

Festival favourites

British Food Fortnight, which ran from 19th September to 4th October, is an national harvest festival that celebrates the best of our home-grown food and drink. We've always been proud to support local producers at Warner's Budgens, with over 900 locally-produced items available in our store at any one time.

But we're always on the lookout for new quality products, such as our recent discovery, **Woodlands Farm Yoghurts**, hand-made with fresh milk and thick cream, in Chedworth. Other local favourites include **The Cotswold Farmer** sausages, **La Parisienne** bread, **Jess's Ladies Organic Farm** milk and **Todenham Manor Farm** meat. Why not visit our store to celebrate your local harvest – you might just find a new family favourite!



Ask the manager



Ever wondered what the most asked for product is in your local store? It's definitely not organic toothpaste, says store manager, Damien Yates! Here he reveals what he always buys from Warner's Budgens plus a whole load of other trade secrets...

Q. How long have you been manager?

A. 17 years – I joined Budgens when I was 16, and worked my way up to store manager.

Q. How long have you worked for Warner's Budgens?

A. 10 years in October

Q. What is the best thing about working for Warner's Budgens?

A. Being part of an independent family-run business.

Q. What makes Warner's Budgens a great place to shop?

A. The fantastic range of locally sourced and unique products.

Q. What is your most popular local/non-local product?

A. Local product is The Cotswold Farmer Farmhouse Gold sausages and strawberries are always a firm favourite, local and non-local.

Q. What item do you sell most of every day?

A. It would have to be 2-pint Semi Skimmed milk; we sell about 200 units a day.

**50p OFF
VOUCHER**



Valid on any Woodlands Farm Yoghurt 560ml

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DAMIEN'S TOP 5 WINES FOR UNDER £10

Try these fine wines from our wine experts, **Vinology**, all fantastically priced at under a tenner each...

- 1. San Vigilio Pinot Grigio Blush:** this delicate-coloured rosé is elegantly scented with peach and floral characters on the nose with juicy, fresh, ripe berry fruits. **£6.99.**
- 2. Domenico de Bertiol Prosecco Frizzante:** an amazing value-for-money prosecco that's crisp, fresh and vibrant with a beautiful lemony flavour. **£9.49.**
- 3. Les Vignes de l'Eglise Granache Merlot:** an un-oaked, fresh, yet ripe and well-rounded red from the south of France. **£8.59.**
- 4. Nostros Gran Reserve Chardonnay:** this well-balanced Chilean white has hints of soft vanilla, tropical and citrus fruits and nuts. **£9.99.**
- 5. Duc de Morny Picpoul de Pinet:** fresh, vibrant, nutty, citric fruit tones combine with a beautiful crispness in this lesser-known white from the south of France. **£8.99.**

CONTACT US

At Warner's Budgens, we really do listen to your comments, and do all we can to give you what you want. If you have any requests or feedback, please get in touch via one of the following:

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Visit www.warnersbudgens.co.uk for more details about the services the store offers, including celebration cake ordering, hampers, in-store promotions and home delivery

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Autumn Newsletter

Community support

Customers choose new local projects to fund through our Community Savings Scheme



So far this year, customers at our Broadway store have raised almost £700 for local projects through our Community Savings Scheme. The scheme is renewed every six months with customers voting for two local projects they would like to see supported.

Since February, £318.56 has been donated to the local branch of **Hearing Dogs for Deaf People**. Funding has gone towards helping to train hearing dogs to support local deaf children and adults, which can create new levels of confidence, independence and companionship. The dogs can also help recipients to overcome the isolation that deafness brings.

£301.14 was also donated to **Broadway**

Library. The library is a community hub providing a necessary information service for local people as well as offering extensive computer usage facilities. The library relies on donations to keep operating and our support will help with the everyday running costs of the library building.

In September, customers voted to continue supporting Broadway Library with our Community Savings Scheme and to joint-fund another **new defibrillator in Broadway**. In 2013, Warner's Budgens joint-funded Broadway's first defibrillator, in conjunction with Broadway Parish Council, which is located on an outside wall of our store.

Are you reaping our rewards?

Since launching last year, over 6000 customers have been enjoying the benefits of our **Taste Club Reward Card**. With bonus points weekends, fantastic savings on popular products from prosecco to pizza, as well as the chance to accrue points to pay for your shopping, **this is one hard-working card**. If you haven't already signed up for our Taste Club Reward Card, visit www.budgenstasteclub.co.uk to register for free.



Dear customer,

It may not have been the warmest of summers but that didn't stop the local community here in Broadway from pulling out all the stops once again to put on some fantastic summer events. I'm always taken aback by the vibrant community spirit that is so evident in this special village and I'm delighted when Warner's Budgens can play its part too. From outdoor music events to food festivals and craft shows, we've had the privilege of seeing a whole raft of events that are organised entirely by volunteers. The hard work and tireless dedication that goes in to putting on these events is immense but they are always pulled together with a professionalism and a pizzazz that makes them a joy to attend. For that reason, I don't think it's too early to remind you to put off your Christmas shopping until the end of November when Broadway will once again put on its magical late night shopping events with music, entertainment and unique gifts from its array of fantastic independent retailers.

Best wishes

Guy Warner
Store Owner

Our year in pictures

From sponsoring local clubs to supporting local projects and schools through our community savings scheme, we love being an active part of the community. Here are some of our favourite moments...

Taste Club members enjoyed yet another Seasonal Lunch at Broadway Hotel earlier this year. The lunches feature seasonal and local products available at our store

We were proud to sponsor the Cotswold Life Food and Drink Awards again this year which celebrates the very best of local produce



As part of our Bread Week, Thery from our local bakery, La Parisienne, teaches pupils from St Mary's Primary School how to make croissants

Pupils from St Marys Primary School and their finished croissants

Michael and Milosz won a Dragons Den style contest to make and sell their own bread at our store - Great British Bake Off - watch out!

A recent initiative with Kellogg's meant we could donate lots of cereal to local schools breakfast clubs



Proud to continue sponsoring Broadway United Youth Football Club

Guy welcomes Tori from Coln Valley Smoked Salmon based in Northleach, one of our most recently sourced local products

We've enjoyed some great Taste Club member events again this year, most recently a curry evening with Chef Indunil Sanchi, Curry Chef of the Year

The official launch of the first community defibrillator in Broadway, located outside our store and jointly paid for by our Community Savings Scheme and the Parish Council

Cotswold Traiteur chef, Francis Green makes kedgeree at the Warner's Budgens food demonstration area at this year's Moreton Show



Guy presents a cheque to Broadway Library as part of our Community Savings Scheme



Broadway Guides are pleased to receive a cheque from our Community Savings Scheme



Warner's Budgens Store Manager Mike Worrall completed a Lands End to John O'Groats bike ride in just nine days, raising over £4000 for the Roy Castle Lung Cancer Foundation



Guy and our favourite local pudding maker - Karen from The Cotswold Pudding Company. Her sticky toffee pudding cannot be beaten!