

Wisht Maen

Devon Earth Mysteries Magazine

Tracey Ramsbottom (nee Brown) writes: I produced and edited the Devon earth mysteries magazine Wisht Maen between 1993-1996. Some time Angie Lake, contacted me concerning back copies. I cannot remember how she found me - I think I typed in Wisht Maen to Google and found some hits about it, one of which was on the Portal, so I registered for an account and replied to her. I have since had a few more enquiries about back copies and I have finally got round to scanning them in.

They feature some fantastic artwork by Anna Clarke and some very interesting articles - Nymet placenames, Bow Henge etc, articles by Paul Broadhurst and Jeremy Harte.

I was and am really proud of it and was sorry to leave Devon. There were only five issues but I felt I could no longer produce a magazine about Devon if I did not live there.

Please include my email address on the pages as I would love to make contact with my old subscribers, contributors and artists I now have a different surname from when I edited WM).

I have not been able to trace Anna Clarke, whose artwork was so beautiful, and there's a strong chance she uses your website so it would be wonderful to link up with her again.

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