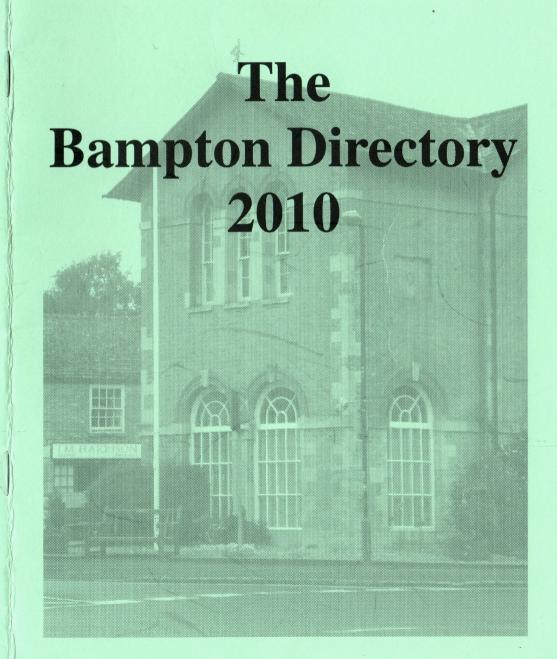
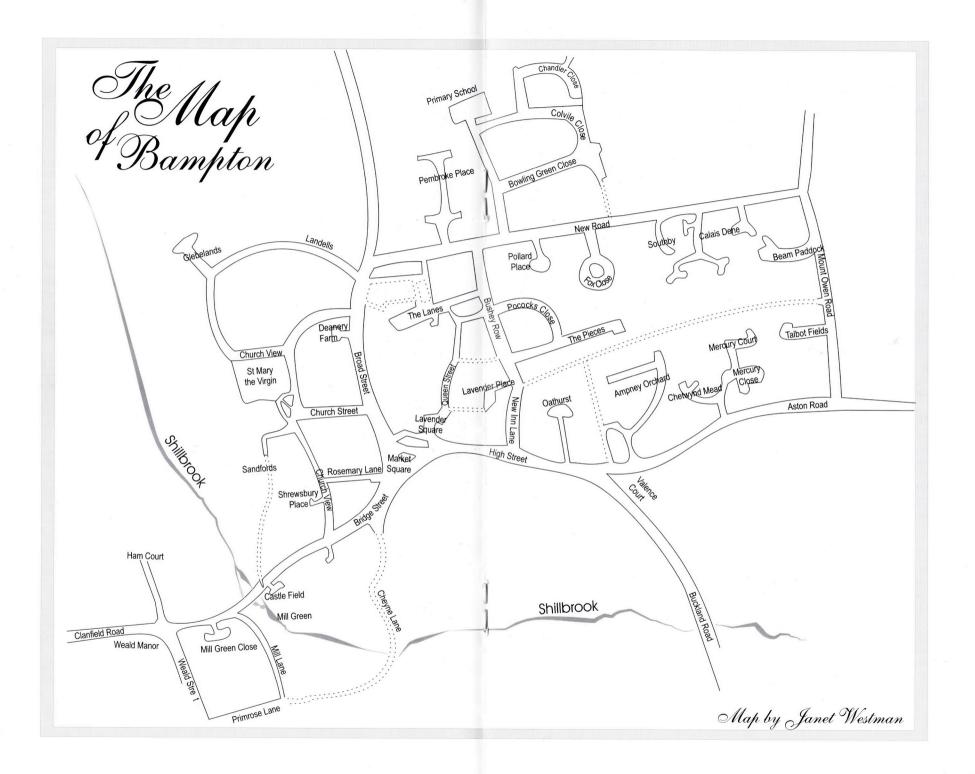
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Local, District, County & National Government

Bampton Parish Council

Functions include representing the interests of the Parish to the higher authorities, managing the village playing fields, cemetery, allotments, etc. All Parish Councillors are Trustees of the Bampton Recreation Ground Charity.

Parish Council

Cllr. Fred Grav: Tel: 01993 851653 Chairman

Cllr. Jacky Allinson Tel: 01993 850368 Vice-Chairman

Cllr. Marion Dowding: Tel: 01993 850167.

Cllr. Steve Radband: Tel: 01993 210160

Cllr. Ann Smith: Tel: 01993 850318

Cllr. Robert Smith: Tel: 01993 850318.

