

#### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY: OCTOBER 2024**

| Tues   | T.    | 1071 |                  | DIAKT, OCTOBER 2024                |
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| Thurs         3rd         6.00 − 7.00 p.m.         Exercise Class − Pine Lodge           Frid         4th         9.30 a.m.         Keep Fit − Pine Lodge           Sun         6th         9.00 a.m.         Holy Communion CW St James'           Mon         7th         7.00 p.m.         Little Milton Shop − AGM Pine Lodge           Mon         7th         7.00 p.m.         Exercise Class- Pine Lodge           Wed         9th         9.30 − 3.30 p.m.         Adv. Textile workshop − Pine Lodge           Parish Council − Pine Lodge         Pine Lodge           Parish Council − Pine Lodge         WI − Pine Lodge           Frid         11th         9.30 a.m.         Keep Fit − Pine Lodge           Frid         13th         10.30 a.m.         Harvest Festival − St James'           Harvest Festival − St James'         Harvest Festival − St James'           Harvest Festival − St James'         Harvest Festival − St James'           Harvest Festival − St James'         Harvest Eunch − Pine Lodge           Wed         16th         9.30 − 10.30 a.m.         Exercise Class − Pine Lodge           Thurs         17th         6.00 − 7.00 p.m.         Exercise Class − Pine Lodge           Wed         18th         9.30 − 10.30 a.m.         Exercise Class − Pine Lodge <tr< td=""><td>Tues</td><td>1st</td><td>9.30– 10.30 a.m.</td><td>Exercise Class- Pine Lodge</td></tr<> | Tues  | 1st  | 9.30– 10.30 a.m. | Exercise Class- Pine Lodge         |
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|  | Sun   | 3rd  | 9.00 a.m.        | Holy Communion CW St James'        |

<u>PLEASE NOTE</u> If in doubt please check with the event organiser that the event is still taking place at the date and time stated.

## SUMMARY FROM THE PARISH COUNCIL WEDNESDAY 11th SEPTEMBER 2024

Below is a summary of some of the topics and discussions which took place at the additional Parish Council meeting held in September.

#### **Planning**

There were no planning applications to discuss.

The following Discharge of Conditions application was noted:

#### P24/S2585/DIS - The Site of Milton House, Gold Street, Little Milton

Discharge of conditions 7 (Surface water drainage works (details required) and 9 (Submission of sample materials) on application P24/S1147/S73(Variation of conditions 2 (Approved plans), 3 (Construction Traffic Management), 4 (Archaeology), 6 (Tree Protection), 7 (Surface water drainage works), 8 (District Licence certificate), 12 (Vision splay protection) and 13 (Parking & Manoeuvring Areas Retained) on application P22/S1241/FUL(Demolition of existing dwelling. Redevelopment of existing site to provide 4 dwellings with associated development including access works to Gold Street access).

#### Multi Use Games Area (MUGA)

The contractor has indicated that work to refurbish the surfaces may be able to be brought forward to the end of October. A decision on the type of coin collector / meter for the lights will be deferred to the next meeting.

#### **Finance**

It was noted that the External Auditor had issued the External Report and Certificate for the conclusion of the External Audit (2023-24). The Report concluded that 'On the basis of our review of Sections 1 and 2 of the Annual Governance and Accountability Return, in our opinion the information in Sections 1 and 2 of the Annual Governance and Accountability Return is in accordance with the Proper Practices and no other matters have come to our attention giving cause for concern that relevant legislation and regulatory requirements have not been met'.

#### **Reports from Committees**

#### Utilities and Highways

Flexi-bollards have been fitted to the chicane at the entrance of the village, but installation of priority signage and lighting remains outstanding. There has been one accident and six near misses here, that the parish council are aware of, during the time the street furniture and lighting has been missing. Data from the annual air pollution survey has been released and shows the air quality in the village is the cleanest it has ever been.

#### Playground

The bench inside the playground has broken, rather than ordering a new bench it was suggested that one of the benches on the recreation ground could be moved to replace it. In the meantime, the bench has been turned around to discourage people from using it.

#### Communications

The bus service is due to change next year, which may mean the loss of the bus that runs through the village on a Thursday. Oxfordshire County Council's (OCC) Digital Infrastructure Programme team are holding a webinar on 14<sup>th</sup> October to update

councils. The webinar will focus on what the team are doing to enhance connectivity within South Oxfordshire and their broader work. Cllr Horwell will attend.

