

The Village Hall Committee has been disturbed recently, by the number of people using the Veolia bin at the hall for their domestic rubbish. Items deposited have included DIY bits and pieces and even a two-seater sofa. Using CCTV we have been able to take the registration numbers of the vehicles concerned and of their occupants, and will forward these details to the relevant authorities. The Hall, even though a charity, pays a considerable sum to have our rubbish taken away and while we are happy to help out should someone have genuine difficulties (and let us know in advance), we would suggest that people with cars and access to local recycling centres, do not fall into this category. Please act with consideration and dispose of your own waste responsibly.

And NOT in our bins. Thank you



Village Hall Car Park and Parish Council Recreation Areas of Playing Field are covered by monitored CCTV.

<u>With "Rule of 6" Government Regulation, it is quite</u> <u>difficult to make any plans for future, so please check with</u> <u>each organisation direct to clarify events and meetings.</u> <i>"WHAT'S ON" IN CAPEL-LE-FERNE</i>				
If you know details of your event in advance, please let Editor know so organisations avoid booking same date				
10 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Cancer Research Jumble Sale CANCELLED			
10 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Youth Club Quiz Night CANCELLED			
13 <sup>th</sup> Oct	WI Meeting - How to Avoid Being Scammed			
10 <sup>th</sup> Nov	WI Meeting - Annual Meeting			
17 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Capel Gardeners' A G M @ St Radigunds' Church Hall			
8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	WI Meeting - Christmas meeting			



An eventful month has passed culminating with the new changes in government COVID 19 legislation resulting in a lot of hall users anxious about the significance of 'the rule of 6'. Its' impact on hall use is negligible so long as the group of 6 stays 1m plus away from the next group of 6. The Committee is erring on the side of caution by putting chairs and tables 2m apart as in the Farmers Market. You can still get tea and coffee at the Farmers' Market but no more than 6 can meet at one table and each set of table and chairs will be 2m apart. This has actually been the rule since the Farmers' Market started meeting indoors again. One difference that recent changes have made, is that apart from those taking part in some kind of sporting activity, all hall users including volunteers will have to wear a facemask. Unless you're eating and drinking of course!

Before I continue, can I offer a big vote of thanks to all those who worked so hard to make the Garage Safari a success. From the kitchen, to the maps, to the stall booking, and not excluding those who worked on the promotion and preparation of the event, everyone worked hard to make sure that the day passed off so Because it was so difficult to anticipate the well. numbers on the day, the kitchen ran out of food during the lunch period (and milk, cold drinks etc) - we can only apologise for this. It wasn't helped by the fact that unfortunately Streetz to Streetz couldn't make it either as their van had mechanical issues. From where I was helping with the traffic marshalling, social distancing was widely observed although several people did have to be reminded when they got too excited over the goods on display. We had printed social distancing reminders on the maps and stallholder leaflets that we had issued, and I understand that some stalls had sanitisers. Although the car park at the playing field was widely used, some people did park in the village and in some cases with little consideration for others. This is difficult to prevent but we know the 'hotspots' now and will try and address this next time.

The Village Hall risk assessment was due to be overhauled this month and possibly some elements relaxed but as things stand, there will be no changes for now. This means that the main hall and the small hall can still not be booked at the same time, which continues to put pressure on the available bookings. We ask that people trying to book the hall, bear with us and be prepared for some flexibility.

At its last meeting and with some regret, the committee decided to cancel the New Year's Eve Event this year. With current COVID 19 restrictions it would have been very difficult to ensure social distancing. Subject to what are now the usual caveats, we hope to be able to run this next year. Thanks to all those who use the hall for your patience and forbearance at this difficult time and thank you to all our volunteers for their dedication to ensuring that the Hall remains open and available for all. **Email Sally on eures1994@yahoo.com** 

#### RECYCLING - INSIDE THE HALL

Boxes are provided for: Used Stamps for Donkey Sanctuary and McMillan Cancer. Bottle Tops are also being collected again. Please place the above in the relevant boxes. A big thank you to everyone who puts their used stamps in the box in the Village Hall. Please carry on for these good causes.

