

# GRAPEVINE

Capel-le-Ferne Village Newsletter

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## Youth Club Quiz Night



Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October  
Capel School from 7pm

Have fun & support your Youth Clubs' annual fundraiser  
Bring your own drinks and snacks  
Teams of 6 - £4 Adults & £1.50 Kids  
Raffle donations always appreciated – helps to raise funds and makes the raffle more fun!

Book your table in advance – Call or Txt Simon 07860 803767  
Or just turn up on the night





## Autumn Jumble Sale

In Aid of

### The Royal Marsden Cancer Research Funds

will be held on

**Saturday, October 12<sup>th</sup> at 2.00pm**  
**Capel-le-Ferne Village Hall**  
 Lancaster Avenue, Capel-le-Ferne. CT18 7LX

**Admission 20p**  
 Refreshments, cake and plant stalls. Raffle and Tombola.

*"Please give your support for such a worthy cause"*






Any Jumble or Bric-a-brac can be taken to the hall on the day in the morning.  
 Phone: 01303 254740 Mobile: 07949546011



## Fireworks Night

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November

Capel-Le-Ferne Primary School  
 Doors Open @ 6pm  
 Fireworks Start @ 7pm

Hot food/drinks, tuck shop and flashy toys available  
 (Last orders for hot food @ 6.45pm)

Tickets can be purchased in advance from PFA members from 28<sup>th</sup> Oct - 1<sup>st</sup> Nov @ drop off & pick up times in the school playground

Adults: £5 or £5.50 on the night  
 Children: £4 or £4.50 on the night  
 Family ticket: £15  
 (Family tickets, 2 adults & 2 children or 1 adult & 3 children are only available in advance)  
 Children under 4 go FREE

Parents and Friends Association  
 Capelpfa@outlook.com / 01303 251353



## Capel-le-Ferne Preschool

07977838609

# Children's Halloween Disco



**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2019**  
 3.00pm – 5.00pm  
 The Village Hall  
 Lancaster Avenue  
**£3.00 per child**  
 Refreshments available



### "WHAT'S ON" IN CAPEL-LE-FERNE

*If you know details of your event in advance, please let Editor know so organisations avoid booking same date*

5 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Youth Club Quiz Evening
8 <sup>th</sup> Oct	WI Gentle Keep Fit
11 <sup>th</sup> Oct	7.30pm Carousel - performing at St Radigund's Church.
12 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Cancer Research Jumble Sale
12 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Harvest Supper @ St Radigund's Church
24 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Children's Halloween Disco
1 <sup>st</sup> Nov	FIREWORK DISPLAY @ SCHOOL, CAPEL STREET
9 <sup>th</sup> Nov	7.30pm Days Gone By - performing at St Radigund's Church
12 <sup>th</sup> Nov	WI Annual Meeting
19 <sup>th</sup> Dec	WI Christmas meeting
31 <sup>st</sup> Dec	NEW YEAR'S EVE CELEBRATIONS @ VILLAGE HALL

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Well autumn is upon us and at the time of writing at least, the weather is still extremely pleasant. Inspired by this, the Village Hall Committee is still working on general maintenance for the hall and ensuring everything is spick and span for the winter– the curtains which were taken down before the main hall was painted, have been cleaned and put back. While the old bench seat outside the Hall, which had admittedly seen better days, will be replaced by a new one which should, with care, last us for some time. For all those supporters of the Hall, you might want to check out the inscription. While speaking of the Hall, painting arrangements have been made to take up the new tape marking the badminton court as it is impacting on the bowls club. We are in consultation about what to do next about the line markings as the old ones were very tatty. There are organisations that can do them professionally but the cost is prohibitive and so we are unlikely to do this until the new floor has been laid in the main hall. At the same time, we are discussing ideas on the future of the Hall. These include possibilities for expansion, specified rooms for hall users, running training courses on everything from computers to food hygiene, having a dedicated hall manager available on site, extra storage etc. If you have thoughts please feel free to share them

with the hall committee; you can reach us on [eures1994@yahoo.com](mailto:eures1994@yahoo.com).

