

# SELLINDGE VILLAGE NEWS

## OCTOBER 2017

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**SELLINDGE VILLAGE HALL TABLE TOP FAIR** Registered Charity 302833

**SATURDAY – OCTOBER 7<sup>th</sup> 2017**

**TABLE TOP SALE – MAIN 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 November 4<sup>th</sup> 2017.



**FLYING THE RED ENSIGN** – first time this year will become a yearly event.

**HEALTH PROMOTION AT SELLINDGE SURGERY –  
MONDAY 16<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2017**

The Sellindge Patient Participation Group are presenting a Health promotion, raising the awareness of Family Health & Well Being. It will take place on 16<sup>th</sup> October at Sellindge surgery beginning at 6.45 pm. There will be a talk given by a Dietitian. The event is open to all Sellindge Surgery patients, but numbers are limited, so please contact the surgery if you wish to attend. This will be followed by the AGM.

**SELLINDGE SURGERY – FLU CLINICS**

We are changing the way we do our flu clinic this year. Instead of holding an open Saturday morning we will be offering appointments every afternoon during the first two weeks in October. If you're over 65 or in one of the following eligible groups please contact the surgery to make an appointment. COPD, Diabetes, Chronic Heart Disease, Stroke/TIA, pregnant women, Chronic Neurological conditions eg

Parkinsons, Motor Neurone, and Multiple Sclerosis and Carers. The doctors and nurses will also offer them opportunistically – if you already have an appointment booked, would like the flu injection, ask at your appointment.



Hobbs & Hearts will be opening in the beautiful granary building, at Potten Farm, on Wednesday November 1st.

It will offer a wide range of beautiful gifts for all ages and all occasions including gorgeous ladies clothing, jewellery and accessories. There will also be a selection of handpicked French furniture lovingly restored including chests, bookcases & wardrobes.

Please support this new local business & their Facebook page and join Angie & Paul for complimentary refreshments between 1st & 5th November.

If you require any further details please contact Angie on 07503 287 632.

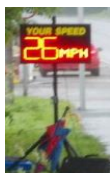
## 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Sellindge Sports and Social Club

Party on 14<sup>th</sup> October 2017 at 7pm

All members are invited to celebrate the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Club by joining us for a party with live entertainment and free food (between 8pm and 9.30pm) If you are not already a member it is not too late to join just call in and see Nick or his staff it is only £5.

We look forward to seeing you

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**SPEEDWATCH** – Interested in volunteering for Speed Watch, please complete and return to the Parish Council Office, drop into the Pop In or give to a Parish Councillor.

Name - ..... Phone ..... Email .....

Address - .....

## SELLINDGE PARISH COUNCIL

<http://www.sellindge-pc.gov.uk>



[www.sellindgepc.kentparishes.gov.uk](http://www.sellindgepc.kentparishes.gov.uk)

Before the report of general items that were discussed, your Parish Council would like to welcome Mr Chris Brace who has been co-opted. This means that your Council now only has one vacancy left to fill.

Jenny gave her normal very detailed informative report, and this will be contained on other pages in the Newsletter. Your Council looked at three planning applications; they were Brook Farm – and as there were no planning reasons to refuse, supported the application. However, it was noted that also outstanding were applications for Lawful Development; your Council does not have the legal opportunity to comment on these, but did raise issues which had been noted on the plans.

The application by Balfour to use the old Quarry as a storage area while the work at the Channel Tunnel takes place was supported; caveats were required in that no lorries should be arriving through the village, this was already mentioned by the applicant and your Council asked that Shepway ensure this takes place by making it a condition on the application. It is expected that this will only be required for a two year period.

The Old Methodist Church. Your Council strongly objected to this application on the grounds that they could see no apparent changes to the plans.

An amount of £116.00 has been banked, however since then more has come in; full details will be in the next News. Street Lighting in the Village. (Now completed – we hope)

The lighting engineer visited the Parish Council office prior to the meeting with a letter from ‘residents’ in Barrow Hill. Since then your Council have received the same letter. No –one could reply to this which was such a shame; your Council had the information that would have put everyone’s mind at rest. This information was that KCC knew there were still light posts to be completed, but had stopped work when the engineers started surveying for the electric cables that will be going through the Village, and the person who was responsible for checking the safety of the completed work had been seriously unwell. It’s now known that all these items have been resolved and that any lights still to be completed will be in due course.

