THE LYMINGE NEWSLETTER

For the communities of LYMINGE, ETCHINGHILL, RHODES MINNIS and POSTLING

October 2007

Produced by
The Lyminge Association

The Lyminge Association GARAGE SAFARI AND CHARITIES TABLE FAIR Sunday 7th October 10am - 4pm

Around the Village and at the Village Hall Click here for a map of the participants

Lyminge Pre-school



A great place for children to learn and play!

- ♦ Fun-packed sessions for children aged 2+
- ♦ Development of vital educational and social skills
- ♦ Fantastic all-weather garden so fresh air every day!
- ♦ Seamless transition to primary school

flexibility of mornings, afternoons or full days highest marks possible in our latest Ofsted report Monday to Friday, 9am -3pm

+ breakfast club

Lyminge Village Hall, Woodland Road. Pop in and see us or telephone **Julie** on **01303 862634** or at the village hall on **01303 863149**.

We are a non-profit making charitable organisation. Registered charity No.1029226.

NEWS FROM THE LYMINGE ASSOCIATION

We were pleased to welcome some of the people who give up their time to deliver your newsletter. We hope they all enjoyed the get together at the Lyminge Coffee shop recently. It

was good to see so many of you and to put faces to names and to give a small token of our appreciation for your help.

We would also like to thank all the residents who have helped and are still helping to keep the village clean and tidy - you must agree it has made a big difference. Can we check the foliage in the front of our houses. There are still a few hedges and overhanging branches which need to be dealt with as these can hinder pedestrians.

Don't forget to look at the Lyminge website regularly - there may be articles of interest to you. Anyone can send articles to the Webmaster for inclusion and this is particularly helpful when there is insufficient space in the newsletter for a longer item of news.

Finally, don't forget to support the Garage Safari and Charities Table Fair on Sunday 7th October from 10am - 4pm around the Village and at Lyminge Village Hall. Click here for a map of the participants.

A year in the life of 'The Lyminge Association'

Back in September 2006 we were in danger of folding. However, following a plea, yet again at a time of crisis a packed village hall showed that the parish wanted to lend its support. So, by December, we had a new team of officers and about 12 people coming along at each committee meeting.

We are once again organising events for the community and 1 have outlined recent activities against the Association's stated aims:

Cultural

- our annual parcel delivery service with Father Christmas took place and was a great success.

Sporting/Recreational

- we promoted a couple of walking routes to Farthing Common to see the Tour de France
- we held a Gardens Open day in June 2007 with 18 gardens opening in Lyminge and Etchinghill.
- We provided a venue for an exhibition of Ethelburga Quilters quilting, Lyminge Dramatic Society's costumes and The Methodist Church 'clubs and societies themed' Flowers Festival.
- as a follow-up to a 'Spring Clean' event in April 2007 we are organising a second 'Autumn Clear-out' Garage Safari on Sunday 7th October 2007 between 10.00 a.m. and 4.00 p.m. incorporating a Charity Table Fair and refreshments at Lyminge Village Hall.

Educational

- we keep a list of clubs and societies in the local library.

Environmental

- new to our constitution this year, we have held meetings to appreciate what you feel we should concentrate on. You were mainly concerned about the state of certain areas in Lyminge and we will encourage participation in some clean-up days.
- we have had many discussions on what, how and where to keep to our promise of a trough in memory of the late Doug Furminger. Working with the Parish Council we aim to get

permission from KCC to site a trough at Yew Tree Cross, Lyminge. We also recognise our wider community by agreeing to purchase a trough for the Etchinghill Residents Association who offered local help maintain one in their village. •

Historical

- we are currently promoting a field history survey of our area and have also given our commitment to looking at any help that the Historical Society may require in creating a local archive.

Community Newsletter

- this goes out free every month to each household and includes advertising for local people and businesses. We have now included an Events Diary that we hope you find useful. Recently we held a thank you afternoon for our deliverers who turn out whatever the weather for the benefit of us all.

