Enford Newsletter

What's Happening In and Around East and West Chisenbury, Compton, Coombe, Enford, Fifield, New Buildings & Newtown



July & August 2025





Wiltshire Council Where everybody matters Waste collection

Ju	ıly		Aug	just
Tues	1st	Mixed dry recycling		
Wed	2nd	Garden waste		
Thurs	10th	Household waste	Thurs	7th
Tues	15th	Mixed dry recycling	Tues	12th
Wed	16th	Garden waste	Wed	13th
Thurs	24th	Household waste	Thurs	21st
Tues	29th	Mixed dry recycling	Tues	26th

Garden waste collections are NOT LISTED on the Wiltshire Council website at the moment, so we cannot check them, but have listed them in their usual pattern.

All dates are taken from the Wiltshire Council website and are accurate to the best of our knowledge. Further information is available at <u>www.wiltshire.gov.uk/rubbish-and-recycling</u>

Rates of note in this edition... July

Every Thursday Great Bustard centre (víllage hall) Thursday 3rd ~ Hub ín the Church Sunday 6th ~ Stars Appeal; Walk for Wards

August

Thursday 7th~ Hub in the Church

Looking Forward... Saturday 25th October will be Enford Bonfire and Fireworks!

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The next Newsletter deadline is <u>Wednesday</u> <u>13th August</u>

Emails are preferred with editable attachments, Word documents, so that we can fit them into the available space. <u>enfordnewsletter@gmail.com</u>

However, they can also be given to a Committee member but all items, however they are submitted, must be with us by the deadline and signed. We will withhold the author's name if requested.

Enford Newsletter Committee reserves the right to reject or omit from publication any material that is considered by majority of Committee Members to be detrimental to any person; not in the best interests of the community as a whole or inappropriate for this medium.

Parish Council Information

Anyone wishing to contact the Clerk by telephone should use the mobile number which is 07729 526531. As the landline number no longer exists.

The email address is:

clerk@enfordparishcouncil.gov.uk

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Thoughts from Rev.

Reconnecting

Apparently, there is now a new telephone help line which will give instructions as to how to open a tin of corned beef. Step by step, we are told how to hold the can, turn the key, tip out the corned Beef on to a plate. If at any point we get confused, we can just press the # hash key.

Have you ever been in one of those telephone queues, pressing buttons to get closer to the person you're trying to speak to. For Gas, press 3, for Electricity press 4. For Customer Services, press 1, for Payments press 2. For those who are deaf in the left ear, PRESS 7. For those who are frustrated and ready to give up, press 8.

Knowing God, isn't like pressing the buttons, choosing options and then getting closer. That is man-made religion. We can't work God out. We must be open enough to allow God to be revealed to us. The initiative comes from God. In other words, to stretch the analogy, we don't telephone God, God will telephone us. We all still have a responsibility. It is for us to choose to pick the phone up, and find the God who is already there and waiting.

Returning to corned beef, I'm reminded of a year I spent living in digs in Southampton. Every week, the landlady would cook corned beef hash. I used to love hash, but the landlady's recipe for corned beef hash was better drunk through a straw, than eaten with a fork. Now, I can't go near corned beef hash, and that's a mighty shame. Perhaps you've been put off the Christian faith in the past? **Please**, give it another go. God has revealed Himself to us. The phone is ringing.....

Rev Philip Bromiley (philbromiley@gmail.com)

For more information about the Avon River Team Churches contact: The Team Office: 01980 655457 <u>www.avonriverteam.org.uk/</u> Rev. Philip Bromiley: 01980 258549 or <u>philip@avonriverteam.org.uk</u>



Enford Church Update ENFORD CHURCH SERVICES



<u>July</u>

Sunday July 6th	9:30am	Holy Communion			
Sunday July 13th	10:30am	Team Service Fittleton			
Sunday July 20th	9:30am	Breakfast Church			
Sunday July 27th	6:00pm	Evensong			
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Sunday August 3rd	9:30am	Holy Communion
Sunday August 10th	10:30am	Team service Netheravon
Sunday August 17th	9:30am	Breakfast Church
Sunday August 24th	6:00pm	Evensong
Sunday August 31st	9:30am	Holy Communion

