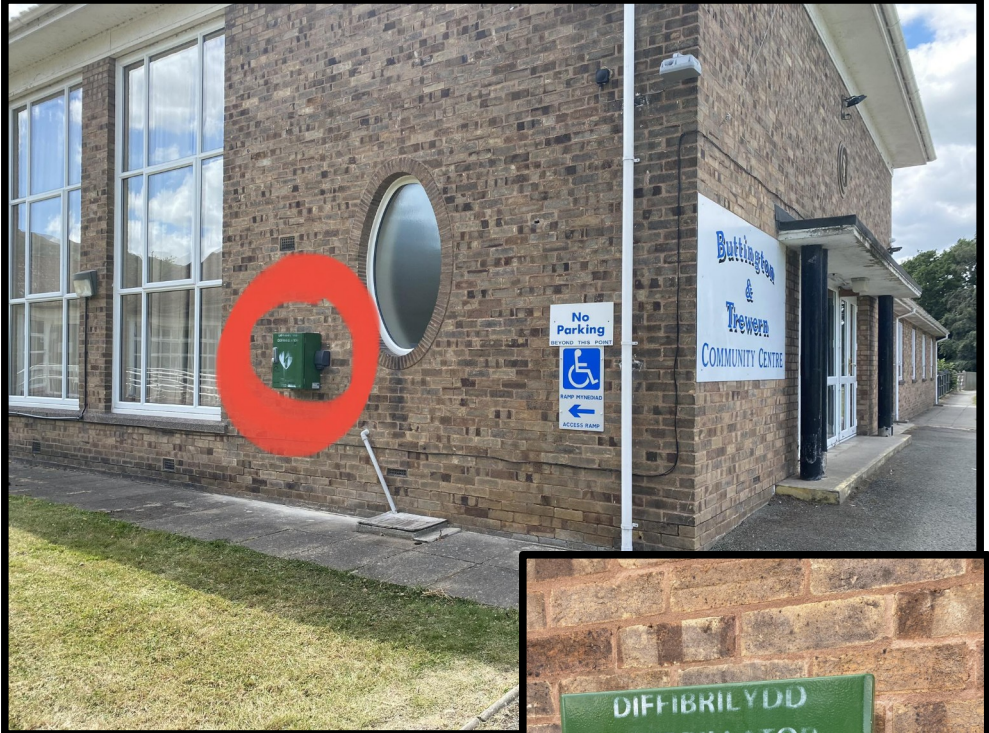




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August & September 2023



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Many thanks, Team BG

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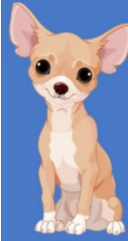
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| 10th August | Guilsfield Show see www.guilsfieldshow.com |
| 12th August | Llanfyllin Show see www.llanfyllinshow.co.uk |
| 19th August | Montgomery Show
www.facebook.com/MontgomeryShow |
| 19th August | Minsterley Show www.minsterleyshow.org.uk |
| 26th August | Berriew Show see www.berriewshow.com |
| 2nd September | Llanfair Caereinion Show
see www.llanfaircaerinionshow.co.uk |
| 2rd September
opens 1pm | Wattlesborough Village Show & Family Fun Dog Show see wattlesboroughvillagehall.co.uk |



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The Chapel needs YOUR support , otherwise it is likely to close soon, after serving the community of Trewern and Buttington since 1882.

Please contact Mrs Mountford 01938 570 515 treasurer, if you wish to support financially but cant attend services.

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Timetable for Celtic Travel Bus Service X75 (valid from 3 September 2018)

The X75 service leaves FOR SHREWSBURY from:



Buttington – Green Dragon	0748	0951	1151	1351	1546	1706	
Trewern - Little Chef	0752	0955	1155	1355	1550	1710	
Middletown – Breidden Pub	0756	0959	1159	1359	1554	1714	

The X75 service leaves FOR WELSHPOOL from:

Middletown – Breidden Pub	0730 Sch	0955	1155	1355	1505	1705	1825
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**If you have any queries please contact the
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Church News

