

SIBFORD SCENE

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NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 1993

YOUNG SCENE

This month we introduce a new feature in the *Scene* - a section especially for children under 12 years old. This was suggested by, and will be prepared by, a Sibford mother. We wish every success to the *YOUNG SCENE* and hope that parents will encourage their children to join in the competitions, etc and to join the Birthday Club.

Please note a small correction to this month's *YOUNG SCENE* - children whose birthdays are in December or January may join the Birthday Club by 19 November.

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Timothy Wimbush
(Rector)

David Soden & Eric Payne
(Churchwardens)

WELCOME TO SIBFORD - ALL NEWCOMERS

If you have recently joined us and have not yet received a copy of the 'Welcome to Sibford' leaflet, please telephone Petra Berry on Swa. 462 (Gower or Burdrop) or Jane Holliday on Swa. 500 (Ferris) and a copy will be delivered to you. The information will help to make you feel at home - by acquainting you with the services, schools, churches, clubs and societies that are currently active in the villages.

This month we say "Welcome" to:

Sally & Martin Layer, who have moved from Banbury into 'High Peak', Burdrop with 5 year old Jack and 3 year old Ben. Sally is expecting their third child in December. Martin is a geologist and works in Middleton Cheney.

Sally & Ivor Hopkyns, who have returned from Canada into their beautifully renovated home 'Elmridge Farmhouse' in the Gower with Geoff, who is 13 and goes to the Warriner School. They have two other children, Chris & Dan. Geoff is a keen ice hockey player and has joined the ice hockey club in Oxford. Ivor has had family connections with the village for many years.

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NATURE NOTES

Oct. 2nd. When I took a closer look at what I took to be a caterpillar hanging from the greenhouse roof, I found that it was a small charcoal grey Slug, hanging by a thread that was more than two feet long. I do not recall having seen one suspended like this before.

Oct. 6th. To the Isle of Wight for a few days holiday.

Oct. 7th. Although this must be one of the earliest parts of the country, there is still a fair bit of the harvest to be done. It is mostly Linseed and Beans, but I have seen one field with a good fifty acres of Wheat still uncut and a lorry and the combine standing in the field, awaiting an improvement in the weather.

Oct. 8th. While returning from a visit to Ventnor Botanic Gardens we saw a Barn Owl flying along the road to meet us. It came quite close to the car before swerving aside to give us a splendid view of it. I was suprised to see it out before five o'clock, but it is so long since I last saw one that I am out of touch with their habits.

Oct. 10th. Visited Parkhurst Forest where we had been told that Red Squirrels are tame enough to take food from the picnic tables, but being a fine Sunday there were too many people around to have a chance of seeing any. We did however see a flock of Siskins flitting round the Scots Pine trees. These had not necessarily moved down from the north as I understand that some do nest in this area. As far as I could see, every acorn of the English Oaks in the forest had been affected by the grub of the Gall Wasp, which deforms the Acorn so that it looks like a little green rocky mountain, but none of the acorns of the numerous Turkey Oaks were affected. At the edges of the forest rides, the purple flowers of the Devils Bit Scabious were still making a good show. I found one of them which had white flowers.

Oct. 11th. The cliff top walk from Alum Bay to the Old Needles Batteries (old gun emplacements) must be a good one for wild flowers in the summer. Yellow Wort, Small Scabious, Wild Thyme and Common Centaury were still showing some bloom. We also saw one plant of the yellow Horned-Poppy which although not in bloom still carried one of its long seed pods.

Oct. 12th. Home again.

Oct. 14th. The cold north easterly wind, which has replaced the wet weather, brought a flock of about thirty Redwing into trees around me while I was picking apples this morning.

W. I. NEWS and INFORMATION

The Institute did well in the county Produce Shield competitions held at Kidlington in September. Mrs Puddle's presentation of a miniature potting shed in keeping with the theme "Gardeners' World" obtained good marks and Mrs Baadsgaard did well in the jam competition. Craft, cake and flower arrangements also earned good marks, and a great deal of enjoyment emerged from our efforts.