#### <u>100+ CLUB</u>

Draw numbers for September were as follows:1st Megan Jordan2nd Steve Leonard3rd Gess Harman3rd Gess HarmanTake care and stay safe.Contact C Bunting - c.bunting@btconnect.com

<u>Capel-le-Ferne History Book</u> <u>"Village in the Clouds"</u> Copies still available £5 each from Cherry: Tel: 01303 255114





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CHURCH SERVICES in October 2020						
Date	Alkham	Capel	Hougham			
Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Evening Prayer</b>	Eucharist	Worshipping			
17 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity	6.30 pm	9:30 am	Together 11.00 am			
Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Eucharist	Worshipping Together				
HARVEST	9:30 am	11.00 am				
Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup>		United Parish Eucharist				
ST LUKE		10.00 am				
		followed by Annual Church				
		Meeting (APCM)				
Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup>	<b>United Parish</b>					
Last Sunday after Trinity	Eucharist 10.00 am					
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...will be back as soon as we can meet again safely.



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## From the vicarage

Yes, it's true! Since last month, Yours Truly has been a victim of crime!

For the first time ever, the plum tree in the Vicarage garden had surprised us by producing a decent amount of fruit. We returned home one afternoon to find it stripped - not a single plum left, nothing even lying on the grass. Admittedly, it was hardly the Crime of the Century - people suffer far worse, as indeed we have ourselves in the past - but there was still the sense of disbelief, violation, sadness and uneasiness at the thought of someone having been there uninvited.

Harvest, when we give thanks for God's goodness to us, is approaching. It would be wrong to be selfish over our small part of it – after all, in Ancient Israel it was the custom, when the harvest was gathered in, to leaving some of it for the those who really needed it. Had someone called at the door and asked if they could have had a handful of plums, the answer would have been yes. But we hadn't got as far as gathering in our harvest, and nothing was left for us or anyone else, whether they needed it or not.

When I was teaching, I met plenty of children for whom a handful of plums would have been a rare treat. I would like to think that our plums went to someone like that.

Of course, it may be that someone, somewhere, is conscious of what the Prayer Book calls 'misdoings.' They might even be 'heartily sorry' and find the remembrance of their misdoings 'grievous' and the 'burden of them intolerable'. In which case, they could always try easing their conscience with a donation towards the St Mary's Lychgate Appeal... Brian

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Dear Members,

Because of the new covid regulations of gatherings of only six people we had to hold our AGM and presentation Earlier than advertised.

Some of the main issues discussed and passed were....playing sessions to remain the same Tue, Wed, Sun, starting on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> September, but each session will only last one hour without a tea break and will consist of two games of eight people on two mats. The playing fees will remain at £1.50 per session, membership will be £10 until April 2021 plus your £2 cupboard fee. Food and drink will not be available but you can bring your own.

The present committee agreed to stay on until the next AGM in April 2021

For those who haven't paid please make your cheques payable to CSMBC or you can pay cash to Ros as soon as possible.

14 members were in attendance and the successful players collected their trophies. The honours board has been updated.

If you have any questions please contact any member of the committee.

If you have any concerns you can email me on snacks1134@aol.com

Or phone any of the committee members.

#### **Barry Mansfield (Chairman)**



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"from small acorns,

mighty oaks will grow"





I don't care how magnificent you are, the law says six.....

<u>CAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH</u> The Chapel has reopened and for the foreseeable future it will be Pam Barr leading worship each week.



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Capel le Ferne Parish Council to Remembering the Few at the National Memorial to the Few

Thank you everyone so much from us all, both Councillors and Residents for commemorating the 80th Anniversary of The Battle of Britain Day.

Much appreciated in these unprecedented times.

Battle of Britain Day, the name given to the large-scale aerial battle that took place on 15th September 1940, during the Battle of Britain. **TO WATCH VIDEO, CLICK FOLLOWING LINK** 

https://www.facebook.com/rememberthefew/videos/3583 53131880203

Although the Crowdfunder campaign is now over, the Trust still needs funding to help continue its work. You can now use our text donation service to donate: To donate £1, text THEFEW to 70201 To donate £3, text THEFEW to 70331 To donate £5, text THEFEW to 70970

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Events at the Battle of Britain Memorial New Dover Road (B2011), Capel-le-Ferne, CT18 7JJ. Tel: No: 01303 249292 For all News from The Battle of Britain Memorial Home to the National Memorial to the Few and The Scramble Experience Website: https://www.battleofbritainmemorial.org/

Facebook Page: https://www.facebook.com/rememberthefew

Newsletter from the Battle of Britain Memorial Home to the National Memorial to the Few and The Scramble Experience FOLLOWING LINK TO VIEW <u>https://www.battleofbritainmemorial.org/read-ourlatest-enewsletter/</u>



As part of our Covid-19 precautions, visitors must wear a face covering in the building.

