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FEBRUARY / MARCH 1997

MISSING. ONE NEBULISER from SIBFORD SURGERY

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THE MILLENNIUM PANELS

After a break for Christmas, work is now under way again. All are welcome to join us and to make their own personal contribution.

Mollie Mulley (780629)

Nature Notes.

Dec. 14th. I read that radioactivity found in lobsters in the Irish Sea near Sellafield has increased 40 fold since 1993. While we are assured that these lobsters are still safe to eat one wonders for how much longer that will be the case.

Dec. 17th. It was nice to hear a mistle thrush singing this morning. We seem to have lost the pair that usually defend the berries on our holly tree and in consequence the redwings have had a free hand and have almost stripped the tree.

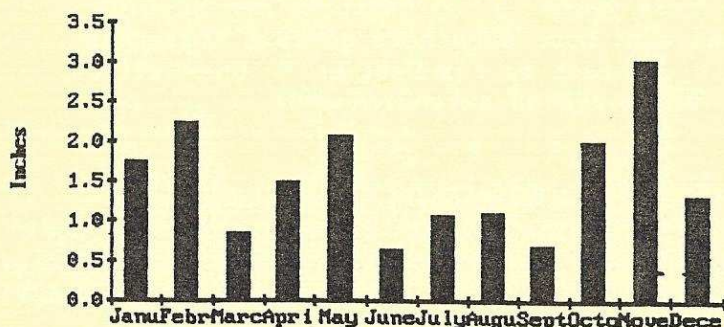
Dec. 18th. While the governments of Europe argue their cases for bigger shares of the fish quota the fishing of sand eels goes on unabated. The sand eel population has been reduced to the level at which seabirds like the puffin are not finding enough to feed to their chicks. As they are also the main food of cod and haddock they must also be affected. It may be that a ban on the fishing of sand eels, which are used to make animal feed and fertilizer, would do more to maintain fish stocks than fishing quotas do.

Dec. 24th. While searching for some lost sheep I walked to within 10 yards of a charcoal coloured fox curled up asleep on the frozen ground. After a few seconds it raised its head, saw me, and dived down its hole. I expect it got my scent as I was walking with the freezing wind at my back. I don't know why they sometimes choose to sleep above ground in such weather.

Dec. 28th. There were 7 bullfinches feeding on the nettle seed in our piece of woodland this morning; also a jay, a great spotted woodpecker as well as the fieldfares, redwings and blackbirds that were eating the apples that we put out.

Jan. 1st. I only measured 18.24 inches of rain in 1996 which is almost four inches less than in 1995. Again the summer months were very dry

Annual Rainfall 1996



with the seven months from March to September producing only 7.9 inches, but autumn 96 was also well below average

so it is not surprising that streams are running low.

Jan 3rd. Very cold morning. The temperature at Temple Mill dropped to -12°C (10°F). I have seen an enormous number of fox tracks in the snow but only onset of hare tracks. Why the population of hares has fallen to this level I don't know. With all the winter corn and oil seed rape now grown they must have plenty of winter feed.

Jan 8th. Put up a woodcock at Lambs Pool. It must be difficult for them to find anywhere soft enough to probe for food in this freezing weather.

Jan 10th. The first brambling that we have seen for a few years came to our birdtable today.

Jan 11th. Milder weather at last. If the muntjac that we saw in the garden today is the same one that we frequently saw last spring then its leg has completely healed. There are fewer coal tits visiting our birdtable now. They may have dispersed to other feeding sites or the cold weather may have taken its toll in which case I expect wrens will also have suffered.

Jan 17th. The brambling looks much like a chaffinch but it has now learned to feed at the nut container which no chaffinch has yet done.

Jan 18th. A female blackcap was feeding on the apples today. We saw a wren today and a goldcrest along Burdrop Lane yesterday, so small birds may not have been too badly affected by the cold weather.

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CAN YOU HELP?

