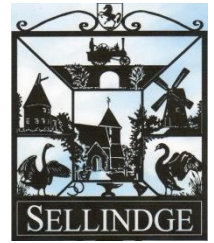


SELLINDGE VILLAGE NEWS

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SELLINDGE VILLAGE HALL TABLE TOP FAIR

Registered Charity 302833

SATURDAY – JULY 1st 2017
TABLE TOP SALE – MAIN HALL
BOOK SALE – DURLING HALL

9am (9.00) to 1pm (13.00)

Tables can be booked in advance for £5.00 per table.
Please phone 01303 813 475 or on the day, if any left at £10.
Next Table Top Fair Saturday August 5th 2017.

RESULTS OF GENERAL ELECTIONS THURSDAY JUNE 8th 2017

Collins Damian – Conservative	32,197	Elected
Davison, Laura – Labour	16,786	
Beaumont Lynne – Liberal Democrats	4,222	
Priestley Stephen – UKIP	2,565	
Whybrow, Martin – The Green Party	2,498	
Plumstead, David – Independent	493	
Slade, Naomi – Independent	114	

AFTERNOON BOOT FAIR

Saturday July 8th at the Sports and Social Club in Swan Lane -- £5 per pitch – starts 12 Noon. (Weather permitting).

Sellindge School Summer Fayre

Saturday 8th July 2017
12pm till 3pm

Join us for an afternoon of Fun!

Childrens Fun Fair - £6 for a wrist band
Mini Golf - Child £2 Adult £2.50

BBQ & Bar

Grand Raffle

Various Displays

Tombola

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Wine and Water

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SELLINDGE PARISH COUNCIL

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Your Parish Council met in June and the agenda was not a very busy one.

There had been no new potholes reported as the Highways department had already visited the village marking potholes, especially along the A20 which meant less work for our village caretaker. As the Clerk I was able to update councillors on the pot holes that had been repaired since last month.

With regards to planning items, by now you will have seen that the Otterpool Quarry lorry park is now closed; to clarify any confusion, the delay that took place to close the lorry park was that the 14 days' notice to close was from the day the legal notice was issued not from the date of decision by the District Council.

Some members of the Parish Council attended Planning and Licensing Committee held in June there were two Sellindge Application considered which the Parish Council spoke on. Airport Café – The Officer at Shepway dealing with the application had recommended the application should be granted. Local residents spoke against the application as did the Parish Council. Members of the Committee spent some long time on a very detailed debate considering all the information, but Councillors voted to object to the officers' recommendation. There then took place a further debate for a valid / legal reason to refuse it, that would allow officers to defend the decision should the applicant appeal. IT was finally proposed by J Hollingsbee to ask for the application to be deferred until further information could be obtained and this was and I quote from the Minutes –

1 *'that planning permission be deferred for a request to be made to the applicant to provide details within one month of measures to ensure lorries turn left only out of the site and that all lorries using the site pre-book.*

2. *The application will be reported back to the Planning and Licensing Committee to be held in July 2017.'*

Parish Council has agreed, they will request to speak at that meeting again.

The second application that Sellindge Parish Council spoke on was to support the application for stables off Stone Hill. The officer at Shepway had recommended refusal, but after representation from the applicants' agent and the Parish Council this was overturned and was given permission.

Your parish councillors also considered an application for a dropped kerb in Barrow Hill and this was supported.

A day to commemorate the Merchant Navy and 'Fly the Red Ensign' was felt to be a worthwhile cause; both to remember those brave people during the first and second World Wars and the continued support that they give to the United Kingdom as an island nation. The date is September 3rd, so watch this space for more details. The village hall committee have already agreed to help on the day.

The recent ransomware hit on the NHS and other companies in England and other countries as well a timely reminder, ensure you maintain your own computer from viruses, check that you are using an up to date virus checker. Finally your Council has had some complaints about the Church Yard being overgrown; unfortunately this is not your Parish Council's responsibility and we are not allowed to cut the grass. Therefore queries should be directed to the minister or the wardens of the Church. Your Council IS responsible for two burial grounds both side of the church yard and does maintain them.

BONFIRES - Please can people be aware of others when lighting bonfires.

During the hottest day of the year, complaints was received in the Parish Council Office about smoke and smell that People had to close their windows, this was some distance away from the actual bonfire.

To remind everyone – Material you are burning should be dry, this will prevent smoke accumulating, also any breeze or wind should be away from other households. Bonfires should not be left unattended and if requested by a neighbour should be extinguished immediately

Many people are taking advantage of the lovely sunshine and warm evenings so be neighbour friendly. Thank you

The next meeting of Your Parish Council is on Tuesday 11th July, starting at 7.30pm – Do come along.



