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Hello and Welcome to the inaugural issue of Tyhee Times, the monthly newsletter published in partnership between Torpoint Town Council and the Torpoint Town Partnership.

The aim of the newsletter is to inform and publicise events and organisations around the Town and to keep you updated on the activities of the Town Council and the developments in and around Torpoint.

The newsletter will be published online and in the Torpoint and District Advertiser.



Torpoint Town Partnership

The Town Partnership brings together the organisations of the Town to develop and implement Torpoint focused initiatives.

Notable successes of the Partnership are the Diamond Jubilee Celebrations, the Christmas Lights, Town Gardens and the Torpoint Carnival.

If you would like to get involved please contact the Town Administrator or the Library for further info.

All Weather Pitch for Torpoint & Rame Moves a Step Closer

The Torpoint and Rame Active Community Sports Network has been working hard over the last few years to have a Multi Use Games Area (MUGA) built alongside the YMCA Sports Hall in Torpoint.

The Network has now made a significant step forward in making this aspiration a reality with planning permission obtained in August 2013 for a MUGA and changing facility to be constructed to the rear of the Sports Hall on the Torpoint Community College site.

It has taken a significant amount of time, effort and money to get to this point and the Network is hugely grateful for the support offered by local businesses, the local Parish



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Council, Cornwall Council, and CHAT amongst others.

The Network now faces the final hurdle for this project-it needs to secure approximately £1M to complete the works. Efforts are being made to secure this funding through national organisations to deliver what is hoped to be a welcome and long overdue sports facility for the Torpoint and Rame Community.

Torpoint Carnival

Saturday 5th July 2014

Cambridge Field, St James Road

from 1pm

Stalls, sideshows, a band and a bouncy castles promise to make this a great event. With fancy dress and floats open to all, with many classes of entry, there will certainly be plenty to see.

If you have any ideas for the carnival day please let the Town Mayor, Mike Pearn MBE know. Contact details and carnival classes can be found on the Council website.

Torpoint In Bloom

Last year Torpoint entered the Cornwall in Bloom competition with the small gardens that were built in Harvey Street and Antony Road. The Gardens were a great success and bloomed throughout the summer and winter seasons and won a commendation from the judges for the 'Cleaning Up Grot Spots' entry.

The Spring display is looking promising with Tulips and Daffodils growing strongly ready to flower in the next few weeks.

The display for the Summer has been planned to commemorate the 100 year anniversary of the Great War. More details next month

Antony Road Doctor's Surgery

The Rame Group Practice Surgery on Antony Road will close and relocate into the new Community Health Centre when it is completed towards the end of the year.

With the old surgery in a central high profile position in the town the future of the property is of great interest to local residents and the Council.

Over the past couple of months the future of the Surgery has been explored at Council meetings and it has been agreed to apply to get the building registered as an Asset of Community Value. If approved the community are given a six month opportunity to secure funding and bid competitively on the open market.

Discussions are taking place with organisations around the town with a view to securing the future of the building as a community hub for Torpoint. It is early days with the project and with the surgery already on the market timescales are tight.



Diary of Events

- Sat, 26 Apr Lions Cambridge Field Fete
- Mon, 05 May Black Prince Procession – Millbrook
- Sat, 14 Jun Torpoint Lady Singers 12hr Singathon - Cornerstone Church 9am
- Sun, 15 Jun Fathers Day Walk and Lions Fete
- Sat, 05 Jul Carnival Day - Cambridge Field.
- Sat, 05 Jul Maryfield Church Fete
- Sat, 12 Jul St Columba and Torpoint RUFC Community Fun Day – Defiance Field
- Sat, 19 Jul Lions Fair
- Sun, 03 Aug Mt Edgumbe Classic Car Show and Fair
- Sat, 06 Sep Gorsedh Kernow – Thanckes Park
- Thu, 23 Oct RBL Poppy Concert – St James Church
- Sat, 29 Nov Christmas Light Switch-On

Next Month...

- Who is Tyhee?
- Gorsedh Kernow
- Rendel Park
- Council Update

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