Constitution

- we decided that our name 'The Lyminge Association' was too well known to change to any of the acronym-style alternatives that were suggested. We agreed that our correspondence and Newsletter must include 'for the communities of Postling, Rhodes Minnis, Etchinghill and Lyminge' to show who we fully represent (i.e. not just Lyminge). We have established a good relationship with the Etchinghill Residents Association and always looking to be inclusive of all the villages.
- we have redrafted the Constitution to reflect our operation and activities.

Finances

- we are grateful to Haxtons for sponsoring our new event signage and also to China China, Station Road, Lyminge who gave us £200 from their charity Lion Dance evening, to support good causes. Also to all the businesses who sponsored the event map for October.
- we are financially sound and continue to break even or make a small amount from our events plus make a Newsletter profit of about £600 pa. and this is enough to allow us to help organisations in our community.

Donations

- we were able to give £300 to Lyminge Youth Action to cover their costs of staging a fundraising concert -
- and a sum of £518 to Lyminge Pre-School to purchase 2 mobile sink units to meet their even higher standards of care.

I hope that you will continue to support both our organisation and the events we organise.

Mike Foxon (Chairman) 862073 - September 2007

ETCHINGHILL UPDATE

Farmers'/Craft Market

The next market at the village hall is on 13th October. Make a note for the 10th November and 1st December markets!

Neighbourhood Watch

Sorry that the leaflets were not delivered last month. We hope to get them to you in the next few weeks.

If you have any questions please contact your NhW co-ordinator, Judith, on 862498

Events for the future

What do you know about Etchinghill and the surrounding area? Do you know more than others in the village?

Why not come to an evening of historical nostalgia (with cheese and wine)? If you have a story to tell then

speak to Barbara on 862873

Have a care for others

Now that the conker season is here please remember to dispose of the debris and not leave it on the ground as a hazard.

Etchinghill Residents' Association AGM

The AGM has been set for 11th November at the Village Hall starting at 3.00pm. All residents are welcome to

have their say as to how and by whom the village social events are organised. Hope to see all 260 households there.

Forthcoming Village Events

We would like you to give us details of your future events for this page, to help us all plan for our events and spread them throughout the year.

There is no charge for entries on this page.

For entries into the next issues please call Gillian on 863232

2-Oct	LOCAL HISTORY SOCIETY "WINDMILLS"	LYMINGE METHODIST HALL	840419
3-Oct	"NEARLY NEW CLOTHES & COFFEE MORNING FOR PILGRIM'S HOSPICE	HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, FOLKESTONE	251980
5-Oct	QUIZ NIGHT	NEWINGTON VILLAGE HALL	272056
6-Oct	QUIZ NIGHT AND SUPPER	LYMINGE VILLAGE HALL	863803
6-Oct	QUIZ NIGHT AND SUPPER	LORD WHISKY ANIMAL SANCTUARY	862622
6-Oct	QUIZ	LYMINGE BOWLS CLUB	863495
6-Oct	ORGAN RECITAL	LYMINGE PARISH CHURCH	864394
7-Oct	GARAGER SAFARI AND CHARITIES' TABLE SALE	AROUND THE VILLAGE AND IN THE VILLAGE HALL	862073
13-Oct	LORD WHISKY CHRISTMAS BAZAAR	LYMINGE VILLAGE HALL	862622
13-Oct	CRAFT & FARMERS' MARKET	ETCHINGHILL VILLAGE HALL	863174
16-Oct	GARDEN SOC AGM	METHODIST CHURCH HALL	863225
16-Oct	QUIZ	LYMINGE VILLAGE HALL	862928
17-Oct	LYMINGEASSN. MEETING	TBA	862073
20-Oct	BEETLE DRIVE	RHODES MINNIS VILLAGE HALL	862616
20-Oct	DEMELZA HOUSE HOUSE COFFEE MORNING	SIBTON PARK CRICKET CLUB	862913
21-Oct	PARISH WALK	START RHODES MINNIS VILLAGE HALL CAR PARK OR 9 45 LYMINGE P.O. CAR PARK FOR A CAR LIFT	862015
26-0ct	LIVE MUSIC: FACE 2 FACE	COACH AND HORSES	862694

