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**Cassington and Worton News**

# Cassington War memorials

Back in the October 2018 there was a front page article in this publication regarding George and William Walker of Cassington who lost their lives in the Great War 1914-18. The research for that article undertaken by David P. Whithorn. Space has not permitted follow-up information to that article being published till now.

Cassington has two war memorials, one inside the church and the other on the Green. The listings on each are not quite the same, specifically the three Paget brothers (sons of the Minister at Cassington) are only recorded on the one on the Green. Mr Whithorn suspects these three were added at the time of the construction of the village green memorial both as a tribute to them (though they may not have had a connection with the village themselves) but more to their father who served the village in his ministry.

There may be some 'errors' on the village green memorial regarding the initials of some of the soldiers listed here. The information Mr Whithorn has only comes from a transcription of the memorials. All three Paget brothers' initials appear to be incorrect and others seem to have 'middle' initials missing.

Mr Whithorn believes there are two soldiers from Cassington who fell 1914-18 who have not been commemorated on either war memorial, though they came from Cassington. Such a discovery today is more common than you might think...

There were no government computer printouts of the 'local war dead' in 1919 for communities to construct their war memorials.

Lists were compiled at the time from 'best effort'. Usually the church minister kept an unofficial record of the families he would have likely visited during the war to bring what comfort he could to grieving relatives. After the war, notices would have been placed in Parish magazines etc inviting relatives to submit names of the fallen for inclusion. It would take a very hard heart indeed to turn anyone away who had submitted a name for a 'good' reason - even those who may have moved to the village ca.1919 from elsewhere, their sons having been killed in the war and having come from a different location. The MAIN problem here in ca. 1920 were families from the Cassington locality who had moved away, had lost family in the war, but hadn't heard about the construction of a war memorial and the request for suitable names to be included...

This would seem to be the case for these two soldiers a) Ernest William Betterage was born in Cassington, but the Betterage family had moved to Gloucestershire and b) William Isaac Edginton was also born in Cassington, but the family had moved to Bucklington, there were still 'Edgingtons' in Cassington as it looks as if William Isaac and Herbert James Cassington (on the war memorial) were related. You can also see for Ernest Taylor, he too was born in Cassington but the family had moved to Hampshire - as his name is on the Cassington War Memorials, it is evident the family must have heard about the construction of the Cassington memorial from a friend and ensured their son was included.

Apologies for the small print of the table below. An Excel spreadsheet of this detail can be shared with those interested. Contact the Parish Clerk in the first instance.

