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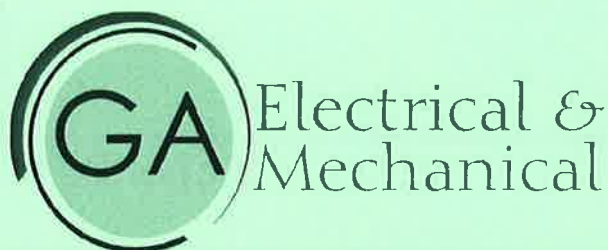


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Wedding blessing at Newnham Murren

We would like to thank the Churches Conservation Trust for letting us use St Mary's church at Newnham Murren for our blessing, and Rev Kevin Beer (Kev the Rev) for blessing our marriage there on 26th August. It was an amazing day: very magical and romantic.

Many thanks, Kylie and Leslie Kent



Crowmarsh School News

What a fantastic start to the school year we have had here at Crowmarsh School. Everyone is thrown right back into the hustle and bustle that makes our school such an exciting place to be.

At the start of term, I asked both adults and children to think of three challenges they could set themselves this year. The list grows longer and longer every day and already I can see we are in for an extraordinary year.

Walking around the school, children are focused on learning and it's clear that they are stepping up to the challenge of being truly phenomenal learners. We've welcomed new members to our team and already everyone has settled into the Crowmarsh flow.

We are excited to welcome again head teachers and teachers from South Africa, around 18 in total, who will be coming to learn about teaching practice here in the UK. Crowmarsh school has been linked with Masekane School in South Africa for a number of years. Our children benefit from learning about the similarities

and differences between our schools and the children who attend here and there. During the week of October 9th, teachers and leaders from South Africa will be sharing and exchanging ideas about our school and might even teach some new lessons to the children.

As always, we extend an open invitation to our community to join us for any of our events that we hold in school. If you are ever interested in coming to hear readers or to help with our school garden, we would love to hear from you.

Until next month ... kindest regards,

Mrs Barton, Headteacher
Crowmarsh Gifford CE Primary School
01491 836785

Local Neighbourhood Plan

In case you missed the Neighbourhood Plan exhibitions last month, please fill in the enclosed survey (on coloured paper). See the website <http://crowmarshgifford.org.uk/2017/04/15/local-community-plan> for more details.



Art & Design in the Chilterns

Dr Graham Twemlow, a local retired university academic, will give a talk at The Wallingford Historical &

Archaeological Society (TWHAS) about 'Art & Design in the Chilterns'.

As an Area of Outstanding National Beauty, the Chilterns has played host to many artists and craftsmen. Graham's illustrated talk will investigate 20th Century artists and designers who lived and worked in this area. Key works by Eric Gill, John Piper, Paul & John Nash, Clare Leighton, Marion Dorn and E. McKnight Kauffer will be discussed, highlighting the contribution they all made to the design world.

Dr Twemlow's talk will be on Wednesday 11th October, 7.45 for 8 pm, at St Mary's Church, Wallingford. Visitors (£4) are most welcome. For more information go to the TWHAS website: www.twhas.org.uk.

Jewson delivery lorries

Crowmarsh Parish Council's Parish Transport Representative (Francesca Jones) met the Manager of Jewsons, Mr Steve Busby recently to discuss lorry deliveries and parking.

Mr Busby thought the situation had generally improved in recent years, but he will continue to monitor the situation and he urged local people to call into Jewson's compound immediately (rather than after the lorry has gone) to report to his staff any lorries parked on the pavement, blocking access to the pavement, across private drives or in the bus layby.

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Quiz 'n' Chips

St Mary Magdalene church in Crowmarsh is hosting an autumn Quiz 'n' Chips night on Friday 13th October. The doors (and bar!) will be open at 7pm for a 7.30pm start.

It's £10 per head with food, £7.50 without. Teams ideally have 6-8 people, but if you are not in a team, come anyway - we can find you one! To book your team, please collect an entry form from Crowmarsh Stores or the Church, or contact Sarah Nesbitt.

