

GRAPEVINE

Capel-le-Ferne Village Newsletter

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Spring jumble sale

In Aid of
The Royal Marsden
Cancer Research Funds

will be held in
Capel-le-Ferne Village Hall on
Saturday April 9th at 2.00pm
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 after
12.00 noon
or phone: 254740

"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*

1 st Apr	WI Bingo – St Radigund's Church Hall (page 9)
2 nd Apr	Gardeners' Association - SPRING SHOW (page 13)
3 rd Apr	Battle of Britain Memorial - Prof. Stephen Bungay talk
8 th Apr	Church Hall Fund - Keith Radford presents 'Music. Why we listen' (page 2)
9 th Apr	Cancer Research Jumble Sale (front page)
9 th Apr	Samaritans Murder Mystery set in 70s Holiday Camp (front page)
10 th Apr	Car Treasure Hunt in Aid of Hospice UK (front page)
12 th Apr	WI - Rob Masters - 'Adventures on Allotment' (page 7)
16 th Apr	Neighbourhood Watch Community Information Day (Page 9)
19 th Apr	Gardeners' Association - Bloomers & Butterflies of Kent – Heather Silk
24 th Apr	Battle of Britain Memorial - Geoff Simpson talk
30 th Apr	Quiz @ Village Hall in aid of Sensory Garden (page 9)
10 th May	WI - Ian Porter - 'The Real Downton Abbey'
13 th May	Church Hall Fund - Ann Finney presents Noel Coward and Judy Garland
17 th May	Gardeners' Association Truffles made Easy – Gillian Cromarty
21 st May	Capel School Quiz Night (page 7)
3 rd Jun	Battle of Britain Memorial - Classic Land Rovers
10 th Jun	Church Hall Fund - Adrian Christian Mires - Classical Guitar makes a welcome return
12 th Jun	Battle of Britain Memorial - Rolls Royce Enthusiasts Club
14 th Jun	WI - George Taylor - 'Life & Times George Gershwin'
16 th Jun	TBC. Battle of Britain Memorial - KCC Citizenship Ceremony
21 st Jun	Gardeners' Association Chelsea Flower Show – Harry Marshall
24 th Jun	WI Bingo – St Radigund's Church Hall
2 nd Jul	Gardeners' Association - SUMMER SHOW
3 rd Jul	Battle of Britain Memorial Day
8 th Jul	Church Hall Fund - Frank Conley presents Gilbert & Sullivan 'Love & Marriage'
12 th Jul	WI - Joe Mendell – 'Bob Newhart Rides Again'
19 th Jul	Gardeners' Association - Rose Show (In Church Hall)
23 rd Jul	Community Playing Field Day with many displays, event and stalls – plus various refreshments.
9 th Aug	WI - Afternoon Garden Meeting – 2.30pm
16 th Aug	Gardeners' Association Up, Up & Away – Tina Morrissey
2 nd Sep	WI Bingo – St Radigund's Church Hall
3 rd Sep	Gardeners' Association - AUTUMN SHOW
4 th Sep	Battle of Britain Memorial - Folkestone Automobile Club
7 th Sep	Gardeners' Association - Quiz, away leg at West Hougham
9 th Sep	Church Hall Fund - Fiddle & Faff present, an evening of Folk music
13 th Sep	WI - Janet Dean – 'My Grandmother as a Spy'
20 th Sep	Gardeners' Association Mystery Animals of Kent – Neil Arnold
24 th Sep	WI Wit & Wisdom – Capel Village Hall
11 th Oct	WI - Dennis Chambers – Ghosts Fact or Fiction
14 th Oct	Church Hall Fund - Paul Sherman
18 th Oct	Gardeners' Association Apples & Pears – Robert Cook
11 th Nov	Church Hall Fund - The Colrose 7
15 th Nov	Gardeners' Association AGM and presentation of awards preceded at 6pm by a fish and chip supper
8 th Nov	WI - Annual Meeting with Helen Stevenson Quiz
13 th Dec	WI - Christmas Meeting
20 th Dec	Gardeners' Association Christmas Social

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Friends of Folkestone, Dover & Hythe Samaritans
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Charity Car Treasure Hunt

Join us for this fun filled family friendly event. Bring your family or friends to follow the trail as it takes you from the start point in Capel through the country-side and on to the finishing line.