The October meeting took the form of a Flower Arranging Workshop. This was very well organised by Mrs Hutchinson, who first demonstrated how to arrange a round bowl of mixed garden flowers and foliage, and this was followed by a period of intense snipping and fiddling by a dozen members who all managed, with a bit of help, to produce creditable arrangements. It was a most enjoyable experience and Mrs Hutchinson's preparations and guidance were much appreciated. A vote by members awarded 1st prize to Mrs Bristow, 2nd to Mrs Pearlman and 3rd to Mrs Baadsgaard.

Mrs Grasby and Mrs Webb provided tea and refreshments. Mrs Eldred has kindly invited all members for sherry and mince pies at her home on Thursday 11th November.

In November Mrs Milward will give a slide show entitled *Yorkshire II*. She is an accomplished speaker and always worth hearing. She will also judge which member has made the best fruit loaf, so please do make one, and bring it along on Tuesday 9th November at 2pm in the Village Hall.

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!PLEASE NOTE THESE CHANGES in our WINTER PUBLICATION SCHEDULE!

THE DEADLINE for the DECEMBER/JANUARY *SIBFORD SCENE*

will be

*** TUESDAY 30 NOVEMBER ***

THE DEADLINE for the FEBRUARY *SIBFORD SCENE*

will be

*** TUESDAY 18 JANUARY ***

The nominal Publication Dates for these two issues will be
15 December and 1 February

All items or personal adverts for publication can be submitted
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P.T.A. BONFIRE NIGHT
Friday 5 November at 6.30pm

Remember, Remember the 5th November.
We are having a magnificent fireworks display and bonfire on the school playing field. The field will be open at 6.30 with fireworks starting at 7.
There will be plenty of food and drink on offer.
Family tickets at £4.00 from the school in advance or on the night £1.50 for adults and £1.00 for children.

! WANTED - WOOD for PRIMARY SCHOOL BONFIRE !

All contributions of suitable wood, tree thinnings, etc would be gratefully received to help the School's Bonfire grow! But NO 'green' garden rubbish, please.

The bonfire is located on the field above the New School (Upper Site) with parking in the School Car Park.

If you have any queries, please contact Sue Mattinson (471), Thank You

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Please note the change of date for our
CHRISTMAS BAZAAR & JUMBLE SALE

which will now be held on

SATURDAY 4TH DECEMBER from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

in the Village Hall - Admission 20p

(instead of 20 Nov, to avoid clashing with other events)

Stalls will include cakes, books, bottle tombola, crafts, games, toys, bric-a-brac. Refreshments will be available and there will be a raffle. We would be grateful if you would bring, in advance, any unwanted bric-a-brac or jumble to the Playgroup, which operates every week in the Village Hall on Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays between 9 am and 12 noon.

Our recent 50%/50% sale of Children's & Maternity Clothes was a great success, raising a total of £66. Many thanks to all who contributed and, in particular, to Julia Neal and Louise Gill for organising it so well.

Parents with young children may be interested to know that we now take children as young as 2 years for half-sessions and 2½ years for full-sessions, provided they are accompanied by a parent/carer. As before, at 3 years and above, children may be left under the supervision of Playgroup staff. If you would like a brochure giving further details, please phone Sandra Butt on 352.

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Torrential rain did nothing to dampen the spirits of Jonathan Bennett, Simon O'Neill and Matthew Spicer as they all distinguished themselves at the Norman Cowans Six-a-Side Cricket Tournament at Uxbridge last month.

With the likes of Mike Gatting, Chris Lewis and Norman Cowans providing 'test opposition', all three displayed their talents, learnt on the playing fields of Sibford, with performances that will remain long in their memories.