Cassington, Oxon														
OWGC id	Number	Rank	Forename(s)	Surname	Initials	Date of death	Age	Unit/ship/squadron	Regiment	Born	Enlisted	Country	Cemetery memorial	Additional information
<b>1914-18</b>														
<i>././ denotes information as recorded on internet sources from original memorial inscription</i>														
393252	'5260'	Company Sergeant Major	GEORGE	ANDERSON	G	23/11/1918	33	3rd Bn.	Coldstream Guards			United Kingdom	CASSINGTON (ST. PETER) CHURCHYARD	Son of the late John and Ellen Anderson, husband of Annie Anderson, of Cassington
294729	'29968'	Lance Corporal	WILLIAM GEORGE	ASH	W G	11/05/1917	27	2nd Bn.	Royal Warwickshire Regiment	Oxford	Oxford	France	ACHET-LE-GRAND COMMUNAL CEMETERY EXTENSION	Son of Thomas and Mary Ash, of Oxford; husband of Emily L. Ash, of The Court, Cassington, Oxford.
1648845	'17160'	Lance Corporal	ERNEST WILLIAM	BETTERAGE	E W	06/02/1917	20	9th Bn.	Gloucestershire Regiment	Cassington, Oxon	Cheltenham	France	DOVRAN MEMORIAL	Son of Edson and Heleno Betterage, Temple Guiting, Gloucestershire
589999	'265573'	Private	HERBERT JAMES	EDGINGTON	H J	05/04/1918	26	8th Bn.	Somerset Light Infantry	Cassington, Oxon	Sherborne, Dorset	France	GOMMECOURT BRITISH CEMETERY NO.2, HEBUTERNE	Son of Mrs. Eliza Edgington, of The Court, Cassington, Oxford.
1611153	'18291'	Private	WILLIAM ISAAC	EDGINGTON	W I	25/09/1915	22	5th Bn.	Oxford and Bucks Light Infantry	Cassington, Oxon	Oxford	France	YPRES (MENIN GATE) MEMORIAL	Son of Mr and Mrs Isaac William Edgington, Mill Cottage, Bucklington, Oxon
785386	'25966'	Private	HORATIO	HARPER	H	03/05/1917	34	5th Bn.	Oxford and Bucks Light Infantry	Eynsham, Oxon	Oxford	France	ARRAS MEMORIAL	Son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Harper; husband of Eliza Harper, of 20, Observatory St., Oxford.
159709	'10739'	Private	WILLIAM GEORGE	NEWMAN	W G	26/04/1916	24	1st Bn.	West Yorkshire Regiment (Prince of Wales's Own)	Woodstock, Oxon	York	Belgium	ESSEX FARM CEMETERY	Son of George and Charlotte Newman, of The Green, Cassington, Oxford.
3053324	'K/11856'	Stoker 1st Class	ROBERT	NEWMAN	R	09/01/1917	39	H.M.S. "Cornwallis."	Royal Navy			United Kingdom	CHATHAM NAVAL MEMORIAL	Son of George and Charlotte Newman, of The Green, Cassington, Eynsham, Oxford.
918783	'27802'	Private	JAMES JOHN	NEWMAN	J J	04/08/1917	22	8th Bn.	Somerset Light Infantry	Woodstock, Oxon	Oxford	Belgium	YPRES (MENIN GATE) MEMORIAL	Son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Newman, of Cassington, Eynsham, Oxford.
393253	'154029'	Sapper	HARRY EDWARD	OSBORNE	H E	01/12/1918	39	76th Field Coy.	Royal Engineers			United Kingdom	CHATHAM NAVAL MEMORIAL	Son of Edward and Sarah Osborne, of Osborne Cottage, Cassington.
807858	'SP/3498'	Private	FRANCIS AUSTIN ELLIOTT	PAGET	[F A G] F A E	31/07/1916	22	24th Bn.	London Regt. Royal Fusiliers	Sturminster Newton	Dorchester	France	THEVAL MEMORIAL	Third son of the Rev. Cecil George Paget and Innes Elizabeth Paget, of 70, Woodstock Rd., Oxford. [1911 Census]
568945	-	Captain	JOHN CHRISTOPHER	PAGET	[J A] J C	26/04/1917	22	157th Siege Bty.	Royal Garrison Artillery			France	MORY ABBEY MILITARY CEMETERY, MORY	Third son of the Rev. Cecil George Paget and Innes Elizabeth Paget, of 70, Woodstock Rd., Oxford. [1911 Census]
477910	-	Second Lieutenant	MICHAEL THEODORE	PAGET	[M J] M T	17/08/1917	3rd Bn.		Lancashire Fusiliers			Belgium	SANCTUARY WOOD CEMETERY	Son of the Rev. Cecil George Paget and Innes Elizabeth Paget, of 70, Woodstock Rd., Oxford. [1911 Census]
476986	'36884'	Private	ALBAN	PRITCHETT	A	30/11/1918	14	1st/6th Bn.	Essex Regiment	Cassington, Oxon	Oxford	Egypt	ALEXANDRIA (HADRA) WAR MEMORIAL CEMETERY	Son of Sarah Pritchett, of Cassington, Oxford
915811	'17774'	Private	ERNEST	TAYLOR	E	12/01/1916	37	5th Bn.	Oxford and Bucks Light Infantry	Cassington, Oxon	Oxford	Belgium	YPRES (MENIN GATE) MEMORIAL	Son of William Taylor, of Cassington, Eynsham, Oxon, husband of Beatrice Henrietta Gray (formerly Taylor), of Middle Barn Cottage, Salfham, Peterworth, Sussex.
818446	'201381'	Private	GEORGE	WALKER	G	28/04/1917	22	2nd/4th Bn.	Oxford and Bucks Light Infantry			France	THEVAL MEMORIAL	Son of Mrs. Walker, of Church House, Cassington, Oxon, and the late Alfred Walker.
736502	'44483'	Private	WILLIAM THOMAS	WALKER	W T	25/04/1918	2nd/5th Bn.		Gloucestershire Regiment	Eynsham, Oxon	Oxford	France	LOOS MEMORIAL	Son of Mrs. Walker, of Church House, Cassington, Oxon, and the late Alfred Walker.
875721	'29997'	Lance Corporal	PERCIVAL CHARLES	WOODLEY	[P] P C	09/10/1917	2nd Bn.		Royal Warwickshire Regiment	St Ebbes, Oxford	Oxford	Belgium	TYNE COT MEMORIAL	Husband of Mary Elizabeth Woodley, 4 New St St Ebbes, Oxford [1911 Census]
<b>1939-45</b>														
2807682	'5387620'	Corporal	ARTHUR DOUGLAS FOCH	SIMPSON	A D F	10/06/1945	26		Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers/East African REME			India	RANCHI WAR CEMETERY	Son of George Frederick and Cicely Maud Simpson, of Cassington, Oxfordshire.
1716815	'2663299'	Lance Sergeant	THOMAS WILLIAM	PEACOCK	[T] T W	23/04/1945	32	2nd Bn.	Coldstream Guards			Italy	ARGENTIA GAP WAR CEMETERY	Son of Albert Edward and Agnes Peacock, husband of Alice Mary Peacock, of Bampton, Oxfordshire.
2495705	'P/KX/99318'	Stoker 1st Class	DESMOND CHARLES	PUTT	[D] D C	17/12/1940	22	H.M.S. Acheron	Royal Navy			United Kingdom	PORTSMOUTH NAVAL MEMORIAL	Son of Emily Adelaide Sarah Putt, of Woodstock, Oxfordshire.

