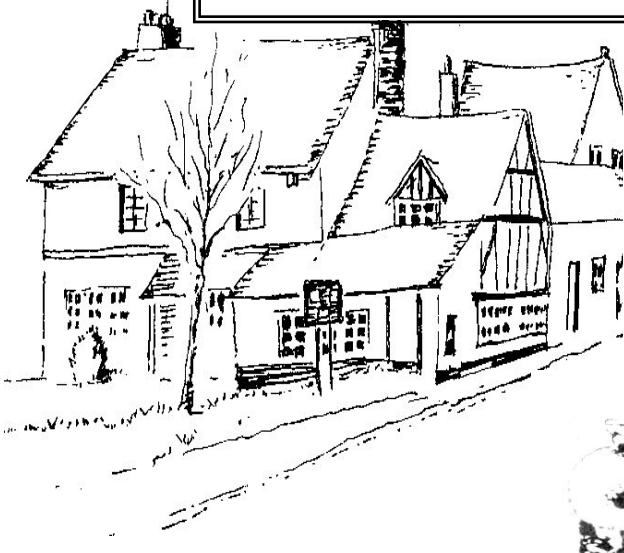


The Mouthpiece

Culham's Newsletter No 340

Village Diary - October 2012

- 2nd Culham Community Group Meeting-Waggon & Horses 7 pm*
- 7th Harvest Festival- St. Paul's Church, 5 pm*
- 14th Family Communion - St. Paul's Church, 10 am*
- 8th Parish Council Meeting - The School, 7.30 pm*
- 12th Mobile Library - The Glebe, 1.40 - 1.50 pm*
- 15th DEADLINE FOR NOVEMBER MOUTHPIECE*
- 19th Support Culham School, Race Night - The School 7pm*
- 20th Village Car Boot Sale, on the Green, 1-4pm*
- 21st Evening Prayer - St. Paul's Church, 6 pm*
- 26th Mobile Library - The Glebe, 1.40 - 1.50 pm*



Church Services in October

DATE	TIME	PLACE	SERVICE
SERVICES AT CULHAM			
Sunday 7th	5 pm	Culham	Harvest Festival
Sunday 14th	10 am	Culham	Family Communion
Sunday 21st	6 pm	Culham	Evening Prayer

Join us for coffee and a chat after Sunday morning services at Culham Church! All welcome.

Come along for informal prayers with Revd Anne Ilsley at Culham Church on Thursday mornings, 8.15 - 9.00 am.

SERVICES ELSEWHERE

Sunday 7th	8 am	Clifton Hampden	Holy Communion
	10 am	Long Wittenham	Harvest Festival
Tuesday 9th	10.30 am	Long Wittenham	Home Communion
Sunday 14th	8 am	Long Wittenham	Holy Communion
	10 am	Clifton Hampden	Harvest Communion
	6 pm	Long Wittenham	Evening Prayer
Sunday 21st	10 am	Long Wittenham	Holy Communion
Sunday 28th	8.30 am	Little Wittenham	Holy Communion
	10 am	Clifton Hampden	Family Communion
	10 am	Long Wittenham	Holy Communion

Harvest Festival Sunday 7th October 5.00pm

The service will be a Family Service and there will be an opportunity to bring Harvest gifts forward.
The School will deliver these in the following week.

Tickets for the Harvest Supper to follow @ 5.45pm. Adults £7.00 Children £2.50
Available from annafi36@aol.com 01865 407605

Sunday 21st October, 6pm

The evening service at St Paul's Church will be a little different.

The choir of St George's Church, Wash Common, Newbury will be coming to lead the singing of Choral Evensong. They came to Culham last September and so loved the acoustic of the church they have asked if they can make a return visit.

Their choir master, Keith Glenny, lives locally and regularly plays the organ at Culham's morning services. Do come and join us for worship and to enjoy some fine singing in our lovely church.