Starting at 11am
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**Sunday
10th April 2016**


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CHURCH SERVICES, April 2016

Date	Alkham	Capel	Hougham
Sunday 3rd 2nd Sunday of Easter	Evensong 6.30 pm	Eucharist 9.30 am	Worshipping Together 11am
Saturday 9th <i>Fun, fellowship and food – please let Pam (01303 489006) or Brian (01303 243784) know if you plan to come.</i>		 (St Radigund's) 3.00 – 5.00 pm	
Sunday 10th 3rd Sunday of Easter	Eucharist 9.30 am	Worshipping Together 11am	
Sunday 17th 4th Sunday of Easter	Worshipping Together 11am	Evensong 6.00 pm	Eucharist 9.30 am
Sunday 24th 5th Sunday of Easter			Benefice Eucharist 10.00 am

From the Vicarage

When asked what he regretted most in life, the comedian Woody Allen is said to have replied that he most regretted that he wasn't someone else.

As I write this Easter is just a fortnight away. Soon we will have kept Holy Week, recalling Jesus' entry into Jerusalem with a Palm Sunday service at Hougham, the Last Supper with a service at Alkham on Maundy Thursday, his death on the cross on Good Friday, and celebrating the Resurrection at the beautiful old church of St Mary's on Easter Day.

It may be tempting to regard all this as irrelevant, belonging to a time long ago and far away. But often reading the Bible is like looking in a mirror – if we look long enough we may just begin to see ourselves in the characters we meet in its pages. As the story of Jesus reaches its climax, his followers emerge as people who, having promised never to desert or deny him, did just that. At that point, they may well have wished that *they* were someone else – or at least that they could be themselves, only without their failings.

I suspect that many of us feel that way – if only we could be ourselves, minus our failings! What a difference it would make! That point was driven home by someone telling me recently that he believes, and might have more time for the Church if it weren't for its failings.

The Easter story tells of how, despite their failings, the risen Jesus appeared to his disciples and gave them the job of continuing what he started – possible because, as I Corinthians 13 famously says, love keeps no score of wrongs. Easter reminds us that there is always the chance of a fresh start. Happy Easter! **Brian**

Capel Church Hall Fund-Programme for 2016

Our programme for 2016 had a good start with the showing of the film 'The Jolson Story' and there was a call at the end from an enthusiastic audience to show the follow up film 'Jolson Sings Again' so it looks as if we have started planning next year's programme already.

From April through to November our evenings are all on **THE 2nd FRIDAY of the month** and on **April 8th we have a return visit by Keith Radford** presenting his latest evening with 'Music-Why we listen'. Anyone who has heard Keith speak to us in previous years will know what a good evening they will be in for so please come along and enjoy another evening with him. It will only cost you the usual £5 and you get a cup of tea or coffee and a biscuit. Please note that there is a change to the programme outlined in last month's Grapevine. Carl Spencer will not now be coming but we will welcome back **Anne Finney on May 13th** who will be giving us another of her superb talks, this time on **Noel Coward and Judy Garland**.

PLEASE SEE THE REST OF OUR 2016 PROGRAMME ON 'WHAT'S ON' ON THE FRONT PAGE

Telephone 01303 251403 to reserve tickets. **John Oliver - Chairman Capel Church Hall Fund**

If you are planning a party or social event why not consider approaching Audrey Goaten, our Letting Secretary on 01303 244735 to make a booking for a regular slot or just a one off event.

