

Capel Active Retirement Association
OUR CHRISTMAS SOCIAL
is on Tuesday 3rd December 2pm in
Capel Village Hall

*We are expecting to be visited by a group of children from
our local school plus Santa Claus.*
Come with your voices and quiz hats on
and have a good time.



Capel-le-Ferne Primary School
Parents' & Friends' Association

Capel Street, Capel-le-Ferne
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CHRISTMAS FAYRE IN SCHOOL HALL, CAPEL STREET
SATURDAY, 7th DECEMBER. 10.00am - 1.00pm
CRAFT TABLES, TOMBOLA, GAMES, REFRESHMENTS
Further details contact school.

Waste collections in the Dover District over the
Christmas period.

The arrangements are as follows:
Recycling, Waste and Garden Collections

Normal collection day	Revised collection day
Monday 23 rd December	Saturday 21 st December
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Recycling and waste collections will return to
normal from Monday 30th December.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL COLLECTIONS
FROM 23RD – 27TH DECEMBER 2013 ARE
AFFECTED.**

**There will be no garden waste collections week
commencing 30 December 2013 until week ending
10 January 2014.**

CAROL SERVICE

15th December - 3pm

in The Village Hall

A joint informal service with
St. Radigunds Church and
the Baptist Church to celebrate the festive season.
Children from Capel School will be involved.
Tea & Mince Pies will be available – Free of Charge.



Capel Pantomime 2014,
"Snow White",

Anyone interested in taking part on
or off the stage please let the
following know: Colin Blake on
241399 or Jerry Spillett on 242146.

**The performances will be on
March 21st and 22nd 2014.**

FREE MICROCHIPPING
from Dogs Trust

Please visit us at:
Farmers' Market
Village hall

Car Park
Lancaster Avenue
Capel Le ferne
Near Folkestone
CT18 7LX

Tuesday 4th March
10-3pm

The law is changing!
As from the 6th April 2016
you **must** have your
dog microchipped!

Contact 0207 8370006 for more details
or visit www.chipmydog.org.uk



See Page 3 for more details





If you know the details of your event in advance, please let
Parish Clerk know so organisations avoid booking same date

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

1 st Dec	Indoor Boot Fair
3 rd Dec	Capel Active Retirement Assoc: Christmas Social
7 th Dec	Capel School Christmas Fayre
15 th Dec	Village Carol Service
26 th Jan	Indoor Boot Fair
23 rd Feb	Indoor Boot Fair
4 th Mar	Free Micro-chipping @ Village Hall Car Park (page 3)
21 st & 22 nd Mar	St Radigunds Players Pantomime Snow White
30 th Mar	Indoor Boot Fair

Benefice Services for DECEMBER 2013

Date	Alkham	Capel	Hougham
Sunday 1 st	Advent Carol Service 4.30pm	Sung Eucharist 9.30am	Worship Tog'r 11am
Sunday 8 th	Sung Eucharist 9.30am	Worship Tog'r 11am	
Sunday 15 th	Family Service 11am	Nine Lessons & Carols 3pm Village Hall	Sung Eucharist 9.30am
Sunday 22 nd	Nine Lessons & Carols 6.30pm		
Tuesday 24 th Christmas Eve	Crib Service 4pm Sung Eucharist 11.30pm	Sung Eucharist 11.30pm	
Wednesday 25 th Christmas Day			Sung Eucharist 9.30am
Sunday 29 th		Benefice Eucharist 10am	

From the vicarage

"A ray of hope flickers in the sky, A tiny star lights up way up high..."

Recognize it? Yes – the opening words of *A Child is Born*, a Christmas number one for Johnny Mathis in December 1976, now mainly heard when Christmas shopping.

Cardinal Albino Luciani, later Pope John Paul I, wrote a monthly column in a magazine when he was a bishop in Venice. He wrote a series of open letters to all kinds of characters, from Charles Dickens to Pinocchio which were later collected and published in a little book called *Illustrissimi*. Someone once gave me a copy. A charming, entertaining read, it made me think – how about an open letter to Johnny Mathis?

You see, I'm not a fan of the song. It begins with the excitement of a new birth – the sort of hopes that we celebrate at christenings. Then, as the orchestra takes up the melody: *"All of this happens because the world is waiting, waiting for one child... that will turn hate to love, war to peace and everyone to everyone's neighbour..."*

Fine – Christians think that Jesus was just that. But then: *"It's all a dream, an illusion now..."*

What? Christmas a dream, an illusion? Mr. Mathis, why did you *really* think that Jesus somehow wasn't up to the job? Didn't Jesus talk about loving our enemies as well as our neighbours? Is it really his fault that not all of us do that?

Being only human, people don't always listen. That's the problem. St John's Gospel puts it like this: *"The true light, which enlightens everyone, was coming into the world. He was in the world, and the world came into being through him; yet the world did not know him..."*

So, Mr. Mathis, why not record something about that? Perhaps that would help to build the peaceful world you dream of – one where people listen.

In the meantime, a very happy Christmas to you, and to everyone.

Brian

Capel-le-Ferne Church Hall Fund

The November talk by Dr Becky Parker was on the 29th so has not taken place at the time of writing this report but from enquiries and ticket requests currently in hand I am sure it was well attended, particularly with its new title of 'Are We Alone in the Universe'?

That talk, rounds off the Church Hall Fund 2nd Friday of the month evening programme of events for 2013. A Big Thank You to all of you who have supported any of the superb evenings we have had this year with fascinating talks from excellent speakers on a great variety of subjects.

