



welcome back to the
SIBFORD SCENE

August and September 2000

No. 226

Sibford Horticultural Society

Annual Flower Show

Saturday 19th August 2.30pm.

Get your entries in and have a go!

See page 14

‘Sex and Chocolate’

An evening of Comedy at the Village Hall

Wednesday 27th September 7.30pm

See page 8

Nature Notes

June 29th. Today I was shown an adult dabchick which had been killed by a cat which is unusual as dabchicks are as reluctant to leave the water as cats are to enter it. This cat however has been known to swim so I presume that the dabchick came so close to the bank that the cat thought it was worth a dive to get it. Being the first one I have ever had in hand I was very interested to see its legs which were shaped to cut through the water easily with the same cross section and about the same size as an ice lolly stick. The feet were not webbed but had a membrane down each side of the toes, very like, but stronger than that on a bats wing, which would shut against the toe to allow easy forward movement of the foot but open with the backward movement to give thrust.

July 7th. A while ago I was told that mink had been seen crossing the road by the brook on the Sibford Ferris to Hook Noton road and soon afterwards that all the bird life had disappeared from the pond close by. Now the birds are gradually coming back again so I expect that the marauding mink have moved on. What a curse introduced species can prove to be.

July 14th. I have only managed to find one chimney sweeper moth in the field in Sibford Ferris where there were so many a few years ago. Over recent years hungry badgers have dug up nearly all of the pig nuts that grew on the bank there which were the favourite food plant of the chimney sweepers' caterpillars. I could only see one surviving plant which does not bode well for their recovery.

June 15th. The young blue tits flew today from the third storey of a block of flats that I made for the tits from an old pump. There has never been more than one of the four flats occupied at any one time so perhaps they don't even tolerate other kinds of tits nesting close by. I think the youngster that I saw sitting on the lawn will be lucky to survive all the hazards of its young life.

July 16th We have not seen any flycatchers in our garden this year but I have heard of one nest in Sibford Ferris and one being seen in the Gower which probably means a nest, as they stay very much in their chosen area during the breeding season.

July 18th I have always thought of plant associations in terms of those plants like toothwort, yellow rattle and the broomrapes that draw their nourishment from the roots of other plants or grasses but research being done in Yorkshire suggests that ninety percent of plants may have association with threads of fungus in the soil to their mutual benefit.

July 19th A fortnight ago I photographed the first bee orchid I have ever seen inside our parish boundaries but a friend tells me that he counted 400 flower spikes on one site in Warwickshire. It is apparently a good year for them.

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Like many Sibfordians I am shocked by the proposed renaming of the Wykham Arms. I feel it is an insult to all villagers and specially to women. If women did become moody in the past it could well have been because in bygone days many husbands, on payday, spent half their week's wages or more in the pub, thus seriously depleting that which she needed for food for the family.

Now however if the term 'moody cow' is used simply as an unpleasant insult it is just as bad.

I wonder how men would react if the proposed name were, 'The selfish s.d,' or 'The boozy b....r'!

I hope even at this late stage you will consider changing the proposed name to one more acceptable to all of us.

If however you are set on honouring our four footed friend who gives us milk, cream, butter and cheeses of great variety, why not substitute 'contented' for the offensive adjective 'moody'.

yours sincerely, John E.

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Karl Smith and Pippa Baston are running the business and are being supported by James and Sarah who also have The Moody Cow in Upton Bishop, near Ross-on-Wye in Herefordshire. Established in 1993 their philosophy is straight forward: Simple, fresh homemade food, presented well, in comfortable surroundings, served by obliging people at a sensible price. Everything is homemade, freshly prepared and cooked to order, from the soup at the beginning to the ice cream at the end. This combined with a selection of real ales, beers and wines has been the recipe for success and is now to be duplicated here.

As for the name..... well, "The Moody Cow" **will** appear on signage in conjunction with 'The Wykham Arms' to make the visitors to Sibford Gower aware of who owns and runs this now charming village pub/restaurant.

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The Milleni Yum-yum!

How wonderful it is to live in a village whose inhabitants can be inspired to use their various talents in such a generously willing way as to produce the marvellous pageant that we've just enjoyed. One in which not only the people, children and grown-ups but also the horses, sheep, birds (and of course, the insects!), played their parts so magnificently. I was particularly intrigued to see the head of the Friends school undergo a temporary sex change to become George Fox! Copies of the programme, which is also an historical record of the Sibfords are, I believe, still available.