Contributions should be provided by 20th of the month. Email submissions (in the body or as a Word attachment) to: [cawneditor@glam.ac.uk](mailto:cawneditor@glam.ac.uk). Photographs should be supplied as separate attachments, not placed in the Word file. Typed or clearly handwritten submissions may be posted to: Anne Luttmann-Johnson, 3 Foxwell Court, Cassington, OX29 4DW. We look forward to hearing from you.

welcome

Kevin's CAWNer



*Thank you for the opportunity to be Editor for the last 4 years - it's been an education!! I look forward to reading future editions unaware of the content and the debate behind the articles.*

*To Anne, all the very best for the future. Please don't be scared of change - remember, if you always do what you have always done, you will always get, what you always got.*

Happy reading - stay safe and well

Kevin

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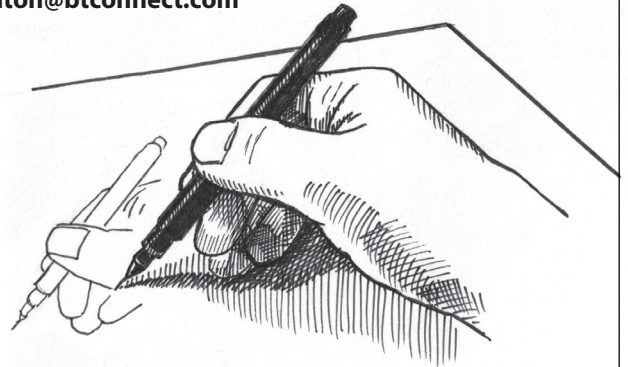
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## September stargazing highlights

### Sep 2: Full Corn Moon

This Full Moon is named after the plentiful corn harvested in many parts of the Northern Hemisphere around this time of the year.

### Sep 17: New Moon

A New Moon in the sky means no moonlight to hinder your view of stars and planets.

### Sep 22: September Equinox

Also known as the autumnal (fall) equinox in the Northern Hemisphere, the September Equinox is considered by many as the first day of fall.

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By Fliss Pusey, Manager

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## Jobless doesn't mean worthless

It is clear that in the next months a large number of people will lose their jobs due to the pandemic, either because of companies going bust, or they are made redundant because employers can no longer afford to keep them on. Two close relatives of my wife and I have been made redundant in the last few weeks. Fortunately one was able to find another similar job immediately. However, the other relative has not yet found a new job.

Losing your job can make you feel worthless. Some years ago I was unexpectedly made redundant from my job with a local charity (having left teaching a few years before). The charity was going through a difficult time financially and maybe I should have seen it coming – but I didn't and it hurt!

“Redundant” is a hard word implying that you have no worth. It can bring on feelings of guilt and of being ashamed – feeling like you are rubbish. I think that this may be particularly true for older men who may have seen their personal worth tied up with their job and their role as provider for the family.

The good news is that being jobless does not mean you are worthless. “Unemployed” does not mean unworthy! In the

bible accounts Jesus has time for all - for the total outcasts, the lepers, the poor and the lost. In Jesus' life and death he showed God's great love – we are all worth saving, even at great cost.

A helpful bible passage that I found when you find yourself doubting your personal worth is Matthew 10:29-31. (If you have a Jubilee New Testament that we gave out to the village in 2012 then it's on page 12.)

Jesus says, “29 Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground outside your Father's care. 30 And even the very hairs of your head are all numbered. 31 So don't be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows.”

The comment about “hairs on the head being numbered” often causes a smile when preached by a balding minister! But the point is that you are known and valued completely as you are. Your personal worth is not based on your wealth, your physical ability, your intellect, your body shape or skin colour - and certainly not your job or lack of one – You are worth “many sparrows”. No person is worthless.

**Revd Roger Aston**

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## 2020 – A Year to Remember?

No one is likely to forget the year 2020. Hopefully it will be remembered not just for all the hardships and fears but also for some positives, such as the rediscovery of nature's beauty; the quiet roads; the value of community; and the slower pace of life.

Looking forward to 2030, I wonder how the decade will be remembered?

Will we still be talking about economic growth, air pollution, traffic congestion, weird weather events? Or a brighter, safer future for our children and grandchildren? In 2019 Cassington Parish Council declared a 'climate emergency'. The trouble with an emergency is that it doesn't just disappear because our focus is on the pandemic. The government talks of the necessity of rebooting the economy and getting people back to work. But what kind of economy – one based on need rather than consumerism – based on fossil fuels rather than renewable energy – based on maximizing

profits or reducing poverty?

Now is a pivotal time for us all to take stock and think what kind of future we want. As schools reopen let's consider the future that will face those schoolchildren in 2030. The United Nations Inter-Governmental Panel on Climate Change warned in 2018 that 'in order to avoid really bad outcomes, the world needed to be on a realistic path toward a carbon-free economy by 2030.'

It is understandable, out of fear or despair, to want to pretend that none of this is happening but it can be more productive to take action. This could be by supporting a campaign group such as the Youth Strikes or Extinction Rebellion, or by making changes in how you live, by, for example, eating less meat or walking more. Remember in 2030 you might be asked 'What did you do in response to the climate emergency?'

**Helena Nielsen**



**St Peter's C.E. Primary School**



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### SEPTEMBER 2020

The church is open for individuals' private prayer daily.

There are clear instructions regarding the use of the church including permitted areas, and hand sanitizer is provided for everyone using the church.

We will begin to gather physically again gradually over the next few months.  
See website for details as they develop.

Services are available every Sunday at 10.30am at  
[www.stpeterschurchcassington.org](http://www.stpeterschurchcassington.org) or [www.stleonardseynsham.org.uk](http://www.stleonardseynsham.org.uk)  
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A phone line where anyone can phone in at any time to listen to our latest services  
is available on **01865 965018**.

There are no additional charges for those who phone in.

St Peter's church continues to pray for the community of Cassington at this difficult  
time. Also please know that the clergy are still available at the end of the phone  
(or by email) for any pastoral concerns and/or issues for prayer.

