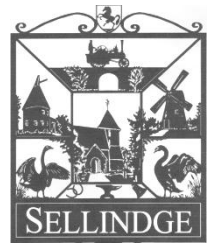


SELLINDGE VILLAGE NEWS

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SELLINDGE DEVELOPMENT – The Taylor Wimpy development of 250 homes has been approved by Shepway District Councils Planning Development Control Committee, this included full planning permission for 50 homes, the village green and a 40 space car park extension to the village hall car. There are 10 affordable homes in this phase, which consist of 2 x 1 bedroom apartments, 6 x 2 bedroom homes and 2 x 3 bedroom houses. To be eligible for one of these homes, you will need to be registered on the Shepway District Council Housing List, and select Sellindge as your first choice. Work should start on phase 1 of the development soon.

SELLINDGE VILLAGE HALL TABLE TOP FAIR

Saturday February 7th 2015 from 9am to 1pm. 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 March 7th.

NEW !!! CRAFT GROUP

A New Craft Group on Tuesdays from 1.30pm – 3.30pm at the Sellindge Sports and Social Club in Swan Lane. The first meeting will be on Tuesday March 3rd, when we can have a cuppa tea and talk about Crafts you would like to do. There will be help and advice, to learn new skills or many people may wish to bring their own crafts to share. Come along and have a go and meet me, Jan Gillard and fellow Crafters. Possible crafts include – Cards, Flower making, Decoupage, Knitting, Sewing, Cold Porcelain, Parchment Crafts etc.

DAYS GONE BY

The popular group 'Days gone by' will be onstage at Sellindge Village Hall playing sounds from the 50s, 60s and 70's on Valentine's Day, Saturday February 14th, from 7.30pm. Tickets are £5 at the door, or can be purchased in advance by phoning 01227 709 662 or from Ideas, 83 High Street, Hythe. Please bring your own refreshments.

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Your Parish Council met in January, due to the colds and flu viruses that were going around just after Christmas, some Councillors were missing. Let's hope the weather improves soon so that they and everyone else who has been suffering will feel better.

The normal agenda headings were listed.

Matters Arising included an update about Stone Hill. There are still pot holes to be repaired on this road, but due to the road needing to be closed while the works are carried out, road closures have to be advertised before work can start. As your Clerk I have been informed that the (KCC Highways) will let us know as soon as this is arranged. Also on Stone Hill some of you may have been affected by the lorry that while trying to turn road, got stuck and had to be rescued. Some work has been done to repair the verge, but the ground needs to dry out a bit more before any further work can be completed.

The Path outside the Village Hall has been waiting to be completed for a while now. Your PC purchased the materials a while ago and it had been hoped that volunteers would help lay it. As no-one came forward your Council obtained a quote and after a debate it was agreed that this should go ahead. The cost will be around £1,500. After the meeting, our Ward Councillor contacted the Chairman and has agreed that she will make a contribution, and may even pay the full amount. Your Parish Council is very grateful for this.

The application for the Taylor Wimpey development was considered at the Shepway District Council Development Control Committee and some of your Councillors attended the meeting. As the Clerk and Proper Officer, I was tasked with addressing the members of the Committee. The Shepway Councillors then debated the application before a vote took place. One of the often repeated comments was how well the developer had worked with the Parish Council and residents of the village. The Vote was unanimous in favour of the development. The next step is to hear how the project will be taken forward. Taylor Wimpey and their agent have said they will be working closely with Shepway and the Village to ensure that there is as little disruption as possible during the building works. Your Council will be keeping you up to date when further information comes in.

Various letters were received and Sellindge has been invited to attend the working group meetings in Ashford in relation to the new M20 J10a motorway junction.

The Chairman will be attending a Civic Service in Rochester Cathedral, this is a service that is held annually to acknowledge the work undertaken by Parish Councils and other voluntary organisations in Kent.

Also there was an invitation for people who been involved with Speed Watch to attend a days conference in Maidstone. As your Clerk I will be finding out if any of our 'speedwatchers' would like to attend.

Your next Parish Council meeting is on Tuesday 10th February, in the Durling Hall. Your Council do appreciate residents coming along, so put this date in your diary.



NEW FOOTWAY

Work to re – new the footway between Sellindge and Smeeth crossroads has now started. This will make walking to Ashford a lot safer, it is surprising how many people do. The work has been ongoing now for 2 weeks, and will take quite a few weeks to complete.

NEW LITTER BIN

After Shepway removed the litter bin in Swan Lane, stating that they were not going to replace the litter bin, the Parish Council voiced concerns, as there was no consultation what so ever

into its removal, now Shepway have now put a new one in its place.



