

What do you know about Redruth?



In June 2014, Kowethas an Yeth Kernewek was given a grant by the Heritage Lottery Fund for the two-year *Taves an Tir* project. *Taves an Tir* means 'the tongue of the land', which is our Cornish language. It's most visible in place names and family surnames which surround us and have been in use for hundreds of years. With a group of volunteers we are investigating both this, our language heritage, and local history. We have a series of events coming up shortly and invite you to help us *Discover Redruth*.

Event dates

(May be subject to change. Please check online at www.tavesantir.org.uk)

28th June: *Guided walk around Redruth.* Meet at Almora, Coach Lane at 2pm. Tea and coffee after the walk. If wet, there will be an indoor illustrated presentation instead. Ring 01209 215917 for directions or for further information.

10th July: *Social evening with Cornish musicians Matthi and Jakki* at Murdoch House, Cross Street, Redruth from 7.30 pm. Come along and chat about *your* Redruth!

24th July: *Kernow Kwiz: Know Kernow, do 'ee?* at the Melting Pot, Krowji. Kwiz starts at 7.30 pm, with prizes presented to the winning teams.

12th September (Pasty Day): *Discover Redruth*, with displays and something for the children. Drop in anytime from 10am to 4pm. Venue to be confirmed.

19th September: *Training day* at the Cornwall Records Office. (Registration required.)

We're also looking for volunteers and there are opportunities for everyone. So if you're interested in Cornish names, know something about Redruth or mining in the area, we'd love to hear from you! If you'd like further information, please telephone our project officer, Rob Simmons, on 07907 462294 or send him an email at tavesantir@gmail.com