Having finished my education at the village primary school, the Warriner and an international school, I have been selected by GAP to join a team of volunteers teaching English in primary schools in Ecuador, South America. I shall spend six months in Quito before going up to Edingburgh University to study Spanish and Portuguese in Oct. 1997. I have to raise over £2,500 to take part in this endeavour, covering my flight, insurance, a T.E.F.L. course, and my expenses in Ecuador. Since September, I have been working at Alex Lawrie Factors in Banbury - prior to that I worked in various factories - to raise the necessary funds.

If anyone would like to sponsor me to ensure that I reach my target, I would be very, very grateful.

Jenny Pidgeon, Burdrop Green, Sibford Gower. 780360

FRIENDSHIP CLUB

There's not a lot to report this month, our Christmas lunch & pantomime trip seem quite a long time ago, but everyone appeared to enjoy themselves on both occasions. Unfortunately, the January outing had to be cancelled due to the weather, so that leaves me with just the February arrangements to report, which are that -
on Tuesdays 4 & 18 February we will meet at 2pm in Sibford Village Hall.

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RYDER-CHESHIRE LEISURE ACTIVITIES SCHEME

This scheme is part of the Ryder-Cheshire Foundation initiated by Lady Ryder & Group Captain Lord Cheshire in 1958.

It is designed to assist people with a disabling physical condition to relieve the boredom & isolation of their very restricted lives by taking up a leisure activity or hobby, in partnership with a volunteer with the same interest.

At present I am looking for two lady volunteers - one who enjoys painting and one who enjoys swimming.

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Your Sibford Scene for March.

March will see the first issue put together by Adrian Lamb. All the usual elements of the Scene will be included (the Calender, Nature Notes etc.) with, I hope, some articles of a more general nature. I have approached several Societies, Clubs and individuals who I think could contribute articles but please feel free to come forward with any suggestions. While I hope to have a slightly different product, all your forthcoming event announcements will be included.

Living at Grounds Farm makes getting copy to me a little more difficult, but the usual collection points of the Treasurer or Shop will be available and my wife, sister or parents will always pass items on. Any contributors who send in printed copy do please remember the Scene is based on A5 pages. I can be contacted on 780380.

[The deadline for contributions for Adrian's March issue is Tuesday 18 February, but I am sure he would appreciate receiving items as early as possible - he is a working lad, with limited time available for his new duties. Good Luck, Adrian. Ed.]

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The Sibford Scene for April/May including

The 1997 Brown Envelopes Appeal

In the excitement of anticipating Adrian's March issue, the usual annual appeal in March for contributions to our funds was forgotten; but don't worry, our Purchasing Dept will soon be putting out competitive tenders for stocks of brown envelopes and little sticky labels so that the 1997 appeal can be launched in the April/May issue of the Scene. The deadline for the April/May issue will be Tuesday 18 March.

The Editor

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FINAL DONATIONS in 1996 for SIBFORD SCENE FUNDS

This month we say "THANK YOU" to Sibford Ferris Parish Council and the Epwell & Sibford Branch of the North Oxon Conservative Association for their very useful donations to our funds in December. The total donations received in 1996, from 15 of our local organisations, amounted to £261. Many thanks to you all for your support - we hope to continue providing you with as good a service as space will allow.

The Editor

LEO CLUB News

LEO members gathered at *The Gate Hangs High* on 21 January for a most enjoyable New Year dinner.

The next Club meeting will be at 8pm on Tuesday 18 February at the home of Miriam Henbrey at Virginia Cottage in the Ferris. After members have caught up on the latest village news, there will be a series of debates on topics chosen at random from those proposed by members.

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METHODIST CHURCH

We would like to thank everyone who supported our Coffee Morning in December when we realized the wonderful amount of £480 which will help towards our re-furbishment of the Chapel.

