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The Village Diary

Wednesday 14th October 7pm

Ewelme Parish Council Meeting
Ewelme Village Hall

Wednesday 21st October 7pm

Horticultural AGM
Ewelme Watercress Centre

Wednesday 11th November 7pm

Ewelme Parish Council Meeting
Ewelme Village Hall

Saturday 14th November 7.30pm

The Jumping Fleas Ukelele Band
Ewelme Church

Saturday 21st November 10am-12.45pm

Cholsey Repair Cafe
Cholsey Pavilion

Saturday 5th December 6.30pm

Ewelme Music Event VII
Ewelme Village Hall

Regular Events

1st Sunday in month (April-Sept)

Watercress Beds Open Afternoons
2.00-4.30pm Watercress Centre
£5 Entrance fee (members and children free) Teas available, no dogs please

2nd Friday in month

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2.30pm **Watercress Centre - New Venue**

Every Wednesday

MUGS - Coffee Morning
Everyone welcome
10.20-11.45am Shepherd's Hut

Every Sunday

11am St Mary's Church Service
(3rd Sunday 'Break Out' - Family friendly)

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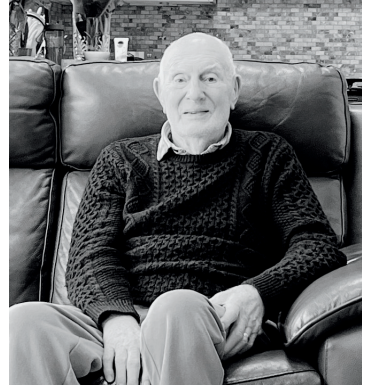
Dear Friends of Ewelme,

I wanted to say a huge thank you for all the love and support you have given to myself and John over the last few months, throughout his illness, and subsequently, sadly his death. I have been overwhelmed with all your cards, phone calls and flowers offering your condolences and sharing memories of John. They meant the world to me and brought comfort at this difficult time. I would also like to say a special thank you to Ian and Angela. Ian for his daily visits to chat with John, even when John wasn't very responsive, and Angela for your practical and emotional support. The giving of your time and keeping me supplied with meals were so appreciated in my time of need.

John and I were truly privileged to spend the last however many years living in such a wonderful village, full of true community spirit.

Thank you again for all your wonderful support. Life won't be quite the same for me without John, but I cannot tell you how grateful I am to be surrounded by you all.

Much love, Anne xxx



The late John Critchley

John was born in Harrow, 11th September 1940. He worked for Pinewood Studios as a camera technician and in later years, when he moved to Ewelme, he continued to use his skills to help people who wanted to transfer old cine films to discs. John was also able to service and repair their cameras. For many years John volunteered as a projectionist at the Corn Exchange in Wallingford .

Around 2014, along with his wife Anne, he became caretaker of Ewelme Village Hall . His expertise in mending and maintaining things was considerable, taking great pride in his work, inside and out.

Our first encounter with John was when we came to view Kingfishers, opposite John's house. He was standing on his roof , as you do, shouting across to us that the owner was out . That was the beginning of a thirty year friendship.

Anne sadly lost John on July 15th 2026

Great memories

Ian and Angela Harrison



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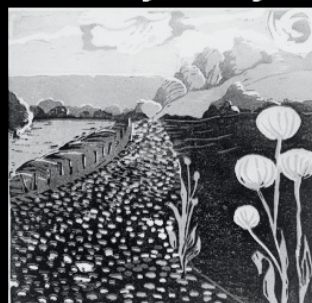


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Ewelme Parish Council



Notes on Annual Parish Council meeting held on 12 & 9th September 2026

The purpose of these notes is to summarise some items discussed at recent Parish Council meetings, there is no intention to duplicate the minutes, which can be viewed on the PC Website at www.ewelmeparishcouncil.gov.uk. Not all matters discussed at the meetings are covered here.

Public session: Three representatives from Hazell & Jefferies (H&J) attended and recorded the meeting. A discussion took place regarding the filming and recording of vehicle numbers along Eyres Lane. It was resolved that H&J would proceed with mediation and a meeting would be held with H&J and the PC.

