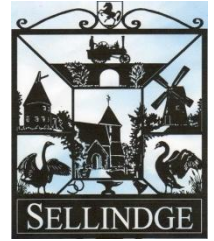


SELLINDGE VILLAGE NEWS

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APOLOGIES FOR THE LATENESS OF THE AUGUST ISSUE

Due to the forthcoming non – statutory consultation on the proposed lorry holding area, the August issue of the Sellindge Village News was held back, in an attempt to get the consultation exhibition dates and times. However despite the consultation period starting this Friday August 5th to September 16th, there is still no confirmed dates or times. All that known at the present time, is that the new dates that Village Hall has been provisionally booked is Friday August 19th and Friday September 2nd, no times have been given, and dates are not confirmed. Once confirmed information is available posters will be put in all notice boards and on Facebook. *Nigel*

SELLINDGE VILLAGE HALL TABLE TOP FAIR

Registered Charity 302833

Saturday August 6th 2016 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 September 3rd 2016.

AFTERNOON BOOT FAIR

Saturday August 13th at the Sports and Social Club in Swan Lane -- £5 per pitch – starts 11am. (Weather permitting).

SPONSORED WALK

Maisie Martin of Swan Lane would like to say thank you to everyone who sponsored her helping to raise £614.00 for the RNLI. Maisie goes to Stowting School and walked, accompanied by her parents from Stowting School to Dover Life Boat Station on a very wet Sunday in June in just over 6 ¼ hours. The Total raised by the School was £4,000.

QUEENS 90th BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS AT THE VILLAGE HALL

My family and I would like to thank everyone who organised the Celebration of the Queen's 90th Birthday.

The King and Queen's Car Park Party together with all the volunteers who worked extremely hard to make it a 'Day to Remember'. We really enjoyed it. *Mrs Maureen Meedy*

SELLINDGE GARAGE SAFARI 2016

Sunday SEPTEMBER 11th 2016 9am - 1pm or 'whenever you decide to stop'

Sell your unwanted items without the hassle of loading the car. Simply put or lay your items in your garage or on a table on your driveway or even your lawn.

This year, homes in outlying areas of the Village such as Moorstock and Coopers Lane are invited to set their garage sale up in the Village Hall Car Park if they wish.

To be added to our Garage Safari Map contact Sellindge Parish Council on 01303 813 271, or e-mail sellindge-parishcouncil@btconnect.com or fill in the form below, take to the Sellindge Parish Council office at the rear of the Village Hall by Noon Tuesday August 30th. There is an entrance fee of £5 (more if you wish). Houses taking part will be given a small sign and some balloons to place outside their house.

Maps, showing all the garages taking part, will be on sale for £2 the week before from the Parish Council Office.

The entrance fee to be paid in at the Parish Council Office by Tuesday September 6th, which is open Tuesday 9am to Noon and Friday 3pm to 6pm or if you wish a Parish Councillor will come to you to collect your entrance fee, if arrange in advance with the Parish Council Office on 01303 813 271, e-mail sellindge-parishcouncil@btconnect.com

Entrance fee and map fees all in aid of The Sellindge Community Fund Charity.

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Sellindge Village Garage Safari Application Form

Name of Householder: _____

Address taking part: _____

Sellindge Garage Safari 2016

Tel number: _____

e-mail _____

SELLINDGE PARISH COUNCIL www.sellindgepc.kentparishes.gov.uk  @ParishSellindge

Your Council met on 12th July for their usual monthly meeting. Items discussed had the normal headings:

Update on Action Sheet – There were more potholes listed on the highways action sheet, and one pothole which had been listed as being repaired and is still outstanding, so this will be highlighted again.

Open Session – There were various issues raised. It should be noted, that if you have the need to raise issues with the Parish Council the office is open on Tuesday mornings and Friday afternoons. Also if you are unable to attend at that those times, appointments to visit the office can be made.

District and KCC Councillors – Both Jenny and Susan attended the meeting and gave detailed reports, as is the normal practice these will be elsewhere in the Newsletter.

Planning – your Council supported two applications Y16/0677/SH and Y16/0679/SH both for tree works on trees with tree preservation orders outside Hillside Villas and The Cedars.

By now you some of you will have seen the proposed development plans, being put forward by Quinn Estates. Your Council had an open evening a week later and so far to date 29 of the information sheets have been returned.

