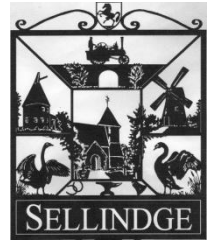


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JUMBLE SALE – Get Together Jumble Sale in the Village Hall on Saturday September 26th at 2pm.

SELLINDGE HOME GUARD – World War 2



During World War two the local Home Guard would have various roles to ensure the Village stayed safe, one of their main roles in the case of Sellindge was guarding the large Railway Gun, when it was not in use, and was parked in its rail siding at the bottom of Barrow Hill. They would have been extremely busy during the Battle of Britain. There will be an A4 size photo of the above picture in the Parish Council office, if you would like to view it.

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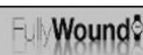
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Your Council met on Tuesday 11th August. Chris Mason reported on the one issue that was still outstanding with regards to pots holes and street lighting. If you report any items via the KCC portal, do let Chris know and he will monitor the work and ensure that it is completed, his contact details are on the Information page and the PC website. The Link Park at Plot 60 for a combined Heat & Power renewable energy electric power station with various buildings and a 70 metre chimney stack was debated with members of the public present being allowed to enter the conversation. One of the many issues raised was how difficult it is to imagine a 70 metre high chimney.

Other issues mentioned was the amount of lorries that would be using the junction at Otterpool Lane, the extra chaos when Operation Stack is on.

After the debate, members agreed that the application should be objected too, that your Council would request that the application be 'called in' and decided at a meeting of the Development Committee and that a request for a dummy mast should be made to allow members of the Council and the public to see how high the chimney would be and how far it would be visible from within the village and surrounding areas.

The application Y15/0585/SH Dolly Plum Cottage Southenay Lane, Application to discharge the Planning Obligation restricting the Occupation of the Property as a Holiday Let only, as entered into on 27th September 1996 was refused by Shepway.

It was brought to the notice of everyone that the Policy Surgery that visits the village hall car park did not arrive as was expected. However since the PC meeting it was reported that they arrived on Monday 17th. Nigel checks the times on the police website, and it should have come on August 3rd but did not, however it did arrive on the next due date of August 17th, will check the times for future dates and days and will put the information in the Roundup of the village News in the Kentish Express.

On the agenda was an item called 'Ambition Planning' this was placed on the agenda by the Clerk to enable Councillors to think about projects that could be started and or completed during their 4 year term of office. This has produced some very good ideas and a full report will be presented at the next Parish Council meeting for discussion. Each year when your Councillors are looking at the budget, a request is always made to you, as residents, to put forward ideas for projects, therefore if you feel there is something that your Council is not addressing or that you feel should be looked at then do let me know so that I may mention it in the report.

The full report of the Neighbourhood Plan was considered and it was agreed that J Boot would be asked to follow up the questionnaire with families and younger people in the village.

It was noted that people at the higher end of the age bracket was the largest number of respondents, Councillors were disappointed with this, as it was hoped/expected that the younger people in the village would have ideas to put forward on how they would want to see their village in future years.

During the correspondence a letter was read out explaining that the National Express coach from Ramsgate to London is no longer coming through Sellindge to due Operation Stack, if you have been affected by this can you let me know, as the Clerk I have been asked to write a letter of objection and try to find out what is happening. If there are more people who respond it adds weight to the argument to ensure that it is reinstated.

Some of you may have seen the notice outside the Otterpool Quarry Site. Your Council is liaising with officers at Shepway District Council on this issue. At this time it has been noted that Planning Permission is required to use the site as a lorry park and at the time of writing this report there is no valid application in place.

The next Council meeting is on 8th September, and as usual you are always welcome to come along.

Dog Poo Bags – Your Council is still providing these for use free of charge, members consider that this has made a difference to the village.

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.

WEATHER FACTS FOR JULY 2015

Minimum temp. 5.00°C Fri.31st

Mean night temp. 12.81°C

Maximum temp. 34.50°C Wed.1st

Mean day temp. 22.14°C

July was another month this year with un-settled weather. The high temperature of the last days of June followed on into July with 34.50°C (94.1°F) recorded on Wed.1st. From Thur. 2nd temperatures slowly fell and the average by the end of July was 0.5°C down. Rainfall was very low and by Tues.21st there had only been 17.399mm (0.685in) recorded, 28.54% of average. On the evening of Fri.24th the weather from the West arrived with wind and rain and by 9.0 a.m. next morning 37.084mm (1.46in) had been added to the total for the month. This was followed by non-stop rain and wind on Sun.26th.with 12.192mm (0.48in).