DOG POOP BAGS – PLEASE DO NOT USE CARRIER BAGS

Dog walkers don't forget you can pick up Dog Poop Bags FREE OF CHARGE from the Parish Council Office, they come in packs of 50. Once used, and tied they can be disposed of in any COUNCIL OWNED LITTER BIN.

PCSO JAMES CHADWICK

Please be aware of cold callers in the area and any suspicious person(s) vehicles seen.

If residents have any concerns about such person(s) & vehicle(s) please can they call Kent Police on 101, or in an emergency 999.

There is no doubt that the situation regarding Lorry Parking in and around the Village is increasing. Lorries parking opposite the School and opposite the Co-op, particularly during the day is totally unacceptable. They also park in every available space cutting up the grass and creating a “mud pond”. This is an issue I bring up at every meeting possible and I am pleased to report that Shepway District Council have now agreed to investigate the possibility of “clamping” lorries. (Ashford have started to do this.) Watch this space!

At a Shepway Cabinet Meeting on 21 January, the Draft ‘Shepway Places and Policies Local Plan’ is due to be considered. The document represents an excellent opportunity for the general public and key stakeholders to engage with the Council on a range of key issues and options. Although, a very large document, there are suggested options on Policies which we can all comment on during the consultation which runs from 29 January to 11 March see www.shepway.gov.uk for further information.

I am pleased to report that Shepway’s Budget Strategy for 2015 / 2016 includes a 1% reduction on Shepway’s share of the Council Tax which is to be welcomed.

As we move to the General / District / Parish Elections on Thursday 7 May, it is important to check that you are on the register. Also if you are likely to be away or unable to get to a polling station you can apply for a postal vote. You will need to complete an application form which requires you to supply your date of birth and signature. Your ballot paper will be sent to you about 10 days before the election. See www.shepway.gov.uk I can supply a form if required.

FROM YOUR KCC COUNCILLOR Susan Carey, Member for Elham Valley, KCC – 01303 670 561

I am sure people will be pleased to learn that as a result of the response to the consultation on the Community Wardens, KCC will be keeping the link between the Wardens and their present areas, which in our case means Sue Covus who covers Lympne and Sellindge.

Another consultation that will be of interest to many is a proposal to set up a charitable trust to run Kent’s library services. You can find details on the Kent website, in the libraries themselves and there will be a roadshow calling at Folkestone on 21st February, Canterbury on 12th March and Hythe 28th March. The consultation runs until 8th April. Other parts of the UK have seen wholesale closure of their libraries but here in Kent we have nearly 100 and we have made major investments in our main libraries and archive service. If we are to keep our service (and adapt it to suit changing needs) we need an organisation that can apply for grants and other funding that are not available to local government and a charity seems the best way to do this. As ever, your views count so please read the consultation and respond.

By the time you read the newsletter you will have seen KCC’s budget proposals which we will be debating on 15 February. Our main government grant has been reduced by £55.7m (about 15%) which is our share of the savings needed to balance the public finances. Together with demographic pressures i.e. more frail elderly needing care, more people with disabilities, more children needing school places, we need to make savings / raise income by £90m. We are therefore proposing a Council Tax increase of just under 2% which will raise about £10m. This equates to £18.96p extra a year (around 36p a week) for a Band C house (Band C the most common rating for a house in Kent). We are planning to make most of our savings from back office costs as we will either outsource many of the services or implement internal plans for at least 25% reduction in costs. We are continuing our transformation programme to deliver services differently and reduce demand for social care. We are also working with the NHS to keep vulnerable elderly people out of hospital and to get them into appropriate care just as soon as they are well enough to leave. Locally I was very pleased to join villagers at the Pop In session at the Village Hall on Christmas Eve to officially ‘open’ the new ramp which I helped fund with a KCC Member grant. As well as a hand rail at normal height there’s a lower one that allows wheelchair users to pull themselves along so they can use the ramp unaided.

Another improvement to the hall is small room created between the Main Hall and the Durling Hall which was funded by a grant from the Community Chest fund at Shepway District Council. Sellindge Village Hall is one of the busiest Halls in Kent and those involved in the fundraising and running of it deserve a round of applause.

Finally, Jenny Hollingsbee and I are planning to deliver a booklet to homes in Sellindge produced by the Kent Resilience Forum which has information on what to do / who to contact in an emergency. If you have not received a copy and would like one, please contact me.

WEATHER FACTS FOR DECEMBER 2014

Minimum temp. 5.50°C Tues.30th.