New bike stands: New bike stands have been installed by the shop and have already been well used. A resident mentioned the ground underneath them is untidy. The PC will plant grass seed when the weather permits.

Bench: It was decided to install a new bench by the bus stop on Green Lane, with permission from OCC. If approved, it was decided to apply for a grant towards this from the District Councillor grant scheme, which has just opened.

Quiet Lane status on Parson's Lane: It was decided not to apply for Quiet Lane status.

Village maintenance: There are several broken signs in the village, these have been reported on Fix My Street.

Other business: A parishioner reported that the hedges outside some houses along The Street have overgrown vegetation encroaching onto the footpath. BT will speak to the residents. The PC received correspondence from a resident regarding vegetation blocking the view from the bench at King's Pool. It was agreed to trim the vegetation. A parishioner asked the PC if they could install a sign at King's Pool telling owners to keep their dogs on a lead after witnessing dogs chasing ducks in the pool. The PC will monitor this but not install a sign at this time. BT received an email from Airband. He apologised that some of the recent work was not up to legal standards, so a number of areas will have to be rectified. This work will commence on 17/08/2026.

Nature: A resident suggested establishing a hazel coppice in the parish to enable the parish to be self-sufficient in hazelwood. He suggested that a suitable site could be

part of Cow Common. The Big Chalk initiative is offering grants for nature recovery projects such as this. The PC agreed to expressing an interest.

Traffic: The PC have received several emails regarding speeding traffic on Eyres Lane. This is being looked into, in collaboration with OCC.

The evolution of a village institution...



From small beginnings in 1923 Ewelme's Horticultural Show held this August Bank holiday was surely the most impressive in its long history, enjoyed by a huge crowd of locals and visitors. (In the village bus-shelter there is an exhibition of documents relating to the Horticultural Show's past and present, researched and posted by Jennifer Stringer. It is well worth a pause to read her work).

In a past age when most homes had a garden and the man of the house took pride in providing fruit and vegetables to feed his family, horticultural shows were held in

most communities. The very first recorded Ewelme Show was held in 1923 in conjunction with the village fete, in the grounds of the Old Rectory. President Sir George Kemball and Vice-President Rev R Wortley invited Lady Osler to perform the opening ceremony. Notwithstanding 1923 also being a drought year, there were 250 entries for the flower category, and peas, onions, red currants, loganberries and cut flowers came in for much praise by the judges - however they noted there were no entries for marrows and runner beans.

The Old Rectory was again host for the 1926 Annual Flower Show and Fete held on 28th July. Most of the pre-war shows were held a month earlier than the modern ones. However, there was an exception in 1927 when on 26th August, very wet conditions were experienced and the attendance was small.

Newspaper reports reveal several venues hosted the Show; in 1930 at the old Mill House on 30th July, and again in 1931 on the 29th July. In 1934 on the 25th July in Ewelme Manor grounds with *'Many valuable prizes open to exhibitors residing within 5 miles of Ewelme.'* In 1936 and 1937 the 14th and 15th the Annual Shows were held at New Place, now called 'Loreto' on the Benson Road. (New classes added included best knitted jumper by person under 20 years; jar or bowl of cut flowers, and fruit cake). Altogether there were 120 classes, most of which were open to competitors living in a five-mile radius of the Post Office. With the outbreak of war looming in 1939 a

Reading Mercury report of 6th May stated 'The Ewelme Horticultural Society is one of the few remaining societies in the district that has continued to hold its show every year without a break, and at the AGM it was agreed to hold the 17th annual show on July 26th. The last pre-war show was held in the grounds of The Old Rectory, by invitation of the President the Right Hon. Sir D B Somervell KC. MP. and Lady Somervell. So great was the enthusiastic support for the Show the Mercury listed 13 Vice-presidents (some lifted from the pages of 'Who's Who'), plus Vice-chairman Fred Grenway, Joint Hon. Secs. Messrs J Strevens and J Harris, and 20 named Committee members! [Many hands made either light work or a muddle?]

