

# The Talaton Calendar

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## Editorial

32 degrees on Friday and 12 degrees on Sunday, great summer so far!

Voneus seem busy around the village putting up poles, pulling draw lines through the BT ducts and extending the ducts to critical areas. I notice Woodmans has its ducting in place with the link to Bittery Cross. The recent meeting with Voneus in the Hall, last week seem to be productive and the cost proposed originally when full fibre was suggested, has been lowered, but you need to ask Voneus for it!

On the front cover in this issue the Right Rev Martin Shaw officiating in the blessing of the Talaton Jubilee Tree part of the Queen's Green Canopy at the open air service held on the Moor. I am hoping that next month we may have some pictures.

I missed the Celebrations, unfortunately, as I was on the Normandy Beaches in France for the Commemorations of the D Day landings 78 years ago. Very few surviving veterans left now.

Keep safe and well.....



Editor - Simon Spencer

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**October issue is 10<sup>th</sup> Sept 2022**

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## TALATON PARISH COUNCIL

Please find below the list of names and telephone numbers of your current Parish Councillors for Talaton. Should you have matters to raise please feel free to contact one of them. You are also reminded that the first part of any Parish Council Meeting is an open forum for all residents to air their views.

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## St James the Great

### St James the Great Services

- 3<sup>rd</sup> July Morning Worship 10.00 am followed by refreshments  
17<sup>th</sup> July Holy Communion 10.00am followed by refreshments  
24<sup>th</sup> July BCP Morning Prayer 10.00am followed by refreshments

Please note that the services may be subject to change. Please check on the website or on the notice board in the church porch.

### Coffee Morning

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July 10.30am until noon.  
Do join us for mid morning coffee/tea and biscuits.  
ALL WELCOME

If the weather is good we could migrate outside into the sunshine!



### Open Gardens Weekend

What a wonderful weekend for so many people. A very big **thank you** to all the garden openers for their very hard work and for so generously giving their time. Thanks also to those who helped put up all the signage and who helped in the car park with ticket and plant sales. The village buzzed with a happiness that was priceless.



A special thank you goes to Alan Franklin for masterminding the whole thing this year and to Liz for all her input.

Ticket & plant sales raised £2,491, which has been donated to the church..

Well done everyone

Pam W.

### Open Air Service on the Moor

Many thanks to the ROBOTS and the Parish Council for setting up the straw bales and chairs for this service. We couldn't have done it without you. Bishop Martin Shaw blessed the Jubilee Oak Tree then, dare I say it, entertained us royally with another memorable service.



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## Talaton Parish Council Report

The following are major items from the minutes but a full copy of the minutes may be viewed on both Parish Noticeboards and on the Parish Web site

[www.talatonparishcouncil.co.uk](http://www.talatonparishcouncil.co.uk)

### Planning Meeting 11<sup>th</sup> May 2022

**To consider Planning Application - 22/0905/FUL - Hill Mount Road from Bittery Cross to Talewater Cross - Erection of replacement barn for domestic use- following a site visit and consideration a vote was taken with Cllrs voting to support the application. Proposed by Cllr Walker, seconded by Cllr Lenehan, all in favour. The following comment to be submitted to EDDC ... The PC fully support the application. The new building will be a vast improvement on the existing building.**

### Planning Meeting 18<sup>th</sup> May 2022

**To consider Planning Application - 22/0783/MFUL - Land East of Rutton Farm Rull Lane Whimple-Construction and operation of a ground mounted solar farm, with permission being required for 40 years, comprising solar arrays, equipment housing, sub-station, fencing, ancillary equipment, landscaping and associated development – after consideration a vote was taken (Cllr Bos did not vote due to personal interest) with all Cllrs objecting to the application due to concerns over access and impact on traffic, loss of agricultural land for food production, the size of the development and impact on the countryside, the Governments policy on not using greenfield sites for solar farms and the benefits of the proposal were not clear. Objection proposed by Cllr Lenehan, seconded by Cllr Walker. The Cllrs thanked the representative from Aura Power and said that she had made a very good presentation. The PC were in favour of renewable energy but in the right location. Cllr Gray to draw up the response to be sent to EDDC.**

### Meeting held on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2022

**To review Statutory Documents – it was proposed that the old Code of Conduct be replaced with the new EDDC Members Code of Conduct. Proposed for adoption by Cllr Walker, seconded by Cllr Bos, all in favour. The Financial Regulations, Standing Orders, Risk Assessment, Complaints Procedure and the Protocol for filming and recording meetings were all proposed for re adoption by Cllr Walker, seconded by Cllr Bos, all in favour**

**To discuss plans for the Archive for Talaton Kindertransport** – the Archive will be a project for 2023/24 when funds will be made available from the budget.

