



What our guests thought of Chipping House in 2013

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Mr Spanton from Southampton April 2013

Chipping House turned out to be the venue for the best family holiday we have had in recent years. I cannot recommend this property highly enough.

Mr Graham from Dumfriesshire July 2013

To Catherine (*the owner*): I have booked holiday accommodation all over the country and never been looked after as well as by you.

Mrs McKenna from Sweden May 2013

The house itself is incredibly well equipped; you really don't need to bring anything with you, even if you love to cook.

Mrs Glasgow from Oxfordshire September 2013

Wotton-under-Edge is an unspoilt Cotswold town with lovely amenities and great local walking on the Cotswold Way.

Mr Stothart from Scotland June 2013

By far the best accommodation in all our years of 'cottage' holidays.

Mr Forward from Billericay October 2013

We can certainly recommend the accommodation which fully justifies its four-star rating.

Mrs Spencer from Newbury December 2013

Thank you for the use of your lovely house over Christmas. We loved every minute.

Lovely comfortable and well placed ideal for our weekend. Enjoyed exploring the town and lovely walks in hills around. The house was spotless and very well equipped and labelled.

Mrs Rowley from Coventry December 2013

Thank you so much for all the excellent information - you have really gone the extra mile to make our stay enjoyable.

Mrs Bond from London October 2013

What a lovely house - it suited our needs very well and we had a great time. The toys were much appreciated, especially the soft animals.

Mr Mulhern from Eastbourne November 2013

I can truly say the house is faultless. Great communication from the owner with lots of useful information. Very clean and well equipped house just as described.

Mr Forward from Billericay October 2013

Very comfortable accommodation with plenty of space for a family group. The spacious accommodation was much appreciated. All equipment worked well and there was adequate provision of essentials (towels, etc.)

Mrs Baker from Buckinghamshire November 2013



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The central situation within easy walking distance of shops, cafes, pubs etc. was ideal.

Chipping House is excellent in all respects. We cannot suggest any improvements.

The comprehensive range of information was very helpful and added to the enjoyment and interest of our stay.

Altogether a thoroughly enjoyable week in a very attractive area and we can certainly recommend the accommodation which fully justifies its four-star rating.

Mrs Davies from Llanelli October 2013

Very good place for a family gathering. Plenty of sleeping space and also plenty of bathrooms and toilets.

Well equipped kitchen. Cooked for large numbers with no problems.

It is very close to motorway and very very close to all the facilities of the village, which were very good. Shops well stocked.

Mr and Mrs Johnson from Nottingham September 2013

We have had a wonderful week. Our time here was planned to culminate in the wedding of our daughter (nearby). Our family, including daughters, spouses and children from the USA and Australia.

The weather was perfect and Chipping House was everything we could have hoped for, and more. Our family members ranged from 8 to 87 and the house worked so very well for everyone to enjoy. It is spacious, comfortable, fun and welcoming, and was more than adequately equipped, with tasteful beds and bedding, and a fabulous array of cooking pots, crockery and cutlery. We had memorable family suppers around the wonderful dining room table. The

garden was also enjoyed by all, from the children who enjoyed playing games to others who enjoyed identifying the many plants and flowers in the plentiful sunshine as the garden faces west.

Bedroom 1 is luxurious and elegant and was just right for the bride to get ready in for her wedding.

Your house was a perfect place to stay - a warm and welcoming home. All in all an unforgettable experience.

Mrs Glasgow from Oxfordshire September 2013

Just wanted to say how much we all enjoyed staying at Chipping House - it is a lovely home and very welcoming indeed. We did some lovely walks, went swimming a couple of times (once in the rain!) and visited some local attractions. Apart from that, lots of lovely cooking (we are all into our food!) and discussions about life in general over several glasses of wine.

Great location within the town, house is really well appointed and great for sharing with a large group. Lots of space to lose yourself with a book and a glass of wine or just chat with friends. Wotton-under-Edge is an unspoilt Cotswold town with lovely amenities and great local walking on the Cotswold Way.