Please return all entries by Sunday 8th October, so we may order the food. We look forward to a full house. Call Sarah Nesbitt on 07770 930756 or email sn62@icloud.com with any queries.

Music at Wallingford Methodist Church

On Saturday 21st October there will be a charity concert with the versatile and lively band "Pandemonium", whose programme includes traditional folk music, popular chorus songs for audience participation, foot-tapping tunes and amusing recitations. This Wantage-based band will be helping to raise funds to educate disadvantaged children in Kenya and to support struggling families in and around Didcot.

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Services and Events for October

Morning Prayer: every Friday at 9.00 am (including any personal prayer requests)

Sunday 1st Harvest Festival 11 am Harvest Family Service (Rev'd Kevin Beer)
Followed by Harvest Lunch

Harvest gifts from the School and Church will be distributed to villagers and to the Wallingford food bank.

		6 pm	Evening Prayer
Sunday 8th	Trinity 17	11 am	Parish Communion (Rev'd Janice Chilton)
		6 pm	Evening Prayer
Sunday 15th	Trinity 18	11 am	Parish Communion (Rev'd David Rice)
		6 pm	Evening Prayer
Sunday 22nd	Trinity 19	11 am	Family Communion (Rev'd Kevin Beer)
		6 pm	Evening Prayer
Sunday 29th	Bible Sunday	11 am	Parish Communion (Rev'd Kevin Beer)
		4 pm	Children's Light Party

Calling all Families!

Here at St Mary Magdalene we are relaunching our Family Service at a new, easy-to-remember date and time: the first Sunday of each month at 11am, beginning with our Harvest Festival on 1st October.

There will be opportunities, especially for children, to take responsibility for doing the readings, leading the prayers, taking part in drama/sketches, welcoming people and giving out books, taking the collection, lighting the candles, operating the computer, etc.

We welcome any musicians and singers who would like to be involved in our worship because we want to include more modern songs.

At the end of half term, on 29th October, the Sunday afternoon before Hallowe'en, we will be holding a "Light Party" at 4pm to celebrate the Christian heritage of this festival – the name Hallowe'en is shortened from All Hallows' Eve.

This reminds us that witches, ghosts, skeletons and vampires and any other bogeymen have had their day, because Christ has conquered death, so no child of God needs to be scared. Please join us for crafts, games, tea, fun and worship in this new event at St Mary Magdalene – definitely more positive than "Trick or Treating"!

Then, on All Saints' Day (5th November Family Service), we hear the second half of the story – that death is not the end, that on the other side of fear is victory and that we do not become ghosts when we die but spend eternity with Jesus, with new life stronger than death.

Please do let me know if you would like to be included on our families list, either to help with our monthly Family Service, or to join in with the "Light Party".

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Rev Kev



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Past Times: The Trial of Edward De Mornay

Edward De Mornay was a local landowner in Victorian times. He and his brother Alfred bought the Howbery Estate from W S Blackstone in 1858, selling it to Mr Williams-Wynn, a Welsh solicitor, in 1867. The two brothers went on to live at Col d'Arbres Farm (now Coldharbour Farm), which they purchased on the death of Robert Mayne Clark.

Edward and Alfred De Mornay acquired quite a reputation for taking legal action. They took both Wallingford and Henley Councils to court on a number of occasions, but on 10th May 1868 the tables were turned against Edward De Mornay, when one of his employees took action against him.

Mr John Kettle, a 61-year-old agricultural labourer, worked at the time as Edward De Mornay's carter, for 11 shillings (55p) a week. The court case in May 1868 heard how, in October 1867, Kettle was attacked by Mr De Mornay while working for him. Such was the sympathy for Kettle in Crowmarsh and the surrounding area that a public subscription had enabled him to take his case to court. On the day of the hearing, the courtroom was filled to capacity by a noisy crowd of Kettle's supporters.