27-0ct	KIDS' HALLOWEEN PARTY	NEWINGTON VILLAGE HALL	272056
27-0ct	QUIZ	RHODES MINNIS VILLAGE HALL	862616
27-0ct	AUTUMN FAIR	LYMINGE BOWLS CLUB	863495
28-Oct	GARDENERS' CHRYSANTHEMUM SHOW	NEWINGTON VILLAGE HALL	272056
29-0ct	PARISH COUNCIL MEETING	LYMINGE VILLAGE HALL	862015
5-Nov	BONFIRE NIGHT	LYMINGE VILLAGE HALL	862928
6-Nov	AGM LOCAL HISTORICAL SOCIETY	METHODIST CHURCH HALL	840419
10-Nov	CRAFT & FARMERS' MARKET	ETCHINGHILL VILLAGE HALL	863174
12-Nov	LYMINGE ASSN.MEETING	TBA	863197
16-Nov	ROYAL BRITISH LEGION AGM	ST. MARY'S HALL, ELHAM	864255
17-Nov	CHRISTMAS FAIR	PEACE ROOMS, STOWTING	812201
17-Nov	CHRISTMAS FAIR	RHODES MINNIS CAT SANCTUARY	267 858
17-Nov	CHARITY DARTS TOURNAMENT	COACH AND HORSES	862694
18-Nov	PARISH WALK	START P.O. CAR PARK, 10AM	862015
19-Nov	PARISH COUNCIL MEETING	LYMINGE VILLAGE HALL	862015
24-Nov	BEETLE DRIVE	RHODES MINNIS VILLAGE HALL	862616
24-Nov	ROYAL BRITISH LEGION COFFEE MORNING	ST. MARY'S HALL, ELHAM	864255
26-Nov	"CINDERELLA" PANTO WEEK	LYMINGE VILLAGE HALL	
27-Nov	JUMBLE SALE	NEWINGTON VILLAGE HALL	272056
30-Nov	LIVE MUSIC: LOADED UK	COACH AND HORSES	862694
1-Dec	CRAFT & FARMERS' MARKET	ETCHINGHILL VILLAGE HALL	863174
4-Dec	TALK DEFENCES IN EAST KENT	METHODIST CHURCH HALL	840419
8-Dec	ST. NICHOLAS ' FAYRE	LYMINGE VILLAGE HALL	07986 002628
8-Dec	BEETLE DRIVE	RHODES MINNIS VILLAGE HALL	862616
8-Dec	GARDENERS' XMAS BARN DANCE	NEWINGTON VILLAGE HALL	272056
8-Dec	CHRISTMAS ANIMAL CELEBRATION	PARK HOUSE ANIMAL SANCTUARY	862622
10-Dec	PARISH COUNCIL MEETING	LYMINGE VILLAGE HALL	862015
16-Dec	PARISH WALK	START P.O. CAR PARK, 10 AM	862015
16-Dec	CAROL SERVICE	NEWINGTON CHURCH	
31-Dec	NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY	NEWINGTON VILLAGE HALL	272056
20-Jan	PARISH WALK	START P.O. CAR PARK, 10 AM	862015
4-Feb	MUSICAL EVENING & SUPPER	"SNOWDROP" SELLINDGE	863803

In aid of Lord Whisky Sanctuary Fund Registered Charity No: 283483

DELICIOUS FISH & CHIP SUPPER

At the Lord Whisky Tea rooms
Every Friday evening 6pm - 9pm
Take-away available
Pre-order on 01303 862349 or just turn up
Tea Rooms open every day 10am - 4pm

