

Kempsford

(with Whelford, Dunfield and Dudgrove)

Parish Newsletter

EMERGENCY ROAD CLOSURE

Kempsford to Hannington

A badger sett of approximately 100m directly under the carriageway has forced Gloucestershire Highways to close the road from Kempsford to Hannington. There is evidence of tonnes of aggregate that has been removed from underneath the road and failings in the surface.

A licence to remove the badgers has been requested from Natural England but due to breeding season work will not be granted until July 1st.

Work will commence on the 1st July and it is estimated to last a couple of weeks .

Due to the risk of the road collapsing and a risk to life, the road will remain closed until the works are complete (around the 15th July). Please respect the road closure as it is for your own safety.

Diversion signs will be in place.

A copy of the formal Road Closure Notice will be available to view on the Parish Council website shortly—www.kempsfordparishcouncil.net

May 2019

PARISH DIARY

MAY

Thurs 2nd	District Council Elections	Kempsford Village Hall	
Sun 5th	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Home (Cricklade)	1.00pm
Wed 8th	Kempsford Village Hall AGM	Kempsford Village Hall	8pm
Thurs 9th	Monthly Café	Kempsford Village Hall	12 - 2pm
Sat 11th	Fairford and District Choral Society's summer concert	St Mary's Church, Fairford	7.30pm
Sat 11th	Live Music at Whelford Social Club	Whelford Village Hall	
Sun 12th	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Away (Fairford)	2.00pm
Tues 14th	Parish Council Meeting	Kempsford Village Hall	7.45pm
Sun 19th	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Away (Bibury)	1.00pm
Mon 20th	Copy deadline for June Newsletter		
Sun 26th	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Home (Fairford)	2.00pm

JUNE

Sat 1st	Live Music at Whelford Social Club	Whelford Village Hall	
Sun 2nd	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Away (Cricklade)	1.00pm
Wed 5th	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Away (Cricklade T20)	6.00pm
Sun 9th	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Home (Avebury)	2.00pm
Sun 16th	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Away (Nomads)	2.00pm
Tues 18th	Parish Council Meeting	Kempsford Village Hall	7.45pm
Wed 19th	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Home (Cricklade T20)	6.00pm
Sat 22nd	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Home (Fleet St. Strollers)	1.00pm
Sat 22nd	Kempsford Village Festival Day	Further details to follow	
Mon 24th	Copy deadline for July Newsletter		
Sun 30th	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Home (Nomads)	2.00pm

JULY

Tues 2nd	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Home (Siddington T20)	6pm
Sun 7th	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Away (Iffley)	2pm
Sat 13th	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Away (isis)	2pm
Tues 16th	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Home (Langford T20)	6pm
Tues 16th	Parish Council Meeting	Kempsford Village Hal	7.45pm
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Mon 22nd	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Away (Langford T20)	6pm
Mon 22nd	Copy deadline for Aug Newsletter		
Sun 28th	Kempsford Cricket Club Fixture	Home (Aldsworth)	2pm

Note - all Home Cricket matches are played at Meysey Hampton

KEMPSFORD PARISH COUNCIL

Clerk: Teresa Griffin, Winterwood, Whelford, Fairford, Glos. GL7 4EB

Tel: 01285 713691 Email: clerk@kempsfordparishcouncil.net

www.kempsfordparishcouncil.net

Parish Councillors	Email	Tel.
Mr Tony Williams (Chair)	tonywilliams@kempsfordparishcouncil.net	01285 810628
Mr Jerry Stokes (Vice-chair)	jerrystokes@kempsfordparishcouncil.net	07834 369645
Mrs Christine Nugent	christinenugent@kempsfordparishcouncil.net	01285 810306
Ms Alison Ward	alisonward@kempsfordparishcouncil.net	01285 810273
Mrs Sue Griffin	suegriffin@kempsfordparishcouncil.net	01285 712979
Mr Mark Strange	markstrange@kempsfordparishcouncil.net	01285 810635
Mr Philip Nickson	philnickson@kempsfordparishcouncil.net	01285 810466

