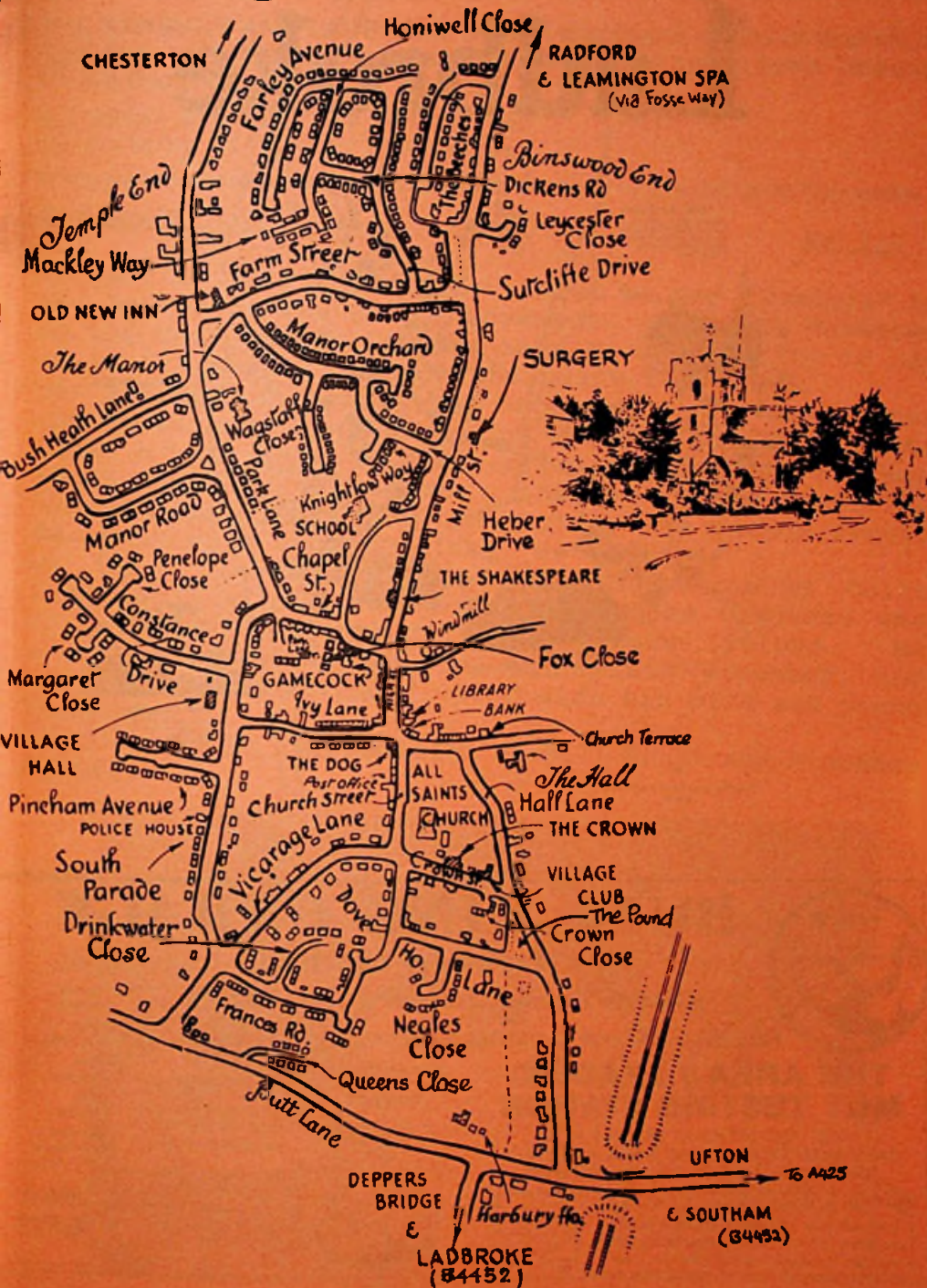
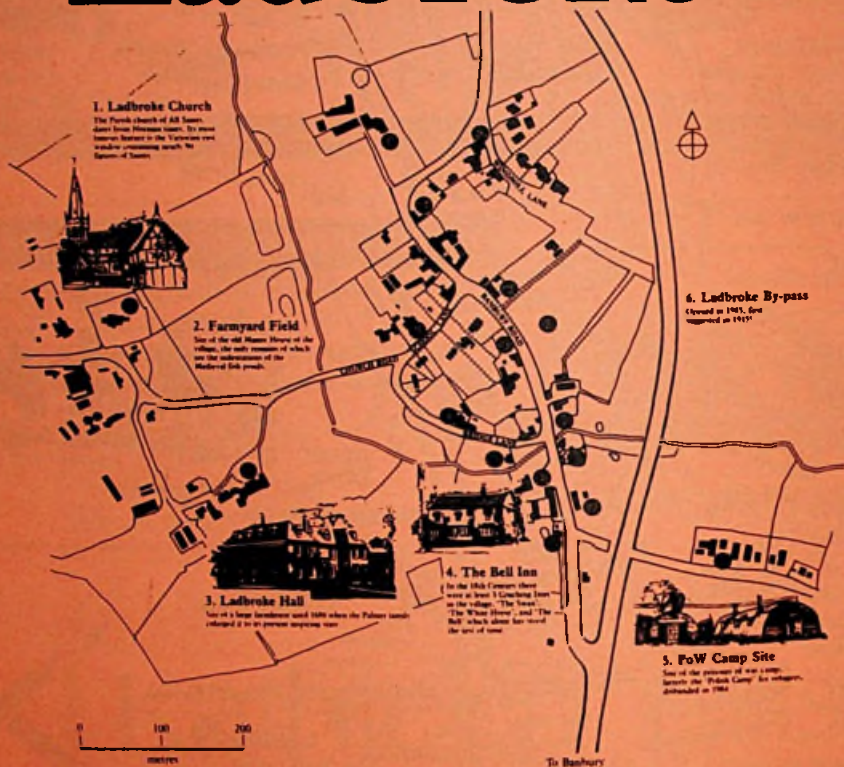


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- Streets:** Farley Avenue, Farm Street, Surcliffe Drive, Manors Road, Penelope Close, Constance Drive, Margaret Close, Pincham Avenue, South Parade, Drinkwater Close, Vicarage Lane, Church Street, Dove Lane, Neales Close, Queens Close, Fruit Lane, Harbury Ho., and Upton.
- Buildings and Landmarks:** The Manor, Bush Heath Lane, Manor Orchard, Waastall Close, Knighton Way, School Chapel, The Shakespeare, Windmill, Fox Close, Church Terrace, The Hall, Half Lane, The Crown, Village Club, The Pond, Crown Close, Neales Close, Queens Close, Deppers Bridge, Ladbroke (84452), and Upton.
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As mentioned in the October issue we say "goodbye" to the Rector at the end of November. The 29th November is the date when Villagers have an opportunity to say their "farewells", check the Diary for times.

