## Wallingford - 21st July 2016

Wallingford was enclosed by substantial earthworks by King Alfred the Great in the 9<sup>th</sup> century. During the Norman conquest in 1066, the local Anglo-Saxon Lord Wigod allowed William's invading army to cross the Thames unopposed before moving on to London. The town was held in high esteem by William and mentioned in the Doomsday Book. It was the last royalist stronghold in Berkshire during the English Civil war, and the castle was totally destroyed by Cromwell. The buses to Wallingford from Reading or Didcot are operated by thames-travel.co.uk Stop SB is opposite the Malmaison Hotel, or stop NA on the Upside (North) 2 minutes later. Times as follows:-<u>Reading (stop SB Station Rd)</u> X39 or X40 <u>Wallingford Market Place</u>

08.15	09.03
09.00	09.40
09.30	10.10
10.10	10.42
10.30	11.10
11.10	11.42
11.30	12.10
Wallingford Market Place	X39 or X40 Reading (Station Rd)
13.50	14.23
14.21	15.03
14.50	15.23
15.21	16.03
15.53	16.27
16.23	17.06
Didcot Station (X2)	Wallingford Market Place
09.02	09.28
10.16	10.42
11.23	11.42
Wallingford Market Place	(X2) <u>Didcot Station</u>
13.47	14.12
14.47	15.12
15.47	16.13
17.00	17.27

## No. 1 The Dolphin, 2, St Mary's Street

Greene King – Opens at 8am for breakfast – full English £5.95 - 5 real ales on, with 3 guest beers. Leave (turning right) at **11.15** for a 2 min. walk to:-

## No. 2 The George Hotel, 25, High Street

Opens 11am – 3 ales all Rebellion – Good selection of food. Leave at **12.00** for a 4 min. walk to:-

## No. 3 The Town Arms, 102, High Street

Opens 12 noon – Free house – 4 ales (3 unusual) – No food. Leave at **12.45** for a 30 second walk to:-

No. 4 The Boat House, 104, High Street

Opens 12 noon – 4 ales, 1 Cider – Good selection of food (recommend the steak and ale pie) and overlooking the Thames.

When we've had enough, walk back to the Market Place. The Reading stop is by Greggs, and the Didcot stop is the same one you alighted at.

