

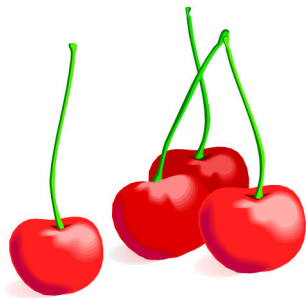
# CHERRY FEAST 2023 ... what is it?



As most long term residents know, the Cherry Feast is a community project which raises money to support the Fabric Fund of the two Grade 1 listed churches of St Mellion and Pillaton. Prior to the pandemic it had been run by a core team of around eight people, with many other volunteers who would step up on the day to help with this major fundraising effort.

Its history goes back to when cherries grew throughout the Tamar Valley; after the harvest, the locals would get together for a celebration. In more recent times it has taken on the form of a traditional village fete with stalls, teas and entertainments.

We plan to run the Cherry Feast again in 2023 on Sunday 2nd July at Bush Farm; will you help us to restore this community event? We need some new team members with new ideas to complement our existing format. Please contact me if you are interested.



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