After 1945, older villagers recall a modest flower and vegetable show being added to the annual village fete, which remained the main event. The Horticultural show was not revived as a separate event until 1982, when it was held in the garden of The Greyhound Inn with the permission of Mr and Mrs Cox. In later years, a small marquee was erected on the grass bank between the Old Pottery and the School. George Cannon recorded the 1992 show there, and the footage reveals an impressive number of exhibits packed into a relatively small space. The recording has been transferred to a memory stick and is available from the Archive on request.

The Show's popularity increased so much the move to the sports ground and a larger marquee was essential - resulting in the magnificent event we experienced this year. Ewelme is a small community, and gratitude is due to the small bands of volunteers who are willing to work hard to keep up the Horticultural Show, and the following weekend the Horse & Dog Show - the traditional rural village institutions we continue to enjoy.

***Carol Sawbridge -
Ewelme Village Archive***

Ewelme Horticultural Society Show 1981

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**Saturday,
5th September**

**In the grounds of
The Greyhound**

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**Entrance to Show: Adults 20p; Children 5p
or by Schedule 20p**

PROGRAMME

- Sept. 3** Closing date for Show entries.
- Sept. 5** Show Tent open 9.00 a.m. for staging exhibits
11 a.m. Show Tent closed to exhibitors
11.30 a.m. Judging of exhibits
2.30 p.m. Show Tent open to public
Prize Giving 3.30 p.m.

————— Chalgrove Band will play during the afternoon —————

— Refreshments available —

Ewelme (not so) Green Spaces Update

Last year Imogen Parker of Wild Oxfordshire carried out a survey of Cow Common including the recreation area and gave some advice on possible ways to enhance wildlife habitat potential. Imogen found that the grass bank mainly consists of grass species, such as yorkshire fog, false oat-grass, cocksfoot, rough meadow-grass and wall barley. Forbs seen present include, ribwort plantain, field bindweed and creeping thistle and ox-eye daisy has also previously been recorded growing.

For a number of years now the bank overlooking the cricket pitch has enjoyed a no-mow regime with a late summer scythe and the arisings removed. Imogen suggested that for increased diversity this could be improved upon by taking an earlier cut which would remove more biomass, or to cut half of the long grassland by mid-summer and the other half towards the end of the summer/early autumn and then rotate these areas the next year.

So this was my plan for 2026 - cut and remove half in June then the rest in September. Well as we now know 2026 was the year that grass didn't grow so my attempts were somewhat enfeebled but if you were wondering what the idea was you now know. The meagre resulting biomass will be used to mulch the hedge which, impressively now seems to have put down enough root to have mainly withstood the drought. Fingers crossed we don't get a repeat dry summer next year.

Old Father Thyme



Ewelme Hootenanny

The late, great Dolly Parton once said "If you want the rainbow, you gotta put up with the rain".

Saturday 29th August was the date of Hootenanny II, an event fast becoming a firm favourite in our village calendar.

After what seemed like months of solid sunshine, the weather forecast for the day looked very wet and, indeed, it rained for most of it.

Dolly was right. We were very fortunate that by 6.00pm the rain had stopped, allowing us to enjoy one of the great nights in village history. The purpose of the Hootenanny is to encourage an old-fashioned get-together for everyone in the village and their friends.



Not too long ago, the village calendar was full of social events that, one by one, have diminished. It was very rewarding to see the event so well supported and populated by so many people. Utilising the Horticultural Show's marquee, tables and chairs were arranged inside and outside to provide seating for the masses.



Bertie Slippers was on hand to entertain the youngsters, before a thoroughly enjoyable set from Laurianne, who sang in both French and English. Her family had travelled 10 hours by car from France to see her. Such is the magnetism of the Hootenanny!

Tragik opened the first of their two sets with the Creedence Clearwater Revival song "Have You Ever Seen the Rain", an apt opening for such a damp day. Audience members were clearly keen to dance, as even towards the end of this first country set, the small dance area was packed.

