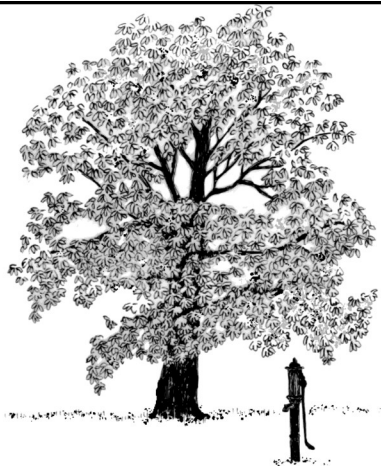




Cuddington Village Voice

March 2023

New community bus service to FoodCycle, Aylesbury, now available!

FoodCycle Herts, Beds and Bucks offer a free meal at Aylesbury Vineyard Storehouse every Tuesday at 6pm.

Everyone is welcome.

If you live in [#Westcott](#), [#Waddesdon](#), [#Berryfields](#), [#Quarrendon](#), [#Haddenham](#), [#Cuddington](#), [#Stone](#) or [#Southcourt](#), there is now a free minibus that will take you to and from The Vineyard.

Book your seat(s) by calling or texting Helen on 07540 324154.

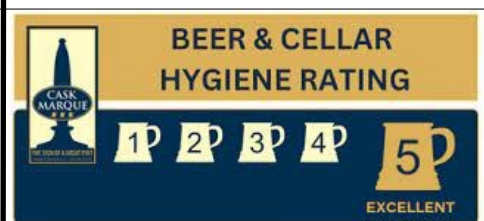


Top marks at THE CROWN!

February was an excellent month for the pub as we were awarded a

5* Cask Marque

Glyn achieved 100% in the assessment of his cellar and the ale we serve.



Cuddington Fete 8th July 2023

Preparations for this summer's fete continue and we are delighted so many of you have already agreed to participate, return as stall holders and lend your time and skills. Look out for requests on Facebook and the village website for more fete news as we start asking for donations to raffle, eat, drink, sell or smash! Get in touch cuddington.fete@gmail.com

ABCD Palestine Marathon

Angela Sanderson



For some years I have been supporting a charity called ABCD (Action around Bethlehem Children with Disability) which was set up by a good friend Val Jourdan. ABCD supports a children's home in Palestine which cares for orphans and children who have been mutilated by the war between Palestine and Israel, and helps families trying to cope with everyday life in a conflict area. Val has worked tirelessly on this project and was awarded an MBE for her services a few years ago.

Every other year Palestine organises a Marathon, just like our London Marathon, where competitors can run or walk either the whole distance or part of it. I am going to join Val in early March, together with some of her family and friends, go out to Palestine and walk half the distance in an attempt to help raise more funds for the children's home. I am currently trying to walk further and further each day so hopefully will be able to complete the course without too much difficulty - although I'm not sure what the terrain will be like.

If you feel you can support me, and indeed ABCD, in any way your donation - whatever size - will be hugely appreciated. Val has set up a fundraising page using Enthuse, who also process donations on the ABCD website. You can learn more about the functions of ABCD and make your donations, if you wish to do so, at: <https://abcbdethlehem.enthuse.com/cf/palestine-marathon-2023> Please do help me to raise funds for this very worthwhile charity; your support will be a real boost to me as I walk. In next month's Village Voice I will be writing with news from Bethlehem, and hopefully including one or two photos as well.

We helped more people celebrate their birthdays with us, hope you had a great time, Chris, Patrick, Mick and Annabel who is now a grown up 3 year old 😊

Valentine's chateaubriand steak night was a marked as 'delicious' by all and everyone went home with a doggy bag. Thanks to Boarstall meats for the excellent steak and thanks to our team: guest chef Chris, Kitchen porter Tim plus Amelie and Maya who were front of house for your help to make the evening run so smoothly.

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Churchyard Lime Trees

A big "thank you" to all those who have "adopted" a lime tree and pruned all the whiskery lower growth off ready for spring.

There are still two needing TLC.

So if you or your family would like to help please speak to me.

