

Do you want double yellow lines throughout the village?

The Gower Parish Council are considering ways of solving the parking problems. See page 4 and the Calendar for the next Parish Council Meeting

Sibford Gower Primary School PTA
Bonfire and Fireworks Display
Thursday 5th November
Gates Open at 6 O'Clock See page 18

Help Needed at the Fielding Daycare Centre

More help needed with most aspects of this community service.

See page 15

Nature Notes

Sept 25th. I thought I caught a glimpse of a weasel in the garden yesterday and it was still around today, sprinting across the drive and lawn, so must be finding some food. Years ago weasels were welcome visitors to our rickyard at this time of year as they helped to control the mice in the corn ricks. They were slim enough to follow the tunnels that the mice chewed through and between the sheaves, chewing many of the sheaf strings as they went. The loose corn made the job of the men on the rick more difficult when it came to threshing time as it made it harder to see where each sheaf was and wasted energy when they stuck the fork into two and had to drop them and try again as the string cutter wanted the one at a time.

Sept 30th. The rains have brought on the first flush of the fungus, which is aptly named lawyers wig, that adorn our lawn each autumn.

Oct 3rd. A pair of grey wagtails paid a rare visit to our garden pond today. The male looking very smart with its slate grey back and lemon yellow underparts and the female not quite so bright looking more like a pied wagtail.

Oct 10th. I had always thought of sticky groundsel as a rare plant in this district, only having seen it in one farm, but this afternoon I found several plants flowering where a heap of chippings had been cleared. Perhaps the seed was introduced with the chippings.

Oct 12th. The wasps in the nest that my daughter found hanging in a gooseberry bush died out naturally early in September but the one in our roof space above the bathroom window is still very strong. I am surprised at how active they are in the early morning. I get up at a quarter to seven and if I put the bathroom light on without first closing the hopper window the wasps come in at a great rate. This morning six came in in a few minutes. They must be attracted by the light as they don't come in during daylight hours.

Oct 17th. I have just heard hat a raven, a bird very rarely seen in this part of the country, was seen at Sibford Gower on Sept. 12th.

Oct 20th. Yet another song thrush died when it flew against our window They seem to be more prone than other birds to die in this many as we do, this one cause of death

The Millennium Panels

Please may I remind you that we need all work in before Christmas. Many people have worked hard to ensure the success of this community project. Please may I ask contributors to call into one of our workshops to check that you have added your initials to your contribution.

We have six workshops left. Please note dates.

Workshops at Sibford Gower Endowed Primary School Sunday at 2.30 pm. Weekday evenings at 7.00 pm.

November Sundays 22.29.

Evenings Monday 2, Tuesday 10, Wednesday 18. Mollie Mulley Tel. 780629



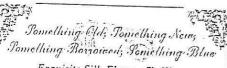
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Do you want double yellow lines throughout the village and the police to vigorously enforce them?

Sibford Gower Parish Council is appealing for help from all car, truck and van owners to park their vehicles off the road if at all possible. The Council has appealed for your co-operation in this matter on numerous occasions in the past and your response has been disappointing.

Parking in both villages has become a problem, increasingly cars etc. are being parked on the road, especially near to junctions and blind bends which is both dangerous and inconsiderate to both other road users and pedestrians.

The Council is concerned that a serious accident will occur and therefore are currently in discussions with the local police with a view to solving the problem in the worst affected area, i.e. Sibford Gower Cross-roads, the area around the pond and of course the corners in Burdrop, and thus are appealing to villagers with off street parking facilities to use them.

The Council will monitor the situation over the next weeks and unless there is an improvement they will be discussing ways of solving the problem which will include yellow lines, 'no parking' signs, issue of parking tickets and obstruction notices.

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Sibford Ferris Playarea Group

We would like to thank everyone who supported us at the Jumble Sale held in October which raised £78, a healthy sum.

The group are at present still trying to find a treasurer. There are no real high finances tied to the job and any willing volunteers should contact either Bernie Jones 780343 or Joanna Gilkes 788190.

Neighbourhood Watch

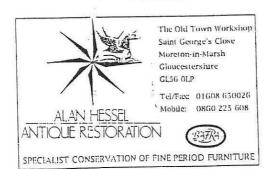
We have been warned about car thefts and theft from cars.