Don't forget that if you would prefer to worship quietly in your own home, we have a short Compline Service at 8pm each Sunday...a wonderful way to end the week and set yourself up for the week ahead. Ask for the link on Facebook or email <u>avonriverteam@hotmail.com</u>





ENFORD VILLAGE HALL & RECREATION GROUND

Private Parties: The Village Hall is the perfect venue for Weddings and Special Anniversaries or Birthdays. It is also ideal for Childrens' Parties and Christenings – or any other excuse for a celebration!

Please contact Booking Officer <u>enfordvillagehall@btinternet.com</u> for information or visit the Village Hall entry on the website <u>www.enfordnewsletter.org</u>

Day	Activity	Time	Contact
Mon	Post Natal Yoga Yoga Pregnancy Yoga	10.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. 6.00 p.m. – 7.00 p.m. 7.30 p.m. – 8.45 p.m.	Marie Hanley Mob: 07871 302303 email <u>mamawaveyoga@gmail.com</u> Emma Petitt Tel: 01980 670510 <u>emma@petittbros.co.uk</u>
Tues	Enford Film Club	Film information and dates are published in the Newsletter each month.	Theresa Horsey <u>etphorsey@gmail.com</u> or <u>enfordvillagehall@btinternet.com</u>
Tues	Gardening Club	7pm - 9pm 2 nd Tuesday in the month. Full details in the Newsletter club item each month.	Steve Stringer 07899 758222 <u>steve.stringer@outlook.fr</u> Fanny Middleton Tel: 01980 671645 <u>fannysurtees@btinternet.com</u>
Tues	Parish Council	Please check PC item in newsletter each month or PC website for dates.	Parish Clerk Tel: 01980 670034 <u>clerk@enfordparishcouncil.gov.uk</u> <u>www.enfordparishcouncil.gov.uk</u>
Wed	Short Mat Bowls	7pm - 9:30pm September – April	David Spencer Tel: 01980 670526 spencersgb@yahoo.co.uk
Thur	Pilates	9am – 10am	Nicci Caswell Tel: 01980 625245 nicci@thecaswells.uk
Sat	Junior Football Club	10am– 11am Recreation Ground	Steve Todd <u>stodd@ginetiq.com</u>

Chisenbury Priory ~ Open Garden



A big thank you to all the helpers and cake bakers who made the Chisenbury Priory Open Garden teas at such a success on June 8th.

This event is a key fundraiser for much needed monies for Enford Church and this year the grand total of over £800 was raised! I think our best effort to date! Over 200 visitors came to wander through and enjoy the fascinating gardens, which showcased many different approaches, from the formal parterre to the tranquil riverside areas and the roses growing wild over the walls. The biggest thanks of all goes to **John** and **Tessa Manser** for, once again, allowing us to take over the conservatory and kitchen in order to serve our vast array of cakes!





Enford Fete 2025

Hot off the Press! First Images of the fete the on back page!

The Enford Community Fund would like to thank our brilliant volunteers, cake bakers, plant growers, the village hall, local schools - especially Netheravon and Rushall, All Saints church, Enford Parish Council and the local communities for coming together and making the event such a success. We raised over £2400, allowing the Fund to reinvest this in community projects across the parish.

Special thanks to our 50 wonderful volunteers, 14 local traders, organisations and charities and 500+ people who came along. We hope you all had as much fun as we did, despite the weather not knowing what to do with itself! Don't forget that Danella, of Wags2Whiskers will be holding the dog show at the Upavon Fete on 19 July instead, with all funds raised going to the Community Fund.