The Garage Safari appears to have been a huge success. Lots of people turned out, both stallholders and prospective buyers, encouraged by the weather and we've had lots of lovely positive comments about the event bringing the community closer together. We were so busy at the Hall, that we ran out of food by twenty to one! This was primarily because the people supplying bacon and sausage butties were unable to come at the last minute which meant that the hall kitchen was serving food from 8 o'clock onwards. Apologies to those who missed out, but next year we will have more food including breakfast rolls and more people to assist. Plans for the New Year's Eve party are well under way and those needing tickets should contact Tracy on 07787174336 or at [travenhall@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:travenhall@hotmail.co.uk). We have had one or two enquiries asking about a Christmas Craft Fair this year. The Committee has no plans to hold one this year but if you are interested in organising one, then please feel free to contact Sally Cook at [eures1994@yahoo.com](mailto:eures1994@yahoo.com). In the same way we are just starting our planning for next year's Village Fete. If you have any ideas or would like to take part, then contact Tracy and Sally who would be delighted to hear from you.

### **The 100+ Club is due for renewal/new members WINNERS OF 100+ CLUB SEPTEMBER**

1<sup>st</sup>: Tony Lake

2<sup>nd</sup> Jean Jeffrey. 3<sup>rd</sup> Lyn & Jean

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donate clean newspapers or meaty wet/dry cat food,



it would be really appreciated.

THANK YOU





## CHURCH SERVICES, October 2019

Date	Alkham	Capel	Hougham
<b>Sunday 6<sup>th</sup></b> <b>16<sup>th</sup> after Trinity</b>	<b>Evensong 6.30 pm</b>	<b>Eucharist 9.30 am</b>	<b>Worshipping Together</b> <b>11am</b>
<b>Saturday 12<sup>th</sup></b> <i>Fun, fellowship and food – please let Pam (01303 489006) or Brian (01303 243784) know if you plan to come.</i>		 <b>(St Radigund's)</b> <b>3.00 – 5.00 pm</b>	
<b>Sunday 13<sup>th</sup></b> <b>HARVEST FESTIVAL</b> 	<b>Eucharist 9.30 am</b>	<b>HARVEST FESTIVAL</b> <b>11 am</b>	<b>HARVEST FESTIVAL</b> <b>(West Hougham Village Hall) - 4.00 pm</b> <i>followed by Harvest Supper</i>
<b>Sunday 20<sup>th</sup></b> <b>18<sup>th</sup> after Trinity</b>	<b>Worshipping Together</b> <b>11am</b>	<b>Evensong 6.00 pm</b>	<b>Eucharist</b> <b>9:30 am</b>
<b>Sunday 27<sup>th</sup></b> <b>Last after Trinity</b>	<b>Benefice Eucharist (with Prayer Ministry after Communion) 10.00 am</b>		
<b>Visit us online at: <a href="http://www.church-alkham-capel-hougham.org.uk">www.church-alkham-capel-hougham.org.uk</a></b>			

## From the vicarage

While visiting Durham recently, even I was surprised to encounter a funeral procession, apparently making its way through a shopping centre.

In fact, it was a full-size bronze sculpture of some monks carrying the body of St Cuthbert. Cuthbert led a life of prayer and simplicity on Lindisfarne, just off the Northumbrian coast. When he died in 687 his brother monks buried his body at the monastery there.

Now when it comes to sending someone on their way from this world, many settle for some kind words and tracks from a favourite CD – but not these monks! They soon built Cuthbert a splendid new tomb, and on moving his body found that it had not decayed at all – a sure sign of great saintliness. Pilgrims began flocking to his shrine – but so, too, did Viking raiders.

The monks fled, taking their most precious possessions - including Cuthbert's body – first to Chester-Le-Street, then to Ripon. The story goes that as they were returning to Chester-Le-Street the saint appeared to one of the brothers in a vision, demanding that his remains be buried on the spot overlooking the River Wear where Durham Cathedral now stands.

There's a charming video online, worth watching, which uses LEGO figures to tell the story of Cuthbert and Durham Cathedral. It's a great story, but one that I find humbling - it reminds me that my own attempts at prayer, simplicity and saintliness still very much works in progress.

Mind you, I do like the thought of my sorrowing parishioners carrying my remains around the parish when I finally go to my Eternal Home, waiting for a sign as to which churchyard to bury it in. But they're more likely to just make a cup of tea, and go home... *Brian*

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# ST RADIGUND'S CHURCH CAPEL

PRESENTS

# CAROUSEL



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AT

7.30PM

ON

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SATURDAY, 12TH OCTOBER

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7.00pm

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We look forward to your company.