The village of Harbury was once again very much alive and buzzing on the evening of October 3rd. Our photo shows a well known "street official" and the village Queen and her attendant. Thanks to the Victorian Street Fayre committee for another fun packed event. We await with eagerness the '94 bonanza.

We have pleasure this month in welcoming Colin Snowdon. Dr. Snowdon is a Birmingham Graduate who hails from Port Stewart in Northern Ireland. He starts work in Harbury on Monday 2nd November, and will be living in the village with his wife and young daughter.

Condolences to the families of Bill Pratt and Florence Russell.



Harbury Diary

NOVEMBER

- Sun 1 ALL SAINTS DAY (PATRONAL FESTIVAL)
9am Sung Eucharist, 10.30am Family Service, 4pm Choral Evensong with augmented Choir.
(Tea afterwards in the Tom Hauley Room).
- Mon 2 ALL SOUL'S DAY 9.45am Holy Communion, Requiem.
Word of God, 8pm at 7 Penelope Close.
No Yoga Class today.
Bible Study at 8pm.
- Tue 3 Holy Communion 7.30pm.
PCC 8pm in Tom Hauley Room.
Horticultural Society, Weeds, Pests and Diseases by Dr Ellis, & AGM 8pm V Hall.
- Wed 4 RSPCA Coffee Morning 10.30am at Wissett Lodge.
Mothers Union 2.15pm in Tom Hauley Room, Barbara Hodge on Mission Brazil.
Youth Club in Village Hall at 8pm.
- Thur 5 Holy Communion at 9.45am
Whist in Village Hall at 7.30pm.
Men's Society 7.45pm.
Folk Club in Lounge of Old New Inn at 8.30pm.
- Fri 6 Holy Communion 7am.
Hopscotch Cake Stall in Dog Inn Car Park 12 noon.
- Sat 7 Netball Autumn Fayre in Village Hall 10am to 3pm.
BONFIRE PARTY AT RECREATION GROUNDS.
Rugby - 2nd XV v Burbage.
- Sun 8 REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY, 7th Sunday Before Christmas.
8am Holy Communion. NB 10.15am Service of Remembrance, 4pm Evensong.
Crusaders 10.30am in THR.
- Mon 9 Praise & Prayer at 17 Farm St.
No Yoga class today.
- Tue 10 Mothers & Toddlers Service 2.15pm, Holy Communion at 7.30pm.
V Hall Management Committee in V Hall at 8pm.
Nursery Playgroup Coffee Morning 10.00am 6 South Parade.
- Wed 11 Youth Club in Village Hall at 8pm.
- Thur 12 Holy Communion at 9.45am.
Thursday Club 2.30pm Village Hall.
WI 7.45pm in Village Hall.

- Fri 13 Holy Communion at 7am.
- Sat 14 CRAFT CIRCLE ALL DAY IN VILLAGE HALL.
 PTA Barn Dance in School.
 PCC Conference at 1.30pm.
 Southam PTA Folk Evening with Jez Lowe, Southam
 School Hall - BAR.
 Rugby - 2 XV v Claverdon.
- Sun 15 SIXTH SUNDAY BEFORE CHRISTMAS 8am Holy Communion (BCP).
 10.30am Family Service and Simple Communion,
 Crusaders 10.30am THR.
 Rugby - Minis v Old Coventrians.
 SCOUTS NEWSPAPER COLLECTION TODAY
- Mon 16 Word of God 8pm, 6 Heber Drive.
 Bible Study Meeting at 8pm.
 No Yoga Class today.
- Tue 17 Harbury Society talk on BADGERS in Tom Hauley Room
 at 7.30pm, all welcome.
 Holy Communion 7.30pm.
 Mothers Union 7.45pm in THR, Rev Gillian Saunderson
 on the Church's Healing Ministry.
- Wed 18 Youth Club in Village Hall 8pm.
- Thur 19 Holy Communion 9.45am.
 Talk by Leamington Christian Mission 10.00am 19 Farm
 Street.
 Whist 7.30pm in Village Hall.
 Christmas Demonstration in aid of Arthritis Research
 7.45pm in Tom Hauley Room.
- Fri 20 Holy Communion 7am, 7.30am Men's Prayer Breakfast.
- Sat 21 Myton Hospice Support Group Christmas Fayre, 2-4pm,
 Wight School.
 Rugby - 1st XV & 3rd XV v Coventry Tech.
- Sun 22 FIFTH SUNDAY BEFORE CHRISTMAS 8am Holy Communion,
 10.30am Sung Eucharist, 4pm Evensong.
 Crusaders 10.30am THR.
 Vintage Ploughing Match takes place at Harbury
 Heath from 10.30am.
 Rugby - U.14s v Market Bosworth, U.13s v Broadstreet.
- Mon 23 Praise & Prayer at Lullington Lodge.
- Tue 24 Holy Communion at 7.30pm,
 Julian Group Meeting at 8.10pm in Church.
 Senior Citizens Benefit Committee meets in Village
 Hall at 8.30pm.
- Wed 25 Harbury Wight School Playgroup, Coffee Morning &
 "Offspring" childrens clothes 10.am 22 Farley Avenue.
 Parish Meeting re. Provision of Play Equipment 7.30pm
 Tom Hauley Room.
 Youth Club at 8pm Village Hall.

- Thur 26 Holy Communion at 9.45am.
 Thursday Club 2.30pm in Village Hall.
- Fri 27 Holy Communion at 7am.
- Sat 28 Rugby - 1st XV v Rugby III, 2nd XV v Ford.
- Sun 29 ADVENT SUNDAY 8am Holy Communion, 10.30am Sung
 Eucharist (followed by Faith Lunch).
 Crusaders 10.30am THR. NB Evensong 3pm.
 Rugby - U.14s v Broadstreet, U.13s v Kenilworth.
 ALL ARTICLES FOR INCLUSION IN THE DECEMBER HARBURY
 NEWS TO EDITORS TODAY.
- Mon 30 Word of God 8pm 46 Farley Avenue.
 Bible Study Meeting at 8pm.
 Harbury News Committee 8pm in THR.