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Services in March

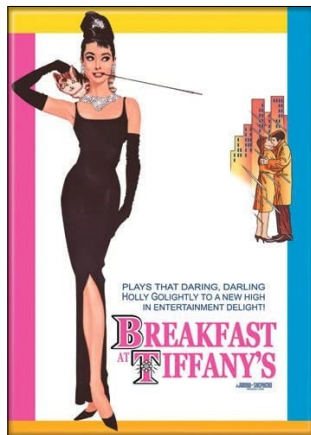
St Nicholas, Cuddington Wychert Vale
Welcome
Worshipping God
Serving Community
Sharing Life



5 th March	Morning worship; children's activities in Bernard Hall
12 th March	All-Age Communion
19 th March	All-Age Service for Mothering Sunday
26 th March	Holy Communion; children's activities in Bernard Hall

Cuddington Matinee Cinema

On Monday 27th March at 1.30pm (doors open 1pm) in the Bernard Hall, the poignant, romantic comedy "Breakfast at Tiffany's" will be shown, starring Audrey Hepburn and George Peppard. Hepburn's captivating portrayal of Holly Golightly as the naïve, eccentric café-society girl is generally considered to be one of the actress's most memorable roles and the well-known song "Moon River" won an Academy Award. Entry £7 (£5 for Sunshine Club members) includes tea and cake at the interval.



Ringling for a future King

I am not a church goer, but I DO like a church building and all that it contains. The daughter of an architect, I have become one of those parents who always insists we wander round a cathedral or tiny chapel whenever we are on holiday or in a foreign country. I am a sucker for a beautifully engineered apse or flying buttress, I love the colours a stained-glass window throws across a nave, the intricate embroidery of an ancient altar cloth and the sounds of echoing cloisters, singing and especially bells ringing.

From our garden during lockdown, we were able to hear clapping and bells ringing from the tower of St. Nicholas Church Cuddington, and when the wind was blowing in the right direction (and because there were less cars on the road at the time) the bells in Chearsley too. It was a hopeful sound rising over the fields but not a sound I truly understood or appreciated... until now.

Having celebrated a significant birthday in January, 'I am learning bell-ringing' is not something I ever expected to write, and yet I am and it has only increased my appreciation of the churches in our villages, towns and cities.

Thought for the month...



A March newsletter should ideally overflow with the mood music of sunshine, magnolias, cherry blossoms, busily nesting songbirds! Alas, at the time of writing (admittedly still in February), the proverbial first signs of spring seem a little slow in coming. True, a few snowdrops and crocuses are poking out here and there, maybe even the odd precocious daffodil. But so far the year has felt a tad frosty, and on all sorts of fronts. Again and again, we've returned to the morning routine of scraping the car windscreen before work. And as for songbirds, they've been scared away either by the chill or by a thousand starlings holding daily conferences in our chestnut tree for weeks on end.... But it's been bone-chilling in more ways than one – starting with the bill for keeping the house warm! The cost of a trip to the supermarket remains similarly eye-watering, almost like paying for a holiday week in, week out Many families are struggling to make ends meet – and half the country is on strike about it. With every passing month the NHS looks less like the doctor and more like a patient very ill with the flu. Oh, and we've just had a year of the only full-scale European war of aggression in most of our lifetimes, with no end in sight for Ukrainian visitors longing to return home. Springtime may sometimes take longer than we would like. But God's free, unshakeable promise of renewal and resurrection follows life's Lenten seasons of sacrifice and suffering, as surely as the promise of spring warmth follows winter frost. As Easter approaches, why not join with others in opening our hearts to that hope?

Marcus Bockmuehl

Along with other members of my family we are not quite the Von-Trapps of the Tower but with the kind and patient help of the Stonham's we are backstroking (nothing like swimming) and handstroking. There are Sallys to catch, I mustn't look up, I need to pull down straight and at some point we will need to bring it all together and do it in sequence with other ringers. Heaven help them and those that live near the Tower for it is us practicing on a Wednesday and we are the ones on a Friday evening clanging about before there is a reprieve and the true experienced ringers come and make the Tower sing. We have yet to attend the 'theory lesson' at the pub, but my husband is very much looking forward to it. I don't know about Ringing for the King, but I think we might be better placed to ring for King William, than his father!