All in all a perfect holiday.

The Challen Family from Kent August 2013 (also stayed in 2012)

Lovely! Another fabulous year at Chipping House. Hoping to come again next year!

Mr Graham from Dumfriesshire July 2013

I stayed with a group of 10 friends as we were walking parts of the Cotswolds Way. Chipping House was just excellent for all our



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party and there were many little corners for a relaxing time. It was especially good as some of us could watch Wimbledon in the library in the evening whilst others enjoyed a good conversation and evening drink in the lounge.

The summer house was particularly popular with the walkers enjoying afternoon tea and even a wee sleep after our daily long walk. The owner was particularly helpful in giving advice on attractions in the area which we found very useful.

Mr Stothart, friend of Mr Graham (above)

July 2013

By far the best accommodation in all our years of 'cottage' holidays. A perfect site in a friendly town with all services to hand.

Congratulations on the thought put into both internal and external contingencies.

The Bell and Dine Families from Melbourne, Australia

July 2013

- Very comfortable furniture, beds too
- Great to have a huge selection of games and books to enjoy
- Maps and leaflets fantastic – used a lot
- Well stocked kitchen

Mr Lye from Worcestershire

July 2013
Spacious property - fully equipped with everything you could want. Well located for trips out etc. Superb holiday home!

Mrs Haysom from Nova Scotia, Canada

July 2013
Wonderful family home, comfortable, spacious, child friendly, large garden with furniture to lounge in. Spacious kitchen and dining room very well equipped. Lots of

space to read, play, relax etc. 14 family members arrived from Canada and fell in love with Chipping House and Wotton-under-Edge. Pub 2 mins away, outdoor swimming pool 2 mins away. Unspoilt Cotswold village, with shops, historic buildings, lovely countryside. Close to Bristol. Charming owners.

Mrs Horne from Medway, Kent

July 2013
The property was ideally located for the many places of interest we planned to visit, which included Bath and Cheddar Gorge.

Mr Stocker from Devon

June 2013

- Positive things:
- The initial greet from Catherine, the owner, and her staff
 - The location, the town, plenty to do
 - The house is well stocked with equipment, books, games, nothing lacking at all.
 - The Wotton-under-Edge treasure hunt is a must!

Negative things:

- The rain!!

Mr Batchelor from Brighton, friend of Mr Stocker (above)

June 2013
I would just like to tell you how much we enjoyed our stay in your lovely house. Everything was there to make our stay very comfortable. There was plenty of space and lots of things for children to play with. The house is ideally situated for the shops in the town, public houses, coffee shops etc.

I would certainly recommend your house to friends.



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Mrs Little from Scotland June 2013

We all much enjoyed Chipping House, the pool, the summerhouse, the eating places, the Naked Gardeners of Malmesbury (!), Tetbury's shops, Calcot Manor, the Ram Inn and its aged owner, the almshouses' chapel and the local National Trust Tudor lodge.

Mrs Carroll from Taunton June 2013

We had a lovely time in your house. We had a large family celebration and the space the house provided was perfect. We would definitely book again should the need arise – in fact I'm rather sad to leave as we've had a very happy week here.

Mrs Russell from Lewes May 2013

The house was very comfortable and the position in the town was very convenient for all our needs, we felt very welcome and at home.

Mrs Edgington from Bath May 2013

Thank you so much for sharing your beautiful home with our family. As a fellow host of holiday property, I appreciate how much goes into running successful vacation accommodation and will happily recommend your house to others.

Valerie B from Brighton May (half term) 2013

We were all delighted with the property. The layout of the bedrooms was perfect for our party and the beds were very comfortable. The kitchen was more than fully equipped and the lounge and library were comfortable and catered for the children very well. The owners of the cottage were extremely helpful and left nothing to chance. We would love to enjoy another holiday there.

