

Details

NORTON SHERSTON ROAD ST 88 SE (north side) 5/57 Norton Manor

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Manor House. Early C17 with 1623 south addition (dated on porch), 1850s re-ordering, 1901 extensions by F.A. Lawson of Stroud and further addition in 1925. Coursed rubble with flush rusticated dressed stone quoins, ashlar to south porch, window surrounds, stacks and copings; hipped and gabled stone slate roofs. T-shaped plan with early C17 range to the north and 1623 addition to the south; 1901 linking section to the east and 1925 west porch. 1623 block has south front of 2 storeys, 5 bays. Window openings regularized in the C19: 3 and 4-light ovolo mullions with small pane glazing, hoodmoulds and flush strainer arches. Central 2- storey gabled porch with Roman Doric columns to ground floor and Ionic above, both with heavily moulded cornices. Three-light ovolo-moulded mullion to parvise, ball finial to gable apex. Round-arched entrance with keystone and Tudor-arched inner doorway with plank door. Tall stacks rebuilt in 1901 with egg-and-dart cornices. Similar porch to west front dated 1925 but with balcony now glazed. Early C17 range to north with 2 attenuated gables and 1901 ovolo mullion fenestration. East entrance front of 1901 (dated around doorway). Interior. Staircase of the 1850s in Jacobean style inserted by Lord Holland: early C17 panelling in Drawing Room inserted in 1901-9 by Captain C.H. Fenwick; fine marble chimneypiece in second Dining Room with detached columns and lotus capitals. (June Badeni, *Wiltshire Forefathers*, 1960; N. Pevsner, *The Buildings of England: Wiltshire*, 1975.)

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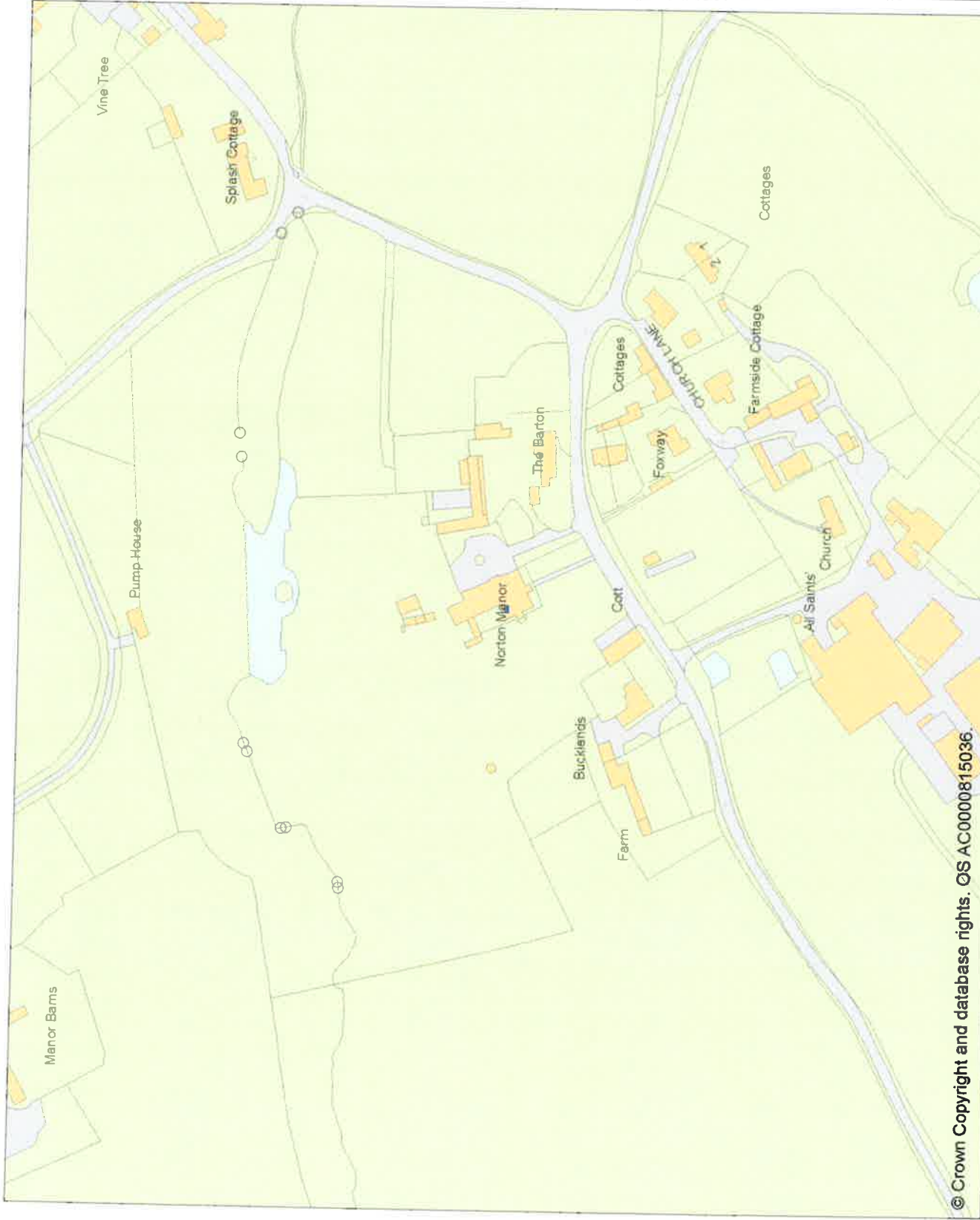
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NORTON MANOR
NORTON
MALMESBURY
WILTSHIRE
SN16 0JN

INTRODUCTION

Norton Manor is a Grade II * Listed building and until the reformation belonged to the Abbey of Malmesbury.

Listed entry number 1023215

The statutory address is Norton Manor , Sherston Road

Norton Manor is owned by the Badeni family previously by Major Wilson the grandfather of the present owner bought in 1910

It is made up of local stone - with a Cotswold stone roof .

PROPOSED WORKS

The removal of an existing wall between an old 'laundry' room, and a downstairs loo . The wall and loo were constructed in the 1950/60 by major Wilson and a fireplace was blocked in (which we will reinstate in keeping with the rest of the manor)

DESIGN

The improvements will enable the room to be used as an extension to the kitchen area so these two rooms will be used - making a more efficient use of living space and not having to continually heat other rooms (especially in the winter) on the rest of the ground floor . The reinstating of the fire place will make this a more user friendly room . For the whole family and grandchildren .

THE FIREPLACE

The fireplace surround will be created out of local stone to match the existing fire surrounds in the manor

The chimney is already there as the fireplace itself was blocked off .Similar to image below but design to be finalised



IMPACT AND PRIVACY

The removal of the wall will not impact the manor or listing as we are putting it back to how it was originally . Pre 1960

The proposed works will not change the design or the character of the Manor . It will improve the use of the Manor , making it more energy efficient (as we won't be heating as many rooms)

These changes will not effect the listing . The floor will stay the same- pine parquet which runs between the two rooms anyway .

There will be no damage to any existing areas surrounding and all work will be carried out by experts who are sympathetic in listed buildings.