Parish Council and other Meeting dates

Tuesday 14th May 2019	Annual Parish Council Meeting	7.45pm, Kempsford Village Hall
Tuesday 18th June 2019	Parish Council Meeting	7.45pm, Kempsford Village Hall

Cotswold District Council Planning

Planning applications lodged or new details received:

Reference	Development	Location
19/00982/FUL	Full application for side and rear extension	Brambles, Dunfield
19/00883/FUL	Full application for erection of first floor side extension and formation of pitched roof over the garage	4 The Wharfings, Kempsford
19/00424/FUL	Full application for change of Unit Type at Plot 8.03 previously approved under application Ref. 18/00484/REM	Plot 8.03 Coln Waters Leisure Development, Lechlade
19/01068/LBC	Listed Building Consent for replacing existing stable door and frame with new	Paradise Farm, High Street, Kempsford
19/01065/LBC	Listed Building Consent for alterations to existing porch, including the insertion of a door	Paradise Farm, High Street, Kempsford

Kempsford Village Hall Regular Bookings

	Mondays	Tuesdays	Wednesdays	Thursdays	Fridays
AM	10:00-11:00 Pilates Rona Bennett 01865 820754		10:00 to 13:00 Hartbeeps	12:00-14:00 Café (monthly, 2 nd Thursday)	
PM	16:00-17:00 Rainbows Karen Cornish			12:00-14:00 Post Office	
Evening	18:00-19:00 Zumba Donna 07891 660089		18:00-19:00 Youth and Children's Club 07918 732040	15:30 to 17:00 Brownies Ms Philippa Griffin 01285 810754 / 0779 3562704	
		19:45-21:45 Parish Council Meeting (monthly, usually 3 rd Tuesday)	20:00-21:30 Village Hall Meeting (monthly, usually 2nd Wednesday)		

See <http://kempsford.net/villagehall/calendar.php> for the up to date Events Calendar which may vary week by week.

**For Bookings, contact Kate Collins on 01285 810478 or
email: villagehallbookings@kempsford.net**

Kempsford Village Hall Committee Members

Hannah Dickens (Chair) *	Tel: 07597 625284	Pete Robinson (Fundraising) *	Tel: 01285 810356
Caroline Gooch (Treasurer) *	Tel: 07826 939718	Mark Strange (PC Rep)	Tel: 01285 810635
Joy Cross (Secretary) *	Tel: 01285 810439	Ruth Gray	Tel: 01285 810747
Kate Collins (Booking Sec.) *	Tel: 01285 810478	Mark Britt *	Tel: 07771 506527

* Denotes Trustee Member

New members are always welcome!



KEMPSFORD VILLAGE HALL CAFÉ

Thursday 9th May 12 – 2pm

Back by popular demand - Ploughmans lunches
made with locally produced Ham and Cheese!
Or try our Homemade Soup and Breads,
Delicious Cakes, Fresh Coffee and Speciality Teas

Also we'll have a cake stall for you to buy a treat to enjoy
at home and support research into Parkinson's disease

All welcome
If you haven't been before you're missing a treat!

Kempsford Village Hall Committee

Annual General Meeting

Wednesday 8th May 2019
8:00 pm in the Village Hall

All Kempford residents welcome
Come and meet the Committee and support the Hall

YOUR VILLAGE HALL NEEDS YOU!



**TEMPORARY CLOSURE C/172 CHAPEL ROAD
(KEMPSFORD PARISH) COTSWOLD DISTRICT**

Gloucestershire County Council intend to make an order under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (as amended) to temporarily close part of the C/172 Chapel Road from its junction with C/175 High Street to its junction with 400994 Top Road for a distance of approximately 130 metres.

The reason for the closure is to carry out works in the carriageway.

The road is expected to be closed on 3rd June 2019 until 5th June 2019 or until the works have been completed. For further information, please contact Gloucestershire Highways on **08000 514 514** or visit **www.gloucestershire.gov.uk**.

