

TIDDINGTON
WITH ALBURY AND
MILTON COMMON

NEWSLETTER

JUNE & JULY 2021



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From the Acting Editor

At the time of writing this, some Covid restrictions have been lifted and we are able to move inside in small groups or families and cautiously hug our loved ones that we may not have been able to hug for a long time.

Our hope is that everyone can remain patient and use common sense, to ensure we continue to move in the right direction on the road map out of Covid.

Looking forward to some warmer weather for our summer months.

Cover photo:

Please see page 5

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From your Parish Council

As mentioned previously we are currently without an Editor for the Parish Newsletter – this is a really unfortunate situation and there is a real risk that if no one volunteers to support the issue of this we will not be in a position to continue. We believe that the newsletter offers us all an equal opportunity to access information and updates on what is happening, local clubs and activities and identify local businesses and resources that we may want to support. We truly hope that someone will step forward and help us continue to deliver this to you all and please reach out to the parish clerk or one of the councillors if you think this is something you could help us with.

Aside from that, work is continuing to consider any developments with the play area/recreation space, and we would welcome any views and thoughts on what could be of benefit as we take this forward. We are expecting the resurfacing of the A418 to be completed early June and then all we will be waiting on is SSE to fix the electrics for the all important switch on. We are very excited that at long last we will have a puffin crossing to help us all cross this busy road.

The coming months will hopefully continue to see a relaxation of the rules and restrictions that have governed our lives in recent times – these have been for good reason and gives us hope that life can return to something like normal - but we must continue to offer support and understanding to friends, neighbours and local businesses that have all been impacted by the difficulties we all face. Together, we are and will be stronger.

If you are new to the Parish and would like to receive regular updates on local news and information the clerk has a circulation list to share these by email - if this is something you would like to receive, please let the clerk know on clerk@tiddingtonparishcouncil.org.uk

If there is anything you would like us to consider or have any local concerns, please speak to any Councillor or email clerk@tiddingtonparishcouncil.org.uk

Tiddington with Albury Parish Council

<https://www.tiddingtonparishcouncil.org.uk>

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Deadline for articles for inclusion in the next Newsletter is

Thursday 20th July 2021

Paper copy to be forwarded to the Editor (TBA)

or email documents to [**tiddingtonalburynews@gmail.com**](mailto:tiddingtonalburynews@gmail.com)

The views expressed are not necessarily those of the Editor or the Parish Council and the Editor reserves the right not to print items and to edit items submitted.

Coffee Mornings at the Cricket Club

**THE MEETINGS ARE CANCELLED
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

Wild Oxfordshire is a local conservation charity with a vision for Oxfordshire's environment to be rich in nature, healthy and sustainable for the benefit and enjoyment of all. Our focus is on bringing organisations and community groups together to work collaboratively and make this vision a reality.

Works Strategically

State of Nature in Oxfordshire 2017 report, Oxfordshire's Biodiversity Action Group, the Conservation Target Area approach.

Pilots new approaches

The innovative Natural Flood Management Project is trialling ground breaking approach to flooding.

Supports volunteers

Community Ecologist is unique in offering free advice and support to the many Community Groups that help conserve local wildlife.

[**https://www.wildoxfordshire.org.uk/communities/resources/**](https://www.wildoxfordshire.org.uk/communities/resources/)



We are in very real danger of losing our village newsletter.

Unless someone or a group of people, are willing to step forward and help produce this vital link for our parish.

If you can help please contact

clerk@tiddingtonparishcouncil.org.uk

St Helen's - Church News

Church News

It is heartening to be entering into our summer months with the church open and services held every week again. We still don't sing in church but instead have had the opportunity to hear some wonderful choirs on the iPlayer which lift the Covid clouds.

Gordon White's ashes were laid to rest in the churchyard this month..

We are going to open the garden at The Old Rectory from 2 till 5 on Sunday 11th July in aid of the church. We will of course be offering wonderful teas and there are plenty of amusements in the garden for children.

We also provisionally plan to hold a Quiz Evening on Friday 10th September inside or outside the Village Hall, depending on weather and Covid rules at the time.