On Saturday 9th of November Days Gone By will be returning to Capel for yet another great evening of 60's music at 7.30pm in St Radigunds Church, Albany Road, Capel which is a perfect venue for this event.

This year you can singalong; dance; or just listen and it will only cost you £7.

Days Gone By regularly play to sell out audiences in Sellindge Village Hall, Hythe Band Stand; Sene Valley Golf Club and many other venues and we are delighted that they are returning to Capel this year after several years.

Their lead guitarist is Brian 'Boz' Leggett, who was lead guitarist for The Sundowners, who many of you will remember were the main local resident band at The Leas Cliff Hall many years ago.

The first gig they performed in Capel followed a two-coach trip that I ran to London to see Dreamboats and Petticoats, which was an unexpected smash hit on the London stage. Boz was on my coach and I played a cd of Dreamboats and Petticoats on the coach coming home and everyone sang along all the way home. It was such a success that Boz offered to put on a sing a long gig for us in Capel and it was a sell-out, we had to find another 13 chairs in addition to the 100 already there in St Radigunds church.

The next time they came they made it a dance evening and that was very well attended as well.

Tickets can be requested from me John Oliver by phone on 01303 251403 or e mail to [johne.oliver22@gmail.com](mailto:johne.oliver22@gmail.com). Do it now to be sure of getting tickets. John Oliver



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Children's

# Halloween

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## Preachers for October 2019

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13<sup>th</sup> Rev Ruddle  
20<sup>th</sup> Richard Blackwell  
27<sup>th</sup> Greg Marlam

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## CAPEL-LE-FERNE PARISH COUNCIL

### Summary of some items discussed at meeting on Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> September



#### • Requests from public to address the Council, plus Surgery and Other Feedback:

- 1) Concerns on speeding and housing in Capel Street.
- 2) Drop kerbs required at Village Hall.
- 3) Damaged footpath Village to Royal Oak North side.

#### • Traffic Management:

- 1) Still waiting KCC Highways to install roundels.
- 2) Earth bund Winehouse Lane/Old Dover Road, paid and waiting KCC Highways installation.
- 3) Alterations to traffic flow on Dover Hill to be addressed by KCC Highways following meeting of Councillors, County Councillor Dick Pascoe and representative of Highway.

#### • Village Action Plan:

- 1) Councillors continue to address priorities set.

#### • Neighbourhood Watch:

- 1) Parking on double yellow lines discussed, especially in Capel Street, resulting in blocking the road.
- 2) Village Resilience Plan still being worked on.
- 3) Lighthouse Inn & Restaurant reply from English Heritage, declined listing the building at moment unless a planning application to develop happens. Community Asset status ongoing and waiting reply from DDC on a question of liability issues.
- 4) Hedges along New Dover Road overgrown on to footpaths have been reported.

#### • Planning

- 1) Landscaping underway to public space on Land South New Dover Road (Jarvis Homes).
- 2) The status of all other applications was reported and full details are available on: Dover District Council website: <https://www.dover.gov.uk>

>Planning>Applications>View-Applications>Decisions

#### • Recreation and Other Equipment:

- 1) Equipment status received – repairs required reported.
- 2) New Signs, boundary security and CCTV Upgraded proposed and quotes received were agreed by all present. Planning application to be submitted.

#### • Public Rights of Way:

- 1) 2<sup>nd</sup> Trimming and tidying all done.
- 2) Edge Jarvis Homes development being monitored, including a better point of access across meadow area. • Speed Watch: See page 18 for sessions.

#### • Capel Cares: Progressing well. • Other:

- 1) 26 of 39 properties now occupied in George Close.
- 2) Reports from District Councillor James Rose and County Councillors Geoff Lymer received.
- 3) Notice of Conclusion received from Auditors for accounts 2018-2019. No issues raised. Thanks, were expressed by Councillors to Clerk/Responsible Finance Officer.

Next Parish Council meeting is Tuesday, 15<sup>th</sup> October, 7.30pm,  
Village Hall (Small Room), Lancaster Avenue.

A COPY OF MINUTES and MEETING AGENDAS ARE  
AVAILABLE ON THE PARISH COUNCIL WEBSITE

<http://www.capel-le-fernepc.kentparishes.gov.uk/>

ALL PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO THE  
PUBLIC. IF YOU WISH TO ATTEND TO ADDRESS THE  
COUNCILLORS, PLEASE INFORM CLERK.

