
THE OXHILL NEWS

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Tom and Ann Heritage enjoying Barney's Barn Dance

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CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE OXHILL NEWS

The editors welcome any pictures, photographs, drawings, poems, puzzles, recipes, announcements or items of local news for possible inclusion in The Oxhill News. Please email news-editor@oxhill.org.uk or place paper contributions in the box labelled 'The Oxhill News' in the village Church.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE IS THE 15TH OF EVERY MONTH.

MOBILE LIBRARY

The mobile library has books with **large print**, ordinary print, picture books, children's books, paperbacks, non-fiction, novels, sagas, crime, mysteries, adventures, westerns and romance. The van has talking books, cassettes and CDs.

The library van will continue to visit Oxhill, stopping at the Village Hall at 14:30, staying there for 30 minutes. The van will visit us on Friday October 20th.

REFUSE COLLECTION

Recycling and green waste bins (blue and green bins) will be collected on Tuesdays 3rd, 17th and 31st October. The grey rubbish bins will be collected on Tuesdays 10th and 24th October.

WEEKDAY WALKERS

This walking group usually walks on 2nd and 4th Friday of the month. If you are interested in joining or to find out further information, please contact Jim Saxton on 680645 or email admin@jimsaxton.co.uk

AT THE PEACOCK

Village Events

The village coffee morning is on Weds October 4th at 10.30 am.

The village lunch is on Wednesday October 18th at 12:30pm.



DEANERY NEWS

We are delighted that Rev. Sarah Edmonds has been appointed as Rector of Shipston (with Tidmington), Honington and Idlicote: she will be licensed on **Monday, November 27th at 7.30pm** in St. Edmund's Church, Shipston. Sarah is of course already a familiar face in the Deanery, and we pray for her and her family as they move up the road all the way from Tredington to Shipston!

Deanery Synod will be on **Monday, October 9th, at 7.30pm** – at St. Mary's Church, Tysoe. Note that this is a **Monday** – for once this is not a misprint! Our guest that evening will be Ruth Marlow, our new Diocesan Secretary, and she would love to meet as many of the Deanery as possible!

Building on the considerable interest in ecological matters, we are going to host a **BCDM Module on Creation Care**, in St Edmunds, Shipston, on Tuesday evenings in the autumn, looking at God's Creation and our place in it. It will be led by Rev. Chris Goble, with input from Godfrey Armitage of the Diocesan Environmental Group.

Dates and Time: Tuesday evenings 7.00-9.30pm, 3rd - 17th October and 7th - 14th November

Venue: St. Edmund's Shipston, Church Street, Shipston on Stour, CV36 4AP (although the session on October 10th will be elsewhere).

We have decided as a Deanery that we will fund these courses for anyone who lives or worships in our Deanery (although we may invite donations towards the overall cost of the scheme!) **To register please go to: www.dioceseofcoventry.org/BCDMregister**

Quiet Morning: Penny Hughes will be leading a Quiet Morning on **Saturday, October 28th** in The Old Chapel, Oxhill, led by Penny Hughes, entitled 'Create your Peace'. Coffee etc will be available from 9.30am, then the morning will run from 10.00am to 1.00pm, after which a light

lunch will be available. Everyone is very welcome for all or part of the time.

Finally, for the singers among you: everyone is invited to a **Come and Sing Choral Evensong at Coventry Cathedral on Saturday, 18th November**, between 1.30pm and 5.15pm. This will be led by Kerry Beaumont, the Cathedral's Director of Music, and supported by RSCM. If anyone would like to go, please let me know, and I will try to sort our music and transport. I shall be there, having just been asked to become Chairman of the RSCM in Coventry and Warwickshire, so it would be lovely to take along a group from Shipston Deanery!

Every blessing, Jill

MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT

Firstly I would like to thank Fred Price and the Village Hall Committee for the cheque for £100, the donations from the concert, held in the hall after it's refurbishment on 24th June.

A further £187 was raised at the Flower Show, I'm glad to say my stall didn't blow away this year. Big thank you to the organisers and also thanks go to Chris Gibbs who chose Macmillan and paid for the hire of the stall.