Please do not ignore car alarms and noises at night with dark evenings make sure all your property - house and sheds etc. are secure.

Please do not allow any strangers into your property. Always be sure to check the identification of any callers or officials at the door.

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A NOTE FROM THE PLAYGROUP COMMITTEE

We are very pleased with our newly fenced playarea outside the Village Hall.Our thanks to the Hall Committee for erecting it in time for the Autumn term.

With such a pleasant area to use, we have bought and installed some new play equipment for the playgroup children to use. It is also available for hirers of the Hall, for children's parties, for example.

However, the equipment has already suffered some damage. The swings are only meant for ages up to 8, yet children in their teens have been using them. As a result, the frame has sunk on one side and, more seriously, one of the bars on the skateboard swing has been bent.

We are sorry to have to do this, but please can we ask that children are made aware that this playarea is not for general use.

The Playgroup Committee

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SIBFORD TOTS AND BABES

We are nicely settled in to our new home in the Friends' Meeting house and have seen lots of new faces this term. We would love to welcome any new arrivals in the Sibfords - Wednesdays 10.30 to 12.00 Phone Christine Bell 780036 or just pop into the session.

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Sibford Society Meeting 15 Oct.

David Eddershaw gave an excellent talk with slides on Oxfordshire Market Towns to the Sibford Society.

Chipping Norton is a particularly good example because the layout of the streets and the land behind the houses facing onto the market place (now mostly car park) has not been re-developed to any great extent. It still shows, particularly in an aerial photo, the strips of land behind each of the houses (now shops) going up to Albion Street, which used to be called Back Lane. The houses, too, still have very similar width frontages, as the first buildings there must have had.

The church is well on the edge of the town, where the original village of Norton, mentioned in the Domesday book was situated, as was the castle consisting of motte and bailie, (again visible in the aerial photo). When the King granted a market to Norton, it was developed in its present position and the town was built round it and became known as Chipping Norton.

David Eddershaw showed slides of other market towns in Oxfordshire and some of the covered, pillared and arched buildings (butter crosses) where the wives sold their butter, eggs, cheese etc; these areas were slightly raised and paved to keep them out of the mud of the market square.

David Eddershaw was a first class speaker, who, I for one, hope will be invited again, as he has many subjects on which he is an expert.

I.L.

Sibford Methodist Chapel Coffee Morning

Saturday 5th December 10am to 12 noon in the Chapel. Various christmas Stalls. Come and enjoy a cup of coffee and home made biscuits.

Friendship Club.

We had a lovely afternoon at the Guide Dog for the Blind centre at Learnington and saw how the dogs are trained to help blind people. We then went on to Stratford for a delicious tea before making our way home.

Our programme for November and December is as follows; Tuesday 3rd Nov. Moreton market and then on to Winchcombe for afternoon tea. Coach will leave Epwell at 12 noon and then on to Sibford etc.

Wednesday 25th Nov. Christmas tea in the Village Hall with entertainment to follow. The entertainment will be provided by performers from Stratford and will commence at approx. 7.30pm. If anyone from the Village would like to join us for the entertainment they will be more than welcome. We shall hold a raffle and all proceeds will go towards the repairs to the Church roof.

Tuesday 15th. Dec. Christmas lunch at the Sun Inn, Hook Norton. A coach will be provided. All enquiries to Mrs Boughton 263460

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Sibford Horticultural Society

At the October meeting Mr Leach gave an interesting account of a day with Beth Chatto in her garden and nursery and also brought plants for sale. Luckily members of Shenington and Swalcliffe gardening club attended as many of our regular members were away.

On Wednesday 11th November, we again have Mr Hirons who is going to talk on British Wildlife. We do hope many visitors will come along and listen to his talk.

Now the dark evenings are here, maybe it is time to think about handicrafts for the Sibford Annual Show 1999. We do hope to have more entries than this year and the following classes in the handicraft section are:-

A sewn garment,

A handicraft exhibit.

A hand knitted article,

A piece of tapestry,

A piece of embroidery,

The spirit was willing!

We look forward to the next meeting on 11th November and we do hope you can all come.