Highlights were:

- for Jonathan, hitting an unbeaten 25 and then retiring, against the team led by Mike Gatting.
- for Simon, clean bowling Norman Cowans with a 'beauty'.
- for Matthew, winning many friends with his 'Sibford heave', and hitting memorable 6's which Chris Lewis, among others, could not reach and for a free-flying bat, which nearly decapitated an umpire!!

All the proceeds were going to charity and Jonathan, Simon and Matthew had a marvellous day, with their 'Pro' for the day, Neil Foster, giving sound advice and technical expertise to enhance their undoubted promise and skills.

The Autumn Annual Averages

Congratulations to the following gentlemen and players.

League.	Batting.	Ron Morbey.	427 runs	Average 32.85
	Bowling.	Nigel Fletcher.	18 wickets.	Average 11.38
Friendly.	Batting.	Adrian Lamb.	131 runs	Average 32.75
	Bowling.	John Simms.	10 wickets.	Average 6.80

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SIBFORD FERRIS PARISH COUNCIL

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If you have views on either of these topics and would like to join in the discussions, please **COME ALONG** to the **NEXT MEETING OF THE COUNCIL - TUESDAY 2ND NOVEMBER AT 8PM IN THE LIBRARY OF THE FRIENDS SCHOOL.** [see page 4 of October Scenel

Pat Romans Clerk SFPC

Harvest Festival at Sibford

I was fortunate to attend the lovely Harvest Thanksgiving Service on Saturday evening, 2nd October. I am not a regular churchgoer and when I saw it advertised I thought 'Well, I'd better go!'. Not the right attitude, I know, but am I glad I went.

Hours before, we had heard of the devastation in India. The Rev. Timothy Wimbush gave a sermon fitting for the occasion, which left me deeply grateful for our food, our shelter and our community.

THANK YOU

A Sibford Parishioner

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MANY THANKS to all those who bought flowers from the Village Shop in aid of the Playarea. A total of £31.50 was raised.

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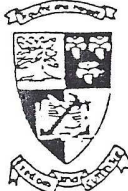
FRIENDSHIP CLUB

* Why not Join Our Shopping Spree to Northampton? *

We had an enjoyable day out when we toured part of the Cotswolds, a pity the weather had not been kinder but at least it was fine when we stopped at Northleach for lunch and a look round this beautiful little Cotswold town.

Our next outing will be a shopping trip to Northampton on Tuesday 16th November leaving Sibford at 10.00 a.m. If anyone would like to join us please contact Mrs. Webb (8211) by Wednesday 10th November if possible.

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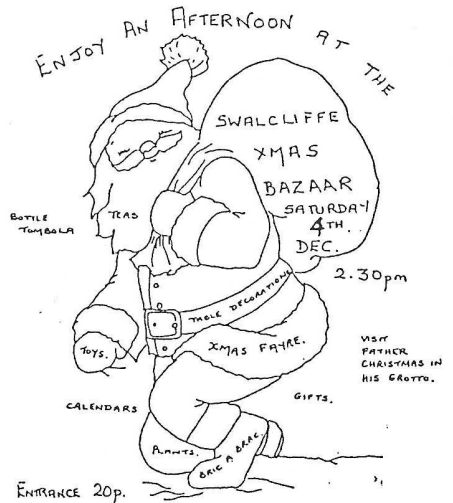
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SIBFORD VILLAGE HALL GRAND QUIZ

Thursday 11 November 7.30pm

Once again it is GRAND QUIZ time - Sibford's answer to Mastermind, Fifteen to One and Trivial Pursuit, except that the answers are given in writing on a TEAM basis and not by individuals. No one has to answer questions in public - you just confer with your team-mates and one scribe writes your answers.

In case you've forgotten, or didn't know, the Quiz works like this:

Teams of up to six people (50p per person) sit round square tables, tastefully arranged in the Hall. Magnus Wimbush reads out the questions, in magisterial tones, from his imposing podium on the stage, so all teams have the same questions.