ALL SERVICES START AT 9.30 AM UNLESS OTHERWISE ADVISED

AUGUST

SUNDAY 6th - Holy Communion Transfiguration of Our Lord 9th after Trinity

SUNDAY 13th – Morning Prayer and Praise- 10th After Trinity

SUNDAY 20th – Holy Communion – 11th After Trinity

SUNDAY 27th – Family Service- 12th after Trinity

SEPTEMBER

SUNDAY 3rd - Holy Communion – 13th after Trinity

SUNDAY 10th – Morning Prayer and Praise – 14th after Trinity

SUNDAY 17th – Holy Communion – 15th after Trinity

SUNDAY 24th – HARVEST FAMILY SERVICE AT 11.30 AM – 16TH after Trinity

FOLLOWED BY A BRING AND SHARE LUNCH

OCTOBER

SUNDAY 1ST – Holy Communion – 17th after Trinity

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

SUNDAY 6TH AUGUST

CHURCH CAR BOOT SALE

AT THE TESCO CAR PARK

SUNDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER

HARVEST FAMILY SERVICE

AT 11.30 AM FOLLOWED

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If you would like to make a donation please contact Marion. Every donation ensures we can keep producing The Border Gossip for you to enjoy. Thank you
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You can view and renew your loans through this website, through their Pori App (available from Apple or Google Appstore) or by contacting Welshpool Library. Lost items are charged at replacement cost.

Regular Events at Welshpool Library/Y Lanfa

Day	Time		Dates
Monday	5.15 - 6.15pm	Y Lanfa Book Club Book for August: <i>Girl, Woman, Other</i> by Bernadine Evaristo	Aug 7 & Sep 4
Tuesday	2 - 3pm	Knit & Knatter	Aug 6 & 20 Sep 12 & 26
Wednesday	10.30am	Rhyme & Story Time for the under 4s	Sep 6, 13, 20, 27

For latest information visit **Y Lanfa on Facebook**



NatWest Mobile Branch
is available on Tuesdays in
Tesco Car Park, Welshpool
13.45 – 14.30

Note: It has been announced that the building previously occupied by Lloyds Bank is to be the home of the new **Banking Hub** in Welshpool. No opening date given.

Powis Castle Events

See Powis Castle website for further information on the following events or call 01938 551944.



**Until 3rd
September
12.00 – 16.00
(last admission
15.30)**

Colour with Kaffe

A colourful textile exhibition by internationally renowned fine art & textile designer Kaffe Fassett. As well as specially selected items in each State Room, a display in the Gateway Room will showcase seven newly created quilts which take direct inspiration from Powis Castle's collection and architecture. Free event but normal admission charges apply. *Booking not needed.*

**Until 3rd
September
10.00 – 17.00**

Summer of Play

Explore a range of family friendly games on the Great Lawn.. Free event but normal admission charges apply. *Booking not needed.*

**5th August &
2nd September
11.00 – 13.00**

Photography Group

This group is informal and relaxed. Learn from others and share your expertise. Enjoy all nature has to offer at this wonderful time of year and meet new people. Whether you've got a digital camera or like using your phone, everyone's welcome to come along - all ages & abilities. After the hour session, feel free to wander the garden and castle (no photography inside) as you wish. Free event but normal admission charges apply. *Booking not needed.*

**Doors open
17.30 for 18.30
6th August
17th August**

Outdoor Theatre in the Formal Garden
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Sense & Sensibility

A Midsummer Night's Dream

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Community Council & County Councillor Update

County Councillor – Amanda Jenner - 07800914446
Facebook.com/CllrAmandaJenner/
cllr.amanda.jenner@powys.gov.uk

Trewern Community Council
www.trewerncommunitycouncil.co.uk
trewerncommunitycouncil@hotmail.com

Hi, we hope you are all well and looking forward to the Summer holidays. This month we have done a joint update from both the community council and Cllr Amanda Jenner.

Volunteers for footpath improvements







We have recently been discussing a potential Public Access Project with Countryside Services in PCC, around the public rights of way in the area and we are looking for volunteers to help out when the project starts in the Autumn. There are some funds available to do some improvements to public footpaths in our area including potentially looking into a new route being opened up. Recently, when similar work has been done in other areas local to us, community volunteers have assisted the council (with appropriate supervision in place etc). We would like to know if you are interested in volunteering and if so, please do get in touch with us. We also hope to have more information in due course on what the volunteering could involve and so we are just asking for expressions of interest at this stage.