Defibrillators – It is expected that by the time this Newsletter is circulated two defibrillators will have been delivered. It will then be for them to be fixed, one is going on the village hall wall and the other is being placed on the Sports and Social Club wall. Training will be taking place so please look on the notice boards for dates. A big thank you to our local Parish charity the E Sedgewick and Sarah Godfrey Trust for funding the cost of these.

Post Office closure – Your Council was made aware that the Post office is to be closed while refurbishment take place at the Co-op. Once the dates are confirmed your Council will be arranging for transport to other nearby Post Offices for those unable to get to them. Again this information will be made public.

The Next meeting will be on Tuesday 9th August, Durling Hall at 7.30pm. Please note the new website address for Sellindge Parish Council is <http://www.sellindge-pc.gov.uk> The old website will also be maintained.

FROM YOUR KCC COUNCILLOR Susan Carey, Elham Valley Ward. susan.carey@kent.gov.uk 01303 670 561
Transport Secretary Patrick McLoughlin (now replaced by Chris Grayling) announced on 06 July that the proposed 3,600 place lorry holding area would be at the Stanford West site. Highways England require no permission from Kent County Council for the works but (as with Shepway) we are pressing them for more information, soft and hard landscaping to reduce the harm and a proper compensation package for those affected.

Turning to the BREXIT vote, the combined County Council area voted 58%-42% in favour of leaving. In Shepway the vote was 62%-38% in favour of leaving on a 75% turnout.

On 24 June, the day after the referendum, we had a prescheduled meeting of the Superannuation Fund Committee which oversees £4.6 billion of investments (valuation 31/03/16) that go towards paying the pensions of Council employees (NB Councillors do not get pensions). It was thought the fund had lost about £250m in value in the fall across the stockmarket that morning but such was the volatility that morning that it bounced back about £100m in a matter of hours. Schroders, one of our major fund managers, was with us for the meeting and reminded everyone that investments for pensions are for the long term and that whilst we might want to review our current strategy in a year's time we should not react to short term turmoil. The pension fund has now more than recovered and stood at £4.76bn at the end of June.

We have also reviewed our cash deposits but again have been advised that current arrangements are fine. Anyone who wants to see where we deposit reserves and other cash we hold can find the various treasury management reports that go to the Government and Audit Committee and to the County Council on the KCC website.

Then there are the grants that we have or hope to have from the EU. We have several projects already running which are EU funded or part funded (we usually have to match fund the amount we receive). At present the UK is still a member of the EU and still paying into the pot so we should still be able to bid for funding. Some EU funded programmes already include countries that are not part of the EU and it will still make sense in areas of training trade and jobs that we continue to work with our European neighbours.

At our most recent County Council meeting on 14 July the question of the border arrangements between the UK and France was raised in the light of the Mayor of Calais' request for the UK frontier controls to be removed from Calais (and presumably the French controls from Folkestone and Dover). These juxtaposed frontier controls were set up by Le Touquet agreement, between the national governments of the UK and France and is not dependent on membership of the EU. The current French Foreign minister has refused the request of Mayor but some of the candidates for the 2017 presidential elections in France have also raised the prospect of withdrawing from the agreement. There has to be a two year notice period and KCC is looking at contingency plans should this happen, we will be working with the Home Office on this.

On 01 July I took part in the Education and Young People's Services Cabinet Committee where we considered the results of the public consultation on the proposal to expand Sellindge Primary School. The school currently has a capacity of 105 places but it was reported it had 116 pupils on roll and even without the new housing the school was not big enough to cope with demand from the village. The plan to extend the school by 105 places funded in part by KCC and by a payment £836,000 and provision of additional land by the developer of the new houses planned for the site opposite the school. Just three written responses to the consultation were received and all were in favour and I too was happy to support the proposal.

SELLINDGE WOMENS WEDNESDAY LUNCHEON CLUB –

Venue for August – The Hop Pocket, Bossingham on Wednesday 24th. 12 Noon for 12.30pm.

Let June Wales know on 01303 814 676 by Wednesday 17th if they will be attending.

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 01303 670 561

Stanford West has been announced as the site chosen for the 3,600 place lorry holding area. Highways England require no planning permission from Shepway District Council to go ahead with the scheme. As we write this newsletter (21 July) no detailed plans have been made available although Highways England have contacted around 60 householders who are expected to be most affected. We believe the Stanford West site is the ‘least bad’ of the two options that Highways England put forward as it will provide direct access to and from the motorway for the lorries. However, Highways England need to do far more to share their plans and especially the arrangements for landscaping, noise control and above all a far better compensation scheme than the normal blight arrangements. We have made these views known to them both directly and through the Shepway officers.