The total rainfall from 11 days was 64.675mm (2.625in) 9.37% above average.

FROM YOUR DISTRICT COUNCILLORS

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

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Our North Downs West ward includes Sellindge, Lyminge, Postling, Stelling Minnis, Monks Horton, Stowting and Elmsted and you can see a 'profile' of this ward (and the other 12 wards in Shepway) on the council website at:

<http://www.shepway.gov.uk/your-council/democracy/ward-profiles>

The ward profiles contain a wide variety of information on demographics, housing, health, the local economy; services and community amenities. Some of the data was specially commissioned by Shepway District Council so it may not be publicly available elsewhere in this format and, depending on how useful people find the information, it is planned to review and expand it. Do please have a look and send us any comments or updates you may have.

We hope to use this information to create a shared understanding across the council and community about each ward which will help us plan services and help other public and voluntary/community groups by for example providing data to support grant applications.

Using the ward profiles as a starting point we are also developing a ward plan and in July we met with representatives from the Parish Councils to see if we could find an overall theme. Those who attended thought it was useful to meet one another and found it interesting to have a conversation about common issues. "Improving the appearance of the ward" was the theme that emerged as the consensus. This would involve creating 'gateways' to the villages, dealing with overgrown public areas and village signs where none exist or require attention. It was agreed that each village would look at what needed to be done within the theme. Jenny and Susan would work this into a bid for funds from Shepway and other potential partners. We would aim to work round all the villages as and when funding was available. Other good ideas were raised at the meeting which could be themes for future projects.

Jenny attended the Celebration and Leavers Assembly at Sellindge Primary School and we both wish all Year 6 good wishes at their new schools.

Finally an update on Operation Stack. We often go years between episodes of Operation Stack and its remarkable how quickly things get back to normal afterwards. However, the disruption in July was so prolonged and had such serious impacts on people's lives and businesses that it is considered an issue of national importance. It has been discussed at COBRA (the name stands for Cabinet Office Briefing Room A) where senior members of the government discuss and decide actions to deal with major emergencies. The Prime Minister himself has been involved in the COBRA meetings on Operation Stack and, whilst this means we have attention on the problem and the prospect of funding, it also means that we are likely to have 'solution' imposed that may be unpalatable. Parking lorries on former airport in Manston is only a short term solution and understandably very unpopular locally. The extension of the existing Stop 24 lorry park at Junction 11 of the M20 (which Shepway has been working on for some time as a way of dealing with overnight lorry parking problems) seems certain to go ahead and could provide over 1,000 extra spaces within 18 months. The Prime Minister has demanded that everyone involved (local authorities, Highways England, Kent Police and the Department for Transport) work 'at pace' and announcements are likely soon.

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

The Pop – In is open on Mondays and Wednesdays from 8am to 12 Noon and Tuesdays 8am to 3.00pm, except the Tuesdays when Hi Kent are at the Pop In, that week it will be 4.00pm.

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

Remember, must be the only place where you can get a hot drink for 50p and a good chat.

Tuesday 8th – Hi Kent the Kent charity for the deaf, for advice, serving hearing aids etc from 2pm to 3.30pm.

Tuesday 1st & 22nd – Suzie is in from 10.30am offering File and Polish, Mini Manicure or Classic Manicures.

****NEW**** The Chiropodist will be not be at the Pop In in September, next date October 6th (in the Committee Room) from 8.30am to 1.00pm the cost is £14 for general maintenance and £24 for more through work.

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

****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. 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 see Michael in the Pop – In.

THE GET TOGETHER CLUB

The Get Together Club meet the second Wednesday of each month from 2pm to 4pm in the Durling Hall.

New members are welcome. come along, have a chat and enjoy a cup of Tea and Biscuit and maybe a game of Bingo.

The Get Together Club are holding their ANNUAL JUMBLE SALE in Sellindge Village Hall on the 26th September - 2 pm to 4pm. Home Made Cakes, Raffle and Nearly New will be on sale. as well as the normal jumble items.