If you have particular spiritual needs feel free to contact:  
*The Vicar – Revd Duncan Fraser Tel: 07810 324088 or*  
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There are also resources on the Church of England web site:  
<https://www.churchofengland.org/>

#### **Donations to local food banks via St Peter's Church Cassington**

With the current situation there are an increasing number of people relying on food banks and fewer donations coming in to stock them. Please donate non-perishable foods to our local food banks by placing them in the plastic box in St Peter's Church Cassington. There is some hand sanitizer for you to use when making donations. If you prefer to make a financial donation please search online for Eynsham Food Bank and North Oxfordshire Food Bank.

*Thank you, Roger & Jane Aston.*

#### **Neighbour in need?**

**Do you know of anyone (or yourself) who might welcome some help from Eynsham Food Bank? If so please contact Bob Thiele 07738063083 (Eynsham) or Roger Aston 01865 880757 (Cassington)**

**BLLENHEIM**



## An update from us...

Last month we welcomed researchers from The University of Oxford onto the Estate to study the sounds of nature in order to measure biodiversity, as part of a nationwide study into the potential benefits of green spaces for health and wellbeing.

Rowing boats are now available to hire on the Lake until the end of September. Set sail from the river bank and enjoy the idyllic setting of the river. You will have the opportunity to see the Palace, the Grand Bridge and the gardens like never before.

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The Bloodwise Blenheim Palace Triathlon returns this year from 12th – 13th September. **The site will be open only to competitors and spectators**, this is due to social distancing restrictions. Each participant will be permitted to bring one spectator with them on the day.

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# North Leigh Roman Villa

## Final Mosaics Opening of 2020

### 12 & 13 September - FREE

The mosaic house of North Leigh Roman Villa will be open for the final time this year: 11am to 4:30pm, Saturday and Sunday September 12 and 13.

Our first opening in August attracted over 300 visitors, in a safe socially-distanced fashion, under blue skies and a hot summer sun.

Safety is a paramount concern, face masks must be worn inside the mosaic house. Free timed tickets for the mosaics are only issued on site, on the day. There was no crowding on our first August weekend, but if you would prefer a quieter time consider 1:30 – 2:30 on Saturday.

These are the finest Roman mosaics in Oxfordshire still in their original location and were last regularly open to visitors about 30 years ago. A new team of local volunteers, working with English Heritage who run the site, are making it possible to enjoy the 3rd century AD mosaics once more.

The site is entirely free and large enough for safe social distancing during your visit. (However our generous visitors typically donate about £1 each, to help us achieve planned site improvements.)

There is room to picnic (please take your litter home) but currently there is no WC on site.

It is free to become a Friend of North Leigh Roman Villa, and allows you to keep up with future developments and events on the site, simply email [NLRVols@gmail.com](mailto:NLRVols@gmail.com).

For more details about the opening and access to the site (which can be arduous if you have mobility issues), please visit:

<https://www.english-heritage.org.uk/visit/places/north-leigh-roman-villa/>

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# Observation

by Stephen Wright

**July 19th:** My housemate Matt decided to show me around his old university, the Norwich-based University of East Anglia. I've heard good things about UEA, but from the exterior it's not exactly pleasing on the eye, at least not compared to Bournemouth University. I believe 'brutalist architecture' is the term used to describe things that may have intentionally been designed to look like they belong in The Office, when in fact they are just old and grey, so like me in 50 years time. Anyway, the campus does have one quirk, in that the nearby Sainsbury Art Centre is where The Avengers had their HQ in the blockbuster movie, The Avengers. First and foremost, it is an art gallery, so trust Matt and I to immediately find all of the paintings of bare breasted women.

**July 22nd:** It only took 23 years of my life before I could see Liverpool lift the league title. Now they have done so, it's almost like I have no purpose to care anymore. Football is odd because it's never completed or over, so what's really the point, I ask myself as someone who depends on it for a living.

**July 23rd:** A long day at work spent somehow putting a positive spin on Norwich being relegated with an end of season review with the manager (turns out you can polish a turd). Also interviewed a bunch of key workers who were involved in promoting the reveal of next season's away kit - the bin man was actually very eloquent in front of camera.

**July 25th/26th:** Our dismal Premier League season came to an end with a trip to Manchester City. We spent the Saturday travelling up north and going to a few bars (not like there's a pandemic or anything). Played a mobile game called Heads Up in one of the bars with my colleagues, where one person holds the

phone on their head and the other people have to give them hints as to what the word on the screen is without saying the word. Of course, when it came to acting out the word 'constipated', everyone looked at the Crohn's Disease kid (me). Anyway, we had much more fun that night than the following afternoon, when we got thumped 5-0 at the Etihad Stadium.

**August 6th:** I love a rooftop restaurant, and if you ever happen to be in Norwich then Rooftop Gardens is the place to go, providing panoramic views of the fine city. Closer to home, The Varsity Club in Oxford is a good shout, although the view can be less spectacular depending on which way you're looking. I recently went there to catch up with a friend from college, and while she had a lovely view of the Oxford colleges behind me, I was blessed with cranes and construction, so swings and roundabouts. At least the Eat Out To Help Out campaign meant you could go to expensive places for half price, or McDonalds for free.