Some people have asked if the lorry holding area will still go ahead. George Osborne did say that funding for the lorry holding area might be withdrawn if there was a BREXIT vote but he is no longer Chancellor and all indications are that Highways England will proceed with the scheme especially as the response to the public consultation showed a majority of people either strongly in support (44%) or (13%) in support. 29% were strongly opposed, 5% opposed, 3% were neither in support or opposed (the balance of 8% did not answer this question).

There were 1,279 responses to the questionnaire so not everyone in Sellindge and Stanford (around 1,600 residents) can have responded. (We each sent an individual response.) A full breakdown of the responses on gov.uk website.

On Otterpool Park we can report that at our last full Council meeting on 20 July the leader of the opposition group, UKIP, welcomed the proposal for a garden town in principle and promised it would be subject to scrutiny. David Monk, Leader of the Council, confirmed that Otterpool Park would precede either as a Government approved Garden Town or through the normal Local Plan process. We too support Otterpool Park because we need homes and jobs and we believe it is better to provide them in a planned way rather than piecemeal a field here or open space there. With Shepway as a major landowner in Otterpool Park we will be able to ensure the infrastructure and design is the highest quality and meets local needs. We would also like to remind people that if Otterpool Park was not going ahead KCC would be building a lorry park on flat open space by Junction 11 near Westenhanger (was authorised autumn 2014).

The Expression of Interest that Shepway sent to the Government for a Garden Town at Otterpool should now be available on the Council website. Comments and questions can be sent to otterpool@shepway.gov.uk

We both attended the Sellindge Parish Council meeting on 12 July and we have asked the Parish Councillors to look at plans to improve the entrance to the village at Barrow Hill. This would be funded through our Shepway ward plan which aims to improve the appearance of the district.

Jenny attended a ceremony at the Memorial Arch, Folkestone to mark the 100th anniversary of the Battle of the Somme on 01 July placing a small cross to mark the names of soldiers from our area who fought and died in this battle including Private George Dryland, Station Cottages, Westenhanger, Corporal Frank Rendall and Private William Andrews both of Monks Horton.

Jenny also attended the Celebration and Leavers Assembly at Sellindge Primary School and would like to wish the Headteacher, Helen Baxter a long and happy retirement and thank her for all she has done for the children and Community over the last 10 years.

Jenny is due to see Matthew Scott our new Police and Crime Commissioner on 24 August so if you have any issues you’d like her to raise then do contact her. Matthew is also very happy to hear from people directly (Susan has already spoken to him about speeding, the more of us that do this the further up the Kent Police priority list it will go).

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.

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 2nd & TBC – Suzie will be in offering File and Polish, Mini Manicure or Classic Manicures.

Tuesday 9th – Hi Kent the Kent charity for the deaf, for advice, serving hearing aids etc from 2pm to 3.30pm.

Tuesday 16th – East Kent Foot Care will be at the Pop In (in the Committee Room) from 8.30am to 1.00pm the cost is 8.30am to 1.00pm the cost is £14 for general maintenance and £24 for more through work.

*** 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.

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.

WEATHER FACTS FOR JUNE 2016

Minimum temp. 7.50°C Sun.19th.

Mean night temp. 11.87°C

Maximum temp. 25.00°C Tues.7th, Thurs 23rd.

Mean day temp. 19.96°

The weather in June was not a very welcome start to the summer, both wet and windy and down on sunshine hours. The first 4 days were cloudy with wind from the North-east and rain on Wed.1st. After 2 days of sunshine, on the evening of Tues.7th the wind increased and a storm with strong winds and rain hit Kent. By the morning of the 8th over 50% of a June average rainfall had been recorded. A further 17 days had rain, the total being 104.648mm (4.12in) some 115.7% above a June average. Not a record for Sellindge which is 142.47mm (5.625in) recorded in 2007. Temperatures were 0.71°down on average although nights were 0.78°up.

SELLINDGE SPORTS and SOCIAL CLUB www.sellindgeclub.co.uk

Boot Fair The date of the next Boot Fair, it's to be held on the August 13th (weather permitting) at the Sellindge Sports & Social Club in Swan Lane, £5 per pitch, set up starts at 11.00am

Late Summer Fun Show at the Club to be held on Sunday August 28th.

