

Monxton

Welcome Pack

A Useful Guide

for

Newcomers to the Village



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1. LOCAL SERVICES

- POLICE:** Weyhill Sub-station - 01256 405301
Hampshire Constabulary - 0845 0454545
- MILKMAN** Dairy Crest Ltd - 017722 415567
Delivers on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
- PAPERS** Mr Wilson - 01264 324944. Delivers daily.
- POSTMAN (Simon)** Expect a delivery during the morning unless you have paid for the special early delivery.
Collection times: 10 am and 4.15 pm - Monday to Friday
Saturday collection from Monxton at 10.30
Sunday collection from Sarson Lane postbox, Amport at 10 am
- RUBBISH CLEARANCE** Monxton:
Thursdays very early morning- Household rubbish weekly
plastic bottles.
Alternate Thursdays: Paper, cardboard, tins and
The above will change in September/December 2006
Green Lane only – Household rubbish collection every Tuesday morning
Special collection of garden rubbish - alternate
Wednesdays,
at a cost of £20 per bag per annum,.
- RECYCLING CENTRE** Shepherd’s Spring Lane, Andover
1 April-30 September: 8 am to 7 pm
1 October-31 March: 8 am to 4.30 pm
Also at Tesco’s for items such as bottles, cans and clothes
- BOTTLE BANKS** White Horse, East Cholderton
DLO, Monxton Road
Grateley Village Hall
- LIBRARY** Chantry Centre, Andover - 01264 366540.
Hours vary from day to day.
- MOBILE LIBRARY** Pub car park alternate Fridays at 3pm.

TOURIST INFORMATION

CENTRE: Andover Museum, Church Close, Andover - 01264 324320.

CITIZENS ADVICE BUREAU: Wessex Chambers, South Street, Andover - 01264 365534

2. EDUCATION

CHILDREN'S EDUCATION

NURSERY SCHOOLS Magic Tower Montessorri, Weyhill - 01264 855412
Humpty Dumpty – 01264 382767

PRIMARY SCHOOL Amport Church of England School.
Head: Mrs Grave - 01264 772396

SECONDARY SCHOOLS Harrow Way, Andover. Head: Mr C Currie -
01264 364533

John Hanson, Floral Way, Andover - 01264 352546
Test Valley, Stockbridge. Head: Miss Morrish -
01264 810555

SIXTH FORM COLLEGE Cricklade College, Charlton Road, Andover
Principal: Dr T Johnson - 01264 360000

GRAMMAR SCHOOLS Boys: Bishop Wordsworth's, Salisbury - 01722
333851

Girls: South Wilts, Salisbury - 01722 323326

PRIVATE SCHOOLS Preparatory: Farleigh School, Red Rice - 01264
710766

Co-ed day and boarding: Rookwood, Andover -
01264 325900

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE Sparsholt College, Winchester - 01962 776441

ADULT EDUCATION

University of the Third Age: Membership Secretary: Eileen Buckell, 01264
351149, eileen.buckell@tiscali.co.uk

Workers' Educational Association:

Branch Secretary: Eileen Hulme - 01264 736214 or Richard Ryder - 01264
363228

Cricklade College: Range of evening classes - 01264 360000

Piano Teachers: Mrs Maureen Peck - 01264 772658
Mrs Wharton - 01264 353768
Mrs Suzanne Webber – 01264 889784

3. MEDICAL SERVICES

DOCTORS'
SURGERIES
772490

Andover Health Centre, Charlton Road, Andover – 08444

351144

Adelaide Medical Centre, Adelaide Road, Andover - 01264

St Mary's Surgery, Church Close, Andover - 01264 361424

Shepherds Spring Medical Centre, Andover 08444770951

Charlton Hill Surgery, Charlton Road, Andover – 01264

337979

Out of hours emergency medical problems or doctors 08448 113060

NHS DENTISTS Blue Hayes Dental Practice – 01264 323857

NHS Dentist or emergency pain relief 02380 338336

NHS HOSPITALS
Andover

Andover War Memorial Hospital, Charlton Road,

(Minor Injuries, Birth Centre) - 01264 358811

Royal Hampshire County Hospital, Romsey Rd,

Winchester

(Accident and Emergency) - 01962 863535

NHS DIRECT

Phone 0845 4647

PRIVATE HOSPITAL
01962 844555

Sarum Road Hospital, Sarum Road, Winchester -

VISITING PODIATRIST: Rosemary Preston-Rice, RGN - 01264 710031

CHIROPODIST:

Sandra Cramp - 01264 334448

Dr. C. Griffith, 54 East Street, Andover – 01264

359780

OSTEOPATHS

Dr A Lloyd Davies, St Mary's Surgery, Andover.

