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Capel-le-Ferne Village Newsletter
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IT IS EDITOR'S DECISION ON FINAL CONTENT



We're back!
CAPEL CARES
COFFEE MORNING
Come and join us for
coffee, biscuits and a chat.



The next CAPEL CARES GOOD NEIGHBOURS
coffee morning will be held on Friday 1st October,
usual time (10.00-12.00).

The venue is in the (small) village hall.

Come and enjoy a social tea or coffee *with* biscuits and
a chat with your neighbours from the village.

All are welcome.

Parents (Grand or otherwise),
bring the young un's.

On your own? Come and make new friends.

New to the area? Come and meet your new
neighbours.

Been here a long time? Come and share your love of
Capel-le-Ferne.

Need transport? Contact Jan on 257003.

Unable to make it?

Put the 5th November in your diary
and join us at the next one.



Capel Cares sponsors the
GOOD NEIGHBOURS
coffee mornings.



HARVEST SUPPER

AT ST RADIGUND'S CHURCH
ALBANY ROAD, CAPEL-LE-FERNE

We invite you to celebrate
Harvest Festival
with us at our three course
Harvest Supper
(With a little light entertainment)

at St Radigund's Church on
the **Saturday 9th October 2021**
starting at 19:00hrs (7pm).

Entry is by ticket only, at £10
each, which are available from
Jerry Spillett (01303 242146)
until Thursday 7th October.

Diners, please bring your
own drinks.

We look forward to your company.



CAPEL-LE-FERNE EVENING WI
BINGO AND SCATTERGORIES
EVENING

SATURDAY 30TH OCTOBER 2021
CAPEL-LE-FERNE VILLAGE HALL
(LANCASTER AVENUE)

FREE ENTRY – BRING OWN FOOD
AND REFRESHMENTS

DOORS OPEN 6.45 pm

EYES DOWN 7.00 pm

COME AND HAVE A
REALLY GOOD EVENING
EVERYBODY IS WELCOME
NOT JUST WI MEMBERS

Please check with each organisation direct
to clarify events and meetings.

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

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

1 st Oct	Capel Cares Coffee Morning (front page)
5 th & 6 th	Short Mat Bowls Open Sessions (page 17)
9 th Oct	HARVEST SUPPER AT ST RADIGUND'S CHURCH (Front page)
12 th & 13 th	Short Mat Bowls Open Sessions (page 17)
19 th Oct	Gardeners' Association Club Night
19 th & 20 th	Short Mat Bowls Open Sessions (page 17)
26 th & 27 th	Short Mat Bowls Open Sessions (page 17)
30 th Oct	Bingo Evening, Village Hall (front page)
5 th Nov	Capel Cares Coffee Morning (front page)
6 th Nov	WI Coffee morning, Baptist Church (page 8)
16 th Nov	Gardeners' Association AGM with Fish & Chip Supper
21 st Nov	Christmas Fayre (page 2)
5 th Jun 2022	Queen's Platinum Jubilee Street Party (page 11)
11 th June	Youth Club Anniversary Party (page 15)
18 th June	VILLAGE FETE



CAPEL-LE-FERNE VILLAGE HALL providing services to the local community

<http://www.capelvillagehall.com>

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It's been a busy month at the Hall with both a Garage Safari and McMillan morning to run. The Garage Safari proved popular with almost 120 stalls throughout the Village. The Hall kitchen was kept busy (bacon rolls had run out by 10am) and lots of visitors turned up, although it was felt that numbers were slightly down on last year, which was an exceptional year probably because it was between lockdowns. However, lots of stallholders seemed to do well this year.

The Coffee Morning run for MacMillan nurses was a great success, due in no small part to the work put in by all those in the community who came together to make it happen. Over £350 was raised on the coffee and cakes, the tombola and the giant teddy. It was well supported and given how well it went, we shall probably be repeating it!

A lot of regular users are back at the Hall now and we are receiving a lot of requests for private parties. We are still trying to make sure that everyone is able to meet when they wish to, but we do ask that people bear with us. Sue is doing an exceptional job in managing the Hall diary.

The AGM is coming up at the end of November and we ask that people do support this, as there will be 2 years of reports to get through and also plans for the next couple of years. We are seeking advice and opinions on direction and scope, and as the hall is run for the community, we think the community should have its' say.

The Farmers' Market is in transition yet again and we are in the middle of deciding its future. More information on that in the next issue. We would like to thank all those who continue to support the Hall and look forward to seeing you at future events.

CHRISTMAS FAYRE

In aid of hall funds and Kent MS Therapy Centre

CAPEL VILLAGE HALL

SUNDAY 21 November 2021

10:00 - 14:00 HRS

Craft stalls — homemade gifts, jewellery, decorations, folded book art, hand blown glass, wooden ornaments & much more

Food stalls — jams, cakes, eco food wrap

Refreshments — teas, coffees, snacks

Music — sing-along Christmas songs

Name the Bear & Tombola — in aid of Multiple Sclerosis



Capel-le-Ferne History Book

"Village in the Clouds"

Copies still available £5 each from

Cherry: Tel: 01303 255114

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.

