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Village News!

Chippenham & Snailwell

Village News

October - November 2008

Village Diary :

October

Sunday 5th
Harvest Festival
At Chippenham

Friday 10th
Pink Rose Charity
Evening
At Chippenham Lodge

Sunday 12th
Police Surgery

Friday 24th
WI Bingo at
Chippenham Village Hall

29th - 31st
Halloween Activities at
Oliver Cromwell House in
Ely

November

3rd to 9th
British Banger Week @
The Tharp Arms

Wednesday 5th
Fireworks & Bonfire
At The Tharp Arms

Saturday 15th
Sing A Long with Clive
@ The George & Dragon



SAVE OUR MOBILE LIBRARY

Cambridgeshire County Council are threatening to cancel the mobile library service for Chippenham due to the low numbers of users.

The library is a valuable service and it would be a shame for it to go. They carry a good selection of up-to-date books, audio books and children's books together with DVDs.

The next scheduled dates for Chippenham are:

9th & 23rd October 6th & 20th November.

The bus calls at 10.35-10.50, outside The Tharp Arms

Books can be ordered online and collected from the bus. Books can also be returned to any Cambridgeshire library. Please try to use this service in order to keep it for the village. If you currently use this service please let Sally Hughes know so that she can ascertain the current volume of users.

For more information visit the website:
<http://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/leisure/libraries/access/mobile/>

Women's Institute

We meet on the third Wednesday of each month at 7.30pm in Chippenham Village Hall. Everyone is welcome !

Forthcoming meetings :-

October 15th - Teresa Hoddy 'Line Dancing'
October 24th - Bingo Night @ 7.30pm
November 19th - Shoe Boxes Evening

Why not check the news
on line and visit one of our

Village Websites

@

www.chippenhamcambs.info

Or www.snailwell.org.uk

Calling Children of ALL Ages

Guy Fawkes is due at The Tharp Arms on
Wednesday November 5th at 6.30pm

But every Bonfire needs a Guy !

Can you make the winning one ???

Competition to make the best Guy to sit on
top of this years Bonfire

All entry's to be brought to The Tharp Arms
by 6pm on 4th November

Every Guy entered will get to enjoy the Bon-
fire
but only the winning one will sit on the top!

For more information please see
Mark or Ali at The Tharp Arms

Tickets for Fireworks party
go on sale on Monday 27th
October



ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIRTHDAY TIME!

Happy Birthday to :

Happy Birthday to :

17th October - Tina Dumphreys

18th October - Charlotte Lomas

24th October - Amy Bridgeman

3rd November - Joe Shipp & Emma

6th November - Adam Shipp

28th November - Jack Melville

30th November - Kevin Twite

1st December - Amy Appleyard



To all the people of the village, who helped to celebrate my 80th Birthday.

I was quite overwhelmed with the lovely presents and the 40 cards dropped through my letterbox.

It could only happen in a village like Chippenham.

Sincerely
Adrian Kidd.

Have you got something to announce - a Birth, a Christening, a Birthday, a Wedding whatever, do you need to say thanks or have you just got something to sell - let us know and we'll announce it !

Coach House

Riding School

Part time work.

I am looking for a new part time member of staff for yard work, (no riding involved) Training can be given but the applicant must be comfortable around horses and have a good manner towards our clients.

Ideally, I am looking for someone to work Mondays, Thursdays, and some Sundays, but this is very flexible, so if you are interested please ring Linda on 01638 720415, email linda@coachhouseriding.co.uk. Or call in at the stables.

Congratulations to
Pete & Martina Alexander
On their
Marriage
8th August 2008



Mobile Library

Snailwell, Roman Way :
10am - 10.20am

Chippenham, Tharp Arms :
10.35am - 10.50am

The mobile library calls
alternate Thursdays from
April 10th

Chippenham Cherubs

We meet at 6.00 pm to 6.45 pm on Tuesdays
during term time at 49 High Street, Chippenham.

Refreshments are provided.

We sing at the family services at St Margaret's, on the first Sunday of each month and also at the carol service on Christmas Eve.