VETS

Foxcotte Surgery, Charlton - 01264 358808

Strathmore Surgery, London Road, Andover - 01264

352323

RED CROSS Suffolk Road, Andover – 01264 352854
The organisation also hires out wheelchairs

Reflexologist & Reiki Mrs Sarah Cleugh Monxton 01264 710276

4. PUBLIC HOUSES

PUBLIC HOUSES: Black Swan, Monxton - 01264 710260
Amport Inn, Amport - 01264 710371
White Horse, East Cholderton - 01264 772401
The Plough, Grately – 01264 889175/889221

5. ACCOMMODATION

BED & BREAKFAST: Ruth Hughes, Nether Cottage, Amport - 01264
772082
Carolyn Mallam, Broadwater, Amport - 01264
772240
Marguerite Orth, Amport - 01264 771437
Sarah Chetwynd-Talbot, Grateley - 01264 889060
The Amport Inn also has rooms - 01264 710371

BOARDING KENNELS
AND CATTERY: Ambergate, Lopcombe Corner - 01264 781475
Leafy Grove - 01264 738577

6. LOCAL SHOPS/POST OFFICES/GARDEN CENTRES/GARAGES

ABBOTTS ANN: General store and post office

GRATELEY: General store and post office

WEYHILL: Garden centre and post office
Garage and shop
Weyhill Fair Craft Centre

ANNA VALLEY: Garden centre

MARKET DAYS: Andover - Thursday and Saturday
 Salisbury - Tuesday and Saturday

FARMERS' MARKET: Andover Marketplace - monthly on a Sunday during the summer.

7. LOCAL TRADESMEN

ACCOUNTANT: Martyn Startup, Furzedown Lane, Amport - 01264 772384

WINDOW CLEANER: D. Colebeck, 11 Alfred Gardens, Andover, SP10 4NX.

Dan Royal - 07787 520612

SWEEP: Mr Fulton - 01264 324748

BUILDER: Kevin Taplin, Sunnybank, Monxton - 012764 710905

See yellow pages also

CARPET CLEANING: Frank Worrell, Winterslow - 01980 862328

PIANO TUNING: Mr Hoppie - 001980 652044

Electrician Spears Electrical Andover Brain Comley 01264 335350

Fuel Oil & Boilers HBS Stockbridge 01264 860263

8. LOCAL ORGANISATIONS

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH Mrs Chris Brandwood – coordinator - 01264 710848

NEIGHBOUR CARE Provide help in emergency situations.
 Sheelagh Mathias - 01264 350309
 Carol Ryle – 01264 710388

9. WEBSITES

MONXTON VILLAGE WEBSITE **monxton.org.uk**

AMPORT VILLAGE WEBSITE **amport.org.uk**

GRATELEY VILLAGE WEBSITE grateley.com

QUARLEY VILLAGE WEBSITE quarley.org.uk

10. CHURCHES

CHURCH OF
ENGLAND

Monxton village church

Priest in charge: Rev Chris Pettet – 01264 772950

Lay Reader: Charmian Howarth - 01264 710221

Times of services.

Benefice service: 10am 1st Sunday in month, the service rotates around the villages in turn.

Church services in Monxton every month:

2nd Sunday 8.00am Holy Communion

3rd Sunday 6.00pm Evensong

4th Sunday 11.00am Holy Communion

5th Sunday 9.30am Family Service



Amport Church choir - practice: Thursday evenings, 7.15 pm

Choir mistress and Organist: Maureen Peck -

01264 772658

Amport Bell-ringing - practice: Friday evenings, 7.30 pm

Captain of the Tower: Martin Routh

Ringing Master: Colin Hares - 01264 710098

BAPTIST
Andover.

Andover Baptist Church, Charlton Road,

Tel: 01264 392032

CATHOLIC

St John the Baptist, Alexandra Road, Andover
Priest: Fr Des Connolly - 01264 352829

METHODIST
01264 401555

Bridge Street Methodist Church, Andover -

11. LOCAL COUNCILLORS

PARISH COUNCIL

Chairman: Mrs Sue Ryan – 01264 710413

Clerk : Mrs Julie Douglas – 01264 711126

Members:

Mike Cleugh – 01264 710276

David Eaglesham – 01264 710338

Roland Colbourne – 01264 710589

Katrina Saville – 01264 710597

Meetings:

Bi-monthly on a Thursday evening at 8pm in the village hall. See village hall notice board for details or Monxton.org.uk

BOROUGH COUNCILLOR

Norman Arnell - 01264 772187

COUNTY COUNCILLOR

Pat West - 01264 339880, e-mail:
pat.west@talk21.com

12. LOCAL SOCIAL GROUPS

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE Grateley Hall - First Thursday of the month, 7.30 pm

FOUR PARISHES
ARTS SOCIETY

Monthly speakers on a wide variety of topics and outings during the summer. Meet on second Tuesday of the month at 8 pm in Monxton, Grateley or Quarley Village Hall. Co-ordinator, Joan Leslie - 01264 710253

NADFAS

Monthly speakers, outings and study days. Meet at Weyhill Fairground Hall. Membership Secretary,
Morning Session: Wendy Holtom - 01962 760864
Membership Secretary,
Afternoon Session: Sue Hancock - 01264 710773

FILM NIGHTS At Monxton & Ampport Village Hall, throughout the winter.