These can be removed when seated in the cafe. Scramble Experience sessions run for 50 minutes every hour, giving staff time to sanitise the Experience before the next session. Pre-book your Scramble Experience by



emailing <u>enquiries@battleofbritainmemorial.org</u>
Please follow social distancing guidelines and keep dogs on leads.
The Memorial is the ideal place to teach the younger generation about the bravery and sacrifice of the Few.
While the Memorial is a place for reflection, we are happy for children to run around in the fresh air and enjoy the views. We know that they will love the replica Spitfire and Hurricane too! We only ask that you take a few minutes to explain to them the significance of the Memorial and what it stands for.
We're open every Friday to Monday between 10am and 5pm All visitors must wear face coverings inside The Wing (except when eating in the café)







Hello Everyone, this year we held our 61<sup>st</sup> Birthday meeting in the Village Hall, which was a little bit different with everyone having to wear masks and sitting well away from each other, but in the true spirit of things we did the best in the circumstances. There was a smaller attendance than usual as some people are still a bit concerned with Covid 19 and being inside, also some were not able to come as being unwell. Pam welcomed us all and gave us any updates on what is happening, read out letters and informed us of future plans that we might be able to do, i.e. meeting up with sub-groups such as the darts team, craft, book club and home economics. Eve told us the time and location of the different meetings.

PIRING WOMEN

It was all looking very promising with everyone getting excited and looking forward to meeting up, when next morning it was announced that there could only be 6 people in a group so now the plans are all to be cancelled again, it is a shame and disappointing but can't be helped. The evening continued with a quiz of 10 questions each on general knowledge, flags, potluck and names of countries with four letters. After lots of groans and calling out "I have never heard of it, what does it mean? "we tried to answer as much as we could with Glynis coming top with the most correct answers. Keeping social distancing, with our masks on we went round to chat to each other before it was time to go home a little earlier than usual.We were able to choose a pack with a quiz book, pen, pencil and pencil sharpener of our choice as well as a beautifully decorated homemade box with a delicious iced and marzipan fruit cake to take home. A big thank you to Alison for making the cake and Caroline for decorating it, the boxes were hand made by Alison and her friend, invitations were handmade by Jan and Alison and delivered to everyone's door. Alison also ordered the quiz books and Pam packed them in the bags. Their hard work made the evening a success and was a lovely surprise for the members to receive some gifts and birthday cake. We also delivered cake and gifts to those who could not come.

It is quite difficult to make any plans for future meetings but with the online letters keeping us up to date with the news and a different quiz each time to keep the brain ticking over it all helps.





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If you know someone that does not do Facebook, but would welcome receiving email updates and notifications relating to the Village, between the printed and delivered Grapevine Newsletters, please email <u>clerkcapellefernepc@btinternet.com</u> so they can be added to the Parish Council email database.

#### NO MEETING IN SEPTEMBER

#### <u>Summary of some items decided under Delegated Powers 2020</u>

**Requests from public to address the Council, plus Surgery and** <u>Other Feedback</u>: • High numbers of bottles and cans, plus other rubbish reported in playing field, together with concerns on recent anti-social behavior. • Diverted traffic on B2011 during nights when works take place on A20/Roundhill Tunnels report to Highway England, requesting more diversion signs etc.

**Traffic Management and Highways:** • Waiting response from Kent Highways on Parish Council Highway Improvement Plan with exact costings for future planning. • Outline design for safety improvements for both Dover Hill and New Dover Road, received. "The scheme has recently been safety audited and as a result there are a few minor additional improvements that need to be applied to the design. It has also been highlighted the new pedestrian crossing point will require additional lighting, i.e. four new lamp columns on the approach and so this is currently being designed by our street lighting team. As previously stated KCC have the budget to install this scheme this financial year, we will keep you up to date with progress".

