

## THE WYCHWOODS LOCAL HISTORY SOCIETY

Forthcoming meetings this year:-

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| 14 October  | Shipton | AGM followed by a talk.<br>The Resources of the centre for Oxfordshire Studies.<br>Mark Lawrence. |
| 11 November | Milton  | Conservation of painted Medieval Church<br>furnishings.<br>Anna Hulbert.                          |
| 9 December  | Shipton | Gloucestershire Saints and Sinners.<br>Tim Porter.  |

At all meetings, which begin at 7.30 pm old and new members are welcome and the new mugs will be on sale. (New designs shown here).



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The pictures show the designs that will appear on the new mugs mentioned in the last 'Wychwood'. Once again we are extremely grateful to our members Babs Richards for producing the drawings and Sue Richards for technical advice on their reproduction.

The supplier of our earlier mugs has retired and the new mugs are being produced by Dorincourt Industries, which is part of the Queen Elizabeth Foundation for Disabled People and this was a substantial factor in deciding to order from them.

The mugs will, as before, be of bone china, but of a different, very attractive shape (we think!). They will be the same price, £4 and will be on sale at our meeting on 14th October.

Any enquiries or orders to the Chapmans on 830498 if you can't be at the meeting.

Christmas is coming!

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## **FIFIELD VILLAGE HALL**

July already seems a long time ago, but we have not forgotten Linda Egle's hospitality when she invited us to hold our Garden Party at Vine Cottage. Then, in August, we moved across the road to Nicki Sisson's garden for the annual Barbecue. We were lucky to have good weather for both events which were very well attended and much enjoyed. Grateful thanks go to everyone involved, especially our two hostesses.

For the rest of the year there are three events already planned and a fourth yet to be finalised. A Coffee Morning at Fifield House, at the invitation of Mrs. Anne Cameron, came first. This was held on Saturday 20th September at 11.00 am.

This will be followed by our Harvest Supper on 11th October in the Village Hall at 7.15 pm for 7.30 pm.. As we can only accommodate a limited number, tickets will be sold on a first come first served basis, with priority for Fifield residents, past and present. Tickets can be booked through Committee Members.

A Wine and Cheese Evening coupled with a presentation of the History Project is being planned for some time in November and the year's activities will end with the traditional evening of Carols on 19th December.

Pat Yaxley