

NEW THIS YEAR!

In St Andrew's church room and the forecourts of the adjacent pink houses

- **Plant Stall: 2.30 – 5.30**

There will be a plant stall organised and run by local residents

- **Old Headington past and present:
2.30 – 5.30**

Books, postcards and notelets on sale

- **Tea & Cakes: 3.00 – 5.30**

We are very grateful to Otmoor W.I. for providing sumptuous teas and cakes in the Church Room

Why not join the Friends of Old Headington & get involved with local people and events?

New membership and renewals both available at the Friends' stand.

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Friends of Old Headington

Open Gardens

**Sunday 1st July 2018
2.30 – 5.30 pm**

Welcome!

This community event welcomes you to look at, explore and enjoy some lovely gardens today – take your pick, or challenge yourself to visit them all!

Admission

£5 covers admission to all gardens

accompanied children admitted free

£3 members - ***with membership card***

a. 39, Old High Street – Nell Slocock.

Small walled garden; a green oasis next to the Council Carpark, enjoying neighbouring trees, with a mix of formal/informal planting; slightly remodelled since last owner as lawn replaced with border

b. Monckton Cottage. (gates beyond 58, Old High St.) – Julie Harrod & Peter McCarter.

Secluded walled garden with mature trees and meadow area - we stick to our ecological approach despite slugs and honey fungus.

c. 75, Old High Street – George Upcott & family.

Mirror balls, giraffes and lights to rival Vegas... a classic cottage garden with a modern twist.

d. 69, Old High St. The Hermitage – Joe & Lowell Winkelman.

Three walled gardens surrounding a former college farmhouse with mature and newly planted fruit trees espaliered along borders.

e. 17, Laurel Farm Close – K.B. Simmons

Small gardens are so rewarding, and repay any care so generously that we strive for all round continuity of colour and form; the close plantings provide a good microclimate that protects the more tender residents.

f. St Andrew's churchyard and bell tower - Fr. Darren McFarland.

A public garden that is open all the year round. The Bell Tower will be open to visitors from 2.30 until 5.00 and all are welcome. Why not come and see the bells, perhaps have a go at ringing one. Meet some of the ringers, who will gladly demonstrate and answer your questions. NOTE: Access to the top of the Tower is not permitted. Visitors enter the Tower at their own risk.

Otmoor WI will be serving teas and cakes in the church room.

g. 37, St Andrews Road - Ronnie Sonneborn

A very modest garden in a state of change.

p. Friends of Old Headington Plant Stall

h. The Old Pound House, The Croft. - Steve Cowls & Jane Seggons.

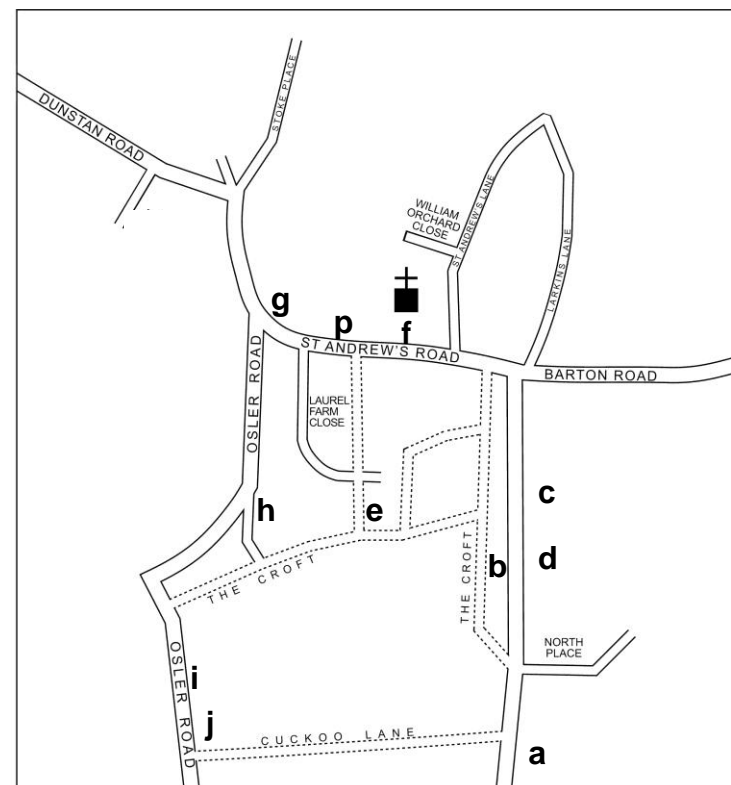
The Pound: where stray animals were kept (last used in 1875) along with the village stocks. Wander round the different sections of the garden - a mixture of formal beds and wilder, woodland areas.

i. White Lodge, Osler Rd. – Catharine Mack-Smith; Roger Little.

A large walled garden with fine mature trees and unusual herbaceous plants, complete with new beautiful hand-made bothy with wood from the fallen beech.

j. Greenways, 40, Osler Rd. – Pam & Nick Coote

Much-loved Italian-inspired garden with architectural design and rich plantings, some new following snow damage.



NOTE: Visitors enter the gardens and other venues at their own risk.