Every now & then the team answer-papers are collected, the scores calculated and interim totals announced. During such times there are refreshments available, at reasonable prices, to fortify you for the next set of questions. At mid-point there is a longer interval for snacks & chit-chat.

At the end of the evening the final totals are announced and the magnificent Quiz Cup presented to the winning team (assuming that the Burdrop team, last year's winners, remember to return it, duly dusted & polished).

So, come on you Clubs, Societies, Schools, Families, Groups, Streets, Lanes, Closes, etc. Get yourselves organized into teams, give your team a name and PLEASE LET Muriel Chandler or Sheila Baseby (544) KNOW by 7 NOVEMBER, so that they have a rough idea how many to cater for.

Hint - it's a good idea for your team to include youngsters and oldsters, since the questions run the gamut from 'Is Bitty McLean Glaswegian?' to 'Was Fred Karno's Army well organised?'

Anyone is welcome to come along to watch - or to make up a team on the night. It should be a fun evening. Any proceeds will go to the Village Hall funds.

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* ! BINGO ! *

Sibford Village Hall - Thursday 18 November - 7pm to 9pm

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Young Scene

Hello Children,

For the Romans November was the 9th month of the year. The name November comes from the Latin 'novem' which means nine.

For primary school children in Sibford this November marks the first appearance of a page in the Sibford Scene especially for you.

Each month we hope to wish a happy birthday to anyone under 12 years. So if your birthday is in December and you would like to join The Birthday Club, make sure you write your name, address and date of birth on a piece of paper and place it in the special 'Young Scene' box at the village shop or the Primary school by Friday 19th November.

We hope to feature things to make, competitions, puzzles, jokes and riddles and other topics of interest. So if you have a favourite joke or riddle, please place it in the box at the village shop or the Primary school by Friday 19th November. Don't forget to put your name and age on the back!

Finding out about Seeds

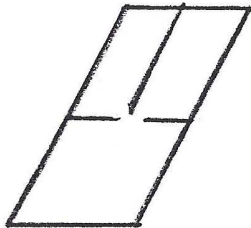
It is the conker season, but what do you know about seeds? All seeds grow inside fruits. Some of these fruits are the ones you eat, like apples and oranges, some are nuts, some are pods, some are berries and some are cones. Look carefully at the fruits and vegetables you eat and at the plants growing in gardens and fields. You will see their seeds.

When the fruit of a flowering plant is ripe, the seed or seeds in the fruit are scattered away from the parent plant. This gives some of them a better chance of finding the space, light and food they need to grow. Seeds are scattered in several different ways - some get stuck to clothing or animal fur, some are eaten by birds and animals, some grow in pods which burst open, some are carried by your feet, and some are carried away by the wind.

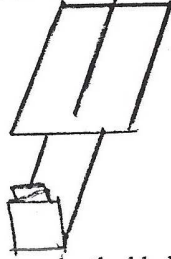
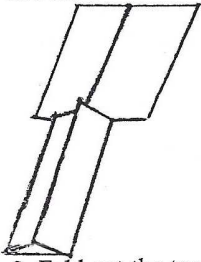
Dandelion seeds are shaped like tiny parachutes and are blown by the wind for many miles before landing. Other seeds that travel in this way normally have a special design which keeps them in the air for as long as possible. Some seeds slow their fall from a tree by spinning like a helicopter.

You can make a paper model to see how this works.

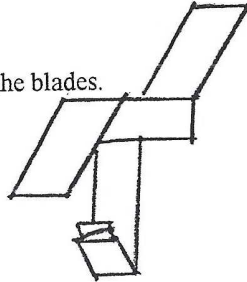
1. Cut an oblong about 20x7cm from a piece of paper. Make three cuts in it, as shown.



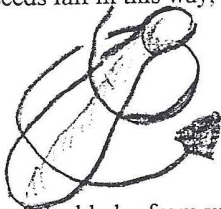
2. Fold over the two sides below the cuts and bend the end up.