Harvest Festival is booked for Sunday 3rd October with a 5 o'clock service in church and hopefully a supper in the Village Hall at 6 o'clock.

We pray that the virus continues to lessen its grip on the country and we enjoy a more normal summer with our families and friends.

I still have plenty of well rotted compost if anyone needs some.

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	St. Helens Church	
<u>June 2021</u>		
6th June	Reverend Julian Dunn	BCP Holy Communion
13th June	Reverend David Bendor-Samuel	Matins
20th June	Reverend David Bendor-Samuel	Holy Communion Common Worship
27th June	Reverend David Bendor-Samuel	Family Service
<u>July 2021</u>		
4th July	Reverend Julian Dunn	BCP Holy Communion
11th July	Reverend David Bendor -Samuel	Matins
18th July		No Service
25th July		No Service
All services are at 9.30 am in St. Helens Church unless otherwise stated		
	Masks to be worn by all adults	

IN AID OF
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SUNDAY 11th JULY | 2021

2PM – 5.00PM

AT

THE OLD RECTORY, ALBURY
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TEAS

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Freedom of Information Act — Publication Scheme

Residents of the Parish can see the records of the Council held by the Parish Clerk or learn where they may be accessed. Records include minutes, financial information and responses to planning consultations. Application can be made to the Clerk on clerk@tiddingtonparishcouncil.org.uk and documents viewed by appointment. Any copies required will be charged at 10p per page.

HELP LINE

A new help-line number has been launched by

@AgeUKOxon

to offer advice and assistance to older people
concerned about the coronavirus.

Call **01865 411 288**

leave your name and phone number and a trained call handler
will call you back.

Attention Dog Owners

**Please Pick up After Your Dogs
and Place Bags in the Bins provided or Take it Home**

**Dog Faeces Can Cause Diseases That Are Harmful to
Children and Animals**



TIDDINGTON VILLAGE HALL

We are pleased to announce that the Village Hall has started its journey on the road map to full re-opening.

We re-opened for the Junior Dance Classes (Louise Jane School of Dance) on 21st April and were delighted to welcome the Pilates and Yoga Classes back in the week commencing 17th May.

If all goes according to plan with the Government's roadmap then we will open up to all external bookings from 21st June. We are currently accepting provisional bookings for dates after this. Please contact our bookings secretary, Brian Price, on 01844 339977 if you wish to make an enquiry. If, for any reason, you can't get hold of Brian (he likes his holidays!) please email me on chair@tiddingtonvillagehall.org.uk and I will respond accordingly.

By the time you read this our new website, www.tiddingtonvillagehall.org.uk, should be live. Please check this and our Facebook page for updates of our bookings and events.

We look forward to welcoming you all back to the hall in due course.

Robert McKinney

Chair

Tiddington Village Hall

Waterstock and Tiddington WI



If you live in the Waterstock or Tiddington area and want to meet new people and make new friends then come and join Waterstock and Tiddington WI and meet like minded people of all ages at our friendly group.

We are hoping to start meeting back up in August so if you are interested in joining in the meantime please contact me.

Debbie Millett

debbie@haydentaylor.co.uk

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Newsletter June 2021

At last, we are able to reopen to some normality. We thank all our members for adhering to the rules in keeping the Club Covid safe.

A reminder that memberships are due, please pay at the bar.

Our senior teams have had the first two league games washed out and we hope for better in the coming weeks. Our T20 campaign starts with a home game to Rowant on 1st June, have lost to them in the Village Cup we will be looking for a win!

Our junior coaching, under Neil Pickup and Cally Evans is going from strength to strength, we are full on all 4 sessions. We are running teams at U15, U13, U11, U9, Girls' softball, G15, aiming to give all children a game at the age and stage of their development. Training groups are kept to around 32 in order to give quality training but means we have had to spread it over two nights. With so many pressures on the ground with training and matches, we have moved the U15 matches to Great Haseley to try and fit everything in.

We have a great band of parents and juniors helping at the sessions, which is fantastic and couldn't run sessions and matches without them.

Again we are running AllStars for 5-7 year olds, Emma Boswell is leading this and we have 44 children, starting 20th May for 8 weeks, with Abil, Kate, Lina and Ray assisting. The bar opening times during the week work around cricket sessions/matches. We will always update on our social media channels and website wherever possible.

