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John Mulley - Hon. Co-ordinator (780629)

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IN MEMORY of MR & MRS RYMELL

Sibford Gower Parish Council would like to thank the family of Mr & Mrs Rymell for the donation and erection of the lovely seat in Pound Lane, in memory of their parents.

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A THANK YOU

Vera Jones would like to thank everyone for their messages of sympathy on the sudden, premature, death of her husband Ernest on 5th October. The cards, letters, flowers and telephone calls have been the source of great comfort and are much appreciated.

VILLAGE HALL NEWS

VILLAGE HALL MAINTENANCE - VOLUNTEER WANTED

Is there a retired person willing to carry out minor DIY jobs in the Village Hall and, for instance, set the heating timer to the correct hours each week?

I would be delighted to hear from anybody who would like to help. This is an opportunity to do a very useful job in a valuable village amenity. Bernard Phillips (780634).

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NEW VILLAGE HALL BOOKINGS SECRETARY

Mrs K M Winter is now the Village Hall Bookings Secretary and can be contacted on 780461.

Demand for the Village Hall is increasing and we have already taken a number of party/disco/wedding/christening bookings for 1996.

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Nature Notes.

Sept. 23rd. Now that our hardy cyclamen are in full bloom we can see that they are quite a bit thinner than they were last year. We know that the badgers had dug up a few corms during the drought but they must have taken more than we thought.

Sept. 24th. Although the birds are not very hungry yet I have put out some peanuts and sunflower seed as a cousin from Canada is here and he likes to see what birds we are getting. He keeps a feeding station going to which the commonest visitor is the chickadee which is very like our blue tit. We are seeing blue, great and coal tits in roughly equal numbers and 2 willow tits are coming regularly.

Sept. 30th. As I watched about 35 geese, many of them in vee formation or staggered lines, sail majestically over the village I thought how rarely we saw geese years ago. On a few occasions we did see a skein flying high on a course from the severn estuary to the wash area or vice-versa. Of course most of the ones we see now are the semi tame canada geese which were apparently first brought to this country in the 17th century. I once read in a very old book, that "canada geese were introduced to grace ornamental lakes but have never been known to breed here" which makes me wonder how they kept their lakes stocked for all that time. Be that as it may they have certainly increased over the last fifty years. By 1953 there were thought to be about 3,000 in the country, by the mid sixties there were over 10,000 and now they breed on every suitable piece of water, of which there are more in this area than there were fifty years ago.

Oct. 14th. As I drove towards Enstone today I noticed several old beech trees looking poorly and still holding their leaves which were withered by the drought. Some of the older beeches at Edge Hill are in a similar condition. The old trees seem to have suffered more than the younger ones and their future must be in doubt.

Oct. 17th. I was saddened to see the roadside trimmer at work near the Elm taking off the dead heads of keck, docks, sweet cicely etc. that as well as providing winter food for birds would have been beautiful when coated with hoar frost. It is a pity that we have become so obsessed with tidiness. Although a few more farm hedges are being allowed to grow to produce haws etc. for winter bird food more could be allowed to grow without detriment to crops.

SIBFORD PLAYGROUP

(Held Mon/Wed/Friday mornings 9-12 for children aged 2-5)

The children visited Sibford Church on 11 October for their Harvest Thanksgiving service. They brought donations of food which have been passed onto the Katherine House Hospice.

If you need an up-to-date photograph of your child or family in time for Christmas, then come along to the Village Hall on **Friday 17 November** after 11.15, when a photographer from H Tempest Ltd will be happy to oblige. Children of all ages and their families are welcome and do not have to be connected with the Playgroup. The photos will be ready for viewing in good time for Christmas. The Playgroup receives commission on the photos ordered, so the more the better.

A date for your diary should be **Saturday 9 December**, when the Playgroup will be holding its **Christmas Bazaar** at 2pm in the Village Hall. There will be plenty of stalls, refreshments and the chance to visit Father Christmas. Donations of cakes, bottles, toys, books & jumble would be gratefully received and can be dropped into Playgroup during the week prior to 9 December.