**August 18th:** Went to a place not far from where I live in Norwich called Wymondham (pronounced Wind-ham (there's also Happisburgh, which is pronounced 'Haze-borough', bizarrely)). Anyway, Wymondham is home to 'Norfolk's Finest Sports Bar', which is certainly a blast from the past once inside. To an extent, they don't need to modernise as long as they broadcast the football and provide beer, but I'm not sure how I feel about arcade machines in pubs anymore. I feel like I'd be more ashamed than proud to be top of the leaderboard on those games, but I guess CHRIS THFC disagrees.

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Father Mark, the Parish Priest, still says Mass privately every weekday inside the Church and Father Martin, the retired Priest also says Mass every day in his home in Eynsham. This means that you can always contact one or other of them by email or phone to ask for special prayers. Just remember that you are being prayed for.

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# Parish Council News

the Parish Council minutes can be found online at  
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## August 2020

### Parish Council

The Parish Council did not have a meeting in August so the news will be brief this month. A meeting has been provisionally booked on the 3rd September 2020 when it is hoped that a meeting will be held with the public in attendance

### Horsemere Lane.

There is a briefing meeting on the 27th August to be held over the internet. OCC are having to adapt their plans to meet criteria required by the Environment Agency.

### Website (Same note as last month)

The Parish Council have decided on a format for the web site. It is hoped that over the coming months the website will be up and running. The Parish Council have gone with a comprehensive site which will be available for village groups to add content. The Clerk would be pleased to receive high resolution images of the village to add to the website.

### School crossing/ 20mph zone(Same note as last month)

The Parish Council have been gathering views and information. It is important that any decisions have input from all and this item will be discussed in detail when we have an open meeting.

### Tree Planting (Same note as last month)

Two areas have been put forward for two small trees (Rowans) and the clerk will be getting quotes. This work will be carried out in the Autumn.

### Land in Church Lane

The area has been cleared and seeded. The Council are looking to put posts along the road boundary to match those the other side. The cutting and general maintenance will be carried out the contractor working in the Church cemeteries.

### Dog Waste. (Same note as last month)

Despite the article in the last CAWN dog mess continues to be a problem. The Parish Council are looking to the process of fining offenders. If you know of offenders, please let the clerk know and the appropriate action will be taken.

### War Memorial (Same note as last month)

After the report (July) CAWN on the condition no comments have been received regarding the cost of paying for repairs. The item will be discussed in detail at the meeting in September.

### Garden Village in Eynsham

Draft plans have been received by the Parish Council who will be making comments. Resident are encouraged to make their own comments to WODC.

### Parish Council work

The clerk continues to deal with the day to day matters and if any residents have a question please do not hesitate to contact her.

#### Clerk contact details

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## **Parish Council meeting for September is provisionally set for Thursday 3rd September 2020 7.30pm at the Village Hall (subject to Government guidelines)**

Hugh Thomas, Chairman, Cassington Parish Council  
20th August 2020

Chairman: Cllr. Hugh Thomas, 20, The Green  
Cllr. Julie Perrin, Triwood, 44 Eynsham Rd  
Cllr. Barbara King, 9, St Peter's Close  
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## Churchill's White House is saved by Bladon Community

The 17th Century White House and last remaining pub in the village has been saved by the community in Bladon. Reputed to be the pub where Winston Churchill "learnt to drink" during his time at Blenheim Palace, this historic pub is set to become the heart of the community once again.

The White House was put on the open market in September 2019 and its status as an Asset of Community Value meant that the community had 6 months to raise the money to put in a bid to buy and manage the future of the pub.

"We were worried that the pub would be sold for development and so formed our own war cabinet to save the White House. We held many events and it was clear that the community was behind the bid" said Mike Edwards, Pub Committee Member.

After 6 months of relentless campaigning, Bladon Community Benefit Society had over 450 shareholders and had raised more than £330,000 in shares. Although 90% of shareholders come from Bladon and the surrounding villages, press coverage also sent the pub's cause around the globe and shares were purchased from as far away as Australia, New Zealand, USA and South Africa.

The team successfully applied for Plunkett Foundation's More Than a Pub grant/loan and put their best offer into Greene King just as lockdown was put into place. A nail-biting wait until May brought Bladon the good news it had been waiting for, the community offer to purchase the White House had been accepted and the community were handed the keys to their pub on 23rd July 2020.

Randolph Churchill, great grandson of Sir Winston Churchill commented: "This is joyous news. It is great for Bladon, Blenheim and Churchill. With communities coming closer together at this challenged time it is thrilling that through your own and the whole community's endeavour you can maintain the flag flying above the White House."

More than 100 communities in the UK have purchased their local pubs and every one of them continues to thrive. The White House will offer a whole host of services including a café, shop and meeting place for many groups. The search for a tenant is underway and a plan for essential renovations has been drawn up. If all goes well, the White House will reopen in September 2020.

"It was a real community effort and even the global coronavirus pandemic didn't stand in our way. These unprecedented times have boosted Bladon's community spirit even further. We can't wait to raise a socially distanced glass with our fellow shareholders and supporters!" said Rachel Guest, Bladon Community Pub Committee.

We are still fundraising in order to improve the fabric of the building and bring community services to life. If you wish to contribute to the project, you can make a donation on the website: <https://bladoncommunitypub.org/>

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### Update from Cllr Dan Levy

As you may have noticed, there is a lot going on. This is a brief summary of things that might affect the residents of Cassington, directly or indirectly.