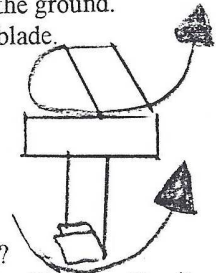
3. Fold out the two flaps at the top to make the blades.



4. Stand on a chair to drop your helicopter and watch it spin to the ground. Sycamore seeds fall in this way, but they usually have only one blade.



sycamore
seed



Cut off one of the blades from your helicopter. Does it still spin?

When you drop the one-bladed helicopter, you will find that it still spins. Try it out of doors and see how far it flies. You could colour in your model and experiment with different sizes of paper.

Competition

Next month's Young Scene is the Christmas edition. We all hope that Father Christmas will be coming to Sibford on December 24th. Can you draw Father Christmas on a piece of paper (size of the Scene page). He could be in his sleigh, climbing down a chimney, filling up a stocking, carrying his sack - I am sure you have lots of ideas. Your pictures must be your own work, (no tracing allowed), and anyone of pre-school or primary age may enter. Your drawings must be in pencil, black pen or felt-tip.

Please write your name, address and date of birth on the back of your picture and place it in the special 'Young Scene' box at the village shop or the Primary school by Friday 19th November. The winning entry will be printed in the Scene and a prize will be awarded. We look forward to receiving your jokes and drawings - and don't forget the Birthday Club.

SIBFORD TODDLER GROUP

We are a group of local Mums with babies and toddlers (0 up to 3 years) who meet each week for a chat & coffee. There are lots of toys for the children to play with and it is an opportunity for tots to meet and play with children of the same age.

Sibford School kindly allow us to use their Gillett House Common Room for our meetings. This is a comfortable room with sofas and a carpet and is very suitable for small children.

We have a Christmas Party each year and sometimes picnics in the Summer. Occasionally the Group is invited to visit and join in with Sibford Playgroup activities such as Open Days and Sports Day.


All Mums/Carers of babies & toddlers are very welcome to come along, we would love to see some new faces. If you are new to the village it is a good way to meet other Mums. Cost is 50p per morning, per family to cover coffee, squash & biscuits and replacements of toys and equipment.

WHEN: Wednesday mornings 10.30 - 12.00

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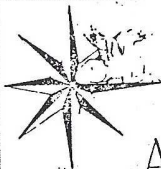
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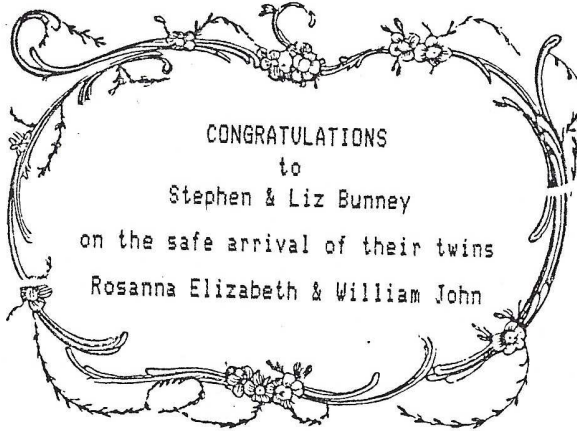
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SIBFORD HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

On 13 October there was a good turn-out (50% up on last year) for the Society's AGM, which was followed by an excellent slide show by Alan & May Jarvis, based on their many flower-hunting holidays in the Alps. The evening ended with mountains of superb snacks, including some *sinful* chocolate thingies, all prepared by the Committee ladies.

With the retirement of the previous chairman & secretary and as a result of elections at the AGM, the President (John Sabin) and the new Chairman (David Eildred) are now supported by the following Committee members:

Sheila Baseby, Adrienne Brown, Susan Heath, Roger Powell, Gilian Soden, Frank Stevenson and Ellen Warwicker.

At the AGM the members supported the Committee's proposal that membership should be open to villagers from Shutford as well as from Sibford & Epwell.