As winds down we have achieved much this year in refurbishing the old hall to a standard that it never had before. There is still more to do and new heating is the next priority. A programme of 2nd Friday evening talks / events for 2014 is coming together and will be announced in the February Grapevine and it includes a return of the most successful fund raising evening we have had when they church was packed out for The Snowdon Male Voice choir in September last year. They will make a much anticipated return in September 2014

THE HALL IS AVAILABLE FOR LETTING FOR WEEKLY EVENTS OR CASUAL BOOKINGS FOR PARTIES ETC.

CONTACT STEVE LEONARD, LETTING SECRETARY ON

01303 670445 OR MOBILE 07525 254114

John Oliver Chairman- Capel Church Hall Fund 01303 251403

THE ROYAL AIR FORCE SQUADRONAIRES

On Saturday 15th March 2014 in Harvey Grammar School Folkestone at 7.30pm

The Royal Air Force Squadronaires will be giving a concert entitled 'A Tribute to Ronnie Aldrich'. Ronnie was an Old Boy of the School and The Central Band of The RAF are delighted to be giving this tribute concert in his Old School. Tickets will be £20 and £15 and can be reserved by phoning me on 01303 251403 or e-mailing me on johne.oliver22@gmail.com. More detail in the December Grapevine by which time tickets and posters will have been produced after approval by RAF Music.



CAPEL-LE-FERNE VILLAGE HALL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Registered Charity Number 281.786.

PROVIDING SERVICES FOR OUR COMMUNITY

All this information and more can be found on our website www.capel-le-ferne.org

Please help us keep this up to date by contacting our Webmaster

Committee Meetings are held at the Village Hall on the First Tuesday of every month at 7.30pm.
A REPRESENTATIVE FROM ALL HALL CLUBS & USERS, IS REQUESTED TO ATTEND MONTHLY MEETINGS

INSIDE THE HALL Boxes are provided for:- Unwanted shoes for charity, Used Stamps for Moorfields Eye Hospital & Hearing Dogs, Plastic Lids/Bottle Tops for Kent Air Ambulance & a Wheelchair Charity
 Please place the above in the relevant boxes provided.

CONTINUOUS EVENTS

Quiz Sheets:- Available (£1 per sheet) at the Farmers Market or from Cherry Leppard, 29 Albany Road, first prize £25. The answers are placed in the Grapevine and on the Website.

100+ Club:- £12 per year your number is placed in a draw, every month for 1st Prize £25, 2nd £15, 3rd £5 These DOUBLE in December! The draw will take place at the Committee Meeting on the 1st Tuesday of each month. Contact Wendy 259120 for further information

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

Approximately 20 stalls selling local produce every week.

FUND RAISING EVENTS

INDOOR BOOT FAIRS 8 a.m. to Noon
 1st December 2013,
 26th January, 23rd February, 30th March
 2014. Tel: Wendy 01303 259120
 for more information.

Table and Chair Hire for Christmas

If anyone wants to hire tables and/or chairs for Christmas they can be collected from the Village Hall on Tuesday, 23rd December between 10.30am and 11.30pm. Alternative times can be arranged by contacting Jayne on 01303 211480

100 CLUB WINNERS – NOVEMBER

1st 73 Sheila French. 2nd 96 Mick Marshall
 3rd 18 Jenny Holman

FARMERS MARKET NEWS - FIND US ON FACEBOOK!

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Well another year nearly over, and Christmas is looming once again. Christmas orders are now being taken on all stalls.

Our Christmas Special will be held on 17th December with the W.I. singing Carols, and some children from Capel Primary School too. The Stallholders and organisers will be in fancy dress, mince pies and mulled wine will be available in refreshments and we are hoping Santa will find time, in his busy schedule, to visit us in his grotto. There will be all the usual products for sale, plus many 'extras' for that special treat. Butterbox has now joined us with their home made fudge, which is delicious and customers are coming back for more, a special treat stocking filler? In our Craft Hall there will be a great variety of ideas for gifts for all the family. Plus our resident Photographer is also on hand for family portraits— great gift too!

Our 'Postal Service' is also alongside the Crafts.

All the above is locally produced so do please come along and support them.

PLEASE NOTE:- WE WILL ALSO BE OPEN AS USUAL ON CHRISTMAS EVE FOR ALL THOSE LAST MINUTE ITEMS, AND COLLECTION OF ORDERS. THERE WILL BE NO MARKET ON 31ST DECEMBER, RE-OPENING ON 7TH JANUARY 2014



We would like to take this opportunity to wish all our customers, stallholders, and helpers a very Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year – and thank you all for your continued support, long may it continue. Visit our Facebook page for photographs and further information. Please note: The products for sale are produced (in the majority of cases) by the stallholder, in Kent, unless clearly marked otherwise. Our present products are:- Fish, Meat, Eggs, Preserves, Jams, Honey & Pickles, Delicatessen, Smoked Fish, Meat & Cheese, European dishes, Bread, Cakes & Pastries, Vegetables, Fruit, Fudge, Ice cream, Kentish Ale, Fruit Liqueurs, Pet Food, Plants and several Craft stalls plus James Taylor Photography, with his portable studio for portraits, passport, driving licence photos etc, printing your holiday snaps etc. in the small hall. We should point out that we ensure our producers hold the relevant certificates i.e. a public liability insurance and, where necessary, health and hygiene certificate and kitchen registration documents.

Micro-chipping: Free micro-chipping event

4th March in Village Hall Car Park from early morning till about 3 p.m.

Micro-chipping will soon be compulsory for all dog owners in England, following an announcement made by the Westminster Government, that has been welcomed by Dogs Trust.

