

THE LYMINGE NEWSLETTER

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

January 2019

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THE LYMINGE ASSOCIATION
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Notes from The Lyminge Association



The Lyminge Association

SPRING SIXTIES EYENING

MEMORY LANE

Lyminge Village Hall 2nd March - 7.30pm

Bring your own nibbles and drinks

Tickets in advance £5 from Laing Bennett and £6 on the night.

See P9 for more details





St Mary & St Ethelburga Parish Church Lyminge

- NEW START TO THE YEAR >>>
- > TRY ONE OF OUR SERVICES >>>
- ENJOY THE COMPANIONSHIP >>>

JANUARY Sunday services

6th	8.00am Holy Communion Rev. Stephen
	Dougal
	11.00am Ways of Worship (WOW)
	Easy going service; visuals, piano & guitar
13th	8.00am Holy Communion Rev. Stephen
	Dougal
	11.00am Sung Communion Rev. Jane Weeks
20th	11.00am at Lyminge Methodist Church
	Service for the week of Christian Unity **
	6.00pm Evensong
27th	8,00am Holy Communion Rev. Jane Weeks
	11.00am Sung Communion ** Rev. Jane
	Weeks

First Sunday in FEBRUARY

3rd	8.00am Communion Rev. Stephen Dougal				
	11.00am Ways of Worship (WOW)				
	Easy going service; visuals, piano & guitar				

St Oswald's Church PADDLESWORTH

A SNUG CHURCH > A WARM WELCOME JANUARY Sunday services

6th	6.00pm Evensong
20th	9.30am Holy Communion Rev. Jane Weeks

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 coffee/tea.

6th January - Mr. R. Hollands

13th January - 10.15am Valley Covenant Service at Rhodes Minnis **20th January -** Deacon Carys Woodley- united service with

Parish Church

27th January - United Service at the Parish Church **3rd February -** Rev. G. Newton (incl. Holy Communion)

RHODES MINNIS CHURCH

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

6th January - Mr. Tim James

13th January - 10.15am Valley Covenant service with Holy

Communion - Rev. Kevin Taylor

20th January - Deacon Carys Woodley **27th January -** Rev. Derek Hancock

POSTLING CHURCH SERVICES

6th January 9.30am Family Communion

13th January No Service

20th January 8.00am Holy Communion

27th January No Service



CHRISTIANS IN LYMINGE



Saturday Morning Market in the Tayne Centre will resume in March.

17th January: Ethelburga Lunch Club

20th to 27th January: Week of Christian Unity

20th combined service in the Methodist Church at 11am **27th** combined service in the Parish Church at 11am, followed by lunch.

Every Monday "Knit and Natter", Methodist Church will start again 14 January

For other services please see this page

"We must develop and maintain the capacity to forgive. He who is devoid of the power to forgive is devoid of the power to love. There is some good in the worst of us and some evil in the best of us. When we discover this, we are less prone to hate our enemies."

- Martin Luther King, Jr.

Lyminge Newsletter

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Lyminge Association accepts no liability for the accuracy of the advertisements or subsequent actions arising in conjunction with advertisers in the newsletter.

Further details from Peter Barnes (editor) on 01303 863737



New Year, New You

Want to get fit and have fun - Feel Good Fitness classes

Every Wednesday 7-8pm, Tayne Centre, Lyminge

Suitable for all abilities. 1-2-1 personal training sessions available

Contact Debbie

feelgoodfitnesskent.co.uk - feelgoodfitness18@gmail.com 07925 982995

LYMINGE VILLAGE HALL & LYMINGE PRIMARY SCHOOL PFA PRESENT

Sat 9th Feb 7.30pm

Prizes for Best Fancy Dress

Tickets from: Laing Bennett



BYO food

Great raffle prizes

Cash Bar

Featuring Music Bingo!

All proceeds go to MAYA NASH's URGENT APPEAL for vital cancer treatment

For those wishing to know more about **Maya Nash's Cancer Appeal** - Maya lives in Etchinghill and goes to Lyminge Primary - she's in the reception class and is 5 years old. She has had a very aggressive form of stage 4 high-risk neuroblastoma.