100+ Club SEPTEMBER Winners:

1st: Pat Waters

2nd: Caroline & Teresa Weldes

3rd: Janet Celladine

Take care and stay safe.

Contact Caroline Bunting

c.bunting@btconnect.com



CAPEL-LE-FERNE FARMERS MARKET
 Community event run by and for the community
 Every Tuesday 10 am to 12.00 noon.
 Village Hall, Lancaster Avenue, Capel-le-Ferne,
 Folkestone CT18 7LX



Visit us on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/groups/Capelfarmersmarket/>

The Farmers Market now consists of:

Bread and cakes from Farthingloe Farm. They will also be selling fresh free-range eggs.

A cheese stall which will be at the hall every third Tuesday in the month.

Over 700 books (novels) at the Hall. It's the village "library"!

All donated and, generates over £500 a year via the honesty box.


The library is open on a Tuesday during the Farmers Market.

We can't accept book donations at other times of the day re: the Pre-school and the safety of the children.





CHURCH SERVICES, OCTOBER 2021

Date	Alkham	Capel	Hougham
Sunday 3rd 18 th Sunday after Trinity	Evensong 6.30 pm	Eucharist 9:30 am	Worshipping Together 11.00 am
Saturday 9th <i>Fun, fellowship and food – please let Pam (01303 489006) or Brian (01303 243784) know if you plan to come.</i>		 (St Radigund's) 3.00–5.00 pm	
Sunday 10th HARVEST FESTIVAL	Harvest Eucharist 9:30 am	Harvest Festival 11.00 am	Harvest Festival (West Hougham) 4.00 pm
Sunday 17th 20 th Sunday after Trinity	Worshipping Together 11.00 am	Evensong 6.00 pm	Eucharist 9:30 am
Sunday 24th Last Sunday after Trinity	United Parish Eucharist (Thanksgiving Service) 10.00 am		
Sunday 31st ALL SAINTS SUNDAY		(St Mary's): Said Eucharist, 9.30 am (St Radigund's): Thanksgiving Service, 11.00 am	

Visit us online at: www.church-alkham-capel-hougham.org.uk
and on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/BeneficeofACH>

From the vicarage

I Wish It Could Be Christmas Every Day...!

Most of us will know Wizzard's Christmas song: first recorded in 1973, it has, apparently, made the charts each year since 2007. You don't recognise it? Don't worry – it's bound to be playing in a supermarket near you soon enough. Thankfully in church, it isn't Christmas every day! As I write, Harvest, All Saints, Remembrance Sunday and Advent are still to come, each with their own distinctive hymns, readings and prayers. Christmas every day would leave us bloated from too many mince pies; the different times and seasons of the Christian year offer a healthier, more varied diet of things to think about.

All Saints arrives as leaves turn brown and days grow shorter. Before the Christmas rush begins, there comes a pause that reminds us that our home in this world is only temporary, holds out the hope of a better one to come, and encourages us to give thanks for those who have been *lights of the world in their several generations*, as the Prayer Book puts it.

The pandemic deprived many of opportunities to say goodbye to their departed loved ones as they would have liked. So, this year we are planning to celebrate All Saints by holding Thanksgiving Services in each of our churches to which anyone who cares to come is welcome. Flowers or photographs can be brought along and arranged beforehand, candles lit for loved ones during the service, and light refreshments will be available afterwards. These will be at Alkham on 24th October at 10.00, St Radigund's Capel on 31st October at 11.00, and Hougham on 7th November at 11.00. If you want to come, please do – a phone call or email will help us to cater for everyone. **Brian.**



PLEASE NOTE ... ST RADIGUND'S CHURCH IS AVAILABLE FOR LETTING PURPOSES

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COMMUNITY SUPPORT



NEIGHBOURS HELPING NEIGHBOURS

A local organisation that aims to support people living in Capel

Staying independent and being part of the community is important to everyone but there are times during our lives when we could benefit from a little help from our neighbours. **CAPELCARES** is a local volunteer organisation run by residents of Capel to support those living in Capel. We can arrange to meet you in your own home to discuss any issues or challenges that you may have. Our volunteers are all local residents who have been DBS checked and have been trained in Safeguarding.

Our volunteers can help you with a variety of issues, including:

- Social visits for those living on their own.
- Home visits to support family carers.
- Assistance with shopping.
- Transport support, i.e. to & from medical appointments etc.
- Small house maintenance/gardening jobs.
- Regular phone contact.
- Helping you make contact with other services.

Referrals can be made by anyone for anyone. Our aim is to help residents in Capel remain safe, secure and independent in their own homes, as well as providing support to residents with unexpected, short term challenges that disrupt routine family life.

NEIGHBOURS HELPING NEIGHBOURS

To find out more or to arrange a visit please contact Jan on 01303 257003

We will continue to hold a regular social coffee morning every month when lock-down guidance is lifted. Details of date, venue and time to be notified when known. Come and join us, meet with your neighbours. Find out more about **CAPELCARES** or just enjoy a cup of tea or coffee (with biscuits).

EVERYONE WELCOME

Volunteer with us

and make a difference to
someone's life



Could you spare a few hours a month to help your neighbour? We are looking for community minded people to join CAPELCARES as we seek to assist those in Capel le Ferne who just need a little help to lead independent lives in their own homes.