Further information on any of the above or to contact Parish  
Council, please write to Parish Clerk,

39 Victoria Road, Capel-le-Ferne or Tel: 01303 259564.

Email: [clerkcapellefernepc@btinternet.com](mailto:clerkcapellefernepc@btinternet.com)

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GRAPEVINE NEWSLETTERS IS INCLUDED ON PARISH  
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FAMILY WISH TO BE INCLUDED IN THE PARISH COUNCIL  
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CONTACT THE PARISH CLERK  
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**Next Session, Tuesday, 15<sup>th</sup> October**

Is there an issue you wish to  
discuss with your Parish Council?  
A Councillor and the Parish Clerk  
will be available on  
the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month  
10AM to 12:30PM

At The Farmers' Market  
in the Store Room, adjacent to Entrance  
(Old Post Office Room)  
Capel-le-Ferne Village Hall,  
Lancaster Avenue,  
Capel-le-Ferne, CT18 7LX

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**Following the recent  
Uncontested Election  
for the Parish Council  
TWO (2)  
CASUAL VACANCIES  
EXIST FOR CO-OPTION  
AS PARISH COUNCILLOR**

ANYONE INTERESTED IN APPLYING  
SHOULD WRITE TO  
THE PARISH CLERK  
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# Samphire Dog Training Club



**Classes held in Capel-le-Ferne Church/Village Hall**

**Monday 7.45pm:** Heelwork to Music Demonstration Team Practice

**Monday 8.15pm:** Advanced Obedience

**Thursday 7.30pm:** Mixed Ability KC Good Citizen All Levels

**Thursday 8.15pm:** KC Puppy Course and Newcomer KC Good Citizen All Levels



**We would love to hear from you**

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Website: [www.samphiredogtrainingclubcapel.co.uk](http://www.samphiredogtrainingclubcapel.co.uk)

# Samphire Dog Training Club

**EXCITING NEWS—DISCOVER DOGS 2019**

Your local dog training club is excited to announce that it's Display Team will be performing it's heel work to music formation routine at Discover Dogs 2019 – London's Biggest Dog Event. The event is being held at the London Ex-CeL on 12 and 13 October 2019.

The 13 display team members are all part of the Club and are participating in the Kennel Club's Good Citizen Dog Scheme. Classes are held at Capel Village Hall and St Radigund's Church Hall on Monday and Thursday evenings respectively.



**If you're interested in joining the club, please contact us:**

Join or Message our Facebook page: Samphire Dog Training Club

Email: [samphiredogtrainingclubcapel@gmail.com](mailto:samphiredogtrainingclubcapel@gmail.com)

Website: [www.samphiredogtrainingclubcapel.co.uk](http://www.samphiredogtrainingclubcapel.co.uk)

## **Paul Carter announces he will be standing down as Leader of Kent County Council**

This statement is to announce my intention to stand down as the Leader of Kent County Council. The Conservative Group will elect a new Group Leader at the Conservative Group AGM on 4<sup>th</sup> October. The new Leader will be appointed and take over at the County Council meeting on 17<sup>th</sup> October.

After 14 years as Leader of Kent County Council, it is time to pass on the challenge to a new individual. This will enable the new administration to build on the successful track record of the County Council and prepare for success in the County Elections in May 2021. I will continue as a Kent County Councillor and intend to continue in public service, devoting my time and energy in two particular areas. In recent years, I have invested considerable time in health and social care integration, developing "Local Care"; accelerated progress in designing integrated health and social care services that support patients in the community and their own homes and avoids hospitalisation wherever possible. Further to this, I would like to continue utilising my considerable experience in the education world. The post-16 education landscape needs radical change, greater choices and opportunities need to be provided to young people not destined to enter higher education. More vocational and apprenticeship pathways need to be developed alongside first class independent careers guidance. Kent County Council staff and elected

members should be proud of what has been achieved, particularly in the last 10 years of austerity. We have delivered extraordinary financial efficiencies and stretched public money to go further, improving and modernising the complex array of services that we provide day in, day out. We have protected many highly valued non-statutory services, such as preventative services that help and support the vulnerable, elderly and frail and continue with generous travel subsidises. Unlike so many local authorities that have reverted to the minimum "core service model". It has been a great privilege to serve as Leader of the Council and I have enjoyed every moment of the last 14 years. I shall miss the challenge and the adrenalin that the job provides, but perhaps not miss the long hours that the role entails. Finally, a few important thanks. I have been very fortunate to have been surrounded and supported by many excellent staff and elected members of all parties. I would also like to thank and acknowledge the support from the wider community, who work in partnership with us, particularly voluntary organisations. They all contribute so much to the rich tapestry that helps make Kent a great place to live, work and play.