Micro-chipping provides security of knowing, should your dog stray; the chances of being reunited will significantly increase. To ensure that micro-chipping is accessible to all we are offering **free micro-chipping** at all our centres on a drop in basis. If you cannot make these dates you can still get your dog micro-chipped for free by calling your nearest centre to make an appointment.

www.chipmydog.org.uk **For a full list of our local free events!**

Remember, micro-chipping is a great way to identify your dog but you can only be reunited with a missing pet if your details are up to date. If you move house or change your telephone number please call PetLog on 0844 463 3999 as soon as possible to let them know.

For more information on what Micro-chipping is, look on web-link

<http://www.dogstrust.org.uk/az/factsheetsanddownloads/factsheetmicrochipping12.pdf>





CAPEL-LE-FERNE YOUTH CLUB

Every 1st and 3rd Thursday in the month from 7.30pm to 9.30pm.

Please come along and your first evening is free!



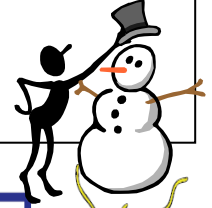
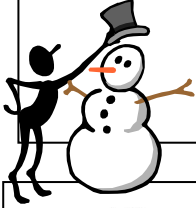
Please ensure you collect your children from the hall, not the Car Park, even on light evenings.

5th December – Christmas Crafts, Mince Pies/Jam Tarts and Football.

19th December – Kidz Planet.

16th January – Football and Pizza making.

Any issues/queries - Please contact the Chairperson, Simon on 07860803767 and find us on Facebook to keep up to date with all info about Capel Youth Club.



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My work recently has been focussed on the issues people in

Capel-le-Ferne tell me are of greatest concern.

Immigration worries a lot of people. Much of it is illegal and involves human trafficking. Human traffickers often exploit people in war torn countries with tales of a better life in the West. So people in these countries give traffickers their life time savings to travel. This is how would be asylum seekers end up at Calais trying to sneak into the backs of lorries. Of course our border security used to be so lax that pretty much anyone could just wander in. More recently, our border at Dover has been tightened up. Illegal entries have fallen by 80% since 2010. Yet it doesn't stop the traffickers peddling their tales in Syria, the latest war torn country. Small wonder then that many Syrians have come to Calais! What should we do? We should work positively with the French authorities to help keep our border safe and secure. Health, benefits and housing tourism should be stamped out by changing the rules. Yet the most important thing is to break international trafficking gangs. Anyone guilty of human trafficking should be given a life sentence and all their assets should be held forfeit. The Government is making new investment in our Border Force – a good slug of this should be targeted at tackling international trafficking gangs. Our UKBA officers do an excellent job keeping us all safe and protecting our fellow human beings from exploitation.

We must remain ever vigilant.

Utility bills worry many people. Quite right too as the power companies seem to increase their prices in unison like they are some kind of cartel. Meanwhile the water companies increase bills every year but pay no tax and their real investment in leaking pipes has been falling. So I've campaigned in Parliament for reform in the water industry. To see our bills cut. I led a Parliamentary debate on this recently and the Government is weighing the case I have been making. With energy, it would be easy to say let's order a freeze. Yet people aren't daft. We all know that fuel prices are global and go up and down. What should happen? I think we should break up the “big six” power companies. We would then have a wider supply of power and a more competitive market. The regulator has been asleep at the wheel for years. It should be woken from its slumber and given wider powers to champion, we the bill payers. To step in if it looks like power generators are acting as a cartel. The previous government's green subsidies push up our energy bills by 10%. I want to Government to put a stop to that and roll back the greenery. We can't afford it. We need to increase our sources of power supply. We should seek as much home grown energy as possible. The new Hinkley nuclear power station will help. There should clearly be a new nuclear power station at Dungeness. It would provide us with more energy security, stable bills and zero carbon emissions. Energy policy is and will be a big issue over the long term. For me, the priority is securing cheap, safe, secure energy that has the lowest impact on the environment.



CAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH*Capel Street. Services 10.30am.***Speakers for DECEMBER 2013**

1st Pam Barr (with communion)
 8th Pam Barr
 15th Pam Barr
 22nd and 25th Pam Barr
 29th Gloria Guest

**ALL WELCOME TO THESE ACTIVITIES**

*If there are queries regarding these details,
 please call 01303 251086. Gill Cooper*

*Please! A reminder that the public are requested not to
 park in front of the gates on Sunday mornings as this is
 a disabled access.*

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Local Handyman Services



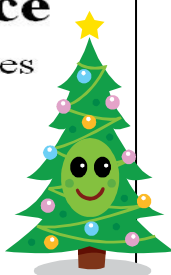
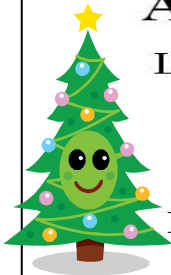
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Our dear Mrs. Whatmore,

died Friday, 15th November - aged 104.
 She lived in Capel Street for many years before
 moving into the care of Bracknell House.
 We at Capel Baptist Church, along with her
 family and many friends, will miss her
 enormously but we are glad that she is
 safely in the arms of her Lord.

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**Re: Battle of Britain 1940**

I am always coming up with snippets of information
 regarding the young pilots who were killed in our vicinity!
 This one is: Pilot Officer Herbert Robert Case from Devon,
 who had an altercation with the Luftwaffe on 12th October
 1940. He crash landed in a field off Winehouse Lane here in
 Capel and was killed. Farmers carried his body on a farm
 gate until the RAF picked him up and took the young airman
 away to be buried. I would love to know exactly where he
 landed. We could have a village 'flower laying' or
 something. This is close to home isn't it?? It validates the
 need for a memorial for these brave young men who fought
 on our behalf, their stories are amazingly brave. His, and the
 fuller story is on; <http://www.bbm.org.uk/Case.htm> - this is
 the Battle of Britain London Monument's site.

