



# THE TISBUS TIMES



from Tisbury & District Community Minibus Ltd

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## Way out in Weymouth



TISBUS members enjoyed a great day out on the beach in Weymouth in July. Bikinis and ice cream were the order of the day.

## Tisbury is *the* place to be

Trustees Steven Beaumont, Martin Ryan and Gordon Sorensen represented TISBUS at the successful Nadder Centre Community Open Day which showcased a wide range of community groups and activities available for local residents.



## November Members Meeting

Excitement looms for TISBUS members with a surprise trip down Memory Lane coming their way at the November members meeting. You'll need to attend to see what's in store. Contact the TISBUS coordinator to reserve your place.

## Around the World on TISBUS



This year TISBUS minibuses travelled more than 25,000 miles, the distance around the Earth at the equator...

### CHANGING THE GUARD

More changes at TISBUS.  
See page 2 for details.

### TISBUS CHRISTMAS LUNCH

16 December at Penruddocke Arms, Dinton. See page 3 for details.

Please book by 01 December.

Check out the TISBUS calendar on page 3, and sign up for your next adventure.



# CHANGING THE GUARD

Important changes to the *TISBUS* board were confirmed at the AGM in July.



**ANNE RALPHS**, well-known extreme gardener and LINK driver, was welcomed as the new *TISBUS* Secretary. Anne brings wide ranging communications and legal expertise to the board. She previously worked as a teacher and as a senior geography editor at the educational publishers Macmillan before doing her Bar exams and practicing law for 25 years. She was appointed a Recorder in 1996, a post she held until 2017. Since 1979 Anne has lived in Tisbury, then Swallowcliffe and now Tisbury again so she knows the local turf well. She opens her amazing garden on Hindon Lane to the public periodically, enjoys theatre and is a member of the Tisbury Bowls Club.



International traveller **CHRIS EWIN** has joined *TISBUS* from Malaysia after spending 34 years with HSBC working in the financial markets side of the business. Most of his working life has been spent overseas, mainly in the Middle East and Asia, with a period working in asset management and securities services in the UK from 1998–2006. Chris brings much-needed administrative and management skills to *TISBUS*. Chris and his wife Letty returned to the UK and moved to Tisbury in 2018.



Long-serving *TISBUS* Secretary and driver **DON MCLAREN** has relinquished his secretarial driver's seat after nine years in that role. Luckily for *TISBUS*, Don will still keep his hands on the wheel both as a driver and as a trustee-without-portfolio, advising the board on policy and practice and undertaking special projects as needed.

*TISBUS* members and trustees are very grateful for his years of dedication and service and hope Don can find more time now for his large garden and creative projects. Many thanks Don!

**If you'd like to help *TISBUS* please contact Gordon Sorensen, 01747 871717, [chair@tisbus.co.uk](mailto:chair@tisbus.co.uk). We are particularly in need of volunteer drivers now to keep this valuable community service on the road.**

# TISBUS CALENDAR

## WEDNESDAY 02 OCTOBER

### **JHB Jigsaws Puzzle Factory**

Puzzle factory tour costing £8.50  
including tea and cake  
Pick-ups start 12:30am,  
leave venue 4.00 pm  
Bus fare £4.00

## WEDNESDAY 23 OCTOBER

### **Hillbrush Café and Museum, Mere**

Lunch at their restaurant and a  
small shop/museum  
Pick-ups start 10.30am,  
leave venue 2.30pm  
Bus fare £4.00

## WEDNESDAY 06 NOVEMBER

### **The Wyndham Arms, Dinton, lunch**

Pick-ups start 10.30am,  
leave venue 2:30pm  
Bus fare £4.00

## WEDNESDAY 13 NOVEMBER

### **Tisbus Members Meeting, The Nadder Centre, Tisbury**

Pick-ups start 11:00am,  
leave venue 1:30pm  
Free travel

## WEDNESDAY 27 NOVEMBER

### **Clarke's Village, Street, shopping**

Pick-ups start 9.00am,  
leave venue 2.30pm  
Bus fare £8.00

## MONDAY 09 DECEMBER

### **Salisbury (out of town) shopping on the Southampton Road**

A selection of shops to finish  
off your Christmas shopping,  
The Range, Dunelm, B&Q,  
PC World, Next  
Pick-ups start 9.00am,  
leave venue 2.30pm  
Bus fare £6.00

## MONDAY 16 DECEMBER

### **Christmas Lunch, Penruddocke Arms, Dinton**

Pick-ups start 11:00am,  
leave venue 2:30pm  
Two courses £17.95,  
three courses £21.95  
Free travel

**For more, see [tisbus.co.uk](http://tisbus.co.uk)**

**For bookings or enquiries re days out or regular TISBUS shopping trips  
contact Bev Ford Phone 07500 802525 Email [coordinator@tisbus.co.uk](mailto:coordinator@tisbus.co.uk)**

## Regular shopping trips

Every week TISBUS makes shopping runs to Shaftesbury, Salisbury, Gillingham and Warminster, picking up members at their door and returning them home afterwards.

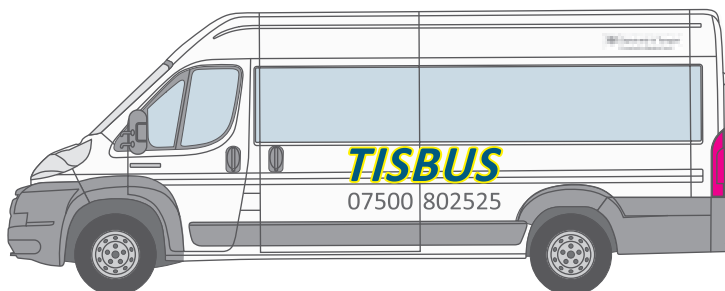
If you'd like to get out of the house, catch up on some errands and pick up a few things, these fun and convenient shopping trips could be just the answer.

See the TISBUS website for schedules and details or contact the TISBUS coordinator.

**To be included on trips, members must confirm their booking by 12.00 noon on the day before travel.**



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## ***TISBUS* NEEDS DRIVERS**

***TISBUS*** needs good volunteer drivers.

Drivers can volunteer to drive whenever it suits them, all they need is a current and clean licence.

**For more information, please contact:**

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