**Paul Carter, CBE. Leader of Kent County Council.**

*Geoff Lymer, Kent County Council, Dover West*

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**SAMARITANS**  
FOLKESTONE, DOVER & HYTHE

The Friends of Folkestone, Dover & Hythe Samaritans will be organising 4 indoor boot fairs at Capel-le-Ferne village hall on the following dates:

Sunday 27 October 2019

Sunday 24 November 2019

Sunday 26 January 2020

Sunday 23 February 2020

The hall is open from 7.00 a.m. to set up stalls and buyers are allowed in from 8.00 a.m. The sale finishes at around 12.00 noon. Light refreshments are on sale throughout the morning.

To hire a table, please contact Colin Paine on 01303 670779. Table are £6 or £8 if next to the stage.

## Cancer Research Jumble Sale

We are holding our Autumn jumble sale on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October at 2 pm. All money raised going to The Royal Marsden Hospital. This is just a reminder that there's still time for you to sort out a few more items you might no longer need, that you think might be of use to someone else. Oh, and to remind you to come along too!

If you do have any good quality jumble please bring it along to the hall on the morning of the 12<sup>th</sup>.

It will all help to raise much needed funds. Our Autumn sale is usually well stocked and well attended.

Let's try to make this the best one yet and beat our all-time record amount.

Many thanks to you all....  
and hope to see you there!

**The Organisers.**

## Autumn Jumble Sale

In Aid of

**The Royal Marsden  
Cancer Research Funds**

will be held on

**Saturday, October 12<sup>th</sup> at 2.00pm**

**Capel-le-Ferne Village Hall**

Lancaster Avenue, Capel-le-Ferne. CT18 7LX

**Admission 20p**



**Refreshments, cake  
and plant stalls. Raffle and Tombola.**



**"Please give your support for such a  
worthy cause"**



Any Jumble or Bric-a-brac can be taken to the hall on the day in the morning.

Phone: 01303 254740 Mobile: 07949546011



## **CAPEL-LE-FERNE**

### **EVENING WI**

Hello Everyone. Last month it was Capel-le-Ferne W.I.'s 60th birthday meeting. We had a really good evening with several members of other W.I. groups joining us plus other guests, the tables were nicely decorated with tablecloths and flowers. Glynis welcomed everyone and after handing out birthday cards and catching up on future events she announced our speaker for the evening Peter Adams. Peter showed us a series of slides and spoke about the Police dramas which mainly started on the radio and later on television after World War Two. As Peter named the earlier programmes, quite a few of us remembered most of them. Then going up the years and changing with the times, it was surprising just how many there were, from early Sherlock Holmes played by many actors to much newer ones with more ladies taking leading roles. Just to name a few of the programmes that Peter spoke about there was Dixon of Dock Green, Z Cars, Maigret, Miss Marples, Barnaby, Frost, Softly Softly, Sweeney, Juliet Bravo, Prime Suspect, The Professionals, Wexford, Silent Witness, Line of Duty, Judge Gently, Happy Valley, Broadchurch, The Bill, Morse, Bergerac, Lewis, Endeavour, Vera, and of course many, many, more. The top 5 which have run for the most years are Midsummer Murders 22 years, Silent Witness 23 years, Poirot 24 years, The Bill 26 years and top is Taggart at 27 years, which seems unbelievable that they have been around that long but the first two are still going at the moment. Jan gave the vote of thanks to Peter who got a big round of applause.

We had a buffet table with a selection of cheeses and types of bread and crackers along with pate, chutneys,

crisps, vegetables and fruits along with cups of tea or coffee. The delicious 60<sup>th</sup> Birthday cake was made by Alison and iced and decorated by Pat. Joan got the honour of cutting the cake and slices were passed round the tables with more tea.

Caroline did a table top quiz of famous women to puzzle over, most getting nearly all right but a few tricky ones to catch us out.

Gillian, Jan and Mary did a really funny sketch of the three social classes - "I look down on him and I look up to him" type of act, everyone was laughing so much they had to pause now and again to be heard, they were really good and got a huge ovation from everyone.