Cllr. Ralph Norman: Tel: 01993 850823.

Cllr. Lee Mackie: Tel: 01993 852531

Cllr. Dale Turner: tel: 01993 852373

Cllr. George Gascoigne: Tel: 01993 851947

Cllr. Richard Wilkins: Tel: 01993 850406

Clerk to the Parish Council:

Mrs Sarah Radband: 01993 851870; email: sarah.radband@bamptonoxon-parishcouncil.gov.uk

Member of Parliament – Witney Constituency

Rt. Hon. David Cameron MP: The House of Commons, Westminster, London SW1A 0AA. Email: CAMEROND@parliament.uk.

Oxfordshire County Council

Functions include: Structure Planning, Highways, Education, Libraries, Fire Service, Trading Standards

Address Head Office: County Hall, Oxford, OX1 1ND

Telephone: Tel: 01865 792422; Fax: 01865 726155; Website: www.oxfordshire.gov.uk

Children's Services Tel: 0845 050 7666. Carer's Support: Tel: 0845 050 7666.

Disabled Services : Tel: 0845 050 7666.

Family Support Services: Tel: 0845 050 7666.

Gypsies and Travellers: 01869 325796.

Home Care Services: Tel: 0845 050 7666. Mental Health Services: Tel: 0845 050 7666.

Older People's Services: 0845 050 7666.

Press Office: Tel: 01865 810256.

Public Transport: Tel: 01865 815700.

Recycling: 01865 816043

Registration Service - births, deaths, marriages: Tel: 0845 129 5900.

Roads: Tel: 0845 310 111.

Social Services: Tel: 0845 050 7666.(0800 833408 out of hours).

Schools: Tel: 01865 815449.

Trading Standards: Tel: 0845 051 0845.

County Councillor

Cllr. Don Seale: 01367 250226; Email: don.seale@oxfordshire.gov.uk

West Oxfordshire District Council

Functions include: Council Tax Collection, Environment, Local Planning, Public Conveniences, Car Parks, Waste Collection, Licensing, Leisure & Recreation, Arts Development

Council Offices, Woodgreen, Witney, Oxfordshire, OX28 1NB

Tel: 01993 861000: Fax: 01993 861050.

Emergency Out of Hours*: Tel: 01993 705056.

(*For dangerous structures, collection of stray dogs, noise complaints and other public health hazards).

Telephone payments*: 01993 861045.

(*24 hour payment line for Council Tax, Non Domestic Rates and Fixed Penalty Notices - customers

will need the relevant bill or Fixed Penalty Notice to use this service)

Town Centre Shop, 3 Welch Way, Witney, OX28 6JH.

Main Reception (exception of Planning) and Payments Office. Opening times: Mon—Thu 9.00 -5 .30; Friday 9.00 - 5.00.

Elmfield, New Yatt Road, Witney, Oxfordshire, OX28 1PB

Reception and office location for:

- Planning and Local Land Charges

Tel: 01993 861420: Fax: 01993 861451.

Elmfield is also the office location address for:

- Environmental Health

- Community Services

- Housing

- Building Control

- Benefits

- Council Tax.

Tel: 01993 861000: Fax: 01993 861450

District Councillors

Mark Booty: Tel: 01993 851003; email: mark.booty@westoxon.gov.uk Martin Barratt: Tel: 01993 210165; email: martin.barrett@westoxon.gov.uk

Public Services Emergencies Telephone: 999

Police

Non-emergency number: 0845 8 505 505: Crimestoppers: 0800 555111.

Email: cartertonneighbourhood@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk

Fire Station

Address: New Road, Bampton

If you are interested in becoming a retained fireman call: Tel: 0800 587 0870.

Southern Electric

Power Cuts: Tel: 0845 770 8090. Gas Leaks: Tel: 0800 111 999.

Electricity General Enquiries: Tel: 0845 744 4555.

Gas General Enquiries: Tel: 0845 758 5401.

British Gas

24 Hour Gas Emergency Service: Tel: 0800 111999. Emergency Heating Repairs: Tel: 08450 777111.

OFGEM – Office of Gas and Electric Markets - Watchdog

Address: 9 Millbank, London SW1P 3GE, Tel: 020 7901 7000: www.ofgem.gov.uk.