Rachael Barnard

<https://ringfortheKing.org/>



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The Crown in Cuddington

It is believed that The Crown was built in 1695. Originally it was an alehouse brewing its own beer. Records begin in 1753 when William Birch is listed as landlord.



An inventory of the property from the time stated that there were two parlours, four bedchambers, a cellar, all under a thatched roof, together with a spacious barn. There have been many notable landlords. Robert Green was in charge from 1841 to 1861. He had a second job as a carpenter. He died in 1863 aged 51, and his wife, Mary, was eventually buried with him when she died in 1893. The inscription on his tombstone in the churchyard is poignant:

"Affliction sore, long time he bore.

Physicians were in vain.

Till death did ease and God did please

To free me from my pain"

Robert and Mary's son, George, was born in The Crown. He went on to become one of the most successful entrepreneurs to hail from Cuddington. He built Clapton, now Wellfield, House in Spurt Street opposite his birthplace. His humble beginnings make his story particularly inspiring.

The owners of The Crown, Thomas and Sarah Parrott, transferred it to the Aylesbury Brewery Company in 1895. William Woodford became landlord in 1887. In 1901 when he died, his wife Ellen continued, then in 1905 their son, Albert, followed in their footsteps. After the long Woodford tenure in 1943 a new landlord, 'Sonny' Rose (1895-1967) took over. He was a former Coldstream Guard who served in the trenches in World War One.

The memories of Lil Arnott (1910 – 2007) and her friends, including Sonny Rose's daughters, provide us with a first-hand account of The Crown during Sonny's time as landlord. Lil lived in the village most of her life and helped in The Crown at busy weekends and on some evenings.

Lil recalled the happy times when a pint of beer cost one shilling, a gin and orange was one shilling and ninepence and a bottle of tonic sixpence. There were no tills and all calculations were done in the head. One of Sonny's frequent sayings to her was, "One drink before you start sharpens your wits, but don't drink while you are serving". She confirmed that, in common with most rural public houses, beer was the main drink although some spirits were consumed. There was little wine. Cigarettes were available but other than crisps and peanuts, very little food was sold. However, some darts teams were served sandwiches on request.

Sonny introduced his second hand pianola into The Crown. One of the popular penny songs was, "I'm looking over a four-leaved clover".

Sonny proved a popular landlord and enjoyed respect in the village. He ran a well-ordered house and kept up to date professionally by his membership of the Licenced Victuallers Club and taking the publicans' newspaper "The Morning Advertiser". He enjoyed the same interests as many of his rural customers – shooting, fishing, gardening and keeping chickens, pigs and geese. He was also a member of the village Robin Hood Band in which he played the euphonium. During the war supplies of beer sometimes ran short. The Aylesbury Brewery Company draymen usually delivered on a Friday and sometimes by Sunday evening the house was dry. Word soon got around and thirsty men walked to The Bottle and Glass at Gibraltar.

Lil recalled how in her day The Crown played a major role in village life. Not only was it a popular source of refreshment and entertainment, but parcels for collection or distribution conveyed by the Oxford Bus Company were left there. One exhibit on the wall of great interest was the spade used by the Duke of Edinburgh to plant the tree when the Playing Field was opened in 1952. The beaglers and the fox hunters regularly used to set off, suitably fortified, from The Crown on their forays across the countryside.

There were many memorable village characters who drank there. For example supple Harry Alton's party trick was to insert his toes into his mouth and Darkie, a deaf gypsy from Roundhill Farm, had a horse and cart which carried him home without commands when he was the worse for drink. Sonny Rose finally retired from The Crown in 1962. He lived in Woodbine Cottage on the Lower Green. Edith Kate, Sonny's wife, had named the cottage after his favourite brand of cigarette!

There have been many developments in The Crown since the time of Sonny and Lil, but as we have seen, its roots are deeply embedded in village history.

Peter Wenham

CALL MY BLUFF

**Come on you wine buffs pit your skills
against the panel!**

THE CROWN

Saturday 15th April at 7.30pm

6 lovely wines to taste with cheese and biscuits.