Maya's family need to raise £243,000 by 14 February 2019 to be part of a clinical trial that could help keep her cancer away. Maya's family are hoping Maya can access the Bivalent Vaccine clinical trial at the Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Centre in New York, to try to increase the chances of the cancer staying away. This treatment is not available in the UK. Further details of her appeal can be found on her fund raising page on Facebook

If you'd like to help support Mayas campaign, please contact the fundraising team on 0207 284 0800 or fundraising@solvingkidscancer.org.uk.



The Jubilee Centre, Everist Court Station Road, Lyminge, CT18 8HQ Tel: 01303 269602

HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM ALL AT AGE UK HYTHE AND LYMINGE

We hope you all had a lovely festive period and enjoyed the new year celebrations. The centre has been busy with lots of activities and our thanks go out to everyone involved in making Christmas special for our clients.



We are pleased to let you know that the picture that went missing while our hall was redecorated has been returned safely and has been returned to its rightful owners. We would like to thank all involved in its return. With the weather being cold, why not consider trying our home meal delivery service for a two course freshly prepared lunch delivered hot and to your door. Our traditional menu changes weekly and meals are available 7 days. Simply call to order before 10.30am on the day you would like your meal, to have it ready for lunch.



The Lyminge Play Park Project: An Update

A very happy new year from all of us at Lyminge Youth Action. We hope you had a lovely Christmas. The play park project team's fundraising efforts continued right up to the very end of 2018. We raised £52 at Lyminge Primary School's Christmas Fair.

And as we enter 2019 work continues to make the plans for your fantastic new park a reality. We look forward to sharing more news very soon on planning application developments and funding. If you'd like to reach out to the team you can contact us at lymingeyouthaction@gmail.com.

Who's Who in our Neighbourhood - Etchinghill Residents' Association

The Etchinghill Residents' Association (more popularly known as the ERA) manages many aspects of matters affecting the ambiance of the village. These range from the installation and maintenance of benches and notice boards and the planting of spring bulbs, to running fund raising events and the installation of our village sign in 2017, to name but a few.

In 2018 the Etchinghill Residents' Association ran two guizzes (the recent October one raised £246 for the BBC's Children In Need charity), a musically themed Celebration of Summer and a spring and autumn Litter Pick. Our Film nights are hugely popular and regularly attract members from all around the area, even from as far afield as Maidstone!

We are responsible for the Christmas tree lighting-up event which took place on 2nd December 2018 supported by the excellent Shepway Brass Academy. This year we had mains electricity installed to power the lights on the tree at Meriden Walk.

Everyone who lives in Etchinghill is automatically a member of the ERA and many volunteers from the community, whose help is greatly appreciated, support the committee in our various activities.

For more information about the ERA, contact the chairman David McCombe 07939 076617 email dmccombe1@gmail.com



Summer Celebration June 2018





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Litter Pick October 2018



LymingeHistorical Society



SITUATION VACANT - EDITOR

Lyminge Historical Society is in need of an Editor for the production of future Lyminge a History books. If you think that you would be the ideal person to take on this voluntary role, or know someone whom you think would fit the bill, then please get in touch with one of the Committee Members.

SITUATION VACANT - WEB MASTER

Lyminge Historical Society is also looking for a Web Master to edit and add to the LHS Website. If you, your children or grandchildren, who may be taking a course on web design, would be willing to take on this voluntary role, or anyone you know is involved in website management, please let us know.

We look forward to hearing from you. Thank you.

Lyminge Historical Society Committee.

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LymingeHistorical Society

Would like to wish you all a very



There will be the usual winter break in January and February and the next talk will be on Tuesday 5th March 2019, 7.30pm in the Tayne Centre

South Foreland Lighthouse and the Knott Family

Speaker: Rosemary Selman

New members and visitors are welcome.

Members: £11 per annum inclusive of talks. Visitors: £4 per person payable on the door.