We'll have a full report in the September edition of the newsletter, and planning has started so mark **20 June 2026** in your calendar! In the meantime, please share your feedback with us via email or on Facebook. We would love to welcome other residents to help with the organisation of future events and activities - please reach out to one of the group in person, or email **EnfordFund@gmail.com**

Carolyn, Chris, Katie, Richard, Rob & Tracy

The Enford Community Fund







The following is a summary of a message distributed regarding the closure of the Swan. Importantly, this contains a link/QR code to an online form to gather information regarding how those in the village may be able to help. By the time of distribution, further updates should have been made available via social media.

Closure of The Swan, Enford.

We are sorry to have to announce here the bad news that Hannah has closed her doors at the Swan on Sunday 22 June. This is deeply disappointing for her, the staff, customers and the village in general, and it is important to all of us what happens at the Swan.

What can be done?

A big thank you to those who have asked to be added to The Swan, Enford Village WhatsApp group and to those who were able to attend the general meeting at the village hall on Friday 6th June your support and input is welcomed and appreciated.

As outlined at the Village Hall meeting, there are two main activities being undertaken to protect and keep the Swan operational:

1. Short Term - keeping the pub open/limiting closure to a minimum

2. Longer Term - Ownership & Structure going forward

This feedback and questionnaire form is being provided as a first step to gain your input along with if you are able to physically support the operation of the Swan in the short term and whether you would be interested in financially supporting in the long term.

As said in the meeting, plans are in the formative stage and will evolve, so this is not definitive, nor last chance to be involved. This is especially true for the longer term ownership, so what this could look like cannot be definitively stated at this stage.

You can access the questionnaire using the QR code below, or by through the link also printed below.



https://docs.google.com/forms/d/ e/1FAIpQLSeh6ZOgUwGAcODUtAJ-3kUgaODZba3WRLIrZbPrcuSRY962oA/ viewform



A brief Overview of the content of the online questionnaire

THOUGHTS & IDEAS

This section allows you to say anything, from a simple comment through to a more refined idea but please keep responses brief in the first instance.

INTERIM RUNNING OF THE SWAN - DRINKS ONLY

The tasks listed are volunteer activities and may last for a number of weeks / months. Bar staff work will include changing barrels, cleaning lines, general clean-

INTERIM RUNNING OF THE SWAN - FOOD

In the early stages it is not the intention to have a food offering, but this could change depending upon feedback.

COMMUNICATIONS

There is a need to revamp and maintain the Swan website. There is also a need to operate both Facebook and Instagram for marketing / announcements.

FUTURE FUNDING INTEREST

In the longer term there may exist opportunities to invest in the Swan to support its existence as a pub and community asset. It must be stressed that various plans and options are only just being formulated, therefore no financial information can be provided.



Dear Friends and Followers of The Swan Enford,

We are all aware that Hannah has, sadly, left us on the 22nd of June. I think we can all agree that she revitalised our pub at a time when it was needed and we thank her for the work and effort she put into it.

However, while The Swan will need to close temporarily, it most certainly will not be for the final time. Some very hard work is being done, voluntarily, to ensure the doors will re-open and that the pub will continue to operate, if in a limited fashion, until such time as a new tenant can be found. As things currently stand, and if all goes well, we are hopeful of being able to re-open The Swan as a drinks only pub by the start of August.

Many thanks to all who attended the meeting in the village hall and to those who have already kindly offered to help. For those who wish to do so, please could you follow the link to our online form and let us know how you are able to help. This would be greatly appreciated. Please bear with us during this transitional time and rest assured, we are doing everything in our power to ensure The Swan's future success. We just ask for your continued support and stay tuned for further updates in regards to opening hours, etc.

Sincerely,

Enford Village and Parish, and The Swan



Enford's Second World War -Resílience, Resistance and Service

Part 2 Jon Cresswell: Royal Artillery Historical Society

While this brief and very British summary captures the successes of the conflict, tragedy, disaster and humiliation were never far away from the loss of Tobruk, Hong Kong and Singapore, the loss of Royal Oak, Hood and so many more naval and merchant ships.

