

Young at heart club

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"We are delighted to let all our members know that we are now planning the re-opening of the Young at Heart Club."



Lloyd and Diana are currently in discussion with the Hall Committees at Uplowman and Burlescombe and we hope to have some dates to put in your diary which will be announced in the next Newsletter. The Young at Heart Club committee have proposed that we organise a **Tea Party** to celebrate this momentous event. The re-opening is subject to the continued success in the countries fight against the Coronavirus Pandemic. We thank everyone for their patience and know that this news of re-opening will come as a great relief to so many. We can't wait to see new and existing members soon!

Mags is a Celebrity!

The **Tiverton Gazette** had a feature about the Young at Heart Club "**ChitChat**" service. New club member Mags was interviewed by a reporter. The article was also placed on the Devon Live website for everyone in the World to see! Thank you, Mags, for your kind words.



Mid Devon club provides a lifeline to lonely pensioners

A 70-YEAR old woman from Tiverton has said that a lonely people have been left feeling isolated and unconnected during the coronavirus pandemic. Last year, Marguerite Pawley met consistently online as Mags - moved to Devon from Hampshire. Although she has family around her, Mags said she did not have many friends and when the pandemic hit she made the decision to join the Young at Heart Club. The club - set up by Lloyd and Diane Nade - is an incredible non-profit organisation which aims to target loneliness within the elderly. When the pandemic hit, the club launched a new service to help its members through lockdown, including a service and Chit Chat. Chit Chat is a service which allows members to speak with one another on the phone and Mags said Lloyd had described it as a complete success. Mags said: "The annual reunion on the other end picks up the phone and you feel someone say 'hello' you don't feel quite as alone anymore." As a very excited person, I was so happy to meet my Devonian friend. I could meet new friends. "Sadly with lockdown I haven't had the chance to meet people in person yet, but the Young at Heart Club has been a lifeline with the Tuesday telephone Chit Chat. "This pandemic has made many people feel like they are unloved and unneeded. It really does hurt my day, even if it is just to hear it makes all the difference." Mags said that over the course of the last year the role of the Young at Heart Club was "vital".

Do you remember some of these club events?



Steam Train Outing



Fancy Dress
Movie Day



Black & White Day



BBC's (Ben McGrail) visited

Late Spring Flowers in the "Yorkes Garden"