Finally, a vacancy for the post of Playgroup Assistant has arisen; for more information please contact Julie Ringwirth (788231) before 6 November.

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SIBFORD HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

The Annual General Meeting took all of 16 minutes and preceded the regular meeting of the Society on the 9th. of October. All the existing committee were re-elected 'en bloc' and the vacancy that has existed for the last 12 months was filled by Mrs. Ann Stevenson who also very kindly volunteered to be the Honorary Secretary. The Honorary Treasurer's report revealed a slight fall in our liquidity during the past 12 months of just £81.15. This reflects a higher expenditure on speaker's expenses. Nevertheless, the annual subscription which is now due, will remain at £2.50.

The regular meeting that followed, enjoyed a display of photographic slides by our ex-President, Keith Hicks. He showed on the big screen both the way to do it, as well as the way not to do it. 'Patience' he said 'is the watchword': before clicking the shutter, wait to ensure that the picture in the view-finder is exactly what you want to record as a 'Memory'. Indeed, that was the word that Keith used as the title of his talk.

The next meeting is on November 8th. at 8.00 p.m. when Chris Brown from Little Compton, will be telling us and showing us 'Unusual Plants'. Do please come.

The Christmas meeting will be on December 13th. and will, as is now usual, feature a presentation by Roger Powell. The subject of the competition this year, moves away from flowers for a change and will be for the best 'Home-made Christmas Card'. There will of course, be a prize and it is hoped that there will be many entries. The evening will conclude with our partaking of seasonal food and drink.

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The October LEO Club meeting, at the home of Maureen Warden, included an 'anatomical' quiz, provided by our newest member, and refreshments provided by our hostess.

Our 'Christmas' meeting will be at 8pm on **Tuesday 21 November**, at the home of Greta Baadsgaard (Quince Cottage, Bonds End Lane, Sibford Gower). **Mr David Ryall**, who has appeared in many television plays, serials & programmes, will be coming to tell us about his working life as an actor. Do come along - it should be an entertaining evening. Please bring a small (tea size) plate of seasonal fare - savouries, mincepies, biscuits, etc.

On **Tuesday 16 January** we will gather at the 'Sun' in Hook Norton for our New Year dinner. Details & menu later. VS

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PAUL SACRIFICES MOUSTACHE TO RAISE £913 for GUIDE DOGS

A very large **Thank You** to all those who sponsored and contributed to the fundraising evening at *The Bishop Blaize* on 29 September, when a total of £913 was raised, for the Guide Dogs for the Blind, for the well-known, but now missing, moustache. (We're not too sure what a guide dog is going to look like with a moustache, but that's another matter.) **Thanks once again.**

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Timothy Wimbush
(Rector)

Eric Payne & Robin Spicer
(Churchwardens)

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DONATIONS from SIBFORD ORGANIZATIONS

Further to the list published in September, we have now received a generous donation towards our running costs from the Epwell & Sibford Branch of the North Oxon Conservative Association - *many thanks.*

The Editor

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ERNEST JONES

Before moving to Sibford Gower in 1979 Ernest and his wife Vera lived in Whichford where he was church warden, and it was there that he died suddenly on 5 October whilst chairing a PCC meeting.

His father, a methodist minister, filled churches with his oratory. Like father, like son, because Ernest too was a gifted communicator. Following conscription and a commission in the army he worked in a bank for a short while and then decided to qualify as a chartered accountant.

Ernest discovered where his real abilities lay when invited to lecture, on an occasional basis, to accounting students. This led to his becoming head of department at what was then called the City of London Polytechnic, and he had the distinction of introducing the first degree course in accounting. He was to become disenchanted with all the administrative duties - what he enjoyed most was lecturing, particularly simplifying, de-mystifying and de-jargonising finance and he devised a method of teaching the subject which was unique and which he was to use to great effect over the next 25 years in his popular "Finance for Non-Financial Managers" courses held nationwide, even in Sibford Gower, and overseas.