For the British people, the social impact of these years of fear, restriction and uncertainty was significant. The Emergency Powers Act imposed a draconian legal framework, gas masks and helmets had to be carried, rationing restricted diets, licensing laws were curtailed, the press was censored, major sports matches and other assemblies were prohibited as was industrial action by trade unions. Income tax rose to unprecedented levels in a command economy where up to 52% of the nation's expenditure went on the war effort. The war debt was not paid off until well into this century. National Service meant that one in four working men served in the armed forces with a range of supporting auxiliary services for both men and women including the Home Guard of over a million volunteer soldiers. If the Great War changed the organisation of the country, it is the Second World War that defines the nation's character to this day. Even the English language changed as wartime vocabulary embedded itself into daily life. VE Day celebrates the release from the restrictions of the war, the end of the dreaded telegram informing a family of the loss of a loved one overseas and the unity and values that enabled victory. The end of the war would also herald the return of prisoners of war held by former adversaries. The subsequent General Election returned a Labour administration under Clement Atlee, Churchill's Deputy Prime Minister in the wartime coalition government, and the reward to the victorious British people was the Welfare state and the National Health Service.

This is the backdrop to Enford's War. Men from the village served in Wiltshire's 15,000 strong Home Guard, belonging to the Netheravon Platoon as part of A Company, 6th Battalion based out of Pewsey. The blackout would have been enforced by the village's Air Raid Wardens and even the scouts and guides had a war role. Being in the countryside and an agricultural area, rationing would not have impacted to the same extent as in the towns and cities. The village war memorial pays tribute to those who answered their country's call and Fell in her service. Their names and service show that Enford's war was truly global. Of the 19 names, there are villagers who Fell in France and Northwest Europe, Thailand (Siam and Burma Railway), Burma, North Africa, Singapore, on the Home Front in the United Kingdom and at sea.

Their names are listed in alphabetical order which is important; there is no rank or other social distinction, all are equal. There are at least two families who lost more than one son: a truly devastating blow. This short piece of research into Enford's part in the Second World War has not researched those who returned safely to the village, on the basis that the Fallen represent a small percentage of those who served, Enford should be proud of a remarkable record of service and sacrifice. So the 80th anniversary of victory in Europe once again proves worthy of both commemoration and celebration.

The Enford Roll of Honour

(with name, rank, regiment and CWGC cemetery / memorial)

Michael Arnold, Lieutenant, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, Beuvry, France. Frederick Bird, Warrant Officer II, Royal Army Service Corps, Kanchanaburi, Thailand. Henry Bird, Private, The Buffs, Sfax, Tunisia. Edward Burke, Bombardier, Royal Artillery, Figheldean. Joseph Burke, Warrant Officer 1 (RSM), Royal Artillery, St Charles de Percy, France. Hubert Dark, Stoker 1st Class, Royal Navy, on HMS Whitaker (Plymouth Naval Memorial). Albert Dobson, Leading Stoker, Royal Navy, HMS Dunedin (Portsmouth Naval Memorial). Victor Fay, Sergeant, The Parachute Regiment, Ranville, France. Gerald Ford MC. Lieutenant Colonel South Lancashire Regiment – Reichswald Forest, Germany. John Foster, Lance Corporal, Lincolnshire Regiment, Overloon, The Netherlands. Christopher Gray, Sapper, Royal Engineers, Sai Wan Memorial, Hong Kong. Frances Holmes, Private, Auxiliary Territorial Service, Enford. Frederick Johnson, Private, Wiltshire Regiment, Grossbeek Memorial, Netherlands. Frederick Macklin, Private, Royal Norfolk Regiment, Burma. Walter Sparey, Trooper, King's Royal Irish Hussars, Knightsbridge, Libya. George Spreadbury, Trooper, Royal Wiltshire Yeomanry, Assisi, Italy. Ernest Worsdell, Gunner, Royal Artillery, Singapore. Herbert Worsdell, Sergeant, Wiltshire Regiment, Brookwood Memorial (Killed in Action at Algiers). Leslie Worsdell, Rank not recorded, Royal Wiltshire Yeomanry, Enford.