Ofgem does not deal directly with consumer complaints or enquiries. If you are a domestic or commercial energy consumer, please contact your energy supply company or network operator in the first instance. If you have already been in contact with your energy supply company or network operator or require information and advice on general energy issues, contact Consumer Direct on: 08454 04 05 06.

Thames Water

24 hour emergency Tel: 0845 9200 800.

Citizens Advice Bureau

Address: The Old Print House, Marlborough Lane, Witney, Oxon, OX28 6DY Tel: 01993 705691.

Cottsway Housing Services

Cottsway House, Heynes Place, Avenue Two, Witney, Oxfordshire OX28 4YG General Enquiries Tel: 01993 890000: Repairs Tel: 01993 890001.

Public Library

Address: The Old Grammar School, Church, Bampton. Tel: 01993 850076.

Bampton Post Office

Address: Bridge Street Bampton Tel: 01993 850304.

Local Press and Radio

The Bampton Beam

Address: c/o The Bampton Community Shop, Rosemary Lane, Bampton, OX18 2NF Editor: Fenella Gray: Tel: 01993 851653; email: fenellagray@btinternet.com Sub-Editor: Fred Gray: Tel: 01993 851653; email: facgray@btinternet.com

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The Witney Gazette

Address: 47 Market Square, Witney

Tel: 01993 773133; www.witneygazette.co.uk.

Oxford Mail & Oxford Times

Tel: 01865 425262.

BBC Radio Oxford

Tel: 0845 931 1444; email: oxford@bbc.co.uk

BBC South

Tel: 023 8022 6201; email: south.today@bbc.co.uk

Heart (formerly Fox FM)

Tel: 01865 871000: www.heart.co.uk/oxfordshire

Meridian Tonight

www.itv.com/meridian-west/

Public Transport

National Rail Enquiries

Tel: 08457 484950: www.nationalrail.co.uk.

Stagecoach

Tel: 01865 772250: Email: oxford.enquiries@stagecoachbus.com

Service 19 runs hourly between Witney and Carterton via Bampton, from approximately 7am to 7pm, Mondays to Saturdays, excluding bank holidays. Service 18 runs hourly, with some gaps, between Bampton and Oxford, from approximately 7am to 6pm, excluding bank holidays. Both services are 'Hail and Ride' although there are bus stops in the Village as well. Timetables are posted at the bus stops, and can be obtained onboard. They can also be found on the Stagecoach website: www.stagecoachbus.com

Oxford Bus Company

Tel: 01865 785400: www.oxfordbus.co.uk

Offers a comprehensive network of bus services in Oxford and Abingdon, Kidlington and Didcot. The Airline coach service runs between Oxford Central Bus Station at Gloucester Green to and from Gatwick and Heathrow. The Oxford Express runs between Oxford Central Bus Station at Gloucester Green to London throughout the day and night.

Bampton Charities and Not-for-Profit Organisations

The Bampton Welfare Trust - Charity No. 202735

The Trustees may make gifts to the needy in Bampton, Aston, and Lew - as far as their funds allow - to relieve sudden distress or sickness, help with travelling expenses to hospitals, provide fuel and food for the sick. The Trustees also assist the local primary schools, playgroups and clubs for the elderly in that

Clerk to the Trustees: David Pullman: Tel: 01993 850589. Welfare Officer: Janet Newman: Tel: 01993 850755.

The Bampton Exhibition Foundation - Registered Charity No. 309238

The Foundation exists to maintain the Old Grammar School building (now the Library), and to provide financial support to young people residing in the Ancient Parish of Bampton, Aston, Lew and Weald,

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The financial help is for young people who would like to participate in any academic or sporting course or activity of educational value which would otherwise be beyond their means.

Chairman: Gerald: Tel: 01993 850670 Building Adviser: Tel: 01993 850589

Anyone who feels they qualify (or knows of someone who may do so) should contact the Bursary Administrator, Marion Dowding, Bay Tree Cottage, Rosemary Lane, Bampton, OX18 2NF: Tel: 01993 850167.

Friends of St. Mary's - Registered Charity No. 1042560

The Friends of St. Mary's is a non-denominational charity which aims to build up an endowment for major restoration work on the Church, which the regular congregation is unable to undertake.

Contact: Jonathan Phillips, Tel: 01993 850321.

Bampton Village Hall - Registered Charity No. 291659

Market Square, Bampton

Secretary: Fenella Gray: Tel: 01993 851653.