The court heard that one of Kettle's duties had been to water Mr De Mornay's horses each morning. On 8th October 1867, however, one of the horses, 'Poppett', wandered away while Kettle was leading the other three by the halter. 'Poppett' ambled through a gate and into Mr De Mornay's garden, but on entering the garden to fetch the horse, Mr Kettle received two or three violent blows to the head. They were inflicted on him by Mr De Mornay, who sprang at him with a riding whip. Kettle staggered away, bleeding, but De Mornay, not satisfied, struck him several more times. Kettle stayed at work for two more hours, shocked and bleeding, before he went home to recover.

The following day, Edward De Mornay told Kettle that he had deducted 5 shillings (25p) from his wages, because Kettle hadn't fed his horses the previous night. Kettle assured him that he had done so, in the early evening, but that as Mr De Mornay only went into the stables to look at 10pm, the horses would have

eaten everything. This was not accepted by De Mornay, however, who refused to pay Kettle his full wage.

Arron Grainger, a shepherd, Clara Bitmead, a shepherdess, and Joseph Griffin, a carter's boy, were also employed by Edward De Mornay. On the day of the trial they all felt so strongly about Kettle's treatment that they stood up in court and gave evidence against their employer, even though he was known to have a short temper.

Mr Boyton (a Wallingford surgeon), confirmed that he had found three wounds on Mr Kettle's head after the incident, all about 1 inch (25mm) long. Although Edward De Mornay told the court that the blows he had given Kettle were 'very light', the judge found in Kettle's favour. De Mornay was fined £10, which was awarded to Kettle (a sum that would normally have taken him 5 months to earn). De Mornay was ordered to pay all costs, no doubt to the great satisfaction of onlookers at the time.

David Beasley

Wallingford Gardening Club

Our October meeting is a talk: 'Going for Gold at Chelsea'. Dr Stephen Head returns to talk to us about exhibiting and competing at the Chelsea Flower Show. Steve is particularly proud of leading a team that won Gold and 'Best in Show' for a Courtyard Garden at Chelsea 2010.

Steve is a well-known local environmental consultant, who is passionate about his interests. He is a popular speaker on gardening and wildlife, having made many radio and TV appearances, and has been the national co-ordinator for the Wildlife Gardening Forum for many years. Steve has led several UK environmental charities, and was a board member of the Exmoor National Park Authority for eight years.

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We will continue to offer seasonal baking, preserves, fresh produce and craft stalls. New producers are always welcome: please call Alison on 681596 for further details. Do come along to visit us in our new home soon!



A Night at the Museum

Wallingford Museum will have a special one-off evening opening on Friday 27th October, 6pm to 9pm. This is a chance to see our current exhibitions, look 'behind the scenes' at a time when we are usually closed and find out how the museum is run.



Entry is half-price: Adults £2.50, children free as usual. You can also find out what opportunities there are to join our team of volunteers! For more information see our website: www.wallingfordmuseum.org.uk.

Wallingford U3A

Dr Martin Holmes treated us to a brilliant and most entertaining lecture in September, when he returned to Wallingford U3A to share his views on Tony Blair with us, concluding that Blair fought the wrong war in Iraq, at the wrong time.

We look forward to our 4th October meeting, when George Verdon will entertain us with a talk about Scottish island whisky distilling, entitled 'Whisky Galore!'.

Wallingford U3A meets at 2pm on the first Wednesday of each month in Crowmarsh Gifford Village Hall. To find out more, please phone Hermione on 01865 858024 or Jill on 01491 835994. Come and join us!

Wallingford Corn Exchange

Work is progressing on the Corn Exchange roof. The initial £500,000 fundraising target has been reached, but more fundraising is now necessary to bring the theatre up to its full specification.

Meanwhile, films will continue to be shown at The Great Hall, Cholsey Meadows, in collaboration with Cholsey Development Trust. The October programme includes *Hotel Transylvania 2* (PG) on 27th October at 4pm, and *Despicable Me 3* (PG) on 10th November at 5pm. This will be followed by *Whisky Galore!* (12A) at 7.30pm. For a full programme and tickets, please go to www.cornexchange.org.uk. Tickets are also available (cash only) at the door of The Great Hall.