The Parish Council have applied for the purchase of the phone box at Greenfields, but to date, have not received the paper work, also although there is no dial tone the phone equipment is still in place and therefore the phone box has not yet been decommission.



The Parish Council have renovated the 19th Century Boundary stone between Smeeth and Sellindge which is on the A20 on the bridge over a stream on the way to Ashford



A really nice floral feature at the top of Barrow Hill is an old water trough which was kindly planted and being maintained by Suzy and her mum from the top of Barrow Hill

SELLINDGE POP IN – A place for all age groups – Sellindge Village Hall

The Pop – In is open – Mondays and Wednesdays from 8am to 12 Noon

Tuesdays 8am to 3.00pm, except Tuesdays when Hi Kent are at the Pop In, that week 3.30pm.

There is a vast section of books, all at 20p and most of the bric – a – brac is 50p.

You can pick up information leaflets from Age UK and other organisations.

Tuesday 11th – Hi Kent the Kent charity for the deaf, for advice, serving hearing aids etc from 2pm to 3.30pm.

‘It would be appreciated that as many people as possible should get batteries and attend to hearing aid problems on this date’

Tuesday 25th – East Kent Foot Care will be at the Pop In (in the Committee Room) from 8.30am to 1.00pm

The cost is £14 for general maintenance and £24 for more through work.

Tuesday 25th – Suzie will be in offering File and Polish, Mini Manicure or Classic Manicures.

*** Coming Soon ** – Hair Dressing by Julie, Ladies and Gentlemen’s.*

Date to confirmed – Cathy from Age UK will be at the Pop – In with lots of information for people over 50.

Mums with children very welcome, we have a nice box of toys for the children to play with, while you have a cuppa.

Post card size adverts can be placed in the Outside Village Hall notice board for a small fee of 25p per week.

To have your advert put in or any enquiries ref items of (*tbc*) see Michael in the Pop – In.

FROM YOUR SHEPWAY DISTRICT COUNCILLORS

Last month saw a round of Annual Parish Meetings in our ward. We both attended the Lyminge, Sellindge & Elmsted Meetings while Susan attended Stelling Minnis and Postling and Jenny Stanford. We presented our annual reports which included where we had spent the grant funding we are allocated for our ward. In 2016/17 we supported the following projects:

- Stelling Minnis Parish Council - defibrillator case £400
- All Saints Church Stanford PCC - sound system £661
- Sellindge School Association - First Aid Training £360
- National Coast Watch - building works £200
- 1st Sellindge Scout Group – equipment £150
- Postling Village Hall – new chairs £400
- Age UK Hythe & Lyminge - shed for storage £271
- St Mary's Church Sellindge - projector £558

We also won some extra funding for the village gateway at the Barrowhill entrance to Sellindge.

We do our best to find projects from all parts of our ward and, whilst there are always more projects than we have funding to meet, if you have a community project you would like us to support please get in touch.

The latest news on Highways England’s proposal for a lorry holding area near Stanford is that the Judicial Review scheduled for 27 June has been postponed till October at the earliest to allow time for the new Government to ‘take a view’. In the meantime no progress can be made on compensation for those affected by planning blight and the relatively uncontroversial extension to the existing lorry park at Stop 24 is also on hold.

Two retrospective applications for overnight lorry parking at Otterpool Quarry and the Airport Café were before the Planning & Licensing Committee. The Otterpool Quarry application was refused and a ‘Stop Notice’ issued which was complied with immediately. The rear of the Airport Café was deferred for further discussion on exiting the site, as no material planning reasons were put forward for refusal. We have asked Enforcement Officers’ to make more frequent visits, Fixed Penalty Notices are being regularly issued. We are both keeping a very close eye on this issue.

We were both able to attend the delicious strawberry tea at St Mary’s Sellindge on June 11th and the Sellindge Parish Council meeting on June 13th.

Jenny also attended the Patients Participation Meeting at Sellindge Surgery and the Farewell Service at Mersham for Ian and Margaret Campbell of the A20 Benefice and we wish them a long and happy retirement.

We both took part in a workshop on Otterpool Park Garden Town on June 14th where we saw the first draft of where the houses, green spaces and community facilities might go. We hope many of you will have taken advantage of the latest round of community engagement meetings to see the same and give your views.