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The Village Hall Quiz

The Hall was filled to overflowing as thirteen teams joined the competition this year. With a varied first round of general questions all teams got a good start but putting the Cabinet ministers in their correct roles proved to be a few teams undoing. A round called 'Cops on the Box' followed and some light hearted quotations from the world of films took us to the supper break. During the break the teams were not idle. With the 'Hills and Mountains Marathon'(a map with lines to locate mountain ranges) handed out at the start of the evening to complete, a page of collective nouns to sort out and some breeds of farm animal to identify eating supper became a secondary occupation. After marking these, a round of pictures culled from the newspapers to be identified wrapped the competition up and the raffle was drawn. Ian O'Hare, as chairman of the Village Hall Committee, presented the trophy to the winning team 'The Bramley Pips'.

The Results:

174	W.I.	144.5
172.5	The Zeds	144.5
167.5		142.5
166	Yorkists	139.5
164.5	Clueless	135.5
154.5	The Misfits	109
149.5		,
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Thanks must go to all those who gave raffle prizes and supported the event on the night, to the Bishop Blaize for their help with the wine and to Muriel Chandler, Joanna Gilkes and Helen Lamb who cooked the food for the evening.

The event raised £276 for the Village Hall funds. Thank you all. A.L.

Christmas Bazaar for Macmillan Cancer Relief at Brailes Village Hall on November 7th. 10am - 3pm. Admission 50p M.Stratton

Sibford Cricket Club

Review of the Season

The season finished on a positive note, with the club winning the last three fixtures including an eight wicket win at Brailes. After what was on reflection a good, but nevertheless disappointing season, the club finished joint fourth in the league and had an overall record of:

Played 28 Won 17 Lost 9 Drawn 2

Had we not made a poor start we may well have won promotion nevertheless we must be pleased to have finished this high with what is still a relatively inexperienced and young team. The average age of the team was further reduced by the absence of Roger and Philip Gilbert through injuries; we hope they will be able to return on a more regular basis next season. In the absence of Roger the bowling was bolstered by the arrival of Matt Walsh from neighbours Radway, and by the return to action of Tom Holliday and Chris Sabin. As far as batting is concerned Ian Wollerton carried on this season in the same vein as last year to again top the averages. He was supported in his efforts by the return to form of Dave Simms and Dave Pratt, the latter being rejuvenated having given up the captaincy of the club. At the clubs annual end of season dinner the batting and bowling awards for leading run scorer and wicket taker respectively were presented to Dave Simms and Jason Barton. Dave Simms' 591 runs were enough to beat off competition from Ian Wollerton whose 559 and Dave Pratt whose 444 runs left them second and third highest run scores respectively. Similarly Jason Barton's tally of 35 wickets were enough to take the best bowlers title from Simon Chard who came second, taking 33 wickets and Matt Walsh with 29 wickets in third place. The Inaugural Sibford Cricket Club Players Player of the Year Award was presented to Dave Simms, with Richard Morbey and Lee Gilbert in joint second place.

Once again we wish to thank Sam and Shelia for all their efforts on the night and their continued sponsorship through the season.

Results

Sibford Vs. Brailes: Sibford won by 8 wickets

Brailes 187 for 4: M. Walsh 2 for 21

Sibford 191 for 2: D.Simms 91, I.Wollerton 55 not out.

Sibford Vs Deddington: Sibford won by 46 runs

Sibford 175 for 5: D.Simms 62, D.Pratt 36

Deddington 129 all out: L.Gilbert 3 for 30, J.Barton 2 for 14

Sibford Vs Mickleton: Sibford won by 95 runs Sibford 187 for 7: D.Pratt 62, Richard Morbey 28

Mickleton 92 all out: R.Gilbert 3 for 10, S.Chard 2 for 11

Many thanks for the excellent cricket reports this season. Ed.

