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Tesco's donate wheelchair



Jim Daniels and Jane Coston receiving the wheelchair from Michael Greener (centre) on behalf of Milton Parish Council

Our Mobile Warden Tracey Ebbon suggested having a wheelchair that could be loaned out in the village to anyone who was seen to be in need. Tesco was approached and have now kindly donated a wheelchair to the village.

A14 Widening Plans

Consultations are being carried out about various schemes to improve the A14. Part of the proposals show widening of the existing A14 to three lanes in each direction between Fen Drayton and Fen Ditton. The road is proposed to narrow to 2 lanes under Milton interchange and the third lanes will become part of the slip roads at this point. The cycle/footbridge over the A14 was built wide enough to take the extra proposed lanes. The provisional time table for this and other work is as follows.

Public consultation March - June 05

Public enquiry (if required) 2008

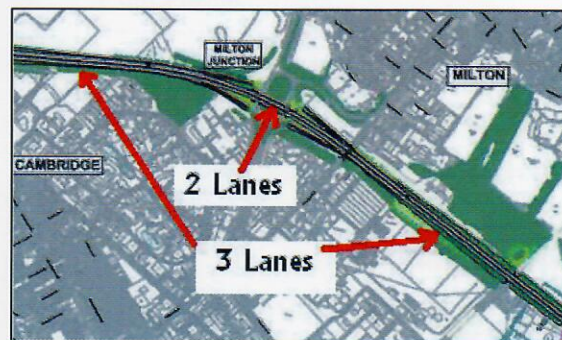
Construction start 2008/9

Opening in stages 2011- 2015

More details about the scheme can be found on the Highways web site at www.highways.gov.uk/roads/

Residents Compensation Claims - increased noise and pollution

Property compensation specialist are already contacting people in parts of Milton who they believe have homes within the compensation area and offering to make claims on behalf of owners of residential properties.



Milton section A14 widening consultation

It is possible that more companies will offer their services over the next few years and residents will be able to decide who if anyone they wish to choose to help them with any possible claim. The Government have a web site which contains details of a booklet which explains when claims can be made. This can be found under www.odpm.gov.uk/ use the search words 'compulsory purchase and compensation occupiers'. The booklet is called **Booklet 2: Compensation to business owners and occupiers**. This can also be requested by telephoning The Department for Transport on 0870 1226 236 or by writing to them at The Department for Transport, Local Government and the Regions, DTLR Free Literature, PO Box No 236, Wetherby LS23 7NB

JC

Field Works near the Cycle Bridge

A new hardcore surface has been laid in the field near the cycle bridge and Tesco as hard standing for the road works cabins and equipment associated with the improvement work on the interchange. The proposal is that the hardcore surface will be removed at the end of the works and the top soil, which has been retained on site, will be reinstated.

As reported in the April Village View, Milton interchange is to undergo extensive reshaping. There will be a new dedicated lane from the Science Park on to the A14 and improvements to some slip roads to allow traffic to flow left without joining the interchange traffic. A new traffic signal system will be installed. Work is due to start in July. Temporary traffic management will be in place during the work.



Preparation of field as works site for interchange

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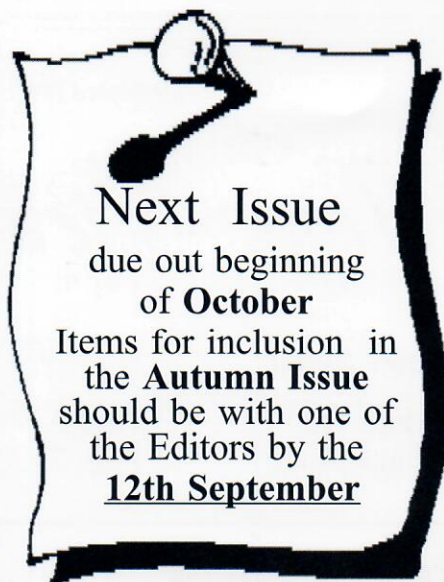
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We are also on the web at:
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Roy Engall

The Family of Roy Engall of Milton, whose funeral took place at All Saints Church on Friday 29th May, wish to thank all of his friends who attended the service for their thoughts and caring words. Roy would have appreciated all these sentiments.

The following words were read by Morena his daughter-in-law for his friends and family to share.