**Parish Maintenance-** items requiring attention and update on items reported to include the raised footpath near Orchard Close- Clerk awaiting a response from Phil Morgan re the raised footpath which has still not been repaired.

Quote to be obtained from A. Hazeldine for spraying the area between the steps by Orchard Close and Talaton Inn.

Pothole – between Woodmans Orchard and Talaton Cross

Potholes– on the edge of highway opposite Larkbeare Cross at the passing place.

**Items for information only or discussion on the next agenda** – APM- The Wildings School to be invited to give a report next year, ways to encourage more residents to attend were also discussed this included allocating a maximum time of 3 minutes for each report and providing savouries and snacks along with the refreshments; the defibs have been checked, the online reporting system still not working but the defibs are listed on the national site.

**Date of next meeting-** the next meeting will be on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2022

## Talaton Knit and Natter

Talaton Knit and Natter is a relaxed informal group which meets once a fortnight (alternating Wednesday and Thursday). We meet at the Talaton Inn and our future dates are:

Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> July  
Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July  
Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> August  
Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> August  
Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> August  
Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> September

We meet at 11.30 for coffee and cake (and some of us stay on for lunch). Please come along with any craft work or just join us for a good natter.



Talaton Knit and Natter



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# Summer Is Icumen In



Whimple Church  
Sunday 3 July 3pm

Mount Pleasant Farm, Clyst St Lawrence  
(Raising funds for Clyst St Lawrence Church)  
Friday 8 July 7pm

Talaton Church Grounds  
Wednesday 20 July 7.30pm

More information and tickets:  
[www.talevalleychoir.org.uk](http://www.talevalleychoir.org.uk)

**making  
music**



**I feel we owe you an explanation as to why there is a beetroot on the back of Richard's Memorial Stone.**

**Before I met James Salisbury of the Lettering Arts Trust, I never knew there were two sides to a gravestone and it made sense to use both on ours as it is situated right in the middle of the Churchyard seen from all angles.**

**Richard enjoyed taking part in the highly competitive Talaton Annual Produce Show and listened to expert advice freely given from Bert Maher who had first class knowledge and expertise of any vegetable gardener in the village and in particular of the Show.**

**Bert taught Richard the art of growing and the secrets of how to show beetroot, when blow me one year, much to both their surprise, Richard entered his beetroots and beat Bert and continued to do so for several years after.**

**Bert's grave is in close proximity not far away.**

**What James Salisbury has perfected in his Portland Stone is very special to me as a Designer/Typographer and for our sons who have waited patiently for its arrival.**

**Peppi Shaw**

## FUNDRAISING FOR FORCE CANCER CHARITY

A big THANK YOU to everyone for supporting our recent fundraising events for FORCE.

OPEN GARDENS was a wonderful weekend and an amazing £1105 was raised from the Cream Teas. Many thanks to Alan, Pam & all the gardeners for all their hard work.

A gorgeous day at Cadhay on the 2nd June raised a further fantastic £1405.49. Many thanks to Rupert for giving FORCE the opportunity to fundraise at such a beautiful venue.

These events can't happen without a team of very special people who give up their time. They know who they are & as always, we are very gratefully to them all. Also many thanks to Oak Park Dairy, Talaton Community Shop, Andrea- Brown Egg Farmer & all the cake makers for their kind & generous donations.

And finally, to everyone who came along we hope you enjoyed the events as much as we did. Thank you for supporting FORCE.

Lyndsey & Chris

## CARE BAGS FOR CANCER PATIENTS

Many thanks to Lyndsay, Anna, Ava, Sally & Mo for donating items for the care bags. Sadly Doreen's cancer has returned so I'm even more determined to keep the scheme going on her behalf.

