



Edition 11 **KENCOT & BROADWELL**



DECEMBER & JANUARY NEWSLETTER

Welcome to the eleventh edition of the Kencot & Broadwell Newsletter.
The next newsletter with the February edition.

Sunday 3rd: 5.00 pm - 6.30 pm

The Church of St Peter and St Paul, Broadwell Concert

Gorgeous Christmas flute, violin and cello music, gluwein and carols for everyone, St Birgitta, St Frances and great artists' different visions of the Nativity along with The French Revolutionary Calendar.

Tickets: £10 in advance, £15 on the door
Under 16s Free

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**Friday 8th December 7.30pm.
Kencot Community Christmas Concert:
St George's Church Kencot**



Free entry. Donations to the village funds and the church.

Christmas starts here! We hope you will be able to come along to the Kencot Christmas concert on Friday 8th December in St George's Church, Kencot.7.30p.m.start.

Performances by the Kencot Ukulele Group, Kencot and Lechlade Voices, The Jaybirds, Lynn Bateman and The Kencot Quartet

Sing along to community Christmas carols.

There will be mince pies and mulled wine served on entry.

Entry is free, no need to book tickets, but there is a retiring collection in aid of St George's Church.

After the concert, follow the Christmas lights through the village to the hall for festive drinks and food.



Christmas Day - There will be an informal gathering on the village green from 11.30am. Bring your own drinks and nibbles. If inclement weather we will meet in the church

Partner Whist & Other Card Games in Broadwell

There will be no meeting in December.

January's Date : Thursday 25 January

Venue : Lamb House, Opposite the Pre-school, Broadwell

All are welcome.



Church Services

December

Kencot

17th Carol Service 4pm followed by mulled wine and nibbles

Christmas Day - Christmas Communion Service 10.30am

Kelmscott

Monday 18th Carol Service 6pm

Christmas Day - Christmas Communion Service 10.30am

Broadwell

Thursday 14th Pre-school Christmas Service 1pm

Christmas Day - Christmas Morning Worship 10.30am

January

Kencot

7th Evensong 6pm

21st Holy Communion 10am

Kelmscott

7th Holy Communion 10.30am

Further details of other services in the Benefice at <https://svbb.org.uk/>

Kencot Church Flower Rota

3rd December Advent - no flowers

Christmas to 14th February Janette Paine



COFFEE MORNINGS

Kencot Village Hall. Call in between 10.45am & 12 noon

Thursdays

21st December

18th January

15th February

14th March

All welcome. An opportunity to meet, have a chat and get to know your neighbours
There will be no charge but donations will be appreciated.

At the Christmas Coffee morning there will be seasonable refreshments and we will
be singing carols accompanied by Jay. Therefore we may not end until 12.30!

BIN COLLECTION DATES FOR CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR 2023/24

Collections over Christmas and New Year will take place as follows:

- Friday 22 December – no change
- Garden waste and bulky waste collections are suspended from Monday 25 December and will resume on Tuesday 9 January 2024

Week commencing 25 December 2023:

Normal day Friday 29 December new day Tuesday 2 January

Week commencing 1 January 2024

Normal day Friday 5 January. New day Monday 8 January

Week commencing 8 January 2024

Normal day Friday 12 January New day Saturday 13 January



Christmas trees

Real Christmas trees will be collected for all households (including those without a current garden waste licence), on their scheduled garden waste collection day between Tuesday 9 January and Monday 22 January 2024. Please remove all decorations and reduce larger trees down to sections no longer than 3 ft to assist crews.

The above taken from West Oxfordshire District Council website
<https://www.westoxon.gov.uk/bins-and-recycling/check-your-collection-day>



Christmas Wreath Making

A good time was had by All recently making Christmas Wreaths in Broadwell Church with folk from Broadwell and Kencot.

An Easter Wreath Making Session is to be held on Friday 15th March at 2.00 pm.
Full details on page 6



KENCOT CONSERVATION AREA

All of Kencot village is the conservation area.

