



Beechingstoke

Wiltshire Friendly Society Membership 1837 – 1871

The Wiltshire Friendly Society was (and still is) a mutual assurance company. These days it is based in Trowbridge but from the time it was founded, in 1828, there were members from across Wiltshire. The Wiltshire Friendly Society offers affordable income replacement to individuals and groups of employees.

There were four types of insurance:

TABLE I: First Class. Single or monthly contributions for assuring two shillings per week during sickness. Bed-lying pay, and one shilling per week. Walking pay: a weekly allowance of one shilling after the age of 65; and two pounds on death. The monthly contributions and the allowances in Sickness are to cease at the age of 65 years.

TABLE II: First Class. Single or monthly contributions for assuring a weekly allowance of one shilling after having attained the age of 65. The monthly contributions are to cease at the age of 60.

TABLE III: First Class. Single or monthly contributions for assuring a weekly allowance of one shilling after having attained the age of 70. The monthly contributions are to cease at the age of 65.

TABLE IV: First Class. Single or monthly contributions for assuring a week.

Year	Surname	Given Name	Abode	Ref. No.	Notes
1848	Brown	Eliza	Beechingstoke	5685	
1848	Dunford	Ann	Beechingstoke	5931	
1849	Eyles	John	Beechingstoke	6489	
1844	Eyles	William	Beechingstoke	1006	
1846	Giddings	Ann	Beechingstoke	3981	
1846	Giddings	Sarah	Beechingstoke	3980	
1848	Hibberd	Elizabeth	Beechingstoke	5982	
1848	Hibberd	Mary	Beechingstoke	6034	
1853	Keepence	Sarah	Beechingstoke	9533	
1848	Pinchin	John	Beechingstoke	5876	
1848	Pinchin	Mary	Beechingstoke	5880	
1848	Pinchin	Thomas	Beechingstoke	5875	
1848	Razey	Ann	Beechingstoke	5877	
1848	Razey	Job	Beechingstoke	5930	
1848	Tilley	George	Beechingstoke	5874	
1848	Tilly	Maria	Beechingstoke	5257	
1848	Tilly	Stephen	Beechingstoke	5932	
1848	Wootten	Ann	Beechingstoke	5686	
1848	Wootten	Frederic	Beechingstoke	5873	

1848	Wootten	Joseph	Beechingstoke	5878	
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Further information is available from [Wiltshire Family History Society](#) by contacting them direct and quoting the reference number (a fee is involved for extra information).