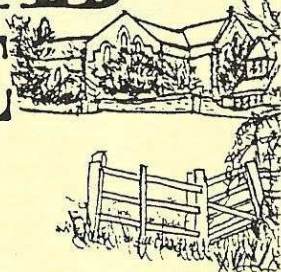


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We are also having a Carol Service on Sunday 22 December at 11am, to which you are invited. Coffee will be served after the Service. Everyone will be welcome.

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**** CONTRIBUTORS PLEASE NOTE ****

The next issue of the *Sibford Scene*, to be published at the end of January, will be for February AND March; details of events planned for both February & March should be provided, for publication, by Tuesday 21 January.

Plans are in hand for Adrian Lamb to produce a regular '*Sibford Scene Supplement*' next year - details to follow. In the meantime, Adrian will be contacting our regular contributors concerning his proposals.

The Editor

Nature Notes.

Oct. 25th. I had never seen a hornet locally until today when I saw two in Whichford Wood. They were spending much of their time patrolling a ride, as dragonflies often do, eventually returning to settle again on the same bush. We also saw 4 roe deer near Traitors Ford.

Nov. 1st. As I went into the Meeting House graveyard early this morning I was greeted by jays, redwings and fieldfares that were feeding on the holly and yew berries.

Nov. 10th. From this mornings radio programme "The Living World" I learn that polecats, which have recently recolonised Oxfordshire, are in danger from rat poisons collected from the rats that form a substantial part of their diet. It said that significant traces of the poison had been found in the livers of polecats killed on the roads.

Nov. 13th. Todays announcement that the ozone layer over the country is thinning more quickly than scientists expected is worrying, but they still expect that it will get back to normal by the middle of the next century now that the world wide ban on CFC's has been imposed. One bright spot in the report is that it is now known that aeroplanes produce or destroy ozone depending on the height at which they fly so there is scope to improve matters by adjusting their cruising heights. The outlook for the control of greenhouse gasses look very much worse. John Gummer says that Britain may be the only country that signed the 'Rio Declaration' agreeing to reduce the output of greenhouse gasses to 1990 levels by the year 2000, that is still on course to achieve that aim. The rapid increase in road and air transport makes me wonder how we can possibly meet this target.

Nov. 16th. Wood pigeons are feeding on haws rather more than is usual at this time of year. This may be due to the poor crops of acorns and beech nuts which they normally prefer. The lack of beechnuts may also account for the number of tits which are already coming to our birdtable. The great, blue and coal tits are visiting in roughly equal numbers along with two marsh tits.

Nov. 19th. Todays early snow was very clinging and has broken a few branches. It seems strange to see snow lying on deciduous trees that have not yet lost their leaves.

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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 Kathy Yorke, who has provided the following:

It has taken a long time for Kathy Yorke to get back into the countryside but she is very glad to have accomplished it at last and particularly glad to be in her bungalow 'Grassholm' in Sibford Gower. Born in the United States, Kathy grew up in New England, starting her education in a fine little school (her class of 15 was the largest, but the whole school numbered fewer than 75 pupils) in a rural village outside Boston, Massachusetts.

Having completed formal education and secretarial training, her first, full-time job was in publishing in Boston. A chance of travel in Europe caused her to leave this job. At the end of a summer in Europe, she came (leaving the best for last) to Britain and with \$200 left in her pocket she decided to try her luck in publishing in London. Much of the rest, as they say, is 'history'.

Although her own family is in the USA, Kathy married into an English family and remained in London for many years pursuing a rewarding career in publishing. A career change into a different but equally rewarding field of communication - that of counselling, followed about 15 years ago. Part of that change was spurred by the desire to get back to the countryside - at last achieved!

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SIBFORD HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

You are invited to our lighthearted special Christmas Evening at 8.00 p.m. on Wednesday December 11th in the Village Hall. The Christmas competition this year is "A box of home-made sweets" to be brought along on the night, for which there will be a small prize.

Roger Powell will be showing slides and talking about his trip round the South West of Ireland, "The best of enchanting Ireland", and not on "Gardening Matters" as reported in last month's Scene.

The talk will be followed by festive food and drink and we do hope you will be able to come along and join in the fun.