The bags are taken to the Cherrybrook cancer ward at the RD & E hospital & given to patients just before they start Chemo. They really do lift their spirits.

I would be extremely grateful for donations of the following:

Drinks bottles, A5 hardback notebooks/ journals, soft bed socks/ thick mens socks, paperback novels, crossword/ puzzle books & packets of pocket size tissues.

Items for the bags can be dropped off at Talaton Community Shop. Thank you!

For more information call Lyndsey 07964836429/ 01404 850831.



**Talaton Platinum Jubilee Committee**  
*on behalf of Talaton Parish Council*

**WHAT A GREAT SUCCESS  
OUR EVENTS WERE!**

## **THANK YOU TO ALL OUR VOLUNTEERS**

To everyone who agreed to bake a cake, hull 60 pounds of strawberries, help to set up, serve, clear up, dismantle and put away. To all those who organised, knitted & decorated, entertained, loaned equipment or hay bales, built a bonfire or provided a venue – we say thank you very much to each and every one of you!

### **COMMUNITY SPIRIT AT ITS BEST**

It was wonderful to see everyone working together to put on a fantastic series of events. There was brilliant co-operation from The Talaton Inn who hosted two events, including the fabulous Party in the car Park! The Hall were extremely generous by making no charges whatsoever and giving us full access to all facilities and equipment. The Shop supported us with printing tickets and being our point of collection. The Church were also involved, hosting a service on The Moor and blessing our Platinum Jubilee Oak Tree.

### **GREAT RECYCLING at The Big Jubilee Lunch**

Everything we provided for your dessert was compostable. We asked you to take your waste and recycling home and EVERYONE did! That's amazing, thank you! We catered for 300 people, had no food waste and just half a black bag of rubbish.

### **A LASTING LEGACY**

300 glass champagne flutes were purchased from Village Day funds. They are available for **anyone** to hire from the Parish Hall.



TALATON GARDEN & PRODUCE  
ASSOCIATION

## Annual Produce and Flower Show Saturday 6th August 2022

### Children's Entries

Open to residents and non-residents up to 16 years of age  
Resident young people over 16 are eligible to enter the Adult classes

Age Groups: (a) 7 years and under (b) 8 years to 16 years

#### Classes:

1. Make an animal out of an egg box
2. Make a Union Jack collage, no larger than A4
3. Make *three* decorated, crown shaped biscuits
4. A vegetable animal or person
5. Potato grown in a bucket. All entries will be turned out at the show and the crop weighed. The heaviest crop wins
6. Make a garden on a plate, no larger than 25cm diameter

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### Children's Entry Form

To be handed in with your entry  
between 10am and 12noon on Show Day

Resident / Non-Resident (please delete as appropriate)

Name ..... Age on 6th August 2022 .....

Tick the class or classes you are entering:-

1..... 2..... 3..... 4..... 5..... 6.....





At the time of writing this article there are two weeks to go before our trip to Greenway, few members have signed up. Perhaps people no longer wish to have coach trip days out. Members will have seen in our calendar of events that there is another trip, booked for 10<sup>th</sup> September to RHS Rosemoor. Please could you email [pamwes-ton45@gmail.com](mailto:pamwes-ton45@gmail.com) to let me know if you are interested in joining this trip. If there is not sufficient interest we will cancel it.

We are affiliated to the RHS giving us free entry to Rosemoor, so you only have the cost of the coach.

The trip will cost members £10.  
Non members £14



## Jobs for July

Weed regularly. Remember the old saying, “One year’s seeding, seven years weeding.” Water veg such as lettuces and cabbages to help prevent bolting or at least delay it.

Net peas, brassicas and soft fruit against birds.

Pinch out the tops of climbing beans when they reach the tops of their supports so that they don’t grow too long and become tangled and top heavy.

Feed tomatoes and peppers and don’t forget to keep picking out tomato side shoots.

Dry out garlic, onions and shallots by gently loosening the soil around the roots eventually lift the bulbs and lay them on the ground to dry. Weather permitting!

Keep dead heading flowers to prolong their flowering period.