Jenny would like to encourage you to go to Folkestone on July 9th to see the Tall Ships in the harbour (tides and weather permitting). The Tall Ships is a joint project with Boulogne which engages young people from both our district and Boulogne.

The Spring/Summer 2017 edition of *Shepway Today* should now be with you and includes features about Open Spaces in the district, the Folkestone Triennial and the Shepway Sports Trust and even more news that we haven’t been able to cram into our newsletter space.

Jenny Hollingsbee and Susan Carey, Ward Councillors for North Downs West, Shepway District Council

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WEATHER FACTS FOR MAY 2017

Minimum temp. .0.50°C Wed.10th.

Mean night temp. 8.67°C

Maximum temp. 26.00°C Fri.26th..

Mean day temp. 18.93°C

May came and much needed rain, although not very much was recorded on the first three days. It was another week before any measureable amount was recorded, with two further wet days in the month. The total rainfall amounted to 71.628mm (2.82in.) from 12 days, 137.89% of a May average, and the wettest May since 2008.

The last week of the month recorded the best of the temperatures. Rain is still needed.

FROM YOUR KCC COUNCILLOR Susan Carey, Elham Valley Ward. susan.carey@kent.gov.uk 01303 670 561

There's really good news to share. An intensive 3 week assessment by 12 Ofsted inspectors has assessed KCC's Children's Services as 'Good'. Within the subcategories there was one area where there was further improvement needed to reach 'Good' but overall the report is glowing (and available to read on our website). Care of the vulnerable is the top priority at KCC and these services have always received extra funding whenever needed despite the financial pressures and the wish to do more in other areas such as improving our roads. It's reassuring to receive this Ofsted judgement but no-one is complacent about the need to make further improvements and to do more preventative work to protect children from harm.

The General Election result saw Damian Collins returned with an increased share of vote (55% compared to 48% last time) and a bigger majority. Turnout was 68% higher than the last General Election (66%). I was at the count so was able to see the strong support he received from our area as the individual ballot boxes were turned out.

Congratulations Damian.

The new Government is expected to 'take a view' on the lorry holding area proposed by Highways England for west of Stanford village. The Judicial Review scheduled for 27 June has therefore been postponed till October at the earliest. I hope there will be a re-think as it is a vast area of countryside to be sacrificed for a problem that is intermittent (there has been no Operation Stack for nearly two years now).

The latest casualty figures for Kent roads (including the motorways) have just been issued and show a drop in the number of fatalities from 55 in 2015 to 48 in 2016 but a rise in the number of people seriously injured from 652 to 930. The Police have changed their definition of 'serious' to encompass more. Looking further back to 2007 there were 94 casualties and 629 serious injuries and in 1997 109 fatalities and 1008 serious injuries so in the long term the downward trend continues. The vast majority of these incidents are due to driver behaviour with drink driving involved in one in six of all road deaths. Even one drink can impair driving and KCC will be running a campaign in June to discourage drinking any alcohol whilst driving and Kent Police will be increasing checks on drivers. Matthew Scott, Kent's Police and Crime Commissioner recently joined me at a Community Speedwatch at Etchinghill. He tells me that his consultation on priorities from the public showed people want more done to tackle bad driving and that in response he is asking Kent Police to step up action against speeding, use of mobile phones whilst driving and drink driving.

If you know someone aged between 11 and 18 (or up to 25 if they have special needs) who has been 'doing their best' please nominate them for one of KCC's Tryangle awards which recognise young people for a whole range of activities from being a good friend or carer, achievement in arts, sport, personal development, courage or community action. There's information about the wide ranging categories on KCC's website and nominations close on 12 July.

SELLINDGE SPORTS & SOCIAL CLUB -  www.sellindgeclub.co.uk 01303 812 437

The afternoon Boot Fairs will be starting on Saturday July 8th

The costs are £5 per boot – No Booking is required – Set Up at 11.00am - No entry will be allowed before this time

The public are requested not to arrive before 12.00 midday – Refreshments & Toilets are in the Clubhouse

Free Car Parking and Entry – Homemade Cake Stall in the Clubhouse – Other food and beverages in the Clubhouse

Opening Hours

The opening hours of the club are – Mondays to Fridays – 5pm to 11pm

Saturdays – 12 Noon to 11pm

Sundays – 12 Noon to 7pm

Food menu including pizza takeaway on Thurs, Fri & Sat from 5pm.

Traditional Sunday lunch (bookings required).

CEREMONY

At 2 pm on 8 July a short ceremony will be held in the Children's Playground at the Sports & Social Club to officially hand over the new equipment which has been partly sponsored by the Methodist Chapel. Please come along and support this event which follows the monthly Boot Fair.

