

# BROUGHTON'S SURPRISING GARDENS

SUNDAY, 11<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2:00 – 6:00PM

## PROGRAMME GUIDE

PERMITS ENTRY FOR ONE PERSON

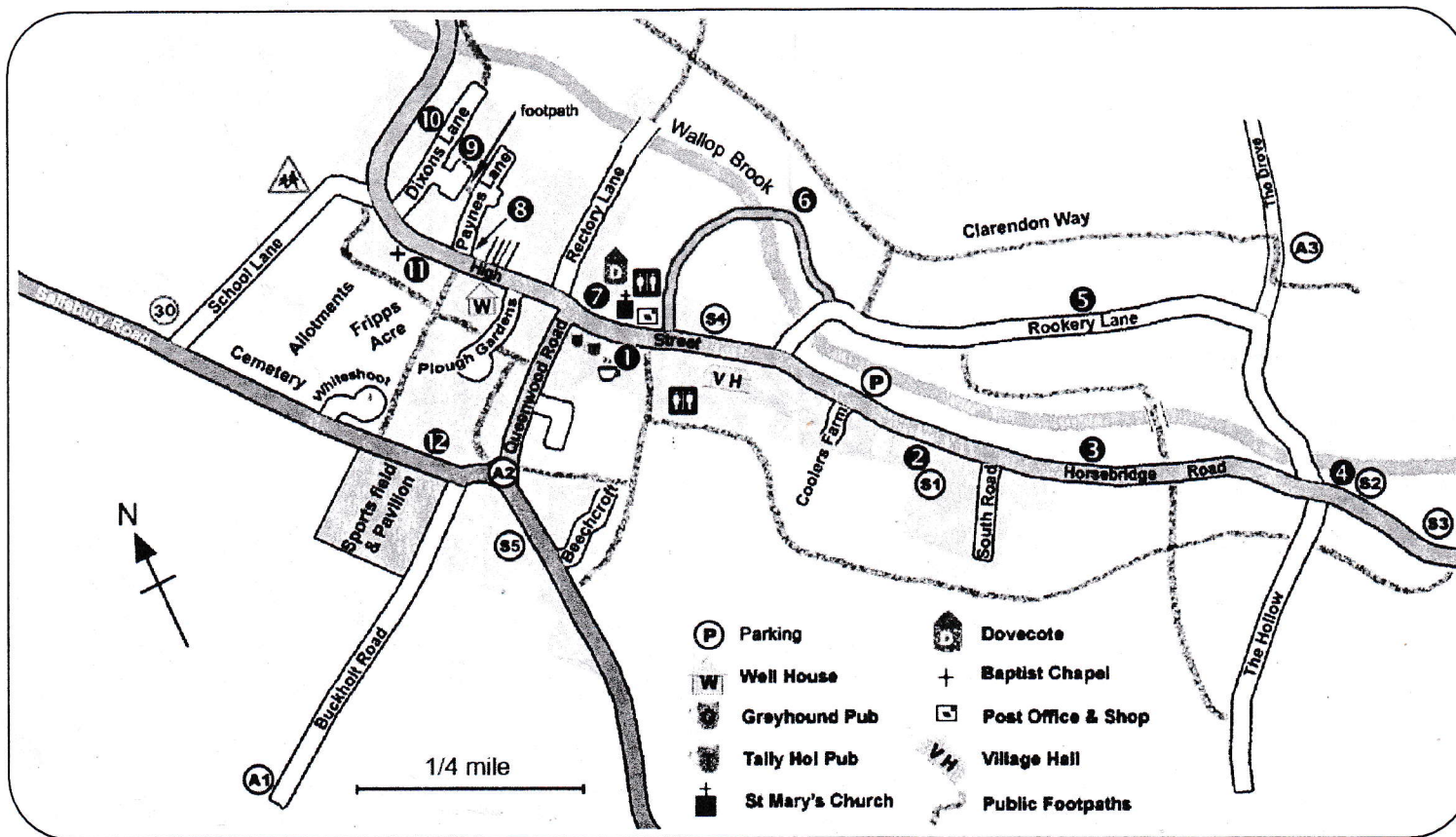


**Welcome to Broughton.** Situated in West Hampshire, south of the A30 and 3 miles west of Stockbridge, our village lies in the valley of the Wallop Brook, a tributary of the River Test, and surrounded by rolling downland.