Isn't it strange that Princes and Kings,
And Clowns who caper in circus rings,
And ordinary folk like you and me
Are Builders of Eternity?

To each is given a Bag of Tools
An Hour Glass and a Book of Rules
And each must Build ere his time has flown
A Stumbling Block or a Stepping Stone.

Morena and Sue

Art to go on Display



Chris Tomlin has just completed this magnificent hanging which will be displayed at The Festival of Quilts at the NEC 18th - 21st August.

Voile and various satins have been appliqued to complete this unusual work which Chris designed herself.

A Big Thank You

This is as good a place as any to write and say a Big Thank You to everybody for all the cards, visits, and goodies which I received whilst in hospital. Every day I had a visitor or visitors. I am now looking forward to getting back to normal. Once again many thanks.

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Sunday 10th July 2005 from 12 - 5pm

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There will be numerous stalls:

Licensed Bar, BBQ, Teas and Cakes, Roundabout, Bouncy Castle and Slides. Milton Brewery is also doing a real ale tent. The Raptor Foundation and Budgies will also be having stalls. There will also be a visit from the Fire Brigade and Police.

Closing the event is a band called 'Smashed'.

This is a great afternoon's entertainment for all so make sure you don't miss it. Put it in your diary now!

If you would like a stall, please fill in the form from the April Village View or call in at the office at Milton Community Centre.

For any further details please contact Julie Gray on 01223 862763.

Hope to see you all there on Sunday 10th July 2005 12-5pm as we need your support to keep this event running.

Lynne Twinn would like to thank everyone who has supported her during her time on the Parish Council. She is very sad that she had to give this up due to her continuing ill-health. She would like to thank everyone who has sent her cards, letters and flowers during her illness, and looks forward to seeing you all in the future.

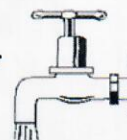
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Milton Community Centre and Recreation
 Ground Committee

**Annual Summer
 Fayre**

Sunday 10th July 2005
from 12 - 5pm

See page 2 for further details

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Monday 4th July 7 - 8pm

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 County Councillor Michael Williamson

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See page 7 for more details

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MILTON RESIDENT

County Councillor stands down after 12 years



Paul Oldham presenting Jane Coston with a basket of flowers on behalf of the village

At the Annual Parish Meeting Paul Oldham, speaking on behalf of the village, thanked Jane Coston for her hard work over the last twelve years for the village as County Councillor. He talked about how she had worked hard not just for Milton but for the other villages in her division too: Landbeach, Waterbeach and Chittering and that although one can look at the big things she's been involved with, like the bridge, the sewage works or getting the high street resurfaced it's dealing with individual villagers' problems where she has really made a difference. He

finished by quoting from an email he had received from parish councillor Liz Baker:

I think that a key point of Jane's councillorship is that she took ownership of every problem that was ever brought to her. Even if it wasn't her responsibility she would find out where you needed to go next before dropping contact. For those people who are faced with a featureless mass of local government, Jane has been more important than the results of her work show.

Text from Milton website - www.miltonvillage.org.uk

New County Councillor Elected

Michael Williamson was elected as County Councillor on May 5th for the Waterbeach Ward which covers the villages of Milton, Landbeach, Waterbeach and Chittering.

The County Council is responsible for: education, footpaths and roads (except trunk roads such as the A14, which come under the Highways Agency) trading standards, libraries, social services, rights of way, Registry Office, transport: street lighting, park and ride etc. and county farms.

You can contact him on

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Cllr. Michael Williamson

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New pedestrian crossing installed in Cambridge Road

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Alison is exhibiting for her tenth year with her contemporary oils and richly coloured collographs. Her beautiful handmade and published cards are always popular.

Chris is exhibiting photography, digital art and illustration for the second year with colourful images of the very small and also providing unusual greeting cards. You are all welcome to come and visit!

Websites: Alison - www.hullyer.co.uk
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Milton Country Park Summer Events

June

Sunday 12th, Wild About Wildlife

WATCH / Wildlife Explorers Family Group
A chance for the family to come along and enjoy fun wildlife activities from pond dipping to earth walks. 1.00pm to 4.00pm.

Saturday 18th, Writing Workshop

Character workshop "making them walk, making them talk" with Teresa Benison, author and writing tutor.