The competition for a "Police related item" was a draw, with entries which included photos and a whistle amongst many other things. There were a number of nice prizes in the raffle including a rose plant, a potted chrysanthemum and wine. Glynis thanked everyone for coming before they went home with lots of goodbyes after having a nice time.

A big thank you for all the members who helped to make a great night, whether organising, setting tables, serving tea, clearing tables, washing up and all the jobs behind the scenes.

**If you would like to give us a try, you will be sure of a warm welcome, interesting talks, lots of fun, a chance to meet old and new friends, just come along to Capel Village Hall on Tuesday October 8<sup>th</sup> 2019 at around 7.15 pm.**

### List of WI Monthly Meetings

October	8 <sup>th</sup>	Gentle Keep Fit
November	12 <sup>th</sup>	Annual Meeting
December	10 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas meeting

### **FIT FRIENDS**

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## Community-Led Housing - November Mini Conference

Friday 15th November 2019.

1pm to 6pm

Dover District Council Offices, Whitfield, Dover CT16 3PJ

All are welcome at an exciting afternoon of mini workshops, with expert speakers and guests, including Bunker Housing Co-op from Brighton and Hove Community Land Trust. They will talk through their successful community-led housing project and will be on hand to give advice and support for any group looking to find out about the process. Bunker have successfully completed their first project in Brighton & Hove and are now moving onto their second; they have a wealth of information to provide with first-hand experience. It is not something to miss out on, so make sure you book your ticket early! Leading charity organisation Locality will also be returning to share their wealth of knowledge and experience. Locality have supported many community-led housing projects and are experts in their field. Locality are part of the Community Led Homes network and work closely with The National Community Land Trust Network, UK Cohousing and The Confederation of Co-operative Housing. They will be providing a workshop on various forms of funding to help make your project a viable and successful project. They have many years' experience in supporting charity organisations gain the best opportunities for funding. DDC officers will be available throughout the afternoon to assist with any questions and to provide assistance with completing grant applications.

We are looking to commence with lunch at 1pm for a 1.45pm start and will close the afternoon at 6pm. An itinerary for the afternoon will be released in due course.

Do not miss out on this exciting opportunity; book your ticket early by visiting: <https://www.dover.gov.uk/Community-Housing-Events>

### Drop-In Sessions

We are committed to providing information and support for anyone who is interested in community-led housing. As part of this commitment we are hosting a number of informal *Drop-In Sessions* where you can come along and find out about the basics of community-led housing. Come and have a chat over a cup of tea with a Community Housing Programme officer and find out how community-led housing could benefit your local community. We are working hard to enable the **Drop-In Sessions** to reach as many local communities across the Dover District as possible. If you have a venue or a regular get-together and would like us to come along or host an event, please let us know. You can email us at: [communityhousing@dover.gov.uk](mailto:communityhousing@dover.gov.uk)

### Keep Me Posted

For updates and the latest information about the November Mini Conference and Community-Led Housing, please sign up to Keep Me

Posted: <https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/UKDOVER/subscriber/new>

Talha Islam, Community Housing Programme Officer, Dover District Council, Council Offices, White Cliffs Business Park, Whitfield, Dover CT16 3PJ. Tel: 01304 821199. Email: [talha.islam@dover.gov.uk](mailto:talha.islam@dover.gov.uk) Web: <http://dover.gov.uk>

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## SIGHTLOSS GROUP:

The Folkestone Macular Society Support Group meets on the last Friday each month from 10:30am to noon at The View Hotel, 30-32 Clifton Rd Folkestone CT20 2EF.

All welcome. Meeting other people with macular disease helps you understand your condition, share information about treatments and stay independent. For more information call Margaret on 01303 226 877 or email

[help@macularsociety.org](mailto:help@macularsociety.org)



## Capel-le-Ferne Gardener's Association

This friendly club welcomes new members and visitors to its meetings



**We meet every 3rd Tuesday of the month  
at 7.30pm at St Radigund's Church Hall,  
16 Albany Road, Capel-le Ferne CT18 7JT**

Interesting speakers on a variety of topics

Outings to gardens

Quizzes and social evenings

Christmas events

Three Shows a year in the village hall  
for all to enter

CALL KEITH SINDEN ON 01303 892577  
OR BRIAN CASTLE ON 01303 259105  
For more information



## GARDENERS' ASSOCIATION

The Autumn Show was a great success considering the weather we have had lately and we had a lot of visitors that came to see the show.