Mrs Stockdale from Ireland May 2013

Thank you so much for the brilliant week in Chipping House. The house is so welcoming – the owners were obviously happy here when they lived here in the past. We cooked a lot and found the house incredibly well stocked. We ate out in the back garden every night, apart from the times when we ate out. The Swan was excellent.

Thank you for your welcoming email before we arrived. It was informative.

We've left truffles for whoever prepared the house. They had done a good job.

Mrs McKenna from Sweden May 2013

We spent a most gorgeous week in your beautiful house. We had such a lovely time. I stayed with my husband and his family... Our group ranged in age from 19 months to 71 years and everyone loved it and found a corner to suit them (some adults were found in the dressing-up clothes area). The house itself is incredibly well equipped, you really don't need to bring anything with you, even if you love to cook (I tend to bring a decent chopping knife with me whenever I rent a house!) We cooked a lot and ate in the village a few times - mostly very impressive and incredibly good value.

Chipping House has obviously witnessed lots of happy times and immediately feels like home. It is really comfortable, warm and the beds are super comfy! I cannot recommend it highly enough!

Miss Watson from London April/May 2013

Thank you so much for all your help and advice for our stay at your wonderful house during Badminton horse trials. We had a fantastic time and the house couldn't have been more perfect.



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We stayed here with a large group of friends including two children aged 1 and 5. There was so much space and a fantastic dining table that seats about 18 people. It really was home away from home with everything you needed in the house, lots of dishes in the kitchen, toys for the children etc. There is a great garden and we had a barbecue one evening. The house is in a fantastic position in the heart of the village and walking distance to pubs, shops etc. The owners were exceptionally helpful beforehand and gave us so lots of ideas for places to eat and things to do. I strongly recommend.

**Mr Revill from Mansfield
April 2013**

Thank you for a wonderful stay in your fabulous house. We really enjoyed our time. Very well-equipped and spacious and we would recommend to friends.

**Mr Spanton from South Hampshire
April 2013**

It is with a heavy heart that we leave Chipping House. We have had just the best holiday.

It was perfect for our extended family - 2 grandparents, 3 daughters, 3 sons-in-law and 3 two year old grandchildren. The description on their informative web site was completely accurate and the joining instructions were fine. The house was immaculate when we arrived. It had everything we needed to make this a wonderful week.

The facilities of the house so generously left for our use made our stay such a wonderful experience. There was everything for the children, indoors and out and this was hugely responsible for the success of the stay. The space for the children to play happily and safely were most appreciated - there was so much for them to play with.

There were also amazing facilities for the older ones including Wi-Fi. The very well stocked kitchen was sufficient for hosting a dinner party (not that we did). The bedrooms were spacious and the beds very comfortable.

The garden was safe and well-maintained.

Wotton-under-Edge is a fascinating place as well, with so many independent shops as well as a Co-op (hooray) and a Tesco Express (boo hiss).

I cannot recommend this property highly enough. It felt like a home, which of course it is.

**Mr Maund from Swansea
March 2013**

We had a great time. The house was ideal for our needs. Comfortable and in a great position.

**Mrs Shrubsole from Bristol
March 2013**

We had a wonderful weekend in your beautiful and well-equipped house.

**Mrs Luxton from Dorset
February 2013**

Excellent accommodation. Well equipped. Lots of useful information. A fabulous family home. Thanks for a great family holiday.

**Mr Walter from Hertfordshire
January 2013**

We had a brilliant time in a wonderful house, which we would recommend to all our friends.



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**Mr Webster
from Hertfordshire
December 2012**

Over the 10 years that we have been going on holiday several times per year, we can easily say that Chipping House has been the most rewarding experience ever.

**Mr and Mrs Lettis
from Warwickshire
June 2012**

The first house in all the 10 or 12 years that we have been renting holiday houses where the owner had provided everything and we had not wanted for anything.

**Mr and Mrs English from Cwmbran
October 2012**

One of the most well equipped houses that we have rented in the past 17 years.

**Vivienne Lak from Belgium
May 2012**

Chipping House is the best house we have ever had in 13 years of choir holiday experiences!