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Barry Mansfield 01303 257157

Ros Chandler 01303 255862

Dates for your Diary

Bowls and Buns Saturday 23rd April

**Presentation night at the Folkestone indoor
bowls club.**

Monday 25th April The annual general meeting.

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Need to organise a meeting or training session?
Want to start a teatime chat group or a new sports club?

To view the hall, or to make a booking contact the letting secretary Sue Leaning
Email sueleaning@yahoo.co.uk (preferred)
Or on 07914 743407

Lots to report on this month so please read to the end. Cherry and Jenny retire at the end of March after 13 years at the helm of the Farmers' Market. The village hall committee is pleased to confirm that Deborah Ovenden is taking over as manager and Mike Vines will be helping with Facebook and internet issues which will make a big difference. We are sure everyone will support them, particularly during the changeover. Debbie will report directly to the village hall chairman Brian Wilson. There are several exciting ideas so more will be shared as soon as details are available. Please continue to visit and let us know what else you would like. The hall is a community asset given to local residents to use, so keep Tuesday morning in the village hall in your diaries. The village hall committee and local community value the market immensely. We would like to thank the founders Cherry, Gwynne, Jenny and Michael, all our volunteers, stall holders and customers for the support and work over the years. Long may it continue!

Thank you everyone who returned our recent questionnaire. Responses were discussed this month.

Improve disabled access	an initial design for the front of the village hall which improved disabled access is in the hall for you to view
Make WiFi available	Wifi was experimentally installed in the hall in 2008; due to lack of reliability, lack of demand and security issues it was not continued.
Water filtration	By September the water boiler in the kitchen will be replaced with a model which include a filter.
New plates	Purchased and already in use
First aider in every organisation	If you would like to attend a first aid course please contact Jayne Stone on 01303 211480 or the.stones101@btinternet.com with the subject heading 'first aid course.' Free or minimal cost to attendees.
Redecoration	Has been added to the list of work to be done

Major Events for 2016: More on each later.

4th September - Garage Safari Sale

An opportunity to clear out your house/garage and make your fortune (maybe). One man's rubbish is another man's treasurer. To book your place on the map ring Cherry Leppard 255114.

10th September – Last Night of the Proms;

Book a table, decorate it in the afternoon, then in the evening join in all the fun of the last night of the proms. More atmospheric than watching on your own at home. Reserve your tables with Cherry Leppard (255114) or Jayne Stone (211480).

31st December – New Year's Eve an American Supper night with Chicory Tip. To book your table ring Ros Chandler on 01303 255862 or Rachel Chandler on 01303 210702.

Open to all residents, the 100+ club is due for renewal at the beginning of next month. For a subscription of £1 per month (£12 for the year) members are entered into a monthly draw. First prize is £25, second £15 and £5 for 3rd, doubled at Christmas. Profits are spent on improvements to the village hall. Ring Jenny Carter on 01303 250298 or ask at the Farmers' Market. The draw will take place at the Committee Meeting on the 1st Tuesday of each month.

WINNERS OF 100+ CLUB – MARCH

1st ... 24... Ros Chandler

2nd ... 39 ... Capel Gardeners

3rd ... 131 ... Ruby Cook

RECYCLING

INSIDE THE HALL Boxes are provided for:

- Unwanted shoes for charity,
- Used Stamps for Moorfields Eye Hospital & Hearing Dogs

Please place the above in the relevant boxes.

Capel-le-Ferne History Book "Village in the Clouds"
Copies still available £5 each
From Cherry: Tel: No: 01303 255114

CONTINUOUS EVENTS

Books & jigsaws: A wide variety of books are available on an 'honesty basis.

These are on trollies in the corridor.

Thanks to all who have donated to this cause.

Farmers Market: Tuesdays 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

Stalls selling local produce every week, including (but not limited to) artisan breads, pies, meats, fruit, veg and a postal service.