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Village News

Culham Parish Council (CPC) notes – Sep 2012

A substantial part of the meeting was taken up with discussions about the roadways on and around the Green largely in response to a letter sent to the Green residents by CPC. The status of the road from the High Street / Burycroft to the church was defined by a representative of OCC Countryside who stated that the road was classified as a bridleway and therefore only had to be maintained by OCC to that standard i.e. to allow passage of pedestrians, cyclists and horses (either ridden or lead). These are classed as public access rights. Those who use the bridleway to access their property using motor propelled vehicles are exercising their private right.

After discussions about the costs of various options for the road, it was decided that, since at least part of the road was metalled, and had previously been re-metalled by OCC Highways Dept., the CPC Clerk would again contact Highways Dept. to obtain their view on the maintenance funding of the road.

There were no reports from either the District Councillor or County Councillor.

Hamish Forsyth has been seconded onto the Culham Parish Council.

The overgrown drainage gulleys along the Burycroft and High Street will again be reported to Highways for clearance.

In the Burial Ground, the matting from the entrance to the slope has been laid and secured. It will take some time for the grass to grow through and fully stabilise the area.

Two more quotes are required before the fence across the playing field can be reinstated.

Speed monitoring along the A415 at the Waggon and Horses traffic lights will be requested again, this time to coincide with the expected peak speed times of Monday evening.

Minor problems reported in the ROSPA safety report of the play area will be dealt with by members of the CPC.

Progress on the preparation of the Parish Plan by the Culham Community Group is ongoing.

Next meeting

Monday 8 October 2012 at 19:30 at the school.

Culham Community Group

As you may be aware, in February 2012 the Culham Parish Council launched the first event of what was to become the Culham Community Group (CCG).

The CCG is exactly as it suggest – a group of Culham residents who come together to represent the needs and desires of the whole Culham community.

Community groups are high on the local government's agenda and therefore can have a strong voice when campaigning.

The CCG is separate from the Parish Council and will focus on consulting the village, developing a long-term plan and recruiting volunteers to implement the plan.

Since February 2012, a steering group for the CCG has been formed and with the help of the ORCC (Oxfordshire Rural Community Council) a plan for what to do next was made.

The first part of the CCG's work is to find out from the whole community what you like, don't like and what you would like to see in your village. Some of you will have given your ideas at the launch event, plant sale or the Waggon & Horses charity BBQ and the responses have been very interesting. We do however want to hear from everyone.

In order to achieve this, a number of volunteers will aim to visit every house in the Culham Parish during October to make sure the CCG has heard your ideas and views.

Below is the template we will use to gather your ideas so why not let your mind wander now? If you would rather fill this in and drop it in anonymously, just pop it into one of the newly installed CCG boxes at either one of the notice boards in the village.

Questionnaire Template

<i>What do you like about Culham?</i>	<i>What do you dislike about Culham?</i>
<i>What would you like to see in Culham?</i>	<i>What could Culham improve on?</i>

We will endeavour to publish monthly updates here in the Mouthpiece so check back next month to see the next step in the process.

If you are interested in getting involved in any way, shape or form, please email community@culhamvillage.org.uk or telephone Sam Casey-Rerhaye on 799489.

The next CCG meeting is on 2nd Oct at 7pm at the Waggon & Horses pub.

Bonfire Night in Culham

This year's bonfire night celebration is on November 10th, we will be holding a Car Boot Sale to help with the funding on Oct 20th on the Green, and Donations are greatly received, even more so help on the day.

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Talking Point by Canon Sue Booy

A New Start!

For many people this time of the year represents a new start at school or at college. Most of the young people in our village communities will have made either a big new start in a completely new school or a slightly smaller one moving to a new class within the past few weeks. I always love to see the school move up in front of me when I go to take the first assembly of the New Year and it always feels like a new start to me! Many of you will be starting afresh in courses and classes and returning to society membership. This has the same feel as beginning to draw or write on a fresh piece of paper with a sharp new pencil, casting a fishing line or turning over the ground in your garden ready to make a new planting. These actions have the buzz of promise about them. It **will** be better than my last.....