All school-aged children are welcome - all that's needed is enthusiasm and a willingness to sing! Come along and join us. For more information, please call 01638 720677.

Fiona Maxwell and Isobel Mangell



CALLING ALL DOMINOES PLAYERS

Do you play Dominoes,?

Are you free to play on
some Monday Nights ?

Do you fancy having a
fun night out ?

if so **WE NEED YOU**

Interested -

Call in at The Tharp Arms

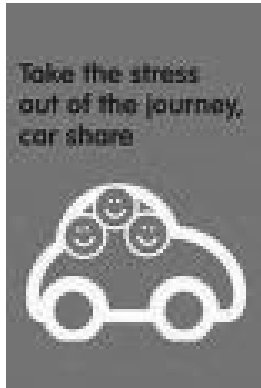
For more details

THREE RIVERS COMMUNITY CAR SCHEME

The launch date for the Three Rivers Community Car Scheme is set for October 1st this year. Public transport in many of our five villages is fairly limited, so we have set this scheme up, in co-operation and with the strong support of the County Council, as a service to our five villages. Our Parish Councils and churches have also provided much needed financial support to start the scheme well. People who do not have access to, or regular use of, a car or public transport can phone and ask for assistance. The coordinator will find a driver for the journey and make detailed



arrangements with the person asking for help. There will be a charge of 25p per mile to be paid to the driver. The County Council has provided a mobile phone for this service, publicity and other information about the scheme, and will top up the driver's cost by a further 14p a mile.



More publicity and details will be published soon. If you would like to volunteer your services as a driver then please do be in touch with the Rev'd Mike Banyard on 721616. CRB checks and appropriate help with motor insurance will also be available for drivers. The Chairman is Fiona Maxwell.

Kennett and Fordham are fairly well served by public transport but Chippenham, Isleham and Snailwell are not. We hope that the scheme will provide a useful facility for many who currently feel "trapped" in their village.

Snailwell Traffic Survey

Carried out between the 14th -18th July 2008

The purpose of the survey was to record how much traffic passes through the village. This information together with the results recorded by the Neighbourhood Speedwatch Team gives a clearer picture of the risks posed by speeding motorists through the village of Snailwell.

The survey was carried out from Monday 14th till Friday 18th July between 6 am until 8 pm. Each Volunteer recorded during a 2 hour session the number of vehicles that travelled through the village. The survey also recorded for information the different types of vehicles using the Chippenham towards Newmarket road and those that travelled through the village towards Fordham.

The results showed that Snailwell does have a major speeding problem.

- 1) 2629 vehicles were recorded over the period of the survey
- 2) 10 speedwatch surveys were carried out between 9-4-08 to 20-7-08 at various times which showed that 20% of traffic exceeded 37 mph and 40% exceeded 33 mph
- 3) This suggests that 1053 vehicles exceed 33 mph and 526 exceed 37 mph

between 6 am till 8 pm between mon-Friday each week

Neighbourhood Panel & NAG dates / venues for 2009

Panel meetings are 19.00 – 21.00,
January - W 7th Soham + East Panel
at Soham Village College (Beechurst Hall)
March - T 31st Soham + East Panel
at Soham Village College (Beechurst Hall)
July - W 1st Soham + East Panel
at Soham Village College (Beechurst Hall)
October - T 6th Soham + East Panel
at Soham Village College (Beechurst Hall)

These results confirm that Snailwell needs more effective traffic calming measures to reduce the speed of traffic travelling through the village

Chippenham & Snailwell Horticultural Society



*We are always looking
for new members
Anyone interested in joining
Please contact Jenny Wilson
on 720649 for more details*

100 CLUB

Why not join in !

