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MINSTER PARISH COUNCIL

The next Parish Council meeting will be held on:

Tuesday 4 February @ 7pm in the Neighbourhood Centre

Members of the public are welcome to attend and can arrange to speak to the Council through the Clerk or by requesting the Chairman before the start of the meeting. There is also a 15-minute period allowed at the end of the formal business to take questions from the public. Copies of the Agenda are available from the Clerk or the Parish Council website and are posted both in the Library and on the Parish Noticeboard in Norton Drive.

Clerk to the Council is Mrs Kyla Lamb and the Assistant Clerk is Clare Wilsdon.

The Council Office, above the library, is normally open from:

9.30am – 3pm weekdays; however due to commitments that require staff leaving the office it is better to ring first to ensure the office is manned.

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www.minsterparishcouncil.org.uk

OBITUARY

The family of Robert Seath would like to thank friends and neighbours for their thoughtful and caring good wishes, for the loss of Robert on 12/12/19, beloved husband of Gwen.

Special thanks to the following; Jonathan Cole and team, for their help, courtesy and care, also Jim Barber for the wonderful service and the Premier Inn for the excellent care accorded to our guests.

MINSTER PARISH COUNCIL – SUMMARY OF MEETING ON Tuesday 3rd December

- PCSO Adrian Butterworth reported that we had enjoyed a relatively quiet month. However, there had been a burglary in the village; fortunately, the offenders had been arrested and the property returned. Our local CCTV system assisted in providing supporting evidence. There was also an incidence of criminal damage in Rose Gardens.
- KCC Cllr. Hurst attended the meeting. Apologising for missing several meetings this year. She was able to confirm that at long last the Village Green status for the open space in Hillminster was being approved at a meeting that day.
- Cllr. Roper said that the TDC £1.5m budget deficit had been reduced to £182k, and a review is taking place regarding the use of two of the berths at Ramsgate Port. On planning matters, he mentioned that the Manston Speedway planning appeal had been rejected, Parkway Station is under review and that the Gypsy Council and landowner of the site at Minster Services had met with TDC but the outcome of that meeting is confidential. Cllr. Pugh expressed concern over the suggested use of this site.
- It seems that a public consultation is proposed in relation to the three locations identified as possible Traveller sites. Cllr. Pugh said that this is a contentious matter as an estimated £250k has been spent removing incursions.
- Cllr. Pugh is on the newly formed TDC Climate Change working party and was also happy to report a plan to plant 1000 trees in Thanet. Cllr. Hart welcomed this news.
- The Chairman explained that after a lengthy process the agreement to transfer the two car parks and public toilets from TDC to Minster Parish Council is nearly complete. TDC are reducing the payment to the parish by £5k as they will no longer be responsible for maintaining the properties. There will be legal costs but it is hoped that these will not be excessive. Once the process is complete the parish will ensure that the toilets are kept open and the parking remains free.
- The meeting agreed the design of a leaflet to be used when vehicles are parked illegally or inconsiderately in the parish. These will be used by councillors when they observe offending vehicles.
- It was reported that there had been a meeting with a KCC Highways representative to set out the issues raised in the Highways Survey. He has agreed to report back on the feasibility of our proposals.
- In the public question time, a request was made for reflectors to be placed on the bollards in Thorne Road to make them visible to pedestrians at night. The lighting and poor road surface on the access road to the bowls club was also mentioned. The Chairman agreed to look into this. (Update: KCC state that they do not put reflectors on such bollards. We will look into other options.)
- The Manston Raceway representative updated the meeting on the progress following the dismissal of the appeal; they will be providing additional information, including measures to address safety concerns at the level crossing, before a new application is made in the New Year. One member of the public questioned the viability of the site.
- A question was raised about harbour fees for two barges currently in Ramsgate Harbour. Cllr. Pugh agreed to follow this up.