CAPEL-LE-FERNE FARMERS MARKET
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Village Hall, Lancaster Avenue, Capel-le-Ferne,
Folkestone CT18 7LX
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Good news for the village

Congratulations to Deborah Ovenden who has been appointed as the new Farmers' Market Manager. Many of you will know her as 'Debbie the Meat'. She will spend the next month learning the ropes. She has already shared thoughts with the village hall chairman, Brian Wilson, about the current format and what if anything to change. The community elements will continue and we look forward to seeing established and new customers visiting. Cherry and Jenny's last day will be Tuesday 5th April and we would like to thank them, Mick Marshall and Gwynne Spooner for starting up this valued service.

Debbie's first full day will be April 12th and we are sure you will support her in her new role.

For more information contact Brian Wilson 01303 627172.

We would also like to formally thank all the volunteers who help, we couldn't do it without you.

Jenny and Cherry reminisce about the last 13 years.

"Jenny moved into the village in May 2002, by September she was on the village hall committee! The committee had been discussing starting a Farmers Market but did not know where to start. Jenny suggested contacting the Kent Farmers Market Association and it went on from there. The original working committee was Cherry, Jenny, Mick Marshall and Gwynne Spooner and in April 2003 the market opened. Gwynne retired from the market a few years later, leaving Cherry and Jenny running it with Mick offering vital support every week. We all knew our own jobs and worked well together.

We had three main objectives:

- 1) to raise money for the village hall,
- 2) to support our local farmers & producers and
- 3) to provide a service for the community.

And we are so proud to have achieved all three. In fact the amount raised for the village hall exceeds £100,000!

Our many successes over the 13 years, include Taste of Kent Best Farmers Market Award 2004 and Finalist 2015, Kent Technology & Enterprise Award in 2004 also. In addition to these 'accolades' we have been interviewed on Radio Kent several times, and also featured on Countryfile and Street Doctor.

Over the years we have held many events including Christmas specials (with Carol singers from the W.I., Fancy dress and Santa's Grotto), Easter Specials (wearing Easter Bonnets, Easter Egg Hunts, Easter Bonnet competitions for children and also some baby animals on view), Harvest specials, Cookery demonstrations (one live on Radio Kent) Pancake races in the car park, Wear it Pink Day (for Cancer Research), St. Georges Day, a Smoothie Bike in the car park (cycling to make a smoothie!), and to cap it all Jan Leeming coming along to open our 10th Anniversary special.

We were asked even to do a presentation at the Produced in Kent Conference in 2007, which was quite daunting!

We have worked very hard to make the market a success, and there is a lot of work goes on behind the scenes, it is not just a Tuesday morning affair! We have had to deal with stallholders enquiries, e mails, phone calls, advertising, setting up the Facebook page and Twitter, organising the events, starting up the weekly draw (which Julie helps with), refreshments and volunteers, collecting the money, keeping the paperwork up to date etc. We always insisted on public liability insurance, health & hygiene certificates and kitchen registration documentation which has all been kept up to date and on file. We have been checked by Trading Standards, and Dover District Council who have both given us 5* rating. It has all been quite time consuming, but at the same time fulfilling to see the hall full of stalls and customers.

Since we began, we have had many stallholders come and go, but we still have Kevin (Bessborough Farm) and Heather (Heathmore Jewellery) who have been with us since the first day.

Cherry and I will miss the 'banter' between everyone, but we will still be around as 'volunteers'. We wish Debbie all the very best for the future success of the market, with Mike (running the Facebook page), Brian and Jayne 'in tow', we feel sure it will go from strength to strength, and hope it continues for another 13 years – sometimes it's good to get new blood in who will have new ideas. Jenny & Cherry."

PS ... they formally retire on 5th April at 12.00noon.





CAPEL-LE-FERNE FARMERS MARKET

EASTER SPECIAL

Tuesday, 29th March

10a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

Easter Bonnets, will be worn by stallholders & organizers.

Plus an Easter Egg Hunt

There may be other 'specials' too!