QUIZ NIGHT & PLOUGHMAN'S SUPPER

At the Lord Whisky Tea Rooms Saturday 6th October at 7.30pm £8 per person ~ Tables of 6 'Phone the Sanctuary to book

EARLY CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Saturday 13th October at Lyminge Village Hall

9.30am ~1pm Stalls available £10 please 'phone to book

VALUATION EVENING

With Sandwich Auction Ltd

OCTOBER BEETLE DRIVE

Come & Join us at
Rhodes Minnis Village Hall
Saturday 20th October
Starts at 7.00 pm.
Adults £2.00, Children 50p
includes refreshments
There will be a raffle

DEMELZA HOSPICE CARE FOR CHILDREN

Coffee Morning Saturday 20th October 10am - 12 noon At Sibton Park Cricket Club

Raffle, Tombola, Bring & Buy, Cake Stall, Books Christmas cards and goods Free admission For further information contact Marion Hoare on 01303 862913 Friday 9th November at 6pm
Do you have anything valuable tucked away in your cupboards? Not sure? Then bring it along to the Tea Rooms to be valued. No valuation fees - please make a donation to the Sanctuary.

Then enjoy a Fish & Chip Supper!

Park House, Stelling Minnis, Kent Tel: 01303 862622

LYMINGE BOWLS CLUB QUIZ NIGHT

Saturday 6th October at 7pm

Tickets £4. to include Ploughman's Supper Tables of 6 can be booked by calling 01303 863039 or 01303 863495

LEUKAEMIA RESEARCH Quiz Night

Saturday 13th October 2007

7.30pm at the
Ashford School for girls
Entry to quiz £5 per person,
includes glass of wine or soft drink
Teams of up to 6 persons
Bring your own refreshments
Prize for winning team
Raffle on the night
All proceeds go to Leukaemia research
Contact Keith Betts on 01303 862051

LYMINGE VILLAGE HALL BONFIRE & FIREWORK DISPLAY

Monday 5th November
Bonfire at 6.30pm followed by
Grand Firework Display
Soup, BBQ and Drinks from 6pm
Adults £4, Accompanied Children £2
Family Ticket £10
All available at the gate

Please note, parking will be limited at the Village Hall, so please only drive if you have to.

A Lyminge Village Hall Fundraising Event Reg. Charity No. 281845

LYMINGE BOWLS CLUB 27th October 2007 - 10.00 - 12.00 IN LYMINGE BOWLS CLUB

(Next to Lyminge Village Hall) (Tel: 863495 for info) There will be....

Home made cakes; jewellery and watches Hand made cards for all occasions Home made jams, marmalades and pickles

Organic vegetables and fresh meat (From Jubilee Farm, Rhodes Minnis) Plus chocolate fountain and sweets An event not to be missed

RHODES MINNIS VILLAGE HALL HALLOWEEN

Bangers & Mash
With Quiz Evening
Saturday 27th October
6.45 for 7pm
includes Glass of Wine, various
Homemade Crumbles, Tea or Coffee
Tickets £7 - Tel: 01303 862616

PLAY YOUR QUIZ RIGHT!

Friday 16th November 7pm
IN THE VILLAGE HALL
A special quiz night brought to you by
the Lyminge Village Hall Management
Committee

Enjoy a Quiz with a Bingo Twist Play Your Cards Right Bar

Tickets £5.00 obtainable from Lyminge Post Office

For details call Niki on 862530
All funds raised are for the Village Hall
Extension Fund

YOUR VILLAGE HALL IS GETTING BIGGER

Registered Charity No:281845

Lyminge Dramatic Society

Cinderella

A Magical Family Pantomime!