One other story about 'my pilot', I call him that as I
 sponsored him many years ago. He was Pilot Officer Keith
 Gillman from Dover. He became the promotional face for
 the RAF in a recruitment drive. He was shot down in the
 channel on his second sortie of the day, (as if one wouldn't
 be enough!!) not far from his home in Dover on 23rd August
 1940, again in his very early twenties. I would think you will
 be able to pick him up on this 'bbm' website also.

Any other info I can give you, be happy to do so. We have a
 number of reference books at the Memorial.

Pam, Battle of Britain Memorial Trust Site.





Did you know you could save money simply by fixing the price of your energy tariff and there is now a scheme available to help you do just that? The Energy Deal scheme, supported by Dover District Council, is free to join and requires no obligation to switch your supplier. You can benefit by registering with the scheme to see if you could save on your energy bill and get support to guide you through the process. The scheme will negotiate directly with energy suppliers and aims to secure a competitive tariff for the residents taking part. The first campaign in spring last year saw average savings of £100 per year for dual fuel customers. The current campaign launches on 10 December and will continue until 17th February 2014.

To register to take part you will need to have your annual energy statement to hand, or a recent fuel bill. Registration can be completed online or, if you don't have access to a computer, by calling the Council on 01304 872428 (leave your contact details to receive a callback).

Could you be paying less for energy?

For further information and to register go to www.energydealswitch.com

Register with Energy Deal by 17 February 2014

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Contact: Andy Steele Phone: 01304 872020

HOUSEHOLDERS THANKED AS DOVER DISTRICT IN TOP THREE AUTHORITIES FOR LOWEST WASTE PER HEAD



Householders in Dover District are being thanked following the latest exciting news that the district has the third lowest level of household waste per head in the country.

Latest figures from DEFRA show that the total waste per head for Dover District for 12/13 was 280.94kg. This is the third lowest in the country, behind the London Boroughs of Tower Hamlets (256.12) and Ealing (280.30). The national statistics also show that Dover District has the fourth largest decrease in household waste per head (ie residual waste and not recycling), with the change from 11/12 to 12/13 showing an impressive decrease of over 15%.

Cllr Nicholas Kenton, DDC Cabinet Member for Environment, Waste and Planning said: "This is excellent news, and we would like to say a big thank you to all householders who have been taking the time to reduce, reuse and recycle. Residents are reducing the amount of household waste they are throwing away, and this is great news for the environment. We look forward to continuing to work with residents to keep up this great record, and to continue to recycle for the future."

For more information on recycling and the waste collection scheme in Dover District, please see the DDC website at www.dover.gov.uk or for more details on the DEFRA figures, please see www.gov.uk/government/statistical-data-sets/env18-local-authority-collected-waste-annual-results-tables



Dover District Recycling, Waste and Garden Waste collections between Christmas and New Year

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Recycling and Waste collections will return to normal from Monday 30 December - there will be collections on Wednesday 1 January 2014 as normal.

There will be no garden waste collections
week commencing 30 December 2013 until week ending 10 January 2014

Recycling and waste collections may be disrupted by bad weather. In the event of snow, please check the Council website for updates.

Dover District Council holiday office closures

Dover District Council offices at Whitfield will be open until 5pm on Tuesday 24 Dec and will reopen at 9am Thursday 2 Jan 2014.

Dover Gateway, Castle Street: Open 9am- 5pm Monday 23 Dec; open 9am-1pm Tuesday 24 Dec; closed Wednesday 25 Dec and Thursday 26 Dec; open 9am-3pm Friday 27 Dec; open 9am-1pm Saturday 28 Dec; open 9am-3pm Monday 30 Dec and Tuesday 31 Dec; closed Wednesday 1 Jan 2014; open 9am-5pm Thursday 2 Jan and Friday 3 Jan; open 9am-1pm Saturday 4 Jan.

Aylesham Area Office: Open 9am-12.30pm and 1.30pm-4.30pm Wednesday 18 Dec - the office is then closed until 9am Wednesday 8 Jan 2014.

Sandwich Area Office: Open 9am-1pm on Tuesday 24 Dec - the office is then closed until 9am Thursday 2 Jan 2014

Deal Area Office: Open 9am-5pm Monday 23 Dec - the office will then be closed until 9am Friday 3 Jan 2014

If you have an emergency and need to contact the Council during the holiday office closures, please call (01304) 821199.



www.dover.gov.uk



Capel Active Retirement Association

November has been a busy month for most of us, trying to get in those autumn holidays before the cold days of winter set in and we snuggle up indoors to keep warm. Even so many members turned out to our last monthly meeting at the Village Hall on the 5th – well done! It was worth it to hear Bert Sheppard speak so knowledgeably about the COMMONWEALTH WAR GRAVES COMMISSION and the work that he does locally to maintain the graves and gravestones of those from the 1st and 2nd World Wars. His job is also to speak about CWGC to whoever invites him. He has recently been informed of 4 Commonwealth War Graves in the old St. Mary's Churchyard which was of immense interest to some of our members. With December's arrival we of course are indulging in our Christmas Social once again and hope our members will come and swell the numbers and have fun (see separate poster). Also included in this newsletter is a Programme list for 2014, so please refer to this for your diary entries; I'm sure you will agree that there's a variety of talks and presentations for you all to enjoy.

