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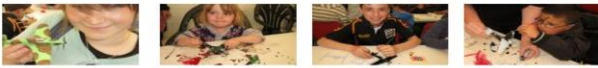
Capel-le-Ferne Village Newsletter
JUNE 2014 - ISSUE NO: 227



THE BATTLE OF BRITAIN MEMORIAL TRUST National Memorial to the Few at Capel-le-Ferne, Folkestone, Kent. CT18 7JJ.



Airfix Make and Paint Day



Saturday, 7th June from 10am – 4pm

A fantastic day of model making and family fun to coincide with Folkestone Airshow

Make, paint and take home your model aircraft for free
Many stalls and attractions.
Refreshments

Why not come and see how we are getting on with The Wing?



Make and Paint returns to the National Memorial to the Few at Capel-le-Ferne near Folkestone on Saturday 7 June, offering a range of family fun and a chance to see progress on the new Wing building. Hornby will once again be providing Airfix models that visitors will be able to make, paint and take home with them – all free of charge - and the Battle of Britain Memorial Trust has lined up a host of other attractions. There will be a display by the Hawkinge Flyers, stalls from the local farmers' market, a beer tent and a wide range of food stalls, together with the chance to look around this much-loved memorial to the heroes of the Battle of Britain. This year's Make and Paint event again takes place on the same day as the Folkestone Airshow, giving visitors a long-distance view of the flying taking place off the coast during the afternoon. The gates open at 10am and the event is free, although visitors will be encouraged to donate to the appeal for The Wing, the new visitor centre currently taking shape on the clifftop site. See www.battleofbritainmemorial.org

354 Squadron (Dover)



Air Training Corps Band

**Youth Club
Annual General
Meeting Thursday,
26th June in the
Village Hall at 7pm.**

CAPEL-LE-FERNE PARISH COUNCIL



**Village Community Event on our
QE II Jubilee Playing Field,
Lancaster Avenue, Capel-le-Ferne.**

Saturday, 28th June 2014 10:00 am – 4:00pm

Entrance to the field is FREE,
so come and join the fun.

**There will be a memorial stone to the Fallen
unveiled and blessed @ 11am,**

There will be plenty to do.

Come to the field and either watch or join in.

Bring a picnic or buy your refreshments.

Attractions for day will include:

- A dog demonstration and competition
- A Skate-park/mini scooter competition
- A Boule knock-out competition
- Amusements
- Craft stalls
- Refreshments (thanks to the Royal Oak, Cherry's Gang and outside caterers)
- Womens Institute Cakes
- Craft Stalls
- Information stalls for residents: Samaritans, Police, Fire Brigade, Lifeline and Neighbourhood Watch.

To enter, safety gear
MUST be worn

Come along and join in and have some fun!

More details from Keith on 254731 or Jayne on 211480

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

3 rd Jun	CapelARA – Mercy Ships (page 8)
6 th Jun	WI: 6.45 for 7.00pm @ Church Hall - Bingo night
7 th Jun	Battle of Britain Memorial Site Make n Paint Fun Day
13 th Jun	Dr Jindi Dhillon – Olympics 1956 & 2012 & Health Benefits of Exercise (page 2)
26 th Jun	Youth Club Annual General Meeting 7pm (page 4)
28 th Jun	VILLAGE COMMUNITY DAY (front page)
1 st Jul	CapelARA – Help with Care (Page 8)
5 th Jul	Capel School Summer Fayre 11am – 3pm (page 8)
6 th Jul	Battle of Britain Memorial Day
8 th Jul	WI meeting: John Pearce Murder comes Gift Wrapped
11 th Jul	Keith Radford presents Flanders & Swan
22 nd Jul	FREE Micro-chipping @ Farmers Market (page 4)
5 th Aug	CapelARA – Folkestone History (page 8)
12 th Aug	WI meeting: Mr Tony Harris Flying for Fun
2 nd Sept	CapelARA – Age UK (page 8)
7 th Sept	Garage Sale Safari
9 th Sept	WI meeting: Mr Joe Mendell Bob - Newhart rides again
12 th Sept	WI: 6.45 for 7.00pm @ Church Hall - Bingo night
13 th Sept	(Saturday) - The Snowdown Male Voice Choir (page 2)
20 th Sept	WI: 7 for 7.30pm Village Hall - Wit and Wisdom
26 th Sept	McMillan Coffee Morning (page 3)
27 th Sept	Capel Youth Club Quiz Night (page 4)
7 th Oct	CapelARA – Creative Gardening (page 8)
10 th Oct	Days Gone By – Songs of the 60's Sing-a-long & Dance Admission £7 (page 2)
11 th Oct	Cancer Research Jumble Sale
14 th Oct	WI meeting: Mrs Mary Beeney - Sainsburys
4 th Nov	CapelARA – Rivers, Windmills & Canals (page 8)
11 th Nov	WI meeting: Annual Mtg & Helen Stephenson Quiz
14 th Nov	Frank Conley presents Gilbert & Sullivan - The Great and the Good (page 2)
9 th Dec	WI meeting: It's Christmas starring ourselves
12 th Dec	The Folkestone Agape Gospel Choir – Carol Concert – retiring collection only (page 2)

The village hall is now booked for New Year's Eve with "Chicory Tip" the 60's group. The price for this is £12.50 each and over 18's only. Bring your own food and drink and we will guarantee a great evening. Raffle and door prize! I will take names as soon as possible, I think this will be a sell-out, and tickets and payment due end of October.