Would you like to receive, via e mail, a semi-regular Newsletter informing you of new stalls, products, special offers, events etc? If so, please send your e mail address to capelfarmersmarket@yahoo.co.uk



CAPEL-LE-FERNE FARMERS MARKET

Easter Egg Hunt

Tuesday 29th MARCH - 10a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

Come along and join in the fun!

Collect your entry ticket in the hall (A small charge applies)

Then search for your 'stick' on the Playing Field to claim your Easter Egg

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Quiz Sheets

It is with great sadness that this has been the last quiz Jenny and Cherry will be setting hence the quiz title. We know a lot of you will be disappointed and appreciate your support over many years. Cherry has been unwell and been advised to cut down on the many activities she is involved in and Jenny's eyesight is deteriorating quite rapidly and combined with arthritis in her hands she has difficulty with the computer keyboard. Now this quiz has finished any £1 & stamped addressed envelopes requesting the next quiz will be returned.

Cherry's sister-in-law compiles similar quizzes for Rhodes Minnis Chapel, and we know quite a few of you do hers.

If you are interested in trying them, her e mail address is daphneandrews@googlemail.com

Thank you once again for your support and lovely comments received, we will miss you. Cherry & Jenny.

The quiz 'Last or Final' has now closed. The winner was Mr Hutton from Weymouth. The answers to the quiz 'Last or Final' and 'Popular UK Groups' are below. Our past Quiz sheets together with their Answers, can be purchased for £5 per quiz subject, for:- Last & Final - Popular UK Groups - Sports - Birds - Puppets, Marionettes & Dummies - By The Seaside - Rivers - British TV Factual Series - Cat in the Answer - In Flight or Space - Vintage Films Pre 1960 - It Begins With An 'S' - Train Connections - Popular Mains & Puds - Ways to get from A to B - Body Parts in the Answer - British Comedians - Round and Round - Colours - British Sportsmen & Women - Four Letters Plus an O - Cats & Dogs - Animal Sayings - Seaside Resorts - Famous Davids - Headwear - British TV Sitcoms 2 - Fruit in the Answer - In The Countryside - Child's Play - London Underground Stations 2 - The Answer Includes a Body Part - Radio Programmes - Place Names in Song Titles - Red, White and Blue - Famous Johns - British TV Game Shows - On the High Street - World War II - TV/Film Policemen/Women - Famous People & Their Siblings - Surnames - Connections Three - Children's Television Programmes - Match Actress to Film - As Sayings - Newspapers and Magazines - Place Names in Food & Drink - Birds - British TV Sitcoms - Christmas Quiz 2008 - Sound-a-like Words - Connections Two - Gender Song Titles - Boys Names - Authors Surnames - Connections - Found in London Part Two - Found in London - Ship Ahoy! - Spot the Group - Colours in Song Titles - British TV Drama Series - Articles of Clothing - Girls Names - Christmas Quiz - Games - Pairs - Fruit & Vegetables - Numerical Brain Teasers - Places in Kent - Sugar & Spice & All That's Nice - Around Britain Part One - Around Britain Part Two - Films - Gem Stones - Potty About Plants - London Underground Stations - Who Said It

ANSWERS LAST OR FINAL IN THE ANSWER THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

This quiz is run by The Capel Le Ferne Village Hall Management Committee, Registered Charity No 281786

1	Blast	13	The Last Kingdom	26	Last Samurai	38	The Last Waltz
2	Cup Final	14	Final Straw	27	Plasticine	39	Sandblasting
3	The Last Post	15	Ballast	28	Last Train to San Fernando	40	The Last Supper
4	Final Demand	16	Final Curtain	29	Last Will and Testament	41	Final Analysis
5	Elastic	17	At Last	30	Last Tango in Paris	42	Thermoplastic
6	Final Cut	18	The Last Rites	31	Last Man Standing	43	Semifinalist
7	James Last	19	The Last Emperor	32	The Last Time I Saw Paris	44	Everlasting
8	The Last Detective	20	The Last Night of the Proms	33	Elastoplast	45	Clastic
9	Last of the Summer Wine	21	Last Tango in Halifax	34	Last Resort	46	The Last of the Mohicans
10	Plastic	22	Everlasting Love	35	Outlast	47	The Last Unicorn
11	Last Christmas	23	Final Fantasy	36	Final Destination	48	Final Countdown
12	Lastminute.com	24	Blastoff	37	The Last Rabbit	49	Finalized
		25	Final Wicket			50	Last and Final