The changes to the A40 are still in the air. That is the dualling from west of Barnard Gate to Eynsham, the building of the Park and Ride, and the bus lanes from there to Dukes Cut past the village. It isn't entirely clear why this is still stuck in the planning process. Unfortunately I don't think it is because the County Council has belatedly realised it won't work.

The Area Action Plan for the Garden Village Area is out to consultation. This is the chance to embed the Garden Village principles in the scheme, including a high proportion of affordable housing, carbon neutral buildings, and the discouragement of car use. At the same time, Grosvenor, who are the developer for the site, have put in a planning application. That ought not to be considered until the AAP is approved, but potentially Grosvenor could insist.

There is also action on building the 1000 homes to the West of Eynsham, which are part of the Local Plan WODC imposed on the ward.

How this will fit with the proposed changes to the planning system in the recent White Paper isn't at all clear. What is clear is that communities will have less power to object to large developments and that less money will be available for local affordable housing and other public works, like decent infrastructure.

There is also a consultation on WODC's decision not to charge a Community Infrastructure Levy on major developments like the Garden Village. I have opposed this decision, and urge anyone who feels strongly to comment. We need property developers to pay as much as it takes to ensure that infrastructure is delivered to support existing and future residents.

Also in the offing is a white paper on local government reorganisation, which will almost certainly recommend that all places have a unitary authority. Whether that will be one for the whole of Oxfordshire or something else isn't obvious and we don't know the timings of any changes.

And finally, unless Covid 19 forces otherwise, there will be elections in May for the County Council and the postponed election for the Cassington WODC seat currently held by Cllr Ed James.

**As ever, do get in touch if I can help with anything,  
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## “Oh no, it’s the Dilly Sisters!”

Television has become an integral part of pretty much everyone’s life. Why would it not with the huge array of things to watch on channels devoted to every genre of programme imaginable? How different from when I was a kid, when both the number of channels and the programmes specifically targeted at us ‘young ‘uns’ was very limited. Of late, a topic of conversation among the Red Lion regulars has been the TV programmes of our childhood - more specifically, cartoons. As kids growing up in the ‘60’s and 70’s we looked forward with relish to our weekly injection of cartoon slapstick and quite naturally today we look back on them fondly in terms of their content, main characters and theme tunes.

By the time the ‘60’s came along the Hanna/Barbera stable were already well established as the “go-to” duo in terms of cartoon production, their reputation firmly established on the back of their amazingly successful incarnation “Tom and Jerry” which rather unbelievably began life in the 1940’s. My introduction to their cartoon prowess was in the shape of “Top Cat” (“whose intellectual close friends get to call him TC”) a New York alley cat who lived in a bin, doing all he could to avoid the attentions of Officer Dibble. I absolutely loved his antics which basically revolved around him undertaking all manner of scams to make a nickel, ably assisted by his lovable band of rogues. Officer Dibble was rather dim and was regularly taken for a chump by TC, Benny the Ball, Choo Choo and Fancy Fancy. Even Brains (who did not have any) could outsmart New York’s finest! TC was surely the role model for “Del Boy” Trotter, dreaming of making a fortune and never getting there, but nevertheless stealing millions of hearts along the way.

By the time I had reached the dizzy heights of eleven (ish) the Hair Bear Bunch had become my big favourites, no doubt in part driven by the fact that they lived in the Wonderland Zoo. The smooth talking, giant blonde afro-sporting Hair-bear was the leader of the gang. Along with Square Bear and Bubi, he lived in the most amazing penthouse pad in the zoo, which reverted back to a dingy cave at the flick of a switch whenever the villain of the piece, Mr Peevly, appeared. Peevly had a sidekick, Botch, who was immortalised by his constant

reminder: “Ooh. Ooh. Mr Peevly. They’re getting away!” as the trio escaped the mayhem they had orchestrated on an imaginary motor bike. I must admit that on reflection that bit is more than a little bizarre to get your head around, though at twelve years old it did not even register as being more than a little odd. “Make like a motorcycle Square”.

I will end with my all-time favourite – the “Banana Splits”. It had everything for an eight (again ish) year old to love. Catchy theme tune, a psychedelic bunch of animal characters playing in a rock band (loosely based on the Monkees, who enjoyed huge success around the same time) and a load of really cheesy animations. What was not to enjoy? The band were Fleegle (the guitar playing Beagle), Drooper (a lion in funky glasses who sang), Bingo (the drum playing ape with enormous teeth) and Snorky (a mute keyboard playing elephant in pink glasses). The sketches were surreal – a sarcastic cuckoo clock with witty retorts when asked the time, a near death experience for Drooper when “taking out the trash” and the Dilly Sisters injecting fear into the band as they sang their acoustic version of “Ta-ra-ra boom de-ay” every time the shutters opened. The latter always had me in fits as I gleefully joined in with Fleegle “Oh no, it’s the Dilly Sisters” (please remember I was only eight or nine!). There were also a number of cartoons between the sketches, including “The Three Musketeers”, “Danger Island” and my favourite “The Arabian Knights” declaring the metamorphic “siiiize of an elephant”. Whilst none of these were a patch on the up-market H-B productions mentioned above, they were nevertheless H-B animations and we loved them all the same.

Obviously, there are a raft more that I could have singled out (how come he has not mentioned the Wacky Races?) but space prevents. Cartoons were a big part of my childhood, like anyone of my generation. I am sure that kids today will have their equivalent programmes that hopefully in their dotage they look back fondly upon, as the Red Lion gang and I do from time to time.