Tea and biscuits will be served

Please note:

Lyminge a history parts 1-9 can be purchased separately through Premier Food Store and Lyminge Library OR: purchase Parts 1-5 as a bundle for £22 or Parts 1-9 for £44*

To take advantage of the offer please call 01303 862865. This bundle offer is not available from the shops. *Postage and packaging extra

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Lyminge Friends - January 2019

Happy New Year everyone.

In December, we heard from Rosemary Piddock who stepped, woman-fully, into the breach created by a missing speaker. Rosemary gave an interesting talk called Women in the First World War. This was followed by our lunch party with secret Santa and raffle. On Monday 31st December, we met for our New Year's Eve lunch in China China.

On Wednesday 2nd January, we have Nicholas Reed who will talk about Frost Fairs on the Frozen Thames. This meeting will be followed by a pre-booked lunch in the Coach

In February, on Wednesday 6th, we have a return visit from Barbara Stevens who will give her talk on My years as a Journalist.

Meetings are 10.30am - 12.30pm in the Rigden Room of the Tayne Centre. Entry for 2019 is £3.00 which includes light refreshments. We are a friendly social group & welcome new members so just drop into one of our meetings, or, if you'd like to talk to one of us first, please call 863500.

Letters to the Editor.....

Dear Editor.

I'm writing on behalf of the many dogs of Lyminge who walk their humans along the bridleway between Brady Road and Woodland Road. The humans who worked so hard to clear this have made a really big improvement and I wanted them to know that it is much appreciated. Thank you and a Happy New Year to you all.

Kara

Lyminge Dramatic Society

Lyminge Dramatic Society would like to wish everyone a Happy New Year. Join us on Wednesday 16th January at the Coach and Horses, Lyminge for our popular Plays in the Pub. It starts at 7.30pm and is a relaxed and enjoyable evening so grab a drink from the bar and join us.



We have two productions this year; one in June to link with the Lyminge Festival and one in the autumn. Watch this space for further details.

Check out the Library!

11th January

Talk Time 10am Nicholas Reed

"Turner and Constable in Folkestone"



Hypnotherapy Can Help You!

New Year is traditionally a time when we make resolutions to get rid of our bad unhealthy habits and transform ourselves into better versions. How often have you done this in the past? How often have those resolutions been broken and the expensive gym membership just a faded memory by Easter?

Clinical Hypnotherapy can help you to stay fixed and focused on those changes you really want to make!

So what is Clinical Hypnotherapy? It is, as the name suggests, a combination of hypnotic induction and counselling techniques to bring about lasting changes in the subconscious part of the brain. Its purpose is to retrain the client's mind set and get rid of existing unhappy, unhealthy or unhelpful thought patterns and replace them with new positive ones while in a deeply relaxed state of being. You are in complete control at all times and can bring yourself out of this state anytime, but why would you want to?

Clinical Hypnotherapy can help you, it's used to treat a wide variety of issues including:

- * Anxiety/Depression/ Lack of Confidence/Low Self-esteem
- * Phobias, such as fear of spiders, flying, animals
- * Chronic Pain Management of conditions like arthritis and IBS
- * Stop Smoking
- Weight Issues
- * Traumas from the past
- * Improve Sports Performance

With Clinical Hypnotherapy to help you it is possible to be the person you've always wanted to be and with new positive reinforced thinking patterns, those changes are lasting.

For further information about how Clinical Hypnotherapy can help you change your life please contact

Lyle-Isabelle (Member of the National Council of Hypnotherapy)

The Clinic, Station Road, Lyminge.

E-mail: lyle@cliniclyminge.co.uk Mob: 07905 438357

and start to take back control of your life. Remember life is full of Infinite possibilities.

YOGA WORKSHOPS

Restorative Yoga Workshop 16 February 2019 9-12noon

At a time of year when your energy levels might not be as high as usual, take some time out of your usual schedule to nourish your body and your mind with a morning of relaxing yoga and breath work. All abilities welcome, this workshop will leave you feeling truly relaxed and revitalised.

Mats are available on request. £25/person. Tea, coffee and cake included!

The workshop is held at the **Rhodes Minnis Village Hall**, Chapel Lane, Rhodes Minnis, CT4 6XR.