Alternative Route - as signed on site

Pedestrian and Emergency access to premises on or next to the road will be maintained.

DATED: 16th May 2019

For Head of Legal Services

SJD/67383

Legal Services, Shire Hall, Westgate Street, Gloucester GL1 2TG

A new way for your highways

How things will work

From 1st April 2019 the Gloucestershire County Council highways service will be operating differently. We will be moving away from a single highways provider in order to work directly with suppliers, getting closer to what is happening out in our communities. As part of this new operating model the council will be taking more responsibility for some services including the customer service team and front line Area Highway Representatives as well as the design and supervision of structural maintenance (resurfacing) works.

The council will use different providers to deliver three main aspects of the county's road works; general maintenance (Ringway), structural maintenance (Tarmac) and highways professional services /major projects (Atkins). As well as this three pronged approach we will continue to have Skanska delivering the street lighting service and Telent providing the traffic signal service around the county.

Key to this new way of delivering highway services is all of the partner organisations working together as one team, committed to living within the County Council's values and with the same vision in mind:

You can send us a message 24 hours a day 7 days a week, whenever it is convenient for you

"Report it" online portal

www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/report-it

We will be using a new email address from 1st April 2019

highways@gloucestershire.gov.uk

08000 514 514 for out of hours and emergencies

Keep up to date with what our crews are doing in your area

Follow our social media



@GlosRoads on Twitter



Gloucestershire Roads on Facebook Visit our website

www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/highways



Where does your enquiry go?

Contact Highways
highways@gloucestershire.gov.uk
Report it online • 08000 514 514

GCC Highways
Customer Service Team

Area Highways Teams

Highways Commissioning

Leadership Team

Public Rights of Way Team

Delivery Partners

Structural Maintenance Resurfacing
Tarmac

Traffic Signals
Telent

Highways Inspectors
Ringway

Streetlighting
Skanska

Potholes Emergency Callouts
Ringway

Design and Professional Services
Atkins

RAF Fairford - Bomber Task Force post-deployment operations update

RAF Fairford recently hosted a United States Strategic Command, Bomber Task Force deployment of B-52 Stratofortress aircraft from the 2nd Bomb Wing, Barksdale Air Force Base, Louisiana. Six B-52s arrived at RAF Fairford between 14-15 March, along with over 400 support personnel, who made RAF Fairford their home for a few weeks.

The deployment of strategic bombers to RAF Fairford helps to exercise the base as the **United States Air Forces in Europe's Forward Operating Location for bomber aircraft**. The strategic bomber missions from Fairford enhance the readiness and training necessary to respond to any potential crisis or challenge across the globe.

During their time here, Airmen from the 2nd Bomb Wing flew missions over several areas in the European theatre, including Estonia/Baltic Sea, Norwegian Sea, Greece/Mediterranean Sea, Poland, Lithuania, Latvia, Iceland, Norway, Netherlands, Romania, Hungary and Morocco, where **they took part in the annual "African Lion" training exercise**. These missions enabled the deployed personnel to conduct interoperability training with NATO Allies. Joint training opportunities like these enhance the ability to operate together and sharpen the readiness of the NATO alliance.

RAF Fairford has been designated as a USAF bomber Forward Operating Location since the 1990's, and enables the US and NATO to conduct a full spectrum of flying operations in the European theatre. The deployments mean that the base experiences periods of airfield activity followed by quieter periods. For reasons of operational security it is not possible to give specific dates when airfield activity will start and end.

In addition to the above, it has recently been announced that the USAF 95th Reconnaissance Squadron and 488th Intelligence Squadron will relocate the RC-135 RIVET JOINT mission from RAF Mildenhall to RAF Fairford as part of the European Infrastructure Consolidation. RC-135 aircraft will also use RAF Fairford as a Forward Operating Location and deploy as required from the United States. Planning has started for the relocation of this mission, which will involve around 880 personnel plus family members, who will be stationed at RAF Fairford and become part of the local community. The relocation of personnel is expected to begin in 2023.

