bring any matter to the attention of the Police. No appointments are necessary. **Next surgery Thursday 1st August.**



## ST DAVIDS CITY HALL

The City Hall is located at the heart of St Davids and offers a range of facilities for arts, sport, exhibitions, sales, community events and meetings.

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Jasmine Joyce and Micky Beckett are both competing and representing Team GB in the Paris Olympic Games this year and so St Davids City Council have had the attached banners made to show community support.



Wishing both Jasmine Joyce and Micky Beckett good luck in the Paris Olympic Games from all in St Davids and Solva!



**Good  
LUCK**

# ST DAVIDS SURGERY

**COMPLETION OF OUR COVID SPRING BOOSTER VACCINATION CLINICS 2024** We have now completed our covid spring booster vaccination clinics for eligible patients. If you are eligible and missed our clinics but still wish to have the vaccine, please ring 0300 303 8322 to arrange to receive your vaccination at Neyland Mass Vaccination Centre (they can provide the covid spring booster vaccination up until the end of June 2024).

## PATIENTS REQUESTING A SAME-DAY CONTACT WITH A GP

Due to increased patient demand and GP workload, the Practice has recently introduced a new system for patients requesting a same-day call-back or contact from a GP:

Please ring before 10.30am if you need to speak to a GP the same day. This helps our GPs to manage, plan and prioritise their workload more effectively. We are not able to accommodate minor ailments and self-limiting conditions, such as colds, as urgent appointments. Please use the expertise of our local Pharmacist for such ailments. Thank you.

## DR DEWSBURY

Dr Roanna Dewsbury sadly left the Practice at the end of June 2024. The Practice will continue to offer GP appointments with Dr Riley and Dr Hopwood, and GP locums as required.

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Lucy and Mark Popovic have opened Min Y Mor Ice Creams, a new take away ice cream shop selling award winning Joe's Ice Cream in Lower Solva. They will be open during the afternoons when its not raining and have a selection of flavours, including vegan ice cream, sorbet, dog ice cream and ice lollies.



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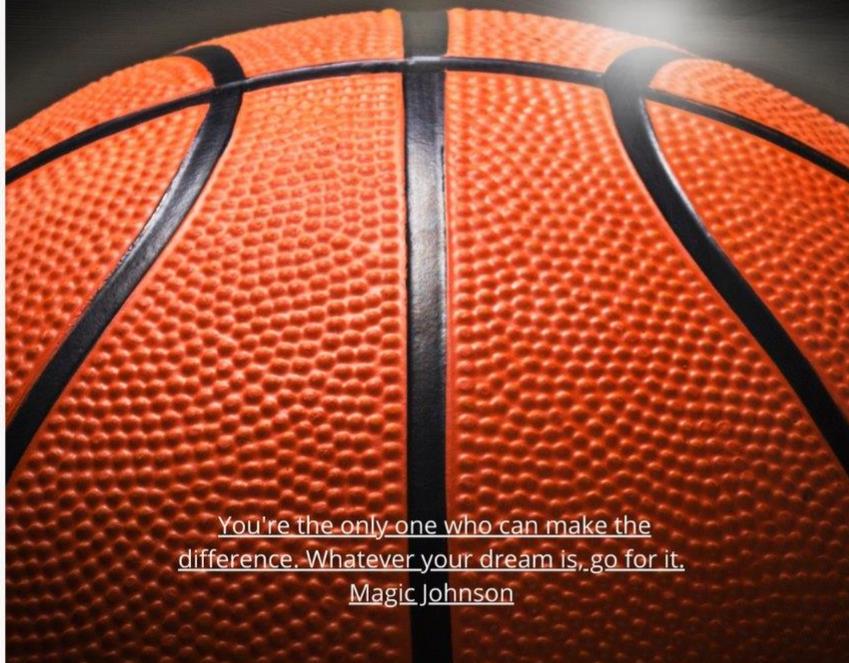
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### St Davids Gymnastics Group

This popular group is run by volunteer parents. Up to 22 children have gained their level 1-4 qualifying in Gymnastics.

Congratulations to them all!