August Winners

- 1st - Ali Daniels :
2nd - Colin McDonald :
3rd - Darren Hughes :

September Winners

- 1st - Ruth McCormack :
2nd - Carol Sheckells :
3rd - Betty Evans :

The 100 Club is drawn once a month when all 150 numbers are put in a hat and three pulled out, there are still about 30 numbers without owners, so plenty of winning chances. Its costs £12 per year to have a number and you keep the same number all the time. Three prizes of £20, £10 and £5 are drawn each month and in February, June and October two bonus prizes of £30 are also drawn. All profits raised go towards the Village Hall

Want more information or want to have a go, then please call Mike Baynard on 721616

Grassroots Grants

grassroots
grants

Managed by the Community Development Foundation
Funded by the Office of the Third Sector

Cambridgeshire Community Foundation (registered charity 1103314) has a major new grant programme now (Sept 08) open for applications. Please circulate this information to any Cambridgeshire charities or voluntary groups that are working to address local needs and are seeking revenue or capital funding – Many thanks.

Cambridgeshire Community Foundation (registered charity 1103314) has a major new grant programme now (Sept 08) open for applications. **Grassroots Grants** (funded by the Office of the Third Sector) offers not-for-profit voluntary or community organisations in Cambridgeshire and Peterborough, which has been active in their community for not less than 12 months, have a governing document and evidenced income of less than £20,000 per annum (averaged over the last three years), grants of between £250 and £5,000 for projects that address local needs. Examples of what can be funded are given below

- * Purchase of capital items such as computer equipment, oven or furniture
- * Cost of attending a conference or event
- * Costs of putting on a local event or workshop
- * Staff costs to enable the employment of individuals
- * Additional activities to expand an existing funded project
- * Training for volunteers
- * Contribution to rent costs (related to activities/service delivery)

Full details on Grassroots Grants are on the [Grassroots Grants Guidelines](http://www.cambscf.org.uk) on the CCF web site (www.cambscf.org.uk) along with the application form (one for grant requests up to £500 and another for sums between £500 and £5000). We are also still inviting applications from groups wishing to build or improve public parks and public amenities (village halls, sports grounds, cycle paths, skate parks etc) - we have grants of up to £20,000 for such capital projects. Finally, we have new funds for small scale environmental projects offering grants of up to £1,000. To discuss your project please call CCF on 01223 421588 or look on our website www.cambscf.org.uk.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS AT OLIVER CROMWELL'S HOUSE



Pre-Halloween Ghost Tours - Wednesday 29th, Thursday 30th and Friday 31st October
Departs from Oliver Cromwell's House at 7.30pm

Join us for one of our immensely popular Ghost tours around one of the most haunted cities in Europe. Hear the stories that have travelled down through the ages as well as more recent tales. Ghostly sightings guaranteed! Refreshments after the tour, including a visit to the haunted bedroom. All tickets £7 per person (not suitable for under 8 years old). All places must be pre-booked. Price includes hot chocolate and biscuits.

Halloween Family Ghost Tours - Friday 31st October -

Family Ghost Tour (aimed at families with young children)

Departs from Oliver Cromwell's House at 3 pm

Take a short journey around some of the haunted parts of Ely with our Guide and see how many ghosts you can spot! Arrive back at Oliver Cromwell's House to gather in the dimly lit parlour to hear a spooky tale, followed by refreshments. Please feel free to dress-up. All tickets £4 per person (under 3's free). All places must be pre-booked. Price includes squash and biscuits.

Family Ghost Tour (aimed at families with older children)

Departs from Oliver Cromwell's House at 6 pm

Journey with our guide around the dark streets of Ely and hear the haunted tales of Ely with ghostly sightings guaranteed! Arrive back at Oliver Cromwell's House to huddle in the candle lit haunted bedroom of Oliver Cromwell to hear a spooky tale. Please feel free to dress-up. All tickets £5 per person. All places must be pre-booked. Price includes hot chocolate, squash and biscuits.

Tickets go on sale 1st September. If there are 15 or more of you then why not consider booking your own personal group tour?

Contact us for more details at:

Oliver Cromwell's House 29 St Mary's Street, Ely, Cambs. CB7 5HF

Tel: 01353 662062 - E-mail: tic@eastcambs.gov.uk - www.eastcambs.gov.uk/tourism

Finally, it's always nice to get praise when you've done something good, and we often hear nice compliments about Alison's home-cooked meals on the Tharp's menu. None more so, however, than a recent visit from a customer who is a chef in a Michelin star restaurant, and who enthused over Alison's hot Cobra Chilli. There's plenty of choice on the pub's menu but, if you like hot food, why not pop along and try some yourself one evening - I can assure you that by the time you leave it'll be the only thing burning on your lips !