Call Jan on **01303 257003** for more details

CAPELCARES "from small acorns, mighty oaks will grow"

I phoned a lady to find out what fruit she would like me to get for her from Farm Delivery. It transpired that she was on the floor and despite using the alarm around her neck. The ambulance could mean a 3 hour wait. Fortunately, my neighbour was in and is strong. We went over lifted the lady back to her feet and into her chair. I cleared up the breakfast and coffee which had been spilled.
Capel Cares to the rescue once again.



The Riverside Centre in Dover
(formerly Age Concern)
I am the manager of

The Riverside Centre in Dover (formerly Age Concern).
We deliver from our centre for the residents of
Dover and surrounding villages.

We are a registered charity (1143453) and are letting the residents of
Capel-Le -Ferne know what we do and the services that we offer such as
meal deliveries, chiropody, information & advise.

The Riverside Centre is now open for day care services.

Due to the changes with socially distancing we are having to change the way in which we operate. The number of people that can use the centre per day is now reduced, therefore there will not be the facility to drop in. All people using the centre have been allocated a day to attend and have formed bubbles, therefore attending with the same people each week. We do have very limited spaces left for day care services – to check for availability.

please call the centre on 01304 207268.

Facilities at the day centre include a snack bar where you can purchase food & drink (to include takeaway items) and a 2-course lunch. Activities are currently limited whilst we are practicing being COVID-19 safe.

Lunch Club

Lunch and a hot drink. As numbers are limited it is advisable to book in advance for this lunch club.

I look forward to hearing from you. Kind regards, Maggie Paterson, Centre Manager
The Riverside Centre, Maison Dieu Gardens, Dover, Kent, CT16 1RL
Tel: 01304 207268. Email: centremanager@riversidedover.org.uk
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CAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH

The Chapel has reopened and for the foreseeable future it will be Pam Barr leading worship each week.



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If you wish to make a donation to the Memorial Trust, please click here for more details : <http://ow.ly/EkKh50DboEb>

We understand that not everyone is financially able to donate, but there are plenty of other ways that you can help. Following us on social media and leaving us a lovely Facebook, Google or TripAdvisor review will help the Memorial Trust no end!

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Thank you to Trustee Barry Duffield for providing us with these wonderful photos from last week's thank you event, for supporters.



CAPEL-LE-FERNE EVENING WI

Hello everyone at long last we have had our first get together in the hall, which is just as well as it is now Autumn already. This month was our birthday meeting so a little bit more special as we had some guests and members of other local W.I.s invited to share it with us. Jan made the opening speech by welcoming everyone and making us laugh throughout the evening with her sense of humour, she introduced Jane our speaker / chocolate demonstrator for the evening. Jane handed round a box containing some of her chocolates for us to sample while she did her talk. They were delicious and very moreish, so tasty and filled with homemade salted caramel that makes your mouth water just thinking about them.

Jane told us so much about chocolate making, how to temper the chocolate, how long to melt, which type to get, the fat content difference between dark, milk and white chocolate, what type of moulds to use and why some are better to use than others. She demonstrated how after polishing the mould she put in the chocolate and when that was set, how to fill them before adding the finishing coat to seal while scraping off the excess for a clean finish. She showed us how to make chocolate shards with pattern transfers on them, changing them by adding different toppings and shades of chocolate, which of course we had more samples later in the evening to try. Caroline thanked Jane for coming to show us her clever skills.

Christine was presented with a certificate for being a long - time member and had her photo taken, she wasn't at the last meeting when the other members were given their certificates.

Jan invited everyone to sit at the tables, then one table at a time got up to choose which scones they would like, tea and coffee was then taken round to the tables. Jean being the oldest member cut the cake which was made by Alison and decorated by Pat, after being cut up into slices they were taken round to everyone and soon after refills for tea and coffee, Jenny called out the winning raffle ticket numbers assisted by Vera.

As a lovely treat, chocolate pods with about 8 chocolates inside, that were made by Jane, were given out to all with lots of lovely smiles and Oooos and Aaaas and grateful thank you's.

All too soon it was time for everyone to leave to go home.



If you are wanting to get out and make friends, do something interesting and have a bit of fun, come along to one of our meetings to try us out. We have a speaker on interesting topics most months, outings, garden parties and we have Christmas lunch out. We have lots of sub groups such as Darts, book club, craft, scrabble, lunch club and home economics (which can be anything from flower arrangements, making gift boxes, water colour painting, fashion show, pebble painting, lavender bags and marzipan fruits. These are just a few of the things we have done in the past.)



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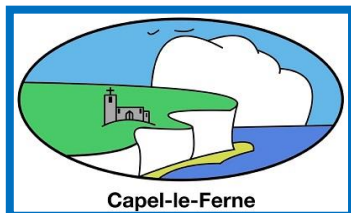
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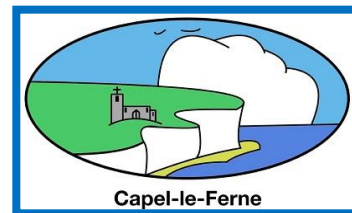


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FOR UPDATES ON VILLAGE EVENTS AND INFORMATION



Summary of some items discussed at meeting on 23rd September

Requests from public to address the Council, plus Surgery and Other Feedback: • Items raised were discussed by Councillors under related entries.