Dates of future meetings for your diary, more details to follow: March 12th, April 9th, May 14th

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LETTER to the EDITOR

Dear Sir

I was delighted to see a younger resident wanting to help produce the *Scene* as I would hate to see it go bimonthly. I for one look forward to reading my copy from cover to cover, and I know others that are like me - so please let's see what Adrian can do. MC

[See page 1 concerning future plans for the *Scene*. - Ed]

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THE MILLENNIUM PANELS

The interest and the workshops have been very encouraging and some practical work is now underway. I would like to involve as many residents as possible. If you are interested to join us, please contact a representative from one of the village organisations or contact me. Mollie Mulley (780629)

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* THANK YOU, AGAIN, MOLLIE *

As most of our readers will know, for many years the front page of each issue of the *Scene* has been graced by drawings produced by Mollie Mulley. In just the last four years we have had delightful sketches of flowers & birds and, for 1995-6, Sibford houses, shops, pubs, schools & places of worship. A review of these artistic gems reveals how much thought went into choosing the appropriate subject for the month as well as the time spent in producing each miniature masterpiece.

Sadly, for us, Mollie now finds that she is having to give up producing these sketches, because of the interest shown by villagers in her 'Millennium Panels' project, which will take up most of her spare time during the next two years.

Our sincere thanks go to Mollie for giving us so much of her time and talents over many years and we wish her great success in her millennium project.

Fortunately, we already have one similarly gifted lady willing to share her talents with us, but I would be very pleased to hear from anyone else who might like to share the challenge of preparing front page sketches, perhaps on an 'alternate issue' basis.

The Editor

FRIENDSHIP CLUB

* * 'Sleeping Beauty' at Chippy Theatre - BOOK NOW * *

Sadly, another member of our club has passed away - Mrs Helen Tustain. She was a staunch member who attended most of our functions and will be greatly missed. Our sympathies go out to David & Sylvia and other members of the family. We were a little disappointed in the lack of support for our car boot sale in October - however, we made about £150 for club funds and would like to thank everyone who helped. We spent a very entertaining afternoon when two gentlemen from the Blue Cross Animal Rescue Centre gave us a talk & slide show about the Centre - we were so impressed that we are arranging a visit to their headquarters in Burford in the Spring.

* Future Events *

Tuesday 3 December - Christmas Lunch at Chipping Norton.

Tuesday 17 December - Pantomime at Chipping Norton - *Sleeping Beauty*. Coach & seat combined will cost £10.50; pick up at Epwell, Tadmarton, Swalcliffe & Sibford. Please contact Mrs Boughton (263460) for booking details. Everyone welcome.

January calendar yet to be arranged.

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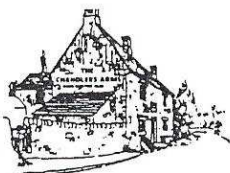
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Many thanks to all farmers and others who contributed produce to the Red Cross Christmas Appeal. A total of £2120 was raised. No one became a millionaire in the raffle but help will continue to be given to millions of needy people.

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The Village Hall Quiz.

The evening of 26th October saw 13 teams assembled to take part in the Quiz. Having found seats and got the wine flowing, the question sheets were handed out. A gentle opening round of acronyms to identify saw Nationwide and Horti take an early one point lead and in the following geography questions Nationwide extended their lead. The pictures of sportsmen and women saw the Common People and the Rectory coming into their own and at the supper break the Rectory had a 2 point lead over the Common People with Nationwide one point behind.

The supper break saw hedgerow fruits and berries, and pictures of farm machinery to be identified, which saw some imaginative answers for the machinery from a giant ice cube maker for the bale wrapper to a grain drill being put down as a giant knitting machine.

The marathon triplets which the teams had been working on throughout the first half saw most teams successfully matching the christian names and reasons for their fame, to the surnames and with the writing instrument round (25 crossword type clues to words starting with pen) Nationwide had once again taken the lead by 4 points from the Common People. The final round of pictures culled from newspapers and magazines proved to be Nationwides downfall and the Common People posted the joint highest score for the round, to take a 5 point victory.

The results in full;

Common People	186	The Rectory	162½
Nationwide	181	Rye Hill Farm	162½
The Interlopers	180	W.I.	161½
Horti.	176	Cricketers	160
The Sub Committee	176	Day Centre	156½
Five-a-Side	170	The Burdropouts	147½
Crossroads	169½		

The evening ended with the raffle which was well supported by many local Firms and the presentation of the trophy to the Common People.