2016 was supposed to be my final year of fundraising, for this worthy cause, from my home.....but little did we know then that we would see for ourselves the good work that MCS does.

By the time you read this, Alan will be nearing the end of his 4 week radiotherapy programme at Coventry University Hospital and will hopefully be on the road to recovery.

For this reason I have decided to host another Sale and Coffee morning -on Friday 17th November 2017, 10 - 2pm.

PLEASE SUPPORT US ONCE AGAIN. (to date we have raised over £11,000)

More details on posters round villages.

THANK YOU

Jackie Thompson 01295 680263/ 07811 794634

Whatcote Christmas Puddings - 2017



St Peter's Church, Whatcote is again selling Christmas puddings this year to help church funds.

The price for the 454gm (1lb.) pudding is £6.50 and the 908g (2lb), pudding is £11.00. They are great puddings and make excellent Christmas gifts for family and friends.

Last year the puddings were all sold by early December, so please get your orders in without delay by telephoning me on 01295 680294, or you can e-mail me at junewreford@hotmail.co.uk

All the profit goes to wards the upkeep of St Peter's Church, Whatcote.

The puddings can be delivered by arrangement, or collected from me at Church Cottage, Whatcote.

June Wreford

VISITING CAT



Does anyone recognize this cat? He/She has been coming in for a few weeks now and helping himself to my cats food... He looks too well to be a stray and is rather beautiful.

What is it with my house that makes so many cats come in... not that I mind...

If you have any information please call Hilary (or trainee Mad Cat Lady) on 07891 838 314

CHRISTMAS IS COMING AND THE HEDGEHOG MUST GET FAT

The nights are getting longer and there is a definite chill to the air. I am delighted that the hedgehog hordes are definitely on the move around the village. Several of you have reported sightings to me and thank you to all of you who are putting out food or even providing shelters for them in your gardens. The hedgehogs are obviously aware of the coming winter as they are coming earlier and earlier to my food bowls each night. The word has obviously got round there is posh nosh at the Van Dijk's and there is a continuous stream of them through the night. I can have as many as four at a time on my patio. This provides for hilarious altercations as they grunt, snort, push, shove and headbutt each other to get at the food. Who needs TV when I have a soap opera going on on my patio every night. However it indicates how anxious they are to fatten up before the colder weather really sets in. Please put out mealworms, bird peanuts, sunflower hearts and bird fat strips together with water in any convenient place in your garden. Don't worry about them finding it. If they can gain access to your garden under a fence or gate they will find it as they have an excellent sense of smell. I have noticed that the majority of the hedgehogs are of a good size and looking plump and healthy. Just two or three who are a little on the small size. I have also noticed that the skirt of fur along the edge of their spines and under their tummies is growing longer and more luxuriant. Just what they need for hibernation.

I am so delighted that our hedgehogs have had a very successful summer and the numbers are definitely increasing. They will probably disappear sometime during October to lay claim to their hibernation site. They were certainly nest building in late August. If you notice that your hedgehog food has not been eaten still put it out for a few days just in case they come back. Mice will eat the peanuts and birds the rest so try to put the food tucked under logs so it is more difficult for the mice/birds to access. Thank you all for all your help in assisting the successful return of this lovely native animal. Hopefully they will survive the winter and bring back their hoglets in March/April to see us all.

TYSOE CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL – AUTUMN TERM

Children started the term full of excitement in their new classes which have been named after trees. Each class has found out about their tree and created a lovely display of facts and artwork. The outdoor classroom in our lovely grounds has been restored ready for learning and Nature Club. Children thrive in this nurturing environment where the aim is for every child: ‘To be positive about me, my faith, our learning and our world.’

We always welcome lots of visitors into school. Already this term, the Reverend George Heighton, of St George’s Church Brailes, has made several visits to get to know the children and we look forward to future collaboration over events like Harvest Festival. A vet has visited Oak Class to talk about pet care. Future activities include architecture workshops for the whole school, a fitness session led by an Olympic athlete and a sculpture project in Rowan Class.

