

The Old Thatched Cottage

The Old Thatched Cottage, No 1 High Street, has also been known as Trotman's Farm and Queen Anne's Cottage.



The detached cottage dates from the 16th century and has a Grade II Listing. The construction is timber-framed with wattle and daub infill and brick facing with smooth render. It has a pitched timber-framed roof which is predominantly thatched. There is a later addition with a small roof area with cedar wood shingle covering. The cottage was re-thatched in 2005.

The accommodation is arranged on two floors – the upper floors being vaulted with beams throughout. The cottage was built at the edge of the manorial land and it is one of the oldest buildings in Stonehouse.



It has a fire plaque placed at the highest visible point on the cottage, underneath the eaves. The plaque indicates that the cottage was insured and the fire brigade would attend in case of fire.



The inglenook fireplace with bread oven.



The original well in the garden.



Side view of the front of the cottage