

Cucklington Parish Profile 2017

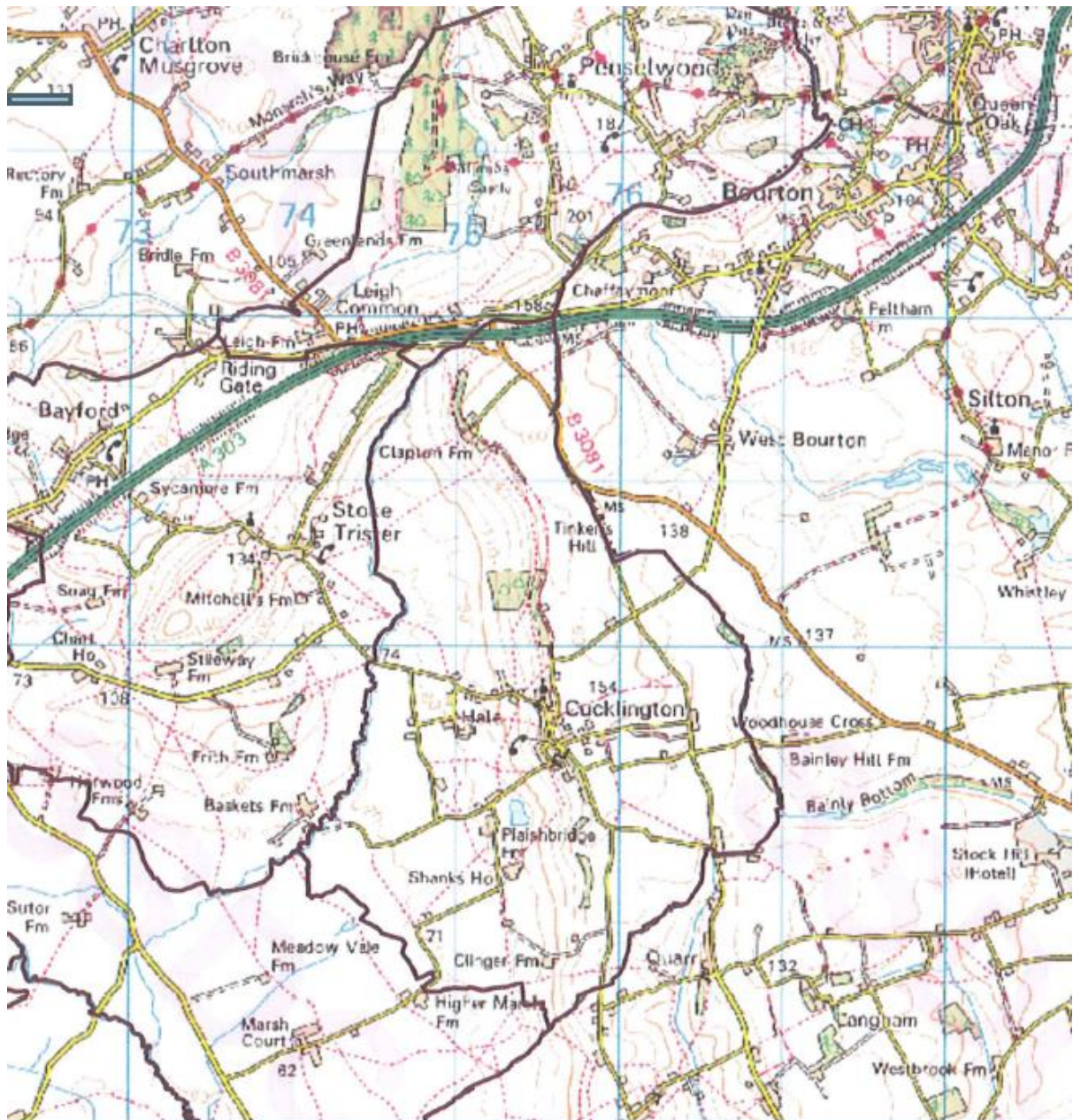


Introduction

The Parish of Cucklington lies on the south eastern edge of the county of Somerset bordering Dorset and Wiltshire.