Traffic Management and Highways:

- Highway Improvement Plan in the Village – Page 11.
- Hay debris on sides of Capel Street reported for clearing before drains are blocked.
- Overnight parking on Old Dover Road to be monitored further before pursuing any restricted use.
- Hedge top Capel Street/junction B2011 to be maintained with another annual trim to keep under control.

Planning: • All planning applications available to view on: <https://www.dover.gov.uk/Home.aspx>

>Planning>Applications>View-Applications>Decisions

Neighbourhood Watch: • August monthly update from PCSO circulated to members and on Facebook Page/Email database for information. • Joint patrols continue when shifts allow. • Roof scam reported by resident in village, being followed up by Community Warden

Playing Field and Equipment:

- All playing field tables and benches pressure-washed.
- Quote to replace zip-wire trolley mechanism agreed.
- Waiting installation of self-closure hinges on all gates.
- Annual RoSPA Inspection carried out and items noted will be checked, including the refurbishment of paintwork next year on all equipment.

Pubic Rights of Way: • Summer maintenance completed by KCC. • Stripped vegetation and soil/rubble tipping on clifftop land Old Dover Road/junction with B2011, being investigated further on whether it is a Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) and will be pursued further.

- **Speed Watch:** • Thanks, expressed to volunteer for donating carry trolley for equipment. • A meeting with Kent Police Speed Watch and our volunteer team members to be arranged. *See Page 17.*

- All results of sessions are available on Parish Council Website LINK: capellefernepc.org.uk

- **Capel Cares:** Monthly Coffee Mornings - *front page.* Other details – *Page 5.*

- **Grapevine Newsletter:** Discussion to keep newsletter in colour was agreed by all present to continue.

- **Village Hall:** Enquiry noted on any plans for extending the Village Hall.

- **Training/workshops/seminars:** Clerks' Conference, Public Speaking Skills for Councillors, An Introduction to Planning, An Introduction to Project Management, Data Protection for Clerks and Officers, Clerk in Action, Freedom of Information Skills for Local Councils, Finance Conference, Report Writing, Parish Online Beginner and Intermediate, Dynamic Councillor.

Matters Concerning the Parish:

- Remembrance Day Memorial proceedings to be organised and arranged for Thursday, 11th November.
- Defibrillator training to be investigated and arranged.
- Monthly accounts presented to members. Available with all minutes on Website.
- Concerns expressed on increased volume of HGVs using Capel Street.
- Enquiries to be made on future of properties on Old Dover Road; Cliff-top Café, Lighthouse Inn and boarded up bungalow.

2nd June - Sunday 5th June 2022.

QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE,

See Page 11

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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 Grapevine Newsletters, please email clerkcapellefernepc@btinternet.com so, they can be added to the Parish Council email database.

NEXT MEETING WILL BE ON
THURSDAY, 25th NOVEMBER from 7.30pm.

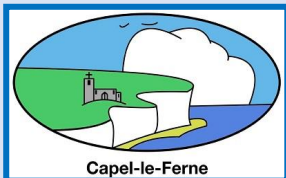
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ALL PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS WILL BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

IF YOU WISH TO ATTEND AND ADDRESS THE COUNCILLORS, PLEASE INFORM CLERK.

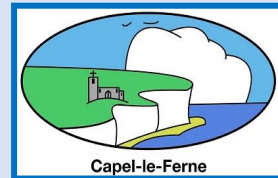
Further information on any of the above or to contact Parish Council, please write to Parish Clerk, 39 Victoria Road, Capel-le-Ferne or Tel: 01303 259564.

Email: clerkcapellefernepc@btinternet.com

NEXT SURGERY SESSION
at Farmers' Market morning,
will be held on Tuesday, 23rd November.
Surgeries, will be attended by the
Chairperson and Clerk of the Parish Council.



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JUNIOR PLAY AREA

New wet-pour coloured surfaces now installed. Thank you everyone for your patience during this. New Toddler Climbing Frame, depending on steel supplies, anticipated for early December, weather permitting



TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT - HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT PLAN

The Plan can be viewed on our website: <https://www.cappellefernepc.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/10/CAPEL-Highways-Improvement-Plan-KCC-Update-14102020.pdf>

Amended Highway Improvement Plan forwarded to Kent Highways by the Council's Working Party. Costings have been received from Highways and agreed in principle by all Councillors. A Highway Principal Designer will be assigned to project manager and carry out site surveys for the following:

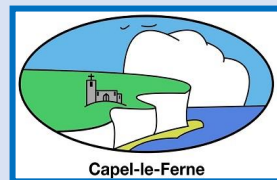
Capel Street

- Dragons Teeth on entrance
- Signposts and 20mph repeaters
- Lay 25m of double yellow lining, junction with B2011

Other Roads

- Lay 11no. 20mph speed limit roundels in carriageway.