Special benefit concert

Cholsey Silver Band is giving a special concert in aid of the Corn Exchange Roof Appeal at 7.30pm on Saturday 21st October, in St Mary-le-More church, Wallingford. Tickets (£10 adults, £5 children) are available from www.cornexchange.org.uk or from Wallingford Bookshop, The Music Box, KP Stationers, Just Trading or the Wallingford Information Centre.

Wallingford Flower Club

A flower demonstration "Hollywood to Bollywood" by Annette Parshotam will be presented by Wallingford Flower Club at Crowmarsh Village Hall on Wednesday 11th October, 7pm for 7.45pm. All visitors welcome: £5 each. For further information please contact Fay Crabbe on 834303.

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Notes of the Parish Council Meeting held at Crowmarsh Gifford Village Hall on Thursday 7th September 2017

Present: Cllrs John Griffin (Chair), Stephen Sherbourne, Nigel Hannigan, Denise Hall, Stuart Soames, Fleur Stevenson, David Topliss, David Rowley, and Francesca Jones; Sue Rance (Clerk), Yvonne Peet (Finance Officer)

Apologies for absence from Cllrs Andrew Johnson and David Mannering

Matters arising from the August meeting

Overhanging trees at Wallingford Bridge have been trimmed. An A4074 traffic survey will be done in the 30mph zone. Display boards will be purchased for use at the neighbourhood plan exhibitions.

The Finance Officer reported that all allotment invoices have now been paid. Cllr Soames said that a decision will be announced in November on a grant from WREN for refurbishment of North Stoke Village Hall: the Parish Council has agreed to pay the 10.75% which WREN requires for administration costs.

Quotes will be obtained for felling the diseased ash tree in Jethro Tull Gardens. We have agreed to replace the tree with three trees on the edge of the green area, but the type of tree to be planted has not yet been decided.

Finance

The parish council's insurance premium and external audit fee of £360.00 had been paid.

Cllr Sherbourne reported that the Botany Gardens play area grass has not been cut at all this season. The Finance Officer will discuss this with the contractors, Berinsfield Community Business.

A financial report to 31st July showed that parish council income was £27,614 including the first precept payment of £19,101; expenditure was £12,173. The annual financial return has been approved and will now be posted on the parish

council website and on noticeboards following the successful conclusion of the audit.

It was agreed to consider requests for grants at the October meeting.

Planning

Decisions: The Council noted the following decision from SODC:

P17/S2363/FUL (Full Application): Change existing garage into a ground floor, one-bedroom annexe, Sycamore House, 12 Lane End, Crowmarsh Gifford, OX10 8DG. PERMISSION GRANTED.

Applications: The Council agreed its response to SODC on the following applications:

P17/S2944/HH (Householder) & P17/S2945/LB (Listed Building): Change of heating system from oil-fired boiler to an air source heat pump. The Grange, The Street, North Stoke, OX10 6BL. RECOMMEND APPROVAL.

Lawful development applications: The Council noted two applications (no views are accepted on these applications, which are decided on factual evidence):

P17/S3067/LDP: New vehicle gate with similar height and same location. Southern Gas Networks AGI Offtake, A4074, Ipsden (in Crowmarsh parish), OX10 6AF.

P17/S3195/LDP: Formation of habitable room in roof-space with rear-dormer and gable buildup. 176 Crowmarsh Hill, Crowmarsh Gifford, OX10 8BG.

Appeal decision under Section 78 of the Town and Country Planning Act:

An appeal to the Secretary of State against SODC's decision to refuse the CABI application P15/S3387/FUL was determined on the basis of a public inquiry. The appeal is ALLOWED and planning permission is GRANTED for demolition of existing buildings and creation of a new headquarters for CABI, erection of 91

dwelling houses, comprising open market and affordable housing, provision of open space, landscaping and parking, and other associated works at CABI International, Nosworthy Way, Mongewell, OX10 8DE.