More details ring Cherry 01303 255114.

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

Benefice Services for JUNE 2014

	St Anthony's, Alkham	St Radigund's, Capel le Ferne	St Laurence, Hougham
1 st June		United service for Rogation Sunday at St Radigund's Abbey Farm, 10.30am	
8 th June	Eucharist, 9.30am	Worshipping Together, 11.00am	
15 th June	United service for Trinity Sunday at Temple Ewell, 10.00am		
22 nd June	Benefice Eucharist at Hougham, 10.00am		
29 th June	Benefice Eucharist at St Mary's, Manor House Lane, Capel le Ferne, 10.00am		



From the Vicarage

LIVE AND LET LIVE it said. There it was, at the back of the church – large black letters printed on white card, propped against the wall. Who had put it there – and why? What was the story behind it – and *did it belong in church*? What was I to do with it? Eventually the mystery was solved, and the explanation turned out to be simpler than I had at first thought – but it did make me think. Why **LIVE AND LET LIVE**?

At first sight, it's not that different to something Jesus said. *Don't judge or condemn others, and you won't be judged or condemned yourself.* Great, if that's what **LIVE AND LET LIVE** really means.

Or is it just about me getting on with my life while others get on with theirs? Is that what it means? Jesus once answered a question with a story about a victim of crime left for dead at the roadside. **LIVE AND LET LIVE** could have been the motto of the two outwardly respectable people who passed by, not doing any harm, but not doing any good either. The unlikely hero of Jesus' story would not usually have been the sort to stop and help, but nevertheless he did.

'Who is my neighbour?' That's what Jesus had been asked – his point being that the world is a better place when treat others as we would like to be treated ourselves. So I have removed the sign, and it is waiting for its owner to collect it.

Why? Well, the trouble with **LIVE AND LET LIVE** is that it leaves my neighbour a victim – friendless, destitute, and bleeding at the roadside. If we're serious about making the world a better place, we're going to have to treat our neighbours better than that. *Brian*

Capel Church Hall Fund-Programme for 2014

On Friday 20th of June in St Radigunds Church at 7.30pm (doors open at 7pm), we are very fortunate in having an Olympian to talk to us and everyone is most welcome to come along to hear him. As usual it is just £5 which includes tea or coffee and biscuits, payable at the door. Dr Jindi Dhillon played hockey for Kenya in the 1956 Olympics in Melbourne and was a Volunteer Doctor at the London Olympics 2012. He is also Vice Captain of Sene Valley Golf Club Vets Section and it promises to be a most interesting talk about The Olympics but also The Health Benefits of Exercise.

On Friday 16th of May, Anne Finney gave a talk on Nat King Cole which was very much enjoyed by all who attended and The Pilgrims Hospice benefitted by £50 from a donation which Ann passed on to them from the takings.

Thanks to the support of so many of you, the Church Hall at St Radigunds has been saved and is now fully restored and functional again but, there are always extra costs in running a hall that is a Village Community Asset and not just for church goers, so these Second Friday of the Month events are still essential to the continued running of the hall

I am now taking names for the biggest event in our calendar for 2014 which is, The Snowdown Male Voice Choir on Saturday 13th of September at 7.30pm. We had a sell out for their concert in 2012, in fact we had to add another 21 chairs to get everyone in so, if you would like to come it will be best to reserve your seats by contacting me and preferably paying in advance. Tickets are £10, (cheques payable to St Radigunds Church Building Fund).

(All evenings are on the 2nd Friday of the month with a £5 entrance fee unless otherwise stated)

June 13th – Dr Jindi Dhillon – Olympics 1956 & 2012 & Health Benefits of Exercise. July 11th – Keith Radford presents Flanders & Swan.

August – no meeting. September 13th (Saturday) - The Snowdown Male Voice Choir – Admission £10

October 10th – Days Gone By – Songs of the 60's Sing-a-long & Dance Admission £7

November 14th – Frank Conley presents Gilbert & Sullivan - The Great and the Good

December 12th (Friday) - The Folkestone Agape Gospel Choir – Carol Concert – retiring collection only

Please note that the concert by The Snowdon Male Voice choir was a sell out in 2012, in fact we had to add another 21 seats so to be sure of your tickets for September 2014 you can reserve them by phoning or e mailing me.

John Oliver, Chairman - Capel Church Hall Fund - phone 01303 251403

If you are planning a party or social event why not consider approaching Steve Leonard, our Letting Secretary on 01303 670445 or mobile 07525 254114 to make a booking for a regular slot or just a one off event

**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**

Kent Surrey Sussex



Saddle up for Air Ambulance bike ride - Life-saving charity Kent, Surrey & Sussex Air Ambulance is appealing for cyclists to sign up for this year's Double 100 Cycle Challenge and help save lives at night. The 100-mile or 100km bike ride is to be held on Sunday, September 28th, to mark the first anniversary of the launch of the night flying service. Last year's annual event raised more than £12,000 and organisers are aiming to double its success this year with two starting points at the helicopter bases at Marden and Redhill.