Ernest delighted in living in the Gower - so much so that the financial training business he and Vera had set up in London back in 1978, was extended so that they could have a local office near Temple Close (more recently adding to it a small conference centre) and thereby enjoying village life more fully.

Ernest was president of the Hook Norton and District Silver Band and, because he was an ardent Frank Sinatra fan, the band most movingly completed their short repertoire during the funeral service with "My Way".

A larger than life personality he had time for everyone, but his special people were children. He enjoyed supporting organisations such as the boy scouts and doing things for the primary school. He revelled in making things happen and a good example of this occurred two years ago when he masterminded Bandcare - a concert with fireworks at Broughton Castle in aid of various childrens' charities.

Because he impacted on so many people Ernest's premature death at 67 leaves a big vacuum in the lives of many of us. The consolation is that he would have wanted it that way!

ERNEST JONES - A PERSONAL TRIBUTE

There could not be one of us who had the good fortune to know Ernest Jones who was not stunned by the news of his untimely death on 5th October. Our heartfelt sympathy goes to Vera and the Jones family.

Just a couple of weeks earlier Ernest & Vera had dined with us; a lovely lighthearted occasion on which we exchanged gossip, dissected governments and laid out our plans for the future. As always, Ernest was brimming with ideas & dreams of perfection. Sadly, he has been denied the opportunity of finishing the job he so much wanted to complete - and we the pleasure of his delightful company & presence amongst us.

I don't think I ever knew a man who loved people as much as Ernest, nor for a person of such strength to be so self-effacingly kind to those who came within his orbit. No wishy-washy theorist, he was a clear-thinking man with strong beliefs & convictions and an ability to impart them to others. If we (*foolishly!*) discussed politics I often found his reasoning much more persuasive than my own!

Many will be our cherished memories of Ernest in & around Sibford. The lurid bow tie and benevolent countenance at Temple Close during those wonderful summer garden parties, the soothing music of the Hook Norton Silver Band which Ernest so loyally supported. His strong voice leading the carols to celebrate the beginning of Christmas in the village. And if you stayed late, the soothing strains of Frank Sinatra accompanied his devotee's mellow mood to perfection.

His ceaseless efforts to support the community in which he became a key figure, whether in the Church at Whichford or his home village of Sibford Gower, will never be forgotten. Nor will the mischievous grin, the rapid-fire mutterings, the rapier wit of a man enjoying the debate of issues parochial or international over a pint of Hookey at the Gate. The pain in his face when speaking of Arsenal's latest defeat, or the pleasure when months of charitable work were rewarded by a crowd of thousands at a midsummer's night of music & fireworks at Broughton Castle. His cheery wave to everyone he met on the road as he gently swept by in his beloved Rolls Royce.

Finally, at the beautiful & moving service at Whichford Church last week we bid farewell to our dear friend. He was a truly Good Man.

Michael and Katharine Edwards

SIBFORD FERRIS PARISH COUNCIL

The next SFPC meeting will be at 8pm on Tuesday 5 December in the Library of the Friends School. *Judith Weeks (788393)*

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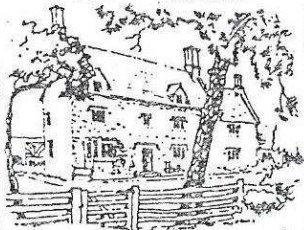
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WELCOME to SIBFORD - ALL NEWCOMERS

If you are a new resident of Sibford and have not yet received a copy of the 'Welcome to Sibford' leaflet, please telephone Barry Davies on Swa. 780291 (Gower or Burdrop) or Mary Mills on Swa. 780248 (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 Steve & Sheila Wilkinson, who moved into *Cornerstones* at the Gower crossroads just over a month ago with their two sons Daniel(6) and Ryan(4).