Speed limit changes

There will be some changes to the speed on some of our County roads from September. Along Criggion Road, from the trunk road to just past 31 Severn Wynde will become 20mph and from that point out to just past Garth and Gwelfryn properties, PCC plan to impose a 30mph limit. In Middletown, the road off the trunk road leading to the housing on Gofla Close etc, will become 20mph and the section from just after Pinewood House and Southbank, PCC plan to drop the speed limit to 30mph. The housing on the other side of the A458 towards Mount Pleasant will also become 20mph.

Garden Fires

Please be considerate when having garden fires. The Council has given some guidance on this for if you are considering having a fire:

-  Warn your neighbours - lighting a bonfire can cause nuisance to your neighbours especially if it is a nice sunny day with washing out and windows open
-  Only burn dry material - this is likely to cause less smoke. Never burn household rubbish, rubber tyres or anything containing plastic, foam or paint - these can cause harmful emissions
-  Never use old engine oil, meths or petrol to light or encourage the fire
-  Avoid lighting a fire in unsuitable weather conditions - smoke hangs in the air on damp days and in the evening. If it is windy smoke may be blown into neighbour gardens and across roads
-  Avoid burning at weekends and on bank holidays when people want to enjoy their gardens
-  Never leave a fire unattended or leave it to smoulder

If you have any concerns about ongoing fires, more information can be found on the link below with regard to the steps you can take.

<https://en.powys.gov.uk/art.../4481/Report-a-bonfire-problem>

Thanks for your consideration.

Defibrillator re-location

****IMPORTANT INFORMATION**** The defibrillator that was located outside Cefn Chapel has now been relocated to the outside of Buttington Trewern CP School, near the entrance to the school hall/Community Centre. The code for the machine is on the machine itself. If anyone does have cause to use it, please can you notify either Gill Corfield or Judy Evans afterwards, so they can order new pads for the machine and the defibrillator machine needs to be placed back on the hook after use.

Community Council Meetings

The Community Council will not be meeting in August, so our next Community Council meeting will now be held in September. If anyone would like to join this meeting, please let us know and you can either attend in person or we can supply you with the link for you to join online.

Again, we are continuing to raise any Highways problems, such as drainage and pot hole issues with Powys monthly. If you would like to highlight any concerns to us or if you have any other Community Council or County Council issues you would like to raise, please get in touch with us.

Thank you

Buttington Trewern PTEA

We would like to thank everyone who attended our Summer Fair! Thank you for all the generous donations and help, which ensured we had a great fair, despite the weather.

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Fri 11th & Sat 12th	<i>Shrewsbury Flower Show</i> see www.shrewsburyflowershow.org.uk
Sat 12th & Sun 13th Noon - 5pm	<i>Garden Open for Charity</i> at 1 Church Bank, Welshpool. Intimate town garden, ground floor of 17C cottage and museum of tools & motor memorabilia. Adult £3.50, Child free. Mel & Heather Parkes, 01938 559112
Wed 16th Door opens 6pm for 7pm start	<i>Twelfth Night</i> at Montgomery Castle Illyria Theatre company present open-air production. Adult £17, Child £10. Booking fees may apply. Tks available online & by telephone 01686 668442. www.illyria.co.uk/shows
Sat 19th Door opens 6.30pm for 7.30pm start	<i>Extreme Queen</i> at Welshpool Town Hall Established tribute band. Under 14s must be accompanied by an adult. Tks £18 + booking fee. Available from Tourist Information Centre or online. Further information: www.musicandpromotions.co.uk
Tues 22nd 12.30 - 15.00 16.30 - 18.00	<i>Blood Donation Clinic</i> at COWSHACC, Berriew St Car Park, Welshpool Important to check eligibility & make your appointment in advance at www.welsh-blood.org.uk
Sun 27th 1pm - 3pm	<i>Open Day</i> at Llanerchydol Hall, Welshpool, SY21 9PQ Pre-booking essential. Tks £20 to include a light lunch on arrival. Details at www.llanerchydolhall.com
Sun 27th & Mon 28th Gates open 9.15am	<i>Shrewsbury Steam Rally</i> at Onslow Park, Shrewsbury Adult £17, Senior Citizens £16, Child £1, Under 5's Free. Tks available online. www.ShrewsburySteamRally.co.uk