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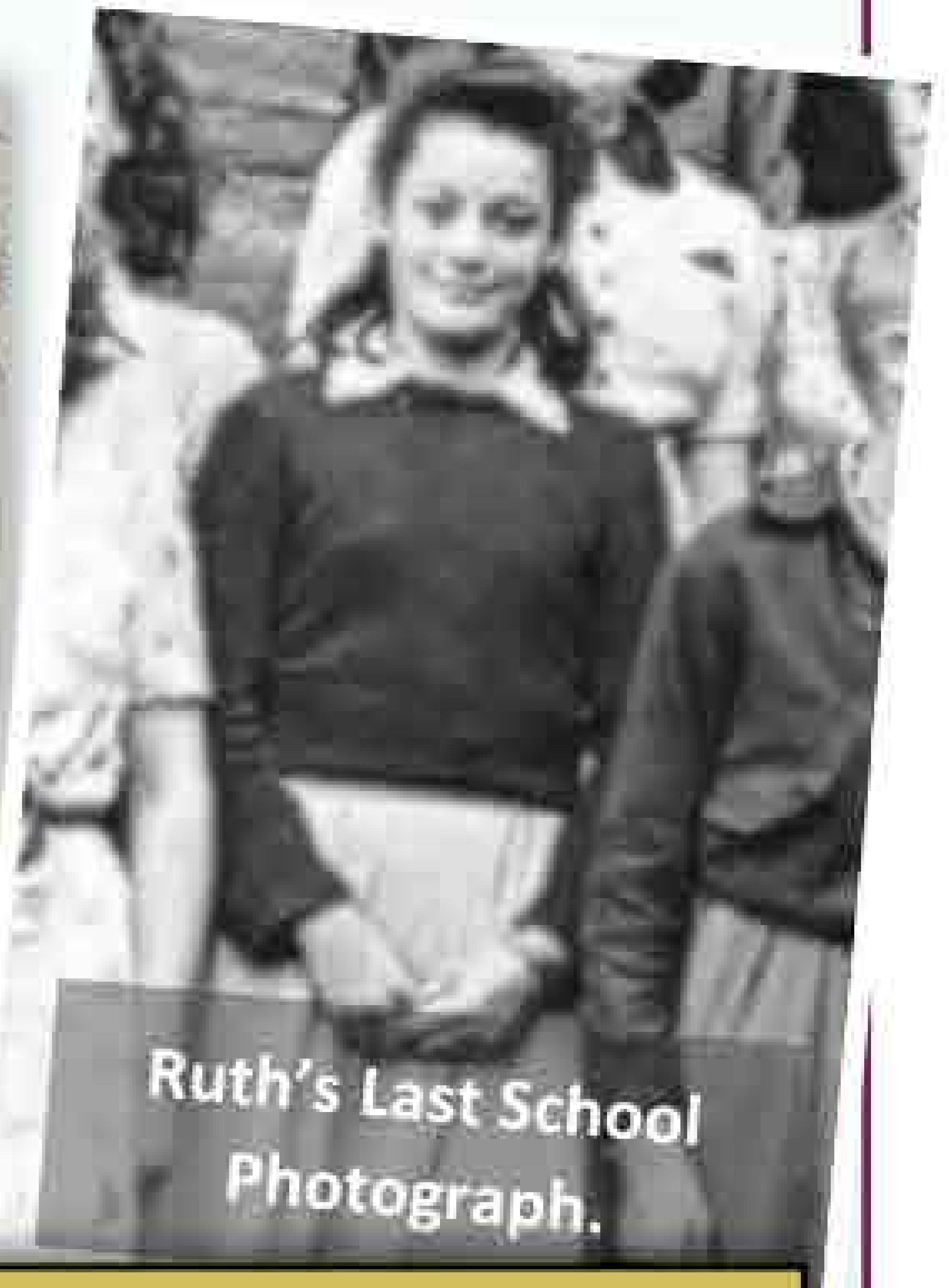
NEW FEATURE



This month "In The Spotlight" features our lovely club member **RUTH** who lives in Tiverton.



Ruth's First School Photograph.



Ruth's Last School Photograph.

What are Ruth's favourite things?

- Colour = Purple
- TV Program = Police Interceptors
- Food/Meal = Roast Lamb
- Drink = Cup of Tea
- Film = Anything with Norman Wisdom
- Actors = Dirk Bogarde
- Subjects at School = Craftwork
- Hobbies/Interests = Watching snooker and Knitting.



"My proudest moment was winning the "Top of Class" Cup in School and my first job when I left school was a Nursery Nurse".



"Ruth's favourite animal /bird is the OWL"

Places I have visited.

I was born in Dulverton. I have visited my sister in Ireland and had a holiday in Spain for six weeks over Christmas.