The school enjoys being part of the local community and has benefited hugely from local support. We are very appreciative of the many people who attended the Summer Fete and Dog Show which raised over £3000 for projects, including a new reading scheme. During the last week of term, younger children enjoyed a treasure hunt in the Community Orchard. The Tysoe Utilities Trust has generously agreed to fund swimming lessons and the Flower Show Committee has donated £100 to The Friends. We are grateful for all this involvement, since the school budget is so constrained.

We are already planning for next September 2018 with an Open Morning on Wednesday 4th October at 9.30am for prospective parents. Our catchment area is Tysoe, Oxhill, Whatcote, Radway, Ratley and the wider area so please spread the word. Visits are welcome at other times too. Contact Mrs Horrocks in the office on 01295 680244.

Jenny Coates Head of School

OXHILL VILLAGE HALL – MAINTENANCE W/E

Thanks to all those who gave up their time on 2nd and 3rd of September to do some essential work on our Village Hall and leave it looking refreshed and ready for another season of classes, events and great occasions.

Thank you, Oxhill Village Hall Committee



A busy day



Leading to a Great Result

KNIT & NATTER

Our September sessions have again been quite well supported and in October we have meetings on Thursdays, the 5th and 19th starting at 2.00pm.

Any Mums with babies are welcome to join us, even if it's just for a cup of tea and a change of scenery.

Please feel free to come along for a cup of tea and to 'Knit & Natter'. Also don't forget the **BOOK EXCHANGE**. If you'd like to know more, then call Tricia Harbour on 680676 or just turn up and join in.

OXHILL VILLAGE HALL UPCOMING EVENTS AND NEWS

Coming next

Saturday 7 October - Village Big Breakfast

To get your weekend off to a great start, why not join us for the latest in our popular village breakfasts and catch up with friends old and new, or bring the family for a morning treat?

As before, breakfasts can be booked at 15 minute intervals between 9am and 11am. Ticket numbers are limited with our maximum attendance set at 48.

Full English:

Eggs, 2 bacon rashers, 2 sausages, mushrooms or black pudding, beans, tomato and toast – all for £6 adults and £3.50 children

Continental:

Croissant, pain au chocolat, toast and juice – all for £3 adults and £2 children

Drinks:

Pot of tea £1.50, Coffee cafetiere £2.50

To book your tickets and time slot please call Jay Roberts on (01295) 680030. Don't leave it late as this is a popular village hall event.

Coming soon

Friday 10 November - Annual Curry Night

Our curry night is a bit of an institution, so do join us for another opportunity to enjoy, in great company, a range of fantastic Indian dishes to tempt your taste buds. Subtly spiced starters will be followed by curries and chutneys ranging from the mild to the not so mild, plus delicious vegetable accompaniments with a selection of sweets to finish. Tickets are priced at £12.50 per person and food will be served from 7.30pm.

To book tickets please contact Jay Roberts on (01295) 680030

Dates for the diary

Monday 11 December - Village Christmas Lunch

Friday 22 December - Beer and Bubbles Night (posh frocks and black and white/lounge suits/jackets)

Saturday 27 January - Burns Night

TYSOE W.I.

Tysoe W.I. continues to be as busy as ever. We had a great turnout for our last meeting in September, John Hunter gave us a fascinating insight into Forensic Archeology.

Our speaker for October meeting on 4th has cancelled, but will be replaced, check on our Facebook, website, posters for details. Kick off is at 7.30 with a glass of wine. Everyone welcome.

We were asked recently what are the benefits of being a member rather than a visitor.

Well, by being a member you save money. You receive discounts on many trips and events, also having priority booking over non members. Though of course you are still most welcome as a visitor if membership is not for you.

Follow us on Facebook or visit our new website <https://tysoewi.com>

Email Tysoew.i.1917@icloud.com if you would like to be added to our database to receive updates of meeting, events and trips.

A BIG THANK YOU

After my recent stay in Hospital at the ECU unit at the Horton in Banbury, I just want to say a big thank you to the doctors and nurses

Plus on my return home to friends and neighbours.