It is coming to the end of the year and things are slowing up, so it is time to sit and think what to put in your gardens for next year and perhaps in the shows the coming year.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT  
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## Capel-le-Ferne Bowling Club

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## **CAPEL-LE-FERNE YOUTH CLUB**

**Every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday in the month  
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**Please come along, your first evening is free!**

**Any issues/queries**

**Please contact the Chairperson,**

**Simon on 07860803767**

**ALL PARENTS WELCOME TO ATTEND**

**Please ensure you collect your children from the  
hall, not the Car Park, even on light evenings.**

A note to all parents: As part of our safeguarding policy we ask that all children are signed out on club nights regardless to what time you collect them, please don't just collect and go without telling us (It happened tonight). And please ensure all children are collected from the hall, regardless to how close you live, over the road or 5 mins away, kids going home alone at dusk on bikes with no lights or walking alone is not ideal, it's all ok until it goes wrong and then what.



## **Youth Club 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2020**

Capel Village Hall 7pm – 11pm

Come and celebrate Capel Youth Club reaching its  
40<sup>th</sup> anniversary from its start back in the 80's...



**Tickets A-£12.50 C-£7.50 Includes:**

Live Music – “The A-Tees”

Streetz 2 Streetz – Fish or 2x Sausage & Chips



B.Y.O. Drinks, Summer Hamper Draw

& Fantastic Raffle Prizes

(This is a community family event, not a youth club children's party)



## **Capel Youth Club Activities – 2019 / 2020**



- 19/9 Footy, Pizzas, Crafts & Consoles
- 3/10 General Games night, Biscuit & Cake Decorating, Crafts & Consoles
- 17/10 Basketball, Cookies, Halloween Crafts & Consoles
- 31/10 Halloween Party – Fancy Dress, Ghoulish Games, Bloodthirsty Buffet
- 7/11 Cinema – Silverscreen, Dover 1820Hrs – 2100Hrs (Film tbc)
- 21/11 Nerf Wars, Crafts, Consoles & Hotdogs
- 5/12 Footy / Tag rugby, Xmas Cookies, Xmas Crafts & Consoles
- 19/12 Kidz Planet Xmas Special – Chips & drinks included
- 2/1 Leaders planning night – **No Youth Club**
- 16/1 Divas Dance , Crafts & Consoles, Pizzas
- 30/1 African Drumming, Crafts & Consoles, Fruit n Veg Kebabs



**All activities and details updated on Youth Club Facebook page**





## NEIGHBOUR HOOD WATCH - BE AWARE ... STAY ALERT



### MESSAGE FROM PCSO MEGAN KEEHNAN

I receive a lot of emails whilst I am on annual leave or rest days, if these incidents are reported either through 101 or online for non-emergency, or 999 for emergencies, it is more likely to be dealt with sooner and you will have a reference number.

### Action Fraud

Fraudsters target the elderly and most vulnerable in society. Unsure whether a caller is genuine?

Hang up, #TakeFive, then call them back on a known number to verify.

Help us spread the message to ensure your friends & family who don't see this post are protected!

### Public Protection - Kent

#### ⚠ SCAM ALERT! Security alarm & checks

We have received reports of a scam targeting Kent residents with offers of security checks and security alarms. These criminals are claiming to work for the council.

#### HOW THIS SCAM WORKS

- ✗ The criminal cold calls by telephone
- ✗ They may say they are calling to let you know about a crime awareness campaign running in your area.
- ✗ They offer a security check of your home and to fit a security alarm
- ✗ They claim to be working for the Council security team.
- ✗ In one incident when the resident said another adult lived at the property the criminal hung up

#### PROTECT YOURSELF

- ✓ Do not respond to cold callers
- ✓ Never agree to work from cold a caller
- ✓ Follow the Kent Police 3 Step Protect advice to keep your home safe
- ✓ If you require home security use reputable traders who are members of the KCC Trading Standards approved trader scheme, run in partnership with Checktrade
- ✓ Get a minimum of 3 quotes in writing
- 📢 Please warn family members, friends and neighbours.



### SCAM WARNING

## Criminals offer "year of free TV" to lure victims into TV Licensing scam

Action Fraud has received over 900 reports this month about fake emails purporting to be from TV Licensing. The emails state that the recipient is eligible to apply for a "whole new year of free TV". The links provided in the email lead to genuine-looking websites that are designed to steal personal and financial details.