Check our website and Social Media accounts for updates and latest information

www.tiddingtoncricketclub.org.uk



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Tiddington with Albury Neighbourhood Plan

2nd Neighbourhood Plan Questionnaire

In common with other parishes, Tiddington with Albury and Milton Common is developing a Neighbourhood Plan.

Due to changes that have occurred over the last year or so, we are now bringing you a supplementary range of questions.

We would very much like everyone to participate.

Please complete the questionnaire on our Facebook page: Tiddington People, or on the Parish website:

Tiddingtonparishcouncil.org.uk

If you prefer a paper copy, please contact the Parish Clerk.

clerk@tiddingtonparishcouncil.org.uk

Mobile Post Office service for Tiddington

Post Office Ltd has added Tiddington to the Mobile Post Office service provided by the Postmaster.



**The service will be in Albury View,
on a Wednesday from 11.30am – 12.30pm**

Please support this service for the benefit of all and especially those who find it difficult to travel to a post office.

Feedback can be made to comments@postoffice.co.uk, by post to **Freepost YOUR COMMENTS**, by telephone **03452 66 01 15** or **Textphone 03457 22 33 55**.

Neighbourhood Watch — Policing and Crime



There has been an increase in reports of **theft from motor vehicles** from beauty spot car parks across the local police area. Due to the current lockdown restrictions, we have seen an increase in people meeting up to exercise, and leaving more vehicles in the car parks. Unfortunately, this has created opportunities for criminals to take advantage.

Please remain vigilant and follow the below advice to help reduce your chances of becoming a victim of this type of crime. Report any suspicious behaviour, and call 999 in an emergency. Always keep your vehicle locked. Close all windows and the sun roof.

- Do not leave anything in your vehicle- take all your personal possessions with you and don't leave anything on display.
- Consider security marking any valuables that you regularly take in your vehicle.
- Do not leave the vehicle's documents inside the vehicle.
- Park with care and always try to park in a well used area.
- Use a steering lock, electronic immobiliser or alarm.
- Secure number plates with security screws.

Neighbourhood Watch — Policing and Crime

Social Media is a great communication and engagement tool for Neighbourhood Watch, because it is instant, it can be a very useful crime prevention tool, warning residents in a timely manner and making them more vigilant.

Please always ensure that your car, garages, sheds and houses are locked so as to put off casual burglaries, and do look out for any unusual vehicles or strangers.

Finally, do please look out for yourselves and your neighbours at all times.

To report a crime, issue or incidence to Thames Valley Police, go to:

<https://www.thamesvalley.police.uk/ro/report/>

Or phone: Emergency - 999, or non-emergency - 101

Paul Rizza Tel: 07597 938654 Email: cprizza@gmail.com

For more information, visit the national **Take Five to Stop Fraud**

[\(https://takefive-stopfraud.org.uk/\)](https://takefive-stopfraud.org.uk/) campaign.

Vacancy - Neighbourhood Watch Coordinator for Milton Common

There is a vacancy for an individual who lives in Milton Common to be appointed coordinator. The voluntary role does not require a great deal of time, and requires them to be aware of their community and have access to email and the internet Those individuals who are interested in this position should contact the clerk - clerk@tiddingtonparishcouncil.org.uk

Hello from The Maple Tree!

Have you seen our lovely new notice board? Many, many thanks to Chris our fab Chairperson, Yu-Ho, a wonderful volunteer and the splendid Doug and Geoff from the Wheatley Wanderers!



A great place to grow

As government restrictions are lifted, we are cautiously optimistic and gradually opening. Spaces are still limited and must be pre-booked by emailing info@mapletree.org.uk. Covid measures remain in place and there is a suggested donation of £2.50 per family per session. Check out our Website and Facebook pages for special events, holiday programmes and helpful information.