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FROM YOUR KCC COUNCILLOR Susan Carey, Member for Elham Valley, KCC –
01303 670 561 or e-mail susan.carey@kent.gov.uk

Have you ever wondered to what sequence the traffic lights under the bridges on the A20 at Sellindge work? A Sellindge resident recently complained that the sensors on the traffic lights only operate at night and that this was causing unnecessary queues of traffic during the day. I asked Kent Highways if this was the case and one of the engineers checked the lights and confirmed that they were working correctly throughout the day and night. However, he added, “The lights are set so when there is no traffic they will rest on a red signal for both approaches. This means that they can react more quickly to a vehicle approaching from either direction. The lights also have sensors in the road to detect traffic. If there is a large enough break in the traffic flow the lights will ‘gap out’ and change to either the opposing demand or to the all red reversion stage if there are no other demands.” My complainant wasn’t convinced so if anyone else has any comments on this, let me know so that I can take them up with Kent Highways. I’ve little to add to the district council report on Operation Stack other than to say the Government has indicated it will meet the costs incurred by KCC such as the food and water handed to those stuck in the queues and the estimated £5.5m in extra costs dealing with the large rise in Unaccompanied Asylum Seeking Children (we had 605 in our care at the end of July compared to around 200 last year). The new security arrangements at Calais do thankfully seem to have stopped further incursions.

You may have heard of the Kent Invicta Award which recognises residents of Kent who have achieved excellence in their chosen field or who have provided an exceptional service to the county and a winner is chosen annually. Last year it went to 27 year old Lizzy Yarnold following her win of a Gold medal at the Winter Olympics. This year it went to 82 year old Sir Robert Worcester who was born in the USA but has lived in Kent for over forty years and done an amazing amount for our County. Sir Robert has been a leading figure in many good causes such as Protect Kent, the Wildfowl and Wetlands Trust, the Worldwide Fund for Nature and consumer protection. He has restored Allington Castle near Maidstone, served as Chancellor of the University of Kent, a non executive director of the Medway Maritime NHS Trust and actively supported numerous good causes here in Kent. He has been the driving force behind the commemoration of the 800th anniversary of Magna Carta which made this year appropriate to acknowledge his achievements. It was my privilege to nominate Sir Robert for the Kent Invicta Award and you can see the presentation and Sir Robert’s witty acceptance speech of the KCC website (the webcast for 18 July). If you have a suggestion for who should receive the next Kent Invicta Award, let me know.

SELLINDGE WOMENS WEDNESDAY LUNCHEON CLUB

The venue for September is The Blacksmiths Arms, The Street, Willesborough on Wednesday September 23rd. 12 Noon for 12.30pm, will members let June Wales know on 01303 814 676 by Wednesday September 16th.

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TREASURE HUNT

On Sunday 20th September, we will be holding a fun Treasure Hunt. It will begin at Sellindge Village Hall at 2pm and take you on a walk around the village looking for the answers to clues. There will be prizes for the best individual, family and team so we would invite you to put a group together or come by yourself and see if you can be the champions! There will also be drinks and refreshments and a raffle at the hall.

Money raised will go to support St. Mary's Church, Sellindge.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

Each year, St. Mary's Church holds a community art and flower festival which culminates in a harvest festival service. We encourage community groups, businesses and individuals of Sellindge to participate and make a flower arrangement to be a part of the festival. We would warmly like to invite you to participate in this year's festival by donating an arrangement which reflects yourself or your organisation. The church will be open on Friday 2nd October for you to make your arrangement in situ or to drop off the arrangement.

The festival will begin on Saturday 3rd October. The church will be open for people to view the flowers and to enjoy a ploughman's lunch.

On Sunday 4th October, we will have our annual Harvest Festival Service at 11am and we cordially invite you to join us for this. Any food donated during this service will be donated to those in need in the village.

If you wish to participate, we would be grateful if you could let us know so we have an indication of how many flowers we will have. You can do this by emailing mary.sage@hotmail.co.uk

SEPTEMBER SERVICES AT YOUR VILLAGE CHURCH

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Dear Friends

The Rectory, Smeeth.

As I write this letter, the crops in the field opposite the Rectory have just been harvested. We watched the ground being prepared and the seeds being sown earlier on this year and during a Family Service, we prayed as the first green shoots began to appear. In the next few days I expect the straw will be baled and the field prepared for whatever crop is coming next.