The next Parish Council meeting will be held on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2024, in Pine Lodge, commencing at 7.30pm. Please visit the Parish Council website to read full minutes of Parish Council meetings.

#### Andrea Oughton, Parish Clerk

#### **Current Council members**

| Councillor François Van Der Merwe (Chairman) | 07740 438770                  |
|--|-------------------------------|
| Councillor Howard Harrison                   | 01844 279946                  |
| Councillor Adam Sheppard                     | 01844 279217                  |
| Councillor Ed Horwell                        | 07527 346187                  |
| Councillor Giles Denby                       | 07484 187852                  |
| Councillor David Wakeling                    | 01844 278014                  |
| Parish Clerk Andrea Oughton                  | clerk@littlemilton.org.uk     |
| County Councillor: Freddie Van Mierlo        | 07944 492438                  |
|  | freddie.vanmierlo@oxfordshire |
|  | .gov.uk                       |
| District Councillor Georgina Heritage        | georgina.heritage@southoxon.  |
|  | gov.uk                        |

#### SODC: WASTE MANAGEMENT CONTRACT

The minimum charge is £49.50 for up to 3 items and £9.50 for each additional item. There is a maximum of six items per collection day: if you have more than six, you'll need to book another collection day. Please note that a bed and mattress count as 2 items and a three-piece suite (consisting of 1 settee and 2 chairs) counts as 3 items.

Before you contact us to book your bulky waste collection, have a good think about whether you have any other big items to dispose of. Once we have processed your booking, we are unable to make any alterations or add any other items – even if you have only booked one or two items.

To arrange this service residents can call the Public Amenities Team on 01235 422406 or book on line from the Council's website <a href="https://www.southoxon.gov.uk">www.southoxon.gov.uk</a>

#### Give your furniture to a good home

Have you considered donating your furniture to charity or a good home? Emmaus is an Oxford based charity that will come out to all areas of the county and collect unwanted furniture free of charge. For legal or practical reasons this does not include soft furnishings without a fire label, safety items, or any item that is not in a saleable condition. Please visit the Emmaus website for more details.

**BIFFA: WASTE COLLECTION DATES – OCTOBER 2024** 

|              | Brown | Grey | Green | Food |
|--------------|-------|------|-------|------|
| 1st October  | Yes   | No   | Yes   | Yes  |
| 8th October  | No    | Yes  | No    | Yes  |
| 15th October | Yes   | No   | Yes   | Yes  |
| 22nd October | No    | Yes  | No    | Yes  |
| 29th October | Yes   | No   | Yes   | No   |

#### GREAT MILTON METHODIST CHURCH SERVICES: OCTOBERR 2024

For further info. Please contact Rev. Stephen Spain on 01865 763676

| Date         | Time       | Church       | Preacher          | Comment   |
|--------------|------------|--------------|-------------------|-----------|
| 6th October  | 11.00 a.m. | Great Milton | Joanne Tulloch    |           |
| 13th October | 11.00 a.m. | Great Milton | Local Arrangement |           |
| 20th October | 11.00 a.m  | Great Milton | Rev Stephen Spain | Holy      |
|              |            |              |                   | Communion |
| 27th October | 11.00 a.m. | Great Milton | Joanne Tulloch    |           |

#### **BENEFICE SERVICES FOR OCTOBER 2024**

| Suno | day | 6th | Octobe | er |
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|      |     |     |        |    |

| 9.00  | Holy Communion                  | St James' Little Milton  |
|-------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 10.30 | Family Worship Harvest Festival | St Peter's Great Haseley |

#### Sunday 13th October

| 9.00  | Holy Communion                  | St Mary's Great Milton    |
|-------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 10.30 | Family Worship Harvest Festival | St James' Little Milton   |
| 12.30 | Bring & Share t Lunch           | Pine Lodge: Little Milton |

#### Sunday 20th October

| 9.00  | Holy Communion | St Peter's Great Haseley |
|-------|----------------|--------------------------|
| 10.30 | Family Worship | St Mary's Great Milton   |