Summary of Meeting 14th January, 2020

- The Chairman welcomed everyone to the first parish council meeting of 2020.
- District Cllr Roper reported on the Parkway Station; there is a consultation ongoing at the moment and KCC will make a decision as to whether to proceed on 27th January. The estimated cost has now trebled to £34.5m with current funding of £7.5m from KCC, £14m from a Local Growth Fund and £2m from TDC. It is suggested that completion of the new station will be by December, 2022, and it is said that Minster Station will not be affected.
He also mentioned the continuing debate on the location of a Traveller Site in Thanet, although the Chairman had heard that there were plans for a public meeting.
- Cllr. Pugh was not able to attend but sent in a written report in which he welcomed the planning application for an MOT & Tyre Centre at the Minster Service area and is looking forward to a decision about the DCO for Manston Airport. He is pursuing complaints about missed waste collections and is also following up a request from Cllr. Jones for TPO's to be placed on Thanet elms in Monkton Road.
- Rob Searle, Thanet Speedwatch Co-ordinator, gave updates on recent Speedwatch activity in Minster. A recent check at the top of Tothill Street between 8.30am and 9.30am identified 84 vehicles exceeding the speed limit. He recommended that we arrange the repair of equipment to make it available for use in Minster and surrounding parishes, and requested that Minster, along with other parishes, pay £360 a year for maintenance of equipment. This was agreed. More volunteers are needed as there is only one in Minster. To express an interest or complete the online training go to www.communityspeedwatch.org.
- PCSO Butterworth was unable to attend but he reported in writing that there had been two thefts of number plates and a criminal damage since the last meeting. There had also been a report about youths on bicycles causing mayhem and parking on the pavements in Augustine Road blocking the path for pedestrians. It was welcome news that two prosecutions for fly tipping in Marsh Farm Road had resulted in fines and community sentences.
- Community Warden Aaron Kluibenschadl reported that he had been promoted to Team Leader for Thanet and Swale and will be based at Margate. He thanked the council for their support and the Chairman thanked Aaron for his support for the community over the years. The new Community Warden Karl Aylett was introduced. He will have dual duties so will cover Minster and Monkton 18.5 hours a week.
- The Chairman reported that at a recent meeting of the Thanet Community Land Trust they had applied to TDC for use of St. Mary's Road car park to build three bungalows for the elderly; they await a response.
- A debate took place as to whether Minster Parish Council should continue with the annual firework display in view of current events. A vote was taken and it was agreed that this valuable community event should continue.
- Several nominations were made for the Community Awards Scheme of 2020 and after some discussion councillors agreed to nominate PCSO Debbie Forsyth for creating the very successful Village Voices Choir.

- In the public question time, it was pointed out that the current funding for the Parkway Station is not sufficient and wondered where the remainder would come from. Concern was raised after an incident where an elderly man locked himself out of his home and could not recall the key safe number to access the spare key; it was suggested that the elderly should be encouraged to make provision for such emergencies such as having a spare key held by a third party. It was pointed out that the suggestion of a traveller site at Minster Services may have been a smoke screen to ease the planning application now in place for that site.
- Note: There are two vacancies for parish councillors and if anyone is interested they would be very welcome to come to the parish office to find out more or contact any of the current councillors. An advert is being displayed on village notice boards and on the Minster Parish Council website.

COMMUNITY PROJECT - AN ALTERNATIVE CHRISTMAS TREE FOR MINSTER

I am sure you will all agree that our village always looks fabulous at Christmas, with the big Christmas tree outside the Church and the village shops with their small trees and lights, however, I feel the centre of the village would benefit from some extra decoration. After the enormous success of the Poppy project 2 years ago, I have decided to start another project for Christmas in the village. That is to crochet grannie squares and make them into a Christmas tree. This tree could be 5 ft tall or 12 ft tall depending on your response. Please see the photo on the front page.

The grannie squares need to be 4 inch squares using DK wool and a 3.5 crochet hook. They can be any colour centres but have a green border. For those of you who can only knit, again 4 inch squares in any green colour using 3.5 needles. Attwells Newsagents have kindly agreed to be my drop off/collection point. If you are unable to get to Attwells, give me a call on 07874 214 279 and I will collect.

Also, our tree will need some decorations, so some small crochet or knitted decorations would also be appreciated. I have some patterns available and will leave them in Attwells for anyone who is interested.

Thank you in anticipation of your help, Barbara Quittenden

MINSTER MATTERS MOBILITY SCHEME

For mobility scooters, wheelchairs and other aids

We have a new website - www.mmmobilityscheme.org.uk

Thank you to everyone who has helped in some way to make this venture a success, if you or someone you know needs to borrow any of our equipment please do get in touch, if we have it in stock and you have secure storage space for it, then you can borrow it.