We also thank all those who attended the Carol Service and helped to make it such an enjoyable morning. BH

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GUIDE DOGS for the BLIND ASSN

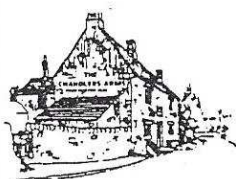
Very many thanks to all those who helped and so generously supported the Coffee Morning on 23 October. We were able to send a cheque for £367.79 to the GDBA. CR

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"Hook Norton Community Education Centre - Classes for the Spring start week commencing 6th January with most of our existing courses continuing and new ones planned. We also have Saturday Workshops on 8th February including Aromatherapy, Oral History and Children's Sweetmaking. Please contact the Community Education Office on 01608 730052 for a copy of our programme."

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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 two families, who introduce themselves:

Ian and Fran O'Hare, with their two children Alexandra (4) and Callam (2), moved into 4 Mannings Close at the end of August. Ian is a Training Manager with the Lloyds TBS group, based in Aylesbury. Fran is a part-time air stewardess with British Airways, flying from Heathrow. She has recently finished a degree course in psychology and now plans to begin her masters.

They have relocated six times in the past seven years with Ian's work, last living in Wetherby, Yorkshire. They enjoy village life and hope now to set some roots in the Sibfords. Alexandra goes to school in Banbury and would love to make friends with children in the village of her own age to play with at weekends and in the holidays.

David & Angy Bovill and Edward (9) and William (8) are new residents at Shrubbery Cottage, Sibford Ferris. We moved from Epwell just before Christmas and are already feeling quite at home. Edward and William are at the Gower Primary School. Angy has taught horticulture at Sibford Friends School for 12 years and David has been plying his trade as a builder in these and nearby villages for a similar period.

Not surprisingly, we have many friends and acquaintances in the Sibfords, so moving has felt more of a homecoming than a major upheaval. Also, not surprisingly, Angy and I are looking forward to getting to grips with the house and garden, which offer plenty of scope for exercising our respective skills.

SIBFORD GOWER PARISH COUNCIL

* Parish Council Meeting - 31 January *

Next Sibford Gower Parish Council is on 31st January at 8pm in the Primary School. At the last meeting Mr Powell was co-opted onto the Parish Council following the vacancy that arose due to the resignation of Mr Parmiter.

The Council has received information on 'The Outreach Service'. This is a service provided by the Citizens Advice Bureau for the housebound. The Outreach Service will arrange for a personal visit by a trained adviser to help clients needing advice on a wide range of subjects. Contact the clerk for more information.

Petra Berry, Clerk to Sibford Gower Parish Council (Tel. 780462).

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£120 for SIBFORD FERRIS PLAYAREA GROUP

A lot of thanks to Joan & Jim Shields for opening their house on 29 November for a fund-raising Soup & Tea afternoon. People enjoyed a choice of delicious warming vegetable soup or a cup of tea, sitting round their cosy rayburn.

There was an interesting raffle with prizes of wine, chocs, a selection of plants, a handmade pot, two enormous frozen trout, etc, etc. The bric-a-brac & cakes sold well. [like hot cakes? Ed.]

It gives us a lot of encouragement when we receive so much support. A grand total of £120.24 was raised. *THANK YOU.* JG

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SIBFORD FERRIS PARISH COUNCIL

The Parish Council had one of it's longest meetings yet in the week before Christmas and several members of the public were present. It was not Christmas festivities that were entertaining us but concern over some planning matters.

As there were so many of the public present, the Chairman took the unusual step of dealing with planning matters first. This pleased most people in the public seats (particularly as the heating was not on in the school library!) but sadly one member who thought he had judged the timing just right and hoped to miss the boring bits arrived just as we had finished planning!

The usual matters were discussed and parishioners may have noticed that already we have the kissing gates in position at the ends of the footpaths. The long awaited cover for the notice board has not been put in place yet due to problems with fixing it. The latest suggestion is that the cover should slide and suitable runners are being sought.