Messy Mondays: Play and Learn sensory/creative activities from 10:30-11:30

Tuesday: Play and Learn: Once Upon a Rhyme-Time from 10:00-11:00 and **Toddle and Talk** from 11:30-12:30pm. [Online - Story Time](#)

Wednesday: Well-Baby Clinic (with Health Visitors) to be booked through the NHS and **Maple Babies:** Group supports for new parents from 10:00-11:00 and 12:00-1:00. [Online - activities for babies](#)

Thursday: Play and Learn: Little Scientists, activities for the under 5s from 10:00-11:00

Friday: Play and Learn: Solitary Bee to Social Butterflies: a new group for young children (from 12 months to 3 years) who have missed key socialising opportunities during this past year from 10:30-11:30. [For the weekend online - ideas and activities suitable for the whole family](#)

Saturdays: Family Fun on 3rd Saturday of each month, Space (19th June), Under the Sea (18th July) and Endangered Animals (15th August) from 10:00- 12:00

Weekdays 1:1 Sessions

The Maple Tree is offering 1:1 sessions to parents needing a listening ear during these transitional times; this can be by phone, online, in the Centre or on a walk.

We are looking for Volunteers! Would like to join our committed and friendly group of trustees? Or are you interested in helping with our sessions, working with young children alongside our dedicated staff team? Or fundraising? Do you have a lot of spare time or just an hour a week? All welcome!

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

Email: info@mapletree.org.uk

Website: www.mapletree.org.uk

Facebook: www.facebook.com/TheMapleTreeWheatley

Laura Spencer



Wheatley Library

We are delighted to have our doors open again – in a covid safe way of course! Face coverings, hand sanitizer, distancing and stock that has been quarantined are all in place in order to take care of us all. Do come and see us.

Open hours

Tuesday 14.00-17.00, Wednesday 9.30-13.00, Thursday 14.00-17.00, Friday 14.00-17.00

We are also excited to announce the return of our annual Summer Reading Challenge for children.



[Wendy Stanton](#)

Wheatley Library Manager

Get ready to go *wild* about your world

by joining the FREE reading challenge at your local library!

From **10 July to 11 September** children across Oxfordshire can join the Wild World Heroes, Summer Reading Challenge 2021 to help save the environment of Wilderville.

Collect stickers and rewards as you read library books over the summer holidays.

Complete your challenge at an Oxfordshire Library to win a Wild World Heroes medal, certificate and a keyring.

Under 3s can take part in a mini challenge with their own special card and stickers.

Visit summerreadingchallenge.org.uk for the fun to carry on at home.



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If you finish the challenge at your local Oxfordshire Library, you will be entered into an **exciting prize draw!**

Don't miss out!





This month will bring with it a major step forward in the COVID19 recovery programme, which is welcomed. I know that many people have been enjoying the opportunity to meet up with friends again outdoors, but the weather has, quite literally, put a damper on that! The new opportunity to meet indoors, and to be able to stay overnight with people, is good news. The progress that has been made to enable this is also good news. With the virus deemed to be suppressed in most of the constituency I know that many people are looking forward to a more normal way of life. The vaccination programme has, of course, played a huge part in this and my thanks to those who have come forward to take up the vaccination. However there are still many people who have yet to be offered the vaccine and so I encourage everyone, including those who have already been offered the vaccine, to remain vigilant and follow the guidance for the sake of these people.

One thing that I have very much missed during lockdown and under COVID restrictions is being able to meet people within the constituency. Prior to the pandemic, along with all other MPs, my Fridays and sometimes weekends were filled with visits to schools, businesses, charities and meetings with individuals and groups to discuss a wide range of issues and concerns. Some of this has continued through virtual meetings but I am looking forward to getting out and about more and seeing what is going on for myself. Once all restrictions are lifted, hopefully in June, I will be looking to schedule visits and meetings. Please do get in touch if there is something you would like me to come to.

One thing that I plan to continue is virtual surgeries. This has been one very positive thing that has emerged from lockdown. The constituency is geographically spread and, although I move surgeries around, people wanting to meet with me would sometimes have to travel some distance. With online opportunities we have been able to save people much time and at the same time reduce car journeys. In future we can determine the best way to meet according to the time needed and the travel involved.