Planning:• (HLAA/LALP) - Dover District Council Land<br/>Allocation Local Plan Consultation – Still waiting Notification for a<br/>public consultation date.• Local Needs, Housing Need Surveys<br/>and Partnership Working:and Partnership Working:Costs and implications requested with<br/>Rural Kent.

Other Planning: https://www.dover.gov.uk/Home.aspx

>Planning>Applications>View-Applications>Decisions

**Neighbourhood Watch:** • Reports circulated on the joint walkabouts by Community Warden Jan Henry and PCSO Megan Keehner.

**Playing Field and Equipment:** • Replacement of shackles and bushes to junior swings, adjustment to zip-wire seat, all acknowledged and awaiting works to be programmed by contractor. Extensive refurbishment to Skate-Park ramps to be implemented by contractor to edgings and a general upgrade.

Thanks expressed to B Young Grounds Maintenance for weeding and tidying the perimeter edge of Skate-park.

**<u>Public Rights of Way and Highways:</u>** • Items of concern reported to Kent Public Rights of Way and Kent Highways respectively.

**Speed Watch:** Relaxation of Kent Police restrictions being considered by volunteer co-ordinators and practitioners.

Capel Cares: No report received.

**Other:** • Fly-tipping rear of Capel Street on Farmer's Land boundary – "DDC visited the area and there appeared to be no vehicle access to the site across the field from Cauldham Lane in order to get to the rear of the properties identified. The waste found was on the whole inert waste which was unlikely to harbour rodents therefore they would not look to take actions upon landowners. If particular residents have further information or evidence of rodent activity within their properties they can look into this further".

<u>Letter from Kent County Council</u> regarding registering an interest to increase the number of publicly accessible Electric Vehicle (EV) charging points circulated for members consideration.

#### Training/workshops/seminars:

- Clerk attended Webinar: New Code of Conduct.
- Clerk attended interactive virtual Kent Association of Local Councils seminar on "Effective Communications and Engagement in a Post-Lockdown World".

**Enquiries from Councillors:** • None

Due to the "Rule of 6" Government Regulation currently in place, Parish Councillors are discussing remotely, the safety of Parish Council Members and the Public attending meetings. It has been recommend by the National Association of Local Councils (NALC), that we revert to delegated powers decisions and/or consider the use of Zoom online meetings, or something similar, until Covid-19 regulations are relaxed.

<u>Therefore, the next Parish Council meeting is</u> <u>unknown at present.</u> <u>Venue and dates, will be arranged when known,</u> <u>and notified accordingly.</u>

A COPY OF MINUTES/DECISIONS/AGENDAS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE PARISH COUNCIL WEBSITE <u>https://www.capellefernepc.org.uk/</u> ALL PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS WILL BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC. IF YOU WISH TO ATTEND AND ADDRESS THE COUNCILLORS, PLEASE INFORM CLERK. Further information on any of the above or to contact Parish Council, please write to Parish Clerk, 39 Victoria Road, Capel-le-Ferne or Tel: 01303 259564. Email: clerkcapellefernepc@btinternet.com





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#### Did you know that dropping litter is a criminal offence? You could pick up a £75 fixed penalty notice for not putting your litter in the bin.



SCAM ALERT

# COUNCIL TAX REFUND TEXT SCAM!

Please remember to keep your homes secure and protect your belongings from opportunistic burglars.

With more people returning to their place of work in recent weeks, it has become even more important to ensure windows and doors are locked and other measures are taken to ensure criminals are not allowed to help themselves to items that do not belong to them.

While the number of residential burglaries recorded in Kent has not yet returned to pre-lockdown levels, there has been a gradual increase from 382 in May 2020 to 395 in June, 410 in July and 443 in August. There were 592 recorded in February 2020, the last full month before the lockdown began.

Detective Chief Inspector Lopa McDermott of the Chief Constable's Crime Squad said: 'One of the silver linings of more people being at home during the pandemic has been a reduction in the number of burglaries recorded and therefore fewer families whose lives have been torn apart due to a criminal breaking into their home.

'What nobody wants now is for complacency to creep in, as burglars are always on the lookout for an open window, an unlocked door or expensive items left on display.