Joe Costa

LEYS FIELD OPEN MEETING

Wednesday 4 October 2017

Oxhill Village Hall
7.30 pm

To discuss the 'Open Area' under the
106 Agreement
Layout – Planting – Future

BACK IN TIME WHISKY (OR GIN!) TASTING

Oxhill Village Hall Saturday 28th October 7pm



Secret whiskies (and gins)...

Following the resounding success of the first Oxhill Whisky Appreciation Society (OWAS) event in July - where seven whiskies from six countries were sampled (Japanese Nikka being the overall favourite with Balvenie Scotch a close second) - October gives us another opportunity to sample some delights of the whisky spectrum...

This time we will be going 'back in time' to where it all began in Bonnie Scotland with a selection of exclusively aged single malt whiskies from each of the major distilling regions North of the border. If the curation goes to plan then we should have a mixture of household names and lesser known spirits typical of their terroir.

With a little guidance we aim to have a 'blind' tasting with a bit of competition to see who can match the right drams to their home locale and outsmart their table mates with their knowledge, palate or sheer guesswork! Further kudos can be earned for estimating the correct age, strength and type of barrel used for the ageing process.

Following feedback from last time we are also aiming to offer an alternative 'menu' at this session with a selection of gins for the non-whisky lovers. While not as detailed as the arrangements around the whisky tasting it should still offer a lively alternative for those so inclined. We strongly advise against anyone attempting to try both!

As with the first tasting, tickets will be on sale for £15 (Whisky) or £10 (Gin) and £5 (non-tasting). Whisky tasters will have seven drams to choose from, while gin tasters will have four, along with a selection of different tonics. To avoid confusion at the bar the non-tasting tickets will not include a drink and are purely access to the event.

If you want to reserve your tickets please contact Lisa Connolly ASAP on 01295 680 091. Seats are strictly limited to 24 whisky and 12 gin, so advanced purchase is recommended. Please note that this is a non-dining event so remember to have a good dinner before you arrive. The OWAS team look forward to seeing you there!

Reuben Connolly and Stuart Whittaker

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF OXHILL PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON TUESDAY 12th SEPTEMBER AT 8.00PM IN THE VILLAGE HALL.

The meeting, chaired by Grenville Moore was attended by Councillors, Derek Harbour and Duncan Harper, apologies were received from Sue Hunt and Stuart Whittaker. Councillor John Fielding, Ward Member for Red Horse attended.

Minutes – Minutes of the previous meeting were read, agreed and signed.

Matters arising

Speeding radar- The cost of having two automated radar devices monitoring the speed of vehicles passing through the village will be £322.23 +VAT, it was proposed that these be booked for locations on the – Whatcote Road and Green Lane. Proposed by Duncan Harper and seconded by Derek Harbour.

Footpath Bridge – This work has been given a job number and work should be completed by the 16th September 2017.

Footpath extension on Whatcote Road – An email from Highways was received informing the Parish Council that unfortunately the remit is to look after the existing network as there is no budget to carry out improvement works.

Dog waste bins– For additional bins to be located in the village catering for litter and dog waste the cost would be £340 each with a cost of emptying of £105.75. The Parish Council are unable to fund this. It was proposed by Derek Harbour that a community group make an application to the Community Grant scheme for funds to include further bins, benches for the area where the trough is located and for a ‘bus shelter’ under the umbrella heading Street furniture.

Damage to the Village Hall Bin- Stratford District Council, Street Scene is responsible for the public bin at the Village Hall. A photo will be sent

to them of the damage and then a decision will be made as to whether to repair or replace the bin.

Road Closure- There will be a temporary road closure from 5th October until approximately 12th October from the cross Roads on the A422 to Kinton past Herd Hill Farm for resurfacing works.

Planning – Permission has been approved for: Retention of a timber store at Willow Brook, Back Lane. A new house and access at Fithers Field. Two 3 bedroom houses on Plot 3 Green Lane.

Permission Pending: Replacement staircase at Homestead. Felling of trees at Flexloe House, Blackford House, Homestead. Change of use of existing Livery Yard at Church Farm. Two houses at the rear of Oakwoods House. Leys Field Development.

The appeal to build on land adjacent to the Hollies Rouse Lane has been dismissed.