The Committee is very grateful to those members & non-members who took time to return the questionnaire in last month's *Scene*. They will be very helpful in planning the future activities of the Society. Any further responses - to the Surgery or to a Committee member - would still be appreciated.

The meeting on 10 November includes a 'Gardeners Question Time', when Messrs Ashton, Meredith & Powell hope to give some helpful answers to queries from the audience. Please come along with your questions and bring with you your problem plants, diseased leaves, distorted veggies, maggoty fruit, etc - for *examination* by the panel, not for throwing at them, please.

On 8 December there will be a slide show by Ray Henbrey on 'Some Flora & Fauna of South Africa', followed by mulled wine and festive snacks provided by the Committee. There will also be a raffle for a Hamper full of Christmas goodies - tickets on sale soon at the Surgery. The December competition will be a 'Christmas Basket' - with two prizes.

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SIBFORD BROWNIES

THANK YOU VERY MUCH to everyone who brought their cars to our Car Wash on 5 October. Lots of Villagers came to support us as well as most of the parents. It was a great night and we had a lot of fun as well as cleaning a lot of cars. We also made £113.50 for Water Aid - so we were very pleased.
Thank You All very much. Vivienne Scouse

SIBFORD GOWER PARISH COUNCIL

The Parish Council would like to remind residents of Sibford Gower and Burdrop not to overload the village skip and not to leave rubbish at the side once the skip is full.

Materials for the outletpipe for the pond have arrived. Work cannot commence however until renovation work on Pond Cottage has finished. The Council has asked County Councillor David Turner for his support in the Council's attempt to improve the condition of the road between Gautherns Barn and New Barn Farm which has become extremely narrow.

Several highway matters were discussed at the recent meeting including the blocked drains in the Colony.

The MEB has produced a leaflet covering issues such as paying bills, making a complaint, services for older or disabled people etc. Anyone interested in receiving a leaflet please contact the Clerk on 462.

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 9 - 12.30 (Wednesday)
 10 - 12 noon (Sunday)



LEO CLUB — LADIES EVENING OUT

LEO Ladies Spend an Evening In - in Gaol

On 19 October, a dozen Sibford ladies, erstwhile pillars of the community, were taken, under cover of darkness, into Banbury Court, where they were given a good talking-to by the magistrate, who then personally escorted them down to the very inhospitable cells. After their timely release there was a unanimous verdict that it had been a very interesting evening and they had learnt a lot about the judicatory system, with many thanks to Timothy Wimbush.

The next LEO meeting will be on Tuesday 16 November at 8pm at Greta Baadsgaard's home (phone 378). Please bring a plate of food to share with other members, whilst exchanging chit-chat, stories & anecdotes - nothing slanderous please, or we will be paying our second visit to Banbury Court.

There will be no meeting of LEO in December.

If you would like to know more about our Club, phone Vivienne Scouse on 8320.

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NORTH OXFORDSHIRE CONSERVATIVE ASSOCIATION
Sibfords & Ewell Branch

Remember the hilarious "Old Time Victorian Music Hall" in the Village Hall last year?
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SIBFORDS SOCIETY

Next Meeting: Friday Nov. 12th, 8:00 pm in the Mission Hall, Sibford Gower, when *Vera Hodgkins* of Shutford will give a talk on *SHUTFORD PLUSH*. She will bring along a variety of samples to show us.

Also at the meeting there will be on sale sets of cards featuring four lovely old photographs of the village: Gower, Ferris, Burdrop and the Elm. They are being printed for us by the Multi-Skills Workshop at Bullingdon Prison (Bicester), and will be very reasonably priced, being on good quality card and including envelopes.

By coming along on the 12th you will learn more about a significant part of our local history, and can buy all your Christmas Cards at the same time. All proceeds will help to fund future activities or projects for the village.

