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Senior Citizens Afternoon Tea Party Sunday 18th July 3 to 5 pm

All senior citizens are welcome to come along for afternoon Tea at Temple Close, Sibford Gower - in the garden if weather permits, otherwise indoors.

Music will, as usual, be provided by the renamed, but ever popular Hook Norton Brass Band

Nature Notes.

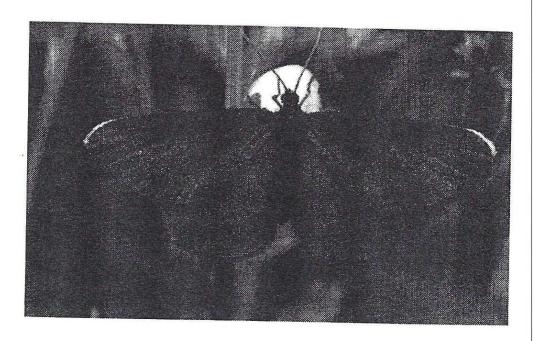
May 23rd. Just before midday a muntjac appeared among some nettles only 3 or 4 yards from the house. It stayed while we and our visitors had a good look at it. I was asked, this afternoon, what could be done to stop a carrion crow pecking at the windows in the early morning. It apparently comes soon after dawn waking the parents and/or children depending on which window it chooses to peck on that day. I suppose it must be fighting its own reflection in the glass. We once saw a grey wagtail fighting its own reflection in the wing mirrors of a parked car. When we got back from our walk a few hours later it was still doing it. May 25th. We were taken to a very good craft fair at Great Barrington having first stopped at a place where purple milk-vetch grows and for the first time found it in flower. There was also a lovely lot of delicate yellow horseshoe vetch. We went on to Sherbourne to eat our sandwiches so that we could watch the birds on the lakes. There was a good selection of ducks, the inevitable canada geese, a pair of swans with cygnets, herons and best of all dabchicks with their bubbly trilling calls. May 31st. Cold day with low cloud and a few spots of rain. The afternoon temperature only reaching 47° (8°C)

June 1st. About mid morning a muntjac barked several times among the undergrowth in our garden. Its vixen-like call set some dogs bark-

ing.

June 2nd. Thunder again with 0.8" of rain between 3 and 9am and winter barley crops are starting to go down. I remember how we dreaded having flattened crops when they were cut and tied into sheaves by the binder and the crop would be so tangled that the packers could not straighten it and the sheaves would come out joined together with the two ends of the same length of straw tied into different sheaves. Once with a very flat area of wheat we cut it out with scythes while waiting for the weather to improve enough to cut the rest of the field with the binder. Modern combine harvesters handle laid crops much more easily; even so crops laid as early in the year as this produce very thin grain which is difficult to sell.

June 8th. There was a family of about 7 coal tits in the garden today.



June 9th. We saw about a dozen chimney sweeper moths (picture) near the footpath that crosses the field opposite the telephone exchange. There is rather more pignut, for the caterpillars to feed on, than there was last year which bodes well for the future of the colony.

June 13th When the tawny owls were calling during the night there seemed to be more than the usual two and some sounded like young ones practising their calls.

June 14th. House martins are scarce again this year. There are a few nests in Barley Close but they are the only ones I have yet seen in Sibford.



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(Ladies Evening Out Club)

Members gathered at Rosalind Pearlman's home on 15 June for a very enjoyable evening of viewing, trying on purchasing clothes from the 'Weekenders versatile clothing' range. As a result, a cheque for £30 has been sent to the church Roof Repair Fund from the profits from the evening's activities.

The next LEO Club evening will be on 21 September; details to follow. Enjoy your Summer!



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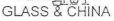
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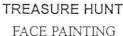


















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Sibford School - Summer 1999

As soon as school finishes on the 9th July 1999 Slbford School will be host to English Language Training for the remainder of July. This language school is based in Banbury and this will be the first time we will host their summer school.

At the same time we will also host 'Kids' Camp' for one week. This is an opportunity for children from two inner London special schools to get out of the city, often for the first time, and be introduced to the countryside and our more rural way of life with the one to one care these children need, provided by Sibford School pupils.

