

# Horne Parish Council

## Autumn 2012 Newsletter



New Horne sign, Church Road

### Moving forward

#### Marking the Queen's Jubilee

To mark the Jubilee two new commemorative benches have been installed. One bench has been installed at the Newchapel Ground Cricket Club and the other at the Newchapel Road junction with Eastbourne Road by the roundabout across from the Mormon Temple. The inscription reads '2012 QE II DIAMOND JUBILEE' and the work was carried out by Able Engraving, Brickhouse Lane.

The Council also commissioned the Horne Sign on Church Road to be replaced, and are delighted with the work carried out by Aristo Signs, Brickhouse Lane, for the quality of the reproduction that they carried out.

#### Newchapel Green

The Parish Council has commenced the first stage in the project to restore the natural habitats of Newchapel Green and Frogit Heath.

Laurence Crow, Horne PC's Woodland Management, has recently acquired the tree felling licence for Newchapel Green and the tree thinning will begin before the end of 2012. The aim is to create clearings on the common in order to allow natural flora and fauna to return. A pathway will also be established on the common to enable walkers to explore the area.

Horne PC extends its gratitude and thanks to County Councillor Michael Sydney for securing funding for Horne PC in the sum of £2,500 from the Local Committee Member's Allocation fund towards the project.

#### Lingfield Cricket Club Lease Agreement

On Tuesday 19th June, Councillors of Horne Parish Council and Directors of Lingfield Cricket Club met at the Horne and Newchapel Cricket ground to sign a lease agreement for the ground. Lingfield Cricket Club has formally leased the ground, which is owned by Horne PC, for 25 years.

As part of the agreement the Club is undertaking work at the ground to improve safety and to maintain the natural environment around the ground. They have received funding for some aspects of the work and have enlisted the help of volunteers to do much of the work including cutting back overgrown vegetation and clearing the ditches.

The Club has a big task ahead to raise around £30,000 to have electricity installed at the Clubhouse. This will help to improve security at the ground and enable the clubhouse to be used year-round for various events. Councillors at Horne Parish Council are delighted to have completed the agreement and look forward to a long term relationship with the Club.

### Horne Parish Council Meetings

Held at Centenary Hall, Wheelers Lane, Smallfield, from 7.30pm on the second Monday of the month

#### Upcoming meetings:

Monday 8th October  
Monday 12th November  
Monday 10th December

Members of the public are welcome and encouraged to attend. The first 15 minutes of the meeting are available for the public to raise any issues with the council.

### Horne Parish Council has vacancies for two Councillors



Would you like to take an active role in making decisions that directly affect your local environment?

Would you like to help develop, improve and protect your local community for the future?

Could you commit to one evening meeting a month?

Please contact the Clerk for an informal discussion  
01342 410 646

## News from Lingfield Newchapel Cricket Ground from Robert Mitchell, Club Secretary

Our season ends on 23rd September and immediately we will start work on the square in preparation for next April.

The outfield is still growing and we will have to keep cutting it because otherwise the leaves will get caught in the grass instead of blowing across the field. We will also need to keep up our battle against the moles that come in from the heath. We will also have to try and clear the ditches so that the winter rains can flow through them the cricket field is lower than the adjacent road and water drains off the road onto the ground.

The ball retention netting we erected in April proved a great bonus. It save us time searching across the road for balls, saved us money in balls lost and reduced precarious crossings.

We will be hedge planting in November courtesy of The Woodland Trust who are giving us 105 free short hedge trees to plant a Queen Elizabeth's Diamond Jubilee hedge.

Our season was affected by the heavy rains and there were several weeks when the ground was unplayable and occasions when it was totally waterlogged. We did however enjoy a fairly successful season as far as results went.

You may have noticed that we rigged a Union Jack up on the flag pole that flew proudly during this jubilee year.

We look forward to welcoming more spectators to see the men, ladies and children's cricket in 2013.

And not to forget – Lingfield Newchapel won the Sally Miller Trophy Final beating a Balcombe side in an exciting final.

## Tandridge District Council – Making Recycling Easier

**From 1 October 2012 TDC will collect:**

Food waste every week.  
Mixed recycling every other week.  
General dustbin/black sack waste every other week.

### **New recycling containers**

You should now have received the new recycling containers with a user guide. If you have not received your new containers by 14 September please contact TDC.

### **Grey wheeled bin with blue lid:**

Mixed Recycling: glass bottles and jars, metals (including drink and food cans, aerosols and foil), paper & cardboard, plastic and wax-lined, poly-lined and foil lined cartons such as Tetra Paks

### **Silver, food waste caddy for indoor use:**

meat and fish (including bones), bread, cakes & pastries, cheese, food past its sell by date, fruit & vegetable peelings, leftovers, tea bags, pasta, rice & pulses etc.

**Green, animal proof, food caddy with a lockable lid for outside.** You can empty your small caddy into this bin.

Please do not use the new containers until the week before your recycling is due to be collected.



## St. Mary's Church, Horne

[www.achurchnearyou.com/horne-st-mary-the-virgin](http://www.achurchnearyou.com/horne-st-mary-the-virgin)  
01342 842 224

St Mary's will be holding a Harvest Festival service followed by a Harvest Lunch on Sunday 30 September at 10 am, at St Mary's Church. Further details on the St Mary's website or from Ann Wright: [wright@btinternet.com](mailto:wright@btinternet.com)

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to include news from the  
Parish Council, agendas  
and minutes, and selected  
updates from Tandridge  
District Council and Surrey  
County Council.