Lettings Officer: Cordula Simmons: Tel 01993 852317.

Friends of Bampton School (FOBS)

FOBS aims to raise funds to provide the children of the school with extra equipment or facilities which would not otherwise be available.

Contact: Su Allen: Tel: 01993 852882

Bampton Community Shop

Rosemary Lane, Bampton

A not-for-profit shop set up by some ladies in the Village, to make money for charitable organisations and other good causes in the Village. The shop accepts donations of clothes, books, and other nonelectrical goods, and sells them to the public.

For information: Tel: Fenella Gray: 01993 851653.

Medical Services Emergencies Telephone: 999

Bampton Surgery

Landells, Bampton. Tel: 01993 850257.

Emergencies and Out of Hours Tel: 0845 345 8995.

Community Midwife: Tel: 01993 708742.

District Nurses: Tel: 01993 851997. Health Visitor: Tel: 01993 850934.

Witney Community Hospital

Welch Way, Witney

General Enquiries: Tel: 01993 209400

The John Radcliffe Hospital, Oxford

Tel: 01865 741166.

The Churchill Hospital, Oxford

Tel: 01865 741841.

The Nuffield Orthopaedic Centre, Oxford

Tel: 01865 741155.

Oxford Eye Hospital

Eye Emergency: Tel: 01865 234800. In-Patients: Tel: 01865 231233.

Lichfield Day Case Unit: Tel: 01865 231296.

Optometry: Tel: 01865 234740. Ortoptic: Tel: 01865 234297. Out-Patients: Tel: 01865 231099.

The Manor Hospital, Oxford

Tel: 01865 307777.

Education

Bampton CoE Primary School

Bowling Green Close, Bampton

Tel: 01993 850371; email: Office.3131@bampton.oxon.sch.uk: www.bampton.oxon.sch.uk

Henry Box School

Church Green, Witney.

Tel: 01993 703955; email: office.4050@henrybox.oxon.sch.uk: www.henrybox.oxon.sch.uk

Wood Green School

Woodstock Road, Witney.

Tel: 01993 702355; email: office.4052@woodgreen.oxon.sch.uk: www.woodgreen.oxon.sch.uk

St Hugh's Preparatory School

Tel: 01367 870700; email: office@st-hughs.co.uk: www.st-hughs.co.uk/

Cokethorpe School

Tel: 01993 703921; email: admin@cokethorpe.org: www.cokethorpe.org.uk

Abingdon & Witney College

Holloway Road, Witney

Tel: 01993 703464; email: enquiry@abingdon-witney.ac.uk: www.abingdon-witney.ac.uk

Burford School & Community College

Tel: 01993 823303; email: admin.4040@burford.oxon.sch.uk: www.burford.oxon.sch.uk

Pre-School and Youth Groups

Bampton Baby & Toddler Group

We meet in the Village Hall every Thursday between 10am - 11.45am.

We provide toys, slide, singing and drinks and biscuits for children 0 to Pre-school. For more information contact Cerian Cooper: Tel: 01993 850861.

Bampton Pre-School - Registered Charity No. 1059218

Ages 2 years 6 months to school entry.

Ring Alex Miller for more information: Tel: 01993 851501; www.bamptonpreschool.co.uk.

Registered for Nursery Education Grant for four-year olds. Active member of the Pre-School Learning Alliance.

Bampton Youth Club

Meets in the Youth Centre. Contact: Tina Cockcroft: Tel: 01993 842416; Mobile: 07775407563; email: Tina.cockroft@oxfordshire.gov.uk.

Bampton Girl Guides

No longer functioning.

Bampton Brownies

For information contact Wendy Copping: Tel: 01993 850371.

Bampton Scout Group

No longer functioning. For information on local packs, contact: Chris Brooks: Tel: 01993 200809.

Air Training Corps 2267 (Brize Norton)

Airmanship, flying, gliding, shooting, sport, camping for 13 – 20 year olds. www.raf.mod.uk/aircadets.

Army Cadet Force

Our mission is to help people between the ages of 12 and 18 develop both personally and physically by providing a large range of fun, exciting, challenging and adventurous opportunities. www.armycadets.com.

Arts, Drama, and Music Groups

West Ox Arts - Registered Charity No. 266542

WOA Gallery, Town Hall, Market Square.

Runs regular exhibitions, classes, workshops, and organises outings to galleries.