10.00am to 4.00pm. £30.00 per person.

Sunday 19th, Herb Walk

An hour-long walk through the park with herbalist Ashley Scott.

11.00am start. £1.00 per person.

July

Saturday 9th, Writing Workshop

"Writing the landscape" with Theresa Benison author and writing tutor.

10.00am to 4.00pm. £30.00 per person.

Saturday 23rd and Sunday 24th, Parklife

The music and story weekend is back at Milton Country Park for its third year.

More details to follow.

August

Children's Summer Holiday

Activity Days

Activity days are aimed at 8 - 12 year olds, and run from 10.00am to 3.00pm. Places should be booked at least two weeks in advance. £9.00 charge per child per day. Children will need to bring a packed lunch.

Tuesday 2nd, a day of sports activities

Tuesday 9th, the Wildlife Trust lead a day of environmental activities

Tuesday 16th, the Wildlife Trust lead a second day of environmental activities

September

Friday 9th, Cambridgeshire Bird Club

The Indian Vulture Crisis by Debbie Pain.

8.00pm to 10.00pm.

£1.00 for non-members.

Sunday 11th, Wild Plant Use Workshop

with Jacky Sutton Adams and herbalist Ashley Scott. Learn how wild plants can be used in recipes and cosmetics. 10.00am to 4.00pm, £25.00 per person.

Places should be booked by 28 August.

For more information about Country Park events please contact the Rangers on 01223 420060 or email miltoncp@scambs.gov.uk

Now Milton has the Black Squirrel

The fence between my garden and Michael Spooner's property has become the 'M1' for grey squirrels journeying between the woodland around the church and Milton Hall and Fen Road, and possibly the Country Park. Although an attractive animal with its acrobatic antics, it is generally considered to be a pest taking the food we put out for the birds, eating their eggs, and in my case not leaving one hazel nut on my trees, what it doesn't eat it buries in the lawn and makes large holes to retrieve them later. Now we have another type of squirrel — a black one seen on the 'M1' fence and in the vicinity of the church by Michael Spooner and me this spring. Last year it was reported in the Cambridge Weekly News that a family of black squirrels was present in Chesterton, they have also been seen at Girton.

The grey squirrel was introduced into lowland Britain from North America in the 19th century and the black variant of the grey (melanic form) was first seen at Woburn Park, Bedfordshire. The black squirrel has spread to Buckinghamshire and Hertfordshire with a notable population in Letchworth, and then to Cambridgeshire. The black colour is strongly inherited and in stable grey squirrel populations the ratio of greys to black can be 4:1, whereas the white albino form is rare and can be seen in Kent and East Sussex. How large is Milton's population of black squirrels? To find out we need to keep our eyes open and report any sightings (date and place) to Malcolm Busby (Tel. 01223 420060). Incidentally, Malcolm informs me that any black squirrels in the Country Park have not yet been reported to him. This is a great opportunity for children to contribute to a new natural history project in the village, 'Black Squirrel Watch'. I hope the black beast is not more destructive than its grey cousin!

Derek Booth

Doggy Matters

The Community Centre Committee has been wondering what to do to try to stop the dog mess that turns up on both our recreation grounds, and means that some poor soul has to inspect the pitches and clear it all up before football and cricket matches.

New signs will be going up on the recreation grounds, and if necessary the dog warden can be called in. Dogs will be allowed on the edges of the recreation grounds but their owners must keep them off the pitches.

Any dog mess should of course be cleared up by the owner and there is a fine of up to £1000 for failing to do this.

The same problems have occurred in the Country Park. Dog mess should always be cleaned up, even in the wooded area at the North end of the park, where dogs are allowed off their leads.