To view photos and videos of the Bomber Task Force, visit:

www.dvidshub.net/feature/bombertaskforceeurope

For more information about activities at RAF Fairford, you can follow the 501st Combat Support Wing on:

www.facebook.com/501stCSW

www.501csw.usafe.af.mil

Press releases regarding aircraft activity at RAF Fairford and elsewhere in Europe are available on:

www.usafe.af.mil/News/Press-Releases/

If you have any specific queries about activities at RAF Fairford, please contact Jenny Collyer, Community Relations Adviser, at 01285 714965 / jennifer.collyer.2.gb@us.af.mil, and 501st Combat Support Wing Public Affairs at 01480 843857 / 501csw.pa@us.af.mil.

ST MARY'S KEMPSFORD WITH ST ANNE'S WHELFORD

Clergy

Nick Scott – revnickscott@gmail.com

John Partington – 01285 750332; john.p@sctm.church

Lay Preacher – Rob Mitchell (01285 712821)

Churchwarden – Elizabeth Emberson (dizzylizzie@sky.com)

Dear Friends,

I wish you all a very happy Easter, though it seems somewhat ironic to do so in light of the terrible events of Easter Day in Sri Lanka. The peoples of Sri Lanka were remembered by us in prayer in church later that same day, singled out amongst all the people in the world on this occasion because of the atrocity.

A striking image from the devastation is from the church of St. Sebastian in Katuwapitiya. A statue of Christ, arm and eyes raised to heaven is shown, damaged by the explosion and splattered with blood. The attitude of the Christ is one that I am sure most people feel. Why is there such violence? Why doesn't our loving God prevent such horror? There is such an attitude of appeal in the image, of confusion too.

The age old dilemma of the Christian faith has been to try and resolve the issue of suffering in this world. Whilst various suggestions of punishment for sin, it enabling us to grow spiritually and allowing greater appreciation of a pain free afterlife have been mooted over the centuries, there is nothing that really satisfies the purely rational mind. We have to rely on faith ultimately, that is will somehow make sense eventually, even if we can't see it now.

I often wonder how much God feels the same way about suffering though. We have been given a wonderful planet, and yet we squander so much of it. We have wonderful minds and technologies, and we make missiles and dangerous drugs.

I can almost picture a mirror image of the Christ in St. Sebastian's church, looking down from the heavens, eyes and body language expressing the same ideal of horror and appeal. Why do you hurt one another so much?

The Easter message is one of hope and new life. I pray it is heard especially clearly this year, for it seems to be so very much need by us.

God bless, Nick

CHURCH SERVICES IN MAY

Sunday 5

8.30 am	Holy Communion	Whelford	<i>NS</i>
9.30 am	Holy Communion	Castle Eaton	<i>AJ</i>
9.30 am	Morning Worship	Kempsford	<i>NS</i>

Sunday 12

9.30 am	Morning Worship	Kempsford	<i>RM</i>
9.30 am	Morning Worship	Castle Eaton	<i>RM</i>

Sunday 19

9.30 am	Holy Communion	Whelford	<i>RS</i>
9.30 am	Morning Worship	Castle Eaton	<i>JP</i>
4.00 pm	Family Service	Kempsford	<i>NS</i>

Sunday 26

9.30 am	Morning Worship	Castle Eaton	<i>MS</i>
9.30 am	Holy Communion	Kempsford	<i>MB</i>

We also hold Morning Prayer in Kempsford church at 9.30 am every
Wednesday

AJ – Toto Jones; *DA* – Dennis Archard; *JP* – John Partington;
MB – Margaret Bettis; *NS* – Nick Scott; *RM* – Rob Mitchell.

AIR TATTOO THANKS **ITS 'NEIGHBOURS' WITH DISCOUNTED TICKETS**

The Royal International Air Tattoo is **offering half price Friday and Sunday tickets to next summer's** airshow.

