

Tincombe Tea Party Report 2023

The Tincombe Tea Party took place on the afternoon of 26th August 2023 for the third year running, thanks to local sponsors and grant funding from Saltash Town Council.

The afternoon was a great success; even the sudden down pours did not put people off. Over the afternoon it is estimated we had more than 1000 visitors with around 150 at any one time. This was our most successful year raising nearly £700.

The Tea Party saw around 15 stalls from very local small businesses, who all reported they had a good afternoon.

This year the Sunset Swing Band returned, along with Peter Mancini, our MC for the day. We were also entertained by the Saltash U3a Ukulele Group, making their debut appearance.

Once again Tincombe Park was graced by Thomas Tingcombe, who owned the land 250 years ago. Thomas only appears once a year and only to visit this event! This year Cllr David Yates transformed himself into Thomas and played a convincing role, lording it around all afternoon! Thank you David.

To our volunteers at Tincombe the highlight of the day was meeting the Mayor and Mayoress, Richard and Sarah Bickford who walked around eager to chat with them.

Many thanks to Saltash Town Council for supporting this event.



We like to let people know that Saltash Town Council fund and support this event. Here's a few ways we have done just that including on our notice boards, website, social media and in the Saltash Observer and on Saltash Radio.

You're Invited to
The Tincombe
Tea Party



Featuring

The Sunset Swing Band

Local Singers

Craft Stalls

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Children's Activities

Bring a Picnic



Tincombe Green

August 26th 2023 - 12pm to 5pm



Grant funding by
Saltash Town Council



Chairman Peter Ryland Keeping us Updated ...

I, I am almost at the end of another year as chairman of the Saltash Chamber of Commerce. Our AGM is in October, so the meeting was the last of an eventful, busy

most visible activities is the Christmas Festival, signals the Christmas period. Delivering this community for I'm pleased that the Town Team will be looking to deliver a scheme that will be a happy compromise for all, but the scale will depend on our success in unlocking funding opportunities.

Many people have commented favourably on the diversity of trade in the town but the news that Lloyds is to close means that there will no longer be a bank here. The Chamber is considering what action to take so that its members do not have to go to Plymouth for their banking requirements. But although we will, probably, not have a bank we do have a butcher, a jeweller, a bookshop, a pet shop and a grocer in the town centre. Many towns have lost them completely or they are out of town.

Chamber members have also played an active role in Safer Saltash (which helps to make Saltash a safer place), Saltash Scrapstore (which helps to keep items out of landfill and helps funding community projects such as the Lantern Parade at the Christmas Festival) and CEPL12 (which helps to provide fresh food and meals for those in need).

The Chamber has a diverse membership, and would love to have more members from the business community so that we can continue to support our businesses and continue to take an active role in the decisions that impact and shape our community.

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Tincombe Tea Party Celebrates Environmental Enhancement



The Tincombe Tea Party is fast becoming a Saltash tradition, and the latest edition of this annual event was enjoyed on a Saturday in August that was generally sunny, although scattered light showers saw some people taking shelter under gazebo cover. Thomas Tingcombe, the 18th century squire who bequeathed Tincombe Park to the borough of Saltash, made a guest appearance, his wig kept dry by his fine tricorne hat. People said that this year he bore an uncanny resemblance to Councillor David Yates.

The Friends of Tincombe provided a bug hunt for younger visitors, while collaboration with Cornwall Wildlife Trust gave young and not so young the chance to make a bird feeder or spider catcher. The delightful variety of craft stalls celebrated local skills ranging from jewellery to photography and walking sticks. Meanwhile, there was a continual queue to sample the tasty home-made cakes.

Entertainment was provided for the third year, by popular request, by the Sunset Swing Band, while local crooner Peter Mancini also made a welcome return, his mellow numbers well attuned to a summer's afternoon. Newcomers Ukes 3 A, a ukulele group based within Saltash u3a and playing in public for only the second time, gave a well-appreciated performance that resonated with fun.

"We are grateful to Saltash Town Council for giving us a grant to host this Tea Party", said James Jenkins, Chair of Friends of Tincombe. "It has given us the chance to bring the community together and promote our work enhancing this beautiful 12-acre green space." Recent projects led by the Friends include the

installation of a picnic table donated by Tamar Landscaping Ltd, and an environmentally friendly bench made by volunteers from pallets. The Friends will be making a 'stumpery', a home for plant and animal life built of logs, to add to the 'hibernacula', a home for amphibians to pass the winter.

The Friends of Tincombe also hold Easter, Christmas and other seasonal events along with regular Tree Walks and Wildflower Walks. If you would like to get involved at Tincombe Park, the volunteers meet on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of every month, 10am at Tincombe Green (PL12 4PY). Just come along!

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James Jenkins ► Saltash Group

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This Saturday between 12 and 5pm the [Tincombe Tea Party](#) is back for a 3rd year 😊

THIS YEAR WE HAVE LOTS OF VERY LOCAL CREATIVE CRAFT STALLS, FABULOUSLY SUPERB MUSIC AND PLENTY OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE CHILDREN. BRING A PICNIC AND COMPLIMENT IT WITH A CUP OF TEA AND A CAKE WHICH WILL BE AVAILABLE AT OUR TEA TENT.

The [Tincombe Tea Party](#) only happens due to the amazing generosity of the Saltash people, of local businesses and the Grant funding that Saltash Town Council donates to this event.

COME ALONG, BRING THE FAMILY, MEET UP WITH FRIENDS OLD AND NEW!



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James Jenkins
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Tincombe Tea Party
Tincombe Green
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SAT, 12 AUG

Tidy up for the Tea Party :)
Bramble Walk

SAT, 12 AUG

Making a bench from pallet
Bramble Walk for Friends of Tincombe

SAT, 19 AUG AT 10:00

Meadow Cutting & Raking
Tincombe Green for Friends of Tincombe

Tincombe Tea Party - 26th Aug...

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Saltash Community Space

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Tincombe Tea Party – 26th August 2023

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This year we have the **Sunset Swing Band** back to impress us with their musical amusement!
We also have a **Ukulele group** playing and **Peter Mancini** who will sing some retro songs!
Please bring a picnic, tea, coffee & cake is on offer to help raise funds for the park.

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James Jenkins (Chair)
Friends of Tincombe