Hazel Smith

MILTON 2000 – MINUS A YEAR OR TWO By Harry Missing

(Continued from issue 67)

Often winter evenings were spent rehearsing for Concerts that would take place at a number of venues outside the village, usually in aid of our new Sunday School Hall Funds. We needed £700 to meet the cost of our project and with an income of about £7 per concert this was obviously going to take some time to achieve. At the Church Guide and Scout Groups became active. In winter us boys played football and in summer, cricket. I remember one summer, the Headmaster of the village school, a Mr Faulkner, had somehow come upon a Silver Cup and decided to organise a knockout competition between the lads of Waterbeach, Landbeach and Milton. At the 'toss up', Milton won a bye to meet the winners of Landbeach/Waterbeach game. The game was played at Landbeach so with Waterbeach the winners over the home side, both participants in the final game were fairly disadvantaged by the already defeated, hostile, home side and its supporters. What was that you said....oh, who won? I wasn't going to mention that, but as you asked....Steve Lucas opened the bowling one end, I the other. They reached a respectable score of 13 runs before losing their final wicket. No change in bowlers was deemed necessary. The opening batsman for Milton, well who else, Steve at one end and I at the other. Feeling somewhat chivalrous, we decided to declare when our partnership had managed to score two more runs than our opponents. The Cup was never played for again and the last time I saw it, it was in the old Milton School and I often wonder what happened to it and whether it may now be housed in the new School and perhaps used for some event in the School's activities of today.

To be continued

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July 23rd and 24th 2pm-5pm

Children's Art Weekend

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July 28th, 12-4pm

Drop-in Children's Holiday

Activity Day

Making Corn Dollies

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July 31st 12-5pm

Fen and Farm Crafts Day

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PUZZLE CORNER

There were no entries last month which were completely correct - although most were very close.

The answers were:

1. TIGER
2. Jim is 18 and Jane is 8
3. ACE. Making GRIMACE; LACE; FACE; MACE.
4. "With all the potholes, I had a tough time getting here" said Tom Tirelessly.
5. RASPBERRY and CRISPBREAD
6. PISA; LIMA; OSLO.
7. UNSUBSTANTIATED
8. MARKING
9. A little learning is a dangerous thing.
10. END. Making ENDLESS; ENDURE; ENDORSE; ENDING.

The winners drawn out of the hat were Pat Froment of Bene't Close and Mary Strickland of Wilson Way - so congratulations to these two ladies.

The puzzle this month is in the form of of a Trivia Quiz - 10 questions, all you have to do is provide the answers.

1. How did Lawrence of Arabia die?
2. The building of the great Pacific railway was called 'the grandest enterprise under God'. What did the Native Americans call the train?
3. Where was Superman born?
4. Commandaria St. John is the oldest known named wine and has been made since the 12th century. In which country is it made?
5. A woman tennis player was undefeated on clay courts for 125 matches from August 1975 to May 1979. Who was she?
6. The following two people are better known under another name. Who are they? Julia Wells; Alfred Coccozza.
7. What contribution did Copenhagen make to the Battle of Waterloo?
8. On which day of the week was John Lennon shot in New York?
9. In the rhyme about birthdays, a child born on which day is said to be 'full of grace'?
10. 'Blood and Fire' is the motto of which organisation?

Send your answers to Michael Spooner 43a Old School Lane MILTON Cambridge CB4 6BS by 7th July. If you wish to use e-mail then send to mjsmilton@tesco.net

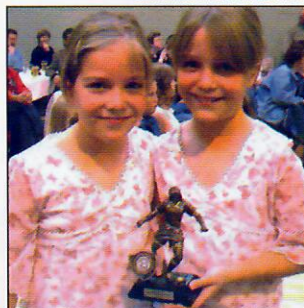
Prizes will be awarded to the first two winning entries drawn out of the hat. Prizes this time are a hairdressing voucher kindly donated by **Betty's Hairdressing** and £5 for runner up.

M Spooner

Colts football Teams - under 8's 9's and 10's



Children from the teams who collected trophies on the night



Jessica and Carlie Foster, who play for the girls under 10's

An evening celebrating last years successful colts season was held on May 21st. The event was attended by over 300 people. The DJ on the evening commented that this was the biggest and best supported colts football event that he had attended other than Arsenal.

There are now 11 teams which include 2 girls teams and 9 boys teams for ages 7 - 16.

Well done to everyone involved

Then till Now

The First 25 years of All Saints Lunch Club (Continued from issue 66)

Our equipment was very sparse, rickety trestle tables, one shop soiled cooker, one heated cupboard acquired from the Farm School which is still in use and working very well. By this time it had become necessary to increase the cost of the lunch to 50p, and it has gone up in stages until now when the cost is £2.30. This price enables us to have a free Xmas dinner, and extras on special birthday lunches.