DECEMBER

- Tue 1 COMMEMORATING ST ANDREW APOSTLE Holy Communion 7.30pm
 Myton Hospice Support Group Coffee Morning, Fox
 Cottage, Chapel St 10.00am.
 Horticultural Society 8pm in V Hall, Mr A Measures
 on Designing a Garden followed by Christmas drinks
 and buffet.
- Wed 2 Mothers Union 2.15pm in THR, Deanery Report and
 Discussion.
 Youth Club in Village Hall 8pm.
- Thur 3 Holy Communion at 9.45am.
 Men's Society 7.45pm.
 Parish Council at 7.30pm in Village Hall.
 Folk Club in Lounge of Old New Inn at 8.30pm.
- Fri 4 Hopscotch Cake Stall, Dog Inn Car Park 10-12 noon.
 WI Christmas Party in Village Hall.
- Sat 5 Church Christmas Fayre in Village Hall at 2.30pm with
 Santa's Grotto.
 Rugby - 2nd XV v Aylestonians, 4th XV v Aylestonians.
- Sun 6 ADVENT II 9am Sung Eucharist, 10.30am Family Service,
 4pm Evensong.
- Mon 7 Praise & Prayer at 4 Leicester Close.

REGULAR DIARY DATES

HARBURY CRUSADERS: Tom Hauley Room, 10.30am Sundays
UPHOLSTERY CLASSES: Wight School, 2-4pm Mondays
GYMNASTICS: Harbury School, 6-7pm (under 7 & beginners)
 7-8pm (7-10yrs), 8-9pm (over 10yrs) Mondays
GUIDES: Scout Hut, 7pm Mondays
BINGO: Village Hall, 8pm Mondays
TODDLER GROUP: Wight School, 10-11.30am Mondays &
 2-3.30pm Wednesdays

PLAYGROUP: Wight School, Tuesday to Friday mornings
NURSERY SCHOOL: Village Hall, Tues to Fri mornings
BROWNIES: Village Hall every Tuesday at 6.15pm
SCOUTS: Scout Hut, 7.45pm every Tues & Thurs
BADMINTON: Village Hall every Tuesday
HARBURY FRIENDS: School, 8pm 2nd Tuesday of month
BABY CLINIC: New Surgery, 2-4pm, 2nd & 4th Wednesdays
YOUTH CLUB: Village Hall, 7.30 - 9.30pm Wednesdays
DANCING CLASSES: Children & Adults, Farley Room,
 Village Hall, 4-9pm Wednesdays
HEREBURGH MORRIS DANCERS: School Hall, 8pm Wednesdays
NETBALL CLUB: Village Hall Car Park - Training Thursday
 6.30pm - Matches Saturday afternoon
HARBURY FOLK CLUB: Old New Inn, 8.30pm 1st Thurs of month
THURSDAY CLUB: Village Hall, 2.30pm 2nd & 4th Thursday
CUBS: Scout Hut, every Wednesday
W.I.: Village Hall, 7.45pm 2nd Thursday of month
CHOIR PRACTICE: Church, 6.30pm every Friday
BELLRINGING PRACTICE: Church, 7.30pm every Friday
THEATRE GROUP: Wight School, 8pm last Friday of month
COFFEE MORNING: every Saturday Tom Hauley Room 10am-12pm
CITIZENS ADVICE BUREAU: over Southam Magistrates Court,
 every Tuesday (except Bank Holidays) 10am-3pm
TENNIS CLUB: (April-Sept) Tues & Thurs 6.30pm onwards
 (6pm for April) Sats 2-5pm, Mon & Wed 1.45-3pm
YOGA: Village Hall, 1.30-3pm Monday, Diane Surgey 817904

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For Wight School Bookings	ring Mrs Hayes 613488
For Tom Hauley Room Bookings	ring Mrs Smith 613680

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Holy Communion 8am
 Sung Eucharist 10.30am
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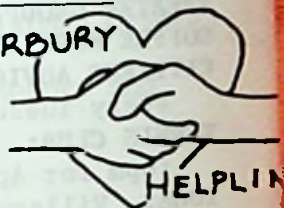
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FROM THE RECTOR

There are many Christians, who fortunately still continue to take Lent seriously and consequently the devotional life of the Church is enriched as well as the devotional life of each individual Christian. It is a pity that most of us do not place the same importance upon Advent, but instead get caught up with all the hassle and the anticipation of Christmas. I think it was unwise of the Church, not intentionally of course, to muddle up Advent and Christmas and put wrong ideas into our heads before the time by referring to 'The Sundays before Christmas' in the A.S.B. The season of Advent has something particularly to offer - it teaches us our need to wait upon God patiently and expectantly, joy mounting in our hearts as with a mother (and father too) as the time draws near to the birth of a child. It is fine for us to think of Mary and the thoughts which no doubt ran through her mind as Shepherds came and the Kings came, to gaze on the Child Jesus, but what of her prayers and thoughts beforehand. Advent encourages us to wait for the Lord Jesus coming into our hearts and lives, and the difference it can make as we learn from him. I know very well that that should be happening all the time, but during those few short weeks of Advent, it does seem to have a particular significance.

A few weeks ago, some of us went to the Priory of St. Mary, Burford. Burford, as you may know, is a very attractive small country town and right in the midst of it is this peaceful haven of holiness. There monks and nuns live in community under the Rule of St. Benedict. On their literature stall I came across a calendar of meditations entitled 'Cries of Advent' based on the Advent Antiphons, for each day of December leading up to Christmas Day. All these cries begin with the exclamation 'O', expressing a great yearning for the Lord Jesus to come to us in so many different ways, to shower upon us his many gifts, to save us from ourselves, to make us more alive to him and nearer to his liking. Traditionally there are usually seven or eight of these antiphons, which are sung both before and after the Magnificat. You can find the usual ones in the New English Hymnal number 503, beginning with the following one:

'O Wisdom, which camest out of the mouth of the Most High, and reachest from one and to another mightily and sweetly ordering all things, come and teach us the way of prudence'.

In this new series the original ones have been added to imaginatively and sensitively by a group of people - David Denny, Tessa Bielecki, Mary Robins and Tim Cotter. Just to give you a flavour of the new ones, I have chosen three (always a sound ecclesiastical number). I think they are all so good, it is difficult to know which to choose.

'O Morning Star, Spendour of Light Eternal, O Radiant Dawn, O Dayspring from on High, shining with the glory of the rainbow, come and waken us from the greyness of our apathy and renew in us your gift of hope'.

'O Swallow, capering and darting through the heavens, ending our winter when you build beneath our eaves, come, bird from paradise, small and powerless, invincible as the phoenix'.

'O Bright Sun of Justice, Judge of all the world, seeking to straighten what is crooked and put right what is wrong, come with dread power and stark mercy to our reluctant hearts'.

Advent will soon be here. Try to save a little time each day for stillness and quietness, so that you may experience this waiting upon God, by which Jesus ruled his life and through which the Lord will come to us and bring us to his side.

ANTONY ROWE.