The charity now has to raise an extra £1million a year to fund the cost of a 24-hour service, up from £5million to £6million. The ride is open to regular and occasional cyclists including individuals and teams with feeding stations along the scenic route. The first 200 riders to sign up will receive a special Air Ambulance jersey.

To register go to www.kssairambulance.co.uk/involved/double100 and for more information call Julie Clare on 01622 833833, or email juliec@kssairambulance.org.uk



CAPEL-LE-FERNE VILLAGE HALL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Registered Charity Number 281.786

PROVIDING SERVICES TO OUR COMMUNITY

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**

To view the hall, or to make a booking, contact the letting secretary

Joan Woodsford on 01303 252354.

The hall is adjacent to the Jubilee Playing Field, Playground, mini-skate park and multi-use games area.

Something to celebrate, want to hold a party? Need to organise a meeting or training session? Want to start a teatime chat group? Some slots are available for the small hall. The Village Hall is available for hire for all these AND more. There are two sizes of hall – for differing types of event. Recently refurbished and well maintained, on offer are a well fitted kitchen, disabled facilities, projection screen, central heating, instant boiling water, stage. Hire either or both halls, depending on how much space you need. Licenced for most things (except hypnosis and boxing) including sale of alcohol, PRS, raffles.



THE GOOD NEWS

Oops – the fire door wasn't installed when we expected it, but fingers crossed it's in now. Risk assessment for the hall is about to be redone, if you have any concerns please contact Jayne. This is the last month this year to join the 100+ club. Contact Jenny 250928

THE EVEN BETTER NEWS

There was a long debate on what could be done to improve the hall and what it offers local residents. We have been asked to consider starting a cinema club (like Alkham and Elham) so we are exploring how it would work. Most importantly ARE YOU INTERESTED? If so please let Cherry or Jayne know. One idea is an afternoon screening at tables, so you could eat and/or drink while you watch. Tables are due to be given a deep clean at the end of May – if you use them for craft type project, please protect the table surfaces, many of them have blobs of glue (some with glitter), which can be off putting when they are to be used for food.

The Village Hall management committee would like to extend their thanks to the hirers who use the hall, leaving it looking clean and support the fundraising activities; additional thanks to Debbie Jones who started the 100+ club.

The 'Hot Topic' at the last committee was feedback from Trustee training. It was re- assuring to know that there are no major problems, though there are one or two areas in which minor changes could improve management. As always the comments book was reviewed and where appropriate action taken by the committee. However some issues are outside the committee's control, for example how the hall is left after a hiring. It is nice when the hall is left as hirers would like to find it.

Remember, it is YOUR hall,

The committee merely do the management on your behalf.

Work on updating the website hit an unexpected glitch – the server is being changed, so the website has been taken down. Sally and Peter are working hard to resolve the problem.

Thank you to all those who have returned the pro-forma, the information will be uploaded in the near future. In the meantime feel free to contact Sally on Eures1994@yahoo.com.

RECYCLING

INSIDE THE HALL Boxes are provided for:-

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

Please place the above in the relevant boxes. **PLEASE NOTE – WE ARE NO LONGER ABLE TO RECYCLE BOTTLE TOPS. THEY SHOULD NOW BE DISPOSED OF VIA THE LOCAL AUTHORITY REFUSE COLLECTION SERVICES**

CONTINUOUS EVENTS

Books & jigsaws: A wide variety of books and some jigsaws are available on an honesty basis. These are on trollies in the corridor. Thanks to all who have donated to this cause.

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 Jenny on 01303250298 for further information

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.

Look out for details of the Garage Safari in September (contact Cherry Leppard) and the Craft Fair on 29th November (contact Jayne Stone). Details on page 11 of Grapevine.

Winners of May 100+ Club

1st - no 93 - Jean Pape, 2nd - no 96 - Mick Marshall,
3rd - no 52 - Pat Waters.

Prizes have been delivered to the these lucky people

MacMillan Coffee Morning

Friday
26th September
Bring and Buy



10am to 12.30pm
49 Old Dover Road
Capel-le-Ferne



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.

Youth Club Annual General Meeting Thursday, 26th June in the Village Hall at 7pm.

Another Youth Club Quiz Night on Saturday, 27th September again in Capel School at 7pm.

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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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 £1,146.60p. This is a record amount for us...so, well done everyone, it has now been sent off to this worthy cause. Who, after all, has not either had a friend, relative, or perhaps even them-selves, 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 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 on 11th. October 2014. Don't worry; we will remind you nearer the time about whom to contact or where to take it.

Best wishes to you all and thank you once again for your continued support. The Organisers.

