

A new seat has been placed at the side of the River Nailbourne, at Bridge, thanks to the village's Young Wives' Group. It was handed over on Wednesday to Cllr. Peter Lawrence, chairman of the Parish Council, who thanked members for their gift.



A seat beside the ford

In a quiet spot in Bridge, Nailbourne crosses Mill Lane, the ford where the seat has been placed for the use of the public. Donated by members of the Young Wives' Group, it was formally handed into the care of the parish council on Wednesday by Mrs. Gillian Harcourt, leader of the Young Wives' Group. Cllr. H. P. M. Lawrence, chairman of the parish council, thanked the group for their gift, said it would be greatly appreciated. Seventy-six-year-old Bessie Godfrey, of Church Lane, added her thanks on behalf of all the old ladies in the village, and others not so old. After the presentation party, which included the vicar, Canon Cohn E. H. Perry, vice-chairman of the parish council, Cllr. L. G. Shirley, and the clerk, Mr. E. Down, 6 Bridgeford Way, the home of Mrs. Harvey, where refreshments were served. The cost of the seat and the plaque was met by members of the Young Wives' Group on coffee mornings.

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