



# PLUM

**Puddletown Library, Upkeep and Maintenance**



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☆ **OUR chairman (above) proudly shows**  
☆ **the newly installed computers,**  
☆ **securely stored in our specially**  
☆ **strengthened cupboard (right).**  
☆ More on what they will be used for overleaf.  
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## One good turn deserves another

'ONE OF THE rewards of village life,' says chairman Mike Chaney, 'is the way people help each other. Because we know each other's needs we can spot when a good turn needs doing.' That spirit has certainly helped this organisation, says Mike. When Puddletown carpenter Steve Brown heard we needed a cupboard built to

store our computers he offered to build it, just for the cost of the materials. 'My wife and daughter love the library,' says Steve. 'so when I heard that the Friends are teaching people how to use the library's computers, or their own, I thought it was an idea well worth supporting.' Steve can be reached on 849377.

## A date for the diary...

**PLEASE NOTE** that the 2010 annual general meeting of the Friends is to be held in the library on **Thursday 25 February** at 7.30.

Our chairman, Mike Chaney, though willing to offer himself for re-election, if pressed, says he feels his increasing decrepitude will soon mean his having to step down. He says that even the buzz of having his picture in *Plum* can't mask the fact that he can no longer easily walk to the library.

Nominations for his job and all others will be taken at the meeting, when there will be the usual reports on our activities during the past year and the state of our finances. And, as usual, our treasurer, Stephen Buck, will remind you all that **your subs are now due (£5 or £8 for couples at the same address)**. Stephen is at 3 High St.

## ...and a jog for your memory

We have been asked to help with a project that seems likely to stimulate a great interest among our members. **Age Concern Dorchester is being funded to create an archive of local memories — and the woman in charge tells me she has so far got no recollections**

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