To be pursued further: Footpath in Capel Street from just North of Capel Primary School to The Winehouse Lane/ Hurst Lane and the re- introduction of 'Cats Eyes' or the modern equivalent reflective material on the B2011.



Capel-le-Ferne

QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE 2022

A working party of representatives from the Parish Council, Village Hall Management, St Radigund's Church, Baptist Church and Pre-school, continue to discuss together, plans to celebrate the Jubilee in June 2022.

A Street Party in Lancaster Avenue is on the agenda for Sunday, 5th June - more details will follow when known.

Other plans afoot include planting 105 Tree Saplings in the Playing Field as part of the Queen's Green Canopy Project and a suggestion to gardeners in the community, to start planning your spring/summer planting to incorporate red, white and blue designs.

Thank you to all those who have come forward to make bunting.



The new Defibrillator, sponsored by Capel-le-Ferne Parish Council, has now been installed at Amin Stores, 122 New Dover Road, Capel-le-Ferne, CT18 7JR. Our sincere thanks are expressed to Mr and Mrs Amin and family for giving their consent to have this sited outside the store, in the car park forecourt. It is very much appreciated.

This now means Capel-le-Ferne Village has two Public Defibrillators, the other being outside the main entrance to the Village Hall, Lancaster Avenue, CT18 7LX.





Our PCSO and COMMUNITY WARDEN are sending this message urging people to make a proper report if contacting them.

PLEASE ensure you leave your Name and Contact details, so they can get back to you to follow up on reports you make.

The PCSO can't take action, unless they receive an official report, either online or by calling 101, e.g., issuing a Section 59 notice for careless or inconsiderate driving, which could ultimately lead to the vehicle being seized, or any other incident that needs attention from them.

Thank you for your help!



Kent Police

REPORT SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY

Call 999 if:

- * a serious offence is in progress or has just been committed.
- * someone is in immediate danger or harm.
- * property is in danger of being damaged.
- * a serious disruption to the public is likely.

Call 101 for non-emergency enquiries.

Or online

<https://www.kent.police.uk/contact/af/contact-us/>

PLEASE BE A CONSIDERATE PERSON IN CAPEL-LE-FERNE AND PARK APPROPRIATELY.

Parking on pavements, grass verges and across driveways is inconsiderate as a driver, and frustrating as a pavement user or resident. It can cause access issues and damage to grass verges.

If an alternative parking space is available, please be considerate and use it. THANK YOU.

Can you see the problem?



When you park on pavements and over dropped kerbs you may be blocking access for wheelchair users, blind people, and buggies. There isn't always a safe alternative route. Please think before you park.



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National Fraud & Cyber Crime Reporting Centre

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For advice and to report issues to KCC Trading Standards contact:

Citizens Advice consumer helpline on 0808 223 1133

Consumer Advice scams action line on 0808 250 5050

Monday to Friday from 9am to 5pm.

Lock your car

- Close the windows and sunroof and lock your vehicle when you leave it.
- Use an alarm, immobiliser or steering lock if possible.
- Take all valuables with you when you leave your vehicle – thieves know where to look.
- Remove portable sat navs and clean suction marks from your windscreen or dashboard.
- Don't leave tools or equipment in vehicles overnight.
- Park in a garage, in view from your home, or in a busy well-lit area where possible.

Most people take steps to keep their car safe



Do you:

- remove expensive items?
- lock and alarm it?
- store keys safely?

Find out more www.kent.police.uk/burglary



Kent Police



ALERT



Doorstep Criminals ACTIVE IN KENT

#ALERT!

Doorstep criminals are active in Kent, claiming there is an issue with your roof that can be fixed if you pay them immediately. We have received a report from a vulnerable resident in Ashford that had been targeted in late August. Please be alert as these criminals may be targeting elderly relatives, neighbours or friends near you.

Never open your door to cold callers. If they won't leave and you feel threatened, call 999.

If you think there are problems with your roof, use a safe and verified Trading Standards Checked:

www.kent.gov.uk/tschecked

Report doorstep criminals in your area to 101.

For free advice, call [Citizens Advice](http://www.kent.gov.uk/tschecked) on 0808 250 5050.

Due to [Covid](#), we have seen an increase in scams and doorstep crime. Please warn friends, family and neighbours.

Capel Le Ferne Parish Council

Notice of conclusion of audit

Annual Governance & Accountability Return for the year ended 31 March 2021

Sections 20(2) and 25 of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014

Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 (SI 2015/234)

	Notes
1. The audit of accounts for Capel Le Ferne Parish Council for the year ended 31 March 2021 has been completed and the accounts have been published.	This notice and Sections 1, 2 & 3 of the AGAR must be published by 30 September. This must include publication on the smaller authority's website. The smaller authority must decide how long to publish the Notice for; the AGAR and external auditor report must be publicly available for 5 years.
2. The Annual Governance & Accountability Return is available for inspection by any local government elector of the area of Capel Le Ferne Parish Council on application to:	
(a) <u>Maureen Leppard</u> <u>Capel-le-Ferne Parish Council Clerk</u> <u>39 Victoria Road, Capel-le-Ferne</u> <u>Folkestone, Kent. CT18 7LT</u>	(a) Insert the name, position and address of the person to whom local government electors should apply to inspect the AGAR
(b) <u>09:00 hours to 17:00 hours</u> <u>Monday to Friday</u>	(b) Insert the hours during which inspection rights may be exercised
3. Copies will be provided to any person on payment of <u>£2.00</u> (c) for each copy of the Annual Governance & Accountability Return.	(c) Insert a reasonable sum for copying costs
Announcement made by: (d) <u>Maureen Leppard, Parish Clerk</u>	(d) Insert the name and position of person placing the notice
Date of announcement: (e) <u>13th September 2021</u>	(e) Insert the date of placing of the notice

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CAPEL-LE-FERNE GARDENERS' ASSOCIATION

Our Autumn Show was a brilliant success with over 230 entries and the standard was exceptional.