The exhibition of over 100 paintings, drawings and embroideries by village artists, whose ages ranged from 11 to 94, which were on display at the same time in the Manor house, excited great interest and not a little amazement at the range of talent demonstrated by them. How good it was to find that a photographic record of these lovely panels, accompanied by carefully researched texts giving historical and geographical details, had been produced in book form in time to be on sale during and after the pageant. It is an amazing piece of work, a beautifully executed and carefully researched historical and pictorial record of this stupendous village achievement. I believe copies are still available - do get some for those relatives and friends who were unable to enjoy the pageant, I believe the panels are still on display.

The whole Sibford community is greatly indebted to David Ryall, who wrote the pageant and to the magnificent team of actors: men, women and children who performed in it or helped with the many other tasks.

Also to Mollie Picken whose inspiration and enthusiasm got her team of embroiderers to produce such superb work: and lastly to Andrew, Martin and Julia Gordon, also Nigel Fletcher, for producing the lovely book of the panels.

John Endersby

Friendship Club

We had a most enjoyable day at Longleat Safari Park in spite of the weather. We were able to have a good look round the house which was well worth visiting.

We would like to thank Mrs Jones for her invitation to her Garden Party, good food, good weather, good music and a lovely garden. A very pleasant afternoon. Thank you from one and all.

Diary Dates for August and September

Tuesday 1st Aug. We have an invitation from Mrs Puddle to afternoon tea 2 - 4 pm.

Tuesday 29th Aug. Coach trip to see the 'Dressed Wells' in Derbyshire. Further details from Mrs Boughton 263460

Tuesday 5th Sept. Meeting in the Village Hall at 2pm. Programme for the afternoon to be announced

On **Tuesday 3rd Oct** we hope to arrange a Skittles Match at Bishops Itchington. Further details later.

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Letter from Sibford Village Hall Committee

The July Collectables and Car Boot sale made £77 for Hall funds and again our thanks to villagers who donated items for sale, particularly to Miss Le Mare who had a garage sale and donated the proceeds to hall funds. Next sale dates are; **Sundays 6th Aug. 3rd Sept. and 1st Oct.** 1 to 3pm Refreshments available. Bookings on 01295 251339

We are again, in conjunction with Cherwell District Council, staging three Theatre Evenings and the Heart of England Jazz Band will be back again. Dates as follows;

Wednesday 27th Sept. 7.30pm. 'Sex and Chocolate' for adults only with particular interest for women! A bitter sweet comedy about life, love and dairy milk. Performed by Capital award winner, Fiona Knowles, written by the award winning playwright Rona Munro. Tickets £5 and £3 including a glass of wine. Posters with the details will be displayed in September. Tickets from the Village Shop or ring 780025 Please support the Puppet Show on **Saturday 28th October at 3pm.** 'The Mousehole Cat'. For any age from 4 to very grown up, based on the award winning book, set in a stage of sea, sky and the little Cornish village. As we are allowed only 3 productions with Cherwell D.C. help, we are funding this ourselves. Tickets £2 for children aged 4 and over and £4 for adults.

On **Saturday 2nd December at 7pm** we welcome back the 'Heart of England Jazz Band'. Tickets £5 and £3 including a glass of wine and nibbles.

On **Wednesday 3rd January 2001 at 7pm** we have booked 'A Komedy of Errors' a show for families by Circus Berzercus packed with comedy, dazzling juggling, circus skills, unicycling and daftness, with two brilliant performers Ben Cornish and Steve Eldridge. Tickets £6 Adult, £4 Concessions £3 Children and possible a family ticket. Wine and Soft Drinks included. All details nearer the dates. These have been carefully chosen and we do look forward to your support.

There will be no public auction in the Village Hall in August. The next one is on **Saturday 16th Sept.** Viewing 12 noon. Sale at 2.30pm. Details on 01608 662587. Refresments available.



