# 30 April – 6 May



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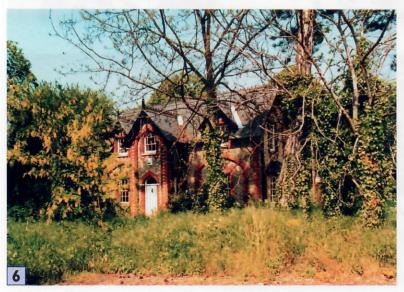
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## 30 April – 6 May

#### I Sunday 30th April at 3.30pm Phone box

A traditional red telephone box at the corner of Coles Road and Cambridge Road. One of only three phone boxes in the village, once well used as many people did not have a phone in their home. Parish Council minutes record that Milton applied for a call office in 1910 after a petition from 35 residents, and asked for a public telephone service in 1925.

2 Monday 1st May at 2.30pm Allotments View looking towards the A10.

3 Tuesday 2nd May Fox

This fox is unusually friendly and can be found visiting certain homes in the area. (This photo was sent to us by a resident – name withheld for protection of the fox.)

#### 4 Wednesday 3rd May Tumbletots

Young children enjoying the climbing apparatus in the Community Centre. Classes for different age-groups of preschool children run on Tuesday mornings, and throughout the day on Wednesdays.

#### 5 Thursday 4th May at 7pm Tree in Milton Hall grounds

Horse chestnut in full leaf and bloom while the rooks roost in the tree behind, which hasn't yet come into leaf. To the south east of the garden is the remains of an ornamental lake designed by Humphrey Repton. In the 18th Century Samuel Knight, builder of Milton Hall, altered the route of the Cambridge to Ely turnpike road, to improve the view from the hall.

6 Friday 5th May at 3pm North Lodge, Ely Road Uninhabited, North Lodge is now very overgrown. Its twin, West Lodge, is well maintained and lived in. These were once the gatehouses for Milton Hall.

7 Saturday 6th May Cricket 1st XI \* First league match of the season.

## 7 May - 13 May





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12/05/2000 19:45 MJS



10/05/2000 10:30 JS



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### 7 May - 13 May

#### I Sunday 7th May

National Dawn Chorus Day walk On the first Sunday in May, Malcolm Busby, park ranger, and the Friends of Milton Country Park organise this walk followed by breakfast. The photograph was taken on the footpath behind Dickerson's Pit.

#### 2 Monday 8th May West Anglia College bus home "Farm School" students board the 109.

#### 3 Tuesday 9th May Milton Post Office

Anil Lakhani the current sub-postmaster and Daphne Wiltshire, (who ran the post office for many years with her husband Bill who died in 1998), pictured outside the shop. Passer-by Brenda Stubbings just happens to be posting a letter.

4 Wednesday 10th May at 10.30am Pokémon Card trading \* The Pokémon phenomenon swept through the country during the spring. Children bought, collected, swapped, traded and compared cards at every opportunity.

5 Thursday 11th May at 9.00pm West Lodge in Knights Way See North Lodge, 5th May.

6 Friday 12th May at 7.45pm The Scrabble Club This meets on the second Friday of each month at 7.30pm. Up to 20 members participate, playing 2 games in the session. Delightful eats are supplied by Mary Daniels.

7,8 Saturday 13th May at 2pm
Milton Hospice Gala Day
7 A most successful day was held using the grounds at the back of Milton Hall, and the weather was wonderful leading to a record attendance.
8 This was the first public display of the millennium photos.

9 Saturday 13th May at 2.30pm Visit of the Bishop of Mozambique \* All Saints' Milton has provided considerable financial aid to a wardamaged church in Mozambique. The Bishop of Mozambique subsequently visited Milton to thank the organisers of the project.

# 14 May - 20 May



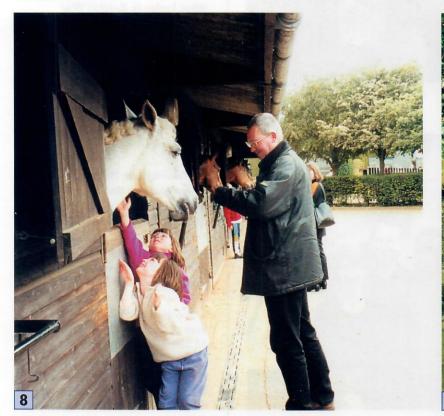
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19/05/2000 20:00 PSB



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### 14 May - 20 May

I Sunday 14th May at 3pm Beet harvester – Fen Road An example of one of the pieces of agricultural equipment currently used in Milton.