"Packing cases & bare floors are fortunately a dim memory but our exhibitionist streak is stronger than suspected - the curtains still haven't been ordered.

Steve is manager at the Yorkshire Bank in Banbury (we all have our cross to bear); at the moment Sheila keeps herself busy controlling the boys - all three of them!

Moving from a much smaller village near Shrewsbury, Sibford Gower seems to have plenty to offer (but we are still looking for the shopping centre & railway station in the village). We look forward to making new acquaintances."

[Barry should have provided a detailed map showing the safest route to Henderson's Shopping Mall in the Ferris (perversely known as Greens'). Nowadays the border at the Sib can be crossed with a minimum of formalities, although it is advisable for newcomers to carry their passports, at least for the first five years. A railway station?? What's that?? - Ed.]

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FLU INJECTIONS

Winter is approaching and this year's flu injections are now available for patients of Sibford Surgery.

Flu injections are advised for:

- those over 65
- those with chest complaints or heart disease
- those with any other debilitating illness.

Flu is a serious illness that kills.

It is not the same as a bad cold which people often describe as 'flu'.

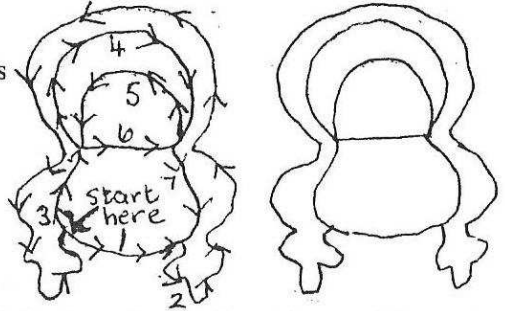
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for more information or to make an appointment.

Young Scene

Hello and welcome to Young Scene. This edition features a variety of activities for you to try, but first let's find out how you coped with the "Easy Chair" problem from last month.

Did it drive you crazy? Or did you solve the problem easily? If you remember you were asked to work out how the easy chair could be drawn in one continuous line, without your pen being removed from the page and without any part of the line being covered twice.

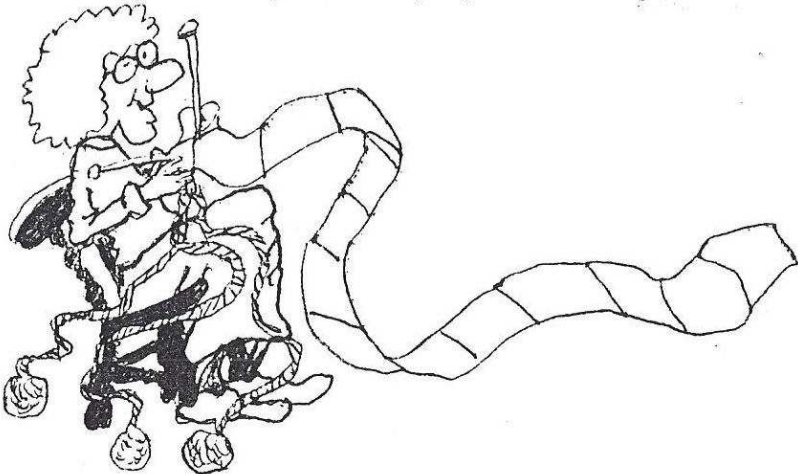
Yes, it is possible - follow the arrows on this picture to see how to draw the chair.



Can you solve this? Stripey Puzzle.

Fred's Granny is knitting him a stripey scarf. Fred says the scarf must have red, blue and green stripes followed by red, blue and green stripes and so on. It must start with a red stripe and Granny says she will end with a red stripe. It must be 140cm. long when it is finished and each stripe will measure 5cm.

Can you work out how many blue stripes there will be in the finished scarf?
Please feel free to colour in the picture while you ponder over the problem.



Fairground Science.