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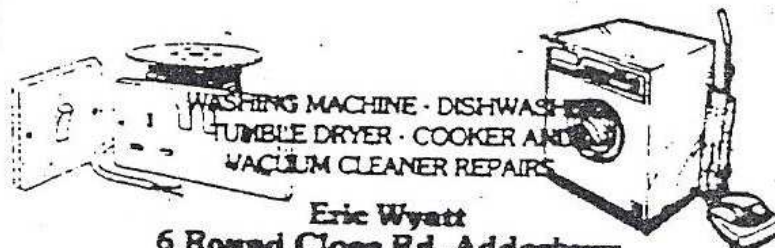
would be good if they could be part of the fund raising effort too.

So oil your chains, polish up your walking boots or get your pens poised and welcoming smile ready for Oxfordshire Historic Churches Trust's Ride or Stride on **Saturday 9th September**.

Sponsorship forms are available from Petra Berry (780462) or Arnold Lamb (780357)

Some of the Tuesday Night Bike Riders will be taking part so if you would like to help the cause that helped your Church roof, but would like someone to go along with, contact Adrian Lamb (780380) or Joanna Gilkes (788190).

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We meet on Friday evenings at the Sibford Gower Village Hall.

If you might be interested, Keith Hicks (01295 780259)
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about what's involved. Why not give one of them a call?

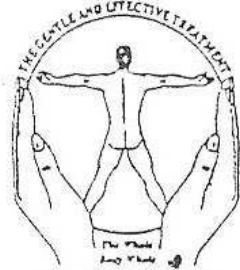
Sibford Tots and Babes

In June we said goodbye to Secretary Christine Bell and her daughter Katy, as Katy has gone on to Playgroup. Many thanks go to Chris for her effective and thoughtful leadership of the group for the past eighteen months, numbers grew considerably in that time and Christine's efforts made sure things were organised but lively!

Joanne Lovegrove (788433) has kindly agreed to take over as Secretary from September 2000.

Autumn Term Details - our first session will be on **Wednesday 6th September 2000 10.30 to 12.00** at the Friends Meeting House in the Gower, near the Wykham Arms (a sign is put out at the gate to guide you) Informal get togethers over the summer - phone Sam Lucas 788004 or Anita Spencer 788557

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The Sibford web site is principally devoted to the Pageant. The site is now rarely visited and needs to be re-positioned. However, our web host is leaving the village and, as far as I know, there are no plans in place for the makeover the site needs.

I believe there is scope for a much more active Sibford web site. It could include, for example, a directory of local services, a calendar of events, a marketplace for household effects, a lost and found page, current planning issues etc. There could also be a forum providing an opportunity for discussion of village topics, eg pub names, or an outlet where 'Disgusted, Burdrop' could have his say.

There could be international interest in the site from Sibford ex-residents, friends, relations, contract workers etc around the world. The network could be precisely targeted by means of village airmail stickers issued by the village post office.

What we need is an enthusiast who knows the technology of site building and someone who has the time to host the site. I would be happy to discuss ideas with anyone who feels they can help take these suggestions forward.

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First of all, apologies for the lack of reports from the boundary man so far this season.

It is good to see that Sibfords youth policy is still paying dividends, the Saturday league side has been performing well, and should secure a top - half table position this season.

Under the captaincy of Simon Chard, the Sunday side is enjoying a so far unbeaten run.

The Sunday fining committee have been regularly collecting hefty fines from the players, which should ensure that the annual dinner is well financed.

League Matches

6th May vs. Wardington (away) Sibford 120 for 8 (D Pratt 44, K Peachey 23)
Wardington 121 for 5 (M Walsh 20 for 3, S Chard 17 for 2)

13th May vs. Greens Norton (Horton View) Greens Norton 185 for 7 (C Sabin 28 for 3)
Sibford 186 for 4 (J Barton 61 n.o, I Davies 45)

20th May vs. Croughton (Horton view) Sibford 88 all out (J Barton 25)
Croughton 66 for 4 (Croughton win due to higher run rate)

3rd June vs. Silverstone (away) Silverstone 118 all out (S Chard 7 for 2, T Holliday 27 for 2)
Sibford 120 for 1 (D Pratt 33 not out I Wollerton 43 n.o)

10th June vs. Wootton (Horton view) Wootton 127 all out (M Walsh 5 for 15, J Barton 26 for 2)
Sibford 128 for 4 (I Wollerton 45 n.o, R Morbey 30 n.o)