Postscript:

It is with great regret that I have to announce the impending retirement of both Ken Nordon and Gordon Haynes. Ken has been Organist at Harbury for about fourteen years and in that time we have much appreciated and benefited from his musical skills. In his capable hands he has brought our organ to life and delighted us with the sparkle of his music. A good organist can inspire both Choir and Congregation and encourage them to achieve far more than they would have expected of themselves and this Ken has done for us at Harbury. Not only that, but as Musical Director of the Windmill Singers, from time to time over the years, we have had the pleasure of their visits and enjoyed the music they have been able to offer us. For some time now, since Ken moved further away from

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Harbury, it has meant a round trip of over thirty miles each Sunday morning. We shall be exceedingly sad and sorry to lose Ken and we are greatly indebted to him for all he has done here to enhance our music.

Equally we are sad to lose Gordon. He came to our rescue five years ago, mainly to play for us at Evensong. He too is a talented organist and musician with many years experience of Church Choirs elsewhere. Gordon has also given us much help in bringing together the augmented Choir and with other special services and events. To Gordon too we are enormously grateful.

A.S.B.R.

W.C.H.C.T. Sponsored Cycle Ride/Walk

We are very appreciative to all those who took part in the Ride/Walk and not forgetting those who welcomed other participants from other churches to Harbury & Ladbroke.

You will be very pleased to hear that Harbury raised £272.35 and Ladbroke £200.55. In due course this means our Treasurers will receive half those amounts for our own church repairs. Many thanks to participants, to welcomers and not forgetting the generous sponsors.

FAMILY SERVICES

Please remember that at Harbury on the first Sunday of each month, there is a Family Service at 10.30am. Parents and Children of all ages are very welcome. The next one is Sunday 1st November and the following one Sunday 6th December.

HOLY BAPTISM

Sunday 4th October:

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6th October (at Oakley Wood)

WILLIAM ALFRED PRATT, 3 Manor Road, Harbury, 72 yrs.

FROM HARBURY CHURCHWARDENS.

The heating is now functioning! There are one or two teething problems to be resolved but the church was warm last Sunday after some weeks of chilliness.

A reminder that **EVENSONG** now commences at 4.00 p.m. so that during the period of dark evenings people can be back at home earlier. Do try it - there are often a few seats left and it is a very nice, traditional act of worship.

Please make a note of the arrangements for the **FAREWELL** to the **RECTOR** and **JEAN**. On Sunday Nov. 29th. following the sung Eucharist at 10.30a.m., there will be a **FAITH LUNCH** commencing at 12.00 noon and for which there is a list on the table at the back of the church on which to note offers of food. At the end of the lunch presentations will be made. To round it off there will be **CHORAL EVENSONG AT 3.00 p.m.** with augmented choir.

We are extremely sorry to be losing the services of both our organists: Ken Nordon and Gordon Haynes. More on this in the Rector's Letter. In the meantime, Clive Watts has agreed to play for us on most Sunday mornings and we are investigating additional help for the occasions when Clive is unable to be here and for the evening services. If you play the organ or piano and would be prepared to play at Evensong in particular, please let Beryl or me know.

We wish Pam and David Clarke a safe and useful trip to India where they will be furthering the work they started previously.

Another reminder: the **Service of Remembrance** will be held on Sunday Nov. 8th. at 10.15am.

And a plug for the **Christmas Fair** on Saturday Dec. 5th.

Beryl and John.

HARBURY MOTHER'S UNION

Mrs Beryl Checkley gave us an interesting account of this year's Parish Holiday at our afternoon meeting. We enjoyed seeing her pictures of the beautiful scenery and hearing about the outings the party had made in and around Berchtesgaden.

At the evening meeting Mrs Bertha Kettle and Mrs Sylvia Burdett told us about planning and organising a flower festival. We had all admired the results of their hard work this year and were interested to hear about some of the problems they had successfully overcome, with such obvious enjoyment.

After Mrs Alice Wilkins' coffee morning, and the previous sales of her baking, she was able to send £200 to the Overseas Fund and £75 to the Church boiler fund.

On Wednesday, November 4th our afternoon speaker will be Mrs Barbara Hodge on Mission Brazil.

The evening speaker on Tuesday, November 17th, at 7.45pm, will be the Rev Gillian Sanderson on "The Church's Healing Ministry". We shall be very pleased to welcome anyone interested to this meeting, in the Tom Hauley Room.

C. Mary Catt

NEHEMIAH TRUST

Supporting Joanna Watson's work in Romania

Support for Joanna Watson's work in Romania has now entered its second year and fundraising efforts have made an excellent start. The supper evening in September saw in excess of 70 people attending. Joanna herself opened the evening, giving a marvellous insight into her first year's work in Braşov, Romania, and her hopes for future projects. A delicious cold buffet followed and the evening was rounded off by a most enjoyable musical entertainment. The evening raised £253.

October gave us the opportunity to have a bric-a-brac stall at the Victorian Street Fayre and despite the weather over £140 was taken.

Grateful thanks to all who participated in any way with the two events - the support and good wishes of so many have been a great morale booster to Joanna as she returns to face the harsh winter conditions and food shortages which are the way of life for all living in Romania.

On Saturday 28th November we will once again be running a stall, this time at Southam Lions Victorian Fayre in Southam. Any offers of help or contributions in the way of good bric-a-brac and item suitable for sale as Christmas gifts would be appreciated.

Gill Barber (613542) and Maureen Darby (613330)

LEAMINGTON CHRISTIAN MISSION - Helping the Homeless

On Thursday 19th November at 10am a meeting will be held at 19 Farm Street where the speaker will be Steph Devlin who, with her husband Geoff, runs the Leamington Christian Mission. They seek to assist the homeless and severely disadvantaged in Leamington by providing practical help. This includes running a nightly meal van and finding homes and providing furnishings etc.

To demonstrate our support for this amazing couple we hope for a good turnout to hear about their work and how we can help. Could each person attending bring an item of tinned food for Steph to take away with her?

Jill Winter & Elizabeth Suttie

HARBURY PARISH COUNCIL MEETING FOR SEPTEMBER 1992

Haswell's explained progress on the Sewers, assuring Cllrs that despite the Press Notices, Station Road would not be closed although HGVs and Buses would be rerouted whilst the temporary traffic lights were in action. The daytime complaints number was 614154.

Ed Wilson would discuss with Severn Trent the delay to the Affordable Homes scheme lack of sewerage was causing. The Cllrs agreed to employ a solicitor to negotiate the use of the Parish owned sewer across the Pound. By law they could be individually surcharged if they failed to maximise benefit from this village asset or sterilised the future use of this land.

Stratford gave permission for the diseased Ash at Harbury House to be felled. The Parish had no objections to plans for a porch at 63 Mill Street, or the work at Baker Thornicroft's in Chapel St.