In the Dorchester Team we are very much looking forward to the Reverend Caroline King making a new start with us as Team Vicar with particular responsibility for The Eastern Cluster of parishes (Newington, Stadhampton with Chiselhampton and Warborough and Shillingford). Caroline will certainly be looking forward to a new start having fallen and broken both legs not long after her appointment here was confirmed! She will be living in Warborough with her family David, Sarah and Josh and her ministry will begin formally on 22nd October with her licensing service in Dorchester Abbey to which everyone is warmly invited. We wish them all well and look forward to getting to know them.

At the Abbey we call our christening service "a New Start" because parents and godparents (as well as those able to answer for themselves) promise to make a new beginning turning their lives towards God as their source of good. It's a tall order to make promises like this and those making them are asked to respond to a series of questions with the words 'With the help of God, I will.' We are not asked to promise the impossible nor expect to attempt it without help!

Making a fresh start is at the heart of Christian community life and week by week in our services we make a confession - recognising the ways in which we have fallen short, committing ourselves to making a fresh start and asking God to wipe the slate clean so that we can do just that.

Is there a new start that you need to make? Can we help? Any of our ministers would be pleased to talk to you, or you may find it easier to speak with a trusted friend. Whichever is true why not try making a new start of some kind as the year turns - it's the kind I'd sowing that brings good harvest in our lives.

Morning Service 7th October

One of last year's Abbey charities was Thames Valley Women's' Network. This initiative supports refugee women in taking new initiatives to learn for themselves and help them settle in to a new culture. As they do so their learning and lives affect those around them. This morning we will be joined by some members of

the Reading Refugee Support Group, together with Jo Morris a member of the Abbey congregation, who will explain more about the project and its development over the past year. Everyone is welcome to hear about their experiences and the work that they do.

Visiting Choir

The New Abbey Singers, a choir which specialises in singing in cathedrals and abbeys, will be singing extra Evensongs on Saturday 27th and Sunday 28th October at 4pm. They will also be participating in the Sung Eucharist on the morning of Sunday 28th. Do come along to these additional services.

Halloween

Over a number of years now we have held Halloween Café in the Abbey on 31st October from 6pm to 7.30pm. This is an opportunity for families and all members of the village community to join us to share a drink participate in traditional games and craft activities and to take the opportunity to remember the serious side of All Saints tide. The Rector would be grateful for offers of help with this event!

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New local jogging group for complete beginners

We are looking to start a new jogging group in Culham.

The group will be run by a qualified jog leader with the GO Active (Get Oxfordshire Active) project, aimed at encouraging everyone the chance to take part in some regular exercise.

Everyone will be welcome to join up, whatever their age (16+), size or ability. A fully trained group leader will make sure that you are well looked after and having loads of fun.

If you would be interested in joining this group (time/date tbc) please get in touch with Anna (GO Active coordinator for the Vale) for more details on 01235 540377 or anna.capel-davies@southandvale.gov.uk

Events at the Waggon & Horses – Hamish Forsyth

6th October – Loaded,

Loaded are a fantastic four-piece band comprising male lead vocals/rhythm guitar, lead guitar, drums and bass. The band play a wide range of 60s to 2000s hits from The Beatles to Black Eyed Peas including artists like Elvis, T.Rex, 70s disco, Queen, Bon Jovi, Oasis, Robbie Williams, Killers, Kings Of Leon even Amy Winehouse

20th October –

The Benbows Based in Oxford, The Benbows are a five piece band who specialise in exciting covers ranging from forgotten treasures through to modern day hits.

Monday nights - Steak night from £6-50

Tuesday nights - quiz night, 8:30 pm

For more information please ring **01235 525012**

Events at the Railway Inn – Pauline Davidson

6th October The Undercovers,
12th October Back2Back
27th October The Corsairs. **Halloween Party, wicked costumes please!**

Last year we had a wonderful day, with the senior citizens at the Christmas Party, so we would like to do it all again. See below for details of our free Senior Citizens' Christmas Party on 15th December this year, and how to book your seats!