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Fridays Meal and Drink Deals

Hello everyone. Lovely to talk to you all again. March is always a busy month for WI with everything that is going on. It is also especially busy for Birthdays. We have a lot of Members who have their birthdays in March, so there is usually a lot of cake to go around. Caroline our President welcomed everyone before we sang Jerusalem we then stood for a minute silence in memory of Mary Mahon who had recently passed away. She will be sadly missed as she was loved by everyone and gave a lot of love in return. Thanks to Gwen Beaumont for brightening up our business table this month with the most beautiful cyclamen. Caroline welcomed two new members and one visitor. (Hopefully she will come back for a second visit if she enjoyed it first time round). The speaker at our March meeting was Lynne Essex who gave us a very informative talk on 'Her Life in Show Business with Dusty Springfield'. Explaining that she had been one of the Lana Sisters back in the 50's, 60's and 70's and how she had toured round the UK with various famous singers and comedians. There were various slides showing how fashions were in those times and for some of us our memories drifted back to those days. Lynne then told us how they auditioned Dusty (Mary O'Brien as she was known then) and how her voice outshone the others who had auditioned for the part as one of the Lana Sisters. Lynne told us that Dusty sang with them for a short period of time but then went on to sing with her Brother in the 'Springfields' and if everyone remembers she then went on to greater things. Lynne lived in Capel for a while in what is Christine May's house and her daughter was christened at St. Mary's Church where Dusty was her godmother. Some of the members remember the day when the big limo drove into the village. Caroline gave the vote of thanks. We then had refreshments after which we continued with the business of the day. Although we had a lot of business to get through it was fun business: where to go for our Christmas lunch (awful to think of it so soon but with all of us and our guests we need to book early). Decide which outing we would like to do for this summer and the unanimous decision was to go on the 'Pocahontas' trip from Gravesend to London on a Riverboat. Those who did not want to go as far as London could get off at Greenwich and have a walk around and be picked up on the way back. The date for this is 30th June 2016. So those of you who were not at the meeting then please let Ros know so that she can add your name to the list.

Twice a year our Institute gets together with some of the other local WIs. This month at our Group meeting on the 31st of March and the speaker is Ann Austin who will give a talk on 'Motorina' (her love of fast cars). Alternate Thursday afternoons find many of us crafting away. Our latest venture is frantically knitting as many children's jumpers as we can before our April H&E Meeting to be given to our April speaker on 'Humanitarian Aid'. Our Elsewhere in the room someone is making beaded jewellery whilst at another table card making is in full swing. At our meeting on April 12th is Rob Masters who will talk to us on 'Adventures on the Allotment' Competition – Unusual Garden Implement.

If you are new to the village, or just want to meet new people you are very welcome to come along for the evening and see if the WI is for you. You are welcome to come to 3 meetings without making a commitment to join. Just ring Janice on 01304 202923 or Eve on 01303252404 and we'll arrange for someone to 'host' you through the evening. WI forthcoming events are:- **Friday 24th June 2016 (please note change of date) St Radigund's Church Hall. Friday 2nd Sept 2016 – Bingo – St. Radigund's Church Hall. Pocahontas Trip – 30th June 2016. Sat 24th Sept 2016 – Wit & Wisdom – Capel Village Hall**

Everyone keep safe until we talk again next month. I will draw to a close now.

Thank you once again for taking the time to read my report.