#### **Sunday 27th October**

| 9.00  | Holy Communion BCP       | St Peter's Great Haseley |
|-------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 10.30 | Benefice Morning Worship | St James' Little Milton  |

#### MAD HATTERS TEA PARTY

I cannot say how much of a joy the Mad Hatter's Tea party was at the end of August. There are too many people to mention all by name but here I will single out Victoria Barry who came up with the idea, and Jane Willis, who worked closely with Victoria and an amazing team to bring it all together. Of course, I would like to thank the Ferguson family for hosting us all at The Manor, and to express gratitude that the day, if not over-sunny, at least more or less behaved itself! Knowing that the Fete was not to happen in Little Milton this year, the Parochial Church Council were eager to do something first and foremost for the village. It was not primarily a fundraising event, but nonetheless we did raise a healthy sum for the ongoing work and ministry of the Church. It was such a happy, joyful, and slightly mad gathering! I am sure that all who came will agree.

#### Simon

## The Grand Raffle Prize-winners, drawn at the Mad Hatter's Tea Party were as follows:

Anne Devine - Dinner at Le Manoir Aux 'Quat Saisons

Jeanette Galbraith - Sunday Lunch for 4 at The Lamb

Liz House – An annual pass to Blenheim Palace

Julia Harrison – An annual pass for Waterperry Gardens

Ali and Michael Hue-Williams – A Golf Stay and Play break at the Cotswold Hotel and Spa

Barbara Noakes – A Hamper from the Sandy Lane Farm Shop

Victoria Barry – A voucher for The Beauty Room Ben Watts – A Hamper of provisions from an anonymous donor

Congratulations to all!

#### **IS THIS YOURS?**

A ladies denim jacket was left at The Manor following the Mad Hatters Tea party on 31st August. Please contact Mark Willis on 01844 279468

#### **RECTOR'S PINT**

At the beginning of September, we visited our daughter Becca for a precious few days in St. Anton in Austria, where she lives. Whilst there, I listened to an album, Wild God, by the musician and artist Nick Cave, with the band, The Wild Seeds. The music is nuanced and cryptic but explores themes of grief (Nick Cave has lost two sons in tragic circumstances), grace, and the possibility of healing. One song, entitled Joy, deeply moved me. It was a journey through grief to joy, describing what I can only suppose to be an encounter with one of his dead sons; "Oh a ghost in giant sneakers, laughing, stars around his head". Throughout the song, the refrain "Have mercy on me please" is spoken as a prayer. What really got to me were these words,

"Sat on a narrow bed, this flaming boy,

He said, 'We've all had too much sorrow, now is the time for joy',

And all across the world, they shout angry words about the end of love, yet the stars stand above the earth, bright triumphant metaphors of love.

Blind us all who care to stand and look beyond above".

Sometimes, I sit in a church meeting and wonder, what are we all about? as we get bogged down by the needs of our churches' fabric and finances. It took a tantalisingly nuanced song by someone who, without necessarily calling himself a Christian, admits to going to his local church because there he finds hope and wonder and joy, to bring me to a deep place of acknowledging that within me were sadnesses that I had pushed down, and I needed to find that joy again. I simply let it out, and it was truly cathartic.

I do what I do because I still hold to the belief that if we care to stand and look 'beyond above' there is actually something to find! I do what I do because I still believe that 'the beyond above' has been revealed to us, bringing peace and hope and purpose. I believe that we are met in our pain and offered healing and joy. Nick Cave's song is not 'Christian' in the literal sense, but it touched something deep that allowed me to identify for a moment what I could only understand as God. I can think of only one specifically 'Christian' song that has ever managed to come close to that.

We are in October; the Autumn has come. This is the season when we can hope for some clear night skies when the stars will be particularly bright. You might not go off and listen to Nick Cave's song (although I highly recommend that you do) but please, do get outside on the next clear night, look up, and see the bright triumphant metaphors of love and care. Stand and look beyond above.

#### Simon

#### **BIBLE STUDY GROUP**

A heads up for anyone who might be interested in joining us...?!! We meet twice a month, the first meeting being on the first Thursday of the month at 7pm, the second meeting of the month being on the 3rd Thursday of the month at 4.00pm. This enables folk who are working full time to join us as well as those who prefer afternoon meetings.