Finance

Printing of the Oxhill News - a Payment of £453.60 was made for the printing of the Oxhill News from April to September including the scarecrow supplement. Proposed by Derek Harbour and Seconded by Duncan Harper.

WALC – The sum of 25.00 was paid to WALC for 5 copies of the publication ‘ A good Councillor’ all members of the Parish Council were given a copy for their reference. Proposed by Grenville Moore and Seconded by Derek Harbour.

Training – The sum of £19.76 was paid to Freeola for the website quarterly charge. Proposed by Grenville Moore and Seconded by Duncan Harper.

Correspondence

S106 - A briefing note has been received with regards to proposed changes to the approach for S106 contributions.

Any other Business

Parish Council Website contact list – From time to time the Parish Council has information for the community that they feel would be beneficial to

distribute in a more timely way. It is felt that the most effective way to do this is through an email group as has already been set up for other things in the village e.g. the oil consortium.

If you would like to be notified of important information in this way please could you email the Parish Council or contact them through the contact page of the website giving your permission to be added to a Parish Council email group, emails will remain confidential and only used for the purpose of informing interested people of Parish Council information.

Parish Council Email Address: parish-council@oxhill.org.uk

Contact page of the website : <http://www.oxhillpc.uk>

County Councillor's Report – A report was given by County Councillor Chris Williams identifying 3 key areas:

- Proposals as a result of consultations on the Children's Centres to be considered by the Cabinet on 9th November.
- Community Grant Scheme –applications to be made.
- Public Health – A report has been issued by the Director of Public health stating that Health and Wellbeing in the district is generally good.

Report by Councillor John Fielding– There will be an emergency exercise lead by the Resilience team in order to replicate an emergency incident and the response This will focus on the area around the army camp and there may be increased emergency vehicles in the immediate area during the exercise.

There is a new Police Commissioner.

There will be a judicial review as a result of the appeal for the Horton Hospital with a view to securing further consultation on the proposed changes.

There being no other business the meeting closed at 9.15 pm. Date of the next meeting 7th November 8.00pm in the Village Hall.

Lis Stuart
Parish Clerk

WOT2GROW COMMUNITY ORCHARD



Autumn seems to have come early this year with the morning mists, days of variable weather and temperatures and some days almost feeling like winter with the heavy rain and dark skies! The blueberry bushes are showing their wonderful autumn hues and some of the trees are also beginning to change colour.

Work continues in maintaining the orchard and the summer raspberries are being cut down and the new canes tied in. We have completed the logan and tay berries and will move onto the currants and gooseberries in the coming weeks. The weeds seem to have enjoyed the recent weather and we are trying to keep them at bay!

We are picking quite a few apples which are a good size in general and of course taste delicious. The autumn yellow raspberries are particularly good this year and are cropping well.

APPLE DAY

This year it will be at Oxhill Village Hall on **Saturday 7th October from 1:30 to 4:30** where we will be producing fresh juice to take away and consume quickly. So bring along mud free apples and get juicing! Activities for the children and refreshments will be available.

On **Sunday the 8th** we will be pasteurising some juice and bottling it so it will last a lot longer. This can be picked up from **11:00 to 12:30** at Oxhill Village Hall and will cost £2 a bottle.

So do come along and see us and enjoy your community orchard behind the allotments along the Shenington Road in Tysoe! And maybe join us and enjoy the fruit we grow.

Contact one of us for more information

Liz Atkinson (680045), Paul Sayer (680451), Sue and Mike Sanderson

CARERS4CARERS

Friday 27th October 10.30 – 12noon: Carers4Carers meeting at Kineton Village Hall. Come and relax with a coffee and a chat. Alison Conway from Age UK Warwickshire will be talking about safety and security in the home as well as housing options. Please let us know in advance if you would like us to look after your loved one in our Companionship Group. For more details, including help with transport, phone Gillian on 01926 640203/07947 893504.

Lisa Barnett (nee Maloney), Assistant Co-ordinator, Carers4Carers

ENCORE!

One autumn evening twenty years ago, a dozen or so singers were to be found cosily ranged round Richard and Dorle Emms' sitting room in Shipston, about to learn a 16th century Mass by William Byrd. On most Tuesday evenings now, double that number gather in the Catholic Parish Hall to sing a wide repertoire of music across five centuries.