17th June vs. Priors Marston Priors 207 for 5 (I Wollerton 23 for 2)
Sibford 137 all out (I Wollerton 44)

24th June vs. Hinton (Horton view) Hinton 109 for 9 (I Davies 13 for 3, M Walsh 17 for 2)
Sibford 110 for 6 (D Inns 29, M Walsh 21 n.o)

1st July vs. Greens Norton (away) Sibford 102 all out (K Peachey 37)
Greens Norton 104 for 2 (C Wollerton, 16 for 1)

8th July vs. Wardington (Horton View) Sibford 117 for 9 (D Pratt 30)
Wardington 103 for 9 (S Chard 24 for 6, J Barton 2 for 10)

Friendly matches

7th May Aynho (Horton View) Aynho 82 for 7 (I Davies 2 for 22)
Sibford 83 for 2 (C Wollerton 54)

14th May Ilmington (away) Ilmington 185 for 8 (C Sabin 21 for 3, C Wollerton 13 for 3)

Sibford 187 for 8 (C Wollerton, 70, D. Simms, 30)

4th June Long Compton (Sibford School) Sibford 125 all out (M Walsh 34, I Davies 37 no)

Long Compton 118 for 7 (8 Chard 7 for 2, T Holliday 2 for 2)

11th June Darlinscot (away) Sibford 103 all out (M Walsh 34 no)

Darlinscot 86 all out (L Gilbert 3 for 51, C Wollerton 11 for 2)

18th June Enstone (away) Sibford 182 for 6 (M Walsh 79, K Peachey 52 n.o)

Enstone 138 for 6 (L Gilbert 56 for 4)

25th June Mickleton (Sibford School) Mickleton 165 for 9 (T Holliday 25 for 3, D Simms 11 for 2)

Sibford 166 for 5 (K Peachey 59 n.o, D Simms, 34)

9th July Long Compton (away) Sibford 132 all out (I Wollerton 7 1)

Long Compton 115 for 6 (T Holliday 13 for 2)

Cup match

22nd June Priors Marston (Away) Priors 117 for 7 (M Walsh 32 for 3, S Chard 28 for 2)

Sibford 118 for 2 (I Davies 53, D Pratt 35)

Sibford Church Fete

At least it didn't rain - it was cool but dry for the fete on the 15th July. The Rectory Garden was used this year and over 150 people paid to come in. Although we don't see the occasion primarily as a chance to make lots off money, it nevertheless does. 2000's fete raised something over £900 - and our thanks to all who helped behind stalls and to those who came and spent so freely.

Harvest Thanksgiving

As has become traditional in recent years, the Church's Harvest Thanksgiving Service is on a **Saturday** evening - this year **30th September at 5.30pm**

After the service there will be a Bring and Share Supper in the Village Hall. Everyone will be most welcome.

SIBFORD HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Just a reminder that the Annual Show takes place on **Saturday 19th August** at the Village Hall starting at 2.30. Entries for the various classes should be made at the **Surgery between 7 & 9p.m. on Wednesday 16th August** or submit the entry form in the Show schedule to a Committee member beforehand.

Exhibits should be staged in the marquee between 8.30 & 10.45 on the day of the Show. Prior to the Show your Committee needs offers of assistance in setting up the marquee on Friday afternoon and also of bottles, cakes, bric-a-brac, plants etc.

Our next meeting in the Village Hall is at **8p.m. on 13th September** when Mrs Key-Davis of Fibrex Nurseries will give a talk on pelargoniums, the Nursery holds the National Collection of pelargoniums.

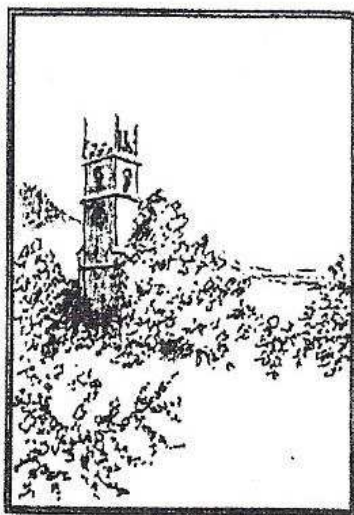
Talking of Committees, as at the October AGM we shall be down to three in number against a need for up to eight. A failure to recruit more willing and able people to the Committee will reluctantly mean that this years Show will be the last. Evening meetings may continue if we can find Speakers. If you have an interest please volunteer and