Following a site meeting with the county it has been agreed to extend the waiting restrictions on the eastern side of Chapel St. down to the Gamecock. The Planning Officer's attention would be drawn to

the inadequate plans submitted for extra rooms in the roof of a detached house on Tom Hauley's cottage garden in Mill St. The original application had been strongly opposed on the grounds that the access was dangerous and Sharon Hancock pointed out that a larger house was likely to generate even more traffic.

Cllrs would visit 16 Vicarage Lane to see for themselves the barn attached to the Listed No. 14. Mr. Gill, who lectured them on structural engineering, wants permission for demolition and the erection of a house.

The new lighting column is up in Dovehouse Lane but is not yet lit. The contract for maintenance of village lights has transferred to the County and the Car Park lighting is now included. Work would be undertaken in the Car Park to tidy up or turf over the shrub beds. The grass area would be added to the Contractor's schedule.

Keith Thompson affirmed that the Club highly recommended the contractor who resurfaced the Tennis Courts.

Keith's survey into the state of the village footpaths was highly commended and Cllrs agreed to inspect their own area prior to recommendations to the County on action. Conducting the survey from the saddle Keith became painfully aware of a number of potholes in the road and reported them to the Clerk.

She would write to the County Highways for advice on traffic calming and ask the Police if someone was available to go into the school and give the children a talk on road safety. Cllr Hancock remembered the village once supported a Tufty Club. Someone mentioned the Jolly Green Giant but Midge Keen pointed out that was a vegetable!

Keith Thompson warned that the School Roll, now 218, was continuing to fall, but what could Cllrs do about that?

Linda Ridgley

At the last month's Parish Council Meeting the recommendations of the Finance Working Party were discussed. In addition to normal increases in expenditure we wish to provide substantial funds towards the provision of Play Equipment in conjunction with Hopscotch. As this would involve a sizeable increase in the part of the Community Charge paid to the Parish Council (although there has been no increase for the last 5 years), it was felt that the parishioners ought to be given the opportunity to make their views known. Therefore a Parish Meeting has been called for WEDNESDAY 25 NOVEMBER 1992 AT 7.30 PM to be held in the TOM HAULEY ROOM behind the Church.

HARBURY PARISH COUNCIL

HARBURY SOCIETY

Our next meeting is on Tuesday 17th November 7.30pm in the Tom Hauley Room when there will be an illustrated talk on Badgers, which everyone is welcome to attend.

Now it may appear that the Society has not been busy since the Windmill Opening, which was our last public event, but in fact rather a lot has been going on, especially in the Planning sphere.

Incredibly the Parish Council did not take up the opportunity the District Council gave them, to object to the proposed removal of THE TOP TWENTY FEET of the Yew Tree at the Mill Street/Back Lane corner.

The Society has objected on the grounds that this tree is in a prominent position, and makes an important contribution to the street scene. We have recently lost trees in a similar way at Binswood End and in Farm Street. It seems that whenever a house changes hands surveyors treat trees as a threat and order their removal. Or where new houses are built the Road Planners demand so many existing trees and shrubs are cut down, as has happened on the Pirie Close development, that the new has no chance to blend with the old.

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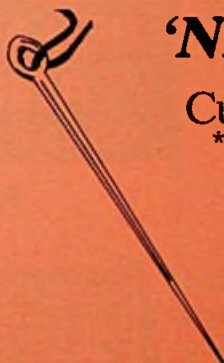


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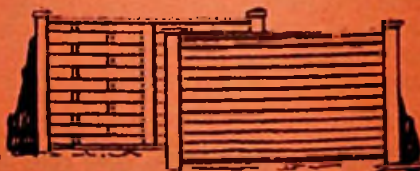
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The Society pitch at the Street Fayre made £70 and we shall take a stall at the Netball Autumn Fayre on Saturday 7th November when you will have another chance to buy our books, prints, photos and all the bric-a-brac left over from the Carnival.

A treat for those interested in our agricultural past is the Vintage Ploughing Match that has been arranged for Sunday 22nd November on Harbury Heath. This is not designed to be a public event, merely a Contest for enthusiasts, but there is nothing to stop spectators looking on.

As usual we will be trying to trick you with our Photographic Quiz at the Church Christmas Fayre on Saturday 5th December. If you think you know your village well this is your opportunity to show off and possibly win a prize.

The Parish Council seems stumped for ideas to produce Traffic Calming and so prevent accidents. The Harbury Society will be researching the problem in the next few months, but if you have any ideas please let me know.

Linda Ridgely 612792

W.I. REPORT

A suggested activity was indoor Short Mat Bowls. Well, some of us played croquet recently so we will try anything (however you play it).

Outings to Notcutts Garden Centre and Batsford Arboretum have been arranged.

The recent Group Meeting, hosted by Harbury, was held at the school and attended by W.I.s from the district. Mr Ken Aitken, a local cartoonist, gave a lighthearted talk with illustrations on his life in the R.A.F. and work in the aircraft and car industries. Special thanks to Mrs Turner who turned out on a foul evening to play the piano for us.

Our September speaker was Rev Marion Fry, a chaplain to the deaf who spoke on the Deaf in Modern Society. She and her husband trained at the Royal Association for the Deaf in London in the '50s, living in Essex, Brighton and Somerset. They then moved to Coventry, established the Coventry and Warwickshire Association for the Deaf and later the Henry Fry Centre for the Deaf where the members have their own church, theatre and even club with bar.

After her husband's death in the late '60s Rev Fry has carried on the good work raising money in many ways, one by her talks that take her all over the country and abroad. One of her visits was to the deaf school on the West Bank in Israel where Arab and Jewish children are taught together in a happy atmosphere (a lesson that the elders of the country could learn from).

She is called upon to interpret for the police, at court, dentists, doctors and hospitals and takes pensioners on holidays.

We were shown various gadgets invented to assist the deaf, to give independence and help them lead a normal life.

Jeanne Beaumont

HARBURY THEATRE GROUP

Supporters of Harbury Theatre Group may be wondering what has happened to us, and it is true that we have been a little quiet of late. Due to unforeseen circumstances the French Restaurant had to be postponed. Let me assure all our customers and potential customers for this popular event that we will be back next year.

Now events have conspired against our November Play, despite valiant efforts by our Producer and cast we have now had to take a decision to delay 'An Inspector Calls'. Circumstances are such that the cast felt they were unable to give of their best by Mid-November and we would hate to let the Village down with a poor class performance. However, they

are a good team and rehearsals are still continuing. We are now looking for a later venue, maybe outside the village, and we plan to bring this play back, in all its glory, early next year.

Finally a call from our Wardrobe Mistress: there are still a few Victorian Costumes to be returned, if you still have one can you please get it back to Lin Hayes at Corner Cottage as soon as possible.