Having been asked to sing the Mass at St. Edmund's Church, Richard brought together a small unaccompanied group which has now grown to an adventurous chamber choir, celebrating those 20 years with a special concert in October, entitled "Encore!".

The singers have indulged themselves in choosing 20 favourite pieces to sing, together with some of Three's Company's most delicious readings. There are treats in store for all - sacred and secular, moving and amusing, joyous and deep-feeling, with music across the centuries and styles, on Saturday evening 14th October at 7.30.p.m. in St. Edmund's Church, Shipston, including part of the original Byrd Mass. Do come and share the joy that Cantamus has in performing music encompassing spirituals, folk songs, anthems, and madrigals from Bach to modern composer Lauridsen, via Purcell, Rachmaninoff and Cole Porter. Richard, the choir's director, never fails to delight and stimulate both his choir and audience.

Tickets cost £10, and are available from Clarke's Electricals in Shipston, and on the door. Students and accompanied children are welcome to attend at no cost. Do contact Yvonne Ridley on 01789 269587 with any queries.

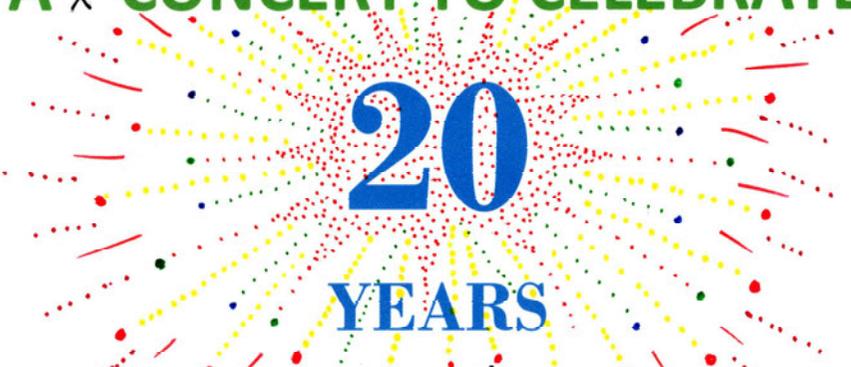
CantamuS

A Cappella Choir
with Three's Company

"ENCORE"!

SPECIAL

A CONCERT TO CELEBRATE



20

YEARS

Saturday 14th October

**St. Edmunds Church,
Shipston-on-Stour, CV36 4AP**

7.30pm

Tickets: £10 from Clarkes Electrical and at the door

PCC MEETING MINUTES

Barney's Band in the Barn



Thank you to everyone who supported this event. It was a great evening and raised a very much appreciated £430 for the church. Barney, Mark Jervis and Mark English were excellent. We really enjoyed their music and I think they enjoyed playing for us as well. A very big thank you must go to Bill and June Fox for letting us use his wonderful barn for the event. Thanks also to Doug and John for all their help in setting up and clearing at the end.

Thanks to Tony Beasley we were able to provide a trailer platform for the band and it took a lot of patience to manoeuvre the trailer into the right position. Well done Tony. The social committee as usual played an important part so thanks to them too i.e. Lillian, Helen, Carol and Kate. I'm sure we will be booking this event again.

Barney's band



Church Big Clean

The annual pre Christmas Big Clean will take place on Saturday November 25th at 9.30am for 10am start. There will be coffee and cakes provided to fuel the energy. Bring dusters, polish brushes etc to maintain and preserve the freshly painted finish.

Insurance

You will have received a leaflet about the promotion by the Church Insurers. They give very good value for money so it might be worth considering checking it out and if anyone decides to give them a try our church will benefit by £130.

PCC

The next meeting of the PCC will take place in the Old Chapel on Monday November 20th at 7.30.

Carol Fox

KINETON ART GROUP MEMBERS' EXHIBITION: 7th AND 8th OCTOBER

Kineton Art Group is holding its 'Annual Open Art Exhibition and Sale of Paintings'

Kineton Village Hall on Saturday 7th and Sunday 8th October
from 10.00am to 5.00pm.