Mean night temp. 1.70°C

Maximum temp. 12.25°C Tues.23rd.

Mean day temp. 7.94°C

The weather in December continued with the unsettled pattern of the preceding months. It was a month of very changeable conditions, with rain one day and sunshine the next. On 7 days high winds up to 49.25mph were recorded, and on some, temperatures were as low as 2 to 4°C with others in excess of 10°C. Average temperatures were near normal, while rainfall was 5% above average with 80.01mm (3.15in) from 12 days. The total rainfall for 2014 was 1042.54mm (41.045in) which is the 2nd highest record since 2000 which holds the record for Sellindge with 1133.01mm (44.607in). Records are dated from the year 1960.

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Tuesdays 3rd & 17th – Suzie is in from 10.30am offering File and Polish, Mini Manicure or Classic Manicures.

Tuesday 10th – Hi Kent the Kent charity for the deaf, for advice, serving hearing aids etc from 2pm to 3.30pm.

No confirmed date for the Chiropist, so Pop – in the Pop – in for updates.

****NEW**** - Every Tuesday A lovely selection of Handmade Cards which can be made to order, from £3

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

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I would like to make residents aware that we have had some burglaries and attempted break ins, in the local and surrounding areas. These range from sheds, garages and houses, also the Village Hall and Parish Council Office were targeted. Please be aware that if you do come across a crime scene whether in an out building or in your home and there are obvious signs of a break in **DO NOT TOUCH ANYTHING**. This is important as evidence can easily be contaminated and evidence lost and call the police on 101 or 999 if you think somebody could still be present. The normal advice applies, make sure sheds and outbuilding are securely locked. When leaving the house even for a short period shut windows and lock doors. If you are going away for a longer period of time leave a light on, preferably on a timer. These incidents are still fairly rare but you can be targeted.

We have a Speed Watch Training session on Tuesday 3rd February at Wood Avenue Library, CT19 6HS at 6pm if you are interested in joining the local group.

GODINTON HOUSE & GARDENS

Plans for the year ahead are underway with a full programme of workshops and events. This year we will support Kent, Surrey and Sussex Air Ambulance during Delphinium Week.

We look forward to seeing garden visitors from the 1st March.

FEBRUARY 14 – ALL ABOUT ROSES – 9.30am - 2.30pm, £55.00

It is Valentine Day, what better date to demonstrate our passion for roses. This workshop will look at roses for different situations and talk about some personal favourites. We will discuss planting and caring for roses and demonstrate pruning and training techniques, after which there will be a hands-on session to give you the confidence to prune your own. £55.00 including refreshments and light lunch

SELLINDGE SPORTS AND SOCIAL CLUB

CAROL'S BIRTHDAY BASH – Friday February 13th, with Karaoke and Disco with Big Kev – starts at 7.30pm

SUMMER FAYRE – We will be holding the Sellindge Sports & Social Club Summer Fayre on Sunday 30th August 2015, if anyone would like to book a pitch for a craft stall or activity please contact Jeanette on 01303 814 838

ANGEL CENTRE

The Angel Centre will be at the Durling Hall on Wednesday February 25th with an Evening of Clairvoyance from 7.30pm until 9.30pm. For Information 01303 278 402

SELLINDGE WOMENS WEDNESDAY LUNCHEON CLUB

The venue for February is The Old Mill, Kennington, Ashford, on February 25th 12 Noon for 12.30pm, will members let June Wales know by Wednesday February 18th.

THE GET TOGETHER CLUB

Get Together Club will meet on Wednesday 11th 2pm to 4pm in the Durling Hall.

SELLINDGE GARDENERS ASSOCIATION

Sellindge Gardeners met on Wednesday January 21st and welcomed two new members. Unfortunately we were a little short on members at the meeting, but those that were there enjoyed a really good fun quiz.

The outing for May will be to Hole House and Great Dixter, and in July to Arundel Castle.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday February 18th, in the Durling Hall at 7.30pm, when David Sutton will talk on 'Plants use in the Zoo Environment'. New members and guests are most welcome.

Vera and Betty will be doing the teas.

Please start saving your 'cast offs' for the Gardeners Jumble Sale on Saturday March 21st.