Mark J Daniels - Landlord – The Tharp Arms.

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of the
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is the
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of the child"

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1870-1952



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When - the first Wednesday of each month
 from 8pm till 9.30pm - at 37 The Street, Snailwell
 Tel - Flick on 01638 578575

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Saturday 15th November Sing a long with
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We are now taking Bookings for Christmas
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News from your Local Police

During the last few weeks, Cambridgeshire Constabulary has received increased reports of thefts from garages and sheds. Garages and sheds often contain high value items and yet many homeowners overlook the security of their 'outbuildings' when considering the overall security of their property. Therefore, please take time to review the security of your garage/shed and consider the following:

- 1) If you have a garage that can be accessed via a side or rear door, consider fitting an internal floor lock to the inside of your 'up and over' garage door. These locks are relatively inexpensive and can be bolted to the floor to provide additional protection for your garage door.
- 2) Consider the use of an intruder alarm - if you already have an intruder alarm in place at your property, consider extending the system into a garage or shed? Alternatively, consider the use of a stand alone garage/shed wireless alarm.
- 3) Use closed shackle padlocks to secure locks and bolts as these are more difficult to bolt crop. Alternatively, consider the use of combination padlocks and bolts.
- 4) Consider chaining and locking valuable items together, as this makes it harder for individual or multi items to be removed. Consider chaining the items through a secure lock that can be bolted into the ground or through a heavy item such as a paving slab.
- 5) Consider the use of a PIR security light that is activated upon movement detection, to provide coverage over a garage or shed.
- 6) If you have a window in your garage/shed, use net curtains or curtains across the windows so that your personal items are not on view. Consider the use of additional window locks and window alarms.

If like many homeowners, you house everything in your garage except your vehicle, park your vehicle right up to the garage door to restrict access to it!

With satellite navigation equipment becoming more popular with motorists, it's also becoming more popular with criminals. Where it's portable keep it safe by taking it, together with the support cradle and suction pads, with you when you leave the car. And remember to wipe away any suction pad marks left on the windscreen or dashboard as thieves will look out for these. Don't leave the equipment in the glove compartment – thieves will usually check there first. You can also help by:-
· Marking your satellite navigation equipment system with your postcode and house number or your vehicle registration number or another unique number, using special security markers eg a UV pen or SmartWater.
· Make a note of the make, model and serial number of the equipment and keep the note somewhere safe – not in the car. Consider recording this information on one of the commercially available asset registers such as Immobilise.
· Don't leave anything on view in your car.
· Lock all doors and windows, not forgetting the sunroof, when leaving your car.
All information about securing your personal property can be found on www.immobilise.com

How to contact the police.

I have had some feedback that some of you are unsure of what numbers to call for help and advice from your local police force, to address this I have put together some useful information that should help: We always like to hear from local residents, so feel free to come and say hello when you see me out on patrol. You can also get in touch by calling 0845 456 456 4 and asking the operator to put you through to the Ely Neighbourhood Team. If you're calling to report a crime the switchboard operator will be able to put you through to someone who can help, do not ask for the NPT in this instance. If you just wish to pass general information feel free to do this via ecops.

IN AN EMERGENCY ALWAYS DIAL 999. - You should call 999 when:

A life is in danger / A serious offence is in progress / A suspect is at the scene / There is imminent likelihood of violence damage to persons or property / There is a serious road traffic collision / An alleged offender is identified at any location
FOR NON EMERGENCIES AND TO REPORT CRIMES PLEASE CALL 0845 456 456 4.