We may not know them all ~ but we owe them all



GREAT BUSTARD GROUP



Patron: HM King Charles III



The lek is over, but the males are displaying, as individuals rather than as a competitive group. The females are now hard to find, either with chicks or still incubating. Those still incubating are likely to be sitting on a second or replacement clutch of eggs. Crows take Bustard eggs, and others may abandon nests due to disturbance by agricultural activity, or as often happens with

ground nesting birds, from the attention of free ranging dogs.

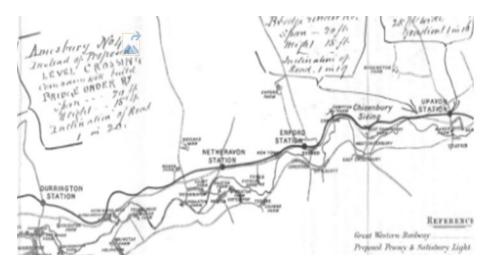
The centre is open to everyone on Thursday afternoons from 1.30 to 4pm if you wish to visit. It would be great to be open it at other times. If volunteering for a few hours a week appeals, please get in touch. Training will be given but it is nothing too demanding.

Though the Enford area is the heart of the Great Bustard population, the species is now established elsewhere across the county. This year for the first time we found nests inside the Cranborne Chase National Landscape – the first for hundreds of years.



The eggs are vulnerable to predation from Crows. Like all ground nesting birds, the threat from dogs off leads is serious during the nesting season..

The Avon Valley Railway Line

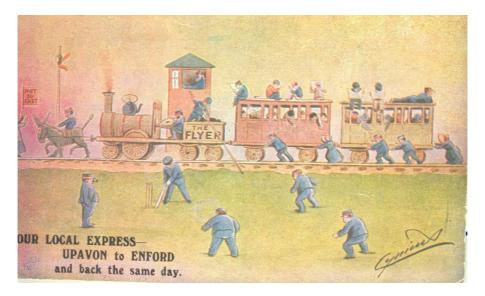


The ordinary people of the Woodford Valley welcomed the prospect of being put in closer touch with the amenities of Salisbury, and those in Amesbury. Road usage at that time was at its lowest ebb, not even the bicycle being then in use, so working people were used to walking long distances into Salisbury and carrying back their purchases along roads that were often no more than dusty or muddy tracks.

The gentry, however, were against the railway. They each had their own stables which provided for them to reach an existing station or to make their social calls on each other, the custom in those days. What is more important for us today was that the gentry realised the beauty of the Woodford Valley and wished to preserve it from the commercialisation which they feared would follow the development of a railway line. In other parts of the country those with estates were cashing in on developing their land wherever a line had been opened and so we should be grateful for them preserving the amenity of the valley, for it was their view which succeeded in keeping the project in abeyance in the 1880's.

On 7 October a resolution was passed by the City of New Sarum Council, that stated "the opinion of the Council was that the proposed railway would be of great benefit to Salisbury, also linking north and south Wiltshire".

Advertisement for the Proposed Railway



The proposed route was to be as follows. The present A303 was to be crossed by level crossing at a station called 'Stonehenge and Amesbury' which was to be situated at what is now West Amesbury but which was then called Little Amesbury, The station for Upper Woodford was to be called 'Durnford'. There were stations proposed at both Upavon and Enford, with sidings to service East Chisenbury.

At this juncture the War Office began to object to the Woodford line which would, they said, cut right through their territory north of Amesbury. It is difficult to realise today the general absence of the Army on Salisbury Plain. Its presence, from the period in question, became a dominant influence in the district and, led by Sir Redvers Buller representing the War Office, prevailed in building the rival line off the Waterloo line across the valley. So, Paddington lost and the pegs and footings in the fields marking the proposed Woodford line rotted away or were removed.