After watching fast rides at Banbury Fair, I asked myself "How do they do that?" Have you ever ridden on a playground roundabout and felt a force pressing you outwards? The faster you whirl round, the stronger the force becomes and the tighter you have to hold on. This outward force works on anything that is whirling around - and it can be very useful.

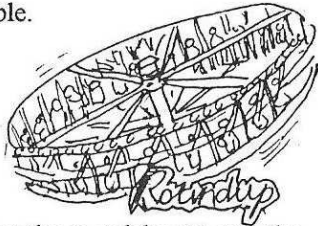
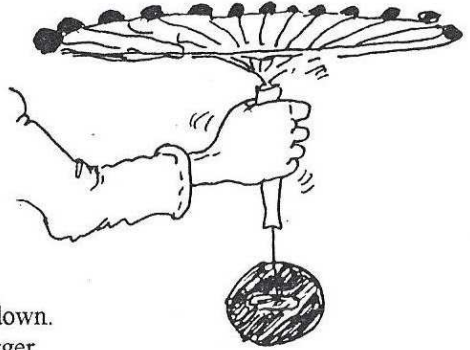
It is this force which is used in a washing-machine or in a spin-drier to spin clothes dry. At the end of the wash, most of the water is pumped out of the machine. Then the motor starts the drum spinning very fast. The soggy clothes are pressed hard against the inside of the drum - just like the people on the fairground "Roundup" in the picture below. The clothes can go no further, but the water can. It gets spun out through the hundreds of holes in the surface of the drum.

Man-made satellites stay in orbit because the outward force caused by their whirling movement just balances the pull of Earth's gravity. As soon as they slow down, they fall back to Earth. Here is an experiment to show how this works.

Thread a length of thin string through the case of an old ball-point pen. Then tie a paper clip very firmly to each end. Press a ball of plasticene or play-dough weighing about 10g round one paper clip, and a larger ball weighing about 50g round the other paper clip. Bury the paper clips crossways so that they will not easily be pulled out.

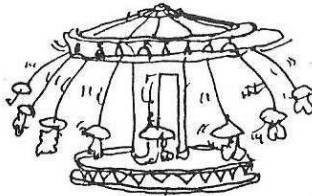
Hold the pen-case upright and whirl the small "satellite" round. Its outward force will raise the big ball even though it is heavier. Let the satellite slow down. As it slows, its pull gets less and the weight of the larger ball will pull it back into a small orbit.

Fairground rides use the outward force of whirling objects to do things that look impossible.

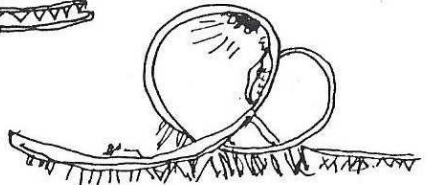


The faster the roundabout turns, the higher the chairs will fly.

Here on the "Roundup" the outward force presses the people against the wall of the ride. They do not even have to hold on.



The same force holds the "Death Spiral" car on its loop-the-loop track, even when it is upside-down.



Just in case you are wondering whether I go on the big rides, the answer is "No". I don't fancy being "spun-dry", but I do like to work out how the rides operate.

Well, that's all for this month. Have lots of fun on Bonfire Night, but remember to TAKE CARE.

The Sibfords Society

The Society's Christmas cards are now on sale. The coloured photograph of the village pond in the snow provides a lovely glimpse of Sibford to send to your friends and family at Christmastime. £1.00 for four cards - just ask a member of the society to obtain your cards.

The National Trust manager for Upton House will be the speaker at Swalcliffe Society's next

meeting on Wednesday 15 November at 8pm in Swalcliffe Village Hall. He will be talking about the National Trust's celebration of its centenary year.

If you already have next year's diary book yourself an evening at the Village Hall on Thursday 18 January 1996, when the Society will be holding an old fashioned social evening to brighten up a dark January evening.