Tickets £10pp.

Form a table or come on your own.

Please book in with THE CROWN.



CALL MY BLUFF

Our first film for March, on Thursday 2nd, is **See How They Run** (cert. 12A), a wickedly funny pastiche of the murder mystery genre. In the West End of 1950s London, plans for a movie version of a smash-hit play come to an abrupt halt after a pivotal member of the crew is murdered. When world-weary Inspector Stoppard and eager rookie Constable Stalker take on the case, the two find themselves thrown into a puzzling whodunit within the glamorously sordid theatre underground, investigating the mysterious homicide at their own peril... "A starry, theatrical Agatha Christie romp ... Sam Rockwell and Saoirse Ronan make a fine comic double act," says *The Observer*. "A delightfully absurd Mousetrap send-up that has its cheese and eats it," says *The Telegraph*. "Riotously entertaining," says *Radio Times*.

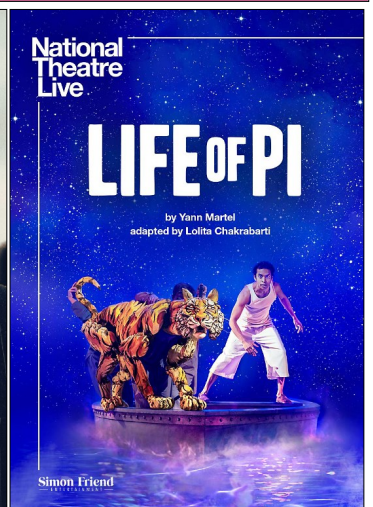
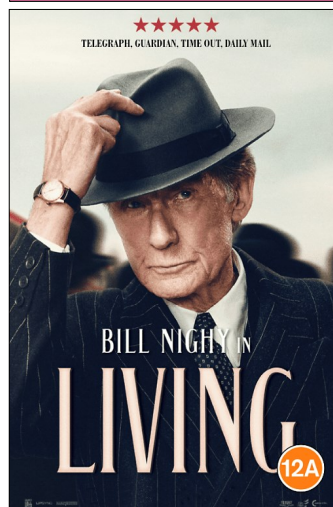
Then on 9th February our film will be **Joyride** (cert. 15), a heart-warming and bittersweet tale of two unlikely travellers who find solace in each other while on the run. Olivia Colman plays a struggling new mother who joins forces with a well-meaning 13-year-old outlaw on a wild journey across Ireland, stealing cars, hitch-hiking, and evading the police –



with the boy's father in hot pursuit. "The Oscar winner gives another great turn in this odd-couple road movie, where her co-star is a teenager," says *The i*. "An Irish solicitor and her newborn are kidnapped in a film that mixes laughs with melancholy insights about parenting," says *The Financial Times*. "Olivia Colman is simply extraordinary," says *The Times*.

On the 16th we'll be screening **Road Dahl's Matilda The Musical** (cert. PG), an inspirational musical tale of an extraordinary girl who stands up for what's right with miraculous results. Matilda Wormwood (Alisha Weir) is a little girl with big curiosity, a sharp mind and a vivid imagination. Excited to attend Crunchem Hall, Matilda discovers that the school is an ominous and oppressive place led by the huge and villainous Miss Trunchbull (Emma Thompson). Filled with an overwhelming sense of justice, Matilda dares to take a stand for what is right and teach Trunchbull a lesson she won't forget. "Emma Thompson gives Matilda The Musical a deranged villain to remember," says *The Telegraph*. "Matilda is a tangy bit of entertainment, served up with gusto ... by the book brilliance," says *The Guardian*. "The best moments are extraordinary," says *The Evening Standard*.

On the 23rd our film will be **Living** (cert. 12A). Bill Nighy is BAFTA and Oscar nominated for his role as a veteran civil servant who has become a small cog in the bureaucracy of rebuilding post-WWII England.