KEITH HAYES

HARBURY FOLK CLUB

Mike Putnam took the stage for the guest spot on October 1st accompanied only by a mackerel. It should have really been a herring for the song of the same name but it didn't seem to matter - we just changed the words to suit. Mike entertained us in his own inimitable style with many of our favourites including those three Jake Thackeray classics "Leopold Locock", "Sister Josephine" and "On again, on again". But there were also a few surprises such as the monologue "Scott of East Acton" and that unmentionable round! To finish the evening, we all had a good sing with Mike's encore, the traditional shanty "South Australia".

On this occasion, the supporting singers were the Jug Band (but alas no Allan), the Harvesters, Phil & Drill (but no Big Bill), Pete & Liz, John & Moira and me. I included a song by Jez Lowe to remind everyone that this folk super-star is topping the bill at Southam School's Folk Night on November 14th, supported by local stars, the Harvesters and C.O. Jones. Tickets are available from Southam School, the PTA Committee and me.

The next Folk Club session is on November 5th which shouldn't be difficult to remember. The music starts at 8.30pm.

Peter McDonald

HARBURY SCOUTS AND GUIDES SUPPORT COMMITTEE

The Victorian Street Fayre was an enjoyable occasion (if cold!) and we raised £100 on the Chocolate Tombola. We shall dust off the drum and persuade you to try your luck at winning something at the Church Fayre in December.

Before then we will be providing the refreshments at the Village Bonfire, and the giant paddles will be brought out of hibernation to add that final touch to the tomato soup. Information about tickets appeared in last month's Harbury News.

Has anybody borrowed an "Icelandic" (patrol) tent? The Scouts and Guides found that there was one missing when Summer Camp time arrived. We should be very grateful for any information as to its whereabouts.

Jo Tancock

HARBURY NURSERY PLAYGROUP - VILLAGE HALL

We would like to thank everyone who made sweets for the Victorian Street Fayre stall and who bought books from our 'Books for Students' week. A total of £110 was raised from the two events.

Our next event will be a coffee morning at 6 South Parade, Harbury on Tues. 10th November, 10am-12.30pm. Childsplay will be presenting their toy range for Christmas, together with "bring-and-buy cakes" and a raffle. We look forward to seeing you there.

Derick Smart (Treasurer)

HARBURY PLAYGROUP - WIGHT SCHOOL

We will be holding a Coffee Morning and sale of "Offspring" children's clothes on Wednesday 25th November from 10.30am-1.00pm at 22 Farley Avenue. There will also be a raffle and sale of cakes. Do try to come along!

Pat Armitage

HOPSCOTCH

The Hopscotch Auction of Promises was a tremendous success, raising £1,936 in just 3 hours! A big thank you to everyone who made promises, joined in the bidding and of course helped to organise the event. We would like to give a special thank you to Steven Kelly who made a terrific auctioneer and to Amanda Kelly who did so much "unseen" work beforehand. Thanks also to Rob Grant for efficiently running the bar and to Jean Cox for organising the very tasty supper. From the comments and compliments we have received, everyone who came enjoyed a really good night out and many went home more than pleased with the promises they had "bought". At the time of going to press, a final total raised for the evening has yet to be calculated, but we hope it may reach £2,000!

The Auction was Hopscotch's grand finale, as regards fund-raising and we shall be concentrating our future efforts on looking at how the money raised will be spent. To this end, representatives from the Parish Council will be showing us a selection of plans which have been submitted to them from four playground equipment companies at the Hopscotch AGM on 29th October. A report on this meeting will appear in next month's Harbury News.

There will be two more Hopscotch cake stalls in the Dog Inn car park (Friday 6 November and 4 December): after these, the cake stall will be run alternately by the two village playgroups. We wish them success in their fundraising. Hopscotch would like to record their thanks to Ray and Annie at the Dog for allowing us to use their car park for the cake stall, which has been a valuable source of income for us. We are very grateful to them.

The village's support for and commitment to Hopscotch has been magnificent - by the end of the year we hope to have raised about £5,500 towards improvements at the playground. Very many thanks to all who have contributed and helped to achieve this amount.

Amanda Randall

LES BARKER AND THE MRS ACKROYD BAND

'A first for Harbury and the PTA' declared MC John Kemsley, on what turned out to be a memorable night in the village hall on Saturday 17th October.

The evening started with that Harbury super group 'The Jug Band'. Steve Dudley, of Raven fame, stood in for Brian Ingram who had a limp excuse of being on holiday. They had to revise their repertoire as Les Barker has been known to borrow Jug Band material! Anyway they did us proud.

The second half artists were June and Steve Davies all the way from Glossop. June is a very welcome and regular visitor to Harbury, and she entertained us with her wonderful singing and self penned verses, brilliantly supported by Steve on the keyboard.

How can I describe Les Barker and the Mrs Ackroyd Band? Impossible! Try asking those lucky enough to get a ticket as the house was full. The band had two brilliant singers Leslie Davies and Alison Younger, a great keyboard player Chris Harvey, and were led by Les Barker, Manchester's answer to Gary Glitter? They gave us hats, loafers, Ilkley D'amour, politics, Sun, earwigs, and much more which reduced the audience to laughter, tears and finally encores.

A few thanks. To those who bought tickets and drinks to help Harbury School PTA raise over £500. To Les Barker and the Band for generously supporting Harbury School by charging us a very reduced fee. To all the supporting artists who were magnificent. Finally, to Sue and Dean Masson who did all the hard work in getting the event together and who looked visibly drained but relieved by the end of the evening.

Doug Freeman

HEALTH MATTERS"JAB TIME"

May I remind our Senior Citizens that the 'Flu Vaccination Programme is now in full swing. Please do get your JAB. Protection in the Winter months is of paramount importance so that you may enhance your Winter health.

A full programme of vaccination and immunisation is offered to all our youngsters and we were congratulated by the Trust Board for attaining 96% protection against Diphtheria, Pertussis (Whooping Cough), Tetanus and Polio. Our Measles, Mumps, and Rubella figures too reached 91%, so well done to the Health Visitors who encourage families to complete the programmes. Jeanne M Newell

Health Care Manager Southam Clinic

HARBURY SUPPORT GROUP FOR MYTON HOSPICE

We have had a busy and profitable few events. Firstly our September plant sale raised £116.00, next our stall and plants at the Victorian Street Fayre raised £218.60, we all enjoyed ourselves and it was lovely to see so many people supporting us. Raffle prizes as follows: Cushion: Ann Hall; Whisky: Andrew Hopkins; Groceries: Mrs Wilkins; Doll: Southam 'phone number. Our Coffee Morning on October 10th was well supported and raised £105.00. Raffle prizes as follows: Groceries: Peggy Middleton; £5 M&S voucher: Lily Marshall; Plant: Vera Francis; Wine: Pip. Thanks to everyone for helping.