**Mr Fletcher from Aberystwyth after
leaving Chipping House
December 2012**

The property was beautiful but not intimidating - we all agreed that we felt at home straight away. It didn't feel like a rented property and there were some lovely personal touches, Christmas decorations, plenty of logs for the woodburners, bottles of ketchup, maps etc!

We loved the little town of Wotton-under-Edge. Everyone was particularly friendly and helpful and the many walks from the door across the decidedly waterlogged fields were really enjoyable. A perfect holiday!

**Mrs Fletcher from Aberystwyth
before arriving at Chipping House
December 2012**

The house looks lovely and all your comments will be really useful when it comes to deciding who goes where (and

when) etc. It would seem that we don't need to bring the kitchen sink or the Monopoly?! Thank you again for looking after us so well, I feel completely relaxed and able to fully enjoy all the anticipation of Christmas without the accompanying stress!

**Mr Webster from Hertfordshire
December 2012**

Thank you for the attention to details. The house was simply perfect for our long weekend and the house was clean. We spent so much time in the house as it was so spacious and comfortable. There was a plentiful supply of cutlery and crockery and this made preparation and presentation so much easier.

One of our party was recovering from an operation one week ago and the short walks to The Swan and the shops was a blessing.



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Mrs Massey from Watford December 2012

The house was warm and extremely comfortable. It's a great location for exploring the Cotswolds.

The Carré Family from Sheffield December 2012

You have such a beautiful house and in a lovely setting. We all enjoyed our time enormously and were comfortable and felt extremely well catered for.

You seem to have everything for everyone and we look forward to coming back again one day.

Mrs Boyne from Devon December 2012

We have all had an amazing time at your house. It was absolutely perfect for our family, young and old. Would definitely love to come back again next year and make it a family tradition. The house was very well equipped and the beds were so comfortable.

Thank you so much for all the information and the finishing touches, which made it extra special.

The Tinsons from Isle of Wight November/December 2012

Our group has been spending this week away for around eighteen years now. We were ... prompted to return to Chipping House because not only is the house 'Grand' and interesting, the surrounding area has so much to offer, as does the town.

Mr and Mrs Weston from St Austell

Well equipped family house. A great venue for a family get-together. Enjoyable sessions at the Falcon steakhouse. Thank you for the welcome pack.

Mrs Bauer from Gloucestershire October 2012

Fantastic weekend in superbly equipped house. Very comfortable. Could highly recommend. Wotton-under-Edge is a great little town with beautiful walks.

Mrs Smith from Forest of Dean September 2012

A truly remarkable family house that is really well equipped. We enjoyed our stay immensely which all contributed to making our son's wedding and our stay for a week a memorable occasion.

Mark C from London September 2012

Very comfortable accommodation, well equipped kitchen, plenty of room for large family meals, a well stocked library with plenty of puzzles and games, a large screen TV for those that need one and a more relaxing TV free room for those that don't. Good sized private garden for badminton etc. Local shops, swimming pool and cinema all within a few hundred yards. Cinema was great.

Mr and Mrs Challen from Kent August 2012

We have had a fantastic week in a beautiful area. So much to see and plenty of places to visit: Bath, Dyrham Park, Newark, Gloucester Cathedral.

The house and garden are great and extremely well equipped. Superb accommodation – loved the two separate living rooms/library. Lovely private garden.

Lunches in the Swan Hotel and nearby Hunters Hall are both recommended.

We are sad to be leaving and hope to make a return visit.



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Mr Mallagh from London August 2012

Such a lovely homely home. Felt very comfortable. Home from home.