As the endless paperwork piles up on his desk, he learns that he has a fatal illness. He becomes intrigued by Margaret, a young co-worker in his office. As their friendship grows, she – inadvertently – shows him a way to face down his mortality. "Bill Nighy is brilliant. It shouldn't work – but it does, magnificently," says *The Telegraph*. "Gentle and poignant ... Bill Nighy tackles life and death in this exquisitely sad drama," says *The Guardian*. "Bill Nighy is note-perfect in this moving study of mortality ... mesmerising," says *The Times*. On the 30th and the 31st we'll be showing the National Theatre's astounding **Life of Pi** (cert. 12A TBC). Puppetry, magic and storytelling combine in this unique, Olivier Award-winning stage adaptation of the best-selling novel. After a cargo ship sinks in the middle of the vast Pacific Ocean, a 16-year-old boy named Pi is stranded on a lifeboat with four other survivors – a hyena, a zebra, an orangutan and a Royal Bengal tiger. Time is against them, nature is harsh, who will survive? "Breathtaking. It will make you believe in the power of theatre. Roar it out: this is a hit," says *The Times*. "Extraordinary. One of the most visually stunning shows I have ever seen," says *Time Out*. "It will make you believe in theatre. A triumph," says *The Sunday Times*. Tickets are selling very fast, so book soon if you want to see this amazing production.

Looking ahead to April: on the 13th we'll be screening **I Wanna Dance With Somebody**, a triumphant celebration of the life and music of the incomparable Whitney Houston. On the 20th, David Tennant stars in the National Theatre's **GOOD**: as the world faces its Second World War, a good, intelligent German professor finds himself pulled into a movement with unthinkable consequences. Finally, on the 27th, our film will be **Empire of Light**, in which two employees of a decaying cinema on Margate seafront find a sense of belonging and experience the healing power of music, cinema, and community.

Visit the web page for more details of all features:
www.cuddingtonvillage.com/cinema



The Mad March Hare

Lewis Carroll's mad March hare in *Alice's Adventures in Wonderland* causes havoc at the mad hatter's tea party... but where does the phrase come from? The idea of the 'Mad March Hare' comes from the hare behaviour you might be lucky enough to see in the month of March. Whilst many of us assume it is a display of two male hares battling it out for the affections of a mate, it is in fact a female hare giving a male the unmistakable message, 'no, thank you.'



Regular Tuesdays

Storytime at 10.30am with Catherine - a fun filled time

Knit and Natter 10.30am to 12.30pm

Children's Reading Club 3.30pm to 4.30pm

Thursdays

Drop In for Coffee and Chat 10.30am to 12.00pm

Fridays

Bounce and Rhyme – 10.30 to 11am – 3rd and 17th March

Saturday

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Special Activities in March

World Book Day (Children) 2nd March

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Cuddington Playing Fields Clubhouse

Carpet Bowls Night



SATURDAY 4TH MARCH - 8PM

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OVER 18s ONLY, FREE ENTRY



Dates for your Diary

March

Wednesday 1 st , 8.00pm	Bookworms Book Club at Playing Fields Clubhouse
Thursday 2 nd , 8.00pm	' <i>See How They Run</i> ', Village Picture House
Thursday 9 th , 8.00pm	' <i>Joyride</i> ', Village Picture House
Monday 13 th , 2.00pm	Sunshine Club Tea, Playing Fields Clubhouse
Wednesday 15 th , 7.30pm	River Thame Conservation talk, Doug Kennedy Bernard Hall
Thursday 16 th , 7.30pm	' <i>Roald Dahl's Matilda the Musical</i> ', Village Picture House
Thursday 16 th , 8.00pm	' <i>Living</i> ', Village Picture House
Saturday 25 th , 7.30pm	Witchert Chorale – ' <i>This Green and Pleasant Land</i> '. St. Nicholas Church
Monday 27 th , 1.30pm	Cuddington Matinee Cinema, ' <i>Breakfast at Tiffany's</i> '
Tuesday 28 th , 7.00pm	Parish Council Meeting, Bernard Hall
Thursday 30 th , 7.00pm	NT Live: 'Life of Pi' , Village Picture House
Thursday 31 st , 7.30pm	NT Live Encore: 'Life of Pi' , Village Picture House