Stay safe.

**Stew Thompson**

28 Jul 2020

## West Oxfordshire District Council launches annual canvass 2020

Local residents are being warned not to lose their voice on decisions that affect them by making sure their electoral registration details are up to date. With 17 seats on West Oxfordshire District Council up for election along with County Council, Parish Council and Police and Crime Commissioner **elections on 6 May 2021**, this is an important opportunity for residents to make sure they can take part.

The annual canvass ensures that the Council can keep the electoral register up to date, identifying any residents who are not registered so that they can be encouraged to do so.

People who have moved recently are particularly encouraged to look out for the voter registration messages from the Council and check the details. Research by the Electoral Commission indicates that recent home movers are far less likely to be registered than those who have lived at the same address for a long time. Across Great Britain, 92 per

cent of people who have been at their property for more than 16 years will be registered, compared to 36 per cent of people who have lived at an address for less than one year.

Melanie Davidson, Head of Support and Improvement at the Electoral Commission, said: “It’s really important that everyone who is entitled to vote is able to do so. Making sure you provide the necessary information to your local authority when it is needed will ensure the process runs smoothly. This is particularly helpful in the current public health situation, as it will help avoid the need for home visits from canvassers.

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The Chequers .....	01865 882620
Waste Collection, WODC .....	01993 861020
Village Hall bookings .....	cassingtonvillagehall@gmail.com

## Sports & Social Club

With the pavilion having gone through a big transformation, we are now ready to hire it once again for small or large events. We have had weddings in the past with a marquee and even a big top on the playing field. Please do get in touch if you would like to hire it or know of other sports teams that

need a place to train or play.

- Cassington Sports and Social club pavilion hire prices.

	Weekdays per hour	Weekends per hour
Village rate	£10	£14
Non-village rate	£12	£16
Commercial hire	£18	£20
- Muga hire £22 per hour
- Adults grass football pitch and pavilion £35 per game
- Cricket pitch and pavilion £50 per game
- Tennis court £10 an hour or free if you have a Muga annual pass (June-September)

Please email Graham on for all enquiries and bookings  
cassingtonsport@millsclan.force9.co.uk

## CAWN Advertising rates

Village events and fund-raising stuff is free. Simple local services, 'for sales' etc., are also free on the "noticeboard" page/section. However donations towards printing costs welcomed.

Suitable commercial businesses are invited to support our community by buying advertising space at the following rates:

1/8 page, £6 (£60 per year)	(portrait)
1/4 page, £10 (£100 per year)	(portrait)
1/2 page, £15 (£150 per year)	(landscape)
Full page, £25 (£250 per year)	(portrait)

Technical details for artwork are available on request.

All material included at the discretion of CAWN. Any surplus will be passed to the Cassington Parochial Charities to support our community.

# CASSINGTON SPORTS NEWS

## WEST BLADON CRICKET CLUB

It was an incredibly frustrating start to the cricket season this year, as the weather was fantastic, but we were not allowed to play due to the Covid restrictions.

Finally, after much lobbying from the ECB and MPs the government conceded that games could resume, and to their credit the ECB were quick to issue guidance about how to run full 11-a-side games that kept everyone safe. There have been some minor procedural changes to how we play but the major thing for us was that cricket teas, an institution at cricket clubs up and down the country, ours included, could no longer be served! It's strictly bring-you-own picnic for half time and find a socially distanced spot to eat it in for this summer!

However, the most important thing is that we are back playing. The pitch at Cassington continues to improve after another season of careful nurturing by our groundsman Gary Doggett (who is also a the power house of our middle order batting), and as some clubs are still not permitted to use their own facilities, it has been great to have such a great set-up where we can host games.

We have played six games so far, with 3 wins, and most importantly some really good games. There have been some excellent individual contributions over the season to date

with Josh Bishop (61), Gary Doggett (69), Nick Hambridge (80, not out) all getting half centuries. The bowlers have been getting on well too. Charlie Wood, who at 15 is our youngest bowler, has already taken 4 wickets in a single game with his crafty off-spin. A couple of the more senior players have also had some good returns with the ball, notably Tom Valentine with 5 wicket haul in our first game (8.4-2-23-5). Jack Barber has also taken a "fivefer" (5-0-29-5) in our game against Westcott. All excellent efforts, though in truth many of the team have been bowling well this year and the wickets have been fairly evenly spread.

Despite the late start to the season, this year has proved once again that village cricket is one of the best ways to spend a Sunday afternoon. There has been plenty of support from the boundary from wives, partners, parents, grand-parents and children, and we are very fortunate to have such a lovely place to play. We always welcome new players, of all abilities and those new to cricket, and if you are interested then there is more information on our website

<https://westbladoncc.wixsite.com/cricket>, or just wonder down on a Sunday and come and say hello.

**Ash Hambridge (Chairman, WBCC)**

Men's  
Football  
Training

CASSINGTON  
RANGERS

EVERY TUESDAY AT 7PM  
AT CASSINGTON RECREATION GROUND  
ALL NEW PLAYERS WELCOME

Contact Derek Moore on Facebook or email  
derek2304@sky.com

Cassington Rangers F.C mens September Saturday fixtures are as follows:

- 5th - Aston (Away ~ 1:30)
- 12th - Siege (Away)
- 19th - Chadlington Res (Home)
- 26th - Carterton Town 'B' (Home)

We train every Tuesday evening at Elms Road.  
New players welcome.  
All league 2 games.