As Clerk, if you write to the Parish Council I am unable to reply to you unless I have your name and contact details. Your Council have continued to get complaints regarding the height of the grass in the Churchyard; can I reiterate that your Council is only responsible for the Burial Ground adjacent to Harringe Lane and the old one furthest from the Church and, as such, can do nothing. Any complaints of this kind need to be addressed to the Church Wardens.

Dog Poo Bags – The Parish Council is still providing these for use free of charge, members consider that this has made a difference to the village. Simply come to the Parish Council office Tues 9am – Noon & Fri 3pm – 5.30pm

The Chairman and other Councillors would like to say ‘thank you’ to all those who are taking the time and trouble to pick up after their dog/s.

### 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 10<sup>th</sup> – Suzie will be in offering File and Polish, Mini Manicure or Classic Manicures.

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> – Julie will be doing Ladies and Gentlemen’s hairdressing and threading technique – 9am to 12 Noon.  
*‘For appointments or consultations please phone 07840 04358’.*

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> – 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 17<sup>th</sup> – East Kent Foot Care will be at the Pop In (in the Committee Room) from 9am to 1.00pm.  
*‘The cost is £14 for general maintenance and £24 for more through work’.*

Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> – Suzie will be in offering File and Polish, Mini Manicure or Classic Manicures.

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.



### STARTING THE TENTH YEAR

On September 29<sup>th</sup> 2018, the Pop In opened its doors for the first time.

Now starting its tenth year. Over the years it has helped to raise funds for the Village Hall and currently raised £900 towards refurbishing the exterior of the Village Hall, with the project to begin in the near future.

**HALLOWEEN DISCO** – Friday October 27<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

## FROM YOUR SHEPWAY DISTRICT COUNCILLORS

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

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[susan.carey@shepway.gov.uk](mailto:susan.carey@shepway.gov.uk) 01303 670 561

Homelessness is a growing problem both nationally and locally. Over the last year the number of people approaching Shepway for help has risen 10% and we have 70 families in temporary accommodation (mostly bed and breakfast). Whilst the council will help everyone with advice we only have a legal duty to house the most vulnerable. The new Homelessness Reduction Act will change that and from April next year our duty is extended to everyone. We expect applications for help to rise by at least 50%.

The problem is made worse by London boroughs placing their homeless in rented accommodation in our area. This reduces the number of homes available for locals and pushes up rents.

We know we will need more housing for single people and some of the council housing we are building will be one or two bedroomed. We are also looking to acquire more temporary housing and we have been allocated more money by the government for staff to put together personal housing plans for those who come to us for help. These measures will help but ultimately our district (and the rest of the UK) needs more homes if we are to have enough social and privately rented housing.

If you or someone you know is at risk of homelessness then please ask Shepway for advice. There's information on [www.shepway.gov.uk](http://www.shepway.gov.uk) and a comprehensive report to councillors at the Overview and Scrutiny Committee on 12 September which can also be found on the website.

We are now halfway through our financial year and have allocated about half of our Shepway ward grant. Among the projects we are supporting is the purchase of a minibus for the Shepway Sports Trust which will take children to and from sports facilities and competitions and also be used for sports clubs. We are also supporting Sellindge Village Hall with a grant for new chairs.

Jenny attended the regular monthly meeting of Sellindge Parish Council on 12 September, the Sports & Social Club Meeting and also the Commemoration of the 77<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of The Battle of Britain Service at St Stephen's Church Lympe. Susan joined villagers at St Mary's church on 10 September for the tea party. We've both seen some of the Folkestone Triennial which runs until 05 November and recommend a visit. It's a world class show on our doorstep, free to see and is part of the changes which are transforming Folkestone.

You can find out more on [www.folkestonetriennial.org.uk](http://www.folkestonetriennial.org.uk)

## WEATHER FACTS FOR AUGUST 2017

Minimum temp. 6.50°C Sun, 6th.

Mean night temp. 11.98°C

Maximum temp 29.0°C Tues, 29th.

Mean day temp. 22.48°C

August, the last of the meteorological summer months was not a particularly good month of weather.

Sunshine hours were below normal, temperatures were average and fourteen days or night rain was recorded. The August total rainfall was 80.391mm (3.165in). The one good fact was that the holiday week-end did not follow the usual pattern but had sunshine and was dry. The following day was the hottest day of the month at 29°C (84.2°F)

## SOFT PLAY SUNDAYS – 07591 259 913

1st October

8th October

29th October

5th November

19th November

26th November

31st December (New year's eve party!)