Lyminge Village Hall - 28th November to 1st December at 7.45pm
Matinees at 4.45pm Friday and 4pm Saturday
Senior Citizens free on Tuesday 27th November at 7.45pm
Tickets from Haxtons Estate Agents, Lyminge 01303 863393 from 3rd November

LYMINGE PARISH CHURCH SERVICES FOR SEPTEMBER 2007

Wednesday 3rd 7.00pm Short Holy Communion

7.30pm Open House -Bible Study

and discussion

9.15pm Wednesday Silence

SUNDAY 7th 8.00am Holy Communion

10.30am 'World of Worship'

Wednesday 10th 7.30pm Open House - Bible Study

and discussion

SUNDAY 14th 10.30am Holy Communion

6.30pm Healing Service

Wednesday 17th 7.30pm Open House - Bible Study

and discussion

SUNDAY 21st 10.30am Holy Communion

Wednesday 24th 7.30pm Open House

- Bible Study and discussion

SUNDAY 28th 8.00am Holy Communion

10.30am Holy Communion

Wednesday 31st 7.30pm Open House

- Bible Study and discussion

SUNDAY AFTERNOON TEAS in Nailbourne Court

Our Sunday afternoon teas have been cancelled until further notice while work is carried out in Nailbourne Court. We will, of course, resume as soon as possible watch this space for further information!

COFFEE MORNINGS

Coffee mornings continue to be held on the second Monday of each month from 10.00am to 11.30am in Wentworth Close lounge. Do join us as we meet with the residents of Wentworth Close for coffee and a chat.

PRAM SERVICE

Please note that there will be NO Pram service in October. Our monthly services for pre-school children will resume in November and will be held on the second

RHODES MINNIS METHODIST CHURCH

This small Chapel in beautiful countryside surroundings holds a weekly Sunday Service normally at 9.30am
Followed by coffee and biscuits A warm welcome is extended to any visitors

The Preachers for October are:

7th October 3pm Harvest

Festival -Mr Graham Whistance (*Please note no morning service that day*)

14tn October Mr Dudley

Shipton

21st October Mr Tim James **28th October** Mr Davis

Foreman

The Harvest Supper will be held in Rhodes Minnis Village Hall on Saturday 13th October at 6.30pm This will be followed by a talk by Mr Dudley Shipton Cost £6 Pre-booking is

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Please contact Daphne Andrews on 01303 8628656

POP-INN

Every Wednesday 2.30 - 4pm at Methodist Church Free coffee, tea and biscuits ALL welcome - if you are collecting children from school or just passing

L.E.T.

Thursday of every month at 2pm in Lyminge Church. The service will finish in plenty of time to collect older children from school. For more information, contact Vanessa on 862432

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT LUNCH

The lunches continue on the 3r Thursday of each month. The meal will comprise of two courses followed by coffee, at a cost of £6.50 per head. Transport can be arranged for those who need it. All welcome. Please let Vanessa know if you would like to book a place.

Methodists and Anglicans working together

LYMINGE METHODIST CHURCH

Visitors are very welcome to join us at our weekly Service at 11am and invited to share fellowship afterwards with a cup of tea/coffee

Preachers for October are:
7th October Mr Peter Ellis
14th October Mr David
Foreman
21st October Rev. Barry
Armson
(including Holy Communion)
28th October Mrs Ruth Leutner

Monday Fellowship

Every Monday 2.30pm - 3.30pm

We have a range of speakers and activities and an opportunity for a chat over a cup of tea. Open to women and men as we look forward to meeting new friends.

For Baptisms, Weddings or Funerals, please contact the Minister, Rev Barry Armson, on 01303 266281

CANTORES DOMINICAE RECRUITMENT

Are you interested in joining a local choir? Cantores Dominicae are recruiting new members to add to their existing 30 - 40 singers, and are holding an informal workshop at Lyminge Primary School on Wednesday 10th October at 7.30pm.

