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www.swimbridgepc.org.uk
f Swimbridge Village Forum
f Landkey Village Forum

Village defibrillator is located at
front shelter of Jack Russell Inn

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY
(USEFUL CONTACTS and
WEEKLY REGULAR ACTIVITIES
are listed overleaf)

Wed 1 May 7pm—8.30 (weekly), JH
Transform School of Yoga & Tai Chi

Thurs 2 May 6.30pm—8.30 (weekly),
JH, Landkey Guides and Rangers

Thurs 2 May 7.30pm, Jubilee Hall
Swimbridge Parkland meeting

Fri 3 May 8—10.30pm, JH, First Friday
Jazz Club: North Coast Joymakers

Sat 4 May, 10 am—12 noon
Green Team Parish projects

Sat 4 May morning (weekly), JH
Lindsay Ballet Studios

Sat 4 May 3pm—3.45 (weekly), JH
Stemengineering (Lego) with Nick

Mon 6 May 7pm Jubilee Hall
Chakra Dancing

Tues 7 May, 6.30pm, Jubilee Hall
Slimming World (weekly)

Tues 7th May 2—4pm, St James Ch
Swimbridge Post Office (weekly)

Thursday 9 May 7 for 7.30 pm, JH
Swimbridge Parish Council mtg

Sat 11 May 2—4 pm St James Ch
Big Spring Clean

Sun 12 May, JH, 2pm—5pm and
6pm—9pm, Crochet Group

Tues 14 May, 10am—12,
Jubilee Hall, Coffee Morning

Wed 15 May 7.30pm Jubilee Hall
Swimbridge Jubilee Hall Meeting

Sat 18th May, 10 am—12 noon
Green Team Parish projects
Sat 18th May 4pm—9pm
Lucho Pizza & Green Man Cider

Tues 21 May, 10am—12, Upper Old
School Rm Parson Jack's Coffee morning

Fri 24 May 9.30 am and 11 am
Little City for under 6's, Jubilee Hall

Tues 28 May, 10am—12,
Jubilee Hall, Coffee Morning

Fri 31 May 7pm, Jubilee Hall
Murder Mystery

Sat 1 June, 10 am—12 noon
Green Team Parish projects

Fri 7 June, 8—10.30pm, JH, First
Friday Jazz Club: Neil Maya Quartet

Sun 9 June, JH, 2pm—5pm
and 6pm—9pm, Crochet Group

Mon 17 June, 10 am—12 noon
Green Team Parish projects

Sat 22 June, 1pm—10pm,
Parklands Party in the Park

27-30 June, Various venues, Bple
Fringe Theatre, Barnstaple

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May — June 2024



LIVE MUSIC THROUGHOUT THE DAY!

Harry Wallace, Lil Debs, Black Sands,
Jack The Lads, Good Times,
Bicycle Repair Man and More....

A GREAT DAY OUT!

Boules Competitions
Table Tennis Competitions
Children's Entertainment
Bouncy Castles
Cake Stall * Burgers *
Selection of other local food * Bar
Please see Swimbridge Forum for updates



40 productions in Regular Venues and 20 productions in Alt Space venues (less formal settings) - with around 160 performances over the four days.

A fabulous event not to be missed! To find out more visit <https://www.theatrefest.co.uk/>

What's on at the Jack Russell Inn ...

Landlord Paul Darch — 01271 830366
f thejackrussellswimbridge

The Jack's popular steak night is on
Wednesday, burger night on Friday and roasts
on Sunday. Pizzas are back on the menu,
available to eat in or take away (you spoke, we
listened!). Please see Swimbridge Forum for
details of live music

Delicious takeaways are available every
Thursday, Friday and Saturday evening so if
you don't fancy cooking why not
collect something on your way
home. The menu is on the
facebook page.



Griffiths Road Works—May Closures

Landkey roundabout to North Aller roundabout
Mon—Fri Closed from 8pm to 6am, weekdays
except Bank Holidays

For further details please see Swimbridge Forum

SAVE THE DATE!