Over the next few months, the Harvest will be celebrated in all our churches and I expect in many of our schools as well. It is a tradition that is reflected all through the pages of the Bible from the earliest times. It is a reminder of the cycle of life and of the changes in the seasons. It also gives us the opportunity to reflect on the wonder and mystery of life and growth and the way that a plant or a tree can grow and develop from a single tiny seed. Harvest reminds of the abundance of food available in our modern world, but also brings home the sad fact that many people still go hungry. Growing up and living within an agricultural environment, Jesus had quite a lot to say about food and harvests.

He urged his followers to prepare the ground carefully in order to generate firm and lasting faith. He warned against the dangers of greed and in storing up vast quantities of food that could be shared with others rather than go to waste. Although we can find all the variety of food we can ever want or need in our supermarkets all through the year, it is important to take time at this time of the year to give thanks for all that the harvest means to us where we are now. "All good gifts around us are sent from heaven above, so thank the Lord for all His love."

The Bishop has granted our priest, Richard, two months sabbatical leave, during which he hopes to undertake some research into the management of multi-parish benefices. He will be taking this during September and October and will not, in consequence be undertaking clerical duties during that time. Services will continue as usual. Anyone who requires the services of a priest should in the first instance contact. The Rev Ian Campbell, our Associate priest who will be available throughout the Benefice.

Anyone with enquiries or questions may also contact any of the Church Wardens. We wish Richard well in his task.

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Richard Le Rossignol (Priest in Charge) 01303 812 697 Associate Priest : Rev Ian Campbell 01233 501 039

PERSONAL

Mrs Gladys Shepherd resident of Sellindge since 1962, passed away on Sunday August 23rd.

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WHAT'S ON AND WHERE SEPTEMBER 2015 *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
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** 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
CRAFT GROUP – 1.30pm to 3.30pm Sellindge Sports & Social Clubhouse ==NEW==
PULSE – 5.30pm to 6.30pm Sellindge Sports & Social Clubhouse ==NEW==
LINE DANCING – 1pm to 2.45pm Village Hall (Main) – 01303 813 098
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
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*****

- IMPERIAL DOLLS HOUSE CLUB on Tuesday 8th at 7.00pm Village Hall (Committee Room) - - 812 946
PARISH COUNCIL on Tuesday 8th at 7.30pm Village Hall (Durling) - - Chair 07710 260 757 Clerk 01233 720 392
GET TOGETHER CLUB on Wednesday 9th from 2.00pm – 4.00pm Village Hall (Durling) - - 813 454
BABY CLINIC on Monday 14th 2.00pm - 4.00pm at the Sellindge Surgery Appointment only - - 812 616
GARDENERS' ASSOCIATION on Wednesday 16th 7.30pm Village Hall (Durling) – 813 288 or 01843 597 710
ANGEL CENTRE on Wednesday 23rd – 7.30pm to 9.30pm Village Hall (Durling)
SEQUENCE DANCING CLUB on Saturday 26th at 7.30pm – 10.30pm – Village Hall (Main) – 01233 629 815
BABY CLINIC on Monday 28th 2.00pm - 4.00pm at the Sellindge Surgery Walk In Clinic - - 812 616

SATURDAY 5th – TABLE TOP FAIR – MAIN HALL – 9am – 1pm

SUNDAY 6th – LCA AUDITIONS – MAIN HALL – 10am – 1pm

SUN 13th – AFTERNOON TEA – St MARY'S CHURCH – 2pm

SUN 20th – TREASURE HUNT – STARTS VILLAGE HALL – 2pm

**SATURDAY 26th – GET TOGETHER JUMBLE SALE –
MAIN HALL – 2pm to 4pm**

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

SATURDAY 12th – BOOT FAIR – FROM 12 NOON

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

Elected May 2015 – Stanley Bull (Chairman) of Swan Lane, Nigel Fursdon (Vice – Chairman) of Moorstock, Chris Mason of Swan Lane, Miss M Varrier – Smith of Greenfields, Jim Bryant of Downs Way.

Co – Opted May 2015 – Alan Keeves of Lourdes Manor Close.

Co – Opted July 2015 – Tina Osborne of Stone Hill and Janet Tritton 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 Cllrs – J Hollingsbee 01303 812 066 S Carey – 01303 670 561

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 mob – Nick Hazel 07980 965 439 59007@kent.pnn.police.uk Info only



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

POLICE CONTACT – MONS September 14th & 28th (TBC) 3.30pm to 4.30pm non emergency 101

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

KCC COMMUNITY WARDEN John Lodge – contact details to follow

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. *SEPTEMBER* 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 2nd, 16th and 30th – 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


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