For more details, please contact me on **07977 503 897** or have a look at my website: https://treelightyoga.wordpress.com/blog/

Bookings are essential so please contact me on 07977503897 or michele.patart@gmail.com to book your place.

Do you have WEB DESIGN skills that could help us out?

Have you designed and setup a website of which you are truly proud?

If so, could you please lend us some of your expertise to create a new website for Lyminge Association?

Please contact me:

Peter Barnes pb@pbarnes20.plus.com tel: 863737

Rhodes Minnis Village Hall BEETLE DRIVE

on Friday 25th January

7.30 pm
Teas/coffee and juice provided There are prizes & a raffle
Adults £2 - Children 50p
Come and enjoy a fun evening.
Newcomers very welcome.

MUSIC ON A FRIDAY...

....wishes to thank all who sang, played or helped and came to our Music on a Friday evening on the 7th December, it was a great success – thank you all so much



Our next musical evening will be a **VALENTINES EVENING 15th February** with bucks fizz and chocolates.

!!RETURNED!!



The stitchers of the Lyminge Tapestry are delighted to have the photograph of their work returned and wish to say a heartfelt THANK YOU to the person concerned for your generous action.

The picture will be placed in the village where everyone can see it and be reminded of the fascinating history of Lyminge and the people who used to live here.

Once again, thank you.

"Have no fear of moving into the unknown. Simply step out fearlessly knowing that I am with you, therefore no harm can befall you; all is very, very well. Do this in complete faith and confidence."

- Pope John Paul II

District Councillors Update - January 2019

Your District Council has recently introduced four Area Officers to deal pro-actively with fly-posting, graffiti and other local issues that need a District Council response and on 16 November we took the Area Officer responsible for our ward on a tour of the area. On our tour we stopped to remove out of date planning notices and fly-posting. We are fortunate that our ward has a smaller problem with graffiti than other parts of the district but a bus shelter in Lyminge had been daubed. The Area Officer promised to get it cleaned but went one better by repainting it inside and out and if you go past New Barn between Lyminge and Etchinghill you will see what a good job she has done. We would still also like people to continue to report graffiti, fly-posting, fly tipping and abandoned vehicles to the District Council for action and you can do so anytime at www.folkestone-hythe.gov.uk under 'Report a Problem' or ring 01303 853000 in office hours.

We know there is widespread concern about homelessness and those who sleep outdoors. The Government has pledged to end all 'rough sleeping' by 2027 and is expecting local government to play a leading role in this. District Councils are responsible for helping the homeless and we are very pleased to confirm that this winter we will be providing emergency accommodation to the homeless when temperatures drop below freezing or if there is severe wind chill, snow or rain on even a single night.

Between April and September 522 people were given help by the District Council (advice or other intervention) that prevented them becoming homeless and the District Council is increasingly working with people before they reach crisis point and need emergency help such as being housed in a B&B. The District Council allocates £20,000 every year to the Rainbow Centre - of which £10,000 is earmarked for the Folkestone Churches Winter Shelter for the homeless. It also gives £40,000 a year to Porchlight - a local homeless charity - to fund a Rough Sleeper Outreach Worker, who talks to rough sleepers, finds out what support they need and helps them access services to address the issues that are a barrier to getting and keeping long-term housing. Another £15,000 goes to the Multi-Agency Rough Sleeper Service (MARSS) a partnership that brings together local support groups like mental health services, alcohol and drug support services, the Rainbow Centre and Porchlight.

If you are concerned about a rough sleeper anytime, day or night, you can contact StreetLink on 0300 500 0914 who will pass the details on to local services to help the individual find the support they need. If you want to do more then join the #SmallChangeBigDifference campaign which asks people to channel their compassion, and spare change, by giving £3 to Porchlight to help find permanent solutions. Text Change 3 to 70085. You can also volunteer to help at the Winter Shelter at wintershelter.org.uk

We both attended the exhibition from Pentland Homes on 11 December about their plans for 30 new homes on the land near the Doctors' Surgery alongside Broad Street (the Folkestone end of the village). The District Council requires that developments of this size provide 30% of the homes as 'affordable' – this means shared ownership, housing association and/or council houses. They must also make contributions to education where the County Council requests this and other improvements such as new footpaths. At this stage the developer can take on board feedback from the exhibition and there will be a further opportunity for comment when the plans are submitted to the District Council for approval.

