

Donyatt Despatch

Donyatt's Own Newspaper - March 2020
Our Sponsor This Month is Ilminster Literary Festival

Friends Of Donyatt Despatch Get Together

Don't forget, there will be a Friends of Donyatt Despatch gathering, on Tues 24 March, at 7pm in The George. As usual, there will be a prize draw, the 1st prize on this occasion will be kindly donated by Steve and Helen of The George and the 2nd prize by Forever Flowers by Sarah.

Hopefully we will see all our existing Friends and would be happy to welcome anyone who wishing to join the Friends scheme as well. A minimum annual donation of £5 is requested for membership of the scheme. Funds raised by the Friends and Sponsorship schemes, support the ongoing running costs of our local publication.

Many thanks to all our supporters!

DONYATT PARISH COUNCIL

TRAINING TO USE THE DEFIBRILLATOR

The free training on how to use the defibrillator will take place in Donyatt Village Hall on Saturday **28 March** at 9.30am – 12.30pm. There still some places left. If you would like to attend, please phone or email the Clerk to be added to the list.

BUDGET FOR 20/21

The Council has set a precept of £8,500 which is an increase in the Band D charge of £2.75 a year.

GRANTS AND DONATIONS TO VOLUNTARY PARISH ORGANISATIONS

The Parish Council has agreed to grant the voluntary organisations the following amounts:

Donyatt Village Hall Engineer Consultant)	£2250 (50% cost of a Civil
Parochial Church Council Churchyard)	£ 600 (towards upkeep of the
Donyatt Recreational Ground (to replace play equipment)	£1300 (towards maintenance and
Donyatt Recreational Ground (for play equipment)	£1000 (towards a sinking fund to

Mrs Heather Bryant - Clerk to the Council
Tel: 01460 234770 - Email: heatherbryant@delisystems.com

100 Club Winners

January 2020

1st £30 Jill King
2nd £20 Annette Watt
3rd £10 Mrs P Bonner



British Summer
Time begins
Sun 29 March

Don't forget to put
your clocks forward.

How To Book Donyatt Village Hall

- Email: booking.admin@donyatt.com
- Telephone: 0845 643 0288
(please note you may incur call charges from your provider.)

We will try to respond to emails and telephone messages within 24 hours (Monday to Friday).

More information inc. hire rates is available on the Donyatt village website: www.donyatt.com



Donyatt Village Hall Committee Notice of Annual General Meeting

Tuesday 21st April 2020
In the Village Hall at 7.00 p.m.
Refreshments provided.

The Committee will report to you on its work during 2019/20. Please come along:

1. To provide feedback.
2. To help prioritise plans for the future.
3. To learn about serving the community – more volunteers are needed, especially younger adults.

Please contact either Andrew Warde (Chair) on 57673 or Anne Beveridge (Secretary) on 259835 if you would like to know more about Committee membership.

Donyatt Village Hall is a Registered
Charity Number 304530

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SAVE THE DATES – 28th May – 5th June



Sponsorship Of Donyatt Despatch

There are still slots available for sponsoring an edition of the Despatch during 2020.

If you would like to take sponsorship with us, please contact one of the Editors - see details below.

A month's sponsorship is just £20 and contributes to our running cost and helps to ensure we are able to continue to produce the Despatch for the benefit of village residents.

Donyatt Village Hall Cardboard & Paper Recycling

The March Collection will be
13 to 15 March 2020.

Please could we ask you to check that there are no other materials left within your recycling (polythene, polystyrene or other non-cardboard or paper packaging) as this contaminates the load?
Please flatten all boxes.

Based in Donyatt
Forever Flowers by Sarah
offers bespoke & beautiful
arrangements for all occasions. Order
your flowers for Mother's Day
now from just £3
Contact Sarah Busby on 07720808782



Donyatt Social Club Whist Drive

Tues 3, 17 & 31 Mar
7.30pm in
Donyatt
Village Hall
£3

Local Produce and
Crafts Market
Together with
Donyatt Big Breakfast
Sun 8 March
09:00 TO 12noon
At Donyatt Village Hall
Last Orders 11:30

"T-Cosy" - Will Meet on Wed 25 March 2.30-4.30p.m. At Donyatt Village Hall

Do pop along for a chat, cuppa, and home made biscuits & cake. We would love to meet you all especially if you are new to the village. Welcome also spreads out to the nearby villages and towns. Hope to see you there.