The October meeting dates are October 3rd at 7.00 pm at Boundary House on the High Street in Little Milton and October 17the at 4pm at Northend Cottage in Great Milton. For further details and a chat about possibly joining us please do telephone us on 01844 278029...we're a lovely group!

I.D. and S.A. Dennis

#### CHURCH CLEANING ROTA FOR OCTOBER

| W/E 6th October  | _ | Mrs L. Lovegrove & Mrs C Coward   |
|------------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| W/E 13th October | _ | Mrs A Jones & Mrs Sarah Holifield |
| W/E 20th October | _ | Mrs E. Summers & Mrs Wendy Newby  |
| W/E 27th October |   | Mrs A Blagg & Mrs Cathy D'Aeth    |
| W/E 3rd November | _ | Mrs M Davies & Mrs S A Dennis     |

#### CHURCH FLOWER ROTA FOR OCTOBER

| W/E 6th October  | - | Chris Coward   |
|------------------|---|----------------|
| W/E 13th October | - | Chris Coward   |
| W/E 20th October | - | Jane Willis    |
| W/E 27th October | - | Teresa Quested |
| W/E 3rd November | - | Teresa Quested |

#### Teresa Quested 278922

#### **LITTLE MILTON BELLS**

From Tuesday 1 October we are going to practice on the first and third Tuesday of each month during the day from 14.30 to 16.00, rather than in the evening. This is for a trial period of six months.

## Catherine Hughes-D'-Aeth cathy.hd@btinternet.com

#### THANK YOU

I would like to thank everyone who sent me a birthday card, a present or simply best wishes on my 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday. I would also like to thank Anita for organising a birthday tea party foe me. I really appreciate all tr kindness that has been shown to me.

#### **Terry Cooper**

#### FRIENDS OF LITTLE MILTON SCHOOL- 200 CLUB

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#### Diane Austin (Organiser)



St James' Little Milton

## HARVEST FESTIVAL BRING AND SHARE LUNCH

### The Pine Lodge, Little Milton Sunday October 13th At 12.30

This will be a great chance to come and celebrate the Harvest by sharing some of the good things we've enjoyed throughout the summer, over a shared lunch.

Cider and soft drinks are provided, just bring anything you have (pies, quiches, bread, cheese etc.) to enjoy and share. All are welcome.

Let us know if you'd like to come along by emailing Harvestlunch88@gmail.com



### A great place to grow

Hello from The Maple Tree!

Our fabulous Children's Centre needs a special trustee and volunteers. Do you have some time to spare and a background or interest in fundraising? Are you able to join our small but lovely group of trustees? We are looking for someone to grow and help sustain our services to all the families in Wheatley and the surrounding villages. We want to thank Phoebe, who is only 7, as she ran the whole of the Oxford 5K parkrun in 44 minutes and 22 seconds on 31st August! Phoebe raised well over £1000.00 for The Maple Tree! Congratulations and a BIG THANK YOU! Thank you to all who supported Phoebe and to the Maple Tree Amblers who are also running marathons and half marathons this autumn. Details on how to sponsor or join

them are on our website and Facebook page.

We have added an afternoon session to our programme this autumn;

Mondays: Messy Mondays at 10:00-11:30am and Twinnies at 2:00-4:00pm

Tuesdays: Once Upon a Rhyme-Time at 10:00-11:30am and Celebrating Sounds at 1:00-3:30pm (this is new and designed to help communication and language development)

Wednesdays: Baby Cafe at 9:30am-12:00pm

Thursdays: Little Explorers at 10:00-11:30am and The Maple Tree at Forest Hill Village Hall from 10:30am-12:00pm.

Little Chatterboxes at 10:00-11:30am

Family Fun at 10:00-11:30am, 3rd Saturday of each month

Check out our Website and Facebook page for more details about our summer programme. For details, please go to www.mapletree.org.uk

Please also have a look at our Maple Tree Market page on Facebook or just come to The Maple Tree for a browse! We have some wonderful children's clothes, baby essentials, toys, and games available. This aids the environment by recycling, helps families during these difficult financial times and helps to sustain our charity when families are able to make a small donation.

We are here to help if you need advice or support: 01865 236700 or 07849 466249.