Why not come along and find out more about us and the kind of music we make. You can come prepared to sing (we will provide the music) or just to listen. If you would like more information, please ring me, Lawrence Lees, on 862922

FOLKESTONE RUGBY CLUB

Junior Section

Train and play on Sundays

Contact: Bob Gillett (<u>bobjames@hornstreet.fsnet.co.uk</u>) or just turn up on a Sunday morning

LYMINGE GARDENERS SOCIETY - IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Annual General Meeting of the Society has been changed to Tuesday 30th October and is being held at the Methodist Church Hall at 7.30pm

Lyminge Dramatic Society - Cinderella

Rehearsals are now well under way for the Society's production of that much loved, magical pantomime, Cinderella, which will take place in Lyminge Village Hall during the week of 26th November. This will be a traditional pantomime suitable for the whole family and will require plenty of audience participation. Tickets will go on sale at Haxtons Estate Agents, Lyminge on 3rd November. Performances will run from Wednesday 28th to Saturday 1st December at 7.45pm and there will be matinees on Friday at 4.45pm and Saturday afternoon at 4.00pm. Telephone bookings will be possible from the 5th to the 17th November and tickets will be reserved for collection at the door pending payment received at Haxtons by the 17th November. Please make cheques payable to Lyminge Dramatic Society. Book early for what promises to be a great, fun-packed show.

LYMINGE FC (5 a side)

Congratulations to the Lyminge FC (5 a-side) team who have won the Canterbury Championship league winning every match. The premiership now awaits, good luck for the season.

Lyminge FC (11 a-side) have now started the season and after a shaky first game with a loss to Magpies 1 v 4 bounced back in the next game with a convincing 16-1 victory over Cherry Pickers watched and supported by a crowd of approx 60 (Many thanks) We cannot advertise future fixtures in the newsletter as we are only advised fixtures after publication.

At present Lyminge FC play their home matches at Jubilee Field on Sunday mornings, however this is in doubt for the future. It will be a sad day if Lyminge FC cannot play in Lyminge and have to play elsewhere.

Future fixtures are displayed at The Coach & Horses

LOST PROPERTY

Found - a pendant, probably fallen off a chain, in Tayne Field. If you think it might be yours please e-mail me and describe it and leave your telephone number and I will call you and return it. weendy@wmair.wanadoo.co.uk

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT- BETTY JONES 1912-2007

Betty's family would like to thank all her friends for their kind thoughts and donatons to Age Concern Elham Rural at this sad time. Betty had 39 wonderful years in Elham and Lyminge and appreciated the help and friendship she received

Wanted: A local family would like to rent a house for approximately two weeks in July and August 2008.

Accommodation required for five adults and one four year old child. Please contact Geoffrey Kirk on 01303 862366 or e mail: lesley@invercot.fsnet.co.uk

ETCHINGHILL W.I.

Members were welcomed back after the summer break by Barbara Syrett, President, including one new member.

In August we enjoyed an outing to Pashley Manor Gardens, Sussex despite it being one of the wettest

days of the year.

June Manton was thanked for a coffee morning held at her home in September. Birthday posies were presented to Doreen Brown, Mavis Hodson, Kate Towse and Joan White.

Our speaker, Mrs S Turner, gave a very enlightened talk about the use of flower essences and our

emotional wellbeing.

Tea hostesses were Pat Kent, Daphne Melrose and Marilyn Norton.

The next meeting is on Tuesday 16th October at 2.30pm when Mr D Fulford wll speak about 'A Day in the

Life of a J.P.'

The group meeting will be held the following week, 23rd October, when Mrs Baker will talk about' A Day in

the Life of a Make-up

Any information please contact Barbara Syrett on 01303 265229 or Dottie Cross on 01303 862141

RHODES MINNIS EVENING CIRCLE

Ann Finney was our speaker on the 19th September. She spoke on the life of Grade Fields whose delightful songs were played on tape by Ann's husband to highlight the talk. Born in Rochdale in 1898, Grade had an exciting career on stage, screen and television, also travelling the world and entertaining troops during the war. She also contributed much to charity, and was popular with both the Queen and the Queen Mother. Grade died at her home on the Isle of Capri in 1979.