September 2023

Sun 3 rd 8am - 1pm	Car Boot Sale at Tesco Car Park, Welshpool. Pitches must be booked in advance (£5) at Customer Services. Raising funds for Diabetes UK, BHF & Cancer Research.
Wed 6 th Door opens 9.45am for 10.30am start	Guide Dogs. A talk by John Selwyn Davies at COWSHACC, Welshpool. Further information: www.welshpoolanddistrictu3a.org.uk
Wed 20 th 7.30-9.30pm	Montgomeryshire Wildlife Trust Bird Group at Welshpool Methodist Church Hall. Further information: www.montwt.co.uk/local-groups/bird-group
Sat 23 rd Door opens 7pm for 7.30pm start	Anthems of Rock at Welshpool Town Hall If you are a fan of live classic rock, this is the show for you! Tkts available online from: www.ticketsource.co.uk
Thurs 28 th 2.30pm	Grace Darling and the Fine Art of Saving Lives at Sea. A talk by James Taylor at The Royal Oak, Welshpool. Arts Society of Mid Wales. This meeting will be preceded at 2pm by the AGM. www.artsocietymidwalesandborders.org.uk
Sat 30 th 1pm - 3pm	Open Day at Llanerchydol Hall, Welshpool, SY21 9PQ Pre-booking essential. Tkts £20 to include a light lunch on arrival. Details at www.llanerchydolhall.com



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Buttington Trewern Community Centre

Booking Secretary – Anne Jerman 01938 570320

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Thursday

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Saturday

Knitting / Craft Group

Meet alternate Tuesdays at
Trewern Community Centre

1.30- 3.30pm

Term Time Only

Contacts:-

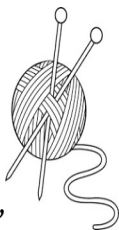
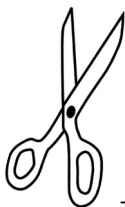
Margaret 555101

Linda 570529

Pam 570001

Join us for tea/coffee,
Biscuits and a chat.

We charge £1.20 per session to cover cost
of Community room
and refreshments



Ysgol Gynradd

Buttington Trewern CP School

Head Teacher – Anna Griggs 01938 570283

Please refer to website for school news.

School PTFA

Parents, Teachers & Friends Association
Chairperson – Kim Mountford 07814964756
Secretary – Jane Agnew
Treasurer – Kate Urquhart

www.trewern.powys.sch.uk



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MARSTON ELECTRICAL



Events at Gregynog, Tregynon, Nr. Newtown, SY16 3PL

Registered Charity Number 1146516



Friday 18 August - Greek Mezze Evening
Try Greek cuisine whilst listening to music in the Courtyard.

Food served from 6.30pm.
£20pp to include a glass of Ouzo.



Friday 25 August - Spanish Night
Tapas Boards served from 6.30pm to the sound of a Spanish guitar. Selection of meat, cheese, olives, bread, sundried tomatoes, apricots, nuts and "Mediterranean Twists." £20pp to include a glass of Sangria. Sangria can also be purchased: £4 per glass or £25 per jug.

Please book early to avoid disappointment.

Tel: 01686 650224 or email enquiries@gregynog.org

Why not start your evening with a stroll around the Gregynog Estate to take in the views and discover all the hidden gems of the garden?

Car Park £2.50

JOIN THE NATIONAL CELEBRATION OF WALES' BUILT HERITAGE

Open Doors 2023

Wales' annual contribution to the European Heritage Days initiative, offering visitors free entry, events or guided tours.

This September you have the chance to explore more than 200 of Wales' historic sites, landmarks & hidden gems. Organised and funded by Cadw some sites are usually closed to the public.

For details of open days within Wales visit:

www.cadw.gov.wales/visit/whats-on/open-doors



Similar free events are being held in England (Heritage Open Days) between 8th - 17th September 2023.

www.heritageopendays/visiting

Why not explore BOTH sides of the Border?