To provide information about crime anonymously to the police, please call Crimestoppers, an independent charity on 0800 555 111. If you would prefer a visit or telephone call from either myself or PCSO Harris then please call 0845 456 456 4 and ask to be put through to the Ely Neighbourhood Team and ask for a message to be passed to us and we will arrange a convenient time to visit or call. The same applies if you run or are a member of a group that you think would benefit from having a talk or visit from us. We are also having a few problems with the villages that sit on the Cambridge/ Suffolk border which results in calls going to the wrong control room and thus slows the response time from ourselves as messages have to be passed between forces. So to clarify who belongs to who the following villages belong to Cambridgeshire Force:

Wicken / Fordham / Snailwell / Upware / Isleham / Kennett / Barway / Chippenham / Badlingham

I hope that helps. If any of you have any topics that you would like to see covered then please let me know and I will do my best to get them covered in future editions.

Barb Neill - PCSO 7237

PLANNING APPLICATIONS :

Proposal: New Implement Storage Barn with staff rest room.
Location: Chippenham Gallops, Snailwell Road, Snailwell, Newmarket, Suffolk

EAST CAMBS DISTRICT COUNCIL NEWS

Dear Residents,

I hope you all had a good summer. It was great to meet so many of you when I was out and about. The Council got back to business in earnest at the beginning of September. As Chairman of the Internal Overview and Scrutiny Committee, I am well aware that there are several issues that concern you.

Waste collection - At present, the council is having regular meetings with Veolia, the company holding the contract as problems have been highlighted. I have asked that a report on the contract to-date be brought to Committee for evaluation and recommendation.

If any of you are experiencing problems with waste collection, please phone: ECDC on 01353 665555

Economic Development - Nearly two hours of the last O&S Meeting were devoted to the Economic Development of the District and how to entice new businesses. This would help to reduce the out-commuting of our workforce. The principal objective is to fuel an online marketing campaign in partnership with the private sector to promote East Cambs as a location for business and growth.

Impact of the Credit Crunch - The Credit Crunch is affecting us all. In order that the Council minimizes the effect, we have set terms of reference and a timetable to review the impact on its operational and strategic objectives.

EMR - At a Liaison Meeting, involving EMR, Snailwell Parish Council, the District Council, the County Council, Police and Fire Brigade, it was made clear by both the Fire Brigade and the Health Protection Agency that there was no room for concern regarding health risks from the smoke and odour at the time of the recent fire. The firm is thinking of revamping its site, which will mean all work being performed indoors. Whilst it would reduce the noise level, there is a catch. They would then work 24/7. However, any new building would require planning permission and provide an opportunity to impose appropriate restrictions.

Your Local Council Officials

The Parish Councillors for Chippenham are:

James Broad (Chair) - 8 Badlingham, 721393
Jennifer Wilson (Vice Chair) - 5 Manor Farm Barns, 720649
Fiona Maxwell - 49 High Street, 720677
Lucinda Wright - Badlingham Manor, 720043
Nick Parsons - 18 Scotland End, 721791
Ken Grimes - The Old Bakery, 721185
Linda Porter-Cohen - Coach House Stables, 720415
Clerk for Parish Council is :
Sally Hughes, 44b High St, Chippenham 720915
Email: chippenhamparishcouncil@hotmail.com

The Parish Councillors for Snailwell are:

Gaynor Ryan (Chair) - 1 Manor Farm Barns, 577703
Joe Pattison (Vice-Chair) - 22 The Green, 577077
Virginia Richmond - 7 The Green, 578296
Sue Donnelly - Raffles, 8 Newmarket Road, 665105
St. John Collier - River Cottage, 29 The Street, 578441
Tom Coates - 23 The Green, Snailwell, 578712
Melanie Hood - The Flint Barn, 39 The Street, Snailwell, 578366
Clerk for Parish Council is :
Helen Sanders, 52 Weston Way, Newmarket, CB8 7SB, 660726
Email: snailwellparishcouncil@hotmail.com

The District Councillors are :-

John Abbott - 50 Mildenhall Rd, Fordham, 720607
Michael Allan - 24 Bloomsfield, Burwell, 744050

The County Councillors are :-

Judy Broadway - Dagwood Farmhouse, Ashfield Road, Elm-swell, Bury St Edmunds, 01359 244047 Email: Judy.Broadway@cambridgeshire.gov.uk
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Michael Allan - Tel: 01638 744050 –
Email: michael.allan@eastcambs.gov.uk

The next Police Surgerie will be held on Sunday 12 October at 3.00pm in Chippenham outside the village hall and at 3.30pm in Snailwell outside the church.