We were welcomed warmly by the owners who have thought of absolutely everything in this beautiful house. We stayed as a family holiday with ages ranging from 3 to 84 and everyone found something to do (summer rain!) we even hired the local village pool for an hour - bargain at £50 per hour! The house is so 'cosy' considering it sleeps 14 and the owners are a mine of information. We ate at the long dining table/played cards there, we played family games in the day room and listened to music & bookworms read in the living room. The youngsters enjoyed the study (laptops etc) and the emperor bed in the master bedroom....was so comfy & quiet we over slept most days! Definitely going back :)))

Mr & Mrs Phipps from Milton Keynes July 2012

The whole family congratulated us on finding such a perfect venue for our special get together. We had a truly enjoyable time. Bedrooms / bathrooms - all we needed for a good night's sleep, kitchen / dining - all there.

I loved the quiet room where I was able to get better and rest, enjoying books on all sorts of different subjects and the children played the piano and sang and acted. Our daughter over from Australia was able to keep up with work in the study. Garden - even down to wellie boots - and we found fresh rosemary to go with the lamb - it was good.

Swimming twice a day (*in Wotton Pool*), walks, delis to die for and above all such nice local people. And we did appreciate

all the information - we never had to ask ourselves any questions!

Perfect for an all ages family get together. Very good location and the house offered simply everything needed no matter the weather.

Mr and Mrs Sterritt from Northern Ireland July 2012

Beautiful house. Information provided, including emails, was very helpful and reassuringly informative. House contains everything you could possibly need.

NB We found the Royal Oak pub/restaurant very family friendly and welcoming atmosphere. Good food at reasonable prices.

Ollie, Lauren and Mae (all under 10) June/July 2012

This place is epic. Whoever lives here is very lucky. It is a (*sic*) amazing experience with lots of stuff to do.

Mr Culleton from Swansea June 2012

No property is exactly what you imagine from the 'brochure'. However, Chipping House exceeded our expectations.

The property is spacious and very well equipped. Our 2½ year old grandson was kept amused by the variety of toys and games in the playroom.

The location was ideal, having the convenience of local facilities on your doorstep. The garden is private, a safe play area and ideal for relaxing. The beds were comfortable (which is often a weakness in some holiday accommodation).



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Ann Lettis from Warwickshire June 2012

Wonderful house. Super place for:

- Grandparents
- Parents
- Children
- Grandchildren

Five stars for the cleaner – the house was immaculate.

Vivienne Lak from Oud-Heverlee, Belgium May/June 2012

Chipping House is the best house we have ever had in 13 years of choir holiday experiences! The beds are incredibly good and so is the library, the garden, the kitchen; we are really impressed by your lovely home.

Mrs Prettyjohns from Leicestershire May 2012

We thoroughly enjoyed our stay. We found the beds very comfortable. We enjoyed having two sitting rooms. One with television and one without so people had a choice.... watching TV or chatting and listening to music. We also liked that the house was in the village so near to places to eat and to buy provisions.

Mrs Hayter from Hampshire April 2012

Lovely house, clean and tidy and very well kitted out. Twelve adults had a great time. Plenty of information regarding the house and surrounding area. The house was great to chill out in. Lots of things to do in the house if the weather was bad, which it was...puzzles, books, games, big TV. Not forgetting the lovely wood burning stoves, which kept us all cosy, what a treat!

Chipping House has the feel of a family home, really welcoming and good parking too. Really lovely home, we had a super weekend.

Mr and Mrs Rose from Derbyshire April 2012

We had a wonderful week – three generations of happiness.

Mrs Fripp from Dorset April 2012

Excellent venue and location for walking the Cotswold Way. An extremely well equipped house.

Mrs Williams from Essex April 2012

The owners were very welcoming. They had thought of everything. Thanks to the housekeeper as well

The house was well equipped and very comfortable. There was helpful information about the practical running of the house and also about its interesting history. My grandchildren loved the play room. We had a great time at Chipping House. It has everything that you could wish for.

Mrs Riley from Andover March 2012

Very comfortable. We appreciated the detailed instructions for appliances and the play resources for the children. A great space for 3 generations to enjoy time together whilst having 'quiet time' in our own rooms if required.

Mr Hall from Hook January 2012

Perfect for our family celebration. Plenty of toys, games and dressing up clothes for the grandchildren. Good location for the town and sightseeing.