Averages 1998

Batting

NAME	INNINGS	NOT OUT	HIGHEST SCORE	TOTAL RUNS	AVERAGE	50'S	CATCHES/ STUMPINGS
I Wollerton	22	3	70*	559	29.4	5	11/2
D Simms	25	4	91	591	28.1	4	8
D Pratt	20	1	62	444	23.3	3	4
l Davies	16	3	39	233	19.6	0	2
J Barton	26	1	38*	340	13.6	0	16
D lnns	19	1	63	237	13.1	1	7/1
Rc Morbey	16	6	28	142	12.9	0	7/1
Rn Morbey	15	1	35*	163	11.6	0	7/1
K Peachey	26	7	31	215	11.3	0	7
S Chard	21	8	28	129	9.9	0	4
M Walsh	14	0	21	79	5.6	0	4
L Gilbert	11	5	3	8	1.3	0	4

Qualification 5 Completed Innings

Bowling

NAME	OVERS	MAIDEN S	RUNS	WICKETS	AVERAGE	STRIKE RATE	ECONOMY
T 11 11 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	57.2	16	155	13	11.9	4.3	2.7
T Holliday	30.4	5	98	8	12.2	3.7	3.2
R Gilbert	1	6	326	23	14.1	3.4	4.1
L Gilbert	79.2	35	414	29	14.2	5	2.8
M Walsh	147	29	508	33	15.3	4.6	3.2
S Chard	154.2		264	17	155	4	3.8
D lnns	69.1	13		35	16.4	6	2.7
J Barton	212	48	577	6	18.3	6.1	2.9
C Sabin	37	6	110		19.8	6.6	2.9
1 Davies	40	9	119	6		4.8	4.2
J Simms	29.9	3	122	6	20.3		

Qualification 20 Overs



We were very lucky to have David Eddershaw give us a talk on North Oxfordshire Market Towns at our last meeting. He began by telling us that Chipping Norton is the best surviving example if a medieval town in Oxfordshire and was originally called

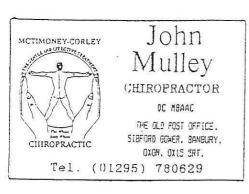
Norton. There are still markets in a number of towns, including Thame, Henley, Woodstock, Bicester and Banbury, which is the biggest market town in Oxfordshire. Deddington and Burford have, unfortunately, both lost their markets.

Our next meeting will take place on Thursday 19 November at the Methodist Chapel at 7.30 pm when Joyce Hoad will talk on local family histories, which should give a fascinating insight to the history of the village.

XMAS CARDS are now available from members of the committee, who will be calling on you to take your orders in the near future and are also for sale at the Surgery.

Diary Dates -

Wed 4 Nov Local History - Kate Tiller. Swalcliffe Village Hall - 8 pm Thus 19 Nov Local Family Histories - Joyce Hoad - Methodist Chapel, Sibford Gower - 7.30 pm.



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VOLUNTEERS URGENTLY NEEDED

The Fielding Daycare Centre, which provides lunch and early afternoon entertainment for the elderly housebound, urgently needs some additional help for the Wednesday rota, both for driving to and from the Sibford School and helping with the serving of lunch, which is cooked by the school. About once a month duties are involved and motor expenses are paid. Please speak to Norman Nash 780275 if you can help with this highly enjoyable service to the local community. We have a group of wonderful members and a great deal of fun.

Welcome to Sibford

Nick and Celia Phillips have recently moved into the bungalow in Barley Close. They both play golf, though modestly say, not very well.

Nick is in the mobile phone industry and Celia is a nanny. She is looking to fill in Tuesday and Friday mornings, so if anyone requires a nanny on those two mornings, Celia can be contacted on 780262.

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Sibford Playgroup Mon/Wed/Thur/Fri 9.00-12.00 Sibford Village Hall

DATE FOR THE DIARY

Friday 13th November 1998 at Sibford Village Hall 10.30 - 11.30 a.m. Photographs - taken by a professional photographer, these will be ready for Christmas and do make superb gifts for friends and family. All welcome.

HELP!

Calling all knitters! Our dolls could do with some warm woollen clothing (especially as the colder weather approaches). We will provide some wool and if you have a pair of needles and a little spare time we will be very grateful of some dolls' outfits!

Sibford Playgroup is O.F.S.T.E.D. approved and sessions run as follows:

Mondays

Wednesdays Thursdays

for $2\frac{1}{2}$ 5 year-olds

Fridays

for 4 - 5 year-olds only

The over all theme for this year is 'All About Me' but this term's topic is 'My Body'.