Thank you in advance to anyone who offers us items or storage space, we really do appreciate it. Please check out our new website where you can see what we have available, phone or text 07864 345 019, or email admin@mmmobilityscheme.org.uk if you would like to borrow any of these, at any time, or if you have something you'd like to donate. Thank you.

1st MINSTER SCOUTS

Written by two of the scouts as part of their Media Relations and Marketing badge. They are in their own words and other than editing the spelling has been left unaltered.

Activities with Scouts

Scouting in Minster has been welcoming young boys and girls since 2011 to the world of adventures. We have had new leaders join the established team and have brought much to the table.

So far this year with scouts we have had plenty of new things to do. We have participated in many activities such as raft building and dancing with a member of Diversity dance troop. Raft Building was certainly a lot of fun and being on the water was a bit of a challenge but we made back either swimming or clinging on to the sinking raft. This year has been an amazing experience getting to try everything from archery , air rifle shooting, cooking over camp fires , Easter egg hunts ,sand castle competitions and loads more. We learnt a lot about ourselves when there were unexpected events; whilst hiking in Pegwell Bay it decided to chuck it down with rain, then just to put the cherry on top when walking through the woods it thundered then lightning occurred making us all jump.

There have been many events we have taken part in but the Big Night Out 2, a big summer camp held at Quex for all Thanet scouts, was the best of them all for me. We had so much to do. There was dancing to music from either the band or the silent discos, during the day everyone got the chance to have fun on inflatables, have a go at driving and there were stalls set up by each group, as well as an inter-troop football match . We got candy floss and were allowed to visit the tuck shop whenever we wanted. But the best part was that everyone had a great time and one big thank you to all the leaders who have supported Rainbows, Beavers , Brownies , Cubs and Scouts .

Thank you, Olivia Jenkinson (age 11)

Come and Join 1st Minster

Join 1st Minster because you get to make friends while you make your way through Beavers, Cubs, Scouts and Explorers. You will be exposed to exciting challenges like rock climbing, archery and shooting. Scouting will bring out skills and characteristics that you didn't know that you had such as cooking, leadership skills and confidence. You will get to have fun with your friends and have lots of adventures with us.

We do camps like KIJ and the Big Night Out 2 and do songs around the camp fire.

Mia Burrin-Keene (age 12)

MINSTER W.I.

We welcomed the new year with a fantastic first meeting. Richard Latham, the owner and organiser of Rich Rhythms, brought along 25 African djembe drums and gave us a demonstration on how to play them and how to get the different notes and then we all joined in.....a great way to get rid of the January blues!!

Dates for your diary

11th February - WI Meeting - 'Show the Love' highlighting the issue of climate change and what we can do to help!!

28th March - Wine and Wisdom - Minster Village Hall.

For tickets contact Liz 07968 473 689

We always like to see new members so if you would like to come along but want more details please contact Liz on number above.

Meetings are on the second Tuesday of every month starting at 7.30pm in Minster Village Hall.

MINSTER SHOW

Saturday 18th July 2020 - 134th Year

Show Theme: Around the World

The 2020 Minster Show will be held on July 18th at the Recreation Ground in the village.

So, here's your chance to put the date in the diary now!

This is the 134th year that the Show has been held and not many villages can make that boast but as ever each Show has its arrangement and preparation carried out by a very committed, busy and hard-working committee.

Last year's Show saw more people attending and a wide variety of stalls, games, music and many other attractions, including the Village Voices for the first time.

The Minster Show Committee does have several regular helpers, without whom the Show would not be successful, and we are very grateful for their continued support.

In the few weeks prior to the show and on the day, there are several tasks that would be far easier with some additional support.

The Minster Show Committee are looking for some additional helpers to carry out allocated tasks in the week before and on the day. None of these would take up much time but would seriously assist us in the smooth running of the Show.

If you feel you can help in any way, please contact Alan Gimes on 01843 822 559 or leave your name with Karen at Attwells. Nearer the time we will prepare a schedule of tasks, (none of which are irksome) and look for volunteers to carry them out.

Look forward to hearing from you!!!

Email: promotions@minstershow.org.uk

KARL AYLETT COMMUNITY WARDEN

Hello and a belated happy new year to your all.

My name is Karl Aylett and I'm happy to be the new Community Warden for Minster and Monkton. Before coming to Minster and Monkton I was, for the previous two years, the Community Warden for Sandwich, Eastry and Ash.

