

## WHITTINGTON HOUSE

VICARAGE LANE LONG COMPTON SHIPSTON-ON-STOUR WARWICKSHIRE CV36 5LH

ELEGANT AND IMPOSING
DETACHED PERIOD FAMILY HOME
WITH BEAUTIFULLY PRESENTED
GROUNDS AND EXTENSIVE
GRAVELLED DRIVEWAY WITH
TWIN PARKING BARN.

#### SITUATION

Long Compton is a pretty village in The Cotswolds, close to the South Warwickshire / North Oxfordshire borders
There is an award-winning 18th Century Public House, an historic church, village shop, Post Office, Primary School and a selection of boutique shops and local businesses
Larger local centres include Chipping Norton (5.5 miles),
Shipston-on-Stour (5.5), Stratford-upon-Avon (16.5) and Oxford (20)

The Members' Club, Soho Farmhouse, is about 10 miles Junction 11 of the M40 motorway is at Banbury Kingham mainline station (8 miles) with trains reaching London Paddington in about 80 minutes, and Oxford Parkway Station (20 miles) with trains reaching London Marylebone in about 55 minutes

Guide Price £1,425,000

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#### THE PROPERTY

- Whittington House is a substantial and highly elegant detached house built of Cotswold stone, dating back to the mid-15<sup>th</sup> Century with later additions in the 18<sup>th</sup> Century, originally part-thatch and retaining many of its original features such as flagstone floors, exposed oak beams and attractive open fireplaces and window seats
- It is rumoured that Dick Whittington started his journey to London from Whittington House, hence the name
- The spacious and superb accommodation is highly impressive, stretching over three floors, with secluded gardens, extensive offstreet gravelled parking and a twin parking barn
- Magnificent dining room, with a wealth of period features such as flagstone flooring, an imposing fireplace with decorative oak wooden surround, brick inserts and Clearview cast-iron wood burner, an elegant bay window to the front aspect and primary staircase leading to the first floor
- Charming dual-aspect sitting room with an attractive bay window, beautiful cornicing, a handsome cast-iron fireplace with tile inserts and decorative recessed shelving
- The cosy family room/snug has a stunning inglenook fireplace, deep window seats and exposed ceiling beams
- The drawing room has an attractive stone-built fireplace incorporating a cast-iron wood burner and three pretty leaded-light windows to the front aspect, French doors open into the gardens, and a winding stair leads to the principal bedroom and further first floor accommodation
- The kitchen/breakfast room is well-appointed and finished to a high standard, offering excellent oak-fitted wall and base units with Corian work surfaces and a Belfast sink, as well as a large central island with numerous storage solutions, fitted Neff halogen four-ring hob and breakfast bar. The focal point of the kitchen is the stone-built chimney breast incorporating a fitted AGA, and a number of additional built-in Bosch appliances including an eyelevel double oven, microwave, twin low-level freezers, dishwasher and space for an upright fridge-freezer. At the far-end of the kitchen, is ample space for a large dining table and chairs, with French doors leading onto a terrace, whilst to the side of the kitchen, is a number of bespoke wooden windows with fitted shutters, providing pretty views of the surrounding gardens
- Rear hall, accessed via the garden, has a connecting cloakroom
- Separate utility room with fitted Belfast sink and space and plumbing for a washing machine and separate tumble dryer
- To the first floor, which can be approached by the primary staircase leading off the dining room or the winding stairwell connecting to the drawing room, are a number of bedrooms, including the large principal bedroom measuring 19'11" x 16'4" with a walk-in wardrobe and an impressive en-suite bathroom, consisting of a double-ended bath and walk-in double shower
- There are two further double bedrooms both with fitted wardrobes, and a 'Jack and Jill' contemporary bathroom connecting to bedroom two and the main landing, as well as a separate shower room, both offering stylish brush brass suites consisting of a free-standing bath, double shower cubicles with rain-shower over, large countertop basins and part metro-tiled walls

- On the second floor, there are two further double bedrooms, with exposed beams and dormer windows with pretty countryside views
- EPC Band E

#### OUTSIDE

- The gardens are secluded, affording a high degree of privacy, being predominantly laid to lawn with well-stocked flower and shrubs borders, a variety of established trees and stunning wrought-iron double gates leading onto the gravelled drive
- There is also a large terrace running the width of the property with connecting French doors to the kitchen/breakfast room and drawing room
- The pretty front garden bordered with a Cotswold wall with a pedestrian gate leading to the front door, is mainly laid to lawn with numerous plantings
- To the side is the large gravelled drive providing space for several vehicles, with an open twin parking barn and a five-bar gate leading to Vicarage Lane

#### DIRECTIONS

- In Long Compton opposite the Village Stores turn into Vicarage Lane and the property will be found on the left after a short distance
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#### **SERVICES**

- Main water, electricity and drainage are connected
- Oil fired central heating
- Average broadband speeds advertised within this postcode are up to 25.5 Mbps

#### OUTGOINGS

- Council tax band G
- Tax payable for 2025/26 £3,913.28

#### **TENURE & POSSESSION**

Freehold with vacant possession on completion

#### VIEWING

• Strictly by prior appointment with the sole selling agents:

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### Whittington House, Vicarage Lane, Long Compton, Shipston-on-Stour, CV36 5LH



Approximate Area = 308.0 sq m / 3315 sq ft
Garage / Shed = 40.9 sq m / 440 sq ft
Total = 348.9 sq m / 3755 sq ft
For identification only - Not to Scale



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