The competition 'Your favourite Song' was won by Daphne Andrews, with Pearl Furminmger 2nd, Jean Lissenden 3rd and Pat Kent 4th. Our next meeting at Rhodes Minnis Village Hall is on the 17th October at 7.30 pm. Visitors and new members are very welcome. For further information contact Marion Hoare Tel: 01303 862913

Lyminge Pre-School

Registered Charity No. 1029226

- Fun-packed sessions available for children from the age of 2 years.
- Flexibility for parents with a choice of mornings, afternoons or a combination of sessions.
- Monday to Friday between 9am and 3pm (term time only).
- Friendly staff fully trained and experienced at providing a safe and stimulating environment for children to learn & play.
- Children benefit from an enjoyable and seamless transition to Lyminge Primary School.
- Members of the Pre-School Learning Alliance

RHODES MINNIS VILLAGE HALL

Are you looking for a hall in which to hold practice sessions, party/function or private meeting?

Rhodes Minnis Village Hall has the capacity to take parties of up to 100 and has kitchen facilities at no extra cost.

Rates: Sun - Fri £13.00 per session £32.00 per day Sat £19.00 per session. £26.00 evening session £50.00 per full day

Session Times: AM session 8.30am - 12.30pm PM session 1.30pm - 5.30pm

Evening 6.00pm - 11.45pm

and awarded the highest marks possible in our latest Ofsted report.

- We are located at Lyminge Village Hall on Woodland Road. Please feel free to call in and visit or telephone Julie on 01303 862634 or Lynn on 01303 862831. Email address: lymingepreschool@aol.com We are a non-profit making charitable organisation.

Lyminge Village Hall

At the heart of our community our recently redecorated Village Hall offers an excellent venue for up to 200 people and can meet a variety of requirements with it's small Committee room, larger Club room and the Main Hall with servery and large stage. Excellent parking, kitchen facilities available and all in a delightful part of the Village. Price example.

Friday or Saturday evenings £45.00 Afternoon weekday birthday parties £12.00 For full price details and availability give Jaqui Storey a call on 862044

Sibton Park Cricket Pavilion Club

Having a party? Need a local venue? Why not take advantage of Sibton Park Cricket Club's lovely pavilion? We have a bar with club price drinks & friendly,

efficient staff There is capacity for up to 100 guests. For

further information or to make a booking please Contact Lesley Kirk, Tel 01303 862366

Email address lesley@invercot.fsnet.co.uk

A £25.00 returnable deposit is payable in advance. Electricity will be charged at 14p per unit. Regular users will be given a special reduced rate. For further details contact Mick or Dorothy Athow on 01303 862616

LYMINGE METHODIST CHURCH HALL HIRE

Hall

1 June to 30 September £5 per hour £17 per 4 hour session £32 full day 1 October to 31 May £7 per hour £24 per 4 hour session £42 full day (includes heating)

Parlour

£4.50 per hour all year with use of Electric over heaters if required Overnight Stays

1 June to 30 September £30 1 October to 31 May £40 (Including heating)

Please note that Mrs Jean Strange is no longer the hall booking secretary. For any enquiries please 'phone 07971 722401

LYMINGE HANDBELLS

What can Lyminge Handbells play for you in 2007? You may be surprised. If you want to find out, why not call us to book the bells for your special occasion. We have a large selection of music for all occasions both formal and informal and are quite happy to come to your home for a special celebration. All we need is a large table for our bells, room for up to 10 people and a donation of at least £35 for the Pilgrims Hospice. We also play tunes appropriate to the occasion from our classical and contemporary repertoire. Weekends and evenings only please. Call Ro Edmond on 863201 or Stuart Hunnisett on 862530. Alternatively you can e-mail Stuart on stuarthunnisett@hotmail.co.uk