1st SELLINDGE SCOUT GROUP

The 1st Sellindge Scout Group consists of 3 sections, Beavers, Cubs and Scouts, catering for boys and girls from the ages of 6 – 15 years.

We are fast approaching the end of a busy year with the Cubs celebrating their 100th anniversary and the Beavers their 30th birthday, but this month we have our AGM on 7th July and a Cub activity day where Brockhill Park will be invaded by lots of “Pirates”

Plans are already in place for a fun filled programme when we start back in September.

We would like to thank the Sellindge pop-in, Parish Council and the Co-op for their support of our open day.

SELLINDGE WOMENS WEDNESDAY LUNCHEON CLUB

Venue for July 2017 – The George, Stone Street on Wednesday 26th. 12 Noon for 12.30pm.

Let June Wales know on 01303 814 676 by Wednesday 19th if you will be attending the Luncheon.

St MARYS CHURCH SELLINDGE

Sundays	July 2 nd	11am	Celebration Praise – in Sellindge Village Hall
	July 16 th	11am	Party Praise
	July 23 rd	10am	Special service of Holy Communion at Brabourne with Bishop Trevor
	July 30 th	10am	Benefice Communion at Brabourne

Baptism – On May 21st we welcomed Rowan Collins into the family of the Church through his Baptism at Sellindge.

AFTERNOON TEA at SMEETH RECTORY

Richard and Alex warmly invite everyone to join them in the garden at Smeeth Rectory on Sunday July 30th from 3pm as they celebrate 40 years of marriage and mark 65 years under the reign of Queen Elizabeth II. No gifts, please, but donations of cakes, savouries can be left in the front pouch a few days before or brought along on the day.

There will also be a pot on the tea table for donations to Christian Aid.

Dear Friends

Mersham Rectory

‘There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heavens:’

On Sunday May 28th these quite well known words from Ecclesiastes 3, came to mind as we celebrated my last service in Parish Ministry. This is a sad time and a step into the unknown, not just for Margaret and I but also for all of you taking the Church through the next few months of change and exciting opportunity.

In my youth, Bob Dylan sang – ‘For times they are a changing’.

Margaret and I are still in a state of shock at the number of people that came to the service both from the A20 Benefice and from our previous Benefice. We were so grateful for all the support, enthusiasm and love that filled the church that morning. The volume of the singing was much commented on, it completely lifted the roof.

We want to say a big thank you to all who have supported and helped us over our three and a half years in the Benefice, but most of all to say a great big thank you to everyone who has given us a farewell gift and/or contributed to an amazing financial gift which has still left us speechless. We would also like to say thank you to all who helped with the service, especially the Ministry Team, all of you who work so hard to support the churches in the Benefice throughout the year. Being part of this community has been a real pleasure and joy for Margaret and I and in retirement we hope we will not be very far away. Our Parish Ministry has been an honour and a privilege but ‘there is a time for everything’. Having celebrated my seventieth birthday, we decided that this was the right time for me to step down and to leave ourselves time to do other things that we have long wanted to do, but time has not permitted. We have been involved with Cubs, Scouts, youth work and church since our late teens, so it felt right to step out into this unknown world of retirement. We will definitely miss you all, but hope that we will be around for a while yet and be able to continue as part of the community. We have enjoyed our time here and I have been very lucky to have so much support and encouragement from Margaret, but we now step out together into pastures new. It is exciting to see what lies ahead, but this is much the same for all of us, in one way or another. The Benefice (the six parishes) have an exciting time ahead as you begin to work more closely, deal with an Interregnum (time without a Priest) and eventually appoint a new Rector for the Benefice. So please work together, support each other and make the most of the time ahead, ‘for times they are a changing’ but I believe it will prove to be beneficial to all and for everyone to enjoy the new challenge.

This will be my last note for the magazine, so I would like to wish you all every blessing, and hope we will be able to keep in touch. Thank you once again for all your support and help over the last few years.

Very best wishes, Ian

Please feel free to contact Richard, on 01303 812 697 or if you think that there is anything that we can help you with or if you want to enquire about a Christening or Wedding.