We have had a letter from the Carers Centre offering to do a presentation of their work if there is any local organisation that would appreciate this. There are many carers in our own two villages and it may be that an organisation would like to have a talk from one of the professionals at the centre where they do such sterling work on behalf of carers and their loved ones. If so, you can contact the Carers Centre direct on Banbury 264545.

This will be the last account of the Parish Council which I will be writing for the Scene, as from 1 January 1997 I have ceased to be the Clerk due to pressure of other work. The new Clerk is David Moir and his telephone number is 788241.

Judith Weeks.

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Special thanks to Dr Martin Harris for his kind care & attention, to Timothy Wimbush for a beautiful service and to Maurice Humphris for their excellent arrangements. BJ

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ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - POPPY APPEAL 1996

The total collected house-to-house plus the Remembrance Sunday collection and wreath donations from Sibford Gower PC and the Scout organisation amounted to £603.04.

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John Mulley, Hon. Organiser, Sibfords

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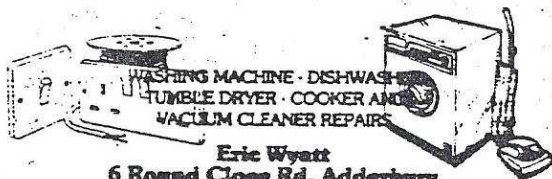
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Tickets in advance are £5 each including a glass of wine & a canape lunch and are available from:-

Robert Tompkins 780541

Peter Baseby 780544

or from any committee member.



The ANNUAL DINNER, for members only, will take place at THE GATE HANGS HIGH on THURSDAY 27 FEBRUARY at 7.30 for 8.00pm. For details & reservations, please telephone as above.



NOTICE is hereby given that the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Branch will be at 8.00pm at the Chairman's home at Parson's Barn Farm on Tuesday 18 February.

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1997 Programme

March 12th	"Cherwell in Bloom" by Mr. Crowther
April 9th	"Delphiniums" by Mr. Woodfield
April 17th	Coffee Morning at The Court House, Sibford Gower
May 14th	"Climbers and Wall Shrubs" by Mrs. Cropley
June 7th	Plant Sale at Park Farm House, Sibford Gower
June 19th	Outing - destination yet to be finalised
August 16th	Annual Show

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W. I. NEWS & INFORMATION

The December meeting was a very informal gathering at the president's home, when gifts and greetings were exchanged, and festive fare much appreciated.

Business was again brief at the January meeting. An appeal from the Horton Cancer Care Unit was sympathetically received and a fund raising event was fixed for May 20th. Suggestions for the forthcoming '97-98 programme were many and varied, and how to increase our membership also met with a variety of ideas.

Our meetings are friendly and informative - one member sought advice on purchasing a new vacuum cleaner, and another told of her memorable day-trip to Boulogne, via *THE TUNNEL*, impeccably organized by the County W.I.

Delightful floral baskets, made by Glennis, were presented to our p.p. sec. and to a member safely returned from hospital.

Our next meeting, on Feb. 11th., at 2.00 pm., will feature "TALK ON GOZO - portrait of an island" which will be given by Mr John Everett.

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HOLY TRINITY CHURCH NEWS

A Pancake Party will be held in the Sibford Village Hall on Shrove Tuesday 11th February 1997 at 7.30 pm. Everyone from the villages is welcome and if you intend to be present, please advise the PCC Secretary, Norman Nash (The Red House, Burdrop, 780275) so that numbers can be catered for. During the course of the party, the Annual Parochial Church meeting will take place and, it is hoped, will cover a very short time as a full written report covering the church's activities for the year will, for the first time in this parish, be distributed in advance.

As last year, Lent Austerity lunches will be held on the Monday of each week in the various Parishes in the Wykeham Benefice starting on 17th February in the order: Broughton, Swalcliffe, Epwell, Sibford, Tadmarton, Shutford. That in Sibford will be on 10th March and will be from 12.30pm at Barn Close, Burdrop. In each case, a collection will be taken for a charity nominated by the host of the lunch.

