

Eythorne Parish Council

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KFRS - Fire Hydrant Initiative

A representative from Kent Fire and Rescue will be attending the monthly meeting on 9 October to present information about a Fire Hydrant Initiative. KFRS are asking residents within a community to check the maintenance of any marked hydrants and report any issues, thus preventing any problems if the hydrant is needed for a fire. If you would like to come and listen to the presentation and ask any questions, please attend on 9 October, 6.30pm at Elvington Community Centre.

Thanet Community Transport Association

Last year, the Parish Council purchased a group membership to allow residents within the Parish to register for the service and only pay for their journeys (not the annual subscription as well). This group membership ran out at the end of July and the Parish Council have been trying to purchase another one for everyone in the Parish to use. However, despite our efforts this has not been successful. To continue to use the TCTA service everyone has to buy an annual individual membership at £25.00. If you are a group, for example youth group or WI, then membership is £35.00.

For more information email transport@transportinthanet.co.uk or phone 01843 602030.

Reporting Issues within the Parish

If you see a problem with the roads, street lights, fly tipping, blocked drains etc., please report them. First hand reporting is preferred, as you have all the information and maybe a photo to upload.

Dover District Council www.dover.gov.uk/Report/Report.aspx

There is a long list of options and there is a simple form to fill in.

Alternatively, use the contact details below for Julliette West or the Parish Council Clerk for advice on how best to report the problem.

Country Eye App

This app can be downloaded onto iPhone and Android Mobiles for free in association with Kent Police.

Basically you take a photo of suspicious behaviour, incidents or concerns e.g. fly tipping

Tell them where you are or use your phone's built in GPS location

Received updates and alerts on the incidents you submit

For more information go to: <https://countryeye.co.uk/>

Speed Watch

Your Speed Watch group is doing some excellent work and the Parish Council wishes to thank them for their continued diligence. Not only are they conducting observations but they are also moving the new Big SID to the 6 locations in the villages. They are a group of volunteers and are constantly looking for new help, 2 new volunteers have come forward over the summer, due to the data reporting in this magazine. This is excellent as the more people involved the more times the group can go out but also the time commitment can be shared. The group would like to conduct weekend observations, so if you work during the week, you can still be of benefit. For more information contact the Clerk.

USEFUL CONTACTS

Eythorne Parish Council website: www.eythornepc.kentparishes.gov.uk

Eythorne Parish Clerk: clerk@eythornepc.kentparishes.gov.uk or 01304 832449 to leave a message

Community Warden – Julliette West: 07969 584174

PSCO – Luke Sanderson: luke.sanderson@kent.pnn.police.uk

Non-emergency crime: ring 101 or www.kent.police.uk/services/report-online

Crime Stoppers: 0800 555 111

Kent County Council: www.kent.gov.uk or 08458 247 247

Dover District Council: www.dover.gov.uk/Home.aspx or call 01304 821199

East Kent Housing: www.eastkenthousing.org.uk or call 01304 872 296

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