There are some wonderful Christmas decorations up in the area and Susan was delighted to perform the 'switch on' of the lights on the Etchinghill Christmas tree on 02 December. She and Jenny gave part of their District Council ward grants to the Etchinghill Residents' Association to get a mains supply of electricity to the tree. Susan also attended the Christmas Music evening at Lyminge church on 07 December.

May we wish you a peaceful New Year.

Susan Carey (susan.carey@shepway.gov.uk 01303 670561) and Jenny Hollingsbee (Jenny.hollingsbee@shepway.gov.uk 07887918458) - ward councillors for North Downs West, Folkestone and Hythe District Council

Rod Davis

It is with immense sadness we have learned of the recent (15 December 2018) passing away of Rod, husband of Fran and a staunch supporter of the Lyminge Association and Lyminge Friends.

Rod was always a very loyal person, helping in whatever way he could in the community. His dry sense of humour along with his quiet determination to get on with life, despite any problems that came his way, were his hallmarks. Having joined Lyminge Association in 2009 he quickly became an integral member. Given a task - Garden Safari, Christmas parcel deliveries, newsletter delivery round, putting up the Christmas trees, Fun Days, Litter Picks, Stream Cleans, Lyminge Day, etc, he would always deliver to the very best of his ability.



He supported Fran with Lyminge Friends from its inception in 2008, working constantly in the background offering his unstinting support.

He received a commendation in the 2016 Good Citizen's Award for Services to the Community of Lyminge He most certainly leaves the world a better place as a result of all his efforts and endeavours and will be sorely missed.

Our thoughts and prayers pass to Fran and his family.

Etchinghill Update January 2019

A VERY HAPPY. HEALTHY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR TO EVERYONE!

ETCHINGHILL VILLAGE HALL

OPEN HOUSE will reopen on Monday 7th January at 10.00 am, after our Christmas, New Year break. We look forward to welcoming old and new members. There will be a lucncheon at 'The County Members' in Lympne on Monday 28th January. If you are interested in reserving a place please contact Barbara (see

Badminton club returns Wednesday January 9th, from 7-30 - 9-30pm. Good fun and exercise. No experience required. We can supply the equipment. £2 per

BINGO has temporarily been postponed until a volunteer can be found to take over. We will keep you updated about developments.

ETCHINGHILL RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

FILM NIGHT - On Monday 21st January 2019, at Etchinghill Village Hall, we will be screening "THE GUERNSEY LITERARY AND POTATO PEEL PIE SOCIETY" (12)

History/Drama/Romance. Starring Jessica Brown Findlay, Tom Courtenay and Michiel Huisman. A correspondence begins between Juliet Ashton and members of The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society sharing their experiences of Nazi Occupied Guernsey. When an idea for a book catches Juliet, she goes to visit the island making lifelong friends and taking life changing steps along the way. A beautiful story of love, friendship and the sadness of friends lost. Doors open at 7 pm for a 7.30 pm start. The entrance fee of £5.00 includes admission, refreshments and a lucky draw ticket. New and existing members are welcome. For further information please visit www.etchinghill.info

PARISH COUNCIL

The slide in the Etchinghill play area on the far side of the cricket ground has reached the end of it's life and has been taped off. Please do not use it. Since it is past repair, this piece of equipment will be removed as soon as possible.

If you have an item you would like included please contact Barbara on 862873 on Barbara.newing@hotmail.co.uk

Rhodes Minnis Circle

Our speaker in November was Melanie Gibson-Barton who gave us a colourful presentation on the city of Bruges. Melanie described the history of Bruges from ancient times through to the present day as well as its beautiful architecture. It is a popular tourist destination with boat trips on the canals to explore and lovely lace and chocolate to buy. The talk was especially enjoyed by two visitors who were travelling to Bruges the next day. The competition was won by Jacqui Storey, with Sandra Dowdall 2nd, Ann Laker 3rd and Pauline Hodder 4th.