From the beginning Kate Edwards and Dolly Smith organised a raffle at the Church Fete and Xmas bazaar for the Lunch Club, until they felt it was getting too much for them. The special birthday lunches came into fruition in February 1991 when a member reached the age of 90 years. She felt she wanted to celebrate having reached that age, and insisted on paying for it, so her family and friends attended, and it was a happy occasion. We now celebrate 70, 80, 90 and now 100 years, in fact some are coming up to their second round.

These lunches are very hard work, with lots of preparation beforehand, but the pleasure we get out of them is very rewarding. We are fortunate in having a number of ladies making desserts for us: they are called affectionately "Pudden Wimmin". Some of the members also contribute towards this, although we try to limit it to once or twice a year. There were twenty but some have moved away, and others felt they were unable to carry on. There are several ladies we call on to help at special occasions and to make people feel they are lunching at Buckingham Palace or the Ritz we have a band of waiters. The Christmas lunch is quite special as all helpers are invited; everybody gets a small present which is more for fun than monetary value. Seventy plus people attend with the atmosphere being half the enjoyment.

Just at the time that Audrey felt she could no longer carry on Pat Fletcher very conveniently retired from teaching and joined the team; as did Eileen Cumner-Price. Irene Bell who was now on her own made up a team of five. The initials of our first names P (Pat), R (Rhoda), I (Irene), M (Mary), and E (Eileen) became the PRIME TEAM, so whoever comes and goes we shall remain as such. We now have Daphne, Maria, Viv, Margery, Betty, and Rene, which enables us to have cover for absentees.

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Milton Football Club

Season 2004/05

Saturday 7th May saw us reach the end of another season. The officers, committee members, managers and players of the club are all looking forward to a well earned break having completed a hectic schedule of Saturday and mid-week matches in the past few weeks since the clocks changed.

The 1st team had a reasonably successful season finishing in mid-table in the Kershaw Senior B league with a perfectly symmetrical record of played 30 won 10, drawn 10 and lost 10. Hopes are high within the club that we can improve on this performance next season. After being promoted last season both the Reserve and A teams consolidated their position in Divisions 2B & 4B respectively. I believe with all the young talent coming through that we can go on to better things next season.

I must again thank our two Main Sponsors namely Elecheck (MS) Ltd. and Runhams Wedding Cars for their continued financial support.

Finally, congratulations are due to Doug Teeboon who has recently celebrated 50 years as an officer of the club. Doug is due to receive a special long service award from Cambridgeshire F.A. at their AGM next month.

APPEAL

Unlike a certain club who play in amber and black and are based in Newmarket Road we are financially solvent, field three sides every Saturday and regularly win matches! We are looking to move the club forward in the 2005/06 season and have recently launched a development fund to help upgrade our ground, clubhouse and training facilities. We are looking for donations/contributions of all sizes - all of which will be very much appreciated. Cheques payable to Milton F.C. to be sent to me - Mr F J Confrey at 7 Cambridge Road, Milton, Cambs CB4 6AW.

In addition we are seeking volunteers to help with club administration, fund-raising, ground preparation, general match day duties, the running of the tea-bar etc. If you love football and have some time to spare to help your local club then please contact me on 07763 351490.

TRAINING

Pre-season training begins on Tuesday 5th July at the Sycamores Recreation Ground at 7.00pm. All new players welcome particularly those of Kershaw League standard.

Fraser Confrey
Club Secretary

New Golf Course for Milton



A view looking down the 9th fairway towards the clubhouse

A new 9 hole golf course is close to completion. The course, sited on the north edge of the village opposite the allotments, is due to open in late July. Once the club house is completed there will be a bar and restaurant 'The Cantabrigian' open to non members. There will be pay and play available and currently the owners are looking for 50 founder members. Founder members will pay £350 for a years membership. Usual membership fee £375, concessions £175 and juniors £80 with no joining fee.

Anyone interested can visit the website at www.parksgolfcourse.co.uk or telephone Bob Wickham, Tel 01223 862543 for further details.

Tennis And Football Court Open In Holidays

During School Summer Holidays (on a trial basis) Milton Community Centre will open the Football and Tennis Courts for children to play football, netball or tennis when the office is open - between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12 noon approximately Monday to Friday (when there are no members of the tennis club playing on the courts). There will be no supervision by staff members.

