



Carn Brea Parish Council

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***LET'S CELEBRATE THE PEOPLE WHO
MAKE CARN BREA PARISH SHINE!
NOMINATE SOMEONE TODAY!***



We are proud to announce that nominations are now open for the Annual Parish Awards 2026, celebrating outstanding individuals who make our community thrive. Nominees don't need to live in Carn Brea Parish but their actions must benefit someone within the parish or have a positive impact on the wider community here.

We have the following awards and full details of the criteria for nomination and how to nominate can be found on our website or by contacting the parish office. Contact details can be found on the back page of this newsletter:

- **Clarence Coombe Memorial Award**

Recognising lifelong service, personal achievement or acts of courage that have made a lasting impact.

- **Chris Jordan Local Achievement Award**

Honouring individuals who have gone above and beyond in charitable work or community service.

- **Marise Levenson Memorial Award**

Celebrating young people under 18 who have shown exceptional kindness, leadership or community service.

- **Malcolm Moyle Memorial Award**

Recognising volunteers who have provided exceptional support to the Council or helped deliver services that benefit the wider community.

Nominations must be received by 7th April 26 & awards will be presented at the Annual Parish Meeting on 11th May 26.



Before



After

The beloved Book Share Phone Box in Penhallick Row has a fresh new look! Originally adopted by Community Heartbeat, this iconic red kiosk has now been officially transferred to Carn Brea Parish Council.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to Community Heartbeat for their generous support in facilitating the transfer, and for securing a donation of paint from the British Coatings Federation. Thanks to their efforts, and that of our Grounds Person with the assistance of Cllr. John Paton, the Council has been able to rejuvenate the phone box, restoring it to its former glory and preserving its place as a cherished community feature.



Refurbished bench at Carn Brea Village:

We're excited to share that the bench at Carn Brea Village has had a well deserved refurbishment!

This bench has long been a place for rest, reflection and conversation. Whether you've paused there on a sunny walk or shared stories with a friend, it's a small but meaningful part of the community landscape.

The refurbishment included new woodwork, a fresh coat of paint and improvement stability making it both beautiful and safe.

Thanks to the Grounds Person for lovingly restoring the bench to ensure it remains a welcoming spot for years to come.



Operation Litter Pick: Community Power in Action!



Over the past month, our community has come together to tackle litter head on and the results have been inspiring!

We kicked off our first Community Litter Pick at Four Lanes on 29th September 25, followed by a second event at Pool on 28th October 25, perfectly timed with half-term break. These cleanup missions were more than just bin bags and gloves, they were a celebration of teamwork, care for our environment and local pride.

While we can't thank every individual personally, please know that your support and help are greatly appreciated. A special shout out goes to the 1st Pool Brownies, whose energy and enthusiasm helped us collect a staggering amount of litter. You were amazing!

Huge thanks to Carn Brea Leisure Centre and Four Lanes Methodist Church for generously providing facilities as the base of operations. Your support helped make the day smooth and successful.

We are also deeply grateful to Clean Cornwall, who supplied all the equipment and handled the removal of the many bags of rubbish we gathered. Your partnership is invaluable.

Want to make a difference? Join us next time! Whether you're a seasoned picker or just curious, your hands and heart are welcome. Let's keep our streets, parks, and paths clean because every crisp packet picked up is a step toward a greener tomorrow.





Supporting our Community: Grant Awards from Carn Brea Parish Council

We remain committed to enhancing the quality of life for residents by supporting local community groups through our grant programme. Grants are financial contributions awarded to voluntary, charitable and community organisations to help fund specific projects or activities that benefit the parish.

If your group is interested in applying, full details about eligibility and what can and cannot be funded are outlined in our Grant Policy, available on our website or by contacting the Council Offices. Contact details can be found on the back page of this newsletter.

At our October Full Council meeting we were pleased to award:

- £2,000 to Four Lanes Snooker Club.

This grant will support essential repairs and upgrades at the Four Lanes and Pencoys Snooker Club. The improvements aim to bring the facilities up to the high standard achieved during their previous renovation.

- £2,000 to YMCA Cornwall

This funding contributes to their project to build four new flats, providing safe and stable housing for disadvantaged young people, many of whom have experienced repeated setbacks from both family and institutional systems.

We're proud to support initiatives that make a meaningful difference in our community.

LEST WE FORGET



We would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to everyone who joined us for the Service of Remembrance on Sunday 2nd November 2025. Your presence made the occasion truly meaningful and we are deeply grateful for the time, care and compassion you shared with us.

The service was a poignant moment to reflect, honour and remember those we have lost.

Special thanks go to Redruth Town Band for playing the hymns and last post, Father Peter for officiating and Tom French for assisting with making arrangements as the Parade Marshall.



Annual Parish Meeting
Come along and
have your say

The Annual Parish Meeting will take place on
11th May 26 at 7 pm at Treloweth Community Hall, Pool,
Redruth, Cornwall, TR15 3QB.

This is an opportunity for the Parish Council and other
local organisations to present what they have been
doing over the last year.

At the Annual Parish Meeting we will present awards,
receive Carn Brea Parish Council's Annual Report, invite
local organisations to give a report and provide
residents of Carn Brea Parish the opportunity to raise
any matters of interest or concerns.

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