We would like to thank Andy Gill and Tim Newcombe who donated the flower pots, Colegrave Seeds, Hook Norton Brewery, The Village Shops both here and in Hook Norton, Petals, John Mattchett, Bruce Hopkins, The Firs Garage, Steeles Carpets and Muriel Chandler for the raffle prizes, Joanna Gilkes and Muriel Chandler for preparing the supper. The questions were set by Helen and Adrian Lamb. The evening saw a profit in excess of £200 going into the Village Hall funds.

[Once again, Adrian, Helen *et al* have worked long & hard to provide us with an excellent evening of brain-teasing entertainment & tasty refreshments.]

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With Christmas just around the corner there will be many abandoned animals needing our help. Please do not add to this problem by buying an animal as a Christmas present. After reading this article, I hope you will copy my number into your personal directory - you never know when you will need it. Many thanks.

Julie Fox

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Donations, in kind, towards our Bazaar are gratefully received - and can be collected by us (780 458).

The Playgroup Christmas Party for attending children will be on the 18th December and term ends on Friday, 20th December.

Apologies to those of you who have telephoned for brochures - we are having some more printed and I shall be sending them out as soon as they are available. As usual, we welcome enquiries and visits from parents and carers (01295 780 458).

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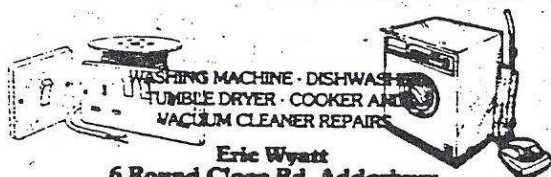
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Our thanks to everyone who has bought Christmas cards this year and to David Moir for allowing us to reproduce his lovely photograph of Sibford Ferris in the snow.

Believe it or not, now is the time to think about next year's card! So, when you are out with your camera during the winter months try to capture a distinctive village scene which would have instant appeal to residents of our two lovely villages and maybe we can feature your picture on next year's card. Do let us see your results in the early months of next year.

By request, we are going to hold another 'Old Fashioned Social' in the Village Hall on Thursday 16 January 1997 from 7 pm onwards. Once again we plan to entertain ourselves with old fashioned games (not party games) and we hope to include some which we didn't manage to fit in last time. All are welcome - from the youngest to the oldest. A real family evening to meet with friends and enjoy a social gathering. There will be no charge for the evening, just bring along yourselves and one plate of seasonal food, sweet or savoury to provide a table of light refreshments which can be pooled and shared. Beverages will be provided. We look forward to your company.

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W. I. NEWS & INFORMATION

Members arrived for the November meeting armed with baskets, garden trugs or carrier bags, the contents of which eventually resulted in a delightful display of Christmas table-centre arrangements. Firstly, though, Mrs Hutchinson had demonstrated just what could be achieved with a variety of sprigs of greenery, fir cones, ribbon and other appropriate accessories (and an artistic touch!) and then members set to work with their own materials with very gratifying results.

"If winter comes, can spring be far behind?" - and a sure confirmation when spring has arrived should be the display of daffodils at the village entrance signs. These have been donated by the W.I., planted by members and hopefully to be appreciated by local residents.

The W.I. quiz team had enjoyed their evening and were pleased to report an improvement on last year's placing!

In December we are invited to the home of the president for Members' Meeting when each member is asked to take a small wrapped gift for exchanging.

M.C.

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HOLY TRINITY CHURCH NEWS

The Remembrance Day Service took place on Sunday 9th November at 10.55 am. A large congregation, which included representatives of the uniformed organisations, Scouts, Brownies, Cubs and Beavers took part in the traditional Act of Remembrance around the War Memorial when the two minute silence was observed after the Rector, accompanied by Methodist Lay Preacher Mr Laurie Baker read the names of those villagers killed in the two world wars and the Canadian airmen killed in the crash nearby. Cdr Peter Baseby RN ret'd laid a wreath on behalf of the British Legion and Phillip Hall on behalf of the uniformed organisations. At the service in church which followed, an address was given by Mr Baker and Mr Mark Paine played the organ.