If there are any problems the courts will be locked for the rest of the holidays. Children will be playing at their own risk and it is up to parents/guardians to instruct their children to behave sensibly if they do wish to play on the courts in the holidays. If this proves successful we will consider opening the courts for all school holidays.

Scrabble

The club has been very well managed with Michael Spooner in charge and I am inclined to steal his ideas as they worked so well.

Don Humphries was the highest scorer with 758 points for 2 games -
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Milton Parish Council wish to make you aware of the following

Under the Licensing Act 2003 all pubs, clubs and premises selling takeaway food have to apply for new licences. As part of this new regime a much more relaxed approach is going to be taken, with pubs being able to open for much longer hours. There are also changes to entertainments licences. If there are no objections from villagers then applications are likely to go through so if you do have a problem with any of the applications below be sure you comment in good time.

Jolly Brewers

No change. Continue with previous hours and conditions.

Lion & Lamb

Opening hours: Mon-Sat 11:30 - 00:00, Sun 12:00 - 00:00
Additionally 11:30-01:00 9 times a year (e.g. Bank Holidays)
New Year open until 01:30

Closing time 30 minutes after the above.

Public entertainment:

Live music on 'select occasions' outside in the car park, both unamplified and amplified, and recorded music outside occasionally.

Recorded music, mobile DJ, karaoke indoors and out. Also indoors: films including DVD, music videos, and pub games.

Dancing indoors and sometimes outside in the car park

Public Entertainment: live music licences to cover the opening hours with no restrictions on the hours or number of events per month.

Any representations to be made by 3rd September 2005

Milton Community Centre

Variation to allow for occasional bars on evenings other than Friday and Saturday.

Milton Country Park

May apply for a licence later in the year.

Milton Primary School

No change. Continue with previous hours and conditions.

One Stop shop

No change. Continue with previous hours and conditions.

Tescos

Requesting permission for sale of alcohol in accordance with their opening hours in general.

Any representations to be made by 27th August 2005

Unicorn House Takeaway

Open until 11:30 on Mon,
Wed and Thu, until 11:45 Fri and Sat, and until 10:45 on Sun

Wagon & Horses

Opening hours: Mon-Thu 10:00 - 00:00, Fri-Sat 10:00 - 01:00, Sun 12:00 - 00:00

Closing time 30 minutes after the above. Garden closes at midnight.

Public Entertainment: live music licences to cover the opening hours with no restrictions on the hours or number of events per month.

Any representations to be made by 21st August 2005

White Horse

Opening hours: Mon-Wed 11:00 - 00:00, Thu 11:00 - 01:00
Fri-Sat 11:00 - 02:00, Sun 12:00-00:00

Additionally 11:00-02:00 18 times a year (e.g. Bank Holiday weekends and twelve other days a year)

New Year open all night

An extra hour on the day that British Summer Time begins. Hot food and drink will be sold also in the 30 mins after alcohol sales stop.

Closing time 30 minutes after the above.

Public entertainment: Live music - up to 2 performers with keyboards, occasionally unamplified. Windows closed from 22:00 when there is live music.

Dance performances indoors, jukebox, karaoke, DJ etc.

Any representations to be made by 3rd September 2005

Please note that this is only a brief summary of the applications and the applications that are requesting variations may be viewed in full at South Cambridgeshire District Council's offices in Cambourne during normal opening hours.

If you are thinking of making a representation you may be interested in the following which is taken from the THE LICENSING ACT 2003 GUIDANCE FOR "RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES" AND "INTERESTED PARTIES" ON MAKING REPRESENTATIONS

- 1.4 For a representation to be relevant it must be one that is about the likely effect of the application on the promotion of the four licensing objectives. Also, if the representation is made by an interested party it will not be relevant if the licensing authority considers it to be vexatious or frivolous. The four licensing objectives are: -
 - the prevention of crime and disorder
 - public safety
 - the prevention of public nuisance
 - the protection of children from harm

The full document can be found on the Milton Website at www.miltonvillage.org.uk or a copy of the form can be collected from the Parish Clerk on tel. 01223 861447

For more information contact South Cambridgeshire District Council as below.

Any representations should be sent to:

Myles Bebbington

Licensing officer

South Cambridgeshire District Council

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