**Many thanks Derek.  
Cassington Rangers F.C manager.**

## MUGA USE GUIDELINES

As you may have seen the MUGA is now set up for tennis and available for use by any member. We have set some guidelines for use along the lines of the recommendations set by the Lawn Tennis Association. These are as follows:

1. The MUGA is to be used for the playing of tennis only
2. No other sports or social activities allowed
3. Use the online booking system to book one or both courts for your use
4. Online bookings have priority over other users
5. Observe a 5 minute buffer to allow time for users to enter and exit the MUGA safely
6. Bring your own hand sanitizer to use before and after touching the entry gate and padlock
7. Players from different households can now play doubles together as long as members of each household stay two metres apart from members of the other household
8. Non-players, ie spectators, are to be discouraged
9. Only members of up to two separate households to be in the MUGA at any one time.

10. Bring your own rackets and balls. Only serve with balls brought from your household

11. The net winders have been removed. Please inform CSSC of any issues with the net

12. Do not move the nets

Please inform CSSC if you develop symptoms of COVID-19 and follow the Government's 'test and trace' guidelines.

We have changed the padlock for one with a code. Every family membership gets a unique code to use. If any families would like a code to the MUGA padlock please can you fill out the membership form which was attached to the April edition of CAWN. Please return the form to Anne Luttman-Johnson at 3 Foxwell Court. If you no longer have the form then please can you email the names of all your family members, your address, phone number and email address to Anne at [anne.luttmanjohnson@gmail.com](mailto:anne.luttmanjohnson@gmail.com)

The family rate for Cassington residents is now only £25 and it lasts for one year from the month you take it out. BACS details for payment are available from [caz.morton@gmail.com](mailto:caz.morton@gmail.com) If you are unable to pay by bank transfer then you can pay by cheque made out to Sports and Social and delivered to Anne at the above address.

# what's on?

## Dates for your diary

Unless shown, events are in the Village Hall

## September 2020

Thursday 3rd, 7:30pm (tbc) Parish Council Meeting  
Friday 4th, 7pm for 7:30pm **NO** Cassington Movies  
Monday 7th, 10 am - 12 noon **NO** Cassington Cafe  
Thursday 17th, (tbc) Cassington WI  
Sunday 20th, October CAWN deadline

## October 2020

Thursday 1st, 7:30pm **NO** Parish Council Meeting  
Friday 2nd, 7pm for 7:30pm **NO** Cassington Movies  
Monday 5th, 10 am - 12 noon **NO** Cassington Cafe  
Thursday 15th, 7:30pm (tbc) Cassington WI  
Tuesday 20th, September CAWN deadline

Tickets for films and shows from:  
Ruth Bakewell (01865 883512)

## BURLEIGH ROAD CLOSURE

The work date of the following TTRO is now amended as per applicant's request. Now the amended start date of this TTRO road closure will be 01/09/2020 (day closure and each day from 09:30hrs to 15:30hrs)



## OXFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

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ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – Section 14(1)

Notice of Temporary Traffic Order  
Cassington, Burleigh Road, OX29 4DZ  
(Railway Over-bridge)  
Prohibition of Through Traffic  
Date of Order: 6 July 2020  
Coming into force: 1 September 2020

This Order is being introduced because of rail-side fencing works which is anticipated to take 12 days to be completed.

The effect of the order is to temporarily prohibit through traffic using a section of Burleigh Road (near railway over-bridge).

Appropriate traffic signs will be displayed to indicate when the measures are in force. Exemptions are included for emergency services and for the works.

The alternative route for traffic is via Cassington Road – A4095 – Lower Road – A40 – Eynsham Road – Yarnton Road & Burleigh Road and vice-versa.

This Order will remain in force for a maximum period of 18 months or until the works have been completed whichever is the sooner.

Traffic Regulations Team (Ref.T7573/MR) for the Director for Infrastructure Delivery, County Hall, Oxford OX1 1ND. 03453101111.

## FRIDAY MOVIE NIGHT

### Cancelled until further notice

in the Village Hall  
Tickets £5 from Ruth 01865 883512. Bar and raffle.  
Doors open at 7pm and the film starts at 7.30pm.

## CASSINGTON WI

### Meetings cancelled temporarily



## CASSINGTON CAFÉ

CASSINGTON VILLAGE HALL

For the Friends of Cassington Café.

Due to the Coronavirus, the Café will be closed until further notice. We send our greetings to all our friends, and will be thinking of you over the next few weeks.

## Find us on

### Cassington Village Group

An informal group for anyone living or involved with Cassington village. Anything of interest can be posted such as events, tips, local news, request for information or advice or anything that may be of interest to the local residents.

### Cassington Sports and Social

Sports and social club that organises events to upkeep the field, muga, pavilion and play equipment.

### Cassington Players

A page originally set up for anyone involved in the village panto Sleeping Beauty back in 2013 and subsequent productions by the village drama group.

### Cassington, then and now

Interested to see how Cassington has evolved over the years? Or do you have any old photos of the village you wish to share? If so, search 'Cassington, then and now' on Facebook and feel free to join the group!

### Cassington NHW

The local Neighbourhood Watch group.

### Red Lion, Cassington

Proper old fashioned English public house built in 1510 with the best beer garden in the shire.

Some online correspondence about Cassington and neighbouring villages can be found on