Two sessions per date (10am-11am and 11:30am-12:30pm)

There will be a bouncy castle, sensory dark den, foam shapes, ball pool, tunnels, tents, musical instruments, fancy dress corner, balloons and more! It's £5 per child (£3 siblings).

The grown-ups can help themselves to hot drinks and there will be biscuits and squash for the children.





## **SELLINDGE WOMENS WEDNESDAY LUNCHEON CLUB**

Venue for October 2017 – Farriers Arms on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup>. 12 Noon for 12.30pm.

Let June Wales know on 01303 814 676 by Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> if you will be attending the Luncheon

**FROM YOUR KCC COUNCILLOR** Susan Carey, Elham Valley Ward. [susan.carey@kent.gov.uk](mailto:susan.carey@kent.gov.uk) 01303 670 561

As I write my report we are still in the aftermath of the terrorist attack in London with KCC staff involved in the response. Much of the work KCC does in this area must necessarily remain confidential but I can tell you our staff are trained to work on prevention and identification of radicalisation and that we work closely with Kent Police.

I was recently at a presentation about the work of Kent Police given by Paul Brandon the Deputy Chief Constable. We were given a snapshot of weekly demand – 830 emergency calls, 2,437 calls for assistance, 12 children (under 17) and 35 adults reported missing, 345 crimes, 86 arrests and much more. We were told about the work under way to deal with people with mental health problems, investigation of gangs, child sexual abuse both current and historic and not least the work being done to deal with terrorism and radicalisation. Like so many public services there is an increasing demand but limited resources. One way Kent Police were coping was by making more use of technology such as online reporting of crime via their website and the use of body cameras by Police officers which has led to a big drop in complaints.

There's no doubt that Kent Police have a very big job to do but their entire presentation made no mention of traffic offences yet all councillors know that this is one of the biggest concerns of our communities. Both Matthew Balfour, KCC's cabinet member for Highways and I raised these concerns with Paul Brandon. His response was that Kent Police do have teams dealing with speeding but their priority is accident black spots. It is of course reasonable to prioritise limited resources but if we want traffic offences further up the list of Kent Police priorities then it would help to let them know it matters. Matthew Scott, Kent's Police and Crime Commissioner undertakes regular surveys on public priorities so please let him know your views. Here in Sellindge we also have equipment and if there are enough volunteers we can run our own Speed watch.

Whilst housing is the district council's responsibility it is KCC that has to provide the schools, roads and other infrastructure needed for every new home. Some of this is funded by contributions from the housing developers but it's never enough and KCC has around £1billion of borrowing for the school places and roads it has funded over the last few decades. The Government has recently announced a £2.3bn Housing Infrastructure Fund and invited bids. I'm pleased to report that Otterpool Garden Town stands a very good chance of being the principal project that KCC puts forward in its bid to this fund. The grant could be as much as £250m which would go a very long way to providing the roads and schools we want in advance of the houses being built.

The works to the streetlights that needed repair/replacement along Main Road in Sellindge were interrupted by staff sickness but I am told it will be completed on 20 September. There has also been a streetlight problem at Bern Hurst Close which is due to be fixed. This problem has been reported anonymously so Kent Highways have asked me to include in the newsletter that they have received the report and the repair will be done.

## **SELLINDGE GARDENERS' ASSOCIATION**

There was no Sellindge Gardeners' meeting in September, as the Gardeners' went on holiday from the 18<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> of September staying in Ulverston which is at the Southern end of Lake Windermere which is in the Lake District.

The Sellindge Gardeners will be meeting on Wednesday October 18<sup>th</sup> which will be the Sellindge Gardeners' AGM where the Committee for the forthcoming year will be appointed and member will debate next year diary.

The meeting is in the Durling Hall at 7.30pm.