29TH SEPTEMBER - 1ST OCTOBER

SPECIAL GUESTS ALLO ALLO CAST

SPITFIRE • MILITARY & CIVILIAN VEHICLES • RE-ENACTORS • VINTAGE HAIRDRESSER & TALKS • DISPLAYS & EXHIBITIONS • VINTAGE & MILITARIA TRADERS • CHILDREN'S VINTAGE FUN FAIR

www.welshpool1940sweekend.co.uk



Attractions & entertainment in the town centre throughout the weekend.

Special Events:

Spirit of the Blitz Variety Show
Fish 'N' Chips + Cockney Singalong
Tea Dance
Blitz Ball
Closing Concert



Kay-lee Davies (Weaver in Residence) will be at the Museum for the summer developing a range of wool fabrics on the large floor loom, some of which will be made up into items which will be for sale in the shop. Please come and have a look!

Workshop Events

Date	Time	Topic	Cost
Sept 3 rd	10am-4pm	Peg Loom Weaving	£50
Sept 10 th	10am-4pm	Hand-loom Weaving	£50
Sept 17 th	10am-4pm	Woven Artworks	£50
Sept 24 th	10am-4pm	Hand-loom Weaving	£50

Visit the news link at
www.newtowntextilemuseum.co.uk
to book place at a workshop

Also Summer Holiday Fun!! FREE drop-in tapestry workshops every Tuesday (Tues 25th July until Tues 29th August). All ages welcome. No booking required.



Newtown Textile Museum

5 - 7 Commercial Street

Newtown

Powys, SY16 2BL



Opening hours 2023

2 May - 30 Sept

12.00 - 4.00

Tuesday, Thursday,
Friday and Saturday



Phone: 01686 622 024

Only answered during opening hours. Answer machine at other times.

Email:
admin@newtowntextilemuseum.co.uk

This museum is run entirely by volunteers. Would you like to join the team?



SAVE THE DATE

Buttington Trewern CP School 70th Anniversary Celebrations

Friday 29th sept.

Ex pupils welcome to meet the pupils and
Cream tea 1:30- 3pm.

70th birthday party, Friday 29th sept 7-11pm.
Short presentation about the history of the
school- we are looking for material and
photos please email:

office@trewern.powys.sch.uk

Followed by hog roast, raffle/auction and
entertainment. There will be a bar.

Dietary requirements can be catered for.

A link will be added on the community Fb
shortly with further information. Tickets on
sale at school from 4th sept.

Upcoming Special Events on Welshpool & Llanfair Light Railway

1st - 3rd September, Steam Gala

WLLR's annual celebration of trains, road steam, model railways, classic vehicles and plenty more to explore.



**16th & 17th September
Paddington Visits**

Trains depart from Welshpool Raven Square Station and return to same station. Trips last approx. 50 minutes, All are steam hauled. Paddington will be making appearances and telling of his

adventures at intervals throughout the day. Dogs are not permitted on this special event.

**www.wllr.org.uk for detailed information on prices, regular timetables, special events & ticket booking, or
Tel: 01938 810441 Registered Charity No 1000378**

Located in the Connections Centre of WLLR's Llanfair Caerinion Station is the largest collection of model cars in Wales. Admission by donation, Under-16s Free.

Mostly open Saturdays & Sundays 11am to 4pm. Check before travelling to avoid disappointment.
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Summer Reading Challenge 2023

Ready, Set, Read!

Presented by The Reading Agency.
Delivered in partnership with libraries.



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This year's Summer Reading challenge is all about sports & games. The aim is to get children between 4 and 11 years to read 6 books and runs from 8 July until mid-September. To get involved:

- visit your local library, register for the challenge, receive your free collector's folder and choose your books from the wide selection available in either English or Welsh;
- sign up online – visit www.summerreadingchallenge.org.uk and follow the instructions.

On completing the challenge children will receive a medal & certificate, a free family swim voucher (kindly donated by Freedom Leisure) and gain entry into a prize draw.

Are you aged 14-25 and willing to volunteer to help with this year's Summer Reading Challenge??

Find more information at your local library.