

# The Shop

July 2017

**Kennerleigh and District Community Stores Ltd**



## Volunteers Volunteer for Cream Tea

Our Volunteers Cream Tea afternoon in June went well. We had beautiful weather and eager youngsters serving glasses of prosecco on arrival with a big spread of cakes and scones! Volunteers had the chance to catch up and swop stories of Kennerleigh Shop life. The raffle was won by Sarah Jackson and all the volunteer surveys have been read and results presented to the next Management Committee.

Kate, our Shop Manager, was delighted with the turnout and hopes all volunteers felt appreciated and had a relaxing afternoon!

## 2nd Outing for Safari Supper

Hold the date!

**2nd September** will be the next Safari Supper.

## Stop Press

**Lunch time opening is now here.**

*By popular demand, the Shop will be open every Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday lunch times. Our magnificent volunteers have rallied round to provide a rota. Join in if you can!*

# Notes from our manager



We have been warmly welcomed into the summer months with some lovely sunny weather. As well as our ice creams, we also stock a range of refreshing Sandford Orchards ciders, chilled rosé and white wine in the fridges, and a range of nibbles to accompany your summer evenings.

BBQs are well catered for with a range of sausages, pork and beef burgers (some special items need pre-ordering so please let us know in good time). Frozen beef mince, steaks and pork sausages remain on a **10% off offer** – just find them on the bottom shelf of the freezer.

Thanks to Peter Ellis we have a new email address: [shop@kennerleigh.com](mailto:shop@kennerleigh.com).

Both Jo and I can access these every day.

Martin Binks has also fashioned us a drop-down wooden stand (much ap

preciated!) for plants and seasonal produce. It looks great and we have sold many trays of summer bedding, herbs and seedlings that Lydcott Nursery are providing from just a couple of miles away at **better than** garden centre prices!

Independent shops like us are finding it harder and harder to stay afloat. We rely on good produce, good service and good customers! If you haven't visited us for a while please come and have a browse.

Regular orders for newspapers, bread and milk are really useful for us to increase footfall but also if you only need a can of Coke and a Mars bar - every purchase makes a difference.

Thanks and enjoy the summer,

**Kate Povey**

## Ice Creams Galore

*With more hot weather to come (!!) the shop's freezer holds many ice-creams and lollies including Magnums, Cornettos and Calippos. We also stock Kelly's Cornish Ice-Cream and local company Rookbeare's delicious sorbets and flavoured ice-creams*

## **Gluten Free.**

Stevie B's bread arrives on a Friday and gluten-free loaves can be pre-ordered on a Tuesday morning.

Other tantalising loaves (not gluten-free) on a Friday will often include olive wheels, cheese wheels, farmhouse organic white plus pies and pasties.

Please ask for the product list if you want to order anything specific.

## **Calling all Children!**

*We now stock a range of books for pre- and young primary school children. Written and illustrated by Tracey Elliott Reep. They are a lovely set of animal stories with titles from Thunder the*



Foal to Ruby the Red Hen. £4.80

## **New Arrivals**

- Fusilli with spinach from La Terra e il Cielo (an Italian cooperative), only £2.49
- Whole Earth Luscious Organic Red Fruit Crunch, only £3.60
- Nairns Super Seeded Organic Oatcakes, £1.89
- Maretta Bruschette Bites (Tomato, Olive and Oregano), only 99p.
- We also now stock a salad dressing! Do try Mary Berry's Honey & Balsamic Vinaigrette, £2.99

**Coffee to Go...  
Going Fast**

For £1.50, we offer a range of takeaway and drink-in coffees and tea. We welcome people stopping by for a cuppa! Perhaps with a doughnut on Wednesday, fresh from Chulmleigh Bakery, or a fruit-filled flapjack from Crediton's Peck & Strong?

# Shop Opening Hours

	9am to 1pm	2 to 5pm
Monday		Closed
Tuesday	Open All	Day
Wed	Open All	Day
Thurs		Closed
Friday	Open All	Day
Saturday		Closed

## Reasons to Shop Local: No. 5

*You are providing a market for local producers where they can get a fair price. Most local food producers are small businesses which cannot, at least at the start, distribute more widely. So local food outlets help existing and new businesses to grow and bring new products to market too.*

Shop Tel: 01363 866452

Email: [shop@kennerleigh.com](mailto:shop@kennerleigh.com)

Website: <http://kennerleigh.com>

## Fundraiser

This year's Christmas fundraiser is going to be a calendar, 'vintage themed'! Last year's calendar of local scenes was sold out before the new year. We are sure that many of you have some old photos of local people, places, events – fascinating social history that would be great to share on a calendar. Please email any digitised versions to [petescottsmith@gmail.com](mailto:petescottsmith@gmail.com) or hand them over to Jo in the shop.

## Sunny Side Up!

Our solar panels are providing us with a small but steady income. First quarter gave us £25.40, second quarter £51.00.