

## Three Cheers for The Shipton Volunteers

If you take a walk along Church Path in Shipton you will notice that the railings have been painted. This was the latest project for the Shipton Volunteers. Over 20 people took part in the two-day project and it has made a huge improvement.

So far projects have included planting a wild-flower bed at each end of the village, clearing overgrowth on Mawles Lane, building a compost heap for the allotments, helping to run stalls at the village fete, carrying



out the annual litter pick in March and attending a Cotswold stone wall building course to facilitate repairs around the village. In total some 30 projects have been completed. The volunteers are always looking for new recruits. The work is fun and of great benefit to the local community.

**To join call Paul Chantry on: 01993 832366.**

**Jan Harvey**

### MILTON VILLAGE HALL IS 50 YEARS OLD THIS YEAR AND STILL GOING STRONG.

#### Dance

As part of the on-going celebrations for Milton Village Hall's 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary we are holding a fundraising dance for the Hall on **Friday 11<sup>th</sup> June**, 8.00 to midnight. Dancing will be to live music from 'Blue Whiskey' and light refreshments are included in the ticket price. There will also be a full bar open. Don't miss it!

Tickets are £10 each from Milton Post Office or ring Edna on: 01993 830077.

**Maureen Sandate**

#### Supper Entertainment

Wychwood Players, Friends and Milton WI are hosting an evening of entertainment and supper on **Friday 25<sup>th</sup> June**. The entertainment will commence at 7.30pm with a series of short plays and monologues written by Michael Frayn and performed by the Wychwood Players and Friends. Milton WI will provide supper during the interval. So come along and enjoy the fun. Tickets are £10 each, available from Beryl on: 07776029871. All proceeds to Milton Village Hall.

**Siân O'Neill**

## A Chance to Sing at Deddington Festival

One of the main events in this year's Deddington Festival will be a 'come and sing' *Carmina Burana* on **Saturday June 19<sup>th</sup>**, with workshops in the morning and afternoon, and a performance, with professional accompanists and soloists, at 8.00 pm. A good number of people from choral societies in north Oxfordshire have already signed up, but please note that this event is also for individuals in our local community who have some experience of choral singing but who are not necessarily currently singing with a choir. So please consider being part of this. Further details and a booking form are available on the Festival website: [www.deddingtonfestival.org.uk](http://www.deddingtonfestival.org.uk) and join with a large group to enjoy performing a very exciting choral work!

**Eileen Anderson**