

The Village Pump Nymet Rowland

August 2025

What's on...

CUPPA & CHAT

The next Cuppa and Chat will be September 2nd, in Nymet Rowland Village Hall.

W.I.

At our next meeting on Wednesday, 10th September, we will be hearing about Devon Air Ambulance.

Non-members are always welcome (£3).

See our programme for the rest of the year:

8 October: Hearing Dogs for the Deaf – Helen Burridge

12 November Christmas Craft – Andrea Mackown

10 December Festive Food – Sue Hosgood.

Non-members are always welcome (£3)

See *also next page*.

W.I. contact Liz Smith 83515

The 'Pump Year' is from July to June, so **subs are now due** if you would like to continue receiving a copy. Please put £3 in an envelope with your name and address, and post through the letterbox of 4, Pitt Court.

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WI

Coldridge WI were the ladies who lunched for July's meeting, and we lunched in style! The River Exe Café, a custom-built restaurant barge floating offshore in the Exe estuary, didn't disappoint. A very popular outing, 17 members enjoyed the perfect weather, stunning views and top notch food, not to mention the fantastic company. It was, to say the least, an afternoon of superlatives and we're not sure how to top the experience for next year.

Find out more about the The River Exe Café here for a special meal out:

<https://www.riverexecafe.com/>

WI is taking a break for August and will recommence on Wednesday, 10th September at 7.30pm in the Village Hall with a talk from Devon Air Ambulance. More details on that nearer the time.

In the meantime, in partnership with Coldridge Gardening Club and St Matthew's Church PCC, we invite everyone to come and celebrate with us at the Coldridge Harvest Festival Weekend on 13th and 14th September. Join us with friends and neighbours to celebrate the harvest, cooler weather and possibly have a slice of cake or two.

New members are always welcome or come as a guest (£3). Meetings are held (with the odd exception - sometimes we're on a boat!) on the second Wednesday of the month at 7.30pm in the Village Hall. Subjects range from charities and local interest groups, cookery demonstrations and craft workshops to the arts and wellbeing. Look out for more information on the village socials. Hope to see you soon.

Lyn Green
WI Secretary

COLDRIDGE GARDENING CLUB

July's meeting was a very interesting and inspiring talk given by Caradoc Doy, professional horticulturist and researcher based in Topsham. The subject was making the most of shady areas in the garden without resorting to paving it over or astroturf. Judging by the almost full turnout

of members, it's a common problem but the talk was packed with ideas for stunning shade-loving plants that would make the darkest corner come alive.

Summer holidays are upon us and Gardening Club is taking a break for the summer and reconvenes in September when the club comes together once again to celebrate the Coldridge Harvest Festival Weekend on 13th and 14th September. This will be a collaborative celebration in partnership with Coldridge WI and St. Matthew's Church PCC. Save the date; this celebration is open to all to welcome the season of mellow fruitfulness to our village. Look out for details on the socials coming soon!

If you are not (yet!) a member of the Coldridge Gardening Club, and would like to see what it's all about, please drop us a line on coldridgegardeningclub@ecomail.uk for more details.



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NYMET ROWLAND**

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Arthur

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