Tel: 01993 850137: Email: gallery@westoxarts.org: www.westoxarts.org.

Bampton Traditional Morris Men

Squire: Tony Daniels: Tel: 01993 210006.

The Traditional Bampton Morris Dancers

Squire: Lawrence Adams: Tel: 01993 850247.

The Bampton Morris Men

Squire: Mat Green: Tel: 01993 850760: Email: Mat@greenfiddle.fsnet.co.uk.

The Bampton Mummers

The Mummers – who come under the auspices of the SPAJERS - perform their play on Christmas Eve, in homes and pubs around Bampton.

Contact: Mat Green: Tel: 01993 850760; Email: Mat@greenfiddle.fsnet.co.uk.

Bampton Classical Opera - Registered Charity No. 1080541

A small professional company with a national reputation, presenting an annual open-air summer production in the Village, and occasional concerts.

Contact: Jeremy Gray or Gilly French, Tel: 01993 851876.

Website: www.bamptonopera.org

The Bampton Community Archive

Bampton Community Archive was created because Bampton is a special village with its own unique history and culture, and it was felt that something should be done to record and preserve its heritage before it all disappeared with the passage of time. And so, in 2002, a group of enthusiasts got together, and formed a committee to spearhead the project to gather information on the history of the village, and preserve it for posterity.

The Archive does not yet have a permanent home and so runs exhibitions in the Robert Vesey Room at

the Village Library.

For more information contact: Graham Newman: Tel: 01993 850755; Email: leofric@tinyworld.co.uk; or Jane Barnes: Tel: 01993 852515.

The Carterton Country Music Club

Meets at the Carterton Social Centre on the last Friday of each month. Dancing to top British C&W bands. Contact: Mick Cleaver: Tel: 01993 850682.

Sports and Recreation

Bampton Town Football Club

Chairman: Martyn Holder: Tel: 01993 840206; email: martynholder@btinternet.com.

Secretariat: Murray Disbrey; email: murray.disbrey@smurfitkappa.co.uk Junior Contact: Mark Taylor; email: markm taylor@hotmail.com

Bampton Tennis Club

Bampton Tennis Club's two clubs nights are on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Benefits to members include being able to pre-book and use the tennis courts throughout the year. A number of tournaments are held throughout the year.

Membership Secretary: Tel: 01993 824670. Email: bamptontennis@hotmail.co.uk.

Bampton in the Bush Cricket Club

If you or your child would like to play cricket with us, please contact either Richard Pitt (adults; 0777 857 8875) or Martin Landray (juniors; 01993 850939 or e-mail martin.landray@ctsu.ox.ac.uk). Full details of fixtures, results and playing statistics are available at the club website: www.bampton.play-cricket.com

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Bampton Archery Club

Meets weekly at The Recreation Ground. Indoor in winter.

Contact: Gerald Mills, Chairman: Tel: 01993 850670; or Jeff Dando, Secretary: Tel: 01993 850643: www.bamptonarcherv.co.uk

Bampton Badminton Club

Meets Tuesday mornings in the Village Hall. Contact: Lesley Campbell: Tel: 01993 852846.

The Bampton Weightlifting Club

Chairman: Don Rouse: Tel: 01993 850938; email: donlewcroft@tiscali.co.uk

Secretary: Ray Fielding: Tel: 07855 146949.

Churches

Church of England - St. Mary the Virgin, Bampton

Vicar: The Reverend David Lloyd, B.D: Tel: 01993 851222; email: RevDJLloyd@aol.com

Bellringers: Contact: David Rose: Tel: 01993 850214.

The Methodist Chapel

Bridge Street, Bampton

Minister Rev. Ian Duffy: Tel: 01367 240227.

Church Secretary: Linden Elev: Tel: 01993 702561.

Senior Steward: Tel: Philip Shaw 01993 850016.

Service each Sunday 11am.

Drop-In Lunch Club each Monday 11.45 - 1.00pm. All Welcome

Roman Catholic Church - St. Joseph's

Arkell Avenue, Carterton

Tel: 01993 842463.

Sunday Mass 9.00am at St. Mary's, Bampton.

For Mass times at Carterton and other notices, please see the board in St. Mary's porch.

Halls for Hire

Bampton Village Hall

Premises Licence to include the sale by retail of alcohol for consumption on the premises. Suitable for meetings, shows, concerts, plays, dances, private receptions and parties. Kitchen.