South Oxfordshire Local Plan 2033

SODC will publish its final draft of the Local Plan on 11th October 2017 and will invite a further round of public comments, which will be submitted along with the plan to the government. The plan and comments will then be considered by a planning inspector at a public examination next year. The Local Plan is the document that explains how the council will address the need for housing in the district until the year 2033, including helping Oxford City's unmet housing need. SODC is planning for approximately 22,500 homes in the whole district over the next 22 years. However, in view of comments by the Parish Council and residents, SODC has reduced the number of houses allocated in Crowmarsh Gifford to 110. Previously proposed housing sites in our parish have all been removed from the Local Plan, to allow the forthcoming Neighbourhood Plan to allocate sites. A number of neighbourhood plans across the district are also supporting the need for additional housing by allocating sites in other towns and villages.

Neighbourhood Plan

An exhibition about the Neighbourhood Plan was planned by the Steering Group on Saturday 23th September in Crowmarsh Village Hall repeated on Saturday 30th September at North Stoke, between 10am and 4pm.

Environment and Recreation Committee

Play area action group

Planning permission will be required for the proposed children's play area before we can apply for a grant from SODC's community fund in April. Four quotes have been received and it was agreed that planning permission should be applied for now, based on one of the designs.

Cllr Rowley recommended providing access to two toilets at the pavilion for people using the play area and recreation ground. This could be facilitated (without giving access to the rest of the premises) by the use of a Smart Lock with a code and timer, plus a door closer.

Mr Chris Strange is researching the options. Disabled access would have to be addressed. The Finance Officer will consult the council's insurers in case it might affect our cover.

Replacement noticeboards

Cllr Jones reported that eight parish council noticeboards, including one in the bus shelter in North Stoke, are in need of replacement. Cllr Soames proposed a board with a lockable portion for official notices outside the village hall in North Stoke. Cllr Jones will report back at the October meeting with quotes.

Traffic and Transport Committee

The size and number of lorries delivering to Jewsons are still causing concern, as they create an obstruction to traffic, pedestrians and bus users, particularly during the morning rush hour. Cllr Jones has visited the manager of Jewson to discuss the inappropriate parking and congestion created by their suppliers.

Jewson has apologised for the problems caused and has commented that suppliers should not turn into Thames Mead. Jewson will contact the suppliers involved and has requested that any further incidents be reported to them. It was noted that some public parking also creates an obstruction at their gate and that Jewson would be prepared to pay for parking bays to be marked out. Cllr Sherbourne suggested that clearer marking of the bus stop and the area in front of Jewson's gate would be more useful, but the surface needs repair.

It was noted that the 136/139B Sunday bus service has unexpectedly stopped running. This is the Thames Travel bus that serves Cholsey, RAF Benson and Henley. In October the weekday service will be cut back. The transport rep, Cllr Jones, has asked Thames Travel for notice of future changes and deplored the sudden cut to the Sunday services.

Correspondence

Details of forthcoming charges for recycling certain items at household waste centres.

District Councillor Pullen's report

The CABI planning appeal has been upheld.

The current SODC round of grants closed on 6th September.

District Councillors Pullen and Bloomfield each have £5,000 grant money available for specific local projects.

The LEADER fund has £75,000 for the rural economy and community.

No announcement has yet been made about the future of the former SODC office site. However, SODC is most likely to move to new permanent offices in Didcot. There is no further news on a unitary authority for Oxfordshire. Plans are in hand for Didcot Garden Town.

The route for the Oxford-Cambridge Expressway has not yet been decided. There are three options for a southern route and one northern one. Improvements are planned for the A34.

The Local Plan provides for 3,000 houses in Chalgrove, 1,500 in Berinsfield and 3,000 in Culham. However, allocations in Crowmarsh Gifford will now depend on the forthcoming Neighbourhood Plan.

Representatives on outside bodies

North Stoke Village Hall

Cllr Soames reported that the village hall refurbishment has now been completed with the help of a lottery grant. CPR and defibrillator training will be held in the near future: there are 20 potential candidates for this training.