The Royal Air Force Squadronaires

In Concert

The Ronnie Aldrich Centenary Concert

The Harvey Grammar School
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CAPEL-LE-FERNE PARISH COUNCIL

**Summary of some items discussed at meetings on
Tuesday, 15th March 2016**



• **Request from the public to address the Council:** None. • **Surgery Feedback:** Problems encountered with parking on pavements for mobility scooter user who had to go into road – Community Warden investigated further. White transit van and 3 occupants acting suspiciously - Community Warden investigated further. • **Neighbourhood Watch:** Our new Community Warden, Andrew Hawkins, reported; dealt with a cold caller touting for block paving work and was sent on his way and reported to Trading Standards; Speed Watch training completed and hoping to get the Scheme up and running again for Capel Street and New Dover Road (B2011); Parking issues outside school gate; Suspicious vehicle in immediate vicinity possibly associated with drug dealing, a Silver Seat, if seen please report to 101; Andrew will be out and about so please stop and say “hello” if you see him. He will also be at the Farmers’ Market if you have any questions or just talk to him.

**COMMUNITY INFORMATION AFTERNOON, SATURDAY, 16th APRIL 2016. 2pm – 4pm
COME ALONG FOR INFORMATION ON MAKING OUR VILLAGE SAFE AND SECURE!**

(See page 9 for more details)

• **Equipment status report:** Report on all equipment circulated, still waiting all parts to arrive to replace chains on swings.
• **Highways and Public Rights of Way:** Drain cleaning in Capel Street reported; Earth bunds and repositioning concrete planters completed by Kent Highways at Courtwood Roundabout area and seeding area will take place at a future date. 20mph status in all side roads, including Capel Street and Old Dover Road, under Public Consultation (a scheme the Parish Council has campaigned on for a number of years); Litter on A20 considered appalling by Councillors and a letter will be sent to Charlie Elphicke MP, Dover District Council Leader, Chief Executive and Kent Highways, to express concerns on lack of dealing with and making reference and heading to “Clean for the Queen Campaign”. • **Planning: Development of Land South of New Dover Road:** The planning decision on this proposed development, has been deferred to the next Dover District Council Planning Committee meeting due to administrative difficulties. • **Other:** Bus shelter outside Battle of Britain site to be repositioned for disabled access; Councillors to discuss further, setting up a “Resilience Plan for Emergency Incidents” – read next issue of Grapevine for more information.

Next Parish Council meeting is on Tuesday, 19th April at 7.30pm in the Village Hall (Small Hall).

A COPY OF THE MEETING’S AGENDA WILL BE AVAILABLE ON THE PARISH COUNCIL WEBSITE A WEEK BEFORE THE MEETING. <http://www.capel-le-fernepc.kentparishes.gov.uk/> ALL PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC, SHOULD YOU WISH TO ATTEND. HOWEVER, IF YOU WISH TO ADDRESS THE COUNCILLORS, PLEASE INFORM THE CLERK PRIOR TO THE MEETING! Further information on any of the above or to contact Parish Council, please write to Parish Clerk, 39 Victoria Road, or Tel: 01303 259564. Email: maureen.leppard@btinternet.com

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IF INTERESTED or CONSIDERING APPLYING TO BECOME A PARISH COUNCILLOR, WE MEET ONCE A MONTH, SO PLEASE COME ALONG TO A MEETING AS AN INSIGHT ON WHAT WE GET UP TO AND THEN IF INTERESTED, PLEASE APPLY IN WRITING, GIVING SOME BRIEF DETAILS OF YOURSELF, TO THE PARISH CLERK @ 39 Victoria Road, Capel-le-Ferne, CT18 7LT

or by email to maureen.leppard@btinternet.com



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Kent County Council

Community Warden – Andrew Hawkins

Mobile: 07811271303

Email: andrew.hawkins@kent.gov.uk

Next session 19th April



**Is there an issue you wish to
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A Councillor and the Parish Clerk**

**will be available at
The Farmers’ Market
(in the Old Post Office Room)**

**Capel-le-Ferne Village Hall
Lancaster Avenue,
Capel-le-Ferne. CT18 7LX
on 3rd Tuesday of each month
from 10:00am – 12:30pm**