Police Contact Point

Capel-le-Ferne

- Discuss any policing issues with a local neighbourhood officer
- Get expert crime prevention advice
- Have your say on policing in Kent
- Pick up a free crime prevention item (subject to availability)

Available fortnightly on **Tuesdays**
Capel-le-Ferne Village Hall, Lancaster Avenue, Capel-le-Ferne, CT18 7LX

Surgery: Tuesday 10 June 2014
10.30am-12.00 pm
Contact Point: Village Hall Car Park.
5pm-6pm Tuesday,
10th June and 24th June

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- If you are deaf or speech-impaired, text 'Police' and your message to 60066
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CAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH*Capel Street. Services 10.30am.***Speakers for JUNE 2014**

- 1st David Bonnet (with communion)
 8th Rev Ruddle
 15th Pam Barr
 22nd Colin Patience
 29th Rev Barbara Heather

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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CAPEL EVENING WÍ

Congratulations to our Darts team who took part in the East Kent WI tournament. During an exhausting day, they lost just one leg which was enough to gain second place. Sporting as always, they even supported other teams during the day! We're very proud of our Ladies who continue to meet weekly and would welcome new members. Our next inter -WI competition is the top Team Quiz and our team is sharpening their wits – and reading encyclopaedias so we wish them well.

June officially marks the start of summer and is Wimbledon month. Our meeting on 10th June celebrates with a garden meeting on the green behind the Church in Albany Road. Mind you, we have booked the Church as well just in case it rains. Fingers crossed we won't need it. We are looking forward to seeing what everyone brings as a competition entry - a summer hat. Instead of tea and coffee we're serving Pimms (fruit juice for the drivers). The whole session will be informal with garden games available and a Tai Chi demonstration – members can watch or join in. Thank you to Vad Blake who will be running the evening in her relaxed style. If any lady would like to join us for the evening it will be an informal meeting, there should be plenty of time to chat. Just let Caroline know by ringing 247760.

May's meeting heard Rosemary Piddock talking about the journeys of Celia Fiennes, who could be called the world's first travel writer. Her adventures were very daring for a lady of her time and descendant Ralph Fiennes has obviously inherited some of her genes. Of her travels to Dover she wrote: "...and so to Dover, much up hill and down, it was a good Road and sort of champion country, yet at a distance you see many good woods and pretty houses with rows of trees; the Castle at Dover is discover'd five mile off standing on the edge of a very steep high hill, on which you ascend up to the tower 120 steps up, whence you discover Callice [Calais] in France; I saw the cliffs and hills plaine, but in some cleer dayes towards the evening you may see the towers and buildings of Callice; the Castle is left much to decay and ruinated, only a small appartment for the Governour of three or four rooms". Members' imagination was tested in the competition – an item beginning with the letter 'Y' – and as usual they came up trumps – yoyos, yolks (now hatched) yams and the winner (well done Gwen) a Yorkshire pudding. Did you know that the saying that yams and sweet potatoes is an American myth? One is a monocot, the other a dicot. I wonder if that will come up as a quiz question..... One last thing – 'Capel le Ferne WI' is now on Facebook or you could contact us directly Jayne 211480, Caroline 247760 or join us at the Farmers' Market for a chat.

CAPEL-LE-FERNE PARISH COUNCIL

Summary of items discussed at meeting on Tuesday, 20th May.

- **The meeting received no address to the Council:** **Councillor Appointments:** Clive Goble was re-elected for a further year as Chairman and Chris Norris as Vice-Chairman. Delegates and committees were also appointed for various aspects of Parish business.
- **Community Recreational Project** – By the time you read this issue, you will have noticed that the last phase of the project is almost complete with the installation of a Zip-Wire and 3 Lane Petanque Court. We cannot thank our wonderful Lynn Brisley enough for instigating this and for her and our “Teams” determination, in progressing it to a magnificent conclusion, that all of us can be proud to call an exceptional addition to “OUR VILLAGE”. At the meeting, Lynn was presented with the “Village Certificate for Recognition”, as someone who has made outstanding contributions to the welfare and enhancement of the village, together with a crystal engraved vase. She also received a further prestigious Award Certificate from the Kent Association of Local Councils in connection their scheme, supported and signed by the High Sheriff of Kent, Chairman of Kent County Council and Mayor of Medway. Thank you Lynn from all of us and not forgetting her family who have supported her throughout the last two and half years, whilst she dedicated a lot of her time to fulfilling this mission!
- **Equipment status** – Cllr: Pilcher presented a report to the meeting on related issues outstanding. • **Speeding on B2011** – Awaiting the return of “loan” data machine whilst away for repairs again! Sessions will commence again when it is back. Notification and rota will then be put in place.
- **Land Allocation Local Plan** and • **Anaerobic Digester Plant Planning Application** – Still awaiting official notifications and/or consultations from Dover District Council.
- **St Mary’s Churchyard** – Councillors are still discussing and investigating further, with the Parochial Church Council, the long-term maintenance implications of the Churchyard. Further details will follow when any decision has been resolved.
- **Neighbourhood Watch** – Cllr: Jones will be available at the Village Community Event on 28th June with many leaflets, brochures and information you may find useful.
- **Crime Reports** – See Wardens’ report on insert.
- **Highways** – Gullies in Capel Street have been cleaned and Satmar partly done. Lancaster Avenue highway under further investigation for more substantial maintenance. Reporting various potholes in the Parish – See separate insert below! Cost and implications to various Traffic Calming measures, to slow vehicles down, entering top of Capel Street was circulated to members – this would be investigated further by the Chairman and Cllr: Tutt and would be discussed at future meeting.

Next Parish Council meeting is on Tuesday, 17th June at 7.30pm in the Village Hall (Small Hall).