Burford School of Music will visit us for a week for intensive training and practice. Toward the end of July Highfield Choir will stay at Slbford for a long weekend but they will spend much of their time giving performances locally.

In August we host One World Camp which is the European Macrobiotic Summer Conference for one week and we also host South East Friends' Summer Camp for one week.

We complete our summer lets with the old scholars reunion over the August Bank Holiday.



"Goodbye, dear Jack!"

After a lifetime of farming Jack Rowlatt and his wife Joan came to live in Sibford to be near their daughter. Jane Holliday, 10 years ago. Jack continued to get up about 5 o'clock every morning as he always did on the farm, and he often drove to Epwell for early Communion as long as he could still drive. He was a well-loved figure in the Ferris, where he would be seen with his crook and sheepdog tending the animals in the Friends' School fields. Older children who were interested in farming learned a great deal from him; they liked to help with mending broken fences and were specially interested in helping at lambing time.

He became very lonely after his wife died, but he still kept on tending the sheep, and driving to Gloucester market every week – even in his eighties. Unfortunately the bitter winter of 1997 forced him to retire completely, but all his thoughts still centred around farming and his great love of animals – particularly horses and the sheep-dogs he had trained. Even as a boy on his way to School he would give some of his lunch to a horse to entice it to the gate, so that he could mount it and ride around the field bareback!

He became so good and competent with horses that as soon as he left school he was given a job on a farm in charge of them. He often spoke of a day that he was driving a wagon through Burton-on-Trent when the policeman at a busy crossroad suddenly put his hand up to stop the line of traffic, and how his lively horse reared above the policeman much to his surprise – seeing how young the driver was!

When chatting to Jack he often said "I have really enjoyed the whole of my life – every moment of it;" and after his last few months spent in the Southerndown Nursing Home at Chipping Norton he passed away peacefully on Tuesday, 25th May.

Brian and I would like to thank everyone who sent such kind messages of sympathy and lovely cards on the passing on of my Dad.

Jane Holliday



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Sibford Ferris Gardens

Sibford Ferris gardens enjoyed a fine, if chilly, day for their opening for the National Gardens Scheme on May 23rd. There were about 230 visitors who again were able to enjoy teas provided by Sibford Gower School P.T.A.

A sum of £391.33 was forwarded to N.G.S. for their various charities. Thank you to all who helped and to those who visited, and to the Friends School who again allowed parking in the Piece.

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The Nature Notes in the June/July edition brought back some very happy memories to me and Mary of our gliding time on the Long Mynde in Shropshire. What a dramatically beautiful area of the country this is. The reference to the sheep grazing there reminded us of the hours we had to spend gently rounding them up before the gliders could land. A sheep being approached by a silent and huge wingspan will think that it is being attacked by a dangerous predator and will leap many feet into the air. Some glider pilots have found this out to their cost, ending up with a severely damaged aircraft, and it does the animal little good either.

The Mynd used to be the last airfield where gliders adopted the "bungy" technique for take off. When the wind speed and direction indicators in the clubhouse showed an adequate wind force and direction, a shout of "Bungy" would go up and all occupants would rush out and push the gliders to the edge of a precipice. Here a huge elastic band would be attached to a hook in the glider's nose and volunteers at both ends of the elastic would dash down the hill until full stretch was reached when the pilot would let off his wheel brake. Quite a moment for all concerned as the aircraft would gently dive into the wind and probably, all those on the elastic would fall in a heap.

I was once cruising gently along the hill when I found myself a few feet above a hovering Kestrel busy searching for food; he gave me a very worried look when he eventually noticed me.

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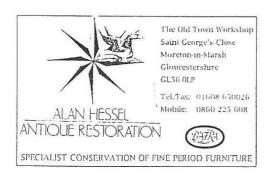
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Dear Editor,

There have, over the past few month, been a number of thefts and damage done to parked cars in Sibford Gower. These are becoming quite unacceptable. On the last two occasions the Police have been informed, who appear to think they can do nothing about this. A visit from them is now being awaited.

If anyone does suffer such damage or theft, could they please report it each time to the Police. It is time consuming but this kind of stupid vandalism must be stopped and it is up to each and everyone of us to try and do something about it. We may be wasting the Police Departments time but by continuing to report this, perhaps they will then take it a little more seriously.