Our Christmas Fayre is to be held on 21st November at the Wight School. We will be selling Christmas cards and paper, bric-a-brac, handmade crafts and mince pies.

Our last event for '92 will be a Coffee Morning at Fox Cottage, Chapel Street, 10-12noon on 1st December. Plants, Christmas cards and paper, cakes etc. will be on sale.

Finally we have had a toy leopard donated to us by Dick Whatcott, this is now sitting at the Bar at the Great Western, not drinking, being raffled again, so if you see it there buy some tickets please.

May we take this opportunity to thank everyone for their support. Sorry this is early: Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year!

Phillipa Birnie & Committee

HARBURY VICTORIAN STREET FAYRE - 1992

It was too much to hope for the lovely weather we enjoyed in 1990, but we were very disappointed when the rain just kept on and on during the day. However, the true "Harbury Spirit" was shown by everyone during the setting up of the street and our optimism was rewarded when the rain eventually stopped, on cue, at 5.00pm.

The following is a resume of some of the prizes and awards:

BEST STALL - Butterflies

BEST COSTUMES - The Randall Family

RAFFLE - 1st - £50, Ticket No.0500, Gautier, Bishops
Itchington.

2nd - £30, Ticket No.4564, Leon, c/o Red
Lion, Southam.

3rd - £20, Ticket No.2452, Austin, Acre
Close, Whitnash.

4th - £10, Ticket No.1007, Mrs Chapman,
Bishops Tachbrook.

There were a further 14 raffle prizes of Spirits, wine, video tapes, chocolates, etc., all of which were very kindly donated by local people and businesses. Proceeds from the raffle were distributed as follows: £400 to Breakthrough and £180 each to Harbury Church and Senior Citizens.

Guess The Famous Face had 3 correct entries and Mrs Gosling of Northampton was the lucky winner after her name was drawn out of the hat.

The Committee would especially like to thank the following:

Tony Ceney for his, as usual, excellent role as M.C., Gemma Lymn (Carnival Queen) and Becky Robinson (Attendant) for opening the event, Gerry Bailey, our new Headmaster, for judging the costumes, and, of course, individuals, organisations, businesses, etc., who all did so much to make the Fayre such a resounding success.

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HARBURY VICTORIAN STREET FAYRE COMMITTEE

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FLOWER DEMONSTRATION IN AID OF ARTHRITIS RESEARCH

Plans are well under way for the Christmas demonstrations to be held in the Tom Hauley Room at 7.45pm on Thursday 19th November. Tickets, which include a finger buffet, are £2 each and are obtainable from Sylvia Burdett 613497, Bertha Kettle 613878, Dorothy Travis 613264 and Jo House 613892. Flower arranging "bits and pieces" etc. will be on sale and the raffle will include flower arrangements from the demonstrations. Please come and give your support to this very worthy cause, at what promises to be a most enjoyable evening.

There will be an informal meeting for everyone who has offered to help, at 36 Sutcliffe Drive at 8.00pm on Wednesday 4th November. If you would like to join us, please come along - you will be very welcome.

SYLVIA BURDETT

HARBURY HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

The first gathering for the new season was well attended. Brian Cook from Moreton Morrell gave a talk on colour in the autumn garden. He not only used the usual orange and red colours, but broadened the scope of colours with greens and purples of plants and flowers as a foil for the autumn shades. Plants turn colour because of the lower temperatures and lower light levels which autumn brings. Where a plant is sited will determine the intensity of the colour.

Many of the autumn coloured plants do not like wind, but like to be protected. Acers are associated with autumn colour and display magnificent colours when set against a backdrop of greens.

Instead of visiting the garden centres in spring Mr Cook suggested that now is the time to look for your plants and shrubs in the garden in order to see the autumn colours, which we tend to forget to do. Mr Cook displayed an abundance of plants, tree and shrub cuttings all with autumn colour, and the autumn fruits.

Our November meeting will be the A.G.M. Please think about joining the Committee. The annual subscription of £1 is now due for eight talks, one party and discounts for seeds and at garden centres. This is excellent value. If you haven't already received a seed catalogue and would like one, ring Ann Glaze (613287)

NOVEMBER IN THE GARDEN

Beds and borders should now have been tidied up or forked over. Remove dead leaves which have collected in the crowns of perennial plants such as paeonies, they attract slugs. They should also be removed from troughs and raised beds which should be given a fresh mulch of rough grit.

Plant bare rooted roses in large well prepared holes, laying the roots and stems against one side to give the roots plenty of room. Prune back tall roses by half to prevent wind rock. Water house plants sparingly using rain water for azaleas and other lime haters.

Pep up your used Grow bags with a general fertiliser and sow with winter lettuce. Keep in the greenhouse. Plant up some parsley or keep a pot on the kitchen window sill to use during the winter.

Start winter pruning of apples and pears - and if you can get onto the soggy mass, winter digging!

To encourage the tits to seek our over-wintering pests, hang up plenty of fat for them, apparently after eating that, they need the protein which aphids etc. provide - it's worth a try!

If your pond is near trees you must clean it out thoroughly after leaf fall. The debris is toxic to fish if the pond freezes over.

E.D. Zonik

Ladbroke News

LADBROKE DIARY DATES

NOVEMBER

Sun	1	ALL SAINTS' DAY - PATRONAL FESTIVAL 10.30am Family Service and Communion
Mon	2	ALL SOULS' DAY. 7.30pm Holy Communion - Requiem
Wed	4	10.30am Holy Communion
Thur	5	7.45pm Men's Society
Sat	7	BONFIRE NIGHT
Sun	8	7th Sunday before Christmas - REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY 9.00am Service of Remembrance and Communion
Wed	11	10.30am Holy Communion 2.30pm Women's Fellowship 7.30pm P.C.C. Meeting - The Old Rectory
Sat	14	W.I. Jumble Sale
Sun	15	6th Sunday before Christmas. 9am Holy Communion with Hymns, 10.30am Children's Church, 3.30pm Evensong
Wed	18	10.30am Holy Communion Parish Council Meeting
Sun	22	5th Sunday before Christmas. 9.00am Holy Communion (N.B. said)
Wed	25	10.30am Holy Communion
Sat	28	2.30pm THE CHRISTMAS FAIR in the VILLAGE HALL
Sun	29	ADVENT SUNDAY. 9am Holy Communion with Hymns
Mon	30	St. Andrew, Apostle. 7pm Holy Communion with Hymns

DECEMBER

Fri	4	A.G.M. of Friends of Ladbroke Church
Sun	6	ADVENT II. 10.30am Family Service and Communion.

