

APCM Reports for Uplyme Church - 2024

Parish News

We have continued with producing 12 issues of the magazine this past year, and it has been a good year supported by the community.

Advertising has been pretty steady, and like 2022/3 we have lost and gained a few over the year. The treasurer has taken on the invoicing of the advertising revenue, which helps to remove a burden I was struggling with.

I still get good feedback from the community regarding the magazine and many of the clubs and societies find it invaluable to get their information out. "Eco Corner" has expanded recently and the message to look after the environment is a main feature now.

Our printers suddenly stopped trading this year and we have moved to Axminster Printing Ltd who stepped up and saved us. A new look magazine and an eco friendly carbon footprint - what could be better.

AVMC Saturday Football

This will be my last report on the Football group as I have stepped down as the main leader. Fletch Hulbert has taken over and is doing a sterling job with Dave (x2), Stephen & Elias as his helpers.

The group has been thin on numbers, but it is beginning to build again which is encouraging and the leaders and helpers are very keen to keep it going and develop it.

We started in September and finish at the end of April and work on two sites Sept-Dec Uplyme Playing field. Jan - March Axminster 3G pitch & finally April back in Uplyme. This works very well and preserves the KG5 field over the winter period.

I want to say thank you to all the helpers and encouragement I have had over the years of running the group (about 24 I believe) and it was a complete surprise that at one of the Sunday services I was called to the front of the church thanked and given a truly splendid gift. - Thank you.