Email: info@mapletree.org.uk Website: www.mapletree.org.uk

Facebook: www.facebook.com/TheMapleTreeWheatley

Instagram: @themapletreecentre

Laura Spencer The Maple Tree Centre Manager

#### WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE PINE LODGE

We now have a new **Meeting Room** available in the Hall for gatherings of up to 10 people. Hopefully a little warmer in winter than the large hall. There is also a large TV/monitor connected to the internet for your use. The room can be booked through the Hall website.

With the evenings drawing in, come along to the first of our winter Theatre performances with a hilarious evening with an adaptation of "Three Men in a Boat" on 11 October, with doors opening at 19:30. £15 per ticket available at the village Shop or the Hall website. There will be a bar with cheese and wine, etc.

#### Regular activities in the Hall include:

Tuesdays at 9:30 am, and Thursdays at 6:00 p.m. Keep Fit on with Alyce (alycefwf@gmail.com)

Tuesday 6:00 pm Dance school ( megan ah@hotmail.com)

Wednesday 9:30 am Advanced Textile on workshop with Amargeet (<a href="mailto:amarjeetnandhra@virginmedia.com">amarjeetnandhra@virginmedia.com</a>)

Friday 9:30 am Fitness with Focus (mobility and stretching) on with Alyce (alycefwf@gmail.com)

WI 2nd Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. contact Kath Stacy kathstacey@yahoo.co.uk

Crafts 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. contact Kath

Stacy kathstacey@yahoo.co.uk

Little City 08:30 - 13:30 once a month on a Thursday ( rosie@littlecityuk.com)

**Parish Council** 2nd Wednesday 7:30 p.m. For further details contact clerk@littlemilton.org.uk

**Village Hall** committee 2nd Monday 7:30 p.m. For further details contact giles.pinelodge@gmail.com

For details of, news, booking info and the online events calendar please view the Pine Lodge webpage at <a href="https://lmvh.org.uk/">https://lmvh.org.uk/</a>, or contact *Linda* 

Lovegrove <u>linda.pinelodge@yahoo.com</u>

#### **SAVE THE DATE**

The Christmas Fayre this year will be held on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> December.

As usual it will be a joint event with The Orchard, Little Milton School and St James's Church.

If you would like to be involved or help in anyway, please let me know.

Teresa Quested 278922

#### **BULB POTS**

Does anyone have any unwanted pot suitable for planting bulbs for the Christmas Fayre?

Thank you Teresa Ouested 278922





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# PIZZA TUESDAY

AT THE LAMB INN, LITTLE MILTON TUESDAY EVENINGS. FROM 5PM - 8:30PM ENJOY IN THE PUB OR TAKE-AWAY

FOR MORE INFORMATION, TO PRE-ORDER OR INFORM US OF ANY DIETARY REQUIREMENTS PLEASE EMAIL US: INFO@AKRVENTURES.CO.UK OR MESSAGE US ON SOCIAL MEDIA

#### FRIENDS OF WELLS FARM

Are we in for a cold, wet autumn or will it be warm and sunny. This year has been quite a strange one so far. It is a time of plenty for some animals, making the most of the bounty of nuts, berries and seeds. Squirrels will be busy burying food for the winter. They don't hibernate, but sleep a lot! Mice and voles continue to stay active but cache some food underground or in holes at the base of trees. Their numbers are highest in November but then crash as food becomes scarce over winter. There are plenty of seeds available to birds such as finches and they should be well fed during autumn/winter period. They struggle from February onwards when supplies are exhausted and it is then that they will be most grateful for your garden bird feeders. Keep an eye out for large flocks of goldfinches, yellowhammers and starlings that frequent Wells.

There should be no sheep at Wells for a few weeks but please keep your dogs under control through the fields in case some return earlier than planned. Look out for signs on the gates.

Paul Jeffery - Reserves Warden (paulj201@hotmail.com)

#### TONS TOGETHER (LITTLE MILTON) WI

We served tea & cake and sold some of my jam stock for the 75th GHDHS Horticultural Show on 24 August and raised an amazing £220.68 for our funds. Thank you to everyone who supported us with cakes, help and custom.

Thank you to Thea Rogers who stepped in at the last minute to teach us seated Zumba in September. We've also had to shuffle the rest of our meeting plans, so our Bollywood dance workshop has moved to 14 November and the 10 October meeting is now Alpacas & their fabulous fluff with Jane Abbott.