The Benefice Maundy Thursday service of Eucharist including a ceremony of Washing of Feet will take place in Sibford Church at 8.00 pm on 27th March followed by a watch of prayer until midnight.

Christmas services in the Benefice were exceptionally well attended with many friends from the other parishes at the Midnight Mass in Sibford. The Church Council is most grateful for the wonderful Christmas decorations in the church. There were 90 children and 40 adults at the children's Advent Celebration Day when the story of Advent was expressed through storytelling, music, crafts and other activities. There will be another such day on Good Friday 28th March in this successful series of events.

The official opening service of the Wykeham Benefice was held in Sibford on Monday 6th January when Bishop Anthony presided, preached and commissioned Canon Timothy Wimbush and Rev Keith Walklate as Rector and assistant respectively. A large congregation stayed on for a buffet supper in the church.

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2 Feb	10.00am	Benefice Eucharist at Epwell
9 "	9.30am	Holy Communion
16 "	9.30am	Family Service
23 "	9.30am	Holy Communion
2 Mar	10.00am	Benefice Eucharist at Shutford
9 "	9.30am	Mothering Sunday Family Service
16 "	9.30am	Holy Communion
23 "	10.00am	Palm Sunday Benefice Eucharist, Swalcliffe (meet at 9.55am at Tithe Barn)
27 "	8.00pm	Benefice MAUNDY THURSDAY Service - see p16
28 "	2.00pm	Good Friday Quiet Hour at Epwell
	6.00pm	Good Friday Service at Shutford
	7.30pm	Good Friday Service & choir at Broughton
30 "	9.30am	Easter Day Family Communion



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Lent Holy Communion at Sibford at 7.30am on
Thursday 13, 20 & 27 February and 6, 13 & 20 March.

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THE OLD TESTAMENT - A REVISED VERSION

As told by several schoolchildren

Moses led the Hebrews to the Red Sea, where they made unleavened bread, which is made without any ingredients. The Egyptians were all drowned in the dessert. Then Moses went up on Mount Cyanide.

The First Commandment was Eve telling Adam to eat the apple. The Fifth Commandment is to humour thy father & mother. The Seventh Commandment is thou shalt not admit adultery.

Samson was a strongman who slayed the Philistines with the axe of the apostles.

The greatest miracle in the Bible is when Joshua told his son to stand still - and he obeyed him.

The Jews were a proud people but throughout history they had trouble with unsympathetic Genitals.

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SIBFORD BUS SERVICES

1. SIBFORD GOWER TOWN ESTATES BUS SERVICE

Free Bus Service for Residents of Sibford Gower and Burdrop

			Depart	Return
Friday	7 & 21 Feb	to Banbury	10.00am	12.00noon
Wednesday	12 & 26 Feb	to Chippy	11.00am	1.00pm
Friday	7 & 21 Mar	to Banbury	10.00am	12.00noon
Wednesday	12 & 26 Mar	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. 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

6. CHERWELL DC DIAL-A-RIDE SCHEME - A mini-bus with tail-lift to take ELDERLY OR DISABLED PEOPLE, and escort, to Banbury (max fare £1). Door-to-door service. Book in advance.
 * * * Phone 263777 for more details or to book. * * *

SIBFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL PRESENTS: *THE BODY SHOP DIRECT*
 Wednesday 26 February 8pm - School Hall - Tickets £1.00
 For details, phone Martin Layer 788139

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WEEKLY EVENTS

Guides	Hook Norton	Monday	evening
Indoor Bowls	Village Hall	Monday	2.00 - 4.00pm
Brownies	Village Hall	Tuesday	5.15 - 6.45pm
Mums & Toddlers	Friends School	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 - Eileen Steele (788593)

