

Neighbourhood Watch and Joan Church who was our keen governor of Sawston Village College.

We also say thankyou to those who worked in liaison with the Parish Council: Marjorie Westbrook for her dedicated 20 years as our governor at Shelford Primary School; Derek Bishop and Geoff Luff for drawing up an Emergency Plan should the village have chosen to implement it; Judy Mathewman who carried through the twinning with Verneuil; John North for continuing the Neighbourhood Watch and Derek Nicholls, our County Councillor, who works closely with both our Parish Council and the District Councillor, Brenda Bishop.

Your present Parish Council is listed on page 2. They need your interest and comments if they are to know whether or not they are running your village the way you wish. Parish Council meetings are advertised on the Little Shelford Memorial Hall notice board, in the Church porch, and L.S. Post Office. They are usually held on the fourth Wed. in Jan., March, July, Sept., and Nov., and on the 1st Wed. in May, at 8.00 p.m. in the Memorial Hall committee room. The Annual Parish Meeting is similarly advertised and, this year, will be held on Wed. 26th April at 7.30 p.m. in the Memorial Hall.

Our Parish Clerk, Valerie Luff, has served us wonderfully well for the past 14 years. She has resigned to take up an exciting job with the Children's Hospice in Milton. As well as secretary and treasurer to the Parish Council Valerie dealt with the day to day information and problems of the community. We give her our warmest thanks and wish her all success in her new job. We look forward to welcoming her successor.

Brenda Bishop: Chairman of the Parish Council

The drawing on the cover by Ron Westbrook, shows 6, Church Street, "The Old Post Office", Little Shelford, as it was in the early years of this century. It was first occupied in 1640. The last shopkeepers were Mr & Mrs Henry ("Hoooley") Hudson who were there from 1945 to 1963. After Mrs Hudson's death the property was sold to Mrs Bayon and Mrs Smith who converted it into a house. A deed dated 18 Feb 1854 conveying the property to M P Knowles describes it as follows:

All that message and tenement (theretofore divided into two tenements) in the occupation of the said G Dawson, shopkeeper, and Ann Wellings situate in Little Shelford together with the barns, stables appurtenances therunto adjoining and belonging, bounded on the N by the village street, E by the Horseshoes Public House and premises, S by the Camping Close, belonging to the devisees of the late Chas. Wales Bart., and W by premises of Revd. Henry Finch.

Abbreviations used in this Guide

G.S. : Great Shelford L.S. : Little Shelford
 M Tu W Th F Sa Sun : Days of the week
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 Ring the Cambridge number for connection to Bedford office. In EMERGENCY ring the above number at any time.
 Shop at 4 Market Hill, Cambridge 358259

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 Ring direct to Peterborough, OR via Cams 61234
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