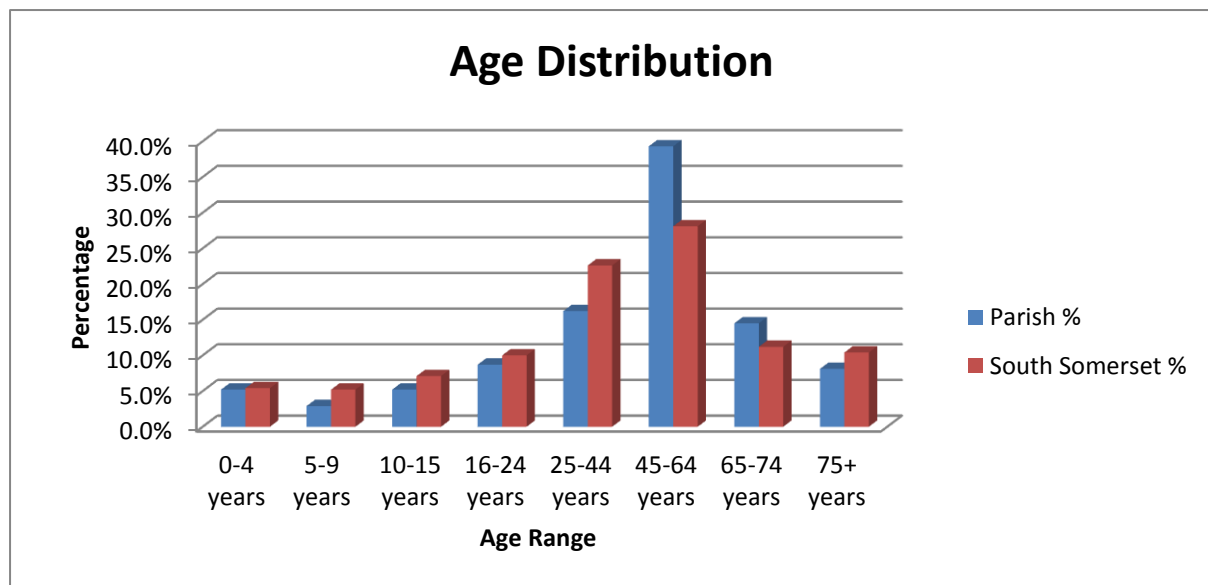
The Parish is mentioned in the Domesday book and dates back to the Anglo Saxon period. The village clusters around the Church of St. Lawrence overlooking the beautiful Blackmore Vale, an area made famous by the books of Thomas Hardy. Cucklington lies 3 miles from the market towns of Wincanton and Gillingham.

The Church of St. Lawrence, Cucklington is part of the United Benefice of Charlton Musgrove, Cucklington and Stoke Trister with Bayford. The earliest records of the church appear in the Taxation of 1291, which raised funds for the Crusade of that year, when the living was rated at £6.13s 4p. The first Rector was recorded in 1317, and a Parish Register exists dating from 1558. The font is Norman and the north aisle arcade is 13th century. The clock tower has six bells and is dated 1703. Major restoration by the Phelips family took place in 1880.

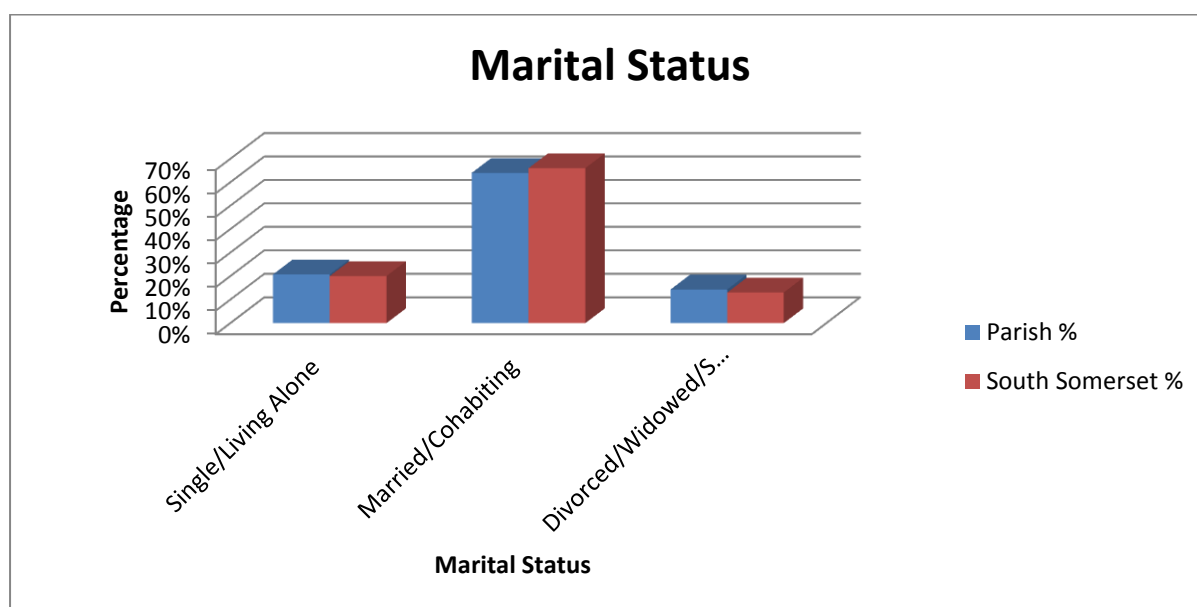


The following statistics have been taken from the 2011 census for Cucklington Parish and show comparisons with the total population in South Somerset.

