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Wishing you health and happiness for 2010

Until next time

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#### MARCHAM PARISH COUNCIL NEWS Parishioner of the Year Award

For the past few years the Council has awarded a Parishioner of the Year Award to a local person or people who had devoted much time and energy working within the community. There are many people who would be worthy recipients, and the

who would be worthy recipients, and the Council is now inviting nominations for the next award. Would anyone who wishes to submit a nomination, please contact the clerk, whose details appear below, sending a short statement of not more than 200 words, as to who he/she wishes to nominate and the reasons why the person(s) should receive the award. The deadline for receipt of nominations is 31st January, 2010.

#### A415 – Newbridge

The Parish Council has written to the County Council regarding its proposals to construct a new bridge at Newbridge. The proposal is for a two laned road controlled by traffic lights which means only one lane of traffic moving at once, as is the case at the moment. The main concern for the village is the increase in HGVs that could result. The Council has asked that the A415 be looked at as a whole and the Marcham Bypass not be forgotten as part of the East/ West route in Oxfordshire.

www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/newbridge. **The Anson Trust – Village Facilities** Some members of the Council were able to meet with the Trustees. The Trust is still looking at the proposals for new facilities, and it is therefore difficult for the Council to plan further, until it has more information from the Trust as to what its plans are.

#### Additional rubbish

Christmas is a time when we all seem to accumulate extra packaging and items for the dustbin and recycling bin. Please take note of the re-arranged collection days over the holiday period and do not put your refuse and recycling boxes out too early. This applies too for the usual Monday collection, when bags should be at the kerbside by 7.00 a.m. on the day of collection, or at the earliest the evening before.

#### **Date of Next Council Meeting:**

Wednesday 13 Jan 2010 at 7.30pm. in the residents' lounge, Duffield Place.

Clerk to the Council: Mrs. L. Martin, 90 Howard Cornish Rd, 01865 391833 clerk@marchamparishcouncil.gov.uk www.marchamparishcouncil.gov.uk

# The Chairman, Council members and Clerk wish everyone a happy new year.

## MARCHAM PARISH COUNCIL NEWS & NOTICES

MP'S SURGERY WTH ED VAIZEY 5.30-7.00nm. unless stated otherwise

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22 Jan	Faringdon, Pump House			
5 Feb	Wantage, Civic Hall			
19 Mar	Wallingford, Town Hall			
9 Apr	Faringdon, Pump House			
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### **PHONE 391881**

#### HOLIDAY WASTE COLLECTIONS Please ensure your rubbish bags aren't left vulnerable to animal and/or bird attack.

Normal Day		Will b	Will be	
Fri	25 Dec	Tue	29 Dec	
Mon	28 Dec	Wed	30 Dec	
Tue	29 Dec	Thur	31 Dec	
Wed	30 Dec	Mon	4 Jan	
Thur	31 Dec	Tue	5 Jan	
Fri	1 Jan	Wed	6 Jan	
Mon	4 Jan	Thur	7 Jan	
Tue	5 Jan	Fri	8 Jan	
Wed	6 Jan	Sat	9 Jan	
Thur	7 Jan	Mon	11 Jan	
Fri	8 Jan	Tue	12 Jan	
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