If the north-south Woodford line had been built, what would have been the effect on the Woodford valley? Would it have remained a beauty spot for Salisbury people to picnic or fish? Would the landowners and monied persons have resisted building or factory development which would have brought them financial gain? Would the War Office have sited its army camps and garrisons along the Woodford valley, which would have been the major line of access?

Recipe of the Month: Courgette Tart With Lemon and Thyme Ricotta

PASTRY:

(Or a ready made pastry case) 150g plain flour and salt

75g lard

75g butter

FILLING:

250g ricotta cheese Leaves from 6 thyme sprigs

2-3 courgettes, (depending on size) 1/2 tsp chilli flakes

2 cloves of garlic, grated

1 tbsp runny honey

Juice of 1 lemon & equal amount of olive oil Zest of 1 lemon

Method

Preheat your oven to 200/gas 6 (use the top oven of the AGA).

To make the pastry, put the flour, some salt, the butter and lard in the mixer and blitz briefly to break up the fat. Add JUST enough water to bring it together (about 50ml).

Put onto a floured work surface and roll out to fit an 8/9 inch loose base flan tin. Put into the fridge for 30 minutes to chill. Fill the pastry case with baking parchment and baking beans and put into the top oven with the cold shelf above it for about 15-20 minutes, remove the paper and put back in for another 15-20 minutes to cook through.

For the filling, put the ricotta into a bowl with salt and pepper, lemon zest, chilli, garlic, thyme and honey. Mix and spread over the bottom of the cooked and cooled pastry case.

Slice your courgettes into discs approx the depth of a pound coin, mix these briefly in a bowl with some salt and pepper and then lay them over the top of the ricotta slightly overlapping. Mix the lemon juice with the olive oil and brush this liberally over the courgettes, dot with a few sprigs of thyme.

Return to hot oven for 20-30mins until the courgettes are cooked and slightly browned. Remove from the tin and serve warm or cold with salads.

Don't serve hot from the oven as the ricotta will be too runny!



Dog Mess around our Villages

Dog mess is the most unacceptable and offensive type of litter on our streets. Research says dog fouling is an issue the public are concerned about. Dog fouling is not only unpleasant, it is dangerous. Though rare, contact can cause toxocariasis – a nasty infection that can lead to dizziness, nausea, asthma, even blindness or seizures. It's no wonder dog fouling is such a problem – there are estimated to be 8 million dogs producing 1,000 tonnes of mess daily in the UK.

While most dog owners are responsible individuals, there are still people who do not clean up after their pets. Anyone who fails to clear up after their dog can be issued with a Fixed Penalty Notice of up to £100. If the case goes to court this could cost the owner or person in charge of the animal up to \pounds 1,000. The law is clear that being unaware a dog has fouled or not having a suitable bag is not a reasonable excuse.

Most councils provide dedicated dog-fouling bins, but any public bin can be used. There is no excuse to leave it.

Please keep our villages clean & free of dog's mess.



Join over 1,000 people at Stars Appeal's 20th Walk for Wards The Stars Appeal, Salisbury Hospital's Charity, are celebrating that over 1,000 people have already signed up for their 20th Walk for Wards at

Wilton House this July, and are asking more walkers to join them.

Walk for Wards takes place on **Sunday**, **July 6th** and participants can walk 3k, 5k, 10k or the new 15k route to say thank you to a ward or department at Salisbury Hospital that has cared for them or their family, or to celebrate the memory of a loved one.

It is free to enter the sponsored walk and lunch is provided. All are welcome to enjoy Wilton House grounds and live music afterwards.

Stars Appeal Ambassador, Consultant Surgeon Graham Branagan said: "We are thrilled that we have 1,000 people signed up. But we need more to hit our 2,000 walker target to ensure we can raise as much as possible".

Walk for Wards is held by kind permission of Stars Appeal President **Lord Pembroke and Lady Pembroke,** sponsored by Salisbury Reds, with support from Wilton and Salisbury Rotary Clubs who marshal the event, and many other local people and organisations.