From the Three Rivers Group Associate Priest Rev'd Kate Peacock
(Chippenham, Fordham, Isleham, Kennett and Snailwell) Tel - 723690

Time

I am often asked what it is I actually do all day (and not just by my colleagues!). What does a vicar really do? Don't you only work on Sundays? Isn't it all drinking tea and chatting?

These are some of the questions I have been asked recently, by a whole variety of people. So, as I was wondering what to write this month with the start of a new school year upon us when students and staff and parents are getting to grips with a new routine, I thought I'd share a small insight into the workings of the parish. (And just maybe I'll never have to hear the joke about only working one day a week again – I live in hope!)

Each day begins with Morning Prayer at 8.15 in church (if I'm honest it is more like 8.25 by the time I arrive as bustling 2 small children, with various toys and 'show & tell' items, and a husband out of the house is sometimes challenging). I love this time of quiet and reflection before the business of the day is upon me – it is an essential component of my day. To spend time with God and pray for all that I will do this day, that I may be a good witness to his love for his people is a joy and a privilege. And of course we pray for the needs of the parish and all five communities, and for those who have asked us to pray for them.

Then it is usually off for a meeting with colleagues planning the coming weeks, or it is a deanery chapter meeting (local clergy meeting to plan activities and share ideas), or it is a school assembly day (my favourite!). It is a joy to meet with staff and children in the school and talk with them about God, maybe telling a story, and joining them in a prayer.

As you can guess there is a certain amount of admin to do – filling in registers for every Baptism, Wedding and Funeral. Answering emails and phone calls etc. We have been very blessed this year with 27 weddings or wedding blessings and 25 Baptisms across the whole parish. It is a real delight to meet so many new people and be part of their special day, and to share their joy. We have a similar number of funerals and again (although very differently) it is privilege to meet with families and plan a good 'goodbye' to their loved one and to be a listening ear.

We also hold services across the parish throughout the week, in churches and in homes, as we visit those who are sick or housebound and the sheltered housing complexes. We also spend time preparing for Sunday worship by writing sermons, preparing all-age worship and planning youth group activities.

Evenings are usually taken up with meetings – Parochial Church Council (x 5), buildings meetings (we aim to have a loo and effective heating in all the churches one day!), planning meetings for activities and seeing wedding couples/baptism families, pastoral visiting etc.

THREE RIVERS GROUP

At Chippenham & Snailwell the main Sunday services are held at

9.30 am - Snailwell

11.00 am - Chippenham

The pattern of Sunday services will be:

Snailwell 1st, 2nd, 4th Holy Communion

3rd Family Service

Chippenham 1st Family Service

2nd Sung Eucharist

3rd Choral Matins

4th Sung Eucharist

Please join us on Sundays!

And then of course the unforeseen happens – you never know what the next phone call will bring! It is a busy schedule, but I am not for one second complaining. I really love my 'job', and I hesitate to call it a job as it does not often feel like work. I believe it is a vocation that God has called me to and I am so blessed to be here. It is my prayer that each of us find our own vocation and follow God's call to live in his light.

And if I do visit you – I am still more than happy to drink tea and have

a chat! God Bless and do join us on Sunday. God bless.

Kate



CHIPPENHAM SUNDAY ROTA

	Sidesmen	Reader	Wine	Flowers	Cleaning
October 5th	Jan & James	Nicola	PCC	Harvest Festival	Eileen, Mary & Betty
October 12th	Tony & Eileen	Peter	Peter & Fiona	Joyce	Fiona
October 19th	Jennifer	Eileen	Jan & James	Helen	Julie
October 26th	Nicola & Megan	Chris	Paul & Isobel	Helen	James & Paul
November 2nd	Peter	Anne	Sophie & Scott	Nicola	Eileen, Mary & Betty
November 9th	Jan & James	James	Terry & Isabel	Nicola	Fiona
November 16th	Tony & Eileen	Jan	Kevin & Linda	Yvonne	Julie
November 23rd	Jennifer	Helen	Peter & Fiona	Yvonne	James & Paul
November 30th	ISLEHAM			ADVENT (No Flowers)	Eileen, Mary & Betty