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Are you an ordinary person who can speak, and who could give say an hour a fortnight visiting me and sharing a cup of tea with me on a regular basis? If you are, I know that I, or someone else like me, would be very pleased to meet you.

If you think you could help me and would like more information with no commitment, please ring the Oxford & Cherwell Advocacy Scheme on Oxford (01865) 742745. Do it now before your tea goes cold - any one of us could be over the moon to make your acquaintance, and start to hear ourselves being heard in a new way!

Thank you very much for ringing.'

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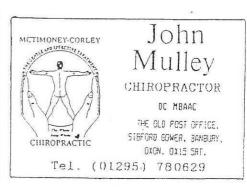
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Sibford Horticultural Society

Now that you have the Schedule, a further reminder that the show is on **Saturday August 21st** when your small, hard working committee would welcome assistance in setting up the show on the previous afternoon and on the day. Please may we have volunteers and also gifts of bottles, cakes and plants for the stalls. Anyone holding cups should please return them to Dr. S. Heath as soon as possible. They have to be engraved with your name.

Nearer in time is the outing to Oxford Botanical Garden with the Swalcliffe/Tadmarton Garden Club on the evening of July 8th. Transport is being arranged and anyone wishing to go please contact a member of the committee.

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STEVENS DIARIES

The following are some excerpts from the diaries of Reverend Edward Stevens who was vicar of Sibford from 1874 to 1898. These diaries have kindly been lent to the Sibfords Society by Sid Lines.

1874

- June 9. Tuesday Received a note from Mr. Lee, asking whether I would accept the Vicarage of Sibford Gower, if the College offered it to me. £230.00 and "middling house". I replied I would go and see it.
- September 4. Friday The College having received the offer of Sibford Vicarage, Hole and I went over to see it. Saw Miss Sarah Dix in the Church.
- October 30. Friday Instituted to the Vicarage of Sibford at Registrar's Office by Dr. John Fieldson Mackarness, Bishop of Oxford.
- November 3. Wednesday. Went to Sibford. Took Rosa. Churchwardens met me by appointment at the School House. W. Bruton, Diocesan Surveyor came whilst I was there. Went over Glebe with Mr. Hitchcox, Vicar's Warden, and Mr. Herbert, Glebe tenant. Called on Mr. Mawle, the Misses Dix, Mr. Fox, Mr. Turner and other parishioners. Mr. Woolgrove paid me £3.3.0 collected in Church for the Radcliffe Infirmary.
- November 22. Sunday Talked with Mr. Hitchcox about new lamps for the Church. The old wooden ones are useless. Also spoke about the timber belonging to Poulton, carpenter, which encumbers the grass land in front of the Church. Hitchcox said he would speak to the Surveyor about it. He is Waywarden

Dont Forget The Early Deadline for Aug/Sept Scene Tuesday 13th July

December 3. Thursday Paid many visits in Sibford, among them to William Poulton, carpenter, who in answer to my request, said he should not remove his timber from the front of the Church 'till he was forced. His wife also was very rude and even passionate and tearful about it. "I a' allays lent water for the Church and lent a hammer too when they was decoratin' for Harvest Festival, and I a' done a good deal like o' that for the Church, I 'ave. But now I aint a goin' to do no more. When you preached your first sermon in the Church I did say I thought as how we'd got a nice good gentleman, at last, for a Clergyman, but now you no sooner comes into the town than you wants to take the bread out of our mouths, you does." said she whimpering.

"No, Mrs. Poulton, I don't want to take the bread out of your mouths but I want to take your timber away from the front of the Church, where you have no right to put it and where it constitutes a nuisance in more ways than one. I would rather you did so at my friendly request than at any compulsion. But you have to do it." I left them still talking.

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NEWS FROM THE BOUNDARY

As we approach the half way point of the season we remain unbeaten and lead the league by eight points. The success the club has had so far this season is due to the fact that the whole team has performed consistently. However, Lee Gilbert, Dave Pratt, Ian Wollerton and Jason Barton have played particularly well, as has Dave Inns whose return to form after two generally poor seasons has been very welcome indeed. Sibford Vs Printers:

Printers 113 for 8: L Gilbert 4 for 51, J Barton 2 for 17 Sibford 116 for 2: D Pratt 62no, I Wollerton 22

Sibford Vs Round of Gras.