St James Church

- * Thurs 25th—Sun 28th July, 11am—5pm Flower Festival
- * Sat 27th July 2—4pm Summer Fete
- * Sun 28th July 4pm Songs of Praise
- * Sun 6th Oct Harvest Supper (after 4pm Songs of Praise) - Tickets £10 (adult), £6 (child)

Swimbridge Christmas Arts and Crafts Fair

- * Sat 30th Nov 10am—4pm



USEFUL CONTACTS

Swimbridge Parish Council
www.swimbridgepc.org.uk
Clerk: Lee Wadsworth, 830705
St James Church
The Revd Cathy Scoffield
830352 E: revcathyscoffield@gmail.com
Friends of St James Church
Mark Haworth-Booth, 07813 776349 / markhaworthbooth@gmail.com
Post Office: Tues, 2-4pm, Church
Food Bank Collection Point: Church
Book Swap – Church
Jack Russell Inn: Paul Darch
830366 f thejackrussellswimbridge
Castle Inn Stores: 830438
Mon-Sat 8am-10pm / Sun 12—10pm
Swimbridge C of E School, 830437
Swimbridge CE School PTFA
swimbridgeprimaryPTFA@gmail.com
Jubilee Hall 07714256379
swimbridgejubileehall@outlook.com
www.swimbridgejubileehall.com
Upper Old School Room: 830587
david.netherway@btinternet.com
Swimbridge Parklands: 830705
Green Team : Susie Hind 07970004456
Foefees: Mike Clift, 831188
Allotment: Lindsay Cooper, 830347
D&C Neighbourhood Police: PCSO
Marcus Jarvis & Lucy Robinson
non emergency: 101

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

(JH= Jubilee Hall / Ch= Church
COSC = Church Old School Room)

SUNDAY

- **St James Church service, 9.30 am**
Mark Haworth-Booth, 01271 830267
- **Jack Russell Inn — Sunday roasts**

MONDAY

- **Creative Meditation** (Monday's 7pm—dates vary), Jubilee Hall
Claire: 07725 173961
- **Chakradancing** (1st Mon in mth), 7pm, Jubilee Hall, 07471 894200
- **Bell Ringing Practice, 7.30—9pm**
Christine Ley: 07890331478

TUESDAY

- **Pre-school, 9-12 and 12-3pm**
www.swimbridgepreschool.com/
contact.html / 830357
- **Coffee morning, 10-12 noon,**
Jub Hall & 3rd Tues Old school room
- **POST OFFICE, 2-4pm, Church**
- **Slimming World, 6.30 pm, Jub Hall**
Claire : 07584 372638

WEDNESDAY

- **North Devon ring and ride**
Swimbridge pick up — 328866
- **Pre-school, 9-12 noon**
- **Baby and Toddler Group**
1.30—2.30 pm, Old school room
- **YOGA classes, 7-8.30 pm, Jub Hall**
—Audrey : 07791191090
- **Jack Russell Inn steak nights**

THURSDAY

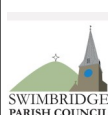
- **Landkey Guide/Rangers, 6.30pm**
JH — Phoebe 07795218579 /
Landkeyguides@gmail.com

FRIDAY

- **Pre-school, 9-12 and 12-3pm**
- **Little City , 4th Fri in mth,**
9.30 am & 11am, JH
https://littlecity.my-sfs.com/
app.group.php?northdevon
- **Jack Russell Inn Burger night**
- **First Friday (in mth) Jazz Club**
8pm, Jubilee Hall 01598 740114
info@firstfridayjazz.uk

SATURDAY

- **Ballet — morning, JH - 374272**
- **Lego Engineering, 3 -3.45pm, JH**
- **Nick Lockett-Clark 07542648909**



Swimbridge Parish Council: The next meeting takes place on Thurs 9th May at 7 for 7.30pm start. All are welcome to attend. Please send news for the Parish Council website via Swimbridge Parish Council Clerk Lee Wadsworth, 830705 www.swimbridgepc.org.uk
(Regular date is 2nd Thurs in month).

Swimbridge Coffee Mornings EVERY Tuesday 10am—12 noon



1st, 2nd, 4th Tuesday : Jubilee Hall:
Coffee, biscuits, crafts and games. Free

3rd Tues: Parson Jack Russell Coffee morning Upper
Old Schoolroom (behind Church): Coffee and
scrumptious cakes for sale in aid of Church.