Valid for Friday 19 and Sunday 21 July, residents with specific postcodes living close to RAF Fairford – where the world-famous military airshow is held – have until May 31 to purchase up to two discounted **tickets per residential household as a 'thank you' for their support.**

Next summer's event is set to be 'out of this world' as not only will the airshow feature the world's most exciting aircraft, but it will turn its spotlight into space.

The airshow's theme *Air & Space: inspiring the Next Generation Air Force* follows an announcement earlier this year that the Royal Air Force **will be taking command and control of the UK's military space** operations, reflecting the importance of space in ensuring successful military operations around the world.

The focus on space will be particularly poignant as the 2019 airshow will be staged on the same weekend, 50 years ago that the first Moon landing took place in 1969.

Andy Armstrong, Chief Executive of RAF Charitable Trust Enterprises, which organises the event, said: "2018 was a very special year as not only did we welcome a record-breaking 185,000 visitors to RAF **Fairford, but we were honoured to be the 'official international celebration' of the Royal Air Force's** centenary.

"To mark the occasion, the Friday of last **summer's** show featured a full flying display and in recognition of this added disruption **and to show gratitude for locals' cooperation,** we offered free admission tickets to those living nearby.

"**Next year** will see the Friday of the airshow revert to a shorter, preview day with a limited number of tickets. However, **we still want to recognise our neighbours'** support and therefore we are giving locals, living within selected postcodes, the opportunity to purchase half price tickets for the Friday and Sunday of **the airshow**".

The residents' discount reduces the price of an adult admission ticket from £57.00 to £28.50.

To secure half-price tickets, residents with specific postcodes, must visit Air Tattoo HQ, located at Douglas Bader House, Horcott Hill, Fairford, GL7 4RB, 9am-5pm, Monday-Friday and bring a household bill or document displaying a name, address with valid postcode and photo ID.

The deadline for purchase is 5pm on Friday 31 May 2019, no tickets will be available after this point.

The Royal International Air Tattoo is staged annually in support of the RAF Charitable Trust. To find out if your postcode is eligible for a discounted ticket, or to discover more about the airshow, visit

www.airtattoo.com.

NOTICES

Cotswold Cogfest bike ride is happening again this year on Sunday 12th May. The riders will be coming through Kempsford again in small groups probably between 10 – 11:30am, travelling from the Hannington Wick direction towards Whelford. A feed station table will be set up near Kempsford Church and the area will be left litter free and tidy.

SAVE THE DATE - 22nd June 2019 Kempsford Village Festival Day

Fairford and District Choral Society's summer concert is at 19.30 on Saturday 11 May at St Mary's Church, Fairford. Along with professional soloists, they are performing **Mozart's** Requiem, K626 and Schubert's Mass No 2 in G Major, D167. Tickets cost £15 and are available from Fairford Opticians from 1 April 2019.

LECHLADE HISTORY SOCIETY

Monday May 13th 2019 : 7.15 for 7.30 : in the Memorial Hall

Beer, Sausages & Marmalade : Oxford food and drink in the 19th Century by Liz Woolley

Guests welcome £4 : Contact Marion Winkles 01367 252851 : www.lechladehistory.co.uk

Kempsford School needs a new Clerk for the Weymouth Trust

Sally Scarth (School administrator from 1994 – 2004) would like to hand over the role of clerk to the Weymouth Trust after voluntarily doing the job for over 20 years.

The role is not time consuming or difficult and can be undertaken by a parent, member of staff or anyone interested. The trust was founded in 1709 and among the first trustees were John Faulkner, William Battersby and William Arkell (hence the name of the school's houses). There are only three short meetings during the year where Minutes need to be taken. The trust receives a small income which finances the annual leavers' gifts and special awards at the end of the summer term.

If you are interested in helping the school out in this way or would like more information about the role please contact Sally by email: sally.scarth@outlook.com or Carolyn Sleight at the school office: admin@kempsford.gloucs.sch.uk.