SCHEDULED PARISH COUNCIL MEETING DATE FOR 2020

9 Mar / 11 May / 13 Jul / 14 Sept / 9 Nov

Often the council has to meet between the scheduled meetings mainly for planning applications. These are held as and when required. If you need to know the next Parish Council meeting, please contact the Clerk. Meetings commence at 7.30pm (unless otherwise stated) and are held in the Village Hall. There is an opportunity on the Agenda for the public to make participate.

Agendas and Minutes can be viewed on our website
www.donyatt-parishcouncil.org.uk

COUNCILLOR VACANCY

There is still one on Donyatt Parish Council. Any person interested in becoming a Parish Councillor should contact the Clerk, Heather Bryant by phone 01460 234770 or e-mail for more information. Or speak to a present Councillor.

Remember

it's

Mother's

Day on

Sunday 22

March

2020

GEMINI GEMINI CARNIVAL CLUB
EASTER BINGO
Saturday 11th April 2020
7pm doors open for 7.30pm start
Donyatt Village Hall (TA19 0RG)
Light refreshments available

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tue 3 Mar - Whist Drive - DVH - 7.30pm
Thu 5 Mar - Skittles - Upper v Sea Follies - DVH - 7.45pm
Sun 8 Mar - Big Breakfast & Farmers Market - DVH - 9am
Mon 9 Mar - Parish Council Meeting - DVH - 7.30pm
Tue 10 Mar - Skittles - Sea Boys v Pound - DVH - 7.45pm
Thu 12 Mar - Skittles - Lower v Park - DVH - 7.45pm
Fri 13>Sun 15 Mar - Paper & Card Recycling DVH C/Park
Tue 17 Mar - Whist Drive - DVH - 7.30 pm
Thu 19 Mar - Skittles - Peasmarsh v Pound - DVH - 7.45pm
Sun 22 Mar - Mother's Day

Tue 24 Mar - Friends of DD Gathering - The George 7pm
Wed 25 Mar - T-Cosy - DVH - 2.30pm
Thu 26 Mar - Skittles - Uooer v Park - DVH - 7.45pm
Sat 28 Mar - Defibrulator Training - DVH - 9.30pm
Sun 29 Mar - Clocks Go Forward
Tue 31 Mar - Whist Drive - DVH - 7.30pm

ADVANCE NOTICE:

Sat 11 Apr - Gemini Easter Bingo - DVH - 7pm
Mon 13 Apr - Ploughman's Lunch - DVH - 12noon
Tue 21 Apr - DVH Committee AGM - DVH - 7pm

CLOSING DATE: 17 March for the April 2020 Despatch - all contributions welcomed

Please send your contributions to both of the Editors: Preferably by e-mail - thank you.

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Donyatt Despatch Supplement

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Come and Celebrate
Mothering Sunday At The George

Served from 12 - 4pm on
Sunday 22nd March

Please ask at The George Inn for a menu

One course £12.50/two courses

£16.50/three courses £20.50

Book now on 57518

Flowers available - please ask at the pub.

EVENT HELPERS

Could you please consider helping St Mary's Church, with the events we carry out during each year. It has become increasingly difficult to find volunteers and we are hoping you may be able to help with certain tasks.
Contact Trisha: 01460 249734

PLOUGHMAN'S LUNCH

Donyatt Village Hall
Easter Monday
13 April 12.00 to 2.30pm

Tickets £8 for your 2
course lunch with coffee

SKITTLES LEAGUE RESULTS

Teams	Played	Won	Lost	Points
Peasmarsh	4	3	1	6
Park	4	3	1	6
Sea Boys	4	3	1	6
Sea Follies	3	1	2	2
Lower	4	1	3	2
Pound	4	1	3	2
Upper	4	1	3	2

Donyatt 100 Club

Information for current and new members for 2020-2021

Thank you to everyone who supported last year's 100 Club. It has really helped to raise money towards the ongoing improvements for our Village Hall. We are coming to the end of the financial year (end March 2020) and are giving you and your family the opportunity to retain your lucky number/s and the chance for others to join for the next 12 months (April 2020 - March 2021)

Monthly prizes: 1st £30, 2nd £20, 3rd £10

For a form contact: Anne Beveridge, 1 Kings Cottage, Donyatt, TA19 0RO
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