13 Old Glebe, Tadmarton

Mar 14	Fri	Quiz for Chemotherapy Unit, Horton Hosp	Taddy VH 7.30pm	788426
Mar 21	Fri	OTTC 'Mrs Beeton's History of the World'	Shutford Vill Hall	780793
Apr 13	Sun	Tadmorton Open Gardens	Teas Taddy VH 2pm	780212
Apr 17	Thu	Sib Horti Soc Coffee Morning	Court Hse, Sib Gower	788400
Apr 19	Sat	Swal/Taddy Horti Soc Spring Show	Taddy VH 2pm	788278
Jun 7	Sat	Sib Horti Soc Plant Sale	Park Farm Hse, Gower	780544
Jun 7	Sat	Swal/Taddy Horti Soc Coach Trip	ERDDIG(NT)-tickets	788278
Jun 14	Sat	Garden Fete, Huntington's Disease, 2pm	The Gables, Taddy	780630
Jun 19	Thu	Sib Horti Soc Outing	[not yet decided]	
Jun 27/28/29		Flower/Arts Festival	Winderton Church 01608685226	
Jly 5	Sat	Sibford Church Summer Garden Party, 2.30pm	[not yet decided]	780275
Aug 16	Sat	Sib Horti Soc Annual Show	Sibford Vill Hall	
Sep 7	Sun	Swal/Taddy Horti Soc Show	Swal VH 2pm	788278
Sep 21	Sun	Tadmorton Open Gardens	Teas Taddy VH 2pm	780212
Nov 22	Sat	Sibford Church Xmas Bazaar, 2.30pm	Sibford VH	780275

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CALENDAR for FEBRUARY 1997

Saturday 1st Scouts Paper Collection
Saturday 1st Jumble Sale, Sibford Village Hall/Church Funds - see p 1
Tuesday 4th Friendship Club, meet in Village Hall - see p 4
Wednesday 5th Mobile Library in Sibfords & Burdrop (2.25 - 4.20pm)
Friday 7th Sibford School - Open Morning - see p11
Tuesday 11th W.I. meeting - see p15
Tuesday 11th Pancake Party & Annual Parochial Meeting, see p16
Saturday 15th Skip in the Gower - Pound Lane
Monday 17th First weekly Lent Austerity Lunch - see p16
Tuesday 18th Friendship Club, meet in Village Hall - see p 4
Tuesday 18th LEO Club meeting - see p 6
Tuesday 18th Conservative Assn, Annual General Meeting - see p13
Tuesday 18th * DEADLINE for Adrian's MARCH issue - see p 5 *
Wednesday 19th Mobile Library in Sibfords & Burdrop (2.25 - 4.20pm)
Friday 21st Sports Mobile Roadshow, Sibford Village Hall - see p 1
Wednesday 26th Sibford Primary School, 'The Body Shop Direct' - see p19
Thursday 27th Bingo at Sibford Village Hall, 7.30pm - see p 1
Thursday 27th Conservative Assn Annual Dinner - see p13

CALENDAR for MARCH 1997

Saturday 1st Scouts Paper Collection
Monday 3rd Sibford Cricket Club A.G.M., Bishop Blaize - see p10
Wednesday 5th Mobile Library in Sibfords & Burdrop (2.25 - 4.20pm)
Monday 10th Sibford School - Open Morning - see p11
Monday 10th Lent Austerity Lunch in Sibford - see p16
Wednesday 12th Horti Society meeting - see p14
Saturday 15th Skip in the Gower - Barley Close
Sunday 16th Conservative Assn 'Get-Together', 12noon - see p13
Tuesday 18th LEO Club meeting
TUESDAY 18th * DEADLINE for APRIL/MAY SCENE CONTRIBUTIONS - see p 5 *
Wednesday 19th Mobile Library in Sibfords & Burdrop (2.25 - 4.20pm)
Thursday 20th Sibfords Society AGM, Mission Hall
Friday 28th Children's Holiday Club, Gower School, 9.30am-12.30pm, p16

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