

A Date not to Miss Shipton Church Fete 2014

This year the Shipton Church Fete will be on the **25th August, Bank Holiday Monday**. The Fete will be held on the village green in the centre of the village and will include activities in the church. There will be a programme of music, an opportunity to climb



the bell tower, and have tea and cake. On the village green we will have games and stalls for children, ice-cream, tombola, hot dogs and hamburgers, a bar with beer and soft drinks, and a white elephant stall, as well as a raffle with many prizes and other activities. Please put the day on your calendar, and be sure to join in the fun.

Next year, **2015**, is the **900th** anniversary of St Mary's church, and many different activities are planned. There will be a performance of *Murder in the Cathedral* inside the church, a choral day, a concert, a lecture about the history of the

church, and in the summer of 2015 there will be a wonderful medieval banquet for all the village to enjoy, located on private land not far from the church.

More details to come about the celebrations in a future issue of *The Wychwood*.

Peggy Walmsley

St Mary's School Reunion 2014 Aah I Remember it Well

Calling everyone who went to Shipton-under-Wychwood St Mary's primary school, please come along. Or if you just remember hazy distant days before kids' play stations and Xboxes, when we sang songs from the Beatles in the playground, had piggy-back fights and the telly was all black and white, please come along too. It would be great to see you.



We are going to have a reunion in the Wychwood Inn, Shipton, on **Friday 13th June**. Yes Friday 13th. Oh dear! Meeting at the pub round about 7ish. Dress casual, family welcome.

For more information please give me a ring on: 0191 5126420.

Jim Hudson.