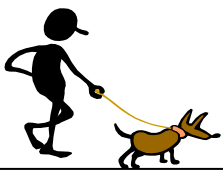
A COPY OF THE MEETING’S AGENDA WILL BE AVAILABLE ON THE PARISH COUNCIL WEBSITE A WEEK BEFORE THE MEETING. <http://www.capel-le-fernepc.kentparishes.gov.uk/> ALL PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC, SHOULD YOU WISH TO ATTEND. HOWEVER, IF YOU WISH TO ADDRESS THE COUNCILLORS, PLEASE INFORM THE 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.

Tel: 01303 259564. Email: maureen.leppard@btinternet.com

For 1st Hand information from the Parish Council received direct to your computer request Clerk to add your email to the database, like our Facebook Page <https://www.facebook.com/CapelLeFerneParishCouncil> or, follow on Twitter **Twitter Account @CapelParishCoun** Or visit our website <http://www.capel-le-fernepc.kentparishes.gov.uk/>

Dog Fouling and Litter – Councillors are concerned over the ever increasing sacks containing dog fouling being thrown in the trees and hedgerows. The assistance of the Dover District Council Dog Control Officer has been requested together with the enquiry for further waste bins. It has been noted these bins are continually full to overflowing, due to deposits of green and household waste in them. Therefore, Councillors are requesting YOUR consideration of OUR VILLAGE APPEARANCE and to NOT abuse the use of these bins and dog owners, requested to NOT throw your dog waste into the trees etc. “Nappy Sacks” are exceptionally cheap to purchase and an excellent use of collecting your dogs’ deposits, BUT PLEASE, DEPOSIT IN BINS OR TAKE HOME! The provision of more bins would be at a cost to the Parish Council and would mean that the Parish Precept that we all pay will need to be increased to compensate this further expense. THANK YOU!!

If you do witness a culprit, please report via Dover District Council on their on-line reporting system at <http://www.dover.gov.uk/Environment/Environmental-Crime/Report-Offenders-or-Request-a-Patrol.aspx>



**PLEASE DO NOT USE STREET WASTE BINS ON PLAYING FIELD
or ELSEWHERE FOR GREEN/GARDEN OR HOUSEHOLD WASTE.
THANK YOU. Capel-le-Ferne Parish Council.**

Highways, Transportation and Waste – Improvements to the online fault reporting tool, i.e. Potholes etc.

As a key part of our channel migration strategy, the highways team have spent the last year listening to our customers’ suggestions about how we can improve the online fault reporting tool and get more customers using it to let us know about a wide range of issues such as potholes. We have carried out several customer surveys and asked customers who currently email and call via our Contact Centre, how we can encourage them to use the tool which is the quickest, easiest and cheapest way to tell us about faults and ensure that we receive the right high quality information that we need to respond. Customers asked for the ability to upload photos and for easier ways to find our assets such as streetlights, salt bins and bollards. A new version of the tool went live on Friday the 2nd of May including all these improvements. We still find that many customers are choosing to email faults through to us, but that there is often not enough information to go on for us to find and investigate issues. We have therefore proposed a trial switch off of the generic highways email box with an auto response directing customers towards the online tool for fault reporting, to the KCC website for information and to the Contact Point for urgent or complex enquiries. This is the preferred way to let highways know about faults (the address is www.kent.gov.uk/highwayfaults). We appreciate that many customers still come to the District, Town & Parish Councils in the first place and it would be great if you can simply use the website address (or our 03000 418181 phone number if they don’t have internet access). So, contact us directly and the easiest way to do this is via our website. The highways mailbox will be closed from Monday the 12th of May for a period of 3 months with a final decision about permanent closure being taken in July. **Steve Rivers, Dover District Manager, KCC Highways, Transportation and Waste Service, Aylesford Depot, St Michael’s Close, Aylesford, ME20 7BU.** Tel: 03000 418181. Email: www.kent.gov.uk

Capel Outdoor Recreational Facilities Update Olympic & Jubilee Legacy



Yes!!! By the time you receive this, you will be more than aware, we have confirmation that we have secured the final funding of £9,529 from The Big Lottery to complete the Community Recreational Project.

More details on this will be in the next issue of the Grapevine.

This will now complete the last phase of our Project, (that was borne some two and half years ago plus), with the installation of a Zip-Wire and 3 Lane Petanque Court.

Work is well underway and hopefully, will be completed in time for the

2014 FIELD EVENT on 28th JUNE, 10.30am – 4pm

AND ... More Fun, Fun, Fun Time on our Queen Elizabeth II Playing Field



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Bonfires are often used to get rid of garden wastes. This can lead to smoke and fumes which may cause problems for those living and/or working close by. Smoke can interfere with a neighbour's enjoyment of their garden; put them off opening windows and hanging out washing. Some considerations you should make when having a bonfire; weather conditions, time of day, are neighbours likely to be in garden or have windows open? Are neighbours drying washing outside? Only burn dry material, do not burn household waste, tyres or anything containing plastic, foam or paint.

I am being bothered by bonfire smoke: If you are bothered by smoke from a bonfire, firstly approach your neighbour and explain the problem. If this fails the Environmental Protection Team may be able to help. If you do decide to contact them, it is useful to have details on the bonfire, i.e. dates, times, how it bothered you etc.