## **SELLINDGE SPORTS and SOCIAL CLUB**

### **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).

### **Coming soon**

Sunday Carvery starting October 29<sup>th</sup> 12-3 pm. £9.95 Adults £6.95 Children - Taking bookings now

Thursdays, Senior Citizens starting November 2<sup>nd</sup> - 12-3 pm - 2 courses £6.95

Fridays, Food Served all day starting November 3<sup>rd</sup>. New lunchtime Menu

New Evening Menu available shortly

Tel 01303 812 437 or See website and Facebook for further information

## **St MARYS CHURCH SELLINDGE**

Dear Friends,

Here at St. Mary's, we are beginning our busiest season of year and a time that is filled with such joy and rejoicing! We begin October with our Harvest Festival, traditionally a time when we say thank you for the bountiful gifts of the harvest. This always seems to me to be the perfect celebration for Sellindge as we are part of a large farming community. At this time, we invite the community groups and businesses of Sellindge to contribute a floral arrangement, art work or craft. We are always delighted to display work from Little Learners, Sellindge School, 1st Sellindge Rainbows, Brownies and Guides, as well as many others so our Harvest Festival becomes both a celebration of farming and harvest and a celebration of the creativity of the community of Sellindge. We would warmly invite you to pop down to the church to see the displays. On Saturday 30th September, you can also enjoy a ploughman's lunch when you visit. On Sunday 1st October, we will have our Harvest Festival service. This is a family friendly service and all are very welcome to attend. Any food donated will be given to Ashford Foodbank.

Recently, we have said goodbye to both Ian and Richard and so our church is entering into a time of Interregnum. For us, this is a time for new beginnings. We will be welcoming some new priests to our church to take services. It is very appropriate that this month we will also welcome a new face to the Christian family. We look forward to the baptism of Louis-James on 22nd October. Baptisms are a time of great joy and we would encourage you to come along and join us for this service.

Looking to the future, we will fast be approaching... Christmas! St. Mary's Christmas Fair will be on Saturday 18th November 10am - 2pm at Sellindge Village Hall. We would be extremely grateful for donations of cakes, raffle prizes and of any help on the day! If you are able to help, please email [mary.sage@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:mary.sage@hotmail.co.uk)

Also back by popular demand will be Lunch with Father Christmas. This was very popular last year, so we would strongly encourage you to book a table in advance at [www.facebook.com/stmaryssellindge](http://www.facebook.com/stmaryssellindge)

St. Mary's Church is a church for the village and please be assured that you will also be extended a warm welcome should you pop down and see us for any of our services:

### **October Services:**

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> September: St. Mary's Church Art & Flower Festival with Ploughman's Lunch (Church open all day)

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> October: Harvest Festival Service 11am (The church will remain open to view the Art & Flower festival)

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> October: Holy Communion at 11am

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> October: Family Service including baptism of Louis-James

### **\*\*ADVANCE NOTICE FOR YOUR DIARIES \*\***

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> November - Remembrance Sunday Service

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> November - St. Mary's Christmas Fair including Lunch with Father Christmas

Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> November - Stir Up Sunday Party Church - Come and make a Christmas Pudding, and a mess, as we get ready for Advent and Christmas!

### **FORMAL NOTE FROM SELLINDGE PCC**

Now both our priests have retired, we are now in a term of Interregnum.

Please be assured we will do our best to continue in the most effective way possible. To this end may we request as much support and understanding from you that you can give.

NOTE, initial contact concerning personal services, ie Baptism, Weddings, Funerals, may be made to mobile phone number 07526 688 826 and you will be directed appropriately.

For all other services please keep your eyes on the village newssheet, or [www.A20churches.org.uk](http://www.A20churches.org.uk)

Thank you and look forward to seeing you at St Mary's or one of our special events.

St Mary the Virgin Parochial Church Council Sellindge

Part of the A20 Benefice [www.A20churches.org.uk](http://www.A20churches.org.uk)

# WHAT'S ON AND WHERE OCTOBER 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](mailto:vsaker@hotmail.com)  
PILATES – 10.15am – 11.15am – Village Hall (Main) - 07543 543 373 [vsaker@hotmail.com](mailto:vsaker@hotmail.com)  
QIGONG – 11.15am – 12.15pm Village Hall (Main) - - 07543 543 373 [vsaker@hotmail.com](mailto: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** BOOGIEBEAT (Pre-School Group) – 9.00am to 10.30am – Main Hall **\*\*NEW\*\***  
NHS EAST KENT HEALTHWALKS – 10.15am Village hall car park – 01303 814 014  
LINE DANCING – Beginners Class – 6pm – 7pm Village Hall (Main) – 07989 210449 **\*\*NEW\*\***  
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**
- SUNDAYS 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> – SOFT PLAY SUNDAYS – Village Hall 10am – 11am & 11.30am – 12.30pm 07591 259913**