Vacancy for Trustee

Cllr Griffin proposed and Cllr Soames seconded that Cllr Sherbourne be appointed as a trustee of the Wallingford Bridge Estate Charity, to represent the Parish Council. This was agreed and the Clerk will inform the charity.

Other business

A steering group will be appointed to manage the neighbourhood plan process.

Cllr Jones reported that significant changes in data protection will take effect with new legislation on 25th May 2018. Further data protection training may be needed. It was agreed to consult Cllr Johnson initially, who managed the council's registration as a data controller.

The Employment Action Group, a charity, is now running the children's centre in Berinsfield.

The new Berin Centre opens on 8th September. One of their services is to help people who have difficulty applying for jobs online. They have funding for the next two years.

Cllr Sherbourne has purchased new children's defibrillator pads which he will fit soon.

The Regal Centre has closed for 18 months because of safety concerns. Regular users are having to find alternative premises.

Next meeting

The next meeting will be on Thursday 5th October at North Stoke Village Hall, starting at 7.30pm. All are welcome.

Bus timetable cuts

Some bus users may be aware that Thames Travel stopped running their 136/139B Sunday services to Cholsey, RAF Benson and Henley on 3rd September, with little or no advance warning. Some timetables at bus stops might still not have been updated.

Monday to Friday and Saturday 136 timetables remain unchanged. However, cuts to these services are planned in October:

- The inter-peak Monday to Friday service will reduce to hourly;
- Later evening journeys will be withdrawn;
- There will be an hourly Saturday service, with a reduced period of operation: the service will start later and finish earlier;
- There will be a gap in the Saturday service to allow for driver breaks.

Thames Travel will release more details shortly.

Meanwhile, Going Forward CIC has expanded its services to include a limited Tuesday service between Wallingford, Ewelme and Watlington.

As with all local bus services, it's a case of "use them or lose them"!

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Regular events and meetings

Every Thursday	19.45–22.00	Wallingford Photographic Club	Crowmarsh Pavilion
Every Friday (not 6th)	9.30–12.00	Wallingford Country Market	St Mary-le-More Church
Every Saturday	10.00–12.00	WAGS store open	Centre 70
Most Saturdays	10.00–13.00	Local Producers' Market	St Mary-le-More Church
Various days and times		Didcot and Wallingford Ramblers	www.ramblers.org.uk/didcot-wallingford

This month – October

Sunday 1st	13.30 onwards	CTC 26-mile road cycle ride	Meet in the Market Place
Wednesday 4th	14.00 onwards	U3A: "Whisky Galore!" talk by George Verdon	Crowmarsh Village Hall
Thursday 5th	19.30 onwards	Parish Council Meeting	North Stoke Village Hall
Friday 6th	9.30–12.30	Bringing Home the Harvest market	St Mary-le-More Church, Wallingford
Saturday 7th and Sunday 8th	All day	1940s weekend	Cholsey and Wallingford Railway
Wednesday 11th	19.30 onwards	Henley Philatelic: TBA	Bix Village Hall
Wednesday 11th	19.45 for 20.00	TWHAS talk: Art and Design in the Chilterns	St Mary-le-More Church, Wallingford
Friday 13th	19.00 for 19.30	Quiz 'n' Chips – entry forms at Stores or Church	St Mary Magdalene Church, Crowmarsh Gifford
Saturday 14th	10.30 onwards	Sue Ryder Sale	Nettlebed
Sunday 15th	13.30 onwards	CTC 30-something-mile road ride	Meet in the Market Place
Saturday 21st	Evening	Charity Concert "Pandemonium"	Wallingford Methodist Church
Saturday 21st	19.30 onwards	Cholsey Silver Band Concert (for the Corn Exchange Roof Appeal)	St Mary-le-More Church Wallingford
Wednesday 25th	19.30 onwards	Henley Philatelic: TBA	Bix Village Hall
Friday 27th	18.00–21.00	A Night at the Museum	Wallingford Museum
Saturday 28th & Sunday 29th	All day	Hallowe'en Special trains	Cholsey and Wallingford Railway