Lettings Officer: Cordula Simmons: Tel: 01993 852317

Bampton Town Hall

Lower rooms suitable for small meetings, coffee mornings, etc.

Contact: Sarah Radband: Tel: 01993 851870.

Bampton Youth Club

Suitable for concerts, plays, dances, private receptions and parties. Excellent parking facilities.

Hirings Officer: Sarah Radband: Tel: 01993 851870

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Bampton Bush Centre

Comfortable sitting room and dining room with excellent kitchen and toilet facilities - the latter including access for disabled. Particularly suitable for small to medium groups. Available most evenings and weekends. Excellent parking facilities

Hirings Officer: Reece Witchell: Tel: 01993 851248.

The Pavilion - Bampton Recreation Ground

Suitable for sporting events, dances, private receptions and parties. Excellent parking facilities. Kitchen and bar area. Changing rooms and showers. Entertainments Licence.

Contact: Ray Willis: Tel: 01993 852483.

Social Organisations and Clubs

Royal British Legion, Bampton Branch

Evening social events, and outings. Organises Remembrance Sunday Parade and Church Service. Secretary: Fred Gray, Tel: 01993 851653.

The Society for the Preservation of Ancient Junketting - SPAJERS

Raises money by organising The Great Annual Shirt Race, the spring Quiz, the Donkey Derby and Fete. Takes the pensioners of the Village on an annual outing, and provides them with gift at Christmas. Chairman: Mat Green: Tel: 01993 850760: Email: Mat@greenfiddle.fsnet.co.uk; Secretary: Roger Snow: Tel: 01993 850113.

The Society for the Protection of Bampton

The Society's Objective is to prevent Bampton from being spoiled by undue or ill-considered changes, such as over development, and as such makes representation as appropriate to the OCC and WODC on issues that could have a positive or negative impact on Bampton. The Society paid the cost of the purchase of Sandford's Field for the Village.

Contact: Trevor Milne-Day: Tel: 01993 850293.

Bampton Ladies Group

A group of ladies who meet in the Village Hall on the third Wednesday of each month at 8pm. Our aim is to have a variety of light-hearted talks, demonstrations and outings. If you would like to come along, the first visit is free.

Secretary: Joan Farthing: Tel: 01993 851206.

Bampton Environmental Watch Group - BEWG

BEWG's main objective is to help preserve the historic, architectural and natural environment of the Village. and as such makes representation as appropriate to the OCC and WODC on issues that could have a positive or negative impact on Bampton.

Chairman: Ralph Norman: Tel: 01993 850823.

The Bush Club

A Club run by volunteers for the elderly residents of Bampton. It meets once a week, for lunch and recreational pursuits.

Contact: Fenella Gray: Tel 01993 851653, or Veronica Baker: Tel: 01993 851040.

West Oxfordshire Conservative Association, Bampton, Clanfield and Black Bourton Branch

Chairman: Graham Haslam, Tel: 01993 851014.

Bampton Theatre Club

The club organises theatre visits, mainly to the Oxford theatres, but occasionally to Stratford and further afield - including London. From time to time there are also non-theatre trips to places of interest. Membership Secretary: Lis Banham: Tel: 01993 850019.

Bampton Slow Living Society

The Society was formed in response to the fast living society of today. Meets regularly to enjoy food and wine in a convivial atmosphere.

Contact: Ray Proctor: Tel: 01993 850479.

The Bampton Bridge Club

The Club meets in the Village Hall every Tuesday, 7:30 pm to 10pm. Duplicate Bridge is played on the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Tuesday of the month.. Rubber bridge on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays. The annual subscription is £6 with a charge of £1.00 per session. New members are always welcome. Contact: Frank Hudson: Tel: 01993 852126.

The Bampton Gardening Club

The Gardening Club run an annual show in the Autumn, catering for flowers, vegetables, home cookery, needlework, gardens and allotments, and handicrafts. The Club also runs outings throughout each year to a variety of locations. Details of such trips can be found under 'Forthcoming Events' in the *The Bampton Beam* or on the Bampton Website.

To join the Club - which is not restricted to residents of Bampton only - please contact: Gill Gummer on 01993 851913. Annual subscriptions are £3 (OAPs £2).

The Bampton Website www.bamptonoxon-parishcouncil.gov.uk