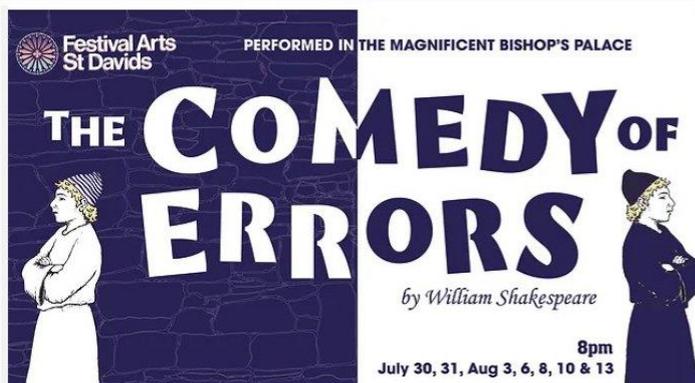
## Menevia WI July News

Members enjoyed a wonderful trip to Aberglasney by coach, for their annual summer outing. The weather was very good, and the gardens were delightful. The craft group are looking forward to a trip to Crug Glas Country House where they will enjoy lunch with a cookery demonstration, followed by tea and cake.

The walking group had a very pleasant walk from St Davids to Middle Mill, then on to Solva to enjoy lunch at 'The Printing House'.

Menevia will have a break over the summer holidays, although meetings will take place to plan our entry for St Davids Carnival.

We have a varied and packed itinerary for the Autumn, new members are always welcomed. For further information contact our President Eleri Davies on 07791903221. You can also find us on Facebook – Menevia WI.





## St Davids and Solva Art Group

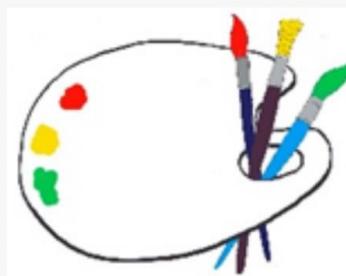
Our Summer Exhibition 2024 will be held at the City Hall, St Davids from Saturday 27th July through to Saturday 10th August, opening daily from 10:00am to 6:00pm (from 1:00pm on opening Day). Members will be showing framed and unframed original art works and handmade prints, priced to suit all pockets. So do come along and have a look. We look forward to seeing you then.

### **We are recruiting new members.**

If you are a budding artist starting out or if you have been painting for years and wish to join other like-minded people, please do come along on a Monday morning to the Football Club in Solva to meet us. We are a friendly group and love giving help and advice when needed.

We take part in two exhibitions each year, one at Easter and the other in the summer, both of which are very successful. If you decide you wish to exhibit, this is an opportunity for your artwork to be seen by many people from all over the country.

We meet every Monday from 10:00am to 1:00pm, plenty of parking, so do come and meet with us. For further information please contact our Membership Secretary, Maureen Evans on 01437 721525, mob: 07855 693640.



## St Davids Extinction Rebellion (XR)



We're having a busy time!

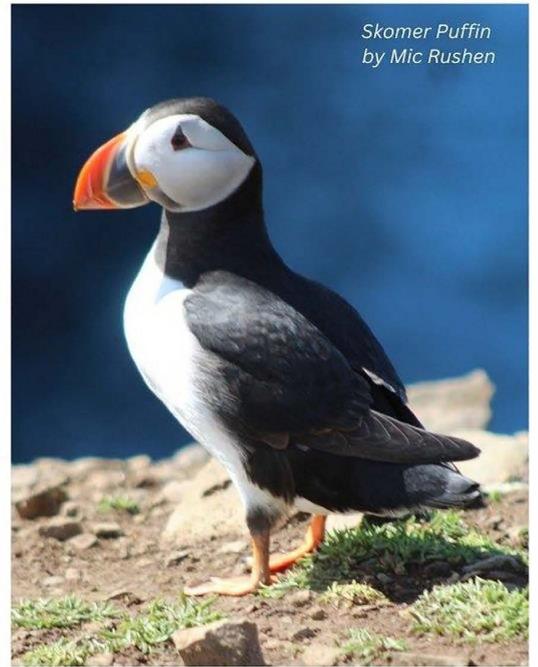
On 22 June some of us travelled to London to take part in the Restore Nature Now march, organised by Chris Packham and XR UK. Over 300 other organisations joined us, from large to small, including RSPB, Greenpeace and the National Trust. It was a wonderful day of colour and creativity, including a number of puffin heads from West Wales. We were calling on the government to take meaningful steps to protect our natural world from further harm. And it was a wonderful day of building alliances with the other organisations there.

We will be out and about again at the end of July, at the Solva Edge festival, with our ever-popular art-blocking stall. Children and others enjoy block printing with our prints of animals, birds, insects and slogans. Come and find us there!

We hope to set up a regular monthly meeting. This will be on the first Wednesday of every month, starting on 7 August from 7pm, venue to be confirmed. Come and find out about what we do, and bring your ideas.