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Mrs Meggitt from London March 2010

The kitchen is incredibly well appointed. Everything but everything is there. It's great to have all the things that holiday homes often lack. Decent pans and knives, kids' cutlery, good utensils and cookery books. Even cake tins. Brilliant.

The Brown Family from Witham June 2011

All the extra little touches were appreciated.

The Rudge Family from Aberdeen September 2011

The property is very well maintained, very well equipped and very well placed within the lovely village.

Mr Smith from South Africa Christmas 2011

Chipping House was everything that we had expected and more. You seem to have thought of every need that may occur and have the facilities and equipment to meet those needs.

Mr Smith from South Africa December 2011

The Christmas (at Chipping House) was stunning! Everybody arrived as scheduled - from Hong Kong, from Virginia State and from Hereford (UK). For the first time, my wife and I had the whole of our immediate family under one beautiful roof, life cannot get any better than that!! To all be seated for special meals with the most special people in our lives will stay with us forever.

The house was everything that we had expected and more. You seem to have thought of every need that may occur and have the facilities and equipment to meet those needs. Our son cooked Christmas lunch and for the first time ever did not run out of pots and pans!

We made good use of the library and games room and all the children loved the rocking horse.

On Christmas Eve we played the family games including Trivial Pursuits at which we men excelled, until it was pointed out that the game was for players between eight and

twelve years of age, yet another special memory.

The beds were comfortable with good linen and towelling; central heating was a godsend to us Southern hemisphere oldies and the wood fires added that lovely ambience. The garden was well used as a sports field and the close access to the village shops meant that there was no hassling with shopping lists and driving.

The baptism of two of our grandchildren was another beautiful experience and many more family members joined us on that special day.

Thank you for your guidance and advice, the locals from the tea room to the farm centre were all charming and helpful; the tree and turkey were ready for us on arrival. We wanted to leave the tree as it had given us such joy as all of the grandchildren had helped with the decorating, they will be delighted as we are, to know that it gave pleasure to other people.

Your house is beautiful and will be ever present in our family memories.



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Mr and Mrs Garner from Nottingham November 2011

Everyone (10 adults and 2 young children) could not fault Chipping House - the location, the accommodation, helpful information, the abundance of crockery and glassware, kitchen utensils and pots & pans. The extra touches of hairdryers in most rooms, clear instructions and directions for use of facilities etc made Chipping House an ideal destination for our gathering.

The children (and the adults!) thought the 'toy room' was heaven and made great use of the 'playroom' with all the games and toys they found there.

The setting in the heart of Wotton-under-Edge was ideal for exploring the Cotswolds.

The owner was most welcoming and accommodating of the needs of our party. We would not hesitate to recommend it to friends. We all want to come back one day to this special 'home-from-home'.

Trish Young from Sydney October 2011

We had a lovely time here in your beautiful house. Specially appreciated all the books - especially the history books and the big book on Wotton in particular.

Mrs Leeming from Northamptonshire October 2011

Your house was very accommodating. Loved the village local shops and 'The Singing Teapot' for a superb breakfast.

The Rudge family from Aberdeen September 2011

Stayed at Chipping House for one week in early September. Family joined us for first weekend - which ranged from 2 year old to 70 year old. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed staying here.

The property is very well maintained, very well equipped and very well placed within the lovely village. Chipping House was immaculate and very homely. We also met the owner, who is a lovely lady. We had friends join us for the rest of the week and again they were very impressed.

Had great meals in the Swan, Star and Royal Oak.

Will definitely be returning to Chipping House and have no hesitation in recommending this property. Sykes Cottages (*the booking agents*) also did a very good job with all the admin.

The Green Family from Hampshire August 2011

House perfect for our family group of eight. We all found our own space and had a brilliant week. Location excellent. Grateful for the hand soap, washing powder etc.

Mrs Blower from Folkestone August 2011

We had a wonderful time in your lovely home. The bookshelves in the lounge are an inspiration! We certainly had no time to get bored with so much to do and see, both in the house and in the area.

