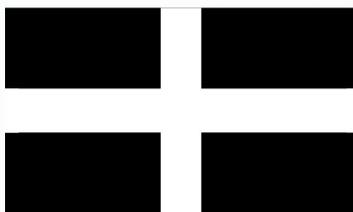


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Comwall goes National, Liskeard International



Contrary to rumours that the EU have recognised the Cornish as a distinct cultural group in order to prevent civil war between the military wing of Mebyon Kernow and the Cornish National Liberation Army (now dubbed the Ooh Aargh A), or the similarly embarrassing events in Scotland, the real situation is far more significant. The measure is intended to promote the preservation of the County's cultural heritage, and the contents of this newsletter, even though few by usual standards, amply demonstrate that Liskeard, and particularly Stuart House, is amongst the leaders in this field. Heritage matters will be to the fore during Liskeard Carnival Week in July, with the next emergence of Phoenix 100 from the ashes, and the programme for these will be available in the June newsletter.

Also in the next issue there should be exciting news of the House taking the USA by storm with our locally generated poetry. Be sure to follow these exciting developments, but better still, take part and report them.

Music at Stuart House

The next concert will be on Sunday 18th May at the usual time of 2.30pm and sees the return of Valley Voices, conducted by Elizabeth Saudek. Valley Voices has its home in the Tamar Valley and is a chamber choir, singing mostly a cappella music in a variety of styles and periods including sacred polyphony, madrigals, folk and popular songs. In the past five years they have performed in many venues in East Cornwall and West Devon.

They like to give their audiences a chance to participate, when appropriate, and in this concert you will be invited to help out with one of the songs, Summer is Icumen in. They will sing a varied programme including Bach, sacred works, shanties, madrigals, folk and popular songs. It will clearly be a most entertaining afternoon!



Angela Wunnam.

Max Lock Gallery

MOORLAND MOODS



An Exhibition of Moorland, Coast, and Wildlife paintings
by JOHN BATEY

at Stuart House, Liskeard

Exhibition runs to Fri. 9th May (Sundays and
Bank Holiday Monday excepted) from 9.30a.m. to 3.30pm
daily.

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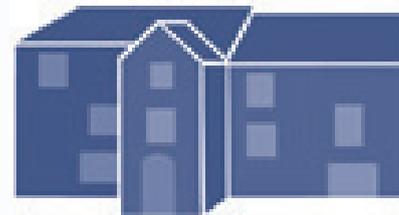
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Diary of Events

May 2014



Tuesday 1st	Stuart House Craft and Gift Shop opens and will run until Saturday 27th September	
28th April - Friday 9th May	Art Exhibition and Sale by John Batey - 'Moorland Moods'	
Every Thursday	"Knit n' Knatter". 10.30am – 1.30pm	
Monday 5th	House and gardens closed for the Bank Holiday	
Monday 12th - Saturday 17th	"Watercolours and Prints 1950 – 1980" An exhibition by Derrick Worton F.R.S.A.	
Friday 16th	Antiques valuation day with Richard Hamm of Bearnese, Hampton & Littlewood	
Sunday 18th		<p>Concert in the Gallery with Valley Voices - a chamber choir who sing mostly a capella music in a variety of styles and periods. Their programme may feature Bruckner motets, madrigals, romantic part-songs, popular songs, folk music and sea shanties. Music Director Elisabeth Saudek.</p> <p>Start time 2.30pm Tickets £7 from the office, include light refreshments.</p>
Monday 19th - Saturday 24th	<p>Art Exhibition –with a theme of "Connections". This is part of the "Vital Spark" celebration of creativity in Liskeard.</p> <p>For more information, pick up a Vital Spark flyer, or go to www.vital-spark-liskeard.co.uk</p> <p>Preview event on the Monday 5.30pm – 7.30pm</p> <p>Lunchtime sessions: join us in Stuart House at 12.30 each day for informal talks and music. Entry free, donations welcome.</p>	
Monday 26th	House and gardens closed for the Bank Holiday	
Tuesday 27th - Saturday 31st	Art exhibition by Lilian Oaktree	

*The House, Garden and Computer Research Suite are open 09.30 a.m. - 3.30 p.m.,
The Old Kitchen Café 10.00 a.m till 2.00 p.m., each weekday,
and until 12.30 p.m. and 12.00 noon respectively on Saturdays.
The Computer Research Suite may be open at other times on request.*

*The House is open these same times for all events unless otherwise stated above.
The Office is open every weekday until 2.00 p.m.
Subject to change depending on the availability of volunteers (could you help?)*