Leave shallow water out for the wildlife which share your garden.

Then sit back enjoy the fruits of your labour and think about what to enter in the show. Don’t forget it is on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> August. Remember it is free to enter. Help to make this year’s show the best yet by entering as many exhibits as you can.

Refreshments and raffle will be back as will the presentation of the cups.

## Happy Gardening

Find out more about The Talaton Produce Association type the link below:

[http://www.talatonparishcouncil.co.uk/Core/Talaton-TC/Pages/Produce\\_1.aspx](http://www.talatonparishcouncil.co.uk/Core/Talaton-TC/Pages/Produce_1.aspx)



**TALATON GARDEN & PRODUCE  
ASSOCIATION**



**Annual Produce  
and Flower Show  
Saturday 6th August 2022**

**at 3.30pm in the  
Talaton Parish Hall**

**Entry FREE to Members and Children  
50p to non-members**

**Come and see what can be produced in our village  
All are welcome**



## **Supporting Devon's Early Stage Creative Artists**

**New FREE 4 week course to help Creatives build their business**

The Business and Intellectual Property Centre in Devon (BIPC) has worked with experienced artists and experts to create a new FREE course designed to help early stage creatives to develop their business.

The 4 week Art of Business course starts on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July and can be accessed both online and in person. Local Artists will be sharing their knowledge and experience, through interactive sessions at Exeter and Barnstaple Libraries, and online.

The Art of Business Course will incorporate business skills for those working with:

- Written Word
- Photography
- Film-Making
- Music
- Painting & Sculpture

The programme aims to develop the business skills to support an artist in creating a career from their creativity. Our skills-based workshops include marketing, branding, social media training, and web design. Alongside the events and workshops, there will be networking events for creatives to meet other like-minded individuals.

BIPC Devon Manager Richard Love said: We have some great Colleges in Devon, with many excellent courses for art students, as well as thriving arts and creative communities all over Devon. We wanted to work with colleges to reach early-stage creatives as well as those looking for a career change. We have worked with local successful artists and experts, to create a programme covering key

business skills and gives attendees a flavour of what it is really like to make a living as an artist, and what that entails.

BIPC Devon's ART of Business Course runs throughout July and features weekly webinars and online workshops, interactive sessions, networking opportunities and 1-1 support. Attendees will grow their business skills and learn how to find their niche, build an audience, grow a career as an artist, and find inspiration from the creatives delivering the course. The material will be recorded so participants can review it at their own pace. There will also be opportunities to join up with existing creative communities for networking sessions.

The course is free to any resident of Devon and more information is available at: <https://bipc.librariesunlimited.org.uk/the-art-of-business/>

## [Art of Business - Business & IP Centre Devon](#)

Introducing: The Art of Business. Really Good resources for Devon Creatives. Join us for a month of free events throughout July, in Exeter, in Barnstaple and online. Aimed at Devon's creative community, this short programme is delivered by experts in marketing, publishing, sculpting, photography and film.