And see us at the St Davids Carnival at the end of August, where we will be accompanying a large model of a very special creature through the streets... "





Skomer Puffin  
by Mic Rushen



*[Faint, illegible text, possibly bleed-through from the reverse side of the page]*

# *Aquaphobia*

On the 16th of August, the anniversary of Elvis's death, there will be a trip around Ramsey island - Elvis himself will skipper! Proceeds go to the defibrillator. Please book on 01437 720471

## Peninsula People

**Meet some of the characters of Solva and St Davids. This month, Penny Calder of Solva.**



I was born in Mexico which I suspect is where my love of vibrant colours, Spicy food and warm sunshine comes from.

I first came to Solva 60 years ago when my family came on a camping trip to Trevor Morris's field near Middle Mill.

My Great Aunt Joyce Noott lived here and thought we would like it. After that first year we came every year for the whole 6 weeks School holidays.

I am not and never will be a local. Sharky once told me that I would have to be dead and buried in Whitchurch to achieve this status. I´m in no hurry to get there! My 3 children were all born and bred here and love Solva.

In my 20s I traveled extensively with my ex husband Harry .We visited the West Indies, South and North America, Australia and New Zealand before settling here .I feel that I am well qualified to say that Solva is one of the most beautiful villages in the world.



I do sometimes wish that the climate was sunnier but whatever the weather I do try and swim in the sea every day year round.

I believe that chill swimming helps my arthritis and my immunity system and sets me up for the day.



I first learned the art of mosaics when holidaying in California where my brother Nic lives. Many projects followed including a large mixed media garden wall mosaic which includes my son Dan's wisdom teeth!

I retired from my career as a school counsellor and continued to see clients privately until recently. I also have combined counselling with therapeutic work with mosaics in my studio.

I have been involved in several community projects teaching mosaics to a large number of Solva residents with the help of Maddie Janes and Selina Taylor. The mosaics were funded by Solva care and can be seen all round the village.

Good luck with your new role as editor of Solva and St David's News to Mic. I look forward to reading about other residents and what brought them here to Solva.

### ***Penny Calder***



# YSGOL PENRHYN DEWI

HAVE COMPLETED SURFERS AGAINST SEWAGE'S PLASTIC FREE SCHOOLS PROGRAMME AND ARE NOW AN OFFICIAL PLASTIC FREE SCHOOL!



They have learned about unnecessary single-use plastic, detected it in their school and eliminated it for good, while challenging big businesses and the government to play their part in solving the plastic pollution crisis too!

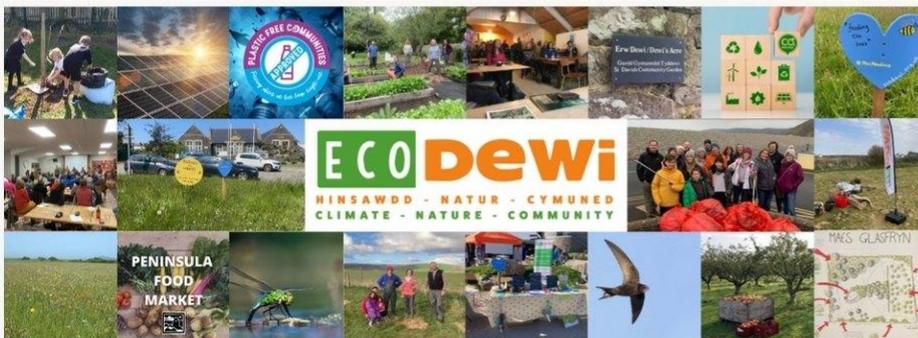
Pupils at Non Campus **Ysgol Penrhyn Dewi** in St Davids have been leading the way and setting a great example for adults across the St Davids Peninsula.

The school is all about being more environmentally friendly.

Huge congratulations to pupils and teachers on being awarded a Green Flag for the 2nd year running as an Eco School, and on becoming an official plastic free school!



EcoDewi exists to try to tackle the climate emergency and the biodiversity crisis whilst simultaneously improving community wellbeing in the St. David's Peninsula. Initially founded with a focus on sustainable energy being produced and used in the peninsula, thanks to the LEAF project part of Pembrokeshire Community Energy, our remit now focuses across the spectrum of improving our natural environment and supporting our community; local sustainable energy projects, beach cleans, wildlife conservation and much more! We hope you will join us on our journey!



**PENINSULA FOOD MARKET**

Your online farmers' market

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The **St Davids Penknife Club** would like to invite all supporters, past and present, to join them for their 30th Anniversary Party. It will be held on Saturday the 20th July at St Davids Rugby Club.