The Post Office service has returned to Kempford Village Hall, following the recent refurbishment, and is open between 12:00 hrs and 14:00 hrs every Thursday.

Whelford Village Hall

FREE fast broadband available to all Hirers
For bookings, contact Sue Griffin on
01285 712979 or
email—374croft@gmail.com



Whelford Social Club

A small, friendly club, welcomes new members and guests

What's on -

Saturday 11th May —Live Music

Saturday 1st June—Live Music

Plus regular Bingo on Wednesdays and Sundays

Opening Hours:

Wed, Fri & Sat: 8pm—12am, Sun 12pm—6pm & 8pm—11pm

JUNE 2019 NEWSLETTER

Copy for the above Newsletter to Teresa Griffin by

MONDAY 20TH MAY PLEASE

Email: clerk@kempfordparishcouncil.net

KEMPSFORD FETE DAY

22nd June 2019



Launching our 5K Village Run & Children's Colour Run

PLUS

Activities for all ages

Stalls & games

**MEGA RAFFLE – win days out, CASH and
much more!**

Save the date & join in the fun

**Raising funds for Kempsford C.E. Primary, the Village Hall and
St Mary's Church**

**With thanks for the support given by Kempsford Parish Council,
The George and the organizations/individuals who have donated
raffle prizes.**

Police warning following recent telephone fraud



We're asking residents across the county to be alert to the danger of telephone banking frauds after an elderly woman was recently defrauded of £13,000 when criminals called her and told her that her bank account had been the subject of fraudulent activity.

Claiming to be calling from the police the criminals duped the woman into giving details of her account and transferring funds to theirs.

Please be alert and warn friends and family of this scam.

And stress the following:

- Your bank and the police will never ask for your PIN
- If you receive one of these calls end it immediately
- If you think you or someone you know has been targeted, report this to Action Fraud
- If you have handed over any details to the fraudster, call your bank and cancel your cards immediately.

If you want to call your bank, then do it from another telephone.

More advice on this type of fraud can be found at :

www.actionfraud.police.uk

If you believe you or someone you know has fallen victim to this type of crime please report it to Action Fraud on 0300 123 2040 or via 101.

Chris Jackson

External Communications Team Leader

Communications and Engagement

Gloucestershire Constabulary

PeoplePlus, the new provider for adult carers' services in the county

PeoplePlus, the new provider for adult carers' services in the county will be fully operationally from 1 April - and here's how you can contact them

The provider of Gloucestershire County Council contracted services for carers will change from 1 April 2019 from Carers Gloucestershire and Guidepost Trust to PeoplePlus. The **service will be called 'The Gloucestershire Carers Hub'**.

The carers hub will provide:

- Information, advice and guidance
- Carers assessment and support planning
- Carers Emergency Scheme
- Carers Breaks
- Hospital Liaison
- **Carers' Voice**
- Positive Caring education and training
- Carers emotional support and counselling
- Peer support and support groups

Referrals to the hub can be made in person at the following address, by telephone or via the website:

The Gloucestershire Carers Hub
Conway House
31 Worcester Street
Gloucester
GL1 3AJ

The telephone number 0300 111 9000 will transfer from Carers Gloucestershire to The Gloucestershire Carers Hub

The number for the Carers Emergency Scheme will stay the same as appears on carers' emergency cards

www.gloucestershirecarershub.co.uk

General Enquiries - carers@peopleplus.co.uk

LECHLADE AND DISTRICT LIONS
PRESENT AN EVENING
WITH
HELP MADINA CHARITY



10 YEARS ON
www.helpmadina.org.uk



Saturday 18th May
7.30pm

New Memorial Hall, Lechlade

Tickets £10 to include cheese and wine/soft drink

(First Glass Free)

Further details at www.lechladelions.org.uk

Tickets available from LECHLADE POST OFFICE or ring Steve on 01367 253025

QUIZ

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**FRIENDS OF FAIRFORD & LECHLADE
COMMUNITIES**
(Reg. Charity No: 1180059)



YOUR LOCAL CHARITY

Serving Fairford, Lechlade and the surrounding villages.
(Formerly League of Friends of Fairford Hospital)

News and Information from your Community Friends

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 13th June: Friends of Fairford & Lechlade Communities AGM at Fairford Hospital

Friday 28th June: Open Garden/Cheese and Wine evening at Langford Downs Farm, Lechlade, GL7 3QL by kind permission of Gavin and Caroline MacEchern.

