

PARISH NEWS



Autumn 2016

Welcome to the Autumn edition of the Parish News, which is now available for download from the Parish Council's website, www.hwpc.org.uk or by hard copy in the office, at 73 High Street, Heathfield. I hope you all had a lovely summer and enjoyed the sunny weather which was particularly welcome on the day of Le Marché!

Councillors: Who Does What? (contact details overleaf)

Chairman of the Council – Andy Woolley

Vice-Chairman – Patrick Coffey

Committee Chairmen: Burial Grounds and Amenities – Patricia Clark, **Community and Business Development** – Richard Ridley, **Finance and General Purposes** – Richard Ridley, **Highways, Planning and Street Lighting** – Patrick Coffey, **Leisure, Environment and Recreation** – Mike Robinson.

Community Hub and Volunteer Centre – The Hub at the Parish Council office is now fully open so you are welcome to come and use the public access computer, which has links to Wealden District Council's website as well as East Sussex County Council and other key organisations. The Citizens Advice Bureau holds a drop-in session every Friday from 10.00 – 12.00. The Heathfield and District Volunteer Centre operate sessions every week so come along and find out what voluntary organisations operate within the parish and ask about volunteering. Whatever your interest or time availability, they will be able to help you.

On 3 October 2016, East Sussex Fire and Rescue will be holding an information and fire safety event, so come along from 1.00 – 3.00 p.m. to learn more. There will be more displays and drop in sessions in the Hub and if you have any ideas for future events, please let Jackie know on 01435 865700 or email jcottrell@hwpc.org.uk. If you want to contact the Volunteer Centre, the email address is volunteer@hdvc.org.uk, or ring the office on 01435 865700 to leave a message. The Chairman is Ann Kenward and she or someone else from the team will be pleased to hear from you.

Theobalds Green Burial Grounds – The burial ground and woodland burial ground are now open. It is a lovely, peaceful area, bordered by mature trees and close to the Cuckoo Trail. There is an open cart lodge building which provides some shelter for visiting family and friends. For further information, please contact Hilary on 01435 865700 or hpyle@hwpc.org.uk.

New Housing in Heathfield – A number of applications for new housing have been made recently or are in the pipeline. Members of the public are welcome to attend meetings of the Highways, Planning and Street Lighting Committee where the Parish Council's recommendations to Wealden District Council are debated and agreed. Agendas and list of planning applications for these meetings, which normally take place every fortnight on a Monday evening, are published on our website – www.hwpc.org.uk and in the office window. It is always helpful if you can let the office know if a number of you will be attending in relation to a particular application, so that we can arrange the meeting room accordingly.

Visioning Exercise – following on from the community survey which was carried out last year, the Council have decided to undertake a visioning exercise later this year. This will involve an evaluation of all aspects of the Council's activities and vision for the future and will lead to a medium term plan being established to determine priorities for the future. An important part of the project will be consulting with the community and we will keep you updated about this as things progress.

Contacting your parish councillors – a full list follows:-

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Diary of Meetings

Council

Tuesday 13 September 2016
Tuesday 8 November 2016
Tuesday 10 January 2017

Highways, Planning and Street Lighting Committee

Monday 12 September 2016
Monday 26 September 2016
Monday 10 October 2016
Monday 24 October 2016
Monday 7 November 2016
Monday 21 November 2016
Monday 5 December 2016
Monday 19 December 2016
Monday 9 January 2017
Monday 23 January 2017

Finance and General Purposes Committee

Tuesday 20 September 2016
Tuesday 13 December 2016

Leisure, Environment and Recreation Committee

Tuesday 27 September 2016 **starting at 8.00 pm**
Monday 14 November 2016 **starting at 8.00 pm**

Burial Grounds and Amenities Committee

Tuesday 27 September 2016 **starting at 7.15 pm**
Monday 14 November 2016 **starting at 7.15 pm**

LER and BGA meetings are held at the Parish Council Offices – 73 High Street, Heathfield TN21 8HU

Other Meetings are held in the Ian Price Room, Heathfield Community Centre, Sheepsetting Lane, Heathfield and usually commence at 7.30 p.m. Copies of Agendas are displayed in the Office window or may be downloaded from the website on www.hwpc.org.uk.

**We welcome members of the public
to our meetings and time is allowed
for public questions.**

**The Office is open from 9.30 a.m. – 3.00 p.m. Monday to Friday
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