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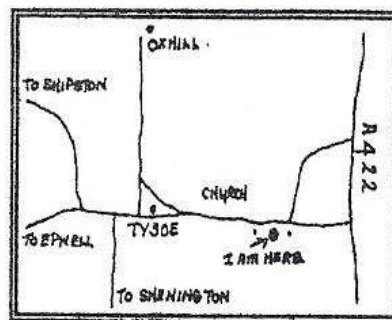
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Sibford Brownies closed down on July 11th and will not be re-opening in September. We had hoped some of the parents might take it over but, sadly, this has not happened.

Isabel and I would like to thank everyone in Sibford and the surrounding villages who have helped to support Brownies over the years. We both feel very sad that the Pack has had to close down and unfortunately the Packs nearby are all full.

Vivienne Scouse.

W.I. NEWS & INFORMATION

To be or not to be ? that was the question. But our hostess was optimistic and members arrived at The Mount to find tables and chairs arrayed on the lawn. The scheduled Garden Meeting was to be! With a plentiful supply of rugs and straw hats, come wind, come weather - we were prepared.

As the meeting proceeded we watched ominous clouds pass overhead, while the president's voice vied with the roar of planes, not so welcomingly passing overhead!

Formalities over, no speaker was required, we were free to meander and admire the garden (and visit the ducks!) before enjoying a delicious tea to the accompaniment of an impromptu organ recital - thank you Peter.

In relays we went indoors to watch our oldest member, Sheila Walsh, Elaine Booth and Eric Payne promoting the Sibford Pageant - a video of the channel 6 T.V. programme.

Then it was all together again for a group photograph before saying a very sincere thank you to Glennis (and the weatherman!) for a most enjoyable afternoon.

The next meeting will be on 12th. September with Michael Bull on 'Some Do's & Don'ts of Antiquing'.

The Sibfords Society

The exhibition in the Manor during the last few weeks of old photographs proved to be of great interest to many people, particularly as members of the Society had included a description of each photo and also managed to identify many of the people appearing in them. Fred Inns has carefully kept the bandsmen's uniforms and instruments for many years and they brought back memories to some Sibfordians of the two brass bands who played at events in the village. Robin Spicer again arranged another very enjoyable walk, this time around Lamb's Pool and then over the fields to Swalcliffe Common. It was a well attended event in conjunction with Cherwell and the Bishop Blaize was a very welcome finish to the evening. Swalcliffe Society have a talk on local aerial photography in Swalcliffe Village Hall on **20 September at 8.00 pm.** Sibford Society welcomes back Nigel Hammond, who will talk about 'Victorian England' and those who heard his previous talk on Oxfordshire Churches, will know they can expect a fascinating evening. This is on the **21 September at 7.30pm** in the Village Hall. The above talks are open to non-members, who are always welcome to join us.

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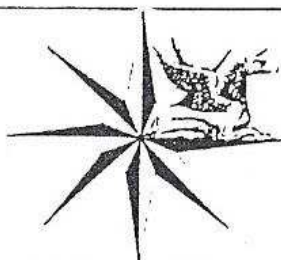
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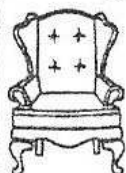
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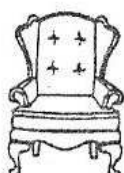
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This month we say "welcome" to **Jean and John Millband**, who have recently returned here to live in Sycamore Close, Sibford Gower. They have spent the last nine years in Kathmandu, where John worked as a civil engineer and where he was involved with building roads and bridges. They had come back to this country once a year for a holiday, but now they are delighted to settle down here and are looking forward to joining in village life.

John plays tennis for West End at Adderbury and they both enjoy walking and cycling, so we wish them well in their retirement.

South Newington Flower and Produce Show

Saturday 12th August 2 - 5pm

It promises to be a day of fun and enjoyment for all the family. The Pearly King and Queen from London will open the show and there will be a splendid display of flowers, fruit and vegetables, baking together with a grand raffle, childrens fancy dress and sports, fun dog show, silver band, produce auction and many other attractions including an impressive array of craft stalls.