Sibford 108 all out: D Inns 37, D Simms 14

R.O.G 49 all out: R Gilbert 3 for 14 J barton 3 for 17

Sibford vs Stony Stratford

Stony 63 all out: L Gilbert 5 for 11, M Walsh 2 for 5

Sibford 64 for 1: D Inns 20, I Wollerton 19no D Pratt 16no

Sibford Vs Thombrough

Thornbrough 172 for 7, J Barton 3 for 38, D Prickett 2 for 30

Sibford 173 for 6: I Wollerton 77no, D Inns 29, Ron Morbey 24

Sibford vs Radway

Sibford 165 for 5: J Barton 38no I Wollerton 35 D Simms 26

Radway 117 for 5: M Walsh 2 for 32, S Chard 2 for 33

Fixtures July 1999

Wed 30th June Vs Sibford School XI at home (6.30pm)

Sat 3rd Vs Woodford away

Sun 4th vs Darlingscott at home

Sat 10th vs Stony Stratford Away

Sat 17th Vs Radway At Home

Sun 18th Chairman's Invitation at home

Sat 24th Vs Printers away

Sun 25th Vs Aynho at home

Sat 31st vs Chacombe at home

Sun 1st August vs Deddington at home

Saturday matches = League Sunday matches = Friendly

all matches start at 2.30pm, Your Support would be appreciated

On the 18th of July this years Chairman's Invitation game takes place. The last two years this match has taken the form of Sibford Past against Sibford present. The highlight of last year's game was Brain Holliday taking 6 for 9 from his six overs. This years format has yet to be decided, however if this years game is anything like last years it promises to be a great occasion. If you only come to one game this season make it this one.



The Tuesday Bike Ride

With the better weather and longer evenings the Tuesday Bike Rides are going well. With around twenty riders most weeks we split into two groups for a shorter or longer distance. Most of our routes take in the local villages and the quieter lanes which makes for pleasant riding, but last week saw a new departure when



the longer route set out from Hornton, led by two of our regulars who drive to Sibford to join us. We covered 17 miles taking in Hanwell, Cropredy and Warmington before a fast run through Edge Hill and back to Hornton.

Anyone is welcome to come and join us. We leave Lanes End Corner (Ferris Crossroads) at 7 O'Clock every Tuesday. We ask that children be accompanied. For more details contact Adrian Lamb 780380 or Joanna Gilkes 788190



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W.I. NEWS & INFORMATION

Any intruders into the June W.I. meeting could well be excused for thinking they had gate-crashed Royal Ascot's "Ladies Day" !

Inevitably we began with the usual business session, with lists being circulated requiring names for forthcoming activities and orders being taken for next year's calendars and diaries - how time flies!

Thereafter the accent was on hats, Hats, and more HATS! Mrs Hilary Hammond's collection caused gasps of admiration as well as the occasional hoots of hilarity as flocks of manyhued feathers quivered atop broad-brimmed creations.

Admiration and hilarity prevailed as members enthusiastically indulged in a "trying-on" session.

For hire rather than for sale, we may recognise an eye-catching "topper" should we be "watching the box" (or even parading in the paddock!) on the appropriate day.

Mrs Pearlman thanked Mrs Hammond for a most enjoyable demonstration.

Winners of the competition for "An Ascot Hat" were Greta Baadsgaard, Jean Puddle and Mary Mills, the latter also providing refreshments along with Gaynor Harper-Tarr.

Our next meeting on July 13th will be in Gillian Soden's garden, weather permitting - or V.H. if it isn't W.P.!

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A COTSWOLD OUTING (organised by the W.I.)

Monday August 9th.

There are seats available for non-members (and husbands) to join us. $\pounds 5$ deposit, payable to M.Cox, "Westways" (510) will secure a seat and hopefully a pleasant day out.

Apply before August 1st. please.

M.C.

Deadline for August / September issue of the Sibford Scene is Tuesday 13th July.

Contributions to the Editor, Treasurer or the Village Shop.