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FRIENDSHIP CLUB

At our meeting on 3 October we discussed future outings and prices as we now have to find an alternative coach company. It was decided to hire Bakers of Chipping Norton for a trip to the Peacock at Tysoe in mid-October and also for our Christmas lunch visit to Chippy in December. Unfortunately we had to cancel our shopping trip to Worcester.

Future events are as follows:

TUESDAY 7 NOVEMBER - Meeting in the Village Hall at 2pm.

TUESDAY 21 NOVEMBER - A talk on Social Services by Judith Weeks at 2pm in the Village Hall.

There will be a Bring-&-Buy Stall at both events.

TUESDAY 5 DECEMBER - Christmas Lunch at Chipping Norton.

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W. I. NEWS & INFORMATION

On such a glorious afternoon (Oct. 10th.) members could have been tempted to be in the garden, but they rightly assumed the speaker was one not to be missed.

The preceding business revealed that last month's promotional meeting resulted in a small financial profit, but, more importantly, it is hoped in an eventual increased membership. Our entries in the recent county "Show Time" competition were all well commended, and we are indebted to one member who left a sickbed to make a valuable contribution - thank you Jean!

Volunteers (?) were enrolled for the village Quiz, and helpers were forthcoming for the Moreton Market Day coffee morning.

Mrs Marianne Elsley, a German Jew, gave an extremely moving account of her evacuation, aged 15, from Berlin early in 1939 and the ensuing war years. "Adopted" by a Quaker lady in N.W. London, she adjusted to her new life, only to be disrupted on the outbreak of war when she, along with other children, was moved to Somerset.

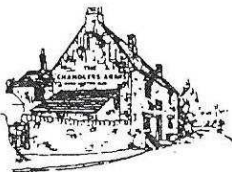
Contact with her parents was maintained via a relative in Zurich, and letters which she had found too poignant to reread for nearly 50 years she has now collated and published in a book entitled "Voices in the Night". Never to see her parents again, they met their fate at notorious Auschwitz.

We were privileged to hear her story.

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LETTER to THE SIBFORDS
(and Burdrop, not forgetting the Colony)

[The following letter was received in February, but has been held over due to lack of space. Sue & Roger's full address in Cullompton, Devon is available if needed - Ed]

To those who may remember us when we lived in Park Farm House, 11 years ago, our latest news is:-

Roger is still Head of Tiverton High School and Sue continues to take her gym classes & fitness sessions but is also now helping in the Reception of the local Surgery (four doctors).

Joanna is taking a 'year-out' before going to Goldsmith's College to take Design Studies. She is at present in the Camerouns on a Plant Research Project with 'Earthwatch' and then she hopes to go to Canada on a working trip in March.

Emma is working hard for her GCSE and looking desperately for a Saturday job - she might have more luck when she is 16 (that's in March - she was 4 when we left Sibford!).

We enjoy receiving the *Scene* every month - it helps us to keep up-to-date with all Sibford's activities and we wish you all the best. Do call in if you are ever in this area - we are close to the M5, near Wellington, Somerset.

Sue & Roger Lambert (01823 680664)

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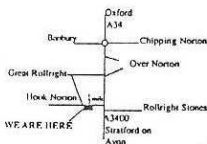
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A narrow defeat by Wroxton ended Sibford's hopes of a second successive championship win; nevertheless promotion to the South Northants Div II is the reward, with a final analysis as follows:-

Played 18 Won 14 Drawn 1 Lost 3 Points 72

Final Scores

South Northants League - Division III

v	<u>Wroxton</u>		Home 19th August	Lost by 3 Wickets
	Sibford	93 All Out	Wroxton (Adrian Lamb)	94-7 4-32)
v	<u>Long Buckby</u>		Away - 26th August	Won by 122 Runs
	Sibford	201-5	Long Buckby	79 All Out
	(Ron Morbey	82	(Jon Bennett	3-8
	Nigel Fletcher	70	David Lamb	3-17)
	Jason Barton	26)		

"And now the Honours List"

Batting - Top "6"