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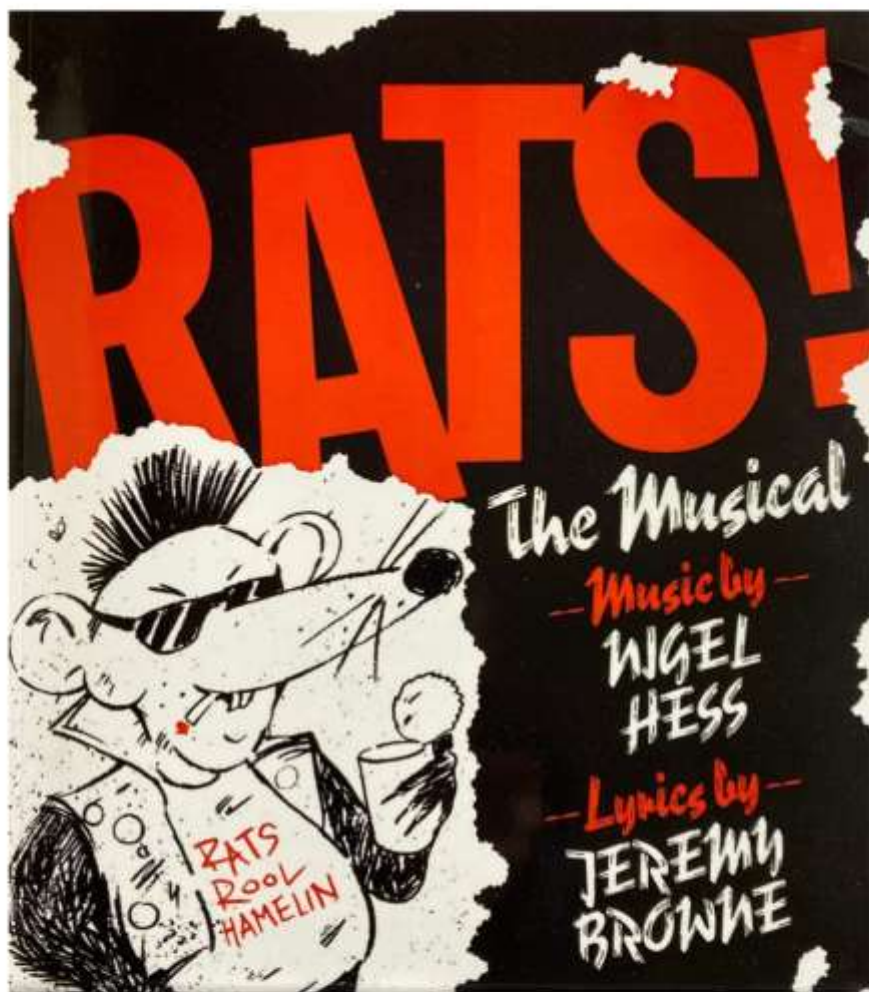


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# Young Community Theatre 4All



A Drama group for children in  
school years 4 to 9

## About Young Community Theatre 4All

Following the highly successful Community Theatre 4All production of "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat" in March 2020 when a cast of 30 adults were joined by 20 children it was obvious that we needed to open a group for younger members. After a long pause, caused by Covid, the children's group was formed in October 2021 and gave their first performance of an original piece based upon the children's book "Where the Wild Things Are" by Maurice Sendak.

Next year the group will be working on a major piece of children's musical theatre called "Rats!" - an up-beat retelling of the story of "The Pied Piper of Hamlyn". Rehearsals for this show will begin in October.

For children who wish to be involved in "Rats!" this is the time to join the group, to come and make friends and discover what working with Frances and me is like. In the months of May, June and July the group will meet in Talaton Parish Hall from 4.30 to 5.30 on the first Tuesday of the month. Each of these summer sessions will be independent of the others, so if your son/daughter is unable to attend one of the sessions that is not a problem. There will be no meetings in August or September and from October the group will meet every Tuesday in Talaton Parish Hall, initially from 4.30 to 5.30 but then as rehearsals develop the group will go on to 6.00pm. There will be no charge for the Summer Term 'Taster Sessions' but in the Autumn and Spring terms there will be a charge of £25 per term to cover hall hire fees and contribute towards the production expenses.

Young Community Theatre 4All is lead by Tom and Frances Samson, both experienced retired teachers. Tom was a Drama and Theatre teacher and both Tom and Frances have enhanced DBS clearance.

For this project the group will be joined by Julia Green. Julia is well known and respected for her musical work in Whimple, the surrounding villages and in Exeter.

Tom Samson



A Helping Hand When You Need It Most

Ottery Help Scheme is launching its 30th anniversary celebrations this month. 30 years supporting the local community is a great achievement for all staff, volunteers, trustees and supporters!

### **30th Anniversary Events**

We are looking to raise awareness of the Ottery Help Scheme at a number of up-and-coming events. One way we are hoping to do this is by engaging the community in small activities, that will attract sponsorship or donations, based around challenging yourself to do 30 of something, anything! This could be a mentally stimulating activity such as 30 cross-words in 30 days, to a personal physical challenge of 30 miles on your bike, or 30 walks around your garden. The possibilities are immense! We hope younger children might get involved, challenging themselves to read 30 books, or learn 30 new words in 30 days, or a physical challenge with friends. Our aim is to promote overall wellbeing whether you are 5 or 85, through any activity which stretches you.

