



The Lych Gate was re-thatched in 2010 with the generous support of a grant from the Heritage Lottery Fund. Children from the local school learnt about the work of the Thatcher and produced art work using the thatching straw as inspiration.

The building has been re-thatched four times in the last forty years. Methods of re-thatching now have changed little since the previous picture was taken in 1955.



The Parish Church of St Peter & St Paul is open for visitors every day of the year from 10.00am until dusk. Its history, dating from the 13th century, is explained in a leaflet that is available within the church.

Set in a delightful area of the Cotswolds Long Compton encourages visitors, who will find B&Bs, provisions in the local shops south of the church and refreshments, meals and accommodation at the Red Lion pub, half a mile south.

Further information about the church can be found at:-

www.Swarks7.org.uk
Tel: 01608 684207

Further information about the History Society weekends can be found at:

www.longcompton-pc.gov.uk



WELCOME TO THE LYCH GATE OF ST PETER & ST PAUL



Built around 1600, this fascinating small building has undergone a series of changes to become the Lych Gate of today.

Constructed of timber, brick, stone and thatch the Lych Gate is a Grade II Listed Building.