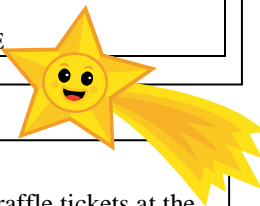
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Capel Active Retirement Association Programme of Forthcoming Events

JANUARY 2014 A DAY IN THE LIFE OF A DRIVING INSTRUCTOR	
FEBRUARY LIBRARIES & ARCHIVES	MARCH A TALK ON DEMENTIA
APRIL KENT & SUSSEX AIR AMBULANCE	MAY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
JUNE MERCY SHIPS	JULY THE BIG BAND ASSOCIATION
AUGUST FOLKESTONE HISTORY	SEPTEMBER AGE UK
OCTOBER CREATIVE GARDENING	NOVEMBER WINDMILLS & CANALS
DECEMBER CHRISTMAS PARTYTIME	



CANCER RESEARCH JUMBLE SALE

The organisers would like to give a big thank you to all the villagers who either, gave jumble, attended, or bought raffle tickets at the recent jumble sale at the village hall, in aid of The Royal Marsden Hospital cancer research fund. Once again we had marvellous support from everyone, and managed to raise a staggering £1,098.38p which has been sent off to this worthy cause. Who, after all, has not either had a friend, relative, or perhaps even themselves suffer the trauma of a brush with this awful disease? We are always amazed how the good people of Capel continue to support this event (now in its 34th year!), so many people go out of their way to make it a success that it is impossible to thank them individually, they know who they are, and perhaps they will accept this as their public thank you. We had a lot of donations this time which has helped boost our total to this amount. And we all look forward to seeing Stevie Parker back with us next time. We would now like to call upon you all to start putting anything you think we may be able to sell to one side for our next jumble sale next Spring, April 12th. Don't worry - we will remind you nearer the time about who to contact or where to take it. Best wishes and thank you once again for your continued support. The Organisers.

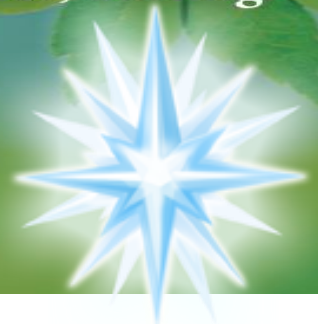
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CAPEL-LE-FERNE PARISH COUNCIL

Summary of items discussed at meeting on Tuesday, 19th November.

- **The meeting received one request to address the Council** – A resident adjacent to the Playing Field addressed the members on cutting down a tree and offered to help plant more trees in the future. Thanks expressed for this. Councillors requested that any trees requiring attention, within the Playing Field perimeter, should firstly be addressed to the Parish Council.
- **Community Recreational Project** – (See page 7 for full report)!
- **Equipment status** – A copy of the monthly status report carried out by Councillor Keith Pilcher was circulated – items noted for attention; surface under swings, multi-use goal area surface and paint recently applied, peeling to teen shelter. A vote was taken on the installation of sound-proofing to the skate-park ramps with 4 members in agreement and 2 against. This would therefore be carried out when supplier attends site to carry out repairs to corrosion on side panels. It was hoped this would alleviate a certain amount of the “thudding” noise when users land on the ramp stages, which residents had brought to the attention of the Council.
- **Speeding on B2011** – Following last meeting, i.e. decision to enter the Kent Police Speed Watch Scheme, a request for resident volunteers to assist Councillors resulted in seven (7) further helpers. The Police will now be contacted with a view to arrange training and site assessments in the New Year.
- **Land Allocation Local Plan** – letter of request had been received from Dover District Council, Programme Planning Officer, to indicate Councillors’ wishes to take part in the Hearings with Government Independent Inspectorate in January 2014. Councillors considered this prior to meeting and agreed at the meeting that a member of the Parish Council would attend to present our representation orally on the following: **Policy: LA21, 3.273 – 3.279** Land to the South of New Dover Road, between Capel Court Caravan Park and Helena Road, **Policy: LA22, 3.280 – 3.283** Land to the North of the Junction of Capel Street and Winehouse Lane, **Policy: LA23, 3.284** Site between 107 & 127 Capel Street. This representation will be based on the letter of concerns forwarded in February 2013, dependent on what the Inspector’s “Matters and Questions” are, which will form the basis for the discussions at the Hearings. These are due to be released at the beginning of December 2013, together with a set of Guidance Notes, together with a draft hearings programme.
- **Highways** – A meeting recently held with Gas Network contractors and Kent Highways, resulted in reassurance that areas of concern to grounds would be addressed, i.e. areas raked and re-seeded and in spring the reimbursement of loss of daffodils depending on flowering outcome. Thanks expressed to County Councillor Geoff Lymer for the provision of grass verge posts in Capel Street.
- **Neighbourhood Watch** – Following an extremely productive meeting, the team were continuing to work on areas raised.
- **Other items** – **A date for a further Community Event** was agreed for 2014, (Saturday, 28th June). This would incorporate a continued celebration of the Playing Field QE II Fields in Trust status, together with marking the 100th anniversary of World War I. Further details to follow!
- **Anaerobic Digester Plant Planning Application** – No decision had yet been made by Planning Officer. Councillors received copies of 180 letters of objections from residents that had been forward to Dover District Council.
- **Objection Petition on existing bus route** – this was received by Councillors and would be forwarded to Stagecoach with an invitation for a member of the company to attend an on-site meeting to use the suggested route from Capel to Canterbury Road, Folkestone, as detailed in their reply letter.

Next Parish Council meeting is on Tuesday, 17th December 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.