Don't click on the links or attachments in suspicious emails, and never respond to messages that ask for your personal or financial details.



This phishing email was reported to Action Fraud



**Kent  
Police**



**Details for Speed Watch Session on 05-09-2019 between 4pm - 5pm at Capel Street - in drive to Number 69.**  
**52 Vehicles counted - 12 Speeding and reported to Kent Police.**  
**6 Letters sent for multiple offences (MO2) or excessive speeding (FO1).**

	Time	Mph	Manufacturer	Comments	DVLA Valid	Colour	Limit	Offence
1	16:01	28	BMW		✓	SILVER	20	1st Record Observed
2	16:09	31	VOLKSWAGEN		✓	BLACK	20	Letter Sent FO1
3	16:16	28	FORD		✓	BLUE	20	1st Record Observed
4	16:20	36	MERCEDES		✓	SILVER	20	Letter Sent FO1
5	16:21	25	MITSUBISHI		✓	SILVER	20	Letter Sent MO2
6	16:23	25	MERCEDES		✓	BLACK	20	1st Record Observed
7	16:29	29	CITROEN		✓	WHITE	20	1st Record Observed
8	16:31	36	FORD		✓	WHITE	20	Letter Sent FO2
9	16:35	34	BMW		✓	BLACK	20	Letter Sent FO2
10	16:40	35	NISSAN		✓	BLUE	20	Letter Sent FO2
11	16:51	26	NISSAN		✓	SILVER	20	1st Record Observed
12	16:55	29	VOLKSWAGEN		✓	BEIGE	20	1st Record Observed

**Details for Speed Watch Session on 11-09-2019 between 5pm and 6pm in Capel Street - across field entrance.**  
**31 Vehicles counted - 12 speeding and reported to Kent Police.**  
**8 Letters sent for multiple offences (MO2) or excessive speeding (FO1).**

	Time	Mph	Manufacturer	Comments	DVLA Valid	Colour 1	Limit	Offence
1	17:00	26	VAUXHALL		✓	BLUE	20	1st Record Observed
2	17:01	25	VAUXHALL		✓	SILVER	20	1st Record Observed
3	17:02	27	PEUGEOT		✓	GREY	20	1st Record Observed
4	17:03	28	FORD		✓	SILVER	20	Letter Sent MO2
5	17:04	33	HYUNDAI		✓	BLACK	20	Letter Sent FO1
6	17:06	30	MERCEDES		✓	RED	20	Letter Sent FO1
7	17:10	32	NISSAN		✓	SILVER	20	Letter Sent FO1
8	17:16	31	NISSAN		✓	BEIGE	20	Letter Sent FO1
9	17:21	31	SEAT		✓	BLACK	20	Letter Sent FO1
10	17:28	29	AUDI		✓	BLUE	20	1st Record Observed
11	17:40	26	MAZDA		✓	BLUE	20	Letter Sent MO2
12	17:59	32	AUDI		✓	BLACK	20	Letter Sent FO1

**Details for Speed Watch Session on 16.09.2019, between 7.30am and 8.30am at B2011 New Dover Road (Between Hope Farm Entrance and Battle of Britain Memorial Site Entrance - Dover Bound).**

**359 Vehicles counted - 6 speeding and reported to Kent Police.**

**All 1st Recorded Observed. No Letters sent for multiple offences (MO2) or excessive speeding (FO1).**

	Time	Mph	Manufacturer	Model/ Comments	DVLA Valid	Colour 1	Limit	Offence
1	07:30	49	FORD		✓	RED	40	1st Record Observed
2	07:50	47	FORD	TRANSIT	✓	RED	40	1st Record Observed
3	07:55	49	VAUXHALL		✓	BLUE	40	1st Record Observed
4	08:05	48	ISUZU		✓	GREEN	40	1st Record Observed
5	08:07	47	VAUXHALL		✓	SILVER	40	1st Record Observed
6	08:09	48	TOYOTA		✓	BLUE	40	1st Record Observed

	<b>B2011, New Dover Road, Capel-le-Ferne</b>		<b>REDUCE SPEED NOW</b>
*****			
		<b>Capel Street, Old Dover Road and all other roads.</b>	<b>REDUCE SPEED NOW</b>



USEFUL CONTACTS INCLUDING ACTIVITIES & CLUBS	CONTACT NAMES	TELEPHONE NUMBER
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Parish Council Clerk	Maureen Leppard	01303 259564
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