Map available at

<https://www.westoxon.gov.uk/media/lwgh5uqu/kencot-conservation-area-map.pdf>

The below has been taken from the West Oxfordshire District Council website. To see the full details go to

<https://www.westoxon.gov.uk/planning-and-building/historic-buildings-and-conservation/conservation-area-maps/#:~:text=Conservation%20areas%20are%20places%20of>

Conservation areas are places of special architectural or historic interest, which have a particular character or appearance worth preserving or enhancing. Groups of buildings, walls, trees and hedges, open spaces, views and the historic settlement patterns all combine to create an individual sense of place. It is this character, rather than individual buildings, that a conservation area seeks to protect -

Planning

There are certain restrictions to the Permitted Development Rights enjoyed by homeowners and businesses (the rights to carry out development without Planning Permission). Here are some examples of residential development that may require Planning Permission within a conservation area, but that may not require it outside one: Extensions to the side of a property

- Two-storey extensions to the rear of a property
- External cladding of a property (including stone, artificial stone, pebble dash, render, timber, plastic or tiles)
- Alterations to roofs for the enlargement of a property (including dormer windows)
- Windows and doors, in some limited circumstances
- Satellite dishes, antennae, chimneys, flues and other elements added to, and protruding from walls or roof slopes fronting the highway or forming the main or side elevation of a property
- The erection of some structures within the grounds of a property (including garages, sheds, outbuildings etc.)

Trees

If you are planning to carry out work to a tree in a conservation area you are required by law to give us six weeks notice unless an exemption applies. This is so we can consider whether a Tree Preservation Order should be made to protect the trees. It is a criminal offence to prune, fell or damage a tree in a conservation area without giving us notice.

You do not have to give six weeks notice if:

- the tree has a diameter less than 75mm. The diameter as measured at 1.5m above ground level.
- you have a felling licence granted by the Forestry Commission or a plan of operations approved by the Commission under one of its grant schemes
- you are cutting or removing garden hedges
- you are cutting or removing garden shrubs

- the work is necessary to carry out an approved planning scheme
- the trees are dead or have become dangerous, then five days written notice is required (unless it has become so dangerous that it requires immediate action, in which case, notify us as soon as possible).
- you are removing dead branches from a living tree

If you are not sure if the condition of the tree means it is exempt, contact WODC planning services team on 01993 861420.

FUTURE EVENTS



First and third Friday of each month Lechlade and Fairford Memory Lane Singers

This group is open to anyone with memory loss and their friends, family and carers.



The British Red Cross mobility van is outside the Carterton leisure centre Monday mornings 1030 to 1200. The van has wheelchairs, mobility aids, and toileting equipment available to hire and for sale

If you want something specific, please call 01235 552664 and they can make sure that its on the van.

2024

March

Friday 15th 2024 Easter Wreath Making Session 2.00 pm Broadwell Arts and Crafts Event

Maximum 12 people : (14 years upwards)

To Register, or any queries, please contact anne.c.taylor61@gmail.com

Tickets: £5.00 per person Pay on the Door: Cash

Come along and create your own Easter Wreath. Tea, Coffee, Biscuits and Cake provided.

Materials Supplied: Wire, Ribbon, Glue Gun

Please bring: Wreath frame (of your choice), Foliage from your garden to use and share, Any particular ornamentation you want to use. Any bought foliage for personal use.

All Profits after costs to go to Broadwell Church

April

Saturday 20 April 2024

Teams in Quiz Night : 7.30 pm

Venue : Kencot Village Hall

£5.00 per person

Further information to follow

June

Saturday 8 June - Broadwell Village Arts & Crafts Event
11.00 am - 4.00 pm Venue: St Peter & St Paul's Church, Broadwell
Featuring: Sea Glass, Jewellery Pottery, Block Printing
More traders to be confirmed.

July

Friday 12 July 2024 Broadwell Presents "An Evening with The Mitfords in the Cotswolds"
Speaker : Dr Muriel Pilkington. Venue : Broadwell Church Time : 7.30 pm - 9.00 pm
Tickets: £5.00 per person (under 16s free)
Further Info from : anne.c.taylor61@gmail.com
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This is the 11th Edition of the newsletter we would appreciate some feedback please!
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Deadline for the February newsletter will be 23rd January 2024.