Part of the A20 Benefice comprising the parishes of

Brabourne, Mersham, Monks Horton, Sellindge, Smeeth and Stowting. www.A20churches.org.uk

WHAT'S ON AND WHERE JULY 2017 *Stick it on your fridge or pin board*

WEEKLY EVENTS

- MONDAY** PILATES – 9.15am – 10.15am – Village Hall (Main) - 07543 543 373 vsaker@hotmail.com
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QIGONG – 11.15am – 12.15pm Village Hall (Main) - - 07543 543 373 vsaker@hotmail.com
CRAFT GROUP – 1pm to 3pm Sellindge Sports & Social Clubhouse 07546 532 603
RAINBOWS – 4.00pm – 5.00pm Village Hall (Main) - - 812 297 (Term time)
BROWNIES -- 5.15 - 6.45pm Village Hall (Main) - - 812 297 (Term time)
GIRL GUIDES - - 5.45 – 7.15pm Village Hall (Durling) - - 07801 572 300 (Term time)
LINE DANCING – Beginners 7.30pm – 9.30pm Village Hall (Main) – 07753 274 913
- TUESDAY** NHS EAST KENT HEALTHWALKS – 10.15am Village hall car park – 01303 814 014
LINE DANCING -- Intermediate Level 7.30 - 9pm Village Hall (Main) - - 01303 813 161
WHIST DRIVE -- 7.30 pm Sellindge Sports & Social Clubhouse, Swan lane. - - 814 511
- WEDNESDAY** ART GROUP Painting for all – 2pm – 4pm Sellindge Sports & Social Clubhouse, Swan Lane 812 593
BEES BODS (Dance exercise) – 5.45pm – 6.45pm Village Hall (Main) - - 01303 813 274
TAEKWONDO -- 6.30pm at Sellindge Primary School - - 814 635
AEROBIC BODY BLAST -- 7.00 - 8.00pm Village Hall (Main) - - 01233 820 109
- THURSDAY** LINE DANCING – Beginners / Improvers 10.30am to 11.30am Village Hall (Main) – 01303 813 098
LINE DANCING – Intermediate 11.30pm to 1.15pm Village Hall (Main) – 01303 813 161
BINGO -- 7.30pm at Sellindge Sports & Social Clubhouse, Swan Lane. phone 812 437
- FRIDAY** ART GROUP painting for all – 9.30am – 11.30pm Sellindge Sports & Social Clubhouse, 812 593
SING, DANCE, PLAY – 10am – 10.45am Village Hall (Main) (Term Time)
CUBS -- 6 -7.30pm BEAVERS -- 6.30-7.30pm SCOUTS -- 7.30-9.00pm Village Halls - -813 250 (Term t)
- MON / TUES / WED – SELLINDGE POP IN – DURLING HALL – Mon/Wed 8.00am - 12 Tues 8.00am - 4.00pm – 813 475**
TUESDAY / FRIDAY – PARISH COUNCIL OFFICE OPEN – TUESDAY 9am – 12 NOON & FRIDAY 3pm – 5.30pm

*****MONTHLY*****

- BOOK CLUB** on Monday 3rd from 7.30pm Sellindge Sports & Social Club - - phone 812 437
BABY CLINIC on Monday 10th 2.00pm - 4.00pm at the Sellindge Surgery Appointment only - - 812 616
IMPERIAL DOLLS HOUSE CLUB on Tuesday 11th at 7.00pm Village Hall (Committee Room) - - 812 946
PARISH COUNCIL on Tuesday 11th at 7.30pm Village Hall (Durling) - - Chair 07710 260 757 Clerk 01303 813 271
GET TOGETHER CLUB on Wednesday 12th from 2.00pm – 4.00pm Village Hall (Durling) - - 813 080
GARDENERS' ASSOCIATION on Wednesday 19th 7.30pm Village Hall (Durling) – 813 288 or 01843 597 710
SEQUENCE DANCING CLUB on Saturday 22nd at 7.30pm – 10.30pm – Village Hall (Main) – 01233 629 815
BABY CLINIC on Monday 24th 2.00pm - 4.00pm at the Sellindge Surgery Walk - In - - 812 616
ANGEL CENTRE on Wednesday 26th – 7.30pm to 9.30pm Village Hall (Durling)

SATURDAY 1st – TABLE TOP FAIR – MAIN HALL – 9am – 1pm

BOOK SALE – DURLING HALL – 9am – 1pm

SATURDAY 8th – SCHOOL SUMMER FAYRE – 12 NOON – 3pm
SCHOOL GROUNDS

SOCIAL FOOTBALL TENNIS THE SELLINDGE SPORTS AND SOCIAL CLUB BOWLS POOL DARTS CRICKET

Traditional Sunday lunch (bookings required)

SATURDAY 8th – AFTERNOON BOOT FAIR – From 12 NOON

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The Parish Councillors and District Councillors – (Highway issues contact C Mason – 07974 970 342)

Elected May 2015 – S Bull (Chair) of Swan Lane, N Fursdon (V – Chair) of Moorstock, C Mason of Swan Lane.