'Burglary is a terrible crime that can have a hugely detrimental effect on victims, and we at Kent Police use every tool at our disposal to identify those responsible and bring them to justice. We encourage everyone else to play their part and take personal responsibility for ensuring their homes are as secure as possible.'

Here are some useful tips to help protect your home from burglars:

• Close and lock all your doors and windows, even if you're only going out for a few minutes;

• Make sure any valuables are out of sight;

• Keep handbags away from the letterbox or cat flap and hide all keys including car keys, as a thief could hook keys or valuables through even a small opening;

• Never leave car documents or ID in obvious places such as kitchens or hallways;

• In the evening, shut the curtains and leave some lights on when leaving the home;

• If you are out all day, then it is advisable to use a timer device to automatically turn lights and a radio on at night.

Visit <u>https://www.kent.police.uk/.../crim.../residential-burglary/</u> for further burglary prevention advice.

I am concerned at the situation in the Dover area, for example the Whitfield development, as a result, I have requested action from our local and neighbouring MPs Natalie Elphicke and Craig Mckinley to take a stance to look after their constituents who have properties near such proposed developments.

The government paper "Planning for the Future" is showing what can only be described as mutant algorithms for future building developments in the East Kent area which anyone with just half an amount of common sense can see the algorithms are flawed by proposing that Dover area accepts a 115% increase in development.

Dear Ms Elphicke and Mr Mckinley.

I would like you to tell me what you have done or are proposing to do about the Government's draft Planning for the Future. The proposal in this bill is, in short, entirely to remove any democratic part in planning for the areas where we live. I am dismayed that a Conservative government should engage in this Prescotism. It has it's elements of consultation suggested but they are a mere pretence of including the local people.

It's also based on the false claim, repeated I am sorry to say by successive Conservative ministers, that it is the planning system with its pesky democratic bits (such as they are) which is holding up the wholesale concreting of large parts of Kent in particular and the South East in general.

It cannot be argued that delays in delivery are caused by planning bureaucracy when *more than a million homes with planning permission have not been built.* Since 2009, 2564600 homes have been approved for construction but only 1530680 completed (source LGA used government sourced figures for analysis).

Since 2012/13 the number of planning permissions granted has almost doubled with councils approving 9 in 10 applications. I call on the government to give councils power to take action on land that has planning permission for homes to make it easier to compulsory purchase land where homes remain unbuilt. The planning system is not a barrier to house building, " no one can live in a planning permission or a half built house where work has begun on a site but not been completed."

It is vital that the planning process is protected in order that councils and their communities can ensure we realise the government's ambition of building beautiful homes which includes the necessary infastructure and affordable housing.



These figures give lies to the government's claims that council planning departments are the problem in getting more new homes built. The Tory government should give councils tough "use it or lose it" controls over land with planning permission and stronger powers to require mixed development to meet local housing needs.

The algorithm or formula is already producing absurdly anomalous, so-called 'housing needs' numbers. "Need" is a phony word. It's never been true that the increase from 6,000 to 13,800 pushed onto Tunbridge Wells Borough Council in West Kent in 2016 was to provide homes for people currently living in the borough. It's even less true that the 'need' only five years later is set to go up to about 18,000 before we've even made a plan for the last travesty. We are seeing the same picture in East Kent in the Dover area These are self fulfilling prophecies, because when you build the houses people move in from outside to fill them, thus apparently proving the numbers right.

The Covid crisis with its working from home has shown that it is no longer critical where you actually are to take part in the economy. It is no longer essential to cram everything in the South East and London.

Strategically it should go to our new friends in the North and the north Midlands where land prices are much cheaper and there is more room plus they want the economic boost of building.

On another track, that homeworking argues ever louder for a shift of the £100bn from HS2 to the provision of a world standard digital communication system for broadband and mobile phones. That's the shape of the future economy.

Why cannot the South East MP's unite with the 1922 Committee and defeat the Government's proposed legislation with the Conservative 80 seat majority?

I and the parishes I serve look forward to your responses.

Geoffrey Lymer, Kent County Councillor Dover West Ward



Roads enforcement and safety survey

The Kent Police and Crime Commissioner has asked we share this Road Safety and Enforcement survey with residents of Kent: <u>https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/apccsaferoads</u>

It aims to gauge views on road safety across the country and what traffic law enforcement may look like in future. We would like as many people across all parishes to get their views heard.