This show is open to all villagers and club members and the emphasis is on fun so come along and join in.

ENTRY RULES AND CLASSIFICATION FOR OUR FUN FLOWER, VEGETABLE AND CAKE COMPETITION ARE AS FOLLOWS

All entries should arrive between 11.30am and 1pm when judging will take place. At which time the room will be closed to the public and will reopen for viewing between 2.45pm and 3pm. All entries must remain in the show room until 4 pm for viewing. The cost is only £1 for every 5 entries you have or part there of.

(up to 55 entries per person) Only one entry per category.

Categories as follows:

1	1 Victoria Sandwich (Filled with jam only, any variety between 7" and 8" round). Jam – can be bought	29	1 Flowering Pot plant
2	5 Fruit scones (any fruit)	30	1 Foliage Pot plant
3	1 Apple pie (any size)	31	1 Orchid in a pot
4	1 Lemon drizzle cake (any size or shape)	32	5 Raspberries
5	4 Cup Cakes	33	5 Blackberries
6	1 Fruit cake (any size or shape but must not be decorated)	34	3 Cooking apples
7	3 Cheese scones	35	3 Dessert apples
8	Chocolate cake (can be filled but not decorated)	36	5 Plums
9	Short Bread (any shape or size)	37	3 Pears
10	5 Sausage rolls – Sausage meat can bought	38	A plate of any fruit
11	5 Cheese straws	39	3 Parsnips
12	A hand knitted item	40	5 Runner beans
13	An item of needlework	41	7 French beans
14	A crocheted item	42	5 Potatoes
15	A photograph of a building	43	3 Courgettes
16	A photograph of the weather	44	3 Carrots (tops trimmed)
17	Any other craft	45	1 Beetroot (top trimmed)
18	A painting (any medium)	46	3 sticks of Rhubarb (leaves trimmed)
19	A Floral arrangement in a cup and saucer - Can be home grown or purchased flowers	47	5 Onion sets
20	Kids section garden 40cm x 25 cm - Can be made from anything including arts and crafts material	48	5 Shallots
21	3 Stems of Chrysanthemum (any variety)	49	3 Leeks (tops trimmed)
22	1 Specimen decorative or cactus Dahlia	50	5 Tomatoes
23	1 Stem large flowered Rose	51	8 Cherry tomatoes
24	1 Vase of any variety of 5 Rose stems	52	3 Different specimen vegetables
25	3 Stems of Dahlia (any variety)	53	Heaviest Marrow
26	1 Vase mixed flowers (annuals and/or perennials)	54	Longest Runner bean
27	1 Vase Annuals	55	Odd shaped fruit or vegetable
28	1 Vase Perennials		

21-28 – Must be home grown (or allotment)

29 to 31 – Must have been owned by the exhibitor for at least 10 weeks

32 – 55 - Must be home grown (or allotment) with the exception of 33 which may be gathered from the wild
Competitors should supply their own vases - The judge's decision is final.

SELLINDGE GARDENERS' ASSOCIATION

Our trip to Lullingstone Castle & the Lavender Farm on the 16th July by coach was enjoyed by all the members who came on such a lovely summer's day.

On SUNDAY 14th AUGUST Club Members are reminded we are holding our ANNUAL SUMMER SHOW in the Village Hall. (Doors will be open to the General Public at 2-30 p.m.)

The next evening meeting on Wednesday 17th in the Durling Hall 7-15pm for 7-30pm we will be discussing the success of the SUMMER SHOW.

The Garden Club are still eager to recruit some new Members for our evening meeting's so why not come along, you are under no obligation to join and you will get a free cuppa and biscuit. You will be most welcome.

SELLINDGE NEWS DELIVERIES (VACANCIES)

There is a small number of Sellindge News delivery vacancies, so if you would like to do your bit for the community. Coopers Lane – this is a round of 17 copies

Dear Friends

The Rectory, Smeeth

On the morning that the result of the Referendum was announced, Alex and I were on holiday in Sicily. Our own personal feelings were of surprise, shock and sadness. We certainly wondered what sort of reaction we would evoke when we went to get our breakfast in the hotel restaurant. We were, however, greeted with the usual 'bongiorno' and asked if we still wanted two Americano coffees. This was in spite of the fact that the previous morning I had caused a certain amount of chaos and confusion by forgetting that the mobile phone in my pocket was still turned to alarm mode and was transmitting loud piercing sounds through the TV system.