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Co-ordinator: Phil Jones - 07853983154.

Email: pljones369@hotmail.co.uk

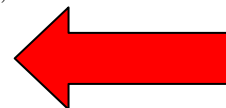
This is the beginning of another aspect of Neighbourhood Watch in Capel-le-Ferne.

“are you worried about someone you know, i.e. a neighbour or friend”,

LET US KNOW @ CAPEL NHW

Members of Capel-le-Ferne Neighbourhood Watch are working towards notification of anyone who needs help, together with a list of willing volunteer helpers in the Village to do odd jobs; e.g. shopping, cleaning, maintenance or just advice.

If you think you can assist in this,
please contact our NHW Co-ordinator Phil Jones on
07853983154 or email: pljones369@hotmail.co.uk



Capel Caring Hands

IN TOUCH WILL BE ATTENDING THE FARMERS MARKET ON TUESDAY 10TH DECEMBER

In Touch are a registered charity, working with the support of the county and local councils to provide advice, guidance and information to help people retain independent living. We offer a range of services including, handyperson service, keysafes, galvanized handrails, gardening and painting. We are keen to spread the word and promote awareness of our services particularly amongst the rural and harder to reach communities. With the colder winter weather upon us it's particularly prudent that we make people aware of the fact that we are working in partnership with Kent County Council to provide free support for people over 65 with a diagnosed health condition. This will include a home assessment resulting in possible emergency support during cold snaps, longer term home improvements which may be available free for those at risk during cold weather, either through the Kent Energy Company Obligation scheme or Public Health initiatives.

**IF YOU NEED ANY ASSISTANCE PLEASE COME ALONG
ON 10TH DECEMBER FOR ADVICE AND SUPPORT**

Capel Outdoor Recreational Facilities Update Olympic & Jubilee Legacy



Thank you Mr Amin & Family

Mr Amin and his family have kindly donated £300 of the profits made from their Indian Night held at the village hall – a huge thank you and also to those who went along and supported this wonderful evening.

Sarah, Max & Anna Peglar, Maureen Leppard and Keith Pilcher went to Sandwich to apply at the You Decide/Neighbourhood Forum grant event for the final £2,429 required for the zip wire – they did a fantastic job, but unfortunately, the competition was fierce and they were unsuccessful. We will continue to keep applying for funds to enable us to install the facility.

Thank you to all parties.

Dover District Council have kindly relocated one of our rubbish bins so that we have one close to the skate park – this has made a huge difference – thank you and please continue to use the facility.

Benches are due to be installed very shortly – thank you for your patience.

Further grant applications are being submitted to raise the balance of £6,150 for the Petanque facility – keep your fingers crossed!!

If anyone else wishes to purchase a bench, or have any fund-raising ideas, raise some money yourselves for the items or wish to make a donation, please contact the Parish Clerk, Maureen Leppard, 39 Victoria Road. – 01303 259564.



Chantal Blythe
Community Warden
(on maternity leave)



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The Royal Air Force Squadronaires (from The Central Band of The RAF) will be in concert at Harvey Grammar School Folkestone on Saturday 15th of March 2014 at 7.30pm (their former Leader and pianist Ronnie Aldrich was an Old Boy of Harvey Grammar and this concert is entitled 'A Tribute to Ronnie Aldrich'). It is going to be a very special evening and quite the largest event that the Old Harveians Association has ever put on. Tickets are £20 (front) and £15 (rear) and are expected to be in great demand so if you would like to come don't delay in booking your tickets by calling the Event Organizer John Oliver on 01303 251403 or Harvey Grammar School on 01303 252131.

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CAPEL-LE-FERNE BOWLING CLUB

Breaking News

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This year's annual Boys versus the Girls bowls competition was won by

You guessed it THE BOYS YES the BOYS.

Coming down to a nail biting final two games the boys claimed their prize of a Toblerone. But our trainer David Ivory will be taking us all down to the Royal Oak for a free drink, thanks Dave. Also a Big thanks to all the girls who provided the cakes and the raffle prizes and Rachel for the organising of this event. Better luck next year Girls. You were all great sports.

League matters next, our league team gained another 9 points to put us top of the league table as of Thursday night. There is still a long way to go but well done to the teams.

Club nights are being well attended and we have two new players joined this month.

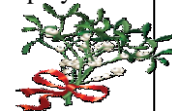
We would all like to wish **ROY BUTTERWORTH** a very happy birthday for the 5th December; he will be **90** years young. Roy is still an active member of the club and we could not have won the boys v girls without him.

Last but not least I would like to thank Carol Evans for all her help at the cliff watts match, sorry I missed you out.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all my fellow players



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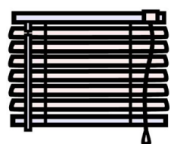
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Be safe, be seen this autumn

Now that the clocks have gone back, we're reminding anyone travelling in the dark to stick to busy, well-lit areas where possible and to wear bright or reflective clothing so that other road users can see you easily. For seasonal safety advice to help you Stay Safe this Autumn, visit www.kent.police.uk/autumn

Protect your heating oil from thieves

With the winter weather approaching fast, make sure you check your fuel tank regularly and take steps to secure your heating oil from thieves. Measures such as lockable caps with crop proof padlocks/fittings, hardened cases for vulnerable hoses and fuel level alarms can help to protect your tank. We also recommend keeping boundary fences and gates in good repair and consider installing security lights to deter unwanted visitors. For more advice, visit www.kent.police.uk/fuel

Keep yourselves and your valuables safe this winter

Kent Police launches Stay Safe this Winter campaign

STAY SAFE this Winter

Officers are urging people to keep themselves and their valuables safe after a family's Christmas presents were stolen from a car and a woman had her shopping bag stolen just this week. **Stay Safe this winter**
So, as Kent Police launches its Stay Safe this Winter campaign, this is a stark reminder to people it only takes a split second for a thief to strike. Don't give them the opportunity. The campaign will focus on anti-social behaviour, theft, violence, road safety and burglary. As well as promoting crime prevention advice, officers will be actively targeting those who commit crime and anti-social behaviour. In addition, officers will be working hard over the Christmas period to make sure everyone who lives, visits or passes through the county can enjoy a safe and crime-free experience.

