

Eythorne Parish Council

September 2019 Edition

Allotments

Over the summer work has progressed substantially on the allotments on Adelaide Road, a fence and gates have secured the site and the 12 plots are finally taking shape with much tendered little plants sprouting up. This has been a massive project for the Parish Council, taking years to come to fruition and the site has a lovely community feel, the Councillors hope the new allotment holders have many hours of enjoyment.

Play Areas

Another project which has been finalised over the summer is the installation of new a seesaw and roundabout in Elvington and repairs to the soft surface under the swings in Eythorne. The light bulbs on the MUGA court have been replaced so that our youth can continue to exercise when the nights draw in. This new equipment and the replacement bench in Elvington will covered by a CCTV camera so any anti-social behaviour which causes damage will be reported to the police with evidence from the cameras. If you witness anyone causing damage to the community facilities please report using the numbers below. The Parish Council is keen to spend your money on increasing the facilities available rather than repairing and replacing damaged ones.

KFRS - Fire Hydrant Initiative

A representative from Kent Fire and Rescue will be attending the monthly meeting in 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.

Mobile Library

Residents have been talking about the Mobile Library, which visits Eythorne and Shepherdswell. Please see below for the stops in and around Eythorne.

Stop Name	Location	Stop Day	Stop Time	Frequency	Van Route
Eythorne	The Crescent	Thursday	10.05 – 10.35	Fortnightly red	Dover
Eythorne	Willow Waye	Thursday	9.30 – 10.00	Fortnightly red	Dover
Shepherdswell	Eythorne Road	Thursday	12.55 – 13.25	Fortnightly red	Dover
Nonington	Royal Oak PH	Friday	14.30 – 15.00	Fortnightly blue	Dover

The next 2 months are as follows:

Red week – Thursday 12th and 26th September, 10th and 24th October

Blue week – Friday 6th and 20th September, 4th and 18th October

See https://www.kent.gov.uk/data/assets/pdf_file/0020/50951/Kent-mobile-libraries-timetable.pdf for more information.

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

Mobile Library Service: 03000 41 31 31