FEBRUARY SERVICES AT YOUR VILLAGE CHURCH

Sunday 8 th	Holy Communion	Stowting Parish Church	9:30am
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Sunday 15 th	Holy Communion (BCP)		8:00am
Sunday 22 nd	Holy Communion		11:00am

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Dear Friends

*And I said to the man who stood at the gate of the year: "Give me a light that I may tread safely into the unknown."
And he replied: "Go out into the darkness and put your hand into the Hand of God. That shall be to you better than light and safer than a known way." (a poem by Minnie Louise Haskins, published in 1908, King George VI, quoted it in his 1939 Christmas broadcast to the British Empire.)*

I hope that you all had a good Christmas and New Year. I can't believe that we are at the end of January already; it's been quite difficult to get into the swing of things again. Another new year with all that it brings for the future, I wonder where we will all be at the end of the year? I only made one New Year Resolution which I have managed to keep, that was to never make a New Year Resolution – because I could never keep them!

The New Year is a time for new challenges and sometimes changes in the way that we do things. Challenges and changes can be hard on the emotions, other times they can be quite exciting and refreshing. How were the changes in your life in 2014, I expect that some were good and some bad. I would encourage us to look forward to the furrow that we are ploughing (*see Luke Chapter 9 verse 62*) in the coming year.

The church family is here to support and encourage everyone, but we can't always be sure that we are doing this in the way that is best for you, or most appreciated. If you have any thoughts as to what the church in the village should be doing (or not doing) I really would be pleased to hear from you.

Whilst keeping and protecting the traditions of the Church of England we are looking at number of initiatives for this year which you are invited to be part of.

Our new children's group (**J A M – Jesus and Me**) is well under way. In addition to other activities (such as the Angel Trail and Crib Service) we propose to carry on meeting on the afternoon of the second Sunday of the Month. Feel free to contact me if you would like to know more. These activities take place between Sellindge and Mersham. On Sunday 25th January we joined with the Methodist congregation to celebrate an Iona Communion Service. We are gathering views as to whether this would be a suitable style of service to include in the future. An additional Sunday Celebration Family Service may also be possible, with your support, perhaps starting in the Spring?

In addition to our usual events, a **SPRING CRAFT FAIR** is to be held on **14th March 2015**, 10am to 1 pm, in the Village Hall, set up from 9am, tables £5 each.

Please ask around your families & friends if they would like a table / contribute.

Change can be a good thing as it can help us to take stock of where we are and gives us an opportunity to look forward to where we might be this time next year. So as we start the New Year we leave 'what has been' behind and look forward to new opportunities and possibilities and with Spring (and I hope some better weather) around the corner we all have much to be thankful for.

With Best wishes for 2015, Ian

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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)
BOKWA - - 7.30pm Sellindge Sports & Social Clubhouse Swan lane. - -
LINE DANCING – Beginners 7.30pm – 9.30pm Village Hall (Main) – 07753 274 913
- TUESDAY** SELLINDGE BABY & TODDLER GROUP – 9.15am – 11.30am Village Hall (Main) – 01303 812 262
NHS EAST KENT HEALTHWALKS – 10.15am Village hall car park – 01304 828 731
LINE DANCING – 1pm to 2.45pm
LEGS, BUMS & TUMS - - 6.00pm Sellindge Sports & Social Clubhouse - - 07843 099 912
LINE DANCING -- Intermediate Level 7.30 - 9.30pm 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 – 2.00pm – 4.00pm Village Hall (Durling) – 01303 812 593
BEES BODS (Dance exercise) – 5.45pm – 6.45pm Village Hall (Main) - - 01303 813 274
STREET DANCE – 4.45pm – Sellindge Sports & Social Clubhouse, info@dancevisions.co.uk (term t)
ZUMBA – 6.00pm – Sellindge Sports & Social Clubhouse, Swan lane. - - 07921 661 548
TAEKWONDO -- 6.30pm at Sellindge Primary School - - 814 635
AEROBIC BODY BLAST -- 7.00 - 8.00pm Village Hall (Main) - - 01233 820 109
TAI CHI FOR YOU - - 8.00pm – 9.00pm Village Hall (Main) -
- THURSDAY** LINE DANCING – Beginners 12 Noon to 1.00pm Village Hall (Main) – 01303 813 098
LINE DANCING – Easy Intermediate 1.00pm to 2.45pm Village Hall (Main) – 01303 813 161
LINE DANCING -- Intermediate 7.30pm - 9.30pm Village Hall (Main) – 01303 813 161
BINGO -- 7.30pm at Sellindge Sports & Social Clubhouse, Swan Lane. phone 812 437
YOUTH CLUB - - 6pm – 8.30pm at Sellindge Sports & Social Clubhouse, Swan Lane. ***NEW***
- FRIDAY** ART GROUP – PAINTING for ALL – 9.30am – 11.30am Village Hall (Durling) – 01303 812 593
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**