On the 23rd January we hope to have lunch at the Coach and Horses at 12.30pm.

We usually meet at Rhodes Minnis Village Hall at 2.30pm and visitors are very welcome (first visit free!)

For further details and for those who haven't booked their lunch yet please contact 01303 862913.

We wish all our members and friends a happy and healthy New Year. .

MOUNT PLEASANT CLOSE CHRISTMAS LIGHTS

THANK YOUfor the wonderful turnout for the switching on of the Mount Pleasant Christmas lights.

-for all the support of residents of The Close
-to the many villagers who supported the switching on
-to the choir for the wonderful carols.

Over £950 has been raised to date (22/12/18) and more rolls in each night with the last night being on twelfth night - 5th January

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"Love is the only force capable of transforming an enemy into friend."

Martin Luther King, Jr.

CANTORES

- Your local choir DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2019

COFFEE CONCERT

Saturday 30th March 2019 11am Lyminge

Look out for further information on all our events

www.cantoresdominicae.co.uk Charity no. 1087409

Lyminge Hand Bells

The Lyminge hand bell ringers have been playing in and around Lyminge for well over 25 years. We love to attend fetes and local private

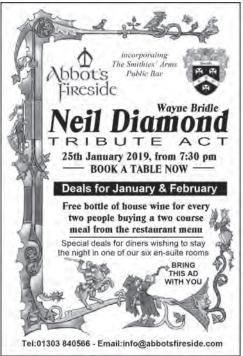


celebrations throughout the year so if you think the sound of hand bells would suit a special occasion you are planning, then please contact us. We have an increasingly wide selection of music to choose from or just leave it to us.

All we require at the venue is a large table for our bells and music, room for up to 11 players and a minimum donation of £50 for our current charity, the Nepali Children's' Trust. A small contribution to travelling costs is also appreciated if we have to travel more than 5 miles from Lyminge. Please provide plenty of advance notice. Want more info or make a booking?

Please contact:

Ro Edmond on 863201 or email welldorm@aol.com



Some of the twenty-seven guests at the Indoor Bowls Christmas dinner held recently at the Rose and Crown, Stelling Minnis



ETCHINGHILL RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION Film Night

"THE GUERNSEY LITERARY AND POTATO PEEL PIE SOCIETY" (12)" PG Monday, 21st January 2019
Etchinghill Village Hall, 7pm for 7.30pm
Entrance Fee £5 per head
Open to new and existing members
FREE Refreshments and Raffle

www.etchinghill.info

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SPRING SIXTIES EVENING

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Sunday Carvery - Every Sunday between 12-4pm (booking essential)

Steak Nights - Friday 4th and 18th January **Live Music** Saturday 26th January 80's Duo Miami Vice. From 8.30pm

Bookings and Contact: 01303 862694

For more information please check out our Facebook page and search 'Coach & Horses'

Pub Opening Times:

Bar: Mon - Thurs 12pm-11pm, Fri - Sat 12pm-12am, Sun 12pm-10.30pm **Kitchen:** Mon - Closed Tues - Sat 12-2pm & 6-9pm. Sun 12-4pm

In aid of the LORD WHISKY SANCTUARY FUND (Registered Charity 283483) Park House Animal Sanctuary Stelling Minnis CT4 6AN. Tel: 01303 862622 www.lordwhisky.co.uk

Burns Night Supper Friday 25th January – 7pm

The Lord Whisky Tea Room, Rhodes Minnis Booking essential 01303 862349

Fur, Feather & Exotic Exhibition

Saturday 23rd February - 10am to 4pm

Boughton-under-Blean Village Hall, Nr Faversham Come and meet some unusual and exotic species and have a chat with the experts.

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Lyminge Judo Club

(British Judo Club Registered)

We are a small friendly village club. We welcome and encourage both novices and skilled players and train every Monday evening at Lyminge Village Hall from 6.30pm. Open to all ages from 6 upwards - no upper age limit.