People			
Age Distribution			
Cucklington Parish	Parish Count 2011	Parish %	South Somerset %
Total Population	173	100%	162,113
0-4 years	9	5.2%	5.4%
5-9 years	5	2.9%	5.2%
10-15 years	9	5.2%	7.1%
16-24 years	15	8.7%	10%
25-44 years	28	16.2%	22.6%
45-64 years	68	39.3%	28.1%
65-74 years	25	14.5%	11.2%
75+ years	14	8.1%	10.4%



Gender Distribution			
	Parish Count 2011	Parish %	South Somerset %
Gender			
Male	84	48.6%	49%
Female	89	51.4%	51%



Household Composition			
	Parish Count 2011	Parish %	South Somerset %
One Person Household	39	37.1%	31.1%
Any type of Household - all aged 65 and over	23	21.9%	20.6%
Married/Civil Partnership	29	27.6%	28%
Cohabiting Couple	6	5.7%	7.4%
Lone Parent Household	6	5.7%	6%
Multi-person Household	2	1.9%	3.9%

Household Tenure			
	Parish Count 2011	Parish %	South Somerset %
Owned: Owned Outright	42	50.6%	38.40%
Owned: Owned with Mortgage/Loan	22	26.5%	31.90%
Owned: Shared Ownership	02	0%	0.80%
Social Rented - all	8	9.6%	14%
Private rent	6	7.2%	11.30%
Living rent free	3	3.6%	1.60%
Private rented - other	2	2.4%	2%

Broad Indicators of Household Poverty			
	Parish Count 2011	Parish %	South Somerset %
Households with no Car	4	4.8%	14.7%
Households with no Central Heating	2	2.4%	3.6%

Economic Activity			
	Parish Count	Parish %	South Somerset %
Economically Active	90		
Employed - Full time	41	45.6%	54.2%
Employed - Part time	14	15.6%	22.2%
Self employed	25	27.8%	16.4%
Unemployed	7	7.8%	3.9%
Full time student	3	3.3%	3.3%

Types of Occupation of Residents (Working age)			
	Parish Count 2011	% of Parish Residents	South Somerset %
Semi-routine and Routine Occupations	32	23.5%	28.2%
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	5	3.7%	8.9%
Small employers and own-account workers	26	19.1%	12.2%
Intermediate occupations	6	4.4%	12.1%
Managerial and professional occupations	55	40.4%	30.7%
Never worked and long-term unemployed	4	2.9%	2.7%
Full-time students	8	5.9%	5.2%

Health			
	Parish count 2011	% of Parish Residents	South Somerset %
Very good Health	79	43.9%	45.4%
Good Health	69	39.9%	36.0%
Fair Health	20	11.6%	13.8%
Bad Health	8	4.6%	3.8%
Very bad Health	0	0%	1.0%

Parish Precepts

Total number of Properties	Precept 17/18	Band D
89	£1,250	£12.91

Parish Council

The Parish Clerk for the Cucklington Parish:

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Local Schools

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Somerset,
BA9 9DH,
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Email: office@ourladys.somerset.sch.uk

Head teacher: Miss Alison Fishlock

Wincanton Primary School
South Street
Wincanton
Somerset
BA9 9DZ

Telephone: 01963 32132

Email: office@wincanton.somerset.sch.uk

Head teacher: Graeme Wilson

King Arthur's Community School
West Hill
Wincanton
Somerset
BA9 9BX

Tel: 01963 32368
Fax: 01963 33735

Email: office@kingarthurs.org.uk

Head teacher: Chris Beech

Local Village Hall

The Arthur Morison Memorial Hall

The hall was opened in July 2006, and provides excellent modern facilities for both village events and bigger occasions such as wedding receptions and parties, formal and informal. The building includes a large main hall, which can comfortably seat 100 people for lunch or dinner, and a smaller room for meetings up to 20 people. The hall is licensed for the sale of alcohol, for plays, films, indoor sporting events, live and recorded music and dancing. The kitchen is extremely well equipped and can provide for up to 100 settings. There is ample car parking.

If you are interested in hiring the hall, or viewing it, please contact either Brian Truman 01747 841014 or Mrs J Rawlings 01963 33320.

Police Community Support

Sara Stephenson
Beat Manager

Emma Russell
PCSO

Tim Russell
PCSO

Wincanton Police Station, Churchfield

Wincanton BA9 9AG

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