CHRISTMAS PARTY AT THE RAILWAY INN - PAULINE DAVIDSON

I would like to invite senior citizens of Culham, aged 65+, to The Railway Inn on **Saturday 15th December** for a Christmas Party, from **2 to 6 pm**. This offer is limited to 30 people who must be Culham residents. It will include:

- Free 4 Course Turkey Meal and refreshments.
- Entertainment, Bingo and Raffle

If you want to come, please fill in and return the tear-off reply slip below. Please note that we need to know if you have any special requirements, such as:-

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will you be in a wheelchair?
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To Pauline Davidson, The Railway Inn, Culham, OX14 3BT (tel. 528046)

I would like to come to the Senior Citizens' Christmas Party at The Railway Inn on **Saturday 15th December 2012.**

Name

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ariasattheabbey@gmail.com**Earth Day**

Saturday 20th October, 11am-4pm. Earth Trust Autumn Festival, Earth Trust Centre, Little Wittenham. Join us for a celebration of autumn, the day will focus on having fun outdoors: craft creations, den building, pumpkin hunt, seasonal storytelling, singing and loads more exciting activities! We'll also be doing some outdoor cooking, as well as picking and pressing apples to create a warm spiced apple juice on the fire. £12 per family (2 adults, 2 children under 16).

Wednesday 31st October, 10am-3pm. Halloween Family Bush craft Day, Earth Trust Centre, and Little Wittenham. Bring the family and go wild! Forget trick or treating come and have fun at our special scary bush craft day - explore the dark, gloomy woods, build spooky shelters, and learn how to make a fire to keep away ghosts and ghouls! Adults £20, Children £15

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Local Police – Rebekah Kent

Here is the latest neighbourhood update from Police Community Support Officer, Sarah Talbot and Rebekah Kent.

The Benson and Berinsfield neighbourhood covers the parishes of Berinsfield, Nuneham Courtenay, Culham, Clifton Hampden, Dorchester on Thames, Shillingford, Warborough, Berrick Salome, Benson, Ewelme and Brightwell Baldwin.

If you want any advice or would like to contact the neighbourhood team you can call us on the police Non-emergency number 101 or email WallingfordAreaNHPT@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk.

Please note this email address cannot be used to contact Thames Valley Police to report crimes or for any urgent matters. Alternatively you can visit the force website at www.thamesvalley.police.uk to view information on your neighbourhood.

Parking

Parking is something that your neighbourhood officers deal with on a day to day basis and we rely on local residents to keep us informed of issues arising so that we can tackle the problem. We understand that inconsiderate and illegal parking can be both frustrating and dangerous and we will assess and deal with all reports appropriately. Vehicles parked illegally or causing an obstruction can be fined £30 by means of a fixed penalty notice. There is also the opportunity to attend Have Your Say meetings in person. Upcoming Have.

Your Say meetings are:-

Wednesday 3rd October 2012 – Outside Primary School, Burrows Hill, Ewelme – 1500 – 1530

Friday 5th October 2012 – In the layby by the Church, High Street, Clifton Hampden – 1800 – 1830

Tuesday 23rd October 2012 – The Lord Nelson Car Park, Brightwell Baldwin – 1800 – 1830

Thursday 25th October 2012 – Parish Hall Car Park, Sunnyside, Benson – 1730 – 1800

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Car Boot Sale, Village Green Culham, Saturday October 20th 1pm – 4pm

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Total to date.

The total raised for Culham Parochial School so far this year is £1161.69, March £315.69, April and May had to be cancelled due to the weather, June £170.00, no event for July, August £160.00 and finally September £516.00

Culham Parochial Village School

As new Chair of Governors, I am delighted to announce that the new school year has commenced with 45 pupils, which is fantastic news! We are pleased to welcome back Mrs. Tracey Harrison as a permanent member of our enthusiastic teaching staff, and congratulate Mr. Matt Attree on completing his Head teacher qualification.