Juniors £2.50 per week; Seniors £3.50 per week. First session free, with no obligation.

Contact: Selwyn Nichols 01303 862946 selwyn_nichols@hotmail.com



Yoga

Rhodes Minnis Village Hall

Friendly and convivial yoga classes suitable for all abilities. The classes include flowing sequences, postures, breathing exercises and end with a relaxation. Mats available on request.

Mondays 7.30-9.00pm, during school terms Rhodes Minnis Village Hall

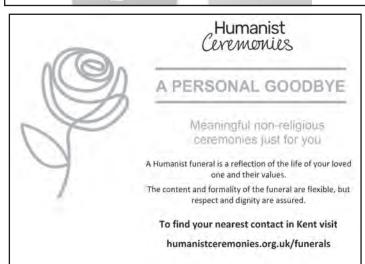
Costs are £10 pay-as-you-go or £45 for a term of 6 consecutive classes.

For any information or to book, please contact:

Anne-Michele Patart on 07977503897 or

e-mail: mpatart@gmail.com

Website: treelightyoga.wordpress.com





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Tel: 01303 862 243 www.rhodesminnis.co.uk



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C&H: Coach & Horses; ECC: Etchinghill Cricket Club; EVH: Etchinghill Village Hall; ERA: Etchinghill Residents' Association; ELVH: Elham Village Hall, ES: Elham Square; JC Jubilee Centre; JF: Jubilee Field; KH: Korf House; LB: Laing Bennett; LBC: Bowls Club; LL: Library; LMC: Lyminge Methodist Church; LPC: Lyminge Parish Church; LSH: Lyminge School Hall; LVH: Lyminge Village Hall; LW: Lord Whisky; NP: Nailbourne Court; NVH: Newington Village Hall; PC: Postling Church; PH: Lord Whisky, Park Hse; PVH: Postling Village Hall; RVH: Rhodes Minnis Village Hall; RMC: Rhodes Minnis Church; RMCS: Rhodes Minnis Cat Sanctuary; RR: Rigden Room; SNL: See News Letter for info; SP: Sibton Park; TC: Tayne Centre; TF: Tayne Field; WF: Well Field

One-Off Events

Date	Time	Event	Where	Tel. No.
11-Jan	10am	TalkTime	LL	
09-Feb	7.30pm	Music Quiz for Maya	LVH	
15-Feb		Music on Friday	LPC	
02-Mar	7.30pm	Spring 60s Evening - Memory Lane	LVH	
13-Apr	9am	Spring Garage Safari		863537
13-Apr	7pm	Spring Quiz	LVH	862928
14/6-23/6		Lyminge Midsummer Festival		862917

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2nd March 2019 Lyminge Village Hall

Weekly Events

Day	Time	Event	Where	Tel. No.	Day	Time	Event	Where	Tel. No.
Mon	10am	Open House	EVH	863394	Wed	10.45am	Singing For Health	JC	862364
Mon	10am	Bridge Club	LBC	863177	Wed	11.45am	Pilates	TC	07825109670
Mon	10.30am	Lyminge Larks (Singing)	LMC	07951 572920	Wed	2pm	Bingo	EVH	863819
Mon	11am	Cookery	JC	269602	Wed 5	7pm	French Conversation	KH	862972
Mon	2&3pm	Computer Buddy (need to book)	LL	03000413131	Wed	7pm	Tayne Centre Circuits	TC	07925 982995
Mon	2.30pm	Knit and Natter	TC	863049	Wed	7.30pm	Cantores Dominicae Choir	LMC	07813071867
Mon	6.30pm	Ballroom/Latin/Salsa Dancing	TC	07966 751991	Thur	9.30am	Baby Rhyme Time	LL	03000413131
Mon	6.30pm	Judo Club	LVH	862946	Thur	10am	RM Toddlers Group	RVH	863096
Mon	7.30pm	Yoga	RMVH	07977503897	Thur	10am	Art Group - Morning	TC	211364
Tues 1	10am	Baby & Toddler Group	TC	863274	Thur	11am	Shopping trips to Supermarket	JC	269602
Tues	10am	Baby Signing	EVH	07800737936	Thur	2pm	Art Group - Afternoon	TC	862972
Tues	10.30am	Art Class	JC	269602	Thur	6.45pm	Short Mat Bowls	LVH	863842
Tues	11.15am	Chairobics	JC	269602	Thur	7.30pm	Ballroom and Salsa Dancing	EVH	07967979610
Tues	11.15am	Feel A Fairy Tale Sensory	EVH	07800737936	Frí	10am	Feel A Fairy Tale Sensory	EVH	07800737936
Tues	6.45pm	Short Mat Bowls	LVH	863842	Fri	10am	Talk Time	LL	03000413131
Tues	2pm	Pickleball	EVH	863819	Frí	11am	Seated Exercise	JC	269602
Wed	10.15am	Mature Movers (Exercise)	TC	862873	Fri	11.15am	Baby Signing	EVH	07800737936