So well done to all that entered.

So perhaps next year some of Capel villagers would like to come and see what the village community can show with their flowers and vegetables, you will be surprised.

The next meeting in October is 19th with a talk by Robert Cook.

Capel-le-Ferne Gardener's Association

This friendly club welcomes new members and visitors to its meetings



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

Interesting speakers on a variety of topics

Outings to gardens

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HM Government

**As the position on confirmed vaccination sites will change over time,
please go to the published information on the KMCCG website:
<https://www.kentandmedwayccg.nhs.uk/your-health/coronavirus/covid19vaccine>**

Government Counter Fraud Function

GOV.UK/coronavirus

NHS

Beware of COVID Pass FRAUD

Criminals are using the NHS COVID Pass as a way to target the public by convincing them to hand over money, financial details and personal information. They are sending imitation text messages, emails and making phone calls pretending to be from the NHS, and offering fake vaccine certificates for sale online and through social media.

- ✓ The NHS App is FREE
- ✓ The NHS COVID Pass is FREE
- ✗ The NHS will **NEVER** ask for payment or any financial details

Do not respond to requests for money or important personal information such as bank details or passwords.

Be alert to links and attachments in unexpected text messages or emails.

The NHS COVID Pass is available to demonstrate your COVID-19 status either in a digital or paper format via the NHS App, the NHS website or by calling 119.

For information on how to get your FREE NHS COVID Pass visit www.nhs.uk/nhscovidpass

FURTHER GUIDANCE AND SUPPORT



If you receive a call and suspect it to be fraudulent, hang up. If you are suspicious about an email, forward it to report@phishing.gov.uk. If you are suspicious about a text message, forward it to the number 7726, which is free of charge.



If you believe you are the victim of a fraud, please report this to Action Fraud as soon as possible by visiting actionfraud.police.uk or calling 0300 123 2040.



If you have any information relating to NHS COVID Pass or vaccine certificate fraud you can stay 100% anonymous by contacting CrimeStoppers online at covidfraudhotline.org or phone on 0800 567 5090.

HM Government

READ OUR

COVID-19 AUTUMN AND WINTER PLAN

The 'COVID-19 Response 'Autumn and Winter Plan 2021' setting out plans for autumn and winter 2021/22 in England.
[COVID-19 Response: Autumn and Winter Plan 2021](https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-response-autumn-and-winter-plan-2021)
- GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)

(42nd)
40th Anniversary Party
NOW Saturday, 11th June 2022 NOW
Capel Village Hall 7pm – 11pm
Come and celebrate Capel Youth Club reaching its 40th anniversary from its start back in the 80's...

Tickets A-£12.50 C-£7.50 Includes:
Live Music – By "Marylebone Jelly"
Fish or 2xSausage & Chips - By "Streetz-2-Streetz"
B.Y.O. Drinks - Fantastic Raffle Prizes
Tickets from Simon: 07860803767
(This is a Community family event, not a Youth Club children's party - open to all residents families and friends)

40th HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Capel Youth Club Activities – 2021

We are back open from Thursday 16th September

- 16/9 Footy, Pizzas, Crafts, Consoles
- 7/10 Basketball, Cookies, Crafts, Consoles
- 21/10 General Games (Table tennis, Hoops, Circus, Pool etc), Halloween Biscuits, Halloween Crafts, Consoles
- 4/11 Cinema (Silverscreen Dover 1830hrs-2100hrs), Film tbc
- 18/11 Nerf Wars, Hot Dogs, Crafts, Consoles
- 2/12 Footy, Xmas Fajitas, Xmas Crafts, Consoles
- 16/12 Kidz Planet – Chips and Drinks included

Tuck shop will be open as usual but with a reduced quantity as we build up stock again

All activities and details updated on Youth Club facebook page:
<https://www.facebook.com/capelyouthclub>

Capel Youth Club Activities – 2021

COVID – Please ensure your children only attend Youth Club if they are free from covid contact within the last 10 days & showing no symptoms of their own.

Membership – We are not having formal membership or fees going forward, and will only have an entrance fee on the night of £5 per child from September onwards, 1st & 3rd Thursday in the month during school term time..

Gaming Consoles - PS3, Wii, Xbox 1, & Switch – All games are under 16's, no internet access (**Do Not bring own games**)

Park activities - Bikes/ Scooters brought at own risk for use on ramps, **helmets must be worn**, only use park when organised activity.