## \*\*\*\*\*MONTHLY\*\*\*\*\*

- BOOK CLUB** on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> from 7.30pm Sellindge Sports & Social Club - - phone 812 437  
**BABY CLINIC** on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> 2.00pm - 4.00pm at the Sellindge Surgery Appointment only - - 812 616  
**PARISH COUNCIL** on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm Village Hall (Durling) - - Chair 07710 260 757 Clerk 01303 813 271  
**GET TOGETHER CLUB** on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> from 2.00pm – 4.00pm Village Hall (Durling) - - 813 080  
**GARDENERS' ASSOCIATION** on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm Village Hall (Durling) – 813 288 or 01843 597 710  
**BABY CLINIC** on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> 2.00pm - 4.00pm at the Sellindge Surgery Walk - In - - 812 616  
**ANGEL CENTRE** on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> – 7.30pm to 9.30pm Village Hall (Durling)  
**SEQUENCE DANCING CLUB** on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm – 10.30pm – Village Hall (Main) – 01233 629 815

**SATURDAY 7<sup>th</sup> – TABLE TOP FAIR – MAIN HALL – 9am – 1pm**

**FRIDAY 29<sup>th</sup> – HALLOWEN DISCO – MAIN HALL – 7.30pm – 11pm**

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

Traditional Sunday lunch (bookings required)

*Under new management*

Opening hours Mon to Fri 5.00pm to 11.00pm – Sat 12 Noon to 11pm – Sun 12 Noon to 7.00pm

Contact Social Club on 812 437 [www.sellindgeclub.co.uk](http://www.sellindgeclub.co.uk)

# SELLINDGE INFORMATION PAGE OCTOBER 2017

**SELLINDGE PARISH COUNCIL**  @ParishSellindge 01303 813 271

<http://www.sellindge-pc.gov.uk> [www.sellindgepc.kentparishes.gov.uk](http://www.sellindgepc.kentparishes.gov.uk)

Sellindge PC Office, Sellindge Village Hall, Sellindge, Kent – TN25 6JY [clerk@sellindge-pc.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@sellindge-pc.gov.uk)

**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.

*Co – Opted August 2017* – Ms S Clark of Barrow Hill.

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

**SHEPWAY DISTRICT COUNCIL** – 01303 853 000 (main switchboard) [www.shepway.gov.uk](http://www.shepway.gov.uk)

**KENT COUNTY COUNCIL** – 03000 41 41 41 (helpline) [www.kent.gov.uk](http://www.kent.gov.uk) e-mail [county.hall@kent.gov.uk](mailto:county.hall@kent.gov.uk)

**KENT COUNTY COUNCIL HIGHWAYS** – 03000 41 81 81

**SELLINDGE RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION** – [www.slurry.org.uk](http://www.slurry.org.uk) – [sellindgeresidents@gmail.com](mailto: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](http://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

**HOSPITALS** – William Harvey (Ashford) 01233 633 331 - - - - - Royal Victoria (Folkestone) 01303 850 202

Kent and Canterbury (Canterbury) 01227 766 877 All hospitals website [www.ekhuft.nhs.uk](http://www.ekhuft.nhs.uk)

**SELLINDGE PRIMARY SCHOOL** – 01303 812 073 website [www.sellindge-ashford.kent.sch.uk](http://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. \*OCTOBER\* [www.kent.gov.uk/leisure\\_and\\_culture/libraries.aspx](http://www.kent.gov.uk/leisure_and_culture/libraries.aspx)

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>** – 9.15am to 9.45 am A20 Hythe lay – by near Swan Lane.

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>** – 1.50pm – 2.20pm Greenfields lay – by.

**AGE UK HYTHE & LYMINGE** – 01303 269 602 [www.ageuk.org.uk/hytheandlyminge](http://www.ageuk.org.uk/hytheandlyminge)

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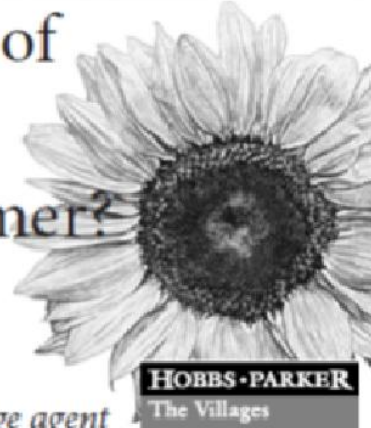
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