Further details on both these events will follow.

VOLUNTEER DRIVERS NEEDED

We have a team of volunteer drivers who provide over 700 journeys a year for people in our community who have difficulty getting to their medical appointments at GP surgeries and local hospitals.

We urgently need more drivers to help with this vital community service. We ask our volunteers to complete a DBS check as this service provides much needed support and assistance to many vulnerable people in our community. Car running costs are paid for.

If you think you can help please contact Val Harvey on 07540 798226 or email Val at valoriain2019@gmail.com

If you need further information about Friends of Fairford & Lechlade Communities please contact Christine Barker on: 07767 408409 or email: fairford.lof@hotmail.co.uk.

Your continued support is very much appreciated

Graham Hewitt, Chairman

Friends of Fairford & Lechlade Communities
(Reg. Charity No: 1180059)
www.friendsoffairford.org.uk

Village Organisations & Useful Contacts

Church Warden	Elizabeth Emberson	Email:dizlylizzy@sky.com	
Church Choir	Mrs Cathy Stanford		713033
Church Bells	Iris Lewis		810770
Kempsford School	Mr Richard Mendum	(Head Teacher)	810367
Chairman of School Governors	Darren Jeffrey	1 Holford Crescent, Kempsford	810875
Farmors School	Mr Matthew Evans (Head)		712302
Kempsford Village Hall Bookings	Kate Collins	villagehallbookings@kempsford.net	810478
Whelford Village Hall & bookings	Sue Griffin	374croft@gmail.com	712979
Kempsford Angling Club	Mr J Hussey		810446
Dance Classes at Kempsford V.Hall	Ms Gillian Shearing		01793 875934
Kempsford Brownies	Philippa Griffin	https://www.girlguiding.org.uk/	
Cricket	Anthony Axel-Berg		07766222951
Royal British Legion	Mr A Hill		810035
Soldiers, Sailors & Airman's Acc. (SSAFA)	Mr & Mrs A Hill		810035
Scottish & Southern Electricity			0800 072 7282
Thames Water			0800 316 9800
Non-emergency Police Contact			101
NHS 111 Service		(when less urgent than 999)	111
Environment Agency	Floodline—0845 9881188	General Enquiries -	03708 506 506
Bulk Refuse	(phone to book)		01285 623000
Highway Matters & Street Light Faults		highways@gloucestershire.gov.uk	08000 514 514
Kempsford Hand Bell Team (Beaubells)	Iris Lewis		01285 810770
Fairford Sports Centre			713786
Cotswold District Councillors	Sue Coakley MBA Stephen Andrews	sue.coakley@cotswold.gov.uk Stephen.andrews@cotswold.gov.uk	01367 253306 01285 810663
Cotswold District Council			623000
Gloucestershire County Council			01452 425000
		Out of hours <u>Social Care issues only</u>	01452 614194
Gloucestershire County Councillor	Mr Raymond Theodoulou	rtheo525@aol.com	752000
Constituency MP	Mr G Clifton Brown	cliftonbrowng@parliament.uk	01242 514551
Parish Council Clerk (see Parish Council page for Councillors)	Mrs Teresa Griffin	teresagriffin@kempsfordparish Council.net	713691
Newsletter items	Mrs Teresa Griffin	As above	713691
Kempsford Website		www.kempsford.net	
Kempsford Parish Council Website		www.kempsfordparishcouncil.net	

Kempsford

Online



'Kempsford Village'
'Kempsford Mums & Dads'