Everyone welcome, men too! Visitors £5, or join up for £24 (2024-25).

Do you live in Little Milton, Great Milton, The Haseleys, Stadhampton or surrounding villages, new to the area, want to meet new people, make new friends? Then join Tons Together WI and meet like-minded, local women of all ages in an informal, friendly group.

We meet every 2nd Thursday of the month in the Pine Lodge OX44 7PZ at 7.30pm Too shy to come by yourself or need a lift? Contact us & we'll find you a WI buddy.

Like us at <u>www.facebook.com/lmpinelodge</u> Pine Lodge website: <u>www.lmvh.org.uk</u>

Kath Stacey 01844-279438 tonstogetherwi@oxfordshirewi.co.uk

#### DATE OF NEXT SEWING GROUP

This will meet at Spring Cottage, in the Haseley Road, on Wednesday 23rd October from 11.00 onwards! Come along and join us!

#### **Sally Ann Dennis**

#### WELLS FARM ALLOTMENTS

The strange weather we have had this year has made it a bit challenging when it comes to growing your own, although the watering has been easier! The cold snap in September has really upset the outdoor tomatoes. This will be the lowest tomato count since I started recording back in 2019 as there are still so many green ones. However, with the lows come the highs. I have had hundreds of chillis this year. Jalapenos, Cayenne and Boquitos. The first two can be frozen whole and last a couple of years in the freezer. Just take one or two out for a chillis, wait 5 minutes and then slice them up easily. You can get seeds from bought chillis to try. Just remove them to dry somewhere and put them in a sealed min jar after. This also works with tomatoes but the seeds need soaking for a day or so in water first before removing any remaining flesh with a sieve. If you like garlic, now is the time to start planting some. They will need checking periodically as they can be unearthed by wind and rain until they get their roots down. They can be started by placing the bulbs in a tray of soil to start the roots off before going outside. Some growers like planting broad beans at this time but I have had more success with spring planting. It is worth starting to clear some of the ground that is no longer used and mulch or cover it. Cardboard will eventually break down so a good way of recycling. Uncooked food scraps are also worth spreading over or at least composting. I have a small composting bucket at home that I periodically empty once things have rotted down enough that rats won't eat it.

Happy harvesting!

Paul. (paulj201@hotmail.com

#### **VIEW FROM VIEWS**

This summer the weather has been somewhat of a roller coaster, luckily for us in this little corner of our country we seem to have missed the worst of the wet, in fact I think we could probably have done with a little more rain. Although, as I write we could do with a little sunshine. Since I last wrote on how, perhaps some of the environmental initiatives we had been employing, had not been entirely successful, we have ploughed up 2/3's of our Lupins and planted it with Buckwheat and Phacelia, to give the land a little rest, and build up a little more condition in the soil, before we plant the next crop in the next few weeks, I notice that at the beginning of September the Black Grass is already showing again but, hopefully the pre-planting preparations will put paid to it, the other disappointing issue is that when the Clover area was also ploughed it showed no enhancement to soil condition, which we would have expected. Bare in mind that this clover was planted as a companion crop to do just that and, provide extra plant nutrients naturally, I am od that this could be that as it was ploughed during a dry period the clover would continue to grow and thus sap up any moisture.

Nothing really to report on wild life at the moment all rather quiet plenty of birds about even still seeing the odd swift, we now seem to have a resident Tawny Owl who serenades us in the early hours of the morning. We have always had Skylarks everywhere on the farm, now I think they are being joined by Buntings. In conjunction with the "River Thame Conservation Trust" and the local farm cluster, we are participating in a drive to remove the Mink that have been released by some very irresponsible humans, to re-establish the native "Water Vole", that have been pushed by the "Mink". So far, here we have caught 4 and, within the cluster I think we have accounted up to 30 so far. So hopefully one day we will see the return of "Ratty" to the river banks, during this campaign it has become obvious to us that we also have ofters present. I would like to thank those local volunteers who have been of great help in carrying out this operation.