Although it is a large house it has a very homely feel, and we particularly loved the 'children's lounge' with the books, jigsaw puzzles and games, which were made very good use of! The piano in the adult lounge was much enjoyed also, and we had lots of fun singing from the 'songs from the 70s' book! The Emperor bedroom is beautiful!

Thank you for opening up your home and making the experience so interesting!

The Blencowes from Nottinghamshire July/August 2011

By far the most spacious and well equipped rental we have had. Nice to have all the



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amenities within walking distance and good parking. Weather helped and we have all enjoyed a great holiday. Still lots to see in this area.

Mrs Jeynes from Wotton under Edge July 2011

Lovely house, thank you. Perfect for entertaining. Great garden. Very friendly helpers/cleaners. Good notes in files.

Mrs Kenward from West Sussex July 2011

The layout worked well for three generations. Hostess trolley and ship's bell were really useful. Cinema just one minute away ...

Ms England from Worcestershire July 2011

We had a lovely holiday. We are really sorry to leave this spacious house, which still felt like home with personal touches.

Mr Batchelor from Hertfordshire June 2011

We absolutely loved our stay. The house was like a home from home. Very well equipped, beautiful decor and immaculately clean.

The Brown Family from Witham June 2011

Very comfortable and well equipped for our party of 7 adults and a baby. We made use of the whole house and leave chilled ready for Essex life again!

All the extra little touches were appreciated and putting on the kettle for a cuppa on arrival was lovely.

The house was very grand in size but homely. There were welcoming tea, coffee, milk and flowers. The house was central to the town. The facilities were brilliant, everything was thought of for young and old alike. The kitchen was better equipped than mine!

Thoroughly recommend Chipping House for large families and 'get togethers'.

Mrs Goldsmith from Surrey April/May 2011

Thought the house and gardens were great. The kitchen was well stocked and we loved the family room. Internet was great. Loved the study. Everyone said complimentary things about the bed linen and duvets.

Mrs Broughton from Oxfordshire April 2011

Very helpful owner. We were blessed with good weather and enjoyed the garden. Very practical space in the house for the two young children who were in our party.

Mrs Goody from Honiton April 2011

Lovely house – very spacious. Children (x6!) enjoyed the games and books.

Miss Bowden from Greenwich March 2011

Location – right in town
Area – lovely countryside just outside the town

Property – spacious, clean, right amount of bathrooms for a big group, lots of crockery etc, fittings of a high standard

The house is great – it has everything that you could ask for, plus other things that exceeded our expectations.

Mr Skinner from Northampton March 2011

Nice house. Worked well with a large group and pretty safe for children. Owners very helpful.

Mrs Coles from Witney February 2011

House very suitable for needs and housekeeper extremely helpful.

Mr Jeffrey from Buckinghamshire February 2011

Very much enjoyed our stay. Used the house as a writing retreat and productivity was high! Very well equipped residence – we



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wanted for nothing and appreciated all the local information provided.

Miss Polley from Suffolk January 2011

The house had fantastic facilities and so many games for the kids to play. It was brilliant. We all had a wonderful time.

Mrs Cochrane from York December 2010

The house was lovely and perfect for our needs, spacious and comfortable, with good-quality furnishings and a friendly welcome from the 'literature', and a helpful response from the owner & housekeeper. It was very well equipped for all ages and it really felt like a 'home' for the weekend we were there.

We loved the fact that it was so near the town centre so we could just wander round the shops, and there are some really nice short walks. The pre-Christmas weekend was a great success with all members of the family and we're already thinking of coming back next year!

Mr Hooper from Kidderminster December 2010

This house was perfect for the family gathering that we had - in all, two grandparents, two adult couples, three teenagers and a young lady of 8. This meant the diversity of the property was spot on. The quality of accommodation was excellent and the owner was very helpful. Being set in the town itself only added to the whole ambience and convenience. It is very difficult to fault much about a large house in a perfect location for our needs.