The Christmas Bazaar was held on Saturday 16th November and there was a large attendance from the villages and from the other parishes of the new Wykeham Benefice. The gross takings amounted to £966.25 and the Church Council is most grateful to those who ran the various stalls and games, those who gave gifts and donations and all those who supported the afternoon with their presence. A special thank you for Erica Wimbush who organised the event.

The church has an efficient new boiler and villagers can now expect an even warmer welcome than has been possible for some time. Perhaps this will help us to find a regular organist which we have not had since Mabel Payne retired some years ago. We are greatly supported by various volunteers who help out and of course we are greatly indebted to our Rector for managing to play at so many services which he conducts as well. We must be the only church in the country where the rector has 6 churches to staff every week, who frequently preaches at least at four of them and plays the organ at two of them and who is also Rural Dean with an overall responsibility for another 23 churches. Could this persuade a local musician to come forward to act as regular organist? The Royal School of Church Music runs, amongst many things, a "Reluctant Organists Course" which can help transform a pianist into a very respectable organist. A fee will be paid. Volunteers should speak to Timothy Wimbush.

Christmas Services are shown elsewhere in this publication. Please note that the Christingle Service will be held on Friday 20th December at 7.00 pm.

FREE BUS SERVICE - SIBFORD GOWER AND BURDROP

Just a reminder that the bus service, organised by the Town Estate Charity, which continues to run on alternate Fridays to Banbury and alternate Wednesdays to Chipping Norton (dates are shown on the back page) is for the use of all residents.

Would you please note, however, there will be no service to Chipping Norton on Wednesday 1 January.

The bus company, Barry's, is normally highly efficient but unfortunately on one occasion last June no transport turned up. Barry's did send profuse apologies to all those who were inconvenienced with the assurance that it was a 'one-off' problem.

If there are any queries or comments about the service would you please contact either the Secretary, Peter Baadsgaard, on 780378 or the Treasurer, Vera Jones, on 780222.

CHURCH SERVICES

Society of Friends

Methodist

Roman Catholic Mass (Hook Norton)
(Brailes)

Baptist (Hook Norton)

Sunday at 10.30 am

Sunday at 11.00 am

Sunday at 9.00 am

Sunday at 11.30 am

Sunday at 10.30 am

Church of England, Holy Trinity, Sibford Gower



1 Dec 10.00am Confirmation Service at Broughton

8 " 9.30am Holy Communion, Rite A

15 " 9.30am Matins

20 " 7.00pm Carols & Christingle Service

22 " 9.30am Holy Communion, Book of Common Prayer

24 " 11.30pm Midnight Mass

25 " 9.30am Family Christmas Communion

29 " 9.30am Holy Communion, Rite A

5 Jan 10.00am Benefice Eucharist at Swalcliffe

6 " 7.30pm Inaugural Eucharist of the Wykeham Benefice

12 " 9.30am Holy Communion, Rite A

19 " 9.30am Family Service

26 " 9.30am Holy Communion, Book of Common Prayer


2 Feb 10.00am Benefice Eucharist at Epwell

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INAUGURATION of the WYKEHAM BENEFICE

The Official Inaugural Eucharist of the Wykeham Benefice will take place at Holy Trinity Church on 6 January at 7.30pm. The Bishop of Dorchester will preside in the Church. After the service, refreshments will be served in the Village Hall.

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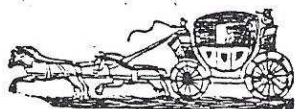
1. SIBFORD GOWER TOWN ESTATES BUS SERVICE

Free Bus Service for Residents of Sibford Gower and Burdrop

			Depart	Return
Wednesday	4 & 18 Dec	to Chippy	11.00am	1.00pm
Friday	13 & 27 Dec	to Banbury	10.00am	12.00noon
Friday	10 & 24 Jan	to Banbury	10.00am	12.00noon
Wednesday	15 & 29 Jan	to Chippy	11.00am	1.00pm

NOTE: NO SERVICE TO CHIPPY ON WEDNESDAY 1 JANUARY

The pick-up points are:



Banbury Bus

Village Hall

Crossroads

High Meadow

Chippy Bus

Village Hall

High Meadow

Crossroads

The Colony

2. MIDLAND RED. 480 Sibford - Banbury

Mon - Sat (M-S).