Adults: 50p; Children: free

All the art on display is original. It includes work in a variety of media and depicts a wide range of subjects. Most is for sale. Our October exhibition includes 3D pieces.

Refreshments of homemade cakes and tea/ coffee are served all day. A pianist plays mood music.

This year sees the celebration of the club's 30th anniversary. The club is flourishing and membership is at an all time high with artist members from around South Warwickshire and Oxfordshire regularly attending weekly Monday meetings.

In the early Summer KAG had 10 Monday afternoon sessions for non-members to try their hand at painting and drawing.

These were so successful that they started again in September. There are a few places still available. Those interested can enrol and find more details of this new venture at the exhibition or on our website:

www.kinetonartgroup.co.uk

Bel Keep

WARWICKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984, SECTION 14

TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF C53 OXHILL ROAD, KINETON

Warwickshire County Council proposes to make a Temporary Traffic Order closing C53 Oxhill Road, Kineton from C54 Tysoe Road to the A422 Banbury Road, to vehicular traffic.

The closure is required to facilitate carriageway resurfacing works.

The Order will commence on 5 October 2017 and will last for a period of 18 months, or until the works are completed, whichever is the earlier. However, it is anticipated that the works will be completed by 12 October 2017.

Pedestrian access to and egress from properties and land situated adjacent to the length of road to be closed will be maintained at all times. Vehicular access will be maintained where possible.

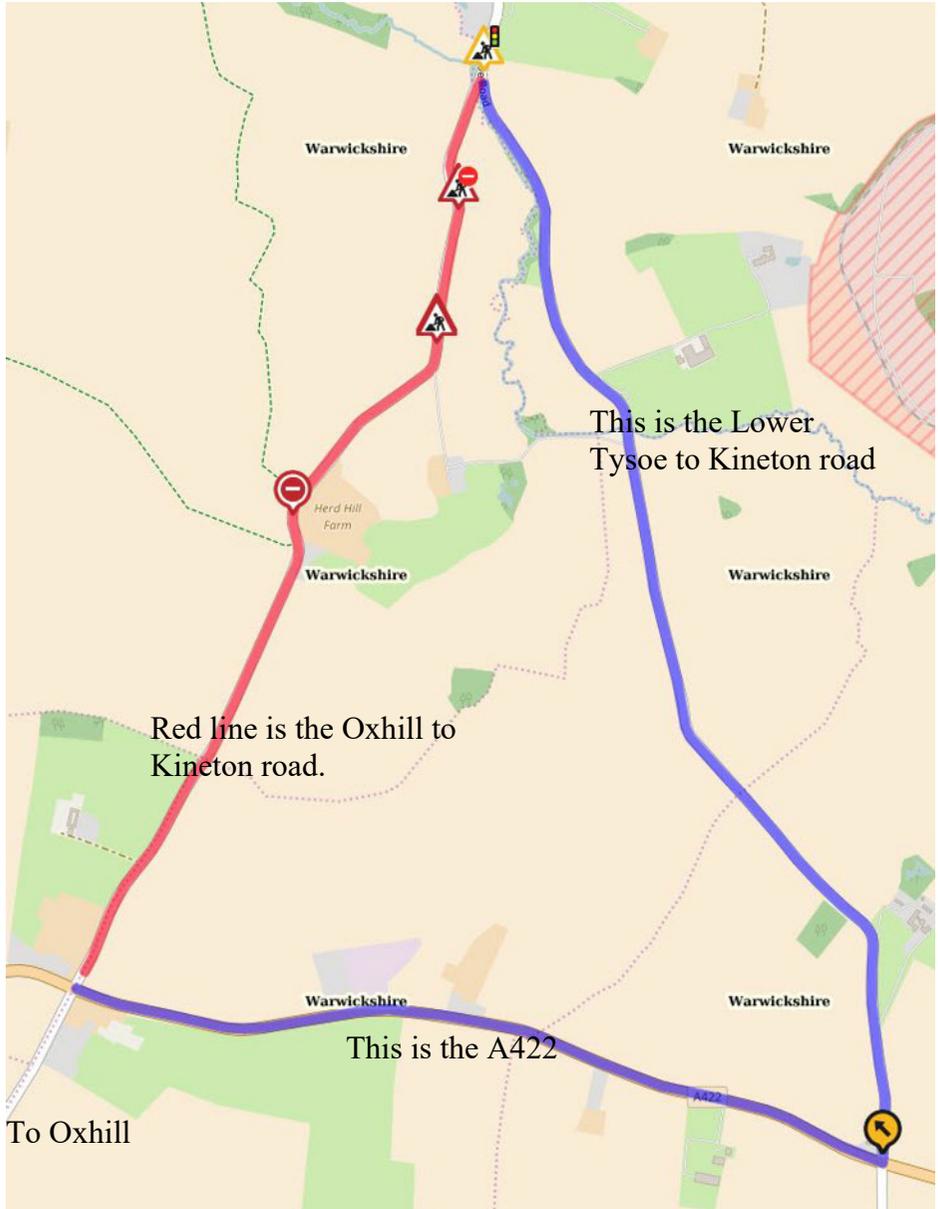
An alternative route will be signed and is available via: Tysoe Road, A422 Banbury Road and vice versa.