Sibford Playgroup is a friendly, safe and stimulating place to bring your child. Please contact our Playgroup Supervisor, Julie Bruggenwirth tel; 01608 730861 and she will be happy to give you any further information or can arrange for you to come and see us.

Michelle Knapman, Publicity Officer.

Welcome to Sibford

Grahame, Samantha and Max Lucas have come to live in Carrier's Cottage, Burdrop from Lymington in Hampshire. Grahame works from home in the semi-conductor industry; he is a Director of the worldwide sales division of an American company, making smart cards with chips. Sam intends to be a full-time housewife and mother to Max who is 5 months old; she is very interested in horses but her elderly New Forest pony is not keen to leave his friends and join them here. Grahame is a keen motorcyclist and particularly enjoys green-laning.

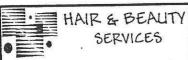
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A STEAMING SUCCESS for MACMILLAN CANCER RELIEF

I'd like to thank all those who attended our Coffee Morning on Friday 2 October, which was part of the World's Biggest Coffee Morning with Nescafe. The event was a great success and thanks to your generosity we raised £197.50 for Macmillan Cancer Relief — which will go towards helping local people with cancer and their families. C.R.

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THE PROCEEDS FROM BOTH THESE EVENTS WILL GO TOWARDS SCHOOL FUNDS - THANKYOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

Deadline for contributions to the December & January Sibford Scene will be **November 17th** Contributions to the Editor, The Vicarage or the Village Shop



The Committee has heard from the Cherwell District Council that it has agreed in principle a grant of £5,000 towards the cost of The Pageant. We will not hear from "The Millennium Festival" until February 1999 but at least they accepted our initial outline and enabled us to proceed with the full application for our major funding. It is probable that any grant received from them will be conditional on the use of surplus funds from the Pageant and for this reason, the Committee is unable to make any recommendations for the time being as to the use of any such surplus.

The next in our programme of events will be a Bridge Drive which will be held in the Village Hall on Saturday 28th November 1998 at 6.30 pm for 6.45. The cost is f7.50 including supper at the beginning of the evening. Please contact Judy Abbott on 780731 for further details and tickets.

Keith Allen who manages and conducts Birmingham Symphonic Winds, a 40 strong professional brass ensemble, and who lives in Sibford Gower, will present a concert of mainly film music on Saturday 10th July 1999. The Sibford School has generously allowed us the use of the school grounds for this concert with the school hall if wet. It is planned to start at 6.30 pm with a break for self-provided picnic supper during the evening. It is hoped that many families will be able to come. We are most grateful to Keith Allen and to the Sibford School for their generosity.

The dates for the performances of the Pageant itself have been fixed for Thursday, Friday and Saturday 22nd to 24th June 2000. Please make a note of all these dates as time goes quickly.

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W.I. NEWS & INFORMATION

There was a good gathering of members, visitors and two "W.I. husbands" for the October meeting, presided over by the vice president, Mrs Baadsgaard.

We were reminded of saleable goods required for the Moreton Coffee Morning, the team for the Village Quiz was finalised and two members reported on their day at County House when they had been encouraged to "Speak up and be Heard". In her impromptu speech Mrs Harper-Tarr had inveigled her audience into believing that she had visited a pig farm, fallen into the pig-swill, been fortified with bacon sandwiches and ended her day at the Pig and Whistle! She won the monthly competition — an animal made from a potato — with a recognisable rabbit!

The centre of attraction, mounted on a crimson velvet cushion, was a superb bejewelled crown, made by Mrs Jean Puddle which proved a deservedly 1st prize winner at the evening's Group Meeting.

Our guest speaker was ex-Sibfordian Mrs Joy Spiers, who, in retirement, achieved a life ambition to travel - but with a mission. Offering her veterinary skills as a V.S.O. she was finally drafted to Thailand where she spent six months before meeting another European!

Quite incredibly she overcame the major language problem, coped with the hair-raising travel facilities and adapted to the primitive culture. We were intrigued, filled with admiration and (almost!) persuaded that "It is never too late to start".

Typical of her indominatable spirit, all her remuneration is dedicated to the education of Thai children.

As ever, tempting refreshments, served by Mrs Walpole and Mrs Baggaley, concluded another enjoyable meeting.