	Runs	Innings	Not Out	Completed	Highest Score	Average
Daniel May	405	7	3	4	148	101-25
Roy Morbey	539	13	1	12	97	44-92
Roger Gilbert	213	10	5	5	49	42-60
David Pratt	252	13	4	9	80	28-00
Jason Barton	132	7	2	5	50	26-40
Nigel Fletcher	142	8	1	7	70	20-29

Bowling - Top "6"

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wicket	Best Perf	Average
Roger Gilbert	125-2	47	247	31	5-26	7-97
Daniel May	69	18	188	18	5-45	10-44
David Lamb	61-5	12	201	17	3-17	11-82
Nigel Fletcher	88-5	23	238	19	4-7	12-53
Tom Holliday	46-5	9	146	11	3-4	13-27
Adrian Lamb	68	11	256	17	4-32	15-06

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LETTER to the EDITOR

Dear Editor

Harvest Thanksgiving

I have been a farmer all my life and only in the last few years have I given up the practical side.

The Thanksgiving Service means so much. Although I thank the Lord daily, it is always nice to get together and give thanks and also to enjoy the lovely supper afterwards.

Tim & Erica, we are fortunate to have you both.

Jack Rowlett

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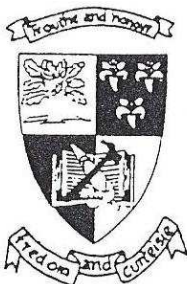
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Methodist	Sunday at 11.00 am
Roman Catholic Mass (Hook Norton)	Sunday at 11.00 am
(Brailles)	Sunday at 11.30 am
Baptist (Hook Norton)	Sunday at 10.30 am

Church of England, Holy Trinity, Sibford Gower

1 Nov	7.30PM	Holy Communion - ALL SAINTS' DAY
2 "	7.30PM	Holy Communion - ALL SOULS' DAY
5 "	10.00am	Benefice Eucharist (Rev Barbara Doubtfire)
12 "	10.55am	REMEMBRANCE SERVICE
19 "	10.00am	Holy Communion
26 "	8.00am	Holy Communion

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Wednesday	8 & 22 Nov	to Chippy	11,00am	1,00pm

The pick-up points are:

<u>Banbury Bus</u>	<u>Chippy Bus</u>
Village Hall	Village Hall
Crossroads	High Meadow
High Meadow	Crossroads
	The Colony

2. REGULAR SERVICE - MIDLAND RED, 480 Sibford - Banbury

Monday - Saturday	Outward	Return (read up)
Sibford Gower Crossroads	7,30am	6,30pm
Sibford Ferris School	7,32	6,28
Banbury Cross	7,55	6,08
Banbury Bus Station	8,00am	6,05pm

3. REGULAR SERVICE - JEFFS COACHES, Shipston - Sibford - Banbury

Monday - Saturday	Outward		Return (read upwards)		
Sibford Gower School	09,45am	11,45am	11,45am	12,50pm	14,50pm
Sibford Ferris School	09,48	11,48	11,42	12,42	14,47
Banbury Cross	10,13	12,13pm	11,17	12,17	14,17
Banbury Bus Station	10,15am	12,15pm	11,15am	12,15pm	14,15pm

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Sibford Gower	9,55am	1,15pm	1,15pm
Sibford Ferris	9,57	1,20	1,20
Banbury	10,50am	2,15pm	1,00pm

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	Outward	Return*	
Sibford Ferris	09,39am	2,15pm	* All return times are one hour later during School Holidays
Sibford Gower	09,41	2,13	
Shipston	09,55	1,59	
Stratford	10,25	1,30	
Coventry	10,55am	1,00pm	
		(read up)	

CONTRIBUTORS PLEASE NOTE

There will be no seperate issue of
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THE DEADLINE for **CONTRIBUTIONS**
for the **DECEMBER/JANUARY *SIBFORD SCENE*** will be