How do I dispose of waste that I would usually burn? These days it is not necessary to burn waste. Most areas in the district now have kerb side collection for both [garden waste](#) and [recyclables](#); details can be found via the [Waste Services](#) Department. If you are a keen gardener composting is a good alternative to burning. If none of these options are suitable you will find that the Kent County Council [Household Recycling Centres \(Tips\)](#), will accept most waste items and recycle it.

Government Legislation: Section 79 of the Environmental Protection Act 1990 refers to nuisances caused by smoke. It may well be that smoky bonfires could be a contravention of the Act if they occur on a regular basis, and prosecution may result. It is, however, the view of this Authority that most people are proud of their civic responsibility as they are of their own gardens, and will consider their neighbours before lighting a bonfire.

Further information and guidance on bonfires is obtainable by contacting the Environmental Protection Team on 01304 872428 or visit the National Society for Clean Air and Environmental Protection at www.environmental-protection.org.uk



At a special lunchtime buffet recently, thanks were expressed to all our past and present deliverers and production team.
Thanks were also recognized to Margaret Smith who, 20 years ago, named Capel-le-Ferne's Newsletter!
Happy 20th Birthday - "The Grapevine"!



Capel Active Retirement Association

It is our pleasure to inform past and present members of CapelARA that following our AGM on the 6th May we are in full swing for another year of monthly meetings with an excellent variety of speakers, outings and meals being arranged for your enjoyment. The present Committee members have been voted in by the group members to serve for another year. To refresh your memories please see below. The annual subscription remains the same; and several fresh ideas were discussed to enhance our times together. A copy of the AGM minutes will be available in due course for all members to read – please contact the Secretary on 250144 if you would like to do so.

Chairman – Bert Sheppard – 245037 – bertsheppard64@btinternet.com
 Deputy Chair – Jenny Barraclough – 245399 – jenny-bar@dsl.pipex.com
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 Raffles – Brenda Parr – 670210

If you would like to renew your subscription or would like to become a new member of CapelARA please contact Bert Sheppard, as above, who as well as Chair also receives Membership details. We look forward to hearing from you and seeing you at all our events. Our next meeting is on Tuesday 3rd June when we are privileged to hear about the Mercy Ships – see poster for details.

Programme of Forthcoming Events – Capel Active Retirement Association

2014

3 rd JUNE	MERCY SHIPS
1 st JULY	HELP WITH CARE & HOW TO PAY FOR IT
5 th AUGUST	FOLKESTONE HISTORY
2 nd SEPT	AGE UK
7 th OCT	CREATIVE GARDENING
4 th NOV	RIVERS - WINDMILLS & CANALS
2 nd DEC	CHRISTMAS PARTYTIME

2015

6 th JAN	KENT FIRE BRIGADE
3 rd FEB	FOLKESTONE ADULT EDUCATION CENTRE
3 rd MAR	to be advised
7 th APRIL	FILM STAR (NO PRIZES FOR GUESSING)

**Our next meeting is on
Tuesday 3rd June at 2pm in
the Village Hall**

Speaker: Dr Gehad Homsey

Subject: *Mercy Ships*

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We have had good advertising lately, with photographs of the Easter Egg Hunt, and a Press Release printed in the East Kent Mercury, Folkestone Herald and Dover Express – all great news for us! In fact we should be having more very soon, as we are joining in with the Kent Farmers Market Association June Event. This is a special event they are arranging which is being spearheaded by Michel Roux the chef – they have asked Kent Farmers Markets to hold a special event to help promote Farmers Markets and Local produce.

We plan our event to be held on 10th June, where the chef from the Marquis of Granby at Alkham, will be coming along to do a Cookery Demonstration. We will also be holding a Tombola style free draw – one free ticket per customer for a chance to win various prizes. We do hope you will come along and support our event and again, we hope the press will be there for even more advertising!

Stalls vary from week to week now, as some stallholders are commencing their annual holidays, we however, still offer a wide choice for our customers every week, an average of 22 stalls. We are also still seeing new stalls joining us and the latest being Real Deal Roasters (freshly ground coffee), Marshmallow Heaven (a great variety of Marshmallows), A Kentish Tipple (sourcing locally produced non-alcoholic drinks, oils and crisps etc.), and The Flapjack Company (18 flavours to choose from). R & R Ales have also returned after a long break. Sandgate Bakery has had many problems recently with their son's very serious accident, who has now thankfully fully recovered. Also, on their return from their well-deserved holiday, their oven broke down. This now sorted, they are now back-to-normal. If there are any products you would like to see sold at our market please let us know and we will do our utmost to find them! We have a supply of business cards for the market, if you would like a few to hand out to friends & family, your local club/pub/restaurant etc. - please just ask.

Please do visit the Craft Hall too, a really good selection of local crafts, great for present ideas and for the home. Also now Spring has sprung, Garden Ornamentals have some lovely items to cheer up your garden or for gifts! James is also on hand for those Passport/Driving Licence/Bus Pass/Portrait Photos or even bookings for parties/weddings etc. Our 'Postal Service' (run by volunteers) is also alongside the Crafts

We now have the following products on sale:- Fish, Meat, Eggs, Preserves, Jams, Honey & Pickles, Delicatessen, Smoked Fish & Cheese, Italian Pasta Dishes, European dishes, Bread, Cakes, Flapjacks, Pastries, Vegetables, Fruit, Fudge, Marshmallows, Freshly Ground Coffee, Fruit Liqueurs, Non-alcoholic drinks, Oils, Kentish Crisps, Kentish Ale, Plants and a wide variety of Crafts.