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH



**COMMUNITY INFORMATION
AFTERNOON
SATURDAY, 16th APRIL 2016.
2pm – 4pm**

**VILLAGE HALL (Small room),
LANCASTER AVENUE, CT18 7LX**

Parish Councillors will be hosting the afternoon to enable you to gain advice and information from the following organisations who to date have confirmed their attendance; Age Concern, Fire Service, Kent Police, Samaritans, Kent County Council Community Warden.

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WHEN

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- > The Hawkinge Flyers.
- > Keep Fit Crew.
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- > A Dog Demonstration in the afternoon.
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This week marks the launch of 'One You', a ground-breaking new campaign to help adults across the country avoid future diseases caused by modern day life. Everyday habits and behaviours - such as eating too much unhealthy food, drinking more than is recommended, continuing to smoke and not being active enough – are responsible for around 40% of all deaths in England, and cost the NHS more than £11 billion a year. It is estimated that there are around 225,000 smokers in Kent (approximately 19% of the population) and almost 770,000 overweight and obese adults (65.1% of the local population). Figures also show that there were 24,833 alcohol related admissions in Kent in 2014/15 - a 25% increase in five years. Kent County Council is supporting 'One You' which aims to encourage adults, particular those in middle age, to take control of their health to enjoy significant benefits now, and in later life. Latest figures show that life expectancy at older ages is at record levels, yet many are spending their retirement living in ill health. Currently 15million Britons are living with a long-term health condition, yet studies show living healthily in middle age can double your chances of being healthy when you are 70. The new campaign from Public Health England will help adults in Kent to move more, eat well, drink less and be smoke free. 'One You' will also provide information on how people can reduce their stress levels and sleep better. It is encouraging adults to start by taking a new online health quiz, called 'How Are You'. This innovative quiz provides personalised recommendations based on your results and directs people to tools and advice to help them take action where it's most needed. Over half (56%) of 40-60 year olds taking the 'How Are You' quiz said they were likely to change their lifestyle to improve their health because of the feedback it gave them. KCC Director of Public Health, Andrew Scott-Clark said: "We are supporting the 'One You' campaign because it reinforces the work already underway in the county to encourage people to reappraise their lifestyle choices, put themselves first and do something about their own health. "It reminds people that it's never too late to improve their health - making small lifestyle changes such as eating well, drinking less alcohol, quitting smoking or being more active can double your chances of being healthy at 70 and beyond. We want people to put themselves first and do something about their own health before it's too late." Professor Kevin Fenton, National Director of Public Health England said: "For the first time, Public Health England is launching a campaign that talks to adults directly about all of the things they can do to improve their health. The scale of the campaign is unprecedented and includes new public and commercial partnerships with Amazon, Asda, BBC Get Inspired, Slimming World and the Armed Forces. "This will see One You in every community, on every high street, in local health services, on websites and in social media. We want everyone across the country to know that it is never too late to get your health back on track." For more information and to take the 'How Are You' online quiz, search 'One You' online now. **Geoffrey Lymer, Kent County Councillor, Dover Ward West.**



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SATURDAY, 2nd APRIL 2016

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CLUB NIGHT ACTIVITIES

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5th May – Ten-pin Bowling at Ashford – Book your space now.

19th May – Everyone Outside for Football.

9th June – Everyone Outside for Rounders

23rd June – Everyone Outside for Cricket.

7th July – Treasure Hunt (Everyone Welcome)

21st July – BBQ (Everyone Welcome). 15th September – Football / Pizza Making

THE YOUTH CLUB ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Is on THURSDAY, 30TH JUNE, Starting at 7:00pm

ALL PARENTS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND

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

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Youth Club	Simon Withey	07860803767

Please let me know of alterations or additions to this list.

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