Letter from Sibford Village Hall Committee

The June Collectables and Car Boot Sale raised £100 for Hall funds, with again very grateful thanks to two village families who donated a number of items for sale. The next sale is on Sunday 4th July at the revised time of 2.00 to 4.00 pm, Tables £5 - please ring 01295 251339. It is quite a surprise to discover just what a wide range of items are for sale.

Refreshments available.

The committees thanks go to all local residents who have supported this years Annual Fayre on Saturday 26th June, by advertising in the programme, giving such a great supply of bottles for "Bernie's Bottle Stall", items for the tombola stall, raffle prizes etc. and to the dedicated team who have been beavering away for some months hoping to make this years event another great family day out. A report on the day will be in next months "Scene".



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The web site contains background information about the villages, and their most famous inhabitant, Frank Lascelles. Pageant newsletters are also posted as they appear. Further details of the Pageant will be posted on the web site, when available.

Editorial contributions from any local organisation are welcome as it is intended to continue with the development of the site once the Pageant is over. A directory of local services and organisations is planned with a free one line listing for local groups and businesses. Please forward details if you wish to be included.

An additional aim for the web site is to raise funds for the Pageant. Advertising is available on the web pages with all payments going directly into the Pageant's coffers. As little as £5 per month will place your advertisement on one of the web pages.

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Friendship Club Diary Dates

Tuesday 6th July Outing to Weymouth by coach from Epwell at 8.00am.

Tuesday 20th July Meeting in the Village Hall at 2.00pm when it is hoped Mrs Hichens will be giving a talk about her recently published book. (rescheduled from May)

Tuesday 3rd August Outing to Hampton Court by coach from Epwell 8.30am.

Sibford Gower Open Gardens Sunday 11th July

These four Gower gardens will be open under the National Gardens Scheme from 2 to 6pm.

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"Used to make pocket-money that way. Mr. Gaydon the farmer, he gives us I think it were three-'apence a sparrer... Yes, 1s.6d. a dozen. We called it the sparrer club. And Dan'l Sabin at Woodway Farm, he'd got ivy a-growing up the walls and one night four or five on us, we shook it with our net and I can't tell you how many comes a-fluttering out - leastways I can, because we counted and it were 99, and old Dan'l sez 'Damn it, get yer century!' so we had another go, and it were 104."

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Banbury 27 Nov 1896

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- 2. Delivery Sibford Gower village(except the part on the way to Rye Hill beyond the Vicarage or Green) Handywater, Tyne Hill and Blenheim.

Wages 3/-

3 Delivery in Sibford Gower beyond Green and to Rye Hill and Coombeslade. Wages 1/6

The sealed bag for Sibford Ferris will arrive at your office enclosed in your bag.

Despatches

Your box will be cleared at 5.15pm the Mail cart being due to arrive at 5.25pm Endeavour to prevent delaying the cart on either journey. The letters collected by Elley from Burdrop box to be stamped and dealt with as if posted in your box.

The Sibford Ferris S.O. bag to be handed to the Mail driver loose, that is not enclosed in your bag.

Instructions for clearing the box are herewith. You will see that a tablet is brought in each day as evidence that the box has been duly cleared. Send them back on Monday and Tuesday. Small bag for that purpose on Monday. The key of the Burdrop Wall Box shall be sent to you on Monday night. Elley must always use a pouch when clearing the box and the key returned to you nightly. It would be well if Elley went with Barrett and saw the box cleared one night he would then understand the lock.

J Davenport Postmaster Ine first of our sunday services in the Village Hall was a particularly happy occasion. The service was led by Martin Layer, who organises the monthly family services, and was assisted by Sally Layer at the piano, Ben on the trumpet and Jack with reading and we mustn't forget Florence and all the Keningale family with moral support, and reading too. Sheila Walsh kept us all spellbound with the story of Joshua and the battle of Jericho, with her painting or the walls (before they came tumbling down). If all our services while the church roof is under repair are as happy as this one, our use of the Village Hall is going to be very memorable.

The Bridge Drive organised by Norah Barth raised over £500 for the general funds and our thanks to her also to Gilian Soden and her helpers for organising the excellent food and to Bernard and Evelyn Phillips for organising the raffle and the liquid refreshments.