The topic this term is "Amazing Authors". Foundation/Year 1 are focusing on the works of Julia Donaldson, whilst Year 2 & Key Stage 2 looks at the many talents of Roald Dahl. This got off to a great start with "Roald Dahl dress-up day" on 20th September...complete with Wonka bars, Oompa-Loompas and Twits! Fabulous effort by pupils and teachers alike! The children enjoyed making (and eating!) Charlie's chocolate bars, Matilda cakes and snozzcumpers, and reading all about Dahl. Budget monitoring continues to be successful, with a figure still in the black. This is owed, in great part, to the contributions of our local community, both via the "533" project and contributions at our various events- car boot sales, Summer Fayre, Race nights etc. We thank you all for your generosity (and in particular thank the Woodley-Sheads for their tireless efforts). We also ask you kindly to continue to support us as we expand across all years, and are looking to employ another part-time teacher.

The school and its pupils are thriving!

We are hoping to launch a Facebook page for parents and associated community members in the near future, as we believe that improved communication with you, our community, is the key to the school's success. With this in mind, if anyone wishes to contribute to the school by way of reading, speaking, and interacting with the pupils, please contact Mrs. Evans at the school office on 01235 521766. We would also welcome the offer of some DIY from skilled individuals.

Mr. Attree is running a series of evenings designed to educate parents, carers and interested other parties in the latest teaching methods. The dates are as follows:

Wed October 3rd- Phonics- 6pm, Tues October 9th- Mathematics (addition/subtraction) - 6pm

Tues December 4th- Mathematics (multiplication/division) - 6pm. Please come along and join the fun!

On a final note, there will be a Harvest service, Wed 3rd October 11am at church, with refreshments in school afterwards.

Many thanks again for helping our school to move towards an outstanding educational setting.

Mrs. Cheryl Collier
Chair of Governors

Support Culham School – Piggy Race Night

Yes you read it right the first time, A Fun filled PIGGY Race Night, 7pm. In the school.

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Autumn chores

October brings rain, wind and cloud, but often there's a spell of settled weather. Gardens can still be colourful with Chrysanthemums, Michaelmas Daisies and Cyclamen, not forgetting berries and autumn foliage. It's not too late to plant something that will give colour for years to come.

Continue to plant bulbs in the open garden. Enrich the soil in the planting hole with a sprinkling of bone meal. This is also a good time of year to plant new shrubs and perennials. The warmth in the soil will help them to get quickly established. Be generous with the planting mixture and be sure to water in well in dry weather.

At this time of year the amount of material suitable for composting multiplies alarmingly. Summer bedding, trimmings from perennials and fallen leaves will all rot down so don't waste them. Use up all existing homemade compost to mulch around established borders or to add to planting mixtures for new acquisitions. Then start a new compost heap. Always mix the different materials together – this helps decomposition.

October is a good time of year to move established evergreens and conifers. Dig up the biggest root ball manageable to ensure a successful transplant. Prepare the new planting site well, enriching the planting hole with good quality soil and compost as well as a good dose of bone meal to boost root formation. Then water in very well. Watering needs to continue until the plant becomes established.

Rooted cuttings should be planted out before the end of the month. If they're rather tiny, keep them in pots until the spring. Some alpinists with woolly or hairy leaves hate winter rain. Protect them with tiny open-ended cloches made from large lemonade bottles sliced horizontally. Fasten the cloches down with wire.

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As well as planting containers with bulbs and spring bedding, consider planting a couple with small evergreen shrubs to give a bit of structure and greenery through the winter months. Euonymus, ivies and dwarf conifers are ideal.

Harvest carrots and potatoes, making sure the crops are clean and dry before they're put into storage. Marrows can be stored once their skins have been hardened in the sun. Finish picking tomatoes before the plants become diseased.

To ensure a supply of fresh mint during winter dig up some roots and plant them 5cm (2 inches) deep in a seed tray and keep it in the greenhouse. Clumps of chives can also be put into pots and brought into the greenhouse.