I was really pleased to be offered the opportunity to work in Minster and Monkton as in a previous career for K.C.C Library's I've worked many times in Minster Library.

I already know many of you from my time in the library service and also having friends that live in the village,

I'm hoping to meet a lot more of you as I spend more time in both villages, so please say hello if you see me out and about and don't hesitate to let me know if I can help you or someone you know within my role as Community Warden.

Looking forward to meeting you, Karl

My contact details are mobile: 07811 271 299

Email: Karl.aylett@kent.gov.uk

STAGECOACH DRIVERS & REQUEST STOP PROBLEMS

We have heard from members of the public, both verbally and by letter, that there have been incidents of buses not stopping when someone has 'requested' them to do so. We know of incidents in both Acol and Monkton/Minster where this has happened recently. Drivers have stated they are not able to stop as the request wasn't made at or for an actually recognised bus stop. However, after letters to Stagecoach, Parish and District councillors, KCC and to the local MP, Stagecoach have now released the following statement which is to make absolutely sure that all Thanet drivers are aware of the Stagecoach 'conditions of carriage' which state that:

'In certain areas there are no designated bus stops. In those areas buses will stop on request where it is safe to do so. Customers should pick a point away from parked cars, road junctions etc. and give a clear signal in good time to the driver of the vehicle. When you come to a light, you should ring the bell once in good time to alert the driver.'

Stagecoach also say they have reiterated the importance of these instructions to all their Thanet Depot drivers in writing.

Minster Matters were also given to understand that there was always a recognised 'Request Stop' in the area around the top of Sheriff's Court Lane, on the Minster/Monkton border, marked by a proper bus stop sign, but it would appear that, following replacement of a lamp post in that area, the sign disappeared. This sign has now been reinstated.

PATIENT LIAISON GROUP

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR and PRIZE WINNERS

The Winners were: First Prize £100 Cash Mrs H Thomas of Minster; 2nd Prize Mrs Sharp and 3rd Prize Dr Crosfield. A full list of all Christmas Raffle winners was displayed in the surgery.

FUND RAISING PROJECTS - TARGET ACHIEVED - EQUIPMENT ORDERED!

We are extremely grateful to the many patients and friends who have made such generous donations, and together with the monies made from our raffle and our very successful Christmas Bazaar, we will be able to fund the purchase of the new "Automatic Examination Couch" for DR Crosfield's Consultation Room immediately, and we now await authorisation to purchase the new 24 hour EC G Equipment. So, a "BIG THANK YOU" to everyone who has supported us so generously, in so many ways.

CANCER RESEARCH UK - FUND RAISING EVENT

An event, "A Party Fun and Games Night", was organised by Caroline Pointer, a nurse from Minster Surgery, and two friends Gilly Brown and Steve West, and held in Monkton Village Hall. The very successful event raised a MASSIVE £1200 for Cancer Research UK and we would like to congratulate the organisers and thank everyone for their support for this very worthwhile cause.

DID YOU KNOW.....

Monday and Friday are always our busiest days, and on average we receive nearly 1000 calls each day? However, during the week before Christmas we received nearly 3500 calls and the week after Christmas received 4106 calls.

Regrettably, this caused severe congestion on the local broadband network, also affecting some mobile phones, which led to some calls being disconnected.

We therefore wish to apologise to any patients who were affected by this problem, which was unfortunately due to circumstances beyond our control.

DO YOU USE THE "TELEPHONE CALL BACK" OPTION?

Free and easy to use, it saves you time and the frustration of waiting for someone to answer. For example, on the Monday after Christmas, nearly 100 patients did and were successfully called back very shortly after.

SURGERY CLOSURE DAYS

Staff Training - from midday onwards: Thursday 27th February

Should you need to see a Doctor when the surgery is closed, please call the NHS 111 Service direct on 111, to receive non-urgent confidential health advice and information for you and your family. For urgent/life threatening issues, please dial 999 as normal.

PATIENT GROUP MEETING

If you have any issues you would like to raise at our next meeting or require further information on any of the above, then please contact Ken Self on 821200, Jeanne Lawrence on 821049 or email kenself@me.com.