2 Monday 15th May at 9am Old farm machinery in field off Fen Road

3 Monday 15th May at 2pm Over-grown field, looking north on Fen Road

### 4 16th May at 1pm

Sculpture of heron The heron sculpture is a permanent reminder of a previous 'Art in the Park' event.

#### 5 17th May at 8.30am

Morning traffic on the High Street Normal rush hour traffic will queue back past the second turning into the Rowans. On exceptional days, like today, it will queue back past the Lion and Lamb public house.

6 18th May at 2pm

**Casa Rosa flower shop** Nicola Stearn, the proprietor, in Casa Rosa florist's on the High Street.

7 Friday 19th May at 8pm Scouts AGM

Beavers, Cubs and Scout groups meet weekly in the Community Centre with a total membership of 80 youngsters and 10 leaders.

#### 8 Saturday 20th May at 3.45pm Farm School Open Day

Each year the Milton part of the College of West Anglia is open to the public. Demonstrations and displays take place all day with staff, students and animals joining in. These horses have been groomed to perfection and were all eager to chat!

# 21 May - 27 May



25/05/2000 12:00 JD





23/05/2000 16:30 JD

26/05/2000 11:00 ARH



27/05/2000 10:30 ARH



21/05/2000 HMS



22/05/2000 HMS



24/05/2000 10:30 JD

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## 21 May - 27 May

### I Sunday 21st May

Science Park

A rainy day in the Science Park, near the Cambridge Innovation Centre. The distinctive pylons are of a folded plate construction, made in France.

#### 2 Monday 22nd May Fen Farm, Fen Road

Donald and Iris Pearson lived here for many years. Their son Bertram continued farming, living in Milton until this year when he and his wife moved to Westwick. Note the wisteria; the back garden was always very attractive, but was shortened before the house was sold.

#### 3 Tuesday 23rd May at 4.30pm Sheltered Housing Manager The manager of Barnabas Court, Jackie McCracken, at the main entrance to the sheltered housing scheme.

#### 4 Wednesday 24th May at 10.30am Community Centre and Doctors Surgery

Viewed from the top floor of the sheltered housing scheme. The purposebuilt doctors' surgery was opened in 1995. The Community Centre opened on 1st April 1986.

### 5 Thursday 25th May at 12 noon Cam Lawnmowers in Fen Road at the rear of Fen Farm

Within a few weeks of this photo being taken, the firm moved to Over. The large building on the left, the workshop, used to be Fen Farm's cowshed. Don Pearson the farmer had a dairy herd for many years.

6 Friday 26th May at 1 IamEmptying the pillar boxOutside the Post Office in Coles Road.

7 Saturday 27th May at 10.30am Derek Booth working on his allotment

# 28 May – 3 June



29/05/2000 TB



28/05/2000 JEC



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02/06/2000 19:45 JLC



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## 28 May – 3 June

I Sunday 28th May

**Cows at the West Anglia College** Cows in a flooded field between the college and the allotments in Ely Road. This photograph was taken between showers (this being one of the wettest years on record) and just after an enormous clap of thunder; the cows completely ignored it and just carried on munching.

2 Monday 29th May afternoon Bank holiday - Baits Bite Lock The river was high and running fast.

3 Monday 29th May Blue Tits

4 Tuesday 30th May New Apostolic Church Formerly the Baptist Chapel.

5 Wednesday 31st May at 2pm Funeral of Jeannie Woodgate The funeral cortège passes the Jolly Brewers public house, where she and her late husband Ron were landlords some years ago.

#### 6 Thursday 1st June evening Village Pump

This pump in Cambridge Road was one of the pumps where residents drew their water before the mains supply was finally piped into Milton. The main parish pump was situated in the area of the village sign. The Parish Council had felt in 1931 that £185.12.0 per annum was too much to pay at the time for water to be piped to the village. In 1935, following a referendum, the Parish Council agreed 'not to oppose' the link up with the water company.

7 Friday 2nd June at 7.45pm Irises in Milton Country Park

8 Saturday 3rd June at 2pm Cricket – 2nd XI Back Row – Rob Wheatley, Steve Critchley, Andy Peck, Graham Newton, Alex Gray, Daniel Coston. Front – Jonathan Sanders, Bob Newton, Trevor Peck, Rod Lynn, Stuart Buller