Doors will open at 4pm.

Members have been told to wear Hawaiian shirts but this is optional for guests

The **Junior Solva Football club** would like to thank the Solva community scarecrow trail (2023) for the very kind donation of £300 for all the medals and trophies presented to the children at the family fun afternoon.

The **Junior Basketball** group are raising funds to refurb the Ysgol Penrhyn Dewi's outdoor basketball courts, and a small group of Solva junior football parents are working hard to get a 4G pitch in St Davids

## **St Davids Carnival 2024 - 26 August 2pm**

It's such a huge community event which needs to be bigger and better every year, with lots of local people, fun and floats involved, to celebrate what a wonderful, hard working community we have.

Find us on Facebook!

<https://www.facebook.com/Stdavidscarnival>

# REGULAR EVENTS - AUGUST 2024

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## MONDAY

Parent & Baby Meet up | MamGu's | 9:30am - 11:30am St Davids & Solva Art Group | Solva Club House | 10am - 1pm

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## TUESDAY

Playgroup | Drop in Centre| St Davids City Hall | 10am - 12pm St Davids Library | City Hall | 10am - 2pm St Davids & Solva Peoples Shed | Solva Club House| 10am - 2pm

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## WEDNESDAY

Luncheon Club | Solva Memorial Hall | 12:30pm Coffee & Chat | Drop in Centre/ St Davids City Hall | 10am- 12pm Playgroup | Solva Clubhouse | 10am - 11:30am Early Bird Social Gamers | Smorgasbord | 11am-3pm

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## THURSDAY

St Davids Library | City Hall | 10am - 2pm  
Coffee Morning | Solva Memorial Hall | 10:30am - 12pm  
St Davids Market | Cross Square | 9am - 4pm  
Brushstrokes | Solva Clubhouse | 1:30 - 4pm  
Open Mic | Harbour Inn | 8pm

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## FRIDAY

Friday Club | Solva Club House | 2pm-4pm  
Social Gaming Session | Smorgasbord | 6:30pm - 10:30pm

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## SATURDAY

My Journey Weight Loss Group | Ty Curtis Hall | 9am  
St Davids Library | City Hall | 10am - 12pm

Solva & St Davids News expresses gratitude to the dedicated volunteers who help distribute the newsletter in the community, as well as to the businesses and councils for their continued support in funding our publication. We appreciate all the support received

# WHAT'S ON - AUGUST 2024

2nd Ladies Night at St Davids RFC. Tickets from the RFC or contact Beth 07494 856497

3rd Anthology (band) at the Harbour Inn, Solva 7pm

3rd The Coastals (band) at the Ship Inn, Solva 8pm

4/5th Solva Scarecrow Trail. Contact Fran 07377 059265

27/07-10/08th St Davids and Solva Art Group Summer Exhibition, City Hall, St Davids

2-9th Exhibition of Paintings by Michelle Davies, Cathedral Villas, St Davids.

10th Summer Craft Market, Oriel y Parc, St Davids

10th Ella Guru (Band) at the Ship Inn, Solva 8pm

10th Sunset Cinema at Twr y Felin, Bohemian Rhapsody. 7-11pm. 01646 695267

12/08-01/09th Andrew Bailey Art Exhibition, St Davids City Hall

13th Family Activities in Dewi's Acre, 2-3pm

15th Big Family Picnic, 10-4pm, book on 01437 729151

17th The Commotion (band) at the Ship Inn, Solva 8pm

20th Solva Harbour Lifeboat Visit, 6.30pm

24th Strait Up (band) at the Ship Inn, Solva 8pm

25th The Fix (band) at the Ship Inn, Solva 8pm

26th St Davids Carnival

Children's Arts and Crafts, Oriel y Parc, St Davids, every Wednesday in August

Please post your events to our Facebook Page -**What's On St Davids & Solva**  
Or email us: [solvanews@outlook.com](mailto:solvanews@outlook.com)





# ST DAVIDS CARNIVAL

26th August  
Parade start time- 2pm from Oriel Y Parc.

Parade will be led by a live community Brass band down the High St,  
onto Nun street and onto the Rugby Club.  
Where there will be family fun.  
Raffle, prizes, bouncy castles, races, live music and dancing.

Winners will be announced at 4.30PM  
at the Rugby Club.

• Cash Prizes for best dressed in the walking parade.

**Prizes are-**  
Adult 1st- £100 Kids 1st - £100  
2nd - £75  
3rd - £50

Live music in the Rugby Club with Tongue & Grove.

**organised by the carnival committee**