Following a break, Tragik returned with a full-on dance set. Audience members poured onto the dance area throughout the evening, with the whole crowd enjoying the set. The band brought the show to a crescendo by inviting guest singers, including Andrea Powell, who dedicated her performance of "9 to 5" to Dolly; David Lewis, whose beautiful harmonies added layers of depth to Beatles songs; and Jon Sedwell, who encouraged the audience to join in with songs including "Crocodile Rock" and "Make Me Smile (Come Up and See Me)".

The band ended their set with the only song possible under the circumstances: Dolly Parton's "Jolene", a fitting tribute to such a legend.



Following demands for one more song, the band closed the evening with "Don't Look Back in Anger", before putting down their guitars and drumsticks for one last time.

So many people have complimented the evening and the band for providing such wonderful entertainment and the opportunity for such a

great community event. It seems that the Hootenanny is now a firm favourite in the village.

The event wouldn't be possible without the sterling work of the committee, who worked behind the scenes to ensure the evening went smoothly and are responsible for its success. A huge hand goes out to all of them, for without them the event couldn't take place. With your help, we raised over £1,100 to donate to the Horticultural Society to assist them in their fantastic endeavours, not just with the Horticultural Show, but with their other events throughout the year. The synergy between these two organisations shows that community spirit is far from dead, or even dying.

If you would like to become involved and help in any way, your time would be greatly appreciated. Please contact us at ewelme@icloud.com.



Horticultural Roundup

After the extreme temperatures of summer and dry parched gardens and fields, it is lovely to at last have some rain and cooler temperatures and see the grass turning green again as we move into autumn.

Despite the harshness of the weather the Horticultural Committee have had a very successful year. We have been helped greatly by donations and the generous contributions from Geoff Watts's quiz in January and the Hootenanay on the 29th August and we are most grateful.



Our annual plant sale in May was a great success and we made a healthy £838 towards our funds.

Open Gardens, our biennial event, attracted a very healthy number of visitors to 10 gardens in the village including 2 allotments - teas were served at the village shop and at the Watercress Centre and we had a half page article in the Henley Standard.



Moving on to our flagship event on 29th August, The Ewelme Show, we were delighted to receive a record number of entries for the Show and it appeared that everyone had made a special effort to make the show a success. We had free entry this year to the show tent and we worked hard to attract some new and interesting stalls as well as a BBQ, ice cream van and huge selection of home made cakes. Scones and jam were a particular favourite. Feedback from visitors was very positive with comments about how authentically English the event was.



On reflection a very successful year of events for the Horticultural Committee and all credit to the hard work of those involved and the volunteers. These events would not happen however without your support and we are hugely grateful for it

Also if you know of an horticultural project in the village which might need contribution or support as a way of us contributing back to the village please let us know.

Thank you again

Linda Chilcott

The next **Cholsey Repair Café** will take place on **Saturday 21st November** at the **Cholsey Pavilion**. Doors open at 10.00 and close at 12.45.

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News from Ewelme Village Store

A message from Sarah Maine, Chair of the Ewelme Village Store Management Committee:

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In 2007, I offered to collate the data from the village shop survey onto a spreadsheet.

Nineteen years, 3 months and 18 days later, I'm still managing the shop.

I am assuming that this is what scares most of you and is the reason why we have an ever-reducing number of invaluable volunteers who help Tracey in the day to day running. This doesn't have to be the case.

However, without new blood, we cannot continue to keep the shop open. The current volunteers are fed up with the endless pleas for extra help and are rebelling! We need more 'flexible' (by which I mean no regular commitment) volunteers and we need them now. You don't need experience; you just need to be willing to learn and available sometimes. Training is given on the job.

How it works?

Under our current structure, we pay all our weekend staff and a manager each weekday morning. Everyone else volunteers their time. Whilst we more or less have every shift covered with regular volunteers, every time a volunteer takes holiday or is unwell, we are reliant on those already volunteering to fill the gap. Could you do this? Maybe offer to cover one particular volunteer's holidays during the year or offer one day a month - or simply sign up occasionally on the flexible volunteer request email.