The ground is of alluvial peaty soils, gravels and clays in the valley floor which quickly give way to a thin covering of flinty topsoil over chalk on the higher ground. The village is in a conservation area, and borders the Broughton Down Nature Reserve.

Today you have the opportunity to visit some of our most interesting gardens kindly opened for us by their owners in aid of St. Mary's Church. Do also take time to visit our art studios, our specially commissioned Millennium works of art, our unique Dovecot and Wellhouse and see the Flower Show and Millennium Banners on display in St Mary's Church.

# Broughton's Surprising Gardens



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## Old Church Farm, High Street

Young trees, borders and roses with views of Broughton Down and St Mary's Church. Teas available from 3:00pm



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## Driscolls, Horsebridge Road

A light, cottage garden with beautiful herbaceous borders and shrubs, and enchanting garden "rooms".

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## Mill House, Horsebridge Road

Large garden with borders, shrubs, hedges and lawns alongside the brook

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## Deep Ford, Horsebridge Road

Small garden with mixed borders, lawns, kitchen garden and riverside terrace. Greetings cards on sale.

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## Rookery House, Rookery Lane

Tall trees, mature shrubs, and wide lawns provide a fitting setting for the imposing Edwardian residence.

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## Broughton House, High Street / Rookery Lane

Landscaped grounds and a sweeping gravel drive with lovely views across this impressive home-park in the middle of the village.

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## Yew Tree House, The Square

Island borders amid tranquil greens merging almost imperceptibly into the peace of the country churchyard.

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## Cobb House, Paynes Lane

A taste of the tropics in this sheltered suntrap, designed to optimise space and position.

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## Mouland Cottages, Dixons Lane

An extraordinary artistic mix of specimen plants and shrubs in this hidden, serpentine garden.

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## 1, Swedish Houses, Dixons Lane

A traditional English flower garden crafted by skill and care with corners to delight young & old alike

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## Kent's Close, High Street

This compact garden, combining flowers and vegetables, invites exploration through its exquisitely designed terraces.

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## Wywurri & Cricketer's View, Salisbury Rd.

Neighbouring gardens designed to produce prize-winning vegetables at national level year-after-year. (Members of the N.V.S.)

### CONDITIONS AND LIMITS OF LIABILITY

The organisers and garden owners can take no responsibility nor accept liability for loss or damage to persons or property howsoever caused.

Please show this programme if requested

Sorry, no dogs in any of the gardens.

In aid of St Mary's Church





## **OTHER ATTRACTIONS TODAY**

### **FLOWER SHOW and MILLENNIUM BANNERS**

The 12<sup>th</sup> century St Mary's Church hosts a wonderful floral display. Also on show are the much celebrated Millennium Banners printed on silk by our village organisations to commemorate the turn of the century.

### **MILLENNIUM ART and ART STUDIOS**

The works of art commemorating the Millennium are individual pieces of sculpture hewn out of Killarney limestone, freestone and oak and strategically placed around the village for all to enjoy.

#### **MILLENNIUM ART**

- A1** Animal, Vegetable, Mineral
- A2** Village Sign
- A3** Rooks

#### **ART STUDIOS**

- S1** Ruth Baron Ezra Studio
- S2** George Gammer (Photographs)
- S3** Roake Farm Studio
- S4** Old Bakehouse Studio
- S5** Bridget Dumper Studio

### **DOVECOTE and WELL HOUSE**

Broughton is proud to have one of the few remaining dovecots in the country complete with its restored working potence and it is open to visitors today courtesy of St Mary's Church.

See also our recently restored Wellhouse, originally built in the drought of 1921 and now refurbished complete with floodlighting to the deep well.

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### **PARKING and CONVENIENCES**

**P** Please park in the car park opposite Coolers Farm (see map)



Toilets are available at the Village Hall, St. Mary's Church & Tally Ho!

### **TEAS**



Available from 3:00pm at Old Church Farm **1** on the map