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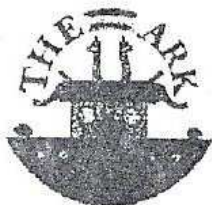
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Sunday at 10.30 am

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Sunday at 11.00 am

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(Brailes) Sunday at 11.30 am

Baptist

(Hook Norton) Sunday at 10.30 am

Church of England, Holy Trinity, Sibford Gower

August

6th 10am Benefice Eucharist at Shutford

13th 9.30am Matins

20th 9.30am Holy Communion

27th 9.30am Holy Communion

September

3rd 10am Benefice Eucharist at Broughton

10th 9.30am Family Service and Baptism

17th 9.30am Holy Communion

24th 9.30am Holy Communion

30th 5.30pm Harvest Thanksgiving

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2. Stagecoach 480 Shipston - Sibford - Banbury

	Mon ~ Sat (M-S). (NS).			Not Sat Sat only (SO).	
	M~S	NS	SO	M~S	NS
Shipston	-	-	9.20am	-	-
Sibford Gower Crossroads	7.30am	9.00am	9.45am	11.45am	12.45pm
Sibford Ferris School	7.32am	9.02am	9.48am	(11.38)	(12.38)
Banbury Bus Station	8.00am	9.30am	10.15am	12.15pm	1.15pm
	M~S	SO	NS	M~S	M~S
Banbury Bus Station	11.15am	12.15pm	12.15pm	2.15pm	6.00pm
Sibford Ferris School	11.38am	12.47pm	12.38pm	2.38pm	6.23pm
Sibford Gower Crossroads	11.40am	12.50pm	12.40pm	2.40pm	6.25pm
Shipston	-	1.15pm	-	-	-

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	Outward	Return (read up)
Wednesday only		
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Sibford Ferris	9.57am	1.53pm
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Calendar of Events

August

Tue 1st	Friendship Club Tea at Mrs. Puddles p7
Tue 1st	Tuesday Bike Rides. Every Tuesday 7pm Ferris Crossroads
Wed 2nd	Mobile Library in Sibfords and Burdrop 2.25 - 4.20pm
Sun 6th	Collectables and Car Boot sale, V.Hall p8
Sat 12th	South Newington Flower Show p20
Mon 14th	Ferris Parish Council Meeting
Wed 16th	Mobile Library in Sibfords and Burdrop 2.25 - 4.20pm
Wed 16th	Flower Show Entries 7 - 9pm, The Surgery, Burdrop
Sat 19th	Skip in Pound Lane
Sat 19th	Flower Show 2.30pm Village Hall
Tue 29th	Friendship Club Trip to Derbyshire p7
Wed 30th	Mobile Library in Sibfords and Burdrop 2.25 - 4.20pm

September

Sat 2nd	Skip in Barley Close
Sun 3rd	Collectables and Car Boot Sale, V.Hall p8
Tue 5th	Friendship Club Meeting. Village Hall 2pm. p7
Wed 6th	Tots and Babes re-opens p10
Sat 9th	Churchs Sponsored Bike Ride p9
Tue 12th	W.I. talk, 'Some Do's & Don'ts of Antiquing' p15
Wed 13th	Mobile Library in Sibfords and Burdrop 2.25 - 4.20pm
Wed 13th	Horticultural Society Talk on Pelargoniums p14
Thu 14th	Electric Blanket Checks p3
Sat 16th	Skip at the Pond
Sat 16th	Dunns Auctions at the Village Hall 2.30pm p8
Tue 18th	Deadline for contributions to the October Sibford Scene To the Village Shop or the Editor please
Wed 20th	Gentle Exercise Class at the Village Hall p19
Wed 20th	Swalcliffe Society Meeting on Aerial Photography in the area. Swalcliffe Village Hall. 8pm p16
Thu 21st	Sibfords Society talk 'Victorian England' p16
Sat 23rd	Recycling Units in Acre Ditch
Wed 27th	Mobile Library in Sibfords and Burdrop 2.25 - 4.20pm
Wed 27th	'Sex and Chocolate' Comedy at the Village Hall 7.30pm p8
Sat 30th	Harvest Thanksgiving Service & Supper p13