Chief Inspector Lee Russell said: 'Opportunist thieves know people are busy at this time of year - don't give them the opportunity to spoil your Christmas. Take a few simple steps to keep yourself and your property stay safe. Don't wait until it's too late.'

Simple steps

Make sure thieves don't spoil your Christmas by taking a few steps to keep your valuables and shopping safe:

- **When you go out:** Don't leave valuables or Christmas shopping on display in your vehicle, or in the boot or glove box - thieves know where to look. Keep valuable items like keys, wallet and mobile phone tucked away, out of sight and spread around your person for safety. Never leave your belongings or shopping unattended.
- **When shopping online:** If you're buying items online, make sure you use reputable companies, only use a page with https or the padlock icon and pay by credit card.
- **At home:** Keep valuables including presents, wallets and car keys out of view from doors and windows, and secure your home before you go out. Dispose of packaging carefully – boxes or wrappings for expensive-looking items left outside your home may tempt thieves.

Read more advice on our [Stay Safe campaign](http://www.kent.police.uk/advice/seasonal_advice/winter.html). http://www.kent.police.uk/advice/seasonal_advice/winter.html

CAPEL EVENING WI

Hello everyone. Is it me, or does the month come round very quick.. Christmas gets ever closer and we go into December rushing around trying to please everyone in our families with whom we are going to spend it with and trying not to upset anyone. I have decided not to get stressed this year and just relax and enjoy it. I have even attempted to start my Christmas shopping early. Although I suppose November is not early for some of you very organised people. If I shop too early for presents then I put them in places for safe keeping and then forget where I put them and who I bought what.

November's Meeting was our AGM and it was well attended by our members. Barbara Gibson was the WI advisor assigned to us for the meeting to oversee that all the voting for new committee was done according the WI rules and regulations. Jayne Stone was once again elected as our President for another year. Caroline Bunting remained as Treasurer and Jan Harvey remained as Secretary. The other officers are chosen when we have our first committee meeting. We did not have a Speaker this month and therefore we were entertained by Mary Adamson and Gillian Howey. They played out a skit written by Mary called 'The Coach Trip'. Apologies Mary if I got the title incorrect. You have never seen or heard so many people laugh in one place. The tears were rolling down members' faces and their sides were in stitches, mine certainly were and they ached for a long time after. Thank you both, for once again giving us an evening of entertainment to remember. Jerry Spillett then did our Annual Helen Stevenson Trophy Quiz. It was quite hard this year Jerry and it made our little grey cells work overtime, although I think I left mine at home. All members compete individually for the Helen Stephenson Trophy. It was won this year by Sheila French. Barbara Gibson thanked everyone for one of the most enjoyable, entertaining and funniest AGM's that she had ever attended. Well we were all laughing from the moment we arrived in the evening until we turned the lights out to say goodnight. We welcomed another new member this month. That is four or maybe our fifth new members this year. So please do come along and try us. You will be made most welcome.

December is our Christmas Dinner Meeting and we are all looking forward to it. As usual our ladies have a busy month ahead of them. Darts, Craft, Scrabble, Home Economics, Book Share etc. As well as all the Luncheons we have planned for December.

Look forward to contacting to you all again next month.

All that is left for me say to everyone is that I wish you all a 'Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year'. All the best for 2014.

Let us hope we do not have too much snow in December or that it is too cold for everyone to get around.

God Bless you all and talk to you again next month.



Invitation to attend 'Saving Visible Community Policing' conference - Friday 6th December

It is our pleasure to invite you to our 'Saving Visible Community Policing' conference on the morning of Friday the 6th December 2013 at the Kent Police College, Coverdale Avenue, Maidstone, ME15 9DW. This is a real opportunity for you to have your say on the next round of funding cuts and to debate the impact on policing in the county.

You may be all too familiar with the stresses and strains of resourcing and funding cuts on our vital public services. Crime and public safety are of utmost importance to our communities, families and friends. Therefore, when making key decisions, we want to ensure that we consult as widely and in-depth as possible. That's where we need you.

As a resident of Kent, you play a part in keeping our community safe and quite rightly you should have a say in the future of policing in the county. That's why we are particularly keen to have your input and considered views on the next round of policing cuts, including the possible impact on visible community policing.

The event will set out a number of scenarios and options and it's a chance to get everyone involved in shaping the future of Kent's policing. We hope you will take up this invaluable opportunity to speak to both of us by attending our event.

So please find out more and book your place today. <http://morecuts.kent-pcc.gov.uk/>

Chief Constable, Kent Police

Ian Learmonth

Kent Police and Crime Commissioner

Ann Barnes

The items in the Kent Police and Crime Commissioner's Newsletter for November include:

- My First Year in Office - Pause for reflection
- Kent Police Budget Cuts - Ann needs to get your views
- £250k invested in Kent Police Specials
- Crime recording - Ann does not shy away from the data
- Youth Commissioner and why we need one in Kent
- One year on, what next for Ann Barnes

Please visit: www.newsletters.annbarneskentpcc.co.uk/november2013.html to read these articles in detail


Please forward this to anyone or any organisation interested in Policing issues in Kent.