Monthly Events

When	Time	Event	Where	Tel. No.	When	Time	Event	Where	Tel. No.
3rd Mon	7.30pm	Etchinghill Cinema	EVH	863333	2nd Wed	10.30am	Mothers Union	NC	862221
Last Mon		Parish Council Meeting	SNL	07715221705	4th Wed	2.30pm	RM Circle	RVH	862913
1st Tues	10.30am	Reading Group	LL	03000413131	Last Wed	7.30pm	Quiz Night	C&H	862694
1st Tues	11am	Reminiscence	JC	269602	1st Thurs	7.30pm	RBL, Elham Valley Branch,	St Mary's Hall, Elham	862508
1st Tues ²	7.30pm	LHS Talk/Event	TC	862972	4th Fri	7.30pm	Beetle Drive	RVH	862616
3rd Tues	9.45am	Family History	LL	03000413131	Last Fri	1.30pm	Team Quiz	JC	269602
3rd Tues ³	7.30pm	Gardening Society	TC	07703149008	2nd Sat	10am	Postling Ch. Coffee Morning	PC	863536
Last Tues	10.30am	Poetry Group	LL	03000413131	3rd Sat	9am	Saturday Market	TC	862164
1st Wed	10.30am	Lyminge Friends	LMP	862598					

¹ In term time only ² Except Jan and Feb ³ Except Jan, Feb, and trip in Aug ⁴ Except Aug and Dec ⁵ Not held in August

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Out and About

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> setting t h e mood

December



Children enjoying the 'early snow' at the Lyminge Christmas Lights McCombe and Colin Manvell of the

Thank you to everyone who had

trees and lights from the Lyminge

Association and those who set up their

own displays to create such a fantastic

show of Christmas Lights all over the

village this year.



Carey Etchinghill Residents' Association at the Etchinghill Christmas Lights





Father Christmas and The Lyminge **Association** delivered presents once again just before Christmas. What a pleasure to see the smiles on the faces of the recipients not just children but adults as well!



Once again the residents of Mount Pleasant Close excelled themselves, including 'tourist signs' to guide people to the lights! - all in aid of charity. Well done to all concerned.



Lyminge Friends enjoying their Christmas Lunch.



Talk Time in the Library has recently included Christmas cracker making, Christmas wreath making and a visit by Lyminge Handbells

The Christmas Day Lunch Club had 40 people that would have been on their own, a new entertainer 'Vintage Ruby' who was brilliant and even got some of the guests up and dancing. But of course none of this would have been possible if it wasn't for the lovely people that helped with the cooking, decorating and clearing up after. So great that some of the village has worked together to pull off this wonderful event once again.







Last month's picture was the junction between Brady Road and Fox Close, The looking north-eastwards. Where would you see this sign?



that worked the tidying up project along Ethelburga Grove in November



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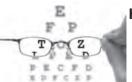
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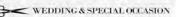
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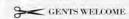
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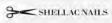
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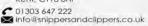








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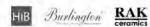
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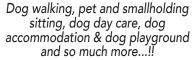
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