*****MONTHLY*****

- BABY CLINIC on Monday 9th 2.00pm - 4.00pm at the Sellindge Surgery Appointment only - - 812 616
IMPERIAL DOLLS HOUSE CLUB on Tuesday 10th at 7.00pm Village Hall (Committee Room) - - 840 214
PARISH COUNCIL on Tuesday 10th at 7.30pm Village Hall (Durling) - - Chair 07710 260 757 Clerk 01233 720 392
GET TOGETHER CLUB on Wednesday 11th from 2.00pm – 4.00pm Village Hall (Durling) - - 813 454
RELAXATION & WELLBEING CLINIC – Thursday 12th – 10.00am – 12 Noon - Village Hall (Durling) - 0794 1072 489
GARDENERS' ASSOCIATION on Wednesday 18th 7.30pm Village Hall (Durling) – 813 288 or 01843 597 710
BABY CLINIC on Monday 23rd 2.00pm - 4.00pm at the Sellindge Surgery Walk In Clinic - - 812 616
SEQUENCE DANCING CLUB on Saturday 28th at 7.30pm – 10.30pm – Village Hall (Main) – 01233 629 815

SATURDAY 7th – TABLE TOP FAIR – VILLAGE HALL – 9am – 1pm

**SATURDAY 14th – VALENTINE DAY WITH DAYS GONE BY
VILLAGE HALL – 7.30pm**

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

**FRIDAY 13th 7.30pm
CAROLS BIRTHDAY BASH
KARAOKE and DISCO with BIG KEV**

Opening hours Tues to Fri 5.00pm to 10.30pm – Sat 12 Noon to 11pm – Sun 12 Noon to 7.00pm
Contact Social Club on 812 437 www.sellindgeclub.co.uk

SELLINDGE INFORMATION PAGE FEBRUARY 2015

SELLINDGE PARISH COUNCIL www.sellindgepc.kentparishes.gov.uk  @ParishSellindge 01303 813 271
Sellindge PC Office, Sellindge Village Hall, Sellindge, Kent – TN25 6JY sellindge-parishcouncil@btconnect.com

The Parish Councillors

Elected May 2011 – Stanley Bull (Chairman) of Swan Lane, Nigel Fursdon of Meadow Grove, Colin Minister of Greenfields, Ms Sarah – Jane Sandy of Moorstock, Alan Keeves of Lourdes Manor Close
Elected June 2013 – Mrs Pat Vago of Stone Hill, Chris Mason of Swan Lane, Carlton Chislett of Barrow Hill Co – Opted November 2013 – Miss M Varrier – Smith 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

SHEPWAY DISTRICT COUNCIL – 01303 853 000 (main switchboard) www.shepway.gov.uk

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL – 03000 41 41 41 (helpline) www.kent.gov.uk e-mail county.hall@kent.gov.uk

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL HIGHWAYS – 03000 41 81 81

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

POLICE PCSO Samantha Hunt mob – 07980 236 331 Emergency 999 – non emergency 101

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



POLICE CONTACT – MONDAYS FEBRUARY 2nd and 16th from 5.00pm to 6.00pm

In the Village Hall car park, come and meet the local Police, you can discuss your concerns or just get advice.

KCC COMMUNITY WARDEN Sue Covus – 07773 397 141 – sue.covus@kent.gov.uk

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

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

Patient Participation Group – Vera Orsbourne – 812 237

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

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. *FEBRUARY* www.kent.gov.uk/leisure_and_culture/libraries.aspx

Mondays – 10.20am to 10.50 am A20 Hythe lay – by near Swan Lane, 10.55am – 11.25am Greenfields lay – by.

Wednesday's 4th and 18th – 12 10am – 12.30pm Coopers Lane / Stone Hill junction,
12.35pm – 12.50pm Lay by top Barrow Hill and 2.50pm – 3.10pm Lay by at the St Mary's Church

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 – 0800 783 8866 or text 'power' and your 'postcode' to 80876 www.ukpowernetworks.co.uk


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 0845 888 5 888 Mon – Fri 8am – 6pm Sat 8am – 1pm

SEWAGE – www.southernwater.co.uk emergency 0845 278 0845

SELLINDGE VILLAGE HALL  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 MARCH 2015 NEWSHEET Should be delivered to the Parish Council Office or e-mail nnwfursdon@aol.com by 2200 hours (10pm) on **FRIDAY 20th FEBRUARY 2015** with a 'contact' name, address and / or tel number (not for publication) phone 07788 313 414 and I will collect