Also don't forget to enter our WEEKLY DRAW. We have had many lucky winners who have been able to buy that special treat with their vouchers. For just 50p a go, there's a chance of winning vouchers to be spent at the market – no profit is being made, all money raised from the Draw goes back into prize vouchers. The winners' names are always on the board in the hallway.

Please Note: The Market Opens at 10 a.m. For your own Safety, and before an accident happens, we request this time be recognized due to heavy boxes etc. being delivered during setting up. We are sorry for any inconvenience, and we thank you for your co-operation.

Please also be aware, that the village Community Warden and/or our PSO are usually on hand at the market to answer any questions. Also the KCC Mobile Library attends just outside the car park, at 12 Noon every week.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:-

7th June – Battle of Britain Memorial Make & Paint Day - some of our stalls will be attending.
10th June – Kent Farmers Market Association June Event. 28th June – Village Fun Day – some of our stalls will be attending.
22nd July – Free Dog Micro-chipping in the Car Park

AN URGENT APPEAL

Would you or anyone you know, be interested in 'coming on board' the Farmers Market Committee to help run it? We, Cherry and Jenny, have been running the market now for 11 years and, although we have no plans to discontinue at the present time, neither of us are getting any younger! This scenario has recently been highlighted too, with Cherry's unfortunate accident, which has incapacitated her. We therefore need one or maybe two others to learn the ropes for the future and to help cover when one of us is ill or on holiday. Maybe you've just retired and want something to do, or are new to the village and want to get involved? We also require someone to run the Weekly Draw for us please. If you are interested in either or both of the above, please contact Cherry 255114 or Jenny 245399 to discuss what is involved.

Please note: The products for sale are produced (in the majority of cases) by the stallholder, in Kent, unless clearly marked otherwise.

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.

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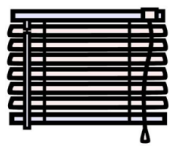
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1.	The Painted Veil 1934	13	In Which We Serve 1942	26	Ben Hur 1959	38	Paths of Glory 1957
2	Whiskey Galore 1949	14	A Night at the Opera 1935	27	A Place in the Sun 1951	39	A Night to Remember 1958
3	The 39 Steps 1935	15	Frankenstein 1931	28	The Grapes of Wrath 1940	40	How Green Was My Valley 1941
4	The African Queen 1951	16	The Invisible Man 1933	29	On The Waterfront 1954	41	The Big Sleep 1946
5	The Sheik 1921	17	Spellbound 1945	30	Moby Dick 1956	42	The Ten Commandments 1956 Roman Holiday 1956
6	An Affair to Remember 1957	18	The Three Musketeers 1921	31	The Third Man 1949	43	Some Like It Hot 1959
7	Mutiny on the Bounty 1935	19	Fantasia 1940	32	Coquette 1929	44	Gone With The Wind 1939
8	She Wore a Yellow Ribbon 1949	20	Arsenic and Old Lace 1944	33	From Here to Eternity 1956	45	The Diary of Anne Frank 1959
9	King Kong 1933	21	It's a Wonderful Life 1946	34	12 Angry Men 1957	46	Citizen Kane 1941
10	The Gold Rush 1925	22	Dracula 1931	35	A Streetcar Named Desire 1951	47	The Blob 1958
11	Animal Crackers 1930	23	Dumbo 1941	36	The Defiant Ones 1958	48	White Christmas 1954
12	The Belles of St. Trinians 1954	24	The Great Dictator 1940	37	The Maltese Falcon 1941	49	Cat on a Hot Tin Roof 1958
		25	Bringing Up Baby 1938			50	Rear Window 1954



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Light Refreshments will be served, entry is £1.50 and the
 monthly competition is for a "Pot Plant Foliage"

The recent good weather should be helping all members
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First this month let me apologise to Pam and Peter for getting their wedding anniversary wrong, it should have been their Diamond anniversary not Golden as printed.

This year's presentation night was extremely well attended. A good night was had by all and everyone seemed to enjoy the meal.

This year's AGM our 27th year was also well attended. Pim Scales was made an honorary member in recognition of her support and hard work in the club. She has been missed at the club and especially by me in the kitchen on a Wednesday afternoon. Get well soon Pim and get back in the kitchen.

We have 31 members and 4 honorary members. With room for a few more if you fancy joining our merry band.

A full committee was elected with the addition of two new members.

Tuesday nights are picking up and Rachel's prize night have been well received. Two trips have been organised by Wendy, the first will be a romantic coach drive along the coast to the Britannia Inn Dungeness for a candle lit supper on the 24th June, and then in August we have the Bowls club beano to Le Touquet in France. We take the early morning ferry to Calais and then by coach to Le Touquet, we hope to stop at a wine supermarket on the return journey. If we can't sell all the seats then members of the village will be invited to come along.