Apart from the Poppies and the lupins, harvest was over by the last day of July, this sounds great, but that is only the Wheat and the Barley, which were completed in just over 2 afternoons. Due to the weather conditions that both the above crops had to endure what was left to cut preformed reasonably well. The Barley produced about 150 tonnes instead of a potential of 225, but what we cut was not that bad. The Wheat, which if you remember we tried sowing into an already established crop that we later destroyed, gave us a yield just under what would be considered a good average, (whatever that maybe), although these results were more than we would have expected I doubt it will impress the bank manager. We do still have 2 unknown crops yet to harvest, plus some DEFRA payments for various other land use initiatives we have entered, I think this will illustrate that without our other income we would be in a very difficult situation, I fear for many of our colleagues, who may not survive.

I mention the Government initiatives above, we were just beginning to think that these essential means of support were being realistic to our needs and that they were being more flexible in the administration of the schemes, when suddenly we learn that our new Government are going to cut spending on Agriculture by £100m, a real kick in the teeth for us, many are somewhat apprehensive in applying for the many schemes that have been brought in to save nature.

Recently I received a card anonymously, which was great I like to hear from those who obviously read my little bit of nonsense, this was to do with the proposed idea of the

"OXCAM" arc, well I can assure the writer that I am well aware of the proposal and am sure our new MP is if not I would be surprised, he would also aware of our feelings on the matter. However, he was part of the County Council that allowed the ridiculous Eynsham "Park & Ride" debacle to evolve. This is something that is desperately needed, surely a temporary measure can overcome this debacle, I think we should be demanding a solution "ASAP", for goodness, sake Councils get a grip and sort it, it is ridiculous not too, verging on the criminal. (Thank goodness it does not affect us in this part of the county). A recent media report states that Oxford is too overcrowded as it is which, I find interesting. On the issue of the "P&R" it is a scandal and a waste of ratepayer's (yours and my hard-earned money), and at a time when it looks as if we are all going to have to tighten our belts.

Recently I read a very good letter written by some influential persons on "The Right to Roam", as Great Milton will not have seen, (I had hoped it could have been included in the Bulletin, as it has been in Little Milton & Stadhampton). It illustrated in a very concise way what I have been talking about for many years, in that every step you make you are in effect killing something. If anyone is interested, please get in touch, I will see if I can forward it to you.

#### Charles Peers



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#### LITTLE MILTON 200 CLUB

Many thanks to all of you who registered with the 200 Club last year. This letter is to remind you that we are now renewing our 200 club for the year 2024/25 and our first draw will be held on 15th November and thereafter on the 3rd Friday of every month. For those of you who are unaware of the 200 club, it is a scheme that raises funds for the school, with an equal amount being paid out in prizes.

To become a member costs as little as £12.00 per year.

Each month, a draw takes place with a minimum of two prizes. The number of members determines the value of the prizes. Fifty percent is given to the school. As membership increases, so does the prize money increase. As previously, we will be requesting annual payments. Everyone needs to re-register in order to be entered into the monthly draw. New numbers will be allocated to all members on a first come first serve basis.

We hope you will be able to support, or continue to support our village school by joining the 200 club. Please complete the attached form and return with payment to either the Post Office or Little Milton School by 14<sup>th</sup> November please.

Thank you for your support

Yours sincerely

Mrs Diane Austin The Friends of Little Milton School, 200 Club Organiser. Registered Charity 1004016

#### LITTLE MILTON 200 CLUB

#### Rules

- 1. Name "Little Milton 200 Club"
- 2. Cost: £1 per number per month paid annually
- 3. Purpose: To raise funds for Little Milton School.
- 4. No more than 200 numbers allocated.
- 5. Every participant is allocated a ticket number that will remain constant throughout the year.
- 6. The total value of prizes will be 50% of the annual ticket sales.
- 7. There will be at least 2 prizes per month.
- 8. Payments will be asked for annually on the 1st November each year
- 9. The draw will be held each month at Little Milton School. During School holidays the draw will be held at a committee member's house in the presence of at least two committee members of the Friends of Little Milton School or alternatively consecutive months will be drawn at the same time at the school prior to school holidays.
- 10. Any persons may purchase more than one number.
- 11. Prize winners will be announced each month in the village newsletter and will also be advised individually by a committee member.