Swimbridge Jubilee Hall - New activities:

Crochet Group — contact Claudia King 07867337117
2 sessions 2pm—5pm and 6pm—9pm
Sunday May 12th and Sun June 9th

Artisan Hub at Venn Valley Vineyard and Winery, Swimbridge

Venn Valley Vineyard and Winery—Vineyard with
wine sales and events venue Tel: 07552230377,
vennvalleyvineyard.co.uk

Lucho Bakes — Fresh sourdough bread and other bak-
ery treats on your doorstep! Shop open Friday
10am—4pm. To place your orders and deliveries, go
to: artisanbread@luchobakes.com see website
www.luchobakes.com

Green Man Cider - Artisan cider makers making prop-
er cider from 100% juice in North Devon.

Shop open Sat 10am—12

Tel: 07723919048, www.greenmancider.co.uk

Yaffle & Bosk - Top quality woodwork Tel
07920088858 www.yaffleandbosk.com. Open Mon—
Fri 8.30am—5pm

Ruth Elizabeth Bateman, local artist, Tel: 0779
6007264 Instagram: ruthbatemanartist

PIQI - healthy and tasty water kefir drinks open Mon-
Thurs 9am—5pm, and Fri 12—5pm www.piqilife.com
Earthly Biochar, creating special charcoal to improve
soil health, open Tues—Thurs 10am—4pm
www.earthlybiochar.com

Blueberry Hill Design outdoor timber products and
bespoke planters Tel: 07470857606, blueberryhillde-
sign.co.uk

Blendwell Coffee Devon coffee and Tea supplies in-
cluding machines and maintenance open Mon 9am—
4pm, Tues—Fri Tel: 07460806751, blendwell.co.uk
8am—4pm

EVENT! Lucho Pizza & Green Man Cider 18 May 4—9
—see Swimbridge Forum for details

OPENING TIMES SWIMBRIDGE POST OFFICE:

Every Tues 2-4pm, Swimbridge Church.
FREE book swap at the back of the Church.
LANDKEY STORES (CASTLE INN):
Fresh bread, papers and general stores
Mon-Sat 8am-10pm / Sun 12 noon—10pm

The Green Team – volunteers welcome

We are working to keep Swimbridge Parish
looking great, to look after the Streamside
Garden, Parklands, Jubilee Hall grounds, Rural
Footpaths, Footways, Signs, Historical Commu-
nity buildings and the Bus Shelter. Any areas
that you notice may need a bit of attention, or
any ideas for new projects, please let us know
and we will try to help. New volunteers are
always needed; you can dip in and out whenev-
er you are free - it is only at most 2 hrs twice a
month. For info call the Green Team Leader
Susie Hind on 07970 004456.

The next events are:

Sat 4 May, 10 am —12 noon: Rockwell Corner, Sta-
tion Hill

Sat 18 May 10am —12 noon: The Square, Swim-
bridge

Sat 1st June 10am—12 noon: Parish Project

Mon 17 June 10am—12 noon: Jubilee Hall

Yoga classes every Wednesday,
7:00 - 8:30 pm, Jubilee Hall.



TRANSFORM
THE SCHOOL OF YOGA & TAI CHI

This unique style of yoga
unravels core spinal tensions
using the support of props, precise alignment,
and one's own awareness. Excellent for back
issues and releasing stress & anxiety. Deeply
healing.

Newcomers must contact Audrey before their
first class. Please bring a yoga mat, 1 set of
yoga blocks, and 2/3 thick blankets. Extra props
available but are limited. Cost: £15 per class.

Contact Audrey on 07791191090

Come along to your local Swimbridge Slimming World group in the Jubilee Hall on
Tuesday evenings at 6.30 pm. No need to book, just show up.
For more information contact Claire 07584 372638.



Friday 24 May, 9.30 am AND 11 am. Swimbridge Jubilee Hall

Little City welcomes all children aged 6 and under for lots of fun. Click the link
<https://littlecity.my-sfs.com/app.group.php?NorthDevon> to book your tickets.

First Friday Jazz Club

8 — 10.30 pm, Swimbridge Jubilee Hall

Music starts 8.30 pm prompt. **Tickets** £12 in advance £15 on door www.FirstFridayJazz.uk
01598 740114 / info@firstfridayjazz.uk

Upcoming performances

3rd May North Coast Joymakers—traditional jazz quartet

7th June Neil Maya Quartet—hear the music and story of the greatest sax player, Charlie Parker

5th July B D Lenz—Contempo-jazz guitarist

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