Shifts that need covering are put out on our flexible volunteer email system. No obligation - just a yes or no required.

Why would you want to volunteer?

The shop is the focus of our community, and we don't want to lose it. Every visitor to Ewelme is impressed with our community shop. Estate agents say a house in a village with a shop is much more attractive to buyers. Why wouldn't you want to be part of it?

Personally, I enjoy getting to know villagers and particularly the teenagers who work in the shop, I am proud of the service we provide and, sort of, enjoy the inevitable challenges of running a small business.

If you would like to volunteer or join our committee, or simply have ideas on how to improve things, we would love to hear from you.

Please get in touch via the website: www.ewelmevillagestore.co.uk/get-involved



Meet the people behind the shop



First up: Me!

Most people probably know me as the accountant for Ewelme Village Store; a paid role that involves the usual exciting things like bookkeeping, payments, spreadsheets and keeping an eye on the numbers and money.

But, like many people who get involved with the shop, I've gradually learned to turn my hand to a few other things too!

Alongside doing the accounts, I'm the Vice-Chair of the Management Committee, look after the website and social

media, and occasionally swap the laptop for the till and help out behind the counter when needed.

I certainly didn't set out to become a website manager or social media expert, and I'm not sure anyone ever officially appointed me to either role! But that's one of the great things about being involved with the Village Store, you get the opportunity to learn new things, have a go and help wherever you can.

What do I enjoy most? The variety, the people and being part of something that belongs to the village. I've met lots of people through the shop that I might otherwise never have got to know, and there's always something going on or news to catch up on.

I have loved discovering what else is involved in running a shop beyond the numbers.

So, if you're wondering whether you have anything to offer the Village Store, you probably do. You don't need to be an accountant, a shopkeeper, a website expert or anything else in particular. Sometimes it's simply about being willing to have a go.

Next time, we'll introduce you to another member of the Village Store team.

⚡ Quick-fire with Cara!

☕ Tea or coffee?

Tea, usually mint or green tea

🛒 Favourite thing in the shop?

Tracey's homemade cheese scones – yum!

💻 Website or spreadsheets?

Spreadsheets, obviously! Although I've become rather fond of the website too.

😊 Best thing about being involved with the Village Store?

The people, and being part of something that belongs to the whole village.

🧐 Most unexpected part of your role?

Learning that being the accountant could somehow lead to me becoming involved in websites, social media and serving behind the till! I've learned a lot since we first opened the shop.

♥ What would you say to someone thinking about volunteering?

Give it a go! You don't have to know exactly what you can offer, there are lots of different ways to get involved.

🔍 Something people might not know about you?

I'm a keen knitter and make the Christmas elves and penguins that we've sold in the shop the last few years.

👥 One thing on your Village Store wish list?

More volunteers!



Cara Chapman

Ewelme Horse & Dog Show

- A Show for Everyone

What a fabulous day we had at this year's Ewelme Horse & Dog Show! The sun shone, the field was full of horses, ponies, dogs and smiling faces, and we were delighted to welcome almost 200 entries to the horse show and about 150 entries to the dog show.

Now running for more than 40 years, the show has something for everyone, from show jumping and traditional showing to in-hand classes, novelty classes and everything in between. But while the rosettes and trophies are a big part of the fun, the show is about much more than winning.

One of its most important aims is to encourage people at the beginning of their riding journey. Many of the children competing this year borrowed ponies for the day because they don't have one of their own. We were also thrilled to see so many lovely rescue horses and ponies taking part, showing just how varied the backgrounds of our competitors are.

And one competitor's story this year perfectly captures what the Ewelme Horse & Dog Show is all about. 12-year-old Fernanda Semonella from Woodcote had a very successful day with her pony, William, winning both the Best Turned Out and Junior Handler classes and coming second in the Handsomest Gelding.

But this wasn't Fernanda's first Ewelme Show. In fact, she first competed here 10 years ago, when she won the Cutest Pair class.

Photos: Fernanda and William at this year's show, and Fernanda competing at Ewelme 10 years ago.