April

Sunday 2 nd , 10.00am	All-Age Palm Sunday Service, St Nicholas Church
Sunday 2 nd	Village litter pick
Monday 3 rd , 2.00pm	Sunshine Club Tea, Playing Fields Clubhouse
Wednesday 5 th , 8.00pm	Bookworms Book Club at Playing Fields Clubhouse
Friday 7 th , 2.00pm	Good Friday – Meditation, St Nicholas Church
Sunday 9 th	Easter – All-Age Communion, St Nicholas Church
Thursday 13 th , 7.30pm	' <i>I Wanna Dance With Somebody</i> ', Village Picture House
Monday 17 th , 2.00pm	Sunshine Club Outing to Medical Detection Dogs Training Centre
Thursday 20 th , 7.00pm	NT Live: 'Good' , Village Picture House
Thursday 27 th , 8.00pm	' <i>Empire of Light</i> ', Village Picture House

And every Friday, at 10.00am, also in termtime, Toddlers Singing Group takes place in St Nicholas Church. Everyone is welcome.

For more details please contact Christine (christine.jackson@live.co.uk)

For more information please refer to the village website –

www.cuddingtonvillage.com

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In other news from the pub...

We recently had a power survey on the pub, and as a result we are asking Fullers to replace the flood lights outside as they are one of the biggest of our energy burners. Unfortunately, this will not be enough to balance the costs against the lack of demand for food on Monday and Tuesday lunchtime. We will be stopping food service on these days with immediate effect.

Food service continues lunchtime and evenings on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday lunchtime. We are also looking at a monthly steak night on a Wednesday evening. Keep an eye out for it's launch date. We will also continue our Fry-day night Fish and Chips £10 offer.

Looking forwards into March we will be offering Lent lunches, homemade soup with bread and butter £6.95 on Wednesday lunch time 1 March – 4 April.

The Charity Quiz will run again on Monday 13 March, this time raising money for local Alzheimer charities.

Something different on **Friday 17 March an Old Time Music Hall sing along with Pie and liquor (parsley sauce) available as part of our menu for the evening.** Make sure to book your table between 6 and 8pm if you want to come and eat. Why not come dressed for the occasion either in your best Music Hall attire or something related to St Patrick's day.

So some mixed news this month, we already have a couple of events lined up for April too including **Call my (WINE) Bluff!** CHEERS! Tracy and Glyn

Cuddington Playing Fields Clubhouse

15

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Bingo Night

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Wednesday 29th March
8pm

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Cash prizes to be won, plus a raffle at half time!

Over 18s only

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Quiz Night for AYLESBURY WOMENS' AID

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supporting women and children
against domestic violence

The Crown in Cuddington holds a Charity Quiz each month, and on Monday 3rd

April they will be raising funds for Aylesbury Womens' Aid who have thirty years' experience supporting women and children against domestic abuse.

A volunteer from AWA will come and give those present a short talk about their work.

Charles and Angela Sanderson will be asking the questions which will be aimed at different age groups and with different interests.

The Quiz will run from 7.30pm with a short break for snacks kindly provided by The Crown, and will allow plenty of time for the replenishing of drinks!

Please book your table in advance to avoid disappointment as these Quiz Nights are extremely popular, and AWA is a charity so worthy of support.

All donations for them, and for raffle prizes, will be gratefully received.



Trustee for CHUF Preschool



The Princess of Wales is on a mission to 'Give Children the Very Best Start' with the recent launch of her new early years initiative **Shaping Us**, so timing to get involved in Early Years couldn't be better! Chuf is a Preschool building the foundations of our local community.

*'Early childhood shapes us as adults
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CHUF provides a structured, learning group with our main aim being for the children to enjoy themselves, and at the same time to learn at their own pace in a warm, caring and friendly environment.

CHUF is a registered charity governed by a group of Trustees, who provide support to the Preschool Manager and staff, enabling them to focus on the running of the settings and the care of the children.

We are seeking a commercially aware Trustee who is passionate about the importance of early years and can help guide Chuf in an 'eyes on – hands off' approach through this next phase – especially given the growth of Haddenham.

If you would like to find out more please get in touch with vic.shenton@gmail.com



Tony Hadley supporting Chuf's 50th Birthday
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