If you are unable to attend the meeting, but would like some cards, they will be available in the Village Shop or from Committee Members:

<i>Ferris</i>		<i>Gower</i>	
Barbara Crabtree	(635)	Maureen Hicks	(259)
Bernard Keen	(694)	Ian Warden	(8252)
John Simons	(655)	David Ryall	(574)
<i>Burdrop</i>			
Anne Skowronska		(490)	
Verity Stanley		(729)	

Non-members particularly welcome to
all meetings of both societies.

SWALCLIFFE SOCIETY

Don't miss our Next Meeting: Wednesday Nov. 17th, 8.00 pm in Swalcliffe Village Hall, when the celebrated local writer *Sheila Stewart* will be talking about her book "*Ramlin Rose - The Boat-woman's Story*": canal life between the wars. Anyone who has heard her before will tell you she is very impressive: come and see for yourself. Verity Stanley

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Baptist (Hook Norton)

Sunday at 10.30 am

Sunday at 11.00 am

Sunday at 11.00 am

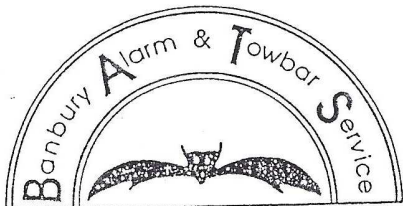
Sunday at 11.30 am

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Church of England, Holy Trinity, Sibford Gower

1	November	10.00am	Holy Communion - All Saints' Day
2	November	7.30pm	Holy Communion - All Souls' Day
7	"	10.00am	United Benefice Eucharist at Swalcliffe
14	"	8.00am	Holy Communion
		10.55am	Service for Remembrance Sunday
21	"	10.00am	Holy Communion
28	"	10.00am	Confirmation & Holy Communion (The Bishop of Dorchester)
5	December	10.00am	United Benefice Eucharist at Tadmarton
12	"	10.00am	Holy Communion
19	"	10.00am	Family Service with Baptism
22	"	7.00pm	Christmas Carols & Christingle Ceremony
24	"	11.30pm	Midnight Mass of Christmas
25	"	11.15am	Morning Communion for Christmas Day
26	"	10.00am	United Benefice Eucharist at Epwell

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Friday	5 & 19 Nov	to Banbury	10.00am	12.00noon
Friday	3, 17 & 31 Dec	to Banbury	10.00am	12.00noon
Wednesday	10 & 24 Nov	to Chippy	11.00am	1.00pm
Wednesday	8 & 22 Dec	to Chippy	11.00am	1.00pm

The pick-up points are:

Banbury Bus

Village Hall
Cross Roads
High Meadow

Chippy Bus

Village Hall
High Meadow
Cross Roads
The Colony

THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULES ARE, OR SOON WILL BE, OUT-OF-DATE.
NEW TIMETABLES SHOULD BE AVAILABLE SOON.