Mon - Fri, College Term only (M-F)

	Outward		Return (read up)	
	M-S	M-F	M-F	M-S
Sibford Gower Crossroads	7.30am	8.20am	5.20pm	6.30pm
Sibford Ferris School	7.32	8.22	5.18	6.28
Banbury Cross	7.55	8.45	4.58	6.08
Banbury Bus Station	8.00am	8.50am	4.55pm	6.05pm

3. JEFFS COACHES. 480 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	11.42	11.42	12.47	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

4. CHERWELL VILLAGER. 55 Sibford - Banbury

Wednesday only

Outward

Return (read up)

Sibford Gower	9.55am	1.15pm
Sibford Ferris	9.57	1.20
Banbury	10.50am	1.00pm

5. MIDLAND RED. X60 SERVICE WITHDRAWN

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CHURCH UNITY WEEK SERVICE
Sunday 19 January 2.45pm Methodist Chapel
Everyone Welcome - Refreshments

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DIARIST

I am very glad to say that Mrs Eileen Steele has agreed to act as Diarist for the villages of Broughton, Epwell, North Newington, Shutford, Sibford, Swalcliffe and Tadmarton as from 1st January 1997 after my retirement.

Eileen's address is: 13 Old Glebe, Tadmarton, Telephone: 01295 788593

I would urge all organisers in the villages to check first with Eileen before fixing the dates and times of events to ensure that you are not clashing with someone else and therefore depriving you both of attendance. Most people have become accustomed to this precaution but there are still some who rush into arrangements, and too late, find that something else is arranged for the same time.

Norman Nash

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FORTHCOMING EVENTS

DIARIST - Norman Nash (780275)
from 1.1.97 - Eileen Steele (788593)

1997

Jan	10 Fri	OTTC "Once upon a time"	Shutford Vill Hall	Anne Pritchard (780793)
Jan	16 Thu	Sibfords Soc Social Evening	Sib Village Hall	Maureen Hicks (780259)
Mch	20 Thur	Sibfords Soc AGM	Mission Hall	Maureen Hicks (780259)
Mch	21 Fri	OTTC "Mrs Beeton's History of the World"	Shutford Vill Hall	Anne Pritchard (780793)

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Copy for Guardian by FRIDAY please

LOCAL CHERWELL DISTRICT COUNCILLOR - David Green (Tel 780444)



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* TUESDAY 21 JANUARY *

Contributions to Editor, Treasurer or Shop

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CALENDAR for DECEMBER 1996

Sunday	1st	Table-Top Sale, Sibford Village Hall 2pm - see p 1
Tuesday	3rd	Friendship Club Christmas Lunch at Chippy - see p 6
Saturday	7th	Scouts Paper Collection
Saturday	7th	Methodist Chapel, Coffee Morning & Sale, 10am - see p 1
Saturday	7th	Playgroup Christmas Bazaar, Village Hall, 2pm - see p 9
Wednesday	11th	Mobile Library in Sibfords & Burdrop (2.25 - 4.20pm)
Wednesday	11th	Horti Society Christmas Evening - see p 4
Thursday	12th	Closing Date for JOHN LOGGINS Charity entries - see p12
Friday	13th	Christmas Music, Hooky Baptist Church - see p14
Saturday	14th	Skip in the Gower - Village Pond
Tuesday	17th	Friendship Club, Pantomime at Chippy - see p 6
Wednesday	18th	Playgroup Christmas Party - see p 9

CALENDAR for JANUARY 1997

Friday	3rd	Sports Mobile Roadshow, Sibford Village Hall - see p 3
Monday	6th	Inauguration of Wykeham Benefice - see p17
Wednesday	8th	Mobile Library in Sibfords & Burdrop (2.25 - 4.20pm)
Thursday	16th	Sibfords Society 'Old Fashioned Social' - see p13
Saturday	18th	Skip in the Gower - Acre Ditch
Monday	20th	Sibford School - Open Morning - see p11
Tuesday	21st	LEO Club New Year Dinner, The Gate Hangs High - see p11
TUESDAY	21st	* DEADLINE for FEB/MARCH SCENE CONTRIBUTIONS - see p 1 *
Wednesday	22nd	Mobile Library in Sibfords & Burdrop (2.25 - 4.20pm)

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