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Both Kent Police and the Commissioner's Office have proactively reviewed the use of Mobile Police Stations (Police Contact Points). Thank you to everyone who has provided feedback so far and helped to promote them. Following a review the Mobile Police Stations will now be used for one time slot only (midday – 1pm) from December 2013 until the New Year. For the rest of the time the Mobile Police Stations will be used to assist with operational activity in the run up to Christmas, particularly focusing on preventing burglary, and other seasonal crime spikes.

In the New Year the Mobile Police Stations will be used in a wider variety of locations, including where community events are taking place to make it even easier for people to speak to their local officers and in crime hotspot areas. More information about future times and locations from New Year onwards will be released shortly, including a process whereby local communities can request a Mobile Police Station at a specific location or event.

The Police Contact Point for Capel-le-Ferne will visit, Village Hall Car Park, Lancaster Avenue.

On Wednesday, 11th December 2013, Midday – 1pm

For more information, visit: www.kent-pcc.gov.uk Twitter: @AnnBarnesKPCC

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- **using the appropriate lights** or wearing **high visibility clothing** - poor weather conditions mean it can be harder for drivers to see pedestrians and cyclists
- **adapting your driving** for different weather conditions - in the wet, fog and ice, keep well back from the car in front, slow down and use appropriate lights (know where your fog lights are!)
- **keeping your vehicle in good working order** - make sure brakes and lights work, fluid levels are topped up and your windscreen is clear before you set off.

Useful contacts

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Consultations you may be interested in:

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KCC has published its Budget consultation. Further details are available from the KCC website at http://www.kent.gov.uk/your_council/council_spending/budget_consultation.aspx.

The deadline is 5 weeks from Friday 8th November - Friday 13th December.

The consultation paper says that they will need to find further savings of another £273m over the next 3 years if they don't increase council tax. KCC advise that savings of £91m have to be delivered next year and similar amounts in following years. They are consulting on their savings proposals of £81m and raising £10m of income through a council tax increase of 1.99%.

There are 2 consultation questions as set out below: **Budget consultation - 2 questions**

Q1. Over the next three years KCC has to save approximately **£273m** out of its total annual spend of **£1.43bn** as a result of reductions in government funding and the need to fund unavoidable spending increases – such as providing for increased numbers of children brought into care. **Where do you think KCC should look to make these savings?**

- Radically change the way services are provided to reduce demand and cost.
- Provide only a basic minimum level of service, with no enhancements.
- Restrict access to services to only the most needy.
- A mixture of above

Q2. To preserve some of our most popular services (especially those we aren't required by law to provide such as Arts, gateways, community wardens, apprenticeships, support to business, Kent Freedom Pass), we would need to raise council tax to offset the gap in government funding. **What is your view on this?**

- I don't want tax increased at all.
- I'd accept a minimal increase of less than 2% to preserve some services. (Equal to £18 per year for Band C taxpayers – and the maximum allowed without a referendum).
- I'd accept a more than 2% rise in order to protect some services from the reductions in funding.
- I'd accept KCC increasing charges for service users.
- I'd accept a mixed solution – a low tax increase and some charges to access services where absolutely required

Please respond direct to KCC, using the weblink above and below.

http://www.kent.gov.uk/your_council/council_spending/budget_consultation.aspx.



**Kent Fire &
Rescue Service**

Kent Fire & Rescue Service's (KFRS) consultation on their Safety Plan.

The deadline for comments to KFRS is 13 January 2014.

Consultation on Safety Plan

Local people have until 13 January 2014 to give their views on the Kent and Medway Fire and Rescue Authority (KMFR) annual Safety Plan. You can read the plan online or fill in the online survey or we can post a paper copy and survey on request (details at the end). Highlights from the plan - click to download:

<http://us4.campaign-archive1.com/?u=35461a2a8ad772e1f11f9b8ed&id=6bd053aae4&e=d09cad73fc>

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Parish Council, Chairman	Mr Clive Goble	01303 240566
Parish Council Clerk	Mrs Maureen Leppard	01303 259564
Webmaster	Mr Peter Jones	01303 248149
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Table & Chair Hire	Mrs Jayne Stone	01303 211480
Noticeboard (£1 per month)	Committee Members	
Divas Dance	Miss Rebecca Uden	01303 893650
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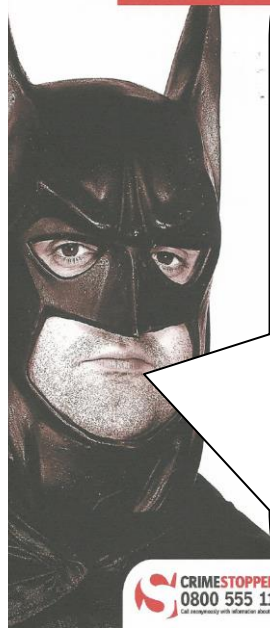
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www.capel-le-ferne.org

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28 Helena Road, Tel: 01303 248149 Email: webmaster@capel-le-ferne.org

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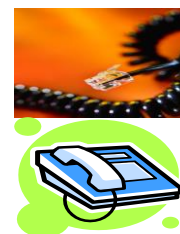
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Items for February issue (No issue in January) to be with Maureen Leppard (Editor)

at 39 Victoria Road, Capel-le-Ferne CT18 7LT, (Tel: 01303 259564) or

Email: maureen.leppard@btinternet.com b7y 6pm, Sunday, 19th January 2014