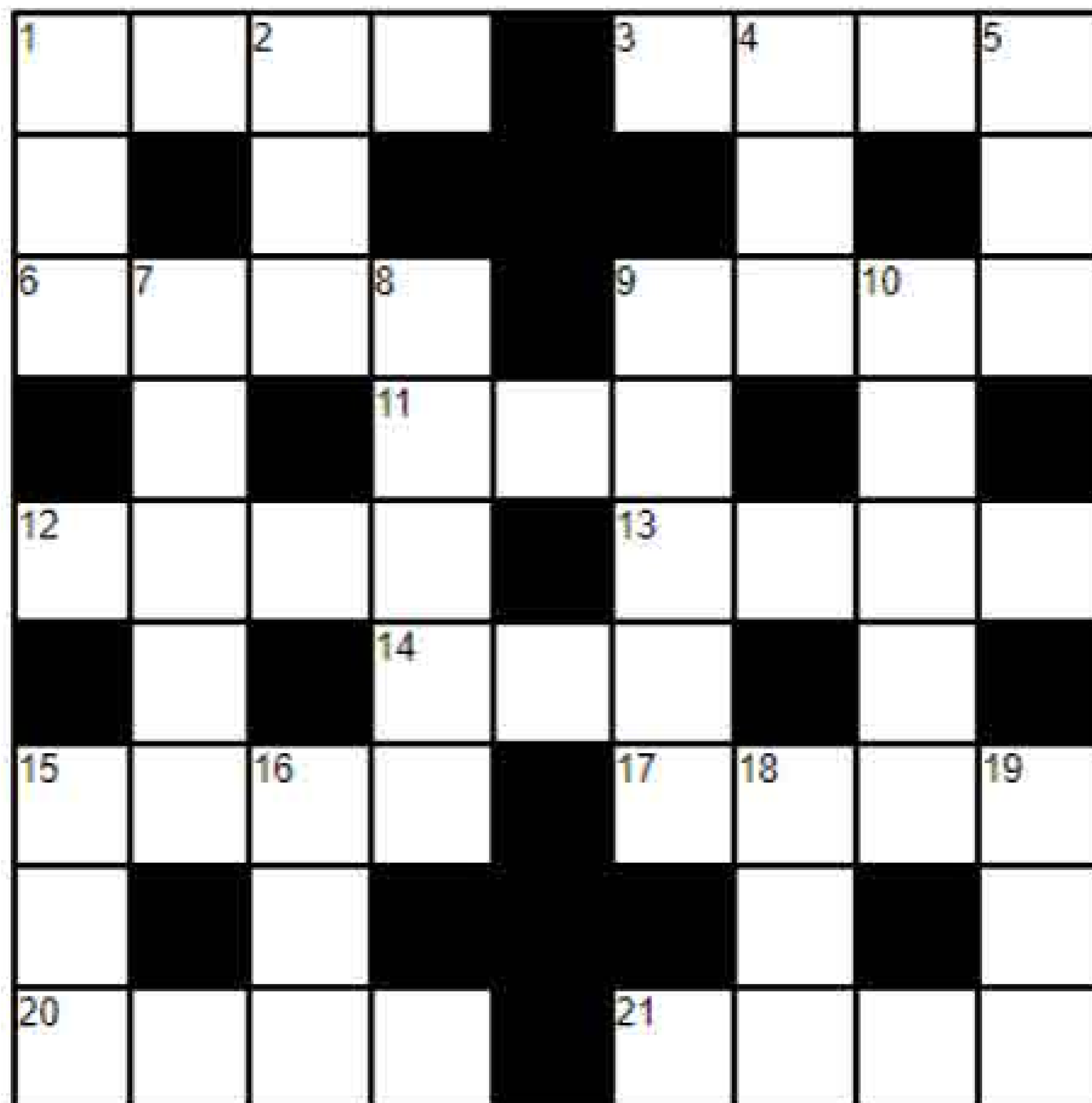


"Well Fancy That"

"For several years I was on the entertainment committee for the Royal British Legion Club organising darts/skittles matches and dances for charity. I especially enjoyed the Fancy Dress dances where I always made mine and my husband's costumes and we proudly came first most of the time."

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Fun & Games



Across

1. Remote control button
3. Ocean motion
6. Hiker's route
9. Location
11. Furniture wood
12. Rouse
13. Desertlike
14. A dwarf
15. Corp. VIP
17. Toy with a tail
20. Big klutzes
21. At this spot

Down

1. Soda drink
2. Small insect
4. Boxer Laila
5. The night before an event
7. Later on
8. Elephant groups
9. Strike sharply
10. "___ and Shout"
15. Expert
16. Sprite
18. I have (contraction)
19. Farm female



WORD SEARCH

L A Y D E K C A T T A
 P E L S F F I K S A R
 T L B U D L E B A L K
 S B A C U B U O F S B
 I I R S N N Q F U S N
 L G O I T C I P U R V
 E E M D Y I P S T E B
 V L E B U L C L P T S
 O F M U I N L I R N M
 N Y I E L O N K T E E
 I M R T B S R E K Y G

QUIZ



1. What is the capital city of Belgium?
2. What are the 3 colours of the Italian flag?
3. How many sides does a Hexagon have?
4. What year was the first Apollo Moon landing?
5. What was a Penny Black?

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Quiz Solutions

11 years 209 days
Watergate
Nelson Mandela House



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 GEMS LABEL LEGIBLE MEMORABLY
 NOVELIST PIQUE PLASTICITY SKIFF SNIPE
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