MINSTER BOWLS

Minster Bowls Club will be holding their 14th Charity Open Bowls Competition on Sunday, 21st June and are looking for teams from local clubs/societies/businesses. Teams will consist of four people who are not members of any bowls club at the time of playing. All teams losing in the first round will be have free entry to the Plate Competition, ensuring that all teams will play at least two games. Teams winning each of the competitions will donate their prize money to a Charity of their choice. As there is always a lot of interest in this competition, an early reply and a full payment of £20 to reserve a place would be appreciated. Cheques should be made payable to Minster Bowls Club and forwarded to the Club Secretary at, The Green, Molineux Road, Minster please mark the envelope "Charity Open". In the past this has been a very enjoyable event in our calendar. The bar and refreshments will be available throughout.

Elvis Presley is visiting Minster Bowls Club

Saturday 29th February 7 for 7.30pm - £7 per person, bring your own nibbles
Contact Min on 01843 822 589 for ticket information

TWINNING ASSOCIATION REPORT

In our December report we were getting ready for our French friends to join us for a traditional Christmas Lunch.

On Sunday 15th December 14 members of the Armbouts-Cappel Twinning Association met with 12 members of our committee at the Bell Inn for coffee before setting off for a visit to the Spitfire Museum at Manston. There they were given a tour of the museum and the opportunity to sit in the Spitfire simulator complete with flying helmet and jacket for a photo opportunity. This caused much mirth, culminating a very enjoyable visit. We would like to say thank you to the staff at the museum for looking after us.

We then moved on to the Crown Inn at Sarre, where we enjoyed a traditional Christmas lunch of turkey and all the trimmings plus Christmas pud and mince pies to finish. We pulled our crackers and read out our mottos before Chris Ransom played a selection of Christmas songs on his accordion, which everybody joined in with gusto. We were then treated to an unexpected surprise with the arrival of Santa Claus complete with a sack full of presents which he distributed to all the quests. (We would like to say a big thank you to Minster's own PCSO Adrian Butterworth who took on the role of Santa and did a great job, totally believable)

After a visit to see the festively lit boats in Ramsgate harbour we said our goodbyes and reflected on what an enjoyable day it had been, one that can only add to the strength of unity we have between our two villages.

The next meeting with our French friends will be at the Mayor's speech in Armbouts-Cappel, when eight of our committee will be travelling to the village to join in this very important event in their yearly calendar.

Don't forget that our next quiz is on Saturday 22nd February, always a sought-after event in Minster's social calendar. A great quiz plus a fabulous buffet for just £6 per person, teams of up to 8. To book a table ring Carol on 07745 683 466

PCSO's REPORT

Welcome to my crime prevention advice slot. This month I would like to draw your attention to cold callers. This is where someone appears at your door offering to do work on your property. They will usually say that they are working locally and have noticed something wrong with your roof or guttering. This is followed by a sales pitch where they will offer to do the work there and then at a really good price. These persons usually target bungalows and areas with an elderly population. They rely on the fact that a lot of older persons worry about the condition of their houses and would not want them falling into disrepair. The work is usually quoted at one price and then after the job is done the price has risen dramatically. It is not just roof sometimes it is drives that are being worked on. They offer to do the job in a couple of days when it would normally take weeks to do it properly. If you have one of these types of visits politely tell them that you are not interested and seek advice from a reputable trader if you are concerned by what you have been told. Legally they should give you a cooling off period to think things over before starting work and give you a chance to pull out. These persons just want your money and rarely have any liability insurance they will not take responsibility for any damage they cause. If you think you need work doing find a reputable trader or ask friends and family for advice.

VILLAGE VOICES

Members of the choir have enjoyed their inaugural year attending events in and around Minster and they now look forward to whatever the new year brings. There are already bookings in their calendar for 2020, so if you are considering asking them to sing at an event, you are organising, please get in touch to ensure you're in with a chance! Are you interested in joining the choir? If so, then just 'rock up' on a Wednesday evening to the Salvation Army Hall in Tothill St., at 6pm. Cost is just £1.50pw for an hour and a half of good company and lots of singing. For more information please ring 'Mr. O' on 07914 623 287 – www.villagevoiceschoir.org.uk

MINSTER AND MONKTON GARDENING CLUB

Wednesday 19 February Minster Village Hall - New Time: *2.30pm*
Don Wilks - 'Tanzania'

MENS SUPPER CLUB MEETING

Wednesday 11th March 7pm for 7.30pm Old Schools, Church St., Minster
The Men's Supper Club Meeting.
Home cooked dinner and dessert and after dinner entertainment. £8.50
Phone Peter on 01843 447 692 or 07981 184 224 to book your place

MINSTER PLAYHOUSE PROMPT CORNER

Happy New Year to you from all at Minster Playhouse!