Church Diary

<u>October</u>	<u>November</u>
<p>Sun 5th Trinity 20 (G) <i>Philippians 3: 4b - 14</i> <i>Matthew 21: 33 - end</i> Holy Communion Chippenham 8 am Holy Communion Snailwell 9.30 am HARVEST FESTIVAL Chippenham 6.30 pm</p>	<p>Sun 9th Remembrance Sunday <i>1 Thessalonians 4: 13 - end</i> <i>Matthew 25: 1 - 13</i> Service of Remembrance & Reconciliation At Snailwell 10.45 <i>Chippenham & Snailwell joint service at Snailwell</i></p>
<p>Sun 12th Trinity 21 (G) <i>Philippians 4: 1 - 9</i> <i>Matthew 22: 1 - 14</i> Holy Communion Snailwell 9.30 am Sung Eucharist Chippenham 11 am</p>	<p>Sun 16th 2nd Sunday before Advent (R) <i>1 Thessalonians 5: 1 - 11</i> <i>Matthew 25: 14 - 30</i> Family Service Snailwell 9.30 am Choral Matins Chippenham 11 am</p>
<p>Sun 19th Trinity 22 (G) <i>1 Thessalonians 1: 1 - 10</i> <i>Matthew 22: 15 - 22</i> Family Service Snailwell 9.30 -10.15am Choral Matins Chippenham 11 am</p>	<p>Sun 23rd Christ the King (R) <i>Ephesians 1: 15 - end</i> <i>Matthew 25: 31 - end</i> Holy Communion Snailwell 9.30am Sung Eucharist Chippenham 11 am</p>
<p>Sunday 26th Bible Sunday (G) <i>Colossians 3: 12 - 17</i> <i>Matthew 24: 30 - 35</i> Holy Communion Snailwell 9.30 am Sung Eucharist Chippenham 11 am</p>	<p>Sun 30th ADVENT SUNDAY (P) <i>No morning services at Snailwell & Chippenham</i> Group Service at Isleham 9.30am Advent Carol Service at Chippenham 6.30pm</p>
<u>November</u>	<u>December</u>
<p>Sun 2th All Saints(W) <i>1 John 3: 1 - 3</i> <i>Matthew 5: 1 - 12</i> Holy Communion Chippenham 8 am Holy Communion Snailwell 9.30 am Family Service Chippenham 11 - 11.45 am</p>	<p>Sun 7th Advent 2 (P) Holy Communion Chippenham 8 am Holy Communion Snailwell 9.30 am Family Service Chippenham 11 - 11.45 am</p>

Regular Weekday Services

Snailwell - Wednesday 6 pm

Chippenham - Wednesday 5 pm



Snailwell Church News

Christmas is coming!!! The Christmas Fayre in December, do you have any articles, which we could sell on our stalls. Birthday Presents or Christmas Presents - which you have received, but will never use. Likewise toys, games, puzzles and books in good condition that you no longer need. Please give me a call, every little helps. All the money raised goes toward the Church Restoration fund. Keeping the church in sound condition and open for everybody to make use of is a challenge. And we are always looking for new ideas to try. Thank you Maureen 577456.

Picnic in the Paddock - What a lovely day the weather was kind the venue superb, music and company a delight. The selection of games where great fun, and Darryl was again Croquet champion. Many thanks to Shamus and Jean for the use of the paddock and for having it in such good condition. Also to Colin and Scobie for the music. Hope we can keep this going as an annual village event.

The Big Church Clean - The Spring Clean of the church was such a success it was suggested that it be repeated in the Autumn - date suggested is Saturday 8th November, refreshments will be provided. Many hands make light work.