CHURCH FLOWERS:

Nov 15: Mrs Edwards Nov 22: Mrs Sharples
Nov 29: Advent Sunday - No Flowers
Dec 6: No Flowers

The Wedding of JANE HOWDEN and DANIEL STEENSTRA December 5th 1992

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Canon Rowe's last day as Rector will be Monday 30th November and his last service as Rector in Ladbroke Church will be at 7.00pm that evening (St. Andrew's Day). All members of the Parish and those who look to Ladbroke as their church are encouraged to come to this service. It will be an opportunity to show the Rector how much we appreciate his years of devoted service to this community. It is hoped that members of other denominations will wish to join the Anglican congregation on this occasion.

Following the service there will be refreshments at the Old Rectory, during which Tony and Jean Rowe will be presented with their retirement gift from Ladbroke Parish.

FRIENDS OF LADBROKE CHURCH

A lovely evening on Friday, 23rd October, when 50 of us got together to enjoy a Chicken Supper, and anyone who says "Oh Chicken" should have been there to have a choice of eight chicken dishes. It was also a bitter/sweet occasion, when we were able to give the Rector and Jean two crystal wine glasses and a bottle of wine as a small Retirement present, with our love and affection.

I would remind all Friends that the AGM will be held at Ladbroke House on Friday, 4th December at 7.30pm. Do come along and give your support and bright ideas for the next twelve months.

Gwynne Badman

MEMBERSHIP
It was very good to welcome our new member Mr Christine Payne at our meeting on Wednesday 14th October.

The meeting was held at the home of Hazel Sharple - where we put Father Snow through his paces in a Any Questions session. He came through it all very well answering questions as diverse as the Election of Bishops to the behaviour of King David in the Old Testament.

Our next meeting will be at the home of Gwladys Gould and our speaker then will be Mr John Trussler on "The Cotswold Way", November 11th, 2.30pm.

Betty Winkfield

LADBROKE AND DEPPERS BRIDGE W.I.

A really good AGM on Thursday, 22nd October, with Mrs Eileen Watson guiding us through the procedure. Most encouraging to know that a goodly number of people were prepared to stand for Committee, so our next year is now assured under the leadership of President Jill Norgate, with Anne Edwards as Secretary and Helen Dowdeswell as Treasurer. Many thanks, too, to our friends from Bishops Itchington who came along to act as tellers.

At our November meeting, Mrs J Harrison will explain the intricacies of Cake Decorating, so we not come along and see what we are all about, if you are not as yet a member. It's a good monthly event I promise you.

We are holding a Jumble Sale at 10am on Saturday 14th November at Ladbroke Village Hall. Anyone with any spare jumble, bric-a-brac, etc. please contact Gabie Norgate on 812124, The Bungalow, Ladbroke House. Come one and all - we need the funds!!

Gwynne Badman

LADBROKE CHURCH

The Harvest Supper was well attended this year and a good time was had by all. Thank you to the people who made it possible and a special thank you to Clive Watts who gave us some very lively entertainment. Although this is considered a non-profit making event, there was a profit, which has been paid into the 'Ladbroke Church Restoration Fund'.

GWYNNE BADMAN

LADBROKE PARISH COUNCIL REPORT

The meeting took place on Wednesday 21st October, the Village Hall was rather chilly, not that your intrepid councillors would let that affect their deliberations!, but if you are planning to be a spectator over the winter months, I advise thermal underwear and gloves!

I digress: the new street light in Church Road is now in full working order and a letter of appreciation had been received from a resident of Ladbroke Hall. It is not often a P.C. receives a letter of appreciation and it was much appreciated!

Plans are afoot to produce an up to date copy of the Ladbroke Village Appraisal book. To make this possible local sponsorship advertising will be necessary. IF you would like to help please contact Marion Grainger or myself.

The broken gully by High House is due to be repaired and the blocked drains in Bridge Lane had been satisfactorily repaired.

Unfortunately the Parish Council had been insured with the Municipal Mutual Insurance Co. and hasty arrangements had been made to transfer the business to the Cornhill Insurance Co.

An amended Planning Application for Swan Cottage had been received and after perusal of all the plans, it was agreed that no further comments were necessary. A letter from Severn Trent had been received stating that all development in Ladbroke would cease until a new sewerage plant had been commissioned in mid-1997.

The Draft Copy of the Stratford upon Avon District Local Plan had been received. The Amendment concerning Ladbroke states that future development at Village Farm would be restricted to ten (not twenty) dwellings. due to problems of access to the mill

Geoff Timms reported on the latest Action taken by the footpath group, which was to clear the path next to the Garage. The next working party will take place on November 14th, watch the noticeboard for details.

Next Meeting Wednesday 18th November, 7.45pm in the Village Hall.

Kate Liverton

LADBROKE QUIZ NIGHT

A grand total of £300.59 was raised at the Quiz Night on Friday, October 2nd.

Mark Gilbert acted as Quiz Master, and a good number of teams meant a full house once again.

Many thanks to everyone who helped and/or gave raffle prizes. Your assistance and attendance is always appreciated.

Also, thank you to Pam Collins of Deppers Bridge, who raised over £60 from her coffee morning.

Stan Greenway
(Village Hall Committee)

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APOLOGIES

In my piece on Southam School's Awards Evening I inadvertantly omitted the names of two successful Harbury youngsters - Rebecca Robinson who won the award for Child Development, and Steven Gulliver who won the Upper School Music award. Congratulations to both of them.

M.S.H.

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Dear Editors,

We would like to thank relations, friends and neighbours for the floral tributes, cards and messages of sympathy received in the sad loss of Florence.

A special thank you to Canon Rowe for the lovely church service and to all who attended.

Yours sincerely,

Nan & George Russell

Dear Editors,

I would like to thank everyone who donated prizes and supported my Tombola stall at the Victorian Street Fayre. I am pleased to report that a cheque for £140 has been sent to the Imperial Cancer Research Fund, being the amount raised at the above.

Yours sincerely,

Julie Killian

Dear Editors,

May I through the Harbury & Ladbroke News, thank everyone who helped and supported my Mother's Union Coffee Morning. I am delighted to tell you we raised £275 of which £75 was given to the Church Heating.

Alice Wilkins

Dear Editors,

Many thanks to everyone who helped and supported the Saturday coffee morning, recently run by the Thursday Club, on a very wet morning.

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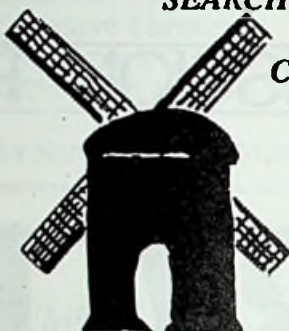
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