Get your friends and family to sponsor you, or donate to OHS, to mark your endeavours and support the local community: it's a win-win situation! Please contact the OHS office to get more details and a sponsor form:

- Tel. 01404 813041
- Email. [info@otteryhelpscheme.org.uk](mailto:info@otteryhelpscheme.org.uk)

We already know that one OHS volunteer has decided to challenge themselves to walking 30 miles in a day, endeavouring to walk between all the localities supported by OHS. Please look out for a black Labrador and a white-haired walker in your area on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June!



## Rainfall at the Cobblers & Parish Hall 100 Club

### Rainfall at the Cobblers in Talaton during May

Most of May was quiet and rather unsettled and showery for much of the time. Temperatures were mostly above average in the UK, and some parts of England and Wales were slightly drier than expected.

May however according to the Met Office was the 5<sup>th</sup> Warmest May according to records going back to 1884.

The mean temperature in the UK was 11.8C up by 1.2C. The rainfall in England and Wales was near or rather below the average. A maximum temperature of 27.50C was recorded at Heathrow on the 17<sup>th</sup>, and a minimum of -1.7C was Recorded at Atanaharra in Sutherland in Scotland on 7<sup>th</sup>. In 24 hours 65.40m or 2.61 inches of rain fell at Honister in Cumbria on the 10<sup>th</sup>.

Here in Talaton we had 56m or 2,24 inches of rain; there were 15 days with no rain and our total now stands at 9.15 inches for the year.

ANNE BOLES

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The draw for the June took place on the 6th drawn by Kathy Gray.

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## **Otter Valley Dementia Awareness Group formerly The Dementia Steering Group for Ottery St Mary and surrounding communities**

We are pleased to announce our new title based on it being less cumbersome and we hope more inclusive of all the parishes which we reach out to.

Working in conjunction with Ottery Help Scheme all our efforts coincide with developments of this very well recognised and accepted group in our community especially as OHS recognises its 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

The Otter Valley Dementia Awareness Group now take the lead on the running of the Memory Cafe held at the Cricket Club. This regular event on the calendar brings individuals together in social and mentally stimulating activities to support those with memory related issues. Partners are welcomed though for some a chance for a bit of time to themselves. Details of the group are available through the OHS office telephone no. 01404 813041.

Our next big event will be on **Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> November** with the theme **Live Well Age Well** this will be an informative day at The Institute with an emphasis on keeping well and active, all the opportunities there are in our community which encourage social, physical and mentally stimulating engagement. Why it is important to keep up regular health checks for men and women, not neglecting failing hearing or changes in vision as well what community voluntary opportunities there are. In all it will be day of displays and a number of short workshops which will be advertising nearer the time. So put the date in your diary and tell your friends and family in and around OSM of what will be a free interesting pop in event with light refreshments. With this newsletter for details nearer the time.

Any queries or suggestions or if you would like to join the Otter Valley Dementia Awareness Group please make contact: Jill Dudding on Email: [jilldudding16@hotmail.com](mailto:jilldudding16@hotmail.com) or Tel: 07999 487537

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**Useful Phone Numbers**

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Ottery St. Mary Hospital	01404 816000
Hall Booking Secretary (Phil Deacon)	01404 822300
Police (to report a crime – non urgent)	101
Talaton Inn	01404 822214
Talaton Community Shop & Post Office	01404 822084
Parish Priest (Marc Kerslake)	01404 822525
Talaton Calendar Editor (Simon Spencer)	01404 822778
Talaton Calendar Production (Arnie James)	01404 47566
Clerk to the Parish Council (Denise Main)	01884 277356 or 07714 442289

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& Post Office Opening Times**

	Shop			Post Office	
	OPEN		CLOSE	OPEN	CLOSE
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<b>Tues</b>	<b>9.00</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1.00</b>		
<b>Wed</b>	<b>9.00</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4.00</b>	<b>2.00</b>	<b>4.00</b>
<b>Thurs</b>	<b>9.00</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1.00</b>		
<b>Fri</b>	<b>9.00</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1.00</b>		
<b>Sat</b>	<b>9.00</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1.00</b>		
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