Last year was an enjoyable and successful year for us with a well-received May Play, an Autumn Revue, and a happy, funny, and well-attended Pantomime, Alice in Wonderland. This success enabled us to contribute well to our charities for the year, The Marie Curie and MacMillan cancer support organisations. These two charities had supported our friends Scott and Janette Steele during Scott's illness, and we are delighted to have raised the sum of £1,500 to be split between these two worthy causes.

We are looking forward to another happy year ahead. The May Play is cast and going into rehearsal in February. This year's offering is Duets, a play in two Acts and four scenes by Peter Quilter, and a hilarious tribute to the strength and madness of the human heart. Future Prompt Corners will have information about our Autumn production, Pantomime, and other activities during 2020.

If you are interested in joining us, get in touch by email, or come along to the AGM which will be held at the Bell Inn Minster at 7.30 pm on Wednesday 29th January.

There is much more to theatre than just acting, and new members are very welcome.

All the world's a stage, and all the men and women merely players. (William Shakespeare)

email: info@minsterplayhouse.co.uk

ST NICHOLAS CHURCH TRASH & TREASURE

Saturday 15 February 9am to 12 noon

TWINNING ASSOCIATION QUIZ NIGHT

Royal British Legion Club Saturday 22 February 7.30 for 8pm - £6 entry including food maximum of 8 per team – pre booking essential call Carol on 07745 683 466

MINSTER ART & CRAFT GROUP

We meet at the Old Schools every Monday morning from 9.00am to 12.30pm.

We are a friendly and sociable non-teaching group ranging from artists to all types of crafters, all of whom are ready to give help and advice if requested. The charge per week is £2.00 to cover the hall and includes refreshments. You are welcome to come along for a free morning session to see what we are doing. Any queries - call Ann on 01843 821 152.

AMBER'S ADVICE

Go within every day and find the inner strength so that the world will not blow your candle out!

TIGER'S TIP

Blinds - squeaky clean - mix equal parts vinegar and water, slip old sock over hand, dip in mixture and rub along length of each slat of blind - sparkly clean..

CHURCH NEWS AND SERVICE TIMES

The Catholic Parish of Ramsgate and Minster

Father Christopher Basden - telephone 592 071

Mass daily at 9.00am and Sunday at 10.00am in Minster Abbey

Minster Abbey - The Abbey Chapel is open for prayer throughout the day

Lauds: 8.30am Mass 9.00am, Sunday 10.00am Midday Prayer 12.10pm

Vespers 6.00pm Compline 7.50pm (followed by silent prayer)

The Salvation Army Minster Corps Church & Community Centre

Captains Luke and Katy Johnson telephone: 821 543

Mondays 2.15pm Friendship Club Tuesdays 9.30am Sunny Tots (birth to 5yrs) (term time only) Wednesdays 2.00pm Home League Thursdays 9.15am Prayer Group

Sundays 10.30am Family Worship

St Mary Magdalene Monkton Services in February

2 No Services at Monkton today

9 10.15am Family Worship

16 10.15am Holy Communion

23 4.00pm Seamark Service – new worship for all

St Mary the Virgin, Minster Services in February

2 9.00am Holy Communion

3.00pm Seamark Group Celebration for Candlemas with Bishop Rose

Hudson-Wilkin, Bishop of Dover

9 9.00am Holy Communion

10.30am All-age Worship with Holy Communion

16 9.00am Holy Communion

10.30am All-age Worship

23 9.00am Holy Communion

10.30am All-age Worship with Holy Communion

Wednesday mornings at St Mary's

10.30am - Holy Communion followed by refreshments.

Holy Communion at home is available for anyone who is unable to access Minster or Monkton Church telephone 821 250 or 822 428

CONTACTING YOUR DISTRICT & COUNTY COUNCILLORS

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District Councillor David Hart tel: 07976 830 171

District Councillor Trevor Roper tel: 07787 860 381

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Kent County Councillor Liz Hurst tel: 07453 328 104

Thank you for listening - your readers this month were:-

Musical interludes supplied courtesy of
Brenda Saker, Daryl Booth and Richard Spendlove MBE