Co – Opted July 2015 – Mrs J Tritton of Greenfields.

Co – Opted May 2016 – Ms J Varrier – Smith of Greenfields and Mark Pullen of Greenfields.

Clerk and RFO to the Parish Council Linda Hedley - - - - - Clerk to the Burial Ground Linda Hedley

The Parish Council Office is located in the grounds of the Village Hall (behind) and is open to the public on Tuesday's and Friday's – Tuesday 9.00am – 11.30am Friday 3pm to 5.30pm

SHEPWAY (North Downs West Ward) District Councillor – Mrs Jennifer Hollingsbee 01303 812 066

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL (Elham Valley Ward) Councillor – Mrs Susan Carey – 01303 670 561

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KENT COUNTY COUNCIL HIGHWAYS – 03000 41 81 81

SELLINDGE RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION – www.slurry.org.uk – sellindgeresidents@gmail.com

POLICE Non emergency – 101 – Emergency 999

ALL EMERGENCY SERVICES – POLICE – FIRE & RESUE – AMBULANCE – 999



KCC COMMUNITY WARDEN John Lodge – contact details to follow

DOCTORS SURGERY – 812 180 website www.sellindgesurgery.nhs.uk Out of hours phone 111

Patient Participation Group – 812 180

Minor Injuries small wounds, burns – Hamstreet (8am – 6pm) 08444 773 989 Wye (8.30am – 6pm) 08444 878 419

Dental emergency – (No Dentist) – 0808 238 9797 – evenings and weekends – 01634 890 300

Late night pharmacy – Boots (Sevington) – 01233 503 670

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Kent and Canterbury (Canterbury) 01227 766 877 All hospitals website www.ekhuft.nhs.uk

SELLINDGE PRIMARY SCHOOL – 01303 812 073 website www.sellindge-ashford.kent.sch.uk

LITTLE LEARNERS AT SELLINDGE PRE-SCHOOL MON – FRI 8am - 6pm Sellindge School 814 968

KCC MOBILE LIBRARY All times approx. *JULY* www.kent.gov.uk/leisure_and_culture/libraries.aspx

Thursday 13th and 27th – 9.15am to 9.45 am A20 Hythe lay – by near Swan Lane.

Friday 14th and 28th – 1.50pm – 2.20pm Greenfields lay – by.

AGE UK HYTHE & LYMINGE – 01303 269 602 www.ageuk.org.uk/hytheandlyminge

AGE UK FOLKESTONE – 01303 279 621 www.ageuk.org.uk/folkestone

CITIZENS ADVICE BEARU – Folkestone 01303 249 310 (10am – Noon Tues – Fri) www.shepwaycab.co.uk

Ashford 01233 626 185 (9.30am – 4.30pm Mon – Tues & Thurs)(1pm Wed & Fri)

THE SAMARTITANS – Folkestone 01303 255 000 Ashford 01233 610 000

UTILITY EMERGENCY


POWER CUT – www.ukpowernetworks.co.uk Call 105 from landlines and mobiles


Please note that in a power cut telephones that have an electric basestation will not work, it is a good idea to have at least one conventional phone, that just plugs into the phone socket, these are not normally affected.



WATER – www.affinitywater.co.uk emergency 0345 357 2401 Mon – Fri 7am – 8pm Sat 8am – 4pm

SEWAGE – www.southernwater.co.uk emergency 0330 303 0368

SELLINDGE VILLAGE HALL Registered Charity 302833  Anybody wishing to book the Village Hall ring 01303 813 250 any day except Sunday and preferably no later than 8.30pm. Bookings **MUST** be confirmed in writing as soon as possible. We now have an e-mail address. sellindgevillagehall@gmail.com

SELLINDGE SPORTS & SOCIAL CLUB  Anyone wishing to book the clubhouse or pitches call 812 437 from 5pm Tuesday to Sunday or e-mail club@sellindgeclub.co.uk Fully licensed bar, catering available.

ITEMS FOR THE AUGUST 2017 NEWSHEET Should be delivered to the Parish Council Office or e-mail nnwfursdon@aol.com by 2200 hours (10pm) on **THURSDAY JULY 20th 2017** with a 'contact' name, address and / or tel number (not for publication) phone 07437C 948 509 and I will collect.