Mobile Phones - Please leave at home unless really necessary, or hand in on arrival

Safeguarding Compliance - All children must be collected from within the hall

All activities and details updated on Youth Club facebook page
"Like & Follow" – "<https://www.facebook.com/capelyouthclub>"



Capel-le-Ferne Speed Watch Team of Volunteers

More details and all session results are available on Parish Council Website

LINK [Speed Watch - Capel-le-Ferne Parish Council \(capellefernepc.org.uk\)](http://Speed Watch - Capel-le-Ferne Parish Council (capellefernepc.org.uk))

MORE VOLUNTEERS - MORE SESSIONS HELD - MORE SPEEDERS REPORTED

We welcome new volunteers to the Group, so ...

PLEASE CONSIDER JOINING OR ASK OTHERS TO JOIN OUR GROUP,
by following the instructions below on Kent Police website.

LINK <https://communityspeedwatch.org>

Please ask others to join your group by following the procedure below.

1. Firstly type <https://www.communityspeedwatch.org> into a web browser.
2. Click on the [Register] tab.
3. Then to the left, click on [Join Existing Group].
4. Choose [Kent] from the pull down and click [Continue].
5. Choose [ZD Dover] from the pull down and click [Continue].
6. Now choose [Capel-Le-Ferne Speedwatch Group] from the pull down and click [Continue].
7. Finally complete their details in the registration form and follow the emailed instructions.

Please Note:

there is a downloadable guide to registration by clicking on [Help] then [Documents] finally [User Guides]

Monday 13th – Friday 17th September, was Project EDWARD Week of Action. (Every Day Without A Road Death).

Project EDWARD was an annual UK-wide road safety campaign backed by government, the emergency services, highways agencies, road safety organisations and British businesses. Project EDWARD promotes an evidence-led, 'safe system' approach - the long-term objective of which is a road traffic system free from death and serious injury. Our aim is to provide a platform that showcases some of the best work being done around the country to promote: » Safe Vehicles » Safe Road Use » Safe Speed
» Safe Roads and Roadsides » Post Crash Care. The theme for 2021 was Fit for the Road

Speeding Myths

#SafeSpeeds24

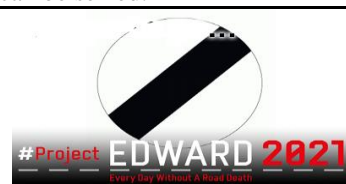
#Project EDWARD 2021
Every Day Without A Road Death

- **Speeding Myth:** Speed cameras must be painted yellow or they are illegal
Answer: No. Whilst most cameras are painted yellow this is simply a visibility matter and helps with compliance simply by their stand out presence. Being a colour other than yellow is not a bar to conviction.
- **Speeding Myth:** You can speed between average speed cameras and then slow down when passing them to avoid prosecution.
Answer: No. Average speed is based on a measured distance and the time it took your car to cover that distance. Speeding in between but passing each camera at the posted speed will likely lead to a ticket.
- **Speeding Myth:** I can drive 10% over the speed limit and not get caught or prosecuted.
Answer: Wrong. The police use a guideline in prosecution cases and in most circumstances, this is 10% of the posted speed limit plus 2mph. The 10% is to allow for speedo calibration errors. If you're speedo is 10% out on the plus side then by driving at 33 you could actually be doing more than 36mph.

- **Speeding Myth:** If I'm caught speeding, I can avoid points on my licence by attending a speed awareness course.

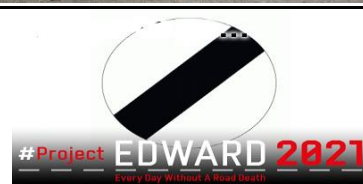
Answer: There are defined conditions on whether the police will offer you a speed awareness course based on factors that include your recorded speed, additional offences and whether you have previously been on a speed awareness course. It is an incorrect assumption that a course will be offered.

This is what happens when a driver's ego and confidence dramatically exceed their driving ability. Showing off and attempting to drift in busy car parks not only poses risks to innocent pedestrians and vehicles, but in this case, also leads to said driver damaging their own vehicle! The driver was arrested for providing a positive alcohol roadside breath test of 89u/g (legal limit is 35u/g) The driver was also issued with a section 59 Warning, meaning any vehicle seen being driven in an anti-social manner by this driver in the next 12 months can be seized.



Do you really know what this sign means?
Different speed limits apply to different vehicles.
Do you know the van you drive for work, may have a lower speed limit than the car you drive home in?

Know your speeds and be [#FitForTheRoad](#)





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Capel Short Mat Bowls News (CSMBC)

Contacts

Barry.....257157 Wendy.....259120

Ros.....255862 Rachel..... 07853 193935

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October 'Open Sessions' Invitation

We are inviting all comers, families*, couples & singles to experience the challenge of Short Mat Bowls throughout October.

The CSMBC is offering 3 free* bowling sessions, to include coaching and tuition with experienced and friendly club members every Tuesday (7.30pm-9.30pm) and Wednesday (2.00pm-4.00pm) during the month of October.

The only requirement is your time, your good humour and stockings feet.

We will provide all equipment and a variety of bowls for you to use for the trial period.

INTERESTED!