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| I understand and accept the rules of the Little Milton 200 Club  |
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The first South Oxfordshire Christmas Fair will take place on 19th November, at The Oxfordshire Golf Hotel and Spa near Thame, to benefit Sobell House Hospice and the Watlington Hospital Charitable Trust. The Fair's format will be the same as the popular Watlington Hospital Christmas Fair, which has attracted hundreds of people from all over Oxfordshire, Berkshire and Buckinghamshire for over 20 years. All that's changed is the name of the Fair and the addition of a second charity chosen to benefit from the funds raised: this year, it is Sobell House Hospice.

The fair is always growing, with over 50 carefully selected stalls, including exciting new independent businesses and many familiar favourites. This year, there's also expanded choices for lunch and coffee, and plenty of car parking.

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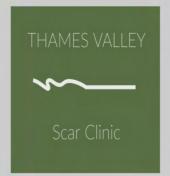
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#### VILLAGE CHRISTMAS CARD 2024

This year we will, again, be compiling a "Village Christmas Card". Last year over 50% of the households in Little Milton participated – that is stunning! For those of you new to the village, or for those who may have forgotten, this is something we have been doing for many years – we produce a collective Christmas card (no need for individual cards!) and raise money for a very good cause.

Over the past 15 years we have raised funds for Sobell House and have donated in the region of £20,000. This year we are going to change and support Oxford Children's Hospital Charity – this is an organization that has become, personally, very important.

Great Milton has adopted the Village Christmas Card initiative and last year they raised £2,500. They will also be supporting the children's hospital this year and so I hope that collectively we can make a huge success of this idea.

This year we have beautiful images that were collected over the last festive period, so you never know, you might find your home on the card. If you have any other images that you think would work then please let me know.

Every year I am contacted by many people who were disappointed to miss out or who didn't appreciate how lovely the idea is. PLEASE don't let that be you this year!!!! The form will be in the November Newsletter and as always, the deadline for contributions will be the first Sunday in December.

#### How does it work?

Every village household has the opportunity to write a short greeting that will be printed in a Christmas card and distributed to each home in the village AND (this is the important bit) make a donation to Oxford Children's Hospital at the same time.

#### How do we join in?

Please complete the form in the November newsletter and either return it to me or to the Village Shop **before Sunday 1st December**. Copies of the form are also available at the Post Office.

We will then prepare the cards, print, and distribute in time for Christmas.

#### How much does it cost?

There is no minimum donation amount, but every pound raised will go to Oxford Children's Hospital.

#### Who pays for this?

We are grateful to Juliette Langlais of Morgan & Associates and Ben and Charmaine from The Lamb for once again generously sponsoring the printing. The artwork and design are kindly provided Baseline Arts in Oxford and all the incidental costs are picked up by a benefactor.

#### How are the cards distributed?

A wonderful team of volunteers will deliver the cards to every household in the village in time for Christmas.

#### How much is raised?

Last year we raised just over £2,350 with this simple and fun initiative (and we have raised over £20,000 since starting this venture).

#### Can I see an example?

Of course, please give me a call.

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Roger Longshaw (01844 279777)



## Walks Programme 2024

October

Tuesday 1st 5½ mile walk from Bledlow via Saunderton and Lodge

Hill.

Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> Leisurely 5½ miles from Tiddington. Possible stop at

farm café for morning break.

Tuesday 8th Gentle, social 2½ mile walk from Chinnor Village

Centre via Kiln Lakes. Option for coffee at end of

walk.

Wednesday 9th Easy 7 mile walk along roads and tracks from

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Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> Meet at Cadmore End for a gently undulating 4½ mile

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Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> 10:30am 5 mile walk from Bishops Court Farm, Dorchester, with optional lunch at the Snug Cafe at the end.

Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> Undulating 7½ mile walk with good views, starting

from Whiteleaf Cross car park. Bring a picnic.

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> 10:30am Leisurely 4 mile walk with good views from Forest Hill.

Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> 6 mile walk via Sprigs Alley, starting from

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All walks start at 10am unless otherwise stated.

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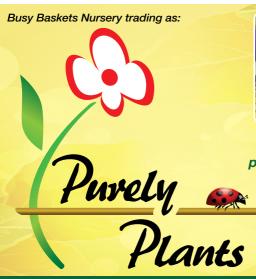
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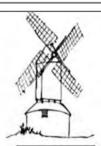


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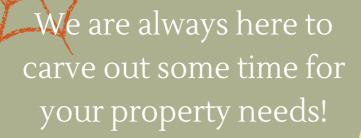


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