With the beginning of the new parliamentary session we have some important new legislation coming forward. Much of the detail is yet to be published but as information is available I would welcome, as always, views on proposals. Email remains the quickest form of communication. If you have an issue that you would like to raise with me, if possible, please email me at john.howell.mp@parliament.uk. If you cannot email you can write to me at the House of Commons, London, SW1 0AA or PO Box 84, Watlington, OX49 5XD. Please be aware that remote working means that it is taking longer for mail to get through to me.

GREAT HASELEY AND DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

June 2021

It is that time of year again when the greenhouse is full to overflowing with plants which are growing fast, flowering and desperate to grow more. Each morning I open up and move outside as many of the plants as I can to get some fresh air and begin to acclimatise to the big outside world. I think that by the weekend they will be good to stay outside for the summer. I note that a frost is likely very early on Thursday morning so we will need to be especially careful on Wednesday evening to protect anything very tender.

This has been a very unusual spring with April very cold and dry and recording many nights of frost. Our *Wisteria sinensis* on the courtyard wall looked fabulous and was overwhelmingly perfumed. The perfume was added to by *Rhododendron fragrantissima* with its highly scented pinky white bell-shaped flowers. It has been frosted completely each spring for several years now so I had threatened it with the compost heap; it responded well! Sadly, yet again, our potted standard *Wisteria* in a pot has had its buds entirely frosted. I think that too is living on borrowed time.

May has followed on with what is likely to be the wettest weather on record and it is still cold. Many plants are well behind in their development. We have a lovely little *Malus floribunda* which was about two weeks late into flower for only the second time in its almost 25 year life. It still looks lovely except where it has received the attention of the pigeons which seem to delight in simply picking off the buds as they do with *Wisteria* where whole flowering stems lay on the ground unopened. There are far too many pigeons, in my opinion, especially when they do so much damage without even eating what they damage. Farmers must really struggle due to their bizarre protection under the law. Our lawyer son looked at the law after we informed him that, no, we couldn't do anything about them, and had to agree we were correct.

On another bird happening, we rarely see starlings in the garden, but this year we have a nesting pair which sit on the *Wisteria* taking the morning sun. Their iridescent feathers look magnificent; they are indeed stunningly beautiful birds. My daughter-in-law could not believe her eyes when she saw a murmuration near Chearsley

The deer, which make the meadow look like African savannah, have decided our garden is an all you can eat buffet. Then there are the rabbits and the squirrels....

Down in the vegetable garden, things are coming on well. We have eaten asparagus and early salad leaves. The beans in the man greenhouse have flowers which is exciting. Outside beans are not even in the ground – far too early down there with its much cooler microclimate. There are rapidly growing gooseberries which I need to keep on top of so we get to eat them rather than the birds. The rhubarb is huge (it's loving all the rain)! I am hoping that we might actually get some *Victoria* plums this year. Every previous year birds have eaten the buds or frost has destroyed the young fruit. This year, maybe there are too many and the tree too large. I have no hopes for the cherries, but the trees are pretty in themselves and at least the cherries get eaten and not just wantonly destroyed. When my son and his family lived in London, they had more cherries than they could eat. When I asked why the birds hadn't eaten them all, he said "Have you seen a bird? There aren't any because the cats have eaten them all!"

Liz Moyeses

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Waterperry Gardens



June & July 2021

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Whether you're dropping by or spending the day, looking for a quick cup of coffee and a scone or planning to relax over a leisurely lunch, no visit to Waterperry Gardens is complete without including the Tea Shop.

Rare Plant Fair 16 June: Browse stalls specialising in both rare and traditional plants

Summer Screens 8 - 10 July: A stunning venue, beautiful sunsets, fantastic drinks, delicious food, friends, family, loved ones and of course, a stellar line up of the finest films, back on the big screen for some starlit movie action!

Celebrating Ceramics 16 - 18 July: A festival showcasing over 100 diverse ceramic artists.

The Secret Garden 24 July: Brand new, family-friendly, dance adaptation of the best-selling novel by Frances Hodgson Burnett.

Beauty and the Beast 31 July: IKP return with a brand new, "delightfully daft" (The Stage) retelling of the classic story Beauty and the Beast.

