

Wickham Parish Council News

September 2006

Winchester Open Weekend Thursday 7th to Sunday 10th September

Discover the heritage on your doorstep free!

Over 50 buildings to visit and events to enjoy throughout Winchester District.

Highlights in Wickham include:
Sunday 5pm **Wickham Walks** - meet Wickham Tea Rooms – discover some village history with Wickham History Society.

Friday – Sunday 11am-3pm and 6pm onwards Green's exhibiting **Stan Woodford's photos**.

Sunday 11am meet at Green's for a **Family Treasure Hunt** by bike along the old Meon Valley railway line. Green's hosting a barbeque afterwards (charge for bbq) Contact Carol 01329 833197.

Thursday – Sunday 3pm **Tour of Park Place Pastoral Centre** book 01329 834645 email wseden@yahoo.co.uk

Thursday – Saturday 10am – 5pm,
Sunday 11am – 4pm **Chesapeake Mill** invites you to explore intriguing shops and history displays.

Lots more happening, see the booklets (some at the Community Centre) or www.visitwinchester.co.uk for more information.

Looking to use public transport?

Try this online planner www.traveline.org.uk
tel 0870 608 2608

Wickham Folk Festival

The Parish Council would be interested in your comments on the Festival.

Meetings

Next Full Council

7.15pm Monday 18th September
Knowle Village Hall

Planning Committee

Monday 11th September 7.30pm Wickham
Community Centre.

Check the notice boards or website for details of other meetings.
www.wickham.parish.hants.gov.uk

Everyone welcome to attend meetings!

New Play Areas

We hope our young people are enjoying the new play equipment at The Circle and on the Recreation Ground. If there are any comments or problems please contact the Clerk.

Quality Parish Status

Wickham Parish Council has been awarded Quality Parish Status.

The Parish Council had to demonstrate good practice by submitting a portfolio of evidence.

The government has indicated that Quality Parishes should be given the opportunity to take on more service provision, unfortunately funding isn't part of the deal at present!

The Parish Council will nevertheless pursue all relevant opportunities that will benefit residents.

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