Mrs Johnson from Manchester November 2010

The house was so welcoming and there was everything we needed. The village was brilliant and we had a great time in the pubs and a meal at the local hotel. The surrounding area was beautiful and we had an excellent walk around the Cotswold trail.

Thank you everyone involved in making our stay so memorable. The house is wonderful - we felt warm, relaxed and comfortable. There was everything we needed and more.

Ms McHale from Worcestershire November 2010

You have a lovely house. You do not need to improve on anything.

Mr and Mrs Beaglehole November 2010

Super house and garden in fantastic condition and brilliantly equipped. Had a great weekend with friends and did some local walks. Thanks for the welcome pack - tea, milk and biscuits well received.

Mrs Pickett from Dorchester November 2010

The best thing was the convenience to Wotton-under-Edge's facilities and activities (including walks) without having to drive a motor car.

Mrs Jackie Stott October 2010

Chipping House is a super place for a family gathering, with lots of excellent walks and sites to see very near. Lovely house, well equipped, nice garden, lots of space. Thanks for all the information, cook books etc.

Mrs Stinchcombe from Victoria September 2010

This is a lovely home and we thoroughly enjoyed our stay. It is extremely well equipped. The people in the small town were very friendly and helpful. We only stayed a week ... we would have loved to stay much longer.

Patricia from Berkshire August 2010

We had a magnificent stay at Chipping House. Our teenage children enjoyed the WiFi access, visited the cinema (more-or-less just outside the door) twice and went to the swimming pool (also nearby). My husband



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and I attended an event in the Arts Centre, which again is just over the road. The convenience was superb. We felt that the house is suitable for young and old alike, with a quiet sitting room and a noisier sitting room.

Mrs Mason from Amersham August 2010

Lovely large house for family gathering. The furnishings were child friendly, which was ideal. Lovely enclosed garden.

Mrs Graves from Twickenham June 2010

We thought Chipping House had a wonderful atmosphere. We had a fantastic family gathering of our children and grandchildren from around the world and everyone felt at home as soon as we walked in.

We were overwhelmed by the calibre of the toys - something for everyone - sandpit, slide and a lovely dolls house. All the cooks in the family loved the kitchen, much better equipped than most rented ones we have used.

We were a bit unsure of booking somewhere in a town, but actually it was ideal for a gathering such as ours. The owner could not have been more helpful. And then God sent the sunshine - life does not get much better. The children wanted us to buy the house!!

Ms Cutler from London May 2010

Really well appointed. Great for our toddler - loved the sand pit, slide and sunny garden. Great having the cinema and swimming pool close by.

Ms Pam Scott from Hampshire April 2010

The close proximity to the town of Wotton-under-Edge, the house and all its facilities were excellent. We had a great time.

Mrs Meggitt from London March 2010

We felt very blessed to be at Chipping House and made great use of your wonderful garden. That is such a lovely space with children. I felt it was very safe and the kids pottered around for many happy hours while we read the papers. Luxury! The garden toys are brilliant and our youngest in particular made really good use of them. I think that is such a selling point for people with children, having a large, sunny and contained garden to retreat to. You don't always want to be out and about and our kids are always happy if they are playing outdoors.

Boy, the kitchen is incredibly well appointed. Everything but everything is there. If you wanted to (and I didn't!) you could cook a three-course dinner. And it's great to have all the things that holiday homes often lack. Decent pans and knives, kids' cutlery, good utensils and cookery books. Even cake tins. Brilliant.

The sitting room is such a special room and very elegant. It is interesting to have a second sitting room. With a big group, we can imagine it's really nice to have separate spaces where people can do different things or escape each other without having to retreat to bedrooms.

We thought your guests' manual was really brilliant and the "if you need a..." so clever. We used it for finding a takeaway, pub and cashpoint. The tourist information was laid out in a really clear and helpful way. So often other places just have piles of unsorted brochures and it's hard to know what is what.

You have thought of everything and any guest to Chipping House is very lucky indeed.