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Our main offices are in Abingdon, Didcot, Henley and Thame. Since March 2020, 90 volunteers and staff have been advising the public from home on our Adviceline service. Recently we partially re-opened our offices, in part to train new advisers. What will you get out of it? You will join a friendly team, meet new people, develop your skills and make a real difference to people's lives.

You'll need to have good listening and interpersonal skills, a willingness to learn and be confident with computers. Full training will be provided. If you have eight hours a week to spare for the next two years or more and are looking for a satisfying and stimulating volunteer role in your local community, please contact us at:
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Dog Fouling

Dog mess is an eyesore and a health hazard. If you are a dog owner, you have a legal duty to clean up every time your dog messes in a public place.



Under the *Dogs (Fouling of Land) Act 1996* a person who is in charge of a *dog* must clean up after it when it fouls any footpath, highway, verge or other open space to which the public have access. It is therefore a crime to allow a *dog* to *foul* in any public area without clearing it up.

Fines and criminal offences

In England and Wales, a person who doesn't clean up after their dog may face an on-the-spot fine of up to £80. These fines are known as fixed penalty notices. If a person refuses to pay they can be taken to the local Magistrates Court for the dog fouling offence and fined up to £1,000. If you see a dog owner allowing their dog to foul and not picking it up, take details of anything that might help us identify them and contact Environmental Protection env.health@southandvale.gov.uk

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There is also a significant increase in the amount of dog mess that has not been bagged, but left on the pathways and verges. It is a legal requirement for dog owners to bag their dog's poo and to take those poo bags to a bin.

The Countryside Code is a statutory guidance published by the Government and highlights the following actions:

Respect other people

- Consider the local community and other people enjoying the outdoors
- Park carefully so access to gateways and driveways is clear
- Leave gates and property as you find them

Follow paths but give way to others where it's narrow

Protect the natural environment

- Leave no trace of your visit, take all your litter home
- Don't have BBQs or fires
- Keep dogs under effective control

Dog poo - bag it and bin it

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Bus passes	Free bus pass to residents (eligibility for an older person's bus pass is now equal to the pensionable age for women, whether male or female) or registered disabled, accepted for free travel within Oxfordshire. https://www2.oxfordshire.gov.uk/cms/content/older-persons-bus-pass
Church	St Helen's Church, Albury Services: see Newsletter Diary for service times Churchwardens: Moo Nowell-Smith. Tel. 01844 339650. Ken Field. Tel. 01844 339671
Coffee Mornings	Tiddington Cricket Club. 2 nd Wednesday of the month, 10.30-12.30pm. Cancelled until further notice.
Community Education	Thame: Towersey Road, Thame. Tel. 01844 213400/213114
Councillors	County Councillor: Tim Bearder, Liberal Democrat Email: tim.bearder@oxfordshire.gov.uk
Cricket	Tiddington Cricket Club Contact: Ray Manning. Tel. 01844 338911. E-mail. information@gmail.com Website: www.tiddingtoncricketclub.org
Crime Stoppers	Tel: 0800 555 111 https://www.thamesvalley.police.uk/
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Flooding	Environment Agency Floodline Tel. 0845 988 1188
Food waste	Raw and cooked food waste collected every Monday in small green bin

Garden Refuse	Fortnightly kerbside collection from wheeled bins at a cost of £40.50 per annum by direct debit. For terms and conditions and further details visit the website www.southoxon.gov.uk/gardenwaste
Gardening	Great Haseley and District Horticultural Society Contacts: Sandra & Eric Fincham, 10 Albury View. Tel. 01844 339675
Library	Branch Libraries: Thame. Tel. 01844 212288. Wheatley. Tel. 01865 875267
Markets	Thame, Tuesdays 8.30am – 4.30pm Farmers' market, Thame, 2 nd Tuesday of the month 8.30am – 1.30pm Organic farmers' market, Sandy Lane Farm, Tiddington, Thursdays 11.00 – 6.00pm and Saturday 10am – 2pm
Neighbourhood Watch	Milton Common and Sandy Lane: Vacancy Tiddington: Paul Rizza. Tel: 07597 938654
Newsletter	Published bi-monthly (Deadline is usually 20th) at the end of January, March, May, July, September and November.
NHS Direct	Tel: 0845 46 47 www.nhs.direct.nhs.uk
Parish Council	Meetings held in Tiddington Village Hall at 8.00pm on the Second Tuesday in the month
Phone Services	https://www.thephonebook.bt.com/ https://www.yell.com/uk/oxford/
Police	Police Enquiries Centre:- 101 (non-emergency) or 999 https://www.thamesvalley.police.uk/advice/
Post Office	Wednesdays, 11.30am-12.30pm, Albury View
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Trains	Haddenham & Thame Parkway (on 280 bus route)
Oxfordshire Comet	Bookable transport service. For details or to register call 01865 323201. Full terms and conditions: www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/comet