The Annual Garden Party will be held in the garden of Wyatts Close, Sibford Gower at the kind invitation of David & Gilian Soden on Saturday 17th July at 2.30 pm. Fancy Dress will be the order of the day and there will be the usual stalls and games. A leaflet has been circulated giving the names of those organising stalls and gifts and contributions will be gratefully accepted by those listed. Tina Frith and Mary Nash will be organising the Hamper as neither of those listed will be available.

We are very grateful to Sheila Walsh for celebrating her 90th birthday with a "bring and share" lunch in the Village Hall on 27th June, with contributions to the Roof Appeal. We are all familiar with Sheila's artistic talent in the Sibford Scene and she has done so much for us all in the community. We wish her a very happy birthday and many happy returns.

Many thanks to Roger Powell for again opening his beautiful garden, this time in aid of the Church Roof Appeal. Thanks also to the family of the late Jack Rowlatt for very kindly donating the gifts in memory of Jack.

The Church has now been emptied of all its decorations and the scaffolders will soon be starting their work, so evidence of the forthcoming major repairs will soon be apparent. We are approaching our target of £81,000 but there is still a gap before we are fully there and if there any in the villages who meant to contribute and have not yet got around to it, David Soden our Treasurer will be very glad to hear from you. "Plus ce change" says our Editor; what, after 122 years? We are relieved that he was unable to find an application for major church funds since 1877; perhaps we haven't been chasing the community for money quite so much after all!

CHURCH SERVICES

Society of Friends
Methodist
Roman Catholic Mass (Wroxton)
(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

Return

12,00noon

12,00nggn

Church of England, Holy Trinity, Sibford Gower

4 Jul 10.00am 'Young at Heart' Eucharist at Broughton 11 " 10.00am Deanery Eucharist at Bloxham Church

18 " 9.30am Holy Communion (Village Hall)
25 " 9.30am Holy Communion (Village Hall)

1 Aug 10.00am Benefice Eucharist at Tadmarton

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to Chippy

Depart

10.00am

10.00am

SIBFORD BUS SERVICES

9 & 23 Jul to Banbury

1. FREE BUS SERVICE

Friday

Wednesday

Sponsored by the Town Estate Charity

14 & 28 Jul

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	Crossroads		High Meadow		
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			The Colony		
2. MIDLAND RED. 480	Ships	ston -	Sibfo	rd - B	anbury
Mon - Sat (M-S).	Not	Sat (NS)	9	Sat only	(SO).
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Sibford Gower Crossroads	7.30am	9,00am	9.45	11.45am	12,45pm
Sibford Ferris School	7.32	9.02	9.48	(11.38)	(12, 38)
Banbury Bus Station	8.00am	9.30am	10.15am	12.15pm	1.15pm
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Banbury Bus Station	11.15am	12.15pm	12.15pm	2.15pm	6.00pm
Sibford Ferris School	11.38	12.47	12.38	2.38	6.23
Sibford Gower Crossroads	11.40am	12.50pm	12.40pm	2,40pm	6.25 pm
Shipston	-	1.15pm	- 4		-

Calendar of Events

July

Sat 3rd Scouts Paper Collection

Sat 3rd Skip in Barley Close

Sun 4th Collectables and Car Boot sale. Village Hall 2-4pm

Tue 6th Friendship Club outing to Weymouth p 19

Wed 7th Mobile Library in Sibfords and Burdrop (2.25-4.20pm)

Thu 8th Horticultural Society visit, Oxford Botanic Gardens p 11

Sat 10th Birmingham Symphonic Winds Concert at Sibford School

See front page.

Sun 11th Sibford Gower Open Gardens p 19

Tue 13th Deadline for August/September Scene p 16

Sat 17th Recycling units in Acre Ditch

Sat 17th Sibford Church Fancy Dress Garden Party p 4

Sun 18th Cricket Club Presidents XI match 2.30, Friends School p 14

Sun 18th Senior Citizens Tea Party, Temple Close (See front page)

Tue 20th Friendship Club Meeting p 19

Wed 21st Mobile Library in Sibfords and Burdrop (2.25-4.20pm)

Sat 31st Skip in Acre Ditch

August part

Mon 9th WI Cotswold Outing p 16 Sat 21st Horticultural Show p 11

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