In 2018, 1,784 people were killed on Britain's roads – this included 456 pedestrians and 48 children. In addition, 25,511 people were seriously injured.

The Government is currently reviewing roads policing, and what the future of traffic law enforcement may look like. We are keen to hear your views and invite you to complete this short survey to help inform the Police and Crime Commissioner's response to Government.

https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/apccsaferoads







The Kent Battle of Britain Museum HAWKINGE A short Memorial Service was held at the Kent Battle of Britain Museum Trust, Hawkinge, 15th September 2020, commemoration of the 80th Anniversary of the Battle of Britain. The Service was sadly held behind closed doors due to the current Covid pandemic and to comply with

current restrictions.

For further information on the Museum please have a look at our excellent website: www.kbobm.org







Hosted by <u>The 1st Popski Christmas Ball 2020 for Pilgrims Hospices</u>, <u>The Castle Westenhanger</u> and <u>Joshua Bennett</u> The 1st Popski Christmas Ball 2020 for Pilgrims Hospices.

Our names are Robyn & Joshua Bennett and we are the hosts of the ball which will be in honour of my Father, Jay "Popski" Schafer and to raise vital funds for Pilgrims Hospices who cared for him in December 2017.

We decided to host an event like this not only for my Father, but in honour of all those cared for at Pilgrims Hospices and their families and friends, as well as recognising the incredible and amazing work that the staff and volunteers do all year round.

**About Pilgrims Hospices** 

Pilgrims helps people facing a terminal diagnosis, and their families, to live well in every moment. They rely on donations to provide their services free of charge to patients and their families in East Kent. To find out more about Pilgrims Vision, please click on the link below: <u>https://www.pilgrimshospices.org/about-us/our-vision/</u>

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**Our Story** 

To read a little more about us, Dad and our previous fundraiser in Sri Lanka for Pilgrims Hospices please click the link below:

https://www.pilgrimshospices.org/.../robyn-josh-sri.../

We cannot wait to see you all there, lets make it one to remember! Robyn & Joshua x

I hope you gardeners are all keeping well. We have put things on hold for now. We will have a committee meeting in November to discuss where to go next. I am hoping things will soon get back to normal will let you know when things change. In the meantime keep well. Brian Castle





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# Parish Council monthly update

### Alkham, Capel-Le-Ferne and Hougham.

August 2020 Update

Information provided by: PCSO 61078 MEGAN KEEHNER, DOVER CSU.



Anti-social behaviour :

There have been reports of nuisance youths gathering at the skate park, Lancaster Avenue, Capel-Le-Ferne. It was reported that these nuisance youths were throwing litter, pulling down government guideline posters, swearing and being a general nuisance.

I have liased with their local PCSO's, they have visited the nusiance youths regarding their anti-social behaviour and have given them releveant words of advice.

Lancaster Avenue has been added to the Anti-Social Behaviour car patrol.

#### Alkham

All in order, nothing to report.

#### Capel-Le-Ferne

There was a report of a vehicle theft on Capel Street this is being investigated by the investigation management unit.

#### Hougham

All in order, nothing to report.

I can be contacted via my email Megan.Keehner@kent.police.uk however for non emergencies, please report this via 101 or make a report on the Kent Police website. For emegencies, call 999.

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In England, the rules changed on social gatherings so you cannot meet in groups of more than 6 people inside or outside. This 'rule of six' is enforceable in law. More information: https://www.gov.uk/.../coronavirus-covid-19-meeting-with...



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### **DOVER DISTRICT COUNCIL**

A new free exhibition marking the 80th anniversary of the Dunkirk evacuation takes centre stage as Dover Museum re-opens today (16 September 2020). Cllr Trevor Bartlett, Leader of the Council, visiting the new Dunkirk exhibition at Dover Museum. <u>https://www.dover.gov.uk/.../New-Dunkirk-Exhibition-Takes...</u>



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The Folkestone Macular Society Support Group meets on the last Friday each month from 10:30am to noon at The View Hotel, 30-32 Clifton Rd, Folkestone CT20 2EF. All welcome. Meeting other people with macular disease helps you understand your condition, share information about treatments and stay independent. For more information call Margaret on 01303 226 877 or email: help@macularsociety.org

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