That morning now seems a long time ago and a lot has happened since, but it will certainly be one that we will always remember. A great deal of uncertainty may lie ahead as the implications and effects of that decision begin to emerge. Throughout life, we are often faced with situations that may not have been our ideal choice – passing or failing a driving test or exam; getting or not getting a new job; discovering that a close relationship seems to be coming to an end. In so many circumstances we may find ourselves asking where God is in all this and what his will is for us. More often than not we are unable to change the results and have to find our way through the unexpected. This may often be difficult and tiring, but at the same time it can be challenging and offer new opportunities. God is very much a God of surprises, so in a sense it should not come as much of a surprise when initially things do not seem to be going in quite the way we might have hoped.

The day after the Referendum vote, our own Bishop of Dover issued the following statement, to which I hope will can all say Amen :

"This decision has challenged much of our well established political rhetoric and practice. The closeness of the vote reveals strongly held views on the right way forward for our country but now we must begin the vital process of coming together. Whatever our views on Europe, we have a duty to continue to bear with one another in love, to seek to welcome the stranger and care for the refugee whatever our future immigration policies. Let us pray for grace and wisdom for the tasks that lie ahead."

With Best wishes Richard

SERVICES for AUGUST

Sunday 7th August 11.00 am Celebration Service Village Hall - *Bring a friend and come and meet my friend.*

21st August 11.00 am Celebration Party in the Church - *Everyone welcome to come and enjoy a new venture.*

28th August 11.00 am Parish Communion - *Traditional Communion service – all welcome.*

Please feel free to contact either myself, Richard, on 01303 812 697 or Ian on 01233 501 039 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

PERSONAL

Patrick McDonnell

Iris would like to thank everyone for their kind cards and words of condolence following the loss of Patrick. Who will be sorely missed.

Mr Farmer

Sylvia and Kerry Ann Farmer wish to thank Sellindge Surgery especially Diane and Lucy for their kindness to both of us, when we needed it most. Also friends and neighbours for their cards and sympathy.

Over £500 was collected and donated to Prostrate Cancer UK.

WHAT'S ON AND WHERE AUGUST 2016 *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
PILATES – 10.15am – 11.15am – Village Hall (Main) -07543 543 373 vsaker@hotmail.com
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** SELLINDGE BABY & TODDLER GROUP – 9.15am – 11.30am Village Hall (Main) – 01303 812 262
NHS EAST KENT HEALTHWALKS – 10.15am Village hall car park – 01303 814 014
PULSE – 5.30pm to 6.30pm Sellindge Sports & Social Clubhouse
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 – 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 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
- 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) ****NEW****
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 8th 2.00pm - 4.00pm at the Sellindge Surgery Appointment only - - 812 616
IMPERIAL DOLLS HOUSE CLUB on Tuesday 9th at 7.00pm Village Hall (Committee Room) - - 812 946
PARISH COUNCIL on Tuesday 9th at 7.30pm Village Hall (Durling) - - Chair 07710 260 757 Clerk 01303 813 271
GET TOGETHER CLUB on Wednesday 10th from 2.00pm – 4.00pm Village Hall (Durling) - - 813 454
GARDENERS' ASSOCIATION on Wednesday 17th 7.30pm Village Hall (Durling) – 813 288 or 01843 597 710
BABY CLINIC on Monday 22nd 2.00pm - 4.00pm at the Sellindge Surgery Walk In Clinic - - 812 616
ANGEL CENTRE on Wednesday 24th – 7.30pm to 9.30pm Village Hall (Durling)
SEQUENCE DANCING CLUB on Saturday 27th at 7.30pm – 10.30pm – Village Hall (Main) – 01233 629 815

SATURDAY 6th – TABLE TOP FAIR - MAIN HALL – 9am – 1pm

**SUNDAY 14th – SELLINDGE GARDENERS' SUMMER SHOW –
VILLAGE HALL – 2.20pm**

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

SATURDAY 13th – AFTERNOON BOOT FAIR – from 12 NOON

SUNDAY 28th – LATE SUMMER FUN SHOW

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 AUGUST 2016

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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 Morgan Varrier – Smith of Greenfields.

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

Co-Opted May 2016 – Ms Julie 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

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

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



POLICE CONTACT – MONS MAY (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

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

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

Thursday – 9.15am to 9.45 am A20 Hythe lay – by near Swan Lane.

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