Fernanda has waited a long time to have a new pony of her own, so winning at this year's show was particularly special and has, in her words, "made her year." William lives at home and is very much part of the family, receiving plenty of love, fuss and attention from Fernanda and her sister, who beautifully plaited him for the show. One of the judges commented that they looked like true professionals!

There is even another generation of Ewelme Show history in the family. Fernanda's mum, Carmen, also attended the show as a child.

From a little girl competing ten years ago, to returning with her own pony and a collection of trophies, Fernanda's story is a wonderful example of why this little village show matters. It's about giving people the chance to have a go, creating memories, celebrating the bond between people and their animals, and passing that love on from one generation to the next.

The show is run by a small but committed team of just five people, supported by our wonderful sponsors, judges, stewards and volunteers. Thank you to everyone who entered or came along to enjoy the day and support the show. Here's to the next 40 years of Ewelme Horse & Dog Show!

Cara Chapman - Ewelme Horse & Dog Show Committee

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Ewelme Village Hall Committee



The Village Hall is a very important village asset that is well used by the community, local groups and a venue for many village events.

The committee now urgently needs to recruit new members to be able to continue the management of the Hall on behalf of the village.

Are you able to spare 1-2 hours per month to support this very important village asset?

If you think you can help, please contact clerk@ewelme-parish-council.gov.uk for further details.

An update on the buses...

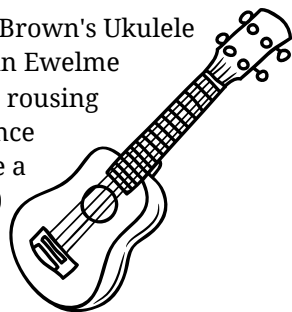


September brought good news for anyone wishing to travel by bus as the 33 service will now operate on Sundays. I was thrilled to hear about this improvement that will make a difference to the social life of residents completely reliant on public transport. This hourly service links Ewelme with Benson, Wallingford Didcot and Abingdon in one direction and Nettlebed and Henley in the other. The first bus leaves at around 8.45am and the last at 18.45 in the Henley direction and at 9.48 am and 19.48 pm in the Abingdon direction. Also as the bus stops outside the station in Didcot it makes it easier to connect with transport by rail and of course there is no need to pay for parking. Real time information about the buses has now been installed at key stops such as the Market Place in Wallingford and Benson High St.

The Little Bus, the 137 linking Watlington to Wallingford via Ewelme and RAF Benson operates Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. It picks up outside the shop at about 10.37 and returns at 1pm from the Town Hall. Or if travelling to Watlington it leaves Ewelme at 10.16 returning at 13.23. Sadly Mike Ward who set up the Going Forward Buses died in July and is much missed. He was well known by the regulars as he liked to ride the routes and had an encyclopaedic knowledge of bus routes in the UK. Mike had set up this Community Interest Company to provide a bus route between Goring, where he lived, and Wallingford when other bus operators refused to take over the route. Later he added the 137 Ewelme route. The company now has three mini buses.

Friends of Ewelme Church

FOEC are delighted to announce that The Jumping Fleas (Sam Brown's Ukulele Band) will be performing on Saturday, 14th November at 7.30 in Ewelme Church. They played for us some years ago: the evening was a rousing success and was greatly enjoyed by a very appreciative audience that filled the church to capacity. Tickets are £15.00, to include a glass of wine and are available from Ewelme Store (cash only) and from <https://ticketsource.com/friends-of-ewelme-church/sam-brown-and-the-international-ukulele-band/e-olgyppq>



Ewelme Music Event VII



It's been a couple of years since we hosted a collaborative music evening in the village hall. To put that matter right, we are hosting another on Saturday 5th December 2026. For those that haven't been before this is a great opportunity to showcase village talent whether it be singing, playing, or joining in with other people to make music.

Please set a date in the diary, the admission is free and a bar will be provided. It's always great fun, and an opportunity to meet in the village hall for great evening. Whether your genre is classical, opera, pop or rock everyone is welcome.



If you would like to perform, please send a note to ewelme@icloud.com. If you require a backing instrument or a group that can be provided.



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