*** TUESDAY 21 NOVEMBER ***

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WEEKLY EVENTS

Guides	Hook Norton	Monday	evening
Indoor Bowls	Village Hall	Monday	2.00 - 4.00pm
Mobile Shop		Tuesday	10.00am - 4.00pm
Brownies	Village Hall	Tuesday	5.15 - 6.45pm
Mums & Toddlers	Gillett House	Wednesday	10.30am - 12noon
Fielding Day Centre	Friends School	Wednesday	12.30 - 4.30pm
Badminton	Friends School	Wednesday	7.30 - 9.30pm
Beavers	Village Hall	Friday	4.30 - 5.45pm
Cub Scouts	Village Hall	Friday	6.00pm
Scouts	Village Hall	Friday	following Cubs
Playgroup	Village Hall	Mon,Wed,Fri	9.00am - 12noon

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**FORTHCOMING
EVENTS**

DIARIST - Norman Nash (Tel 780275)

1 Dec	Friday	Sibford School Open Morning - see p20	[780441]
2 Dec	Saturday	Sibford Methodist Church Coffee/Sale - see p15	[780461]
5 Dec	Tuesday	Friendship Club Christmas Lunch - see p15	[788211]
5 Dec	Tuesday	Sibford Ferris PC Meeting - see p10	[788393]
9 Dec	Saturday	Sibford Playgroup Christmas Bazaar - see p4	[788231]
10 Dec	Sunday	Sibford Church Music Concert - see p21	[780555]
13 Dec	Wednesday	Sibford Horti Soc Christmas meeting - see p5	[780601]
16 Jan	Tuesday	LEO Club New Year Dinner - see p6	[788320]
18 Jan	Thursday	Sibfords Society Social Evening - see p14	

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Copy for Guardian by FRIDAY please

LOCAL CHERWELL DISTRICT COUNCILLOR - David Green (Tel 780444)

CALENDAR for NOVEMBER 1995

- Wednesday 1st Mobile Library in Sibfords & Burdrop (2.25 - 4.20pm)
Saturday 4th Scouts Paper Collection
Saturday 4th Sibford School Christmas Antiques & Craft Fayre - see p20
Saturday 4th Playarea Group DISCO, Village Hall - see p19
Sunday 5th Firework Display, Primary School - see p19
Tuesday 7th Friendship Club meeting in Village Hall - see p15
Wednesday 8th Sibford School Open Morning - see p20
Wednesday 8th Horti Society meeting - see p5
Saturday 11th Recycling Units in Acre Ditch
Saturday 11th Village Hall Table Top Sale - see p2
SUNDAY 12th REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY - see pp1 & 21
Wednesday 15th Mobile Library in Sibfords & Burdrop (2.25 - 4.20pm)
Wednesday 15th Swalcliffe Society meeting, Nat Trust Centenary - see p14
Friday 17th Playgroup child & family photograph session - see p4
Saturday 18th Sibford Church Christmas Bazaar - see p21
Saturday 18th Skip in the Gower - Pound Lane
Tuesday 21st Friendship Club meeting in Village Hall - see p15
Tuesday 21st LEO Club meeting - see p6
TUESDAY 21st * DEADLINE for *SIBFORD SCENE* CONTRIBUTIONS *
Friday 24th Sibford Gower PC Meeting 8pm Primary School
Wednesday 29th Second-hand Toy Sale, Primary School - see p19
Wednesday 29th Mobile Library in Sibfords & Burdrop (2.25 - 4.20pm)

CALENDAR for DECEMBER (part)

- Saturday 2nd Methodist Church Coffee Morning - see p15
Saturday 2nd Scouts Paper Collection
Tuesday 5th Friendship Club Christmas Lunch at Chippy - see p15
Tuesday 5th Sibford Ferris PC Meeting - see p10
Saturday 9th Sibford Playgroup Christmas Bazaar - see p4
Sunday 10th Holy Trinity Church, Music Concert - see p21

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