Contact: Veronica Bacon - 01264 771285, Carol Pratt -
01264 710305

or Caroline Unwin - 01264 772375

CONSERVATIVE Tim Southern - 01264 772243
LOCAL BRANCH Charlie Platt - 01264 771389

13. CHILDREN'S GROUPS

BROWNIES 1st Grateley Brownies, Tuesday evenings during
termtime:

Helen Norman - 01264 889337

SEA SCOUTS East Cholderton: Christopher Nicholson - 01264
772739

BENEFICE YOUNG For 6 year olds and over
CHURCH GROUP: Hold regular activity and adventure days,
perform plays and give concerts, for 6 year-olds+:
Maureen Peck - 01264 772658

TENNIS COACHING Linda Machin - 01264 710218

THEATRE CLUB Long Overdue Theatre Club, Helen and Alan - 01264
395217

SWIMMING Andover Leisure Centre Tidworth Pool
LESSONS Mrs Ros King – 01264 710681 (private lessons)

YOUNG CHILDREN Archie's World, Andover Leisure Centre – 01264
347100

SOFT PLAY AREAS: Jungle Jungle, Unit 3a Walworth Enterprise Centre,
Duke Close
Andover - 01264 336360

14. LOCAL SPORTS AND ACTIVITIES

CRICKET CLUB David Baugh - 01264 710641

TENNIS Penton Tennis Club - 01264 356576
Andover Tennis Club – 10264 323084

RIDING STABLES Richard Hale, Furzedown Lane, Amport - 01264
772972

Stockbridge Stables – 01264 810727

SCOTTISH DANCING Grateley Hall - Third and fourth Tuesdays, 7.30 pm
Contact: Jim Gilbert - 01264 889607

GLASS-ENGRAVING Patricia Hilton-Robinson - 01264 771447
CLASSES

BUSY FINGERS Grateley Hall - Second Friday of the month, 10 am-
12 pm

RAGS Painting and needlework, Monxton and Amport Hall
- Mondays, (Robin's Art Group) 10.30 am-12.30 pm: Robina Orchard -
01380 728085

LEISURE CENTRE: Gym and swimming pool: West Street, Andover -
01264 347100
Salto Sports Centre, Charlton road, Andover 01264
333448
The Rapids, Romsey – 01794 830333

CHILDREN'S
FARM PARK : Finkley down Farm Park – 01264 352195
(Open March to November)

15. ENTERTAINMENT

HAWK Internationally-known centre for breeding
endangered predators.
CONSERVANCY Sarson Lane, Amport
Open March to October every day from 10.30am.

CINEMAS The Screen, Southgate Street, Winchester - 01962
877077
Odeon Cinema, New Canal, Salisbury - 0871
2244007
Vue Cinema, Basingstoke - 0871 224 0240

THEATRES The Watermill, Bagnor, Newbury, Berks. - 01635
46044
The Corn Exchange, Newbury, Berks - 01635
522733
The Playhouse, Salisbury - 01722 320333
Theatre Royal, Winchester - 01962 840440
The Mayflower, Southampton - 023 8071 1811

VILLAGE HALL BOOKINGS Contact Karen Simon – 01264 710181

FOOTPATH REPRESENTATIVE Contact Harriet Egerton – 01264 710281

16. LOCAL TRANSPORT

STATIONS: Grateley and Andover - London to Penzance line.
Approximately hourly service to London and Salisbury -
08457 484950.

BUSES: Approximately hourly service on a circular route from
Andover, via Monxton, Amport, Grateley, Grateley
Station & Thruxton
0845 121 0180.

DIAL-A-RIDE WRVS provide door-to-door transport for anyone who has
difficulty using an ordinary bus - 01264 720300.

NATIONAL EXPRESS COACHES - 08705 808080

ANDOVER NEIGHBOUR CARE have a 14-seater minibus, with driver, for
hire.

17. LOCAL NEWSPAPERS/PUBLICATIONS

Monxton Matters:

Editor Mike Cleugh - 01264 710276 monxton.matters@monxton.org.uk

PARISH NEWS Published monthly, covers the benefice of Amport,
Grateley, Monxton and Quarley.
Editor: David Wilkinson - 01264 772276

ANDOVER ADVERTISER Published weekly.
Editor: Joe Scicluna - 01264 323456