Please contact Barry on 257157, Ros on 255862 or Rachel on 07853 193935 to book your free session.

* players must be over 12yo. 12-16 yo's must be with an adult.

*Normal cost is £2.00 per person per session, to include tea/coffee and biscuits.

(Where else can you get 2 hours of fun, exercise, friendly company & refreshments for £2.00?)

LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING YOU THERE.

CAPEL SHORT MAT BOWLS NEWS

October news

- Welcome to the new members joining CSMBC. Good to have you all on board.
- Great fun was had on the 19th September at the Folkestone indoor bowls centre. A very different experience. Thanks to Barry for organising it. Already looking forward to the next session!
- The committee is seeking to arrange some friendly matches with other local EK league clubs. It will be good to have some 'friendly' competition to look forward to.
- The annual Christmas booze 'n' bowls night is also in the planning. Stay alert for confirmation of the date.
- Join us on Sundays (good weather prevailing) 1.30- 3.00 for turn up and play pétanque. Check with Rachel, 07853 193935 to confirm. Non club members welcome.

CANCER RESEARCH JUMBLE SALE

With regret, it has been decided that our first Royal Marsden cancer research jumble sale post lockdown, has been postponed until, (hopefully) next April.

It had been due to take place on Saturday October 9th.

It was a tough decision to make but we felt the health and safety of our loyal supporters was paramount.

Social distancing measures would be nearly impossible to put in place for an event such as this and we hope you'll all understand and bear with us.

We have continued to raise funds for The Royal Marsden by participating in the recent Garage Sale Safari and selling individual items donated either on Facebook marketplace or Ebay and have sent the sum of £398.67 to The Marsden.

For which we thank you.

Enjoy the rest of the summer, and we hope to see you next year. The Organisers.

DAVE JERRAM

Sadly, Dave passed away peacefully on Wednesday with his son and daughter beside him at the end.

Dave will be missed by all who knew him but, with fond memories of a friendly and amusing conversationalist, often from his favourite spot on his balcony.

The funeral will be held at Barham on Wednesday 6th October at 3.20pm.

The black Land Rover hearse will leave 51 Old Dover Road at 2.30pm having brought Dave home.

All are welcome to this Humanist funeral with an opportunity to say a few words about Dave.

MESSAGE FROM CAPEL-LE-FERNE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Community Warden	Jan Henry	07811271303 Email: jan.henry@kent.gov.uk
Parish Council Chair	Philippa Seager	01303 245254
Parish Council Clerk	Maureen Leppard	01303 259564 Email: clerkcapellefernepc@btinternet.com
Village Hall Webmaster/Chairperson	Sally Cook	253838 / 07730475838
Village Hall Maintenance	Brian Wilson	627172/07916258684
Village Hall Committee Secretary	Alison Cloake	alison.cloake2@btopenworld.com
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Village Hall Committee Trustee	Roy Mann	07725943261
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Village Hall Committee Trustee 100+ Club/Vice Chairperson	Caroline Bunting	Email: c.bunting@btconnect.com 07885 406433
Bridge Club	Bob Jones	01233 756362
Brownies	Register on website	https://www.girlguiding.org.uk/what-we-do/brownies-7-10/
Capel Baptist Church	Pam Barr	01303 489006
Capel Cares	Janet Milliken	01303 257003
Capel Ramblers	Bob Mothersele	01303 250931
Divas Dance	Rebecca Uden	01303 893650
Fit Friends – Pilates	Pam Vivien	01303 244322
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Household Bill Savers	Phil & Karoline Taylor	01303 246887
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Playgroup	Alison Cloake	07977 838609
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WI	Caroline Bunting	07885 406433
Youth Club	Simon Withey	07860803767

Shepway Writers Group

Are you interested in creative writing?

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Our informal group meets every month in Folkestone. It's free to join, so why not come along and give it a go?

Contact Graham on 01303 470229 or 07722 560702.

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IN OUR VILLAGE**

SIGHTLOSS GROUP:

The Folkestone Macular Society Support Group meets on the last Friday each month from 10:30am to noon at

The View Hotel, 30-32 Clifton Rd, Folkestone CT20 2EF.

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help@macularsociety.org

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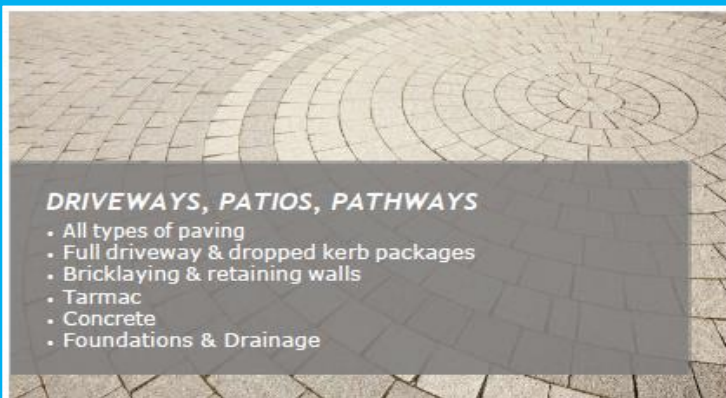
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