Recycling centres	OCC Centres at Redbridge, Drayton and Oakley Wood Opening times: Mon-Sat 8.30 – 4.00, Sun 9.00 – 4.00
Recycling collection	Cans, tins, paper, cardboard, glass bottles/jars and plastics collected on alternate Mondays in large green bins (See Newsletter Diary for collection days) Books, CDs, videos, DVDs, cassettes at Asda, Wheatley and Waitrose, Thame.
Recycling of Engine Oil	check on: http://www.oilbankline.org.uk/
Refuse Collection	Waste that cannot be recycled collected on alternate Mondays in grey bins (see Newsletter Diary for collection days and Bank Holiday changes)
Schools	Primary: Great Milton C of E. Tel. 01844 279388 Secondary: Wheatley Park. Tel. 01865 872441
Village Hall	Chairman: Rob McKinney. Tel. 07795 576344 Bookings: Brian Price. Tel. 01844 339977
Waste collection	For enquiries about collections email: admin.southoxford@biffa.co.uk or Telephone: 03000 610610 www.waste.team@southandvale.gov.uk See also under Food, Recycling, Refuse Telephone: 01235 422422
Water	Thames Water. To report a leak: Tel. 0800 3169800
Village Website	www.tiddingtonparishcouncil.org.uk
WI	Waterstock and Tiddington Women's Institute Meetings: 2 nd Thursday in the month at 7.30pm in Tiddington Village Hall (see Newsletter Diary for dates and speakers). Contact: Debbie Millett, debbie@haydentaylor.co.uk Virtual meetings until further notice
Yoga	Thursdays, 10.30am in Tiddington Village Hall. Contact: Yvonne Cartwright. Tel: 01844 279205
Zumba	Tuesdays, 6.30pm – 7.30pm in Tiddington Village Hall

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

June				
Sunday	6	Reverend Julian Dunn	Holy Communion	9.30 am
Monday	7	Rubbish collection (Grey bin) , Food Waste & Small Electrical Items		
Tuesday	8	Parish Council Meeting		
Sunday	13	Reverend David Bendor-Samuel	Matins	9.30 am
Monday	14	Recycling collection (Green bin), Food Waste, Batteries , Textiles & Garden Waste for Brown Bin Customers		
Sunday	20	Reverend David Bendor-Samuel	Holy Communion	9.30 am
Monday	21	Rubbish collection (Grey bin) , Food Waste & Small Electrical Items		
Sunday	27	Reverend David Bendor-Samuel	Family Service	9.30am
Monday	28	Recycling collection (Green bin), Food Waste, Batteries , Textiles & Garden Waste for Brown Bin Customers		
July				
Sunday	4	Reverend Julian Dunn	Holy Communion	9.30am
Monday	5	Rubbish collection (Grey bin) , Food Waste & Small Electrical Items		
Sunday	11	Reverend David Bendor-Samuel	Matins	9.30am
Sunday	11	Open Garden at The Rectory, Albury		2-5 pm
Monday	12	Recycling collection (Green bin), Food Waste, Batteries , Textiles & Garden Waste for Brown Bin Customers		
Tuesday	13	Parish Council Meeting		
Sunday	18	No Church Service		
Monday	19	Rubbish collection (Grey bin) , Food Waste & Small Electrical Items		
Sunday	25	No Church Service		
Monday	26	Recycling collection (Green bin), Food Waste, Batteries , Textiles & Garden Waste for Brown Bin Customers		