



## **Village Shop News Update**

**Shop Telephone – 01295 760066**



**Shop opening hours:** Monday 8 am – 1 pm      Tuesday to Friday 8 am – 6 pm  
Saturday 8.30 am – 3 pm      Sunday 9 am – 12 noon

**Post Office opening hours:** Tuesday to Friday 9 am - 1 pm

Summer is here at last and it's time to think of barbecues and sipping a glass of something chilled in the evening sunshine. We have just had a big wine delivery and there will be lots of new lines appearing on the shelves over the next month. The brilliant Appassimento is back in stock (do try it if you haven't already – it will knock your socks off) and, for that first glass once the sun is over the yard-arm, we have the excellent 'Le Clivet' sparkling Pinot Grigio and the delicious 'Lealtanza' white Rioja which is just flying off the shelves.

There are some new lines in organic jams and chutneys from 'The Porch' – a charity which helps the homeless in Oxford. 'Porch Preserves' are made from organic fruit grown in the charity's own allotments and the enterprise helps vulnerable homeless people to gain job skills – so every purchase will be helping them.

We have lots of English strawberries and clotted cream for you to enjoy whilst cheering on Sir Andrew Murray – and they are a great deal cheaper than at Wimbledon. Locally grown asparagus from Wykham Farm is in stock at the time of writing but we are coming to the end of the season so grab some while you can.

There are new ranges of healthy snack bars, munchy seeds and 'Just' snacks with intriguing flavours such as 'roasted green pea and wasabi' and we have added to our Magnum choc-ice range with 'peanut butter' and 'double choc' flavours.

We also now stock a range of gift-wrap packs for adults and children and some fancy bottle bags and tissue paper for when you take one of our bottles of delicious wine to a party.

With many of our wonderful volunteers away on holiday in the next few months do keep a check on the volunteer list to see if you can fill in any vacant shifts. Don't forget that without all our volunteer help we couldn't keep our amazingly successful shop going.

Fingers crossed for a summer of sunshine and balmy weather.

Alison and Digby