The Council regrets any inconvenience that may be caused. The team dealing with this Temporary Traffic Order at Warwickshire County Council is County Highways South (Tel: 01926 412515).

Any enquiries relating to the works being undertaken may be directed to the Contractor dealing with this matter, Paul Kelly for Balfour Beatty (Tel: 01675 467523).

**S Duxbury, Head of Law & Governance, Shire Hall, Warwick, 14
September 2017**

Map provided by Warwickshire County Council, text provided by editor.



OXHILL CRICKETERS SIGN OFF THEIR SEASON

After the exploits against Tysoe and sadly another defeat, the team signed off the 2017 season with a heartening performance against Kineton posting a creditable 132 runs for the loss of just 3 wickets in 30 overs after chasing 188, as the scoreboard shows. Kineton boasted several first team players and so this was a decent display after the many weeks of practicing in the nets at Kineton Sports and Social Club and others matches against Radway and Kineton (where the score the first time round was less close).



So, in what will now be a long winter break, we will watch England hopefully beat the Aussies to win the Ashes for inspiration, regroup for practice next spring and see if we can continue our progress, which has actually be phenomenal for a team who mostly hadn't played for years and with just a few having any club experience whatsoever. Well done guys!

Adrian Marklew

WHAT'S ON IN & AROUND OXHILL

October

Mon	2nd	10:00	Aerobics, OVH
Tue	3rd		Green & Blue Bins
Wed	4th	10:30	The Peacock, Village Coffee Morning
Thu	5th	14:00	Knit & Natter, OVH
Sat	7th	09:00 - 11:00	Village Big Breakfast, OVH
Sat	7th	13:30 - 16:30	WOT2Grow Apple Day, OVH
Sat	7th	10:00 - 17:00	Kinton Art Group, Kinton VH
Sun	8th	11:00 - 12:30	Apple Juice Collection, OVH
Sun	8th	10:00 - 17:00	Kinton Art Group, Kinton VH
Mon	9th	10:00	Aerobics, OVH
Tue	10th		Grey Bins
Sat	14th	19:30	Encore Concert, Shipston
Sun	15th		OXHILL NEWS SUBMISSION DEADLINE
Mon	16th	10:00	Aerobics, OVH
Tue	17th		Green & Blue Bins
Wed	18th	12:30	The Peacock, Village Lunch
Thu	19th	14:00	Knit & Natter, OVH
Fri	20th	14:30	Mobile Library, OVH
Mon	23rd	10:00	Aerobics, OVH
Tue	24th		Grey Bins
Sat	28th	19:00	Whisky Tasting, OVH
Mon	30th	10:00	Aerobics, OVH
Tue	31st		Green & Blue Bins

November

Tue	7th	20:00	Parish Council Mtg, OVH
Fri	10th	19:30	Annual Curry Night, OVH
Fri	17th	10:00 - 14:00	MacMillan Fundraising, Jackie Thompson, Tysoe
Mon	20th	19:30	PCC Mtg, Old Chapel