Prepare a site for planting bare-rooted fruit trees and bushes. Fruit trees dislike poor drainage so add plenty of coarse grit and organic matter if the site has heavy soil. Protect established fruit trees with glue bands. These set in place a sticky barrier which stops female moths climbing the tree to mate and lay their eggs. Finish harvesting autumn-fruiting raspberries and cut down all the canes that have fruited this year.

New lawns can be laid or sown on well-prepared sites in October. Scarify established lawns with a rake, then aerate with a fork if not done it already.

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Junior Drama Classes

Spaces available in all classes now!

Abingdon Drama Club runs three different age group Drama Classes.

The classes are for children who are interested in all aspects of theatre and performance and are run by our professional drama teacher, **Andrea Mardon**.

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Juniors 1 For young people aged 11 - 13 years

Sessions are from 9.30am - 11.30am every Saturday morning during term time.

Juniors 2 For young people aged 13 - 14 years

Sessions are from 11.30am - 1.30pm every Saturday morning during term time.

Juniors 3 For young people aged 14 - 17 years.

Sessions are from 5.30pm - 7.30pm every Sunday during term time.

In addition to the above we also run a **Performance Class** - this is for young people aged between 11 - 17 years who are interested in performing in an actual production. You may be attending one of our Juniors classes or you may just want to do the Performance Class.

Rehearsals are from 3.30pm - 5.30pm on Sundays during term time.

For more information -

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Andrea Mardon.

Andrea is an actor, director and teacher in Oxfordshire currently teaching for Stagecoach, Oratory Prep School, Manor Prep School, Faringdon Junior School, Kingfisher School and **Abingdon Drama Club**. She also coaches students privately for LAMDA examinations as well as drama school entrance auditions. She recently appeared onstage in the ADC productions of *Rhinoceros*, *Turn of the Screw*, *Stepping Out* and *Therese Raquin*. Andrea trained as a costume designer in Toronto Canada and then as an actor in San Diego, California. She was the Managing Director of The Fritz Theatre in San Diego, California and spent six years in New York City working in theatre. She is currently the Artistic Director of The Berridge Conservatory, a summer acting programme which brings young actors from all over the world to Normandy, France for 4 weeks of intense study with professional actors, directors, dancers, writers and filmmakers.

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If you want to know more
Contact any of the names listed on the back page Who's Who

Oxfordshire Rural Community Council

ORCC members are invited to attend the AGM on Wednesday 10 October from 2-4 pm at Eynsham Village Hall.

ORCC's AGM is open to all members and takes place in different parts of the county each year. The theme will be **Neighbourhood Plans - a New Way to Create Sustainable Communities?** Guest speakers: Nicola Bacon, Fellow of the Young Foundation and Founding Director of Social Life, and Jasmin Love, Chair of the Nuneham Courtenay Community Led Plan Steering Group. Invitations have been sent out to members of ORCC.

The editors try to extract the most interesting items from ORCC's lengthy Newsletters, but don't see why everyone should have a computer just for ORCC's benefit!

Bulk Oil Buying Scheme – best prices now!

Did you know that since the ORCC Trading Bulk Oil buying scheme started in November 2010, we have bought nearly 1,500,000 litres of oil for our members? And that recently we secured the best price ever for domestic heating oil since the scheme began. Members are benefiting from the group prices, and now is a great time to join if you haven't already done so.

VAT will be charged on membership from 1 September, so to take advantage of the lower membership fee (£20 for individuals), join now!

For further details please go to ORCC website or email Christine on oil@oxonrcc.org.uk or call 01865 733214.

Volunteers needed for Oxfordshire Dentistry Survey

The Oxfordshire LINK is recruiting volunteers to carry out a survey of information provided for patients by NHS Dental Practices. The survey will be looking at information on the range of services offered, the charges relating to those services, and about entitlement to receive certain services on the NHS. LINK

volunteers who conduct the survey will find out if the information is clear and helpful to patients and highlight areas of good practice. If you want to help with the survey please contact the LINK:

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