Register for free at <u>www.starsappeal.org.uk</u> or call the Stars Appeal office on **01722 429005**



THE ENFORD COMMUNITY FUND

The Enford Community Fund is a not-for-profit community organisation managed by a small group of local volunteers who organise activities and events across the parish and make donations to benefit the wider community.

Funding is available to support projects and events in the Parish of Enford (which includes Compton, Coombe, East and West Chisenbury, Fifield, New Buildings and Newtown). Applications for awards must be made in writing, by email, to <u>EnfordFund@gmail.com</u> or by letter to one of the group members (Carolyn Ansell, Katie Briscoe, Tracy Buttery, Rob Hibberd, Richard Petitt, Chris Rose).

The following guidelines will be followed in allocating funds:

1. Submissions will be considered at the next scheduled meeting and within 3 months of the request being submitted.

2. Funding will be made for individual projects and is not designed to allow awardees to become reliant on the award on an annual/regular basis.

- 3. Awards are made to causes benefitting the community, not specific individuals.
- 4. No awards will exceed £1,000 in total.
- 5. For any award to be made, there must be agreement by 75% of the group.

ENFORD PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS 2025

www.enfordparishcouncil.gov.uk

ALL MEETINGS ARE AT ENFORD VILLAGE HALL

Day	Date	Time	Meeting
Tuesday	1st July	7:30pm	Parish Council Meeting
Tuesday	2nd September	7:30pm	Parish Council Meeting
Tuesday	4th November	7:30pm	Parish Council Meeting
Tuesday	25th November	7:30pm	Precept Meeting
Tuesday	2nd December	7:30	Parish Council Meeting
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OPEN: WED - SAT

10.00 - 4.00

OLD FORD COURT, HIGH ST, PEWSEY SN9 5AQ

Profits donated to local charities; Interested in helping? - Pop in to get a volunteer form.

Mobile Library Services

Dates and times of all mobile library stops are available online via the website Libraries - Wiltshire Council and printed timetables from the

Love Reading, Love Libraries

Then on these dates at the same time.

Friday 25th July Friday 22nd August Friday September Friday October mobile library. We look forward to seeing all our customers when we next visit you.
Next due in Enford on Friday
25th July at 3:25pm for 20 minutes

If you've never used the mobile library before it's free to join and you can use your membership card in any Wiltshire Library or online to access free eBooks and magazines.

Netheravon Library

Open Monday and Thursday 1pm - 5pm.

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	g a fly-tipper you could get a gift voucher of up to of a Fixed Penalty Notice or a successful prosecution.			
Swindon Domestic Abuse Support Service 24 hours 7 days a week 365 days a year If you are worried about your situation, you can call them in confidence and speak to a real person, not a machine - 01793 610610. https://swadomesticabuse.org/				
is independent from the police and you don't have to report a crime to the police to get our help. You can contact us at any time, regardless of how long ago the crime happened. Call us free on <u>0808 281 0113</u> or <u>08 08 16 89 111</u> Email us via the link on the website <u>victimsupport.org.uk/resources/Wiltshire/</u> where you will find all the ways you can contact us.				

Wiltshire and Swindon

In recent years, my office has worked to improve transparency and engagement between police and public I've advocated for better informed communities. That's why I want to highlight some key tools

available on both the OPCC and Wiltshire Police websites, starting with the '**Your Area'** section of the Wiltshire Police homepage.

This platform allows you to input your postcode to act as a window into your neighbourhood's policing activity by showing up to date local crime stats. We know a visible police presence matters to communities, and we have recently invested in two new mobile police stations to make policing services accessible, even in the most rural of areas. You will soon be able to find upcoming dates and locations of these mobile police stations, as well as a list of police station opening times and your Neighbourhood Policing Team officers.

Another useful digital tool is the **Street Safe** page. This is a service that allows you to report safety concerns in public places anonymously. On the **OPCC** website you can find my latest Police and Crime Plan, developed after public consultation with both local, regional and national input.

I encourage all residents to explore these tools and webpages, bookmark them, and use them to stay informed and engaged with policing in your communities.





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