We have also booked our BBQ afternoon and lost friends competition for the 3rd of August and the Boys V Girls competition for 16th November.

USEFUL CONTACTS INCLUDING ACTIVITIES & CLUBS	CONTACT NAMES	TELEPHONE NUMBER
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Village Hall Committee Treasurer	Sue Leaning	01303 256704
Village Hall Committee Lettings Secretary	Mrs Joan Woodsford	01303 252354
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Youth Club	Mr Simon Withey	07860803767

Please let me know of alterations or additions to above list Maureen Leppard (Editor)
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I held a quiz night and raffle, with the help of Mick Marshall, to raise money for my charity, to run the London marathon.

A BIG thank you to everyone that came along brought raffle tickets and also sponsored me.
A BIG, BIG, thank you to Mick (who really helped me), also to Martin and Ian!

It took me 4hrs 25mins. I raised £348 at the quiz night and £191 on the wheelbarrow raffle.
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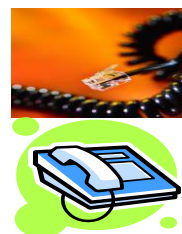
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Items for July issue to be with Maureen Leppard (Editor)
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THURSDAY 17TH APRIL

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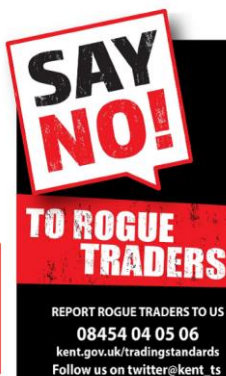
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• Get at least three quotes from alternative businesses.

• Remember your 7 day "cooling off" period when buying on your doorstep. Find out more at www.adviceguide.org.uk

Follow KCC Trading Standards on Twitter @kent_ts



REPORT ONLINE

Think you've seen a rogue trader in your area? Report it online kent.gov.uk/tradingstandards

Or call Citizens Advice consumer service 08454 04 05 06 (Monday - Friday 9am - 5pm)

Link below for the latest issue of the **Folkestone Warren Newsletter**, which I hope you will find interesting. The good news is that Highland cattle have started grazing in The Warren. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require any further information.

<http://www.capel-le-fernepc.kentparishes.gov.uk/UserFiles/fi/le/Folkestone%20Warren%20News%20May%202014.pdf>

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Just a quick update from Dave and I, your friendly Community Wardens

We were in Capel recently and removed graffiti from road signs and unauthorised advertising hoardings from around the village. We had a walk round, called at the School, Battle of Britain Site, Nursery and Bowls Club, spoke to a driveway company in Alexandra Road and checked outlying lay-bys for fly tips.

We wanted to let you know there have been a series of shed and outbuilding breaks in the last weeks affecting rural areas of Shepway. Mostly tools targeted, but anything taken.

Also unlocked works vans outside their clients houses are being watched and swiftly raided.

Kent Police have one in custody but, break-ins still continuing so thought it was worth making you aware.

Have attached a 'Sheduction' flyer just in case it's useful and I can do security marking after half term week, Dave may be able to do something earlier if required.

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Sheduction

Burglaries of sheds and garages are growing!



The value of property in sheds, garages and outbuildings can be more than you think.

Thieves are targeting them for power tools, cycle and sports equipment. Hand tools are stolen and/or used to break into your home. Items such as toys and garden furniture are targets too, even food and drink from fridge/freezers. All are easy to sell on quickly.

So let's weed out these thieves by getting some SHEDUCATION!

SECURE – lock garden gates and shed doors at all times.

HAVE YOU MARKED YOUR EQUIPMENT? Clear marking reduces resale values and increases the chance of being caught. Mark with postcode and house number, photograph valuable items.

EXTERNAL - security marking signage can be a useful deterrent.

DOORS - Use strong padlocks. Windows should be secured with locks or grilles.

USE coach bolts and anti tamper non-return screws to secure door hinges.

CHAIN - cycles, mowers, ladders and tools to a strong anchorage point or together

ALARMS – shed alarms are available for under £20 at DIY stores or on line.

TOGETHER WE CAN CRACK IT! Join a Neighbourhood Watch Scheme, watch out for your neighbours, record and report anything suspicious to Kent Police on 101.

EXACTLY WHAT INSURANCE COVER DO YOU HAVE? Check that your household policy covers you for theft from your garden outbuilding.

Some typical methods of securing your property:



Cat spikes



Shed alarm



Security Marking



Bull Bar



Secure padlocks

MARK IT - LOCK IT - Report anything suspicious to 101
www.kent.gov.uk/communitywardens www.kent.police.uk



It's simple to Stay Safe

With the warmer weather approaching, remember to secure your:

- **home**, by locking doors and windows with the keys each time you go out, go to bed or work in the garden – lifting the handle on uPVC doors will not keep out intruders
- **garden**, by locking tools and equipment away safely after use and making sure gates and boundary fences are secure and in good repair
- **vehicle**, whether you're out for a day trip or relaxing at home, always empty and lock your vehicle and take all belongings with you – even loose change or a jacket could tempt a passing thief
- **valuables**, and don't get distracted if you're out and about – keep your wallet, bank cards and mobile phone in a zipped pocket or bag and in your possession at all times.

For more tips visit <http://www.kent.police.uk/advice/advice.html>