2. REGULAR BUS SERVICE - BRAILES COACHES.

Brailes - Banbury - amendments - Monday, Wednesday, Friday ONLY

Pick up at Sibford Gower..... 1.15pm

Return from Banbury Bus Station... 2.45pm

Shipston - Banbury - Monday & Saturday

Pick up at Sibford Gower..... 9.50am

Return from Banbury Bus Station... 12.15pm

3. REGULAR BUS SERVICE - MIDLAND RED.

480 Sibford - Banbury

Monday - Saturday only

Outward from Sibford Gower Ferris

7.30am 7.32am

9.05am 9.07am

11.55am 11.53am

3.00pm* 2.53pm*

5.30pm 5.28pm

*=Sat & School Hols only

Return from Banbury Bus Station

11.30am

2.30pm

5.05pm

6.05pm

4. REVISED SERVICE - MIDLAND RED, X60 Hook Norton-Banbury-Sibford- Tuesdays Only -Shipston-Stratford-Coventry

Sibford Ferris

Outward

Return*

Sibford Gower

09.39am

2.15pm

Shipston

09.41

2.13

Stratford

09.55

1.59

Coventry

10.25

1.30

10.55am

1.00pm

* All return times
are one hour later
during
School Holidays

WEEKLY EVENTS

Guides	Hook Norton	Monday	evening
Youth Club	Village Hall	Monday	7.00 - 9.00pm
Yoga	Friends School	Monday	7.15 - 9.15pm
Mobile Shop		Tuesday	10.00am - 4.00pm
Brownies	Village Hall	Tuesday	5.15 - 6.45pm
Beavers	Village Hall	Wednesday	5.15 - 6.30pm
Badminton	Village Hall	Wednesday	8.00pm
Badminton	Friends School	Wednesday	7.30 - 9.30pm
Mums & Toddlers	Gillett House	Wednesday	10.30am - 12noon
Fielding Day Centre	Orchard Close	Wednesday	12.15 - 3.00pm
Mobile Fish & Chips		Thursday	
Cricket Club Nets	Friends School	Friday	6.00 - 7.15pm
Cub Scouts	Village Hall	Friday	6.00pm
Scouts	Village Hall	Friday	following Cubs
Playgroup	Village Hall	Mon,Wed,Fri	9.00am - 12noon
Sibford Sports Club	Friends School	(Phone 380 or 8492 for details)	

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FORTHCOMING EVENTS

DIARIST - Norman Nash (Tel 275)

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Secretaries - Please keep *Sibford Scene* (or Norman) informed of new or changed 'Weekly Events' or 'Forthcoming Events'.

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LOCAL CORRESPONDENT to BANBURY GUARDIAN - Sheila Baseby (Tel 544)
Copy for Guardian by FRIDAY please

LOCAL CHERWELL DISTRICT COUNCILLOR - David Green (Tel 444)

CALENDAR for NOVEMBER 1993

Tuesday	2nd	Sibford Ferris PC Meeting - see p 8
Wednesday	3rd	Mobile Library in Sibfords & Burdrop (2.25 - 4.20pm)
Friday	5th	PTA Bonfire Night - Fireworks & Food - see p 6
Saturday	6th	Scouts Paper & ALUMINIUM Can Collection
Tuesday	9th	WI Meeting - Village Hall - see p 4
Wednesday	10th	Sibford Horti Society - Village Hall - 8pm - see p 17
Thursday	11th	WI - Sherry & Mince Pies - see p 4
Thursday	11th	Village Hall Grand Quiz - 7.30pm - see page 11
Friday	12th	Sibfords Society - Mission Hall - 8pm - see p 20
Saturday	13th	Rubbish Skip in Gower at Pound Lane
Sunday	14th	REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY - see pages 1 & 21
Tuesday	16th	Friendship Club - Trip to Northampton - see p 10
Tuesday	16th	Charity Sale - Blenheim Farm - see page 15
Tuesday	16th	LEO Meeting - see page 19
Wednesday	17th	Mobile Library in Sibfords & Burdrop (2.25 - 4.20pm)
Wednesday	17th	Swalcliffe Society - Swa Village Hall - see p 20
Thursday	18th	Bingo! - Youth Club - Village Hall - 7pm - see page 11
Saturday	27th	Hollywood Musical Evening - Banbury Operatic - see p 19
TUESDAY	30th	DEADLINE for SIBFORD SCENE CONTRIBUTIONS - see p 5

CALENDAR for DEC 1993 (part)

Wednesday	1st	Mobile Library in Sibfords & Burdrop (2.25 - 4.20pm)
Saturday	4th	Scouts Paper & ALUMINIUM Can Collection
Saturday	4th	Playgroup - Christmas Bazaar - Village Hall - see p 7
Saturday	4th	Swalcliffe Bazaar - see page 10
Wednesday	8th	Sibford Horti Society - Village Hall - 8pm - see p 17
Saturday	11th	Rubbish Skip in Gower at Barley Close
Wednesday	15th	Mobile Library in Sibfords & Burdrop (2.25 - 4.20pm)
Wednesday	15th	Publication Date for next issue of <i>Scene</i> - see p 5

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