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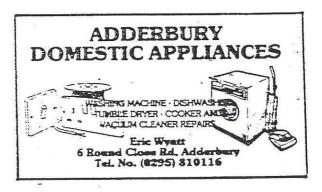
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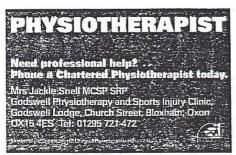
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HOLY TRINITY CHURCH NEWS

The church was even more magnificently decorated than usual for the Harvest Festival service on Saturday 26th September and a large number of people formed the congregation, most of whom went afterwards to the Village Hall for the Harvest Supper. This was a "Bring and Share" event and the basis for a very happy village occasion. The produce at the service was given to the Katharine House Hospice, except for the enormous home-baked Harvest Loaf which was rapidly consumed at the Harvest Supper.

A reminder that the Christmas Bazaar is being held in the Village Hall on Saturday 21st November at 2.30 pm. There will be a large variety of stalls and games and the Raffle will be drawn. An excellent opportunity to buy some Christmas Presents so don't miss this usually well supported event.

Every house in the villages should have received a letter from the Rector and Churchwardens giving details of our appeal for funds to repair the church roof, ceiling and guttering and carry out much needed repairs to the interior and organ. f63,000 is a very large sum indeed to raise but the example of Swalcliffe, where much more was raised by a much smaller community gives us hope of success. We have worked from Parliamentary Lists which are rarely up-to-date so apologies to those who may have been wrongly addressed. If you have not received a letter and would like at least to see what it says, will you please contact the PCC Secretary, Norman Nash on 780275.

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Baptist (Hook Norton)

Church of England, Holy Trinity, Sibford Gower

Benefice Eucharist at Broughton 10.00am 1 Nov Evening Communion of the Departed 7.30PM 2

10.55am Service of Remembrance 8

9.30am Holy Communion 15 9.30am Holy Communion 22

Confirmation & Eucharist at Sibford 10.00am 29 (The Bishop of Dorchester presides)

'Young at Heart' Service at Tadmarton 6 Dec 10.00am

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November

Sun 1st Village Hall Car Boot Sale 1pm Mon 2nd Millennium Panels Workshops during November p 3 Tue 3rd Friendship Club outing to Winchcombe p 9 Wed 4th Swalcliffe Society Meeting Village Hall 8pm p 14 Thu 5th Primary School PTA Fireworks and Bonfire. 6.00 p 18 Sat 7th Scouts Paper Collection Sat 7th Christmas Bazaar Brailes Village Hall 10-3pm p 11 Sat 7th Epwell Village Hall Craft Fair 2pm Sun 8th Remembrance Sunday - See Inserts Wed 11th Mobile Library in Sibfords and Burdrop 2.25-4.20 Wed 11th Horti Society Meeting Village Hall p 10 Fri 13th Gower Parish Council Meeting. Primary School 8pm p 4 Fri 13th Playgroup Photographer p 6 & 16 Mon 16th Ferris Parish Council Meeting Tue 17th Friendship Club Village Hall p 9 Tue 17th LEO Club Meeting - Talk by Muriel Chandler Tue 17th Deadline for Dec/Jan Sibford Scene p 18 Thu 19th Sibford Society Meeting - Methodist Chapel 7.30 p 14 Sat 21st Skip in Barley Close/Re-Cycling units in Acre Ditch Sat 21st Church Christmas Bazaar Village Hall 2.30 p 22 Sun 22nd Collectors and Car Boot Sale, Village Hall 1pm Wed 25th Friendship Club Tea and Entertainment. All Welcome p 9 Wed 25th Mobile Library in Sibfords and Burdrop. 2.25-4.20 Sat 28th Primary School PTA Jumble Sale. School Hall 11-1pm p 18 Sat 28th Bridge Evening for Millennium Pageant Funds Village Hall p 19 Mon 30th Sibford School Open Morning p 17

December

Sat 5th Methodist Chapel Coffee Morning 10-12noon p 8
Tue 15th Friendship Club Christmas Lunch at the Sun Inn, Hooky p 9

Tue 1st 7.00 'Don Quixote de la Mancha' at the Village Hall.

Tickets £3.50 & £1.75 to include a glass of wine or juice.

From Muriel Chandler or the Village Shop