To all who use Oil for Central Heating - Did you know that Oil company/suppliers will reduce the price charged if they have more than one delivery in the same area at the same time. If it can bring your costs down it must be worth contacting your neighbours to work something out

For Sale

3 Wheeler Mobility Scooter - As New. Will dismantle for transport in the boot of a car. £400 or nearest offer. Contact - 01638 577456

SNAILWELL SUNDAY ROTA

	Sidesman / Reader	Cleaning/Flowers
October 5th	Maureen	Muriel/Maureen
October 12th	Michael	Gaynor/Sue
October 19th	Charles	Gaynor/Sue
October 26th	Gaynor	Hannah/Jean
November 2nd	Muriel	Hannah/Jean
November 9th	Maureen	Muriel/Maureen
November 16th	Michael	Muriel/Maureen
November 23rd	Charles	Gaynor/Sue
November 30th	Gaynor	Gaynor/Sue
December 7th	Gaynor/Muriel	Hannah/Jean

I know the Cleaning-Flower Rota is a little weird this time but it will sort out next time. The dates wished for are covered.
 But if others times don't suit please swap. Thank you Maureen

The Clubs Page



Chippenham Football Club



The 2008/09 season has started early this year and Chippenham opened their account with a win at Over. The next two games were lost but enough was contained within the team performances to look forward to the remainder of the season with confidence. The club has a small squad this season. Anyone players thinking of playing this season please contact the club, you would be welcome. The standard in Division 2A is competitive. Chippenham F.C. continues to play their home games at Fordham recreational ground. Home and away fixtures/results/league tables can be found on line at Sundayfootball.net

The team's sponsors for the third year running are **Wildtracks** and the club thanks them for their interest and support.

Results to date

31 st Aug	Over Crusaders 0	Chippenham 3
7 th Sept	Chippenham 1	YMCA Cambridge 2
14 th Sept	Bottisham Sunday 4	Chippenham 2

Training continues at Fordham through autumn and winter on a Thursday evening at 7.00pm. This includes a good session of 5 a side. Anyone thinking about coming along please ring Phil Wright, team captain on 07734059928, or myself Jim Smith, Chairman on 01638723978.

Due to Space constraints in this issue not all local adverts could be included. please accept my apologies for this, and
I hope to include them in the next issue.

NEXT ISSUE

Please send all notices and news for the
December 2008 - January 2009
issue of the Chippenham and Snailwell Village News
to news@thetharparms.com or drop them in at
The Tharp Arms, High Street, Chippenham,
by **9pm Friday 14th November**
Many thanks, Ali Daniels

Chippenham Cricket Club



Chippenham win the Holkham Cup

Chippenham won the Holkham Cup for the first time on August Bank Holiday Monday. Held in front of Holkham Hall the Holkham Cup is a 6-a-side competition and attracts teams from throughout East Anglia. Our team led by Simon Heather were unbeaten throughout the competition and Chop Heather also received the Player of the Tournament award.

We have also had some very close matches recently with a number not being decided until the last over. The highlight of these was our last over win at Kirtling which also saw Rhys Desborough score his first fifty for the club. Below is a list of our recent results.

20 th July	Camden	away	Drawn
27 th July	Gazeley	home	Lost
3 rd Aug	Elmdon	home	Lost
10 th Aug	Kirtling	away	Won
16 th Aug	Pimlico Strollers		Drawn
17 th Aug	Longstowe	home	Lost
24 th Aug	Stange Fruit	home	Drawn
31 st Aug	Twinstead	away	Won
7 th Sept	Stansfield		Rained off

Can you provide a cake or help us at the Park open day?

Helpers are needed to man stalls, serve teas fetch and carry dirty cups, endless washing and drying up, setting up at start of day and clearing up at end of day.

Please let Tim Hedger (contact details below) know if you can attend. We also are looking for cake donations to sell on the day. All funds raised go to Chippenham Cricket so if you can either help on the day or provide a cake (or both) it will be very much appreciated. Tim Hedger- Tel: 07768 957200 or email tim@newschool.co.uk

Summer starts early next season

The Club is planning a short cricket tour to Ibiza next March (26th-30th). If you are interested in coming along please contact James Broad on 721393

Other News

The Club AGM has been set for Tuesday 10th February 2008

The season has now come to an end (last game 28th September) but if you are interested in playing for the club next season please contact Alan Wright on 720948.