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Hello Everyone

Our Quiz Night on 4th June was a roaring success. We had a packed hall and everyone seemed to have a good time.

We used professional Quiz Master Peter Jemmet, who operates as PJ QuizMaster (www.kentquiz.co.uk) and



would recommend this service to other fundraisers. Peter charges only £1 per head and it makes things so easy for the organisers as he prepares the quiz, provides all necessary papers and acts as Quizmaster, even bringing his own assistant. We raised over £200 towards Newsletter funds on the evening, including raffle takings.

I'm pleased to announce that our next event has now been confirmed as a Barn Dance with the Deal Hoodeners on Saturday 8th October. Anyone who came to the last one we hosted will tell you what a fantastic night that was! Because room is needed for the dancing, tickets are limited, so I advise getting yours as soon as they go on sale when the September Newsletter comes out.

There is no August edition of the Newsletter, so see you again in September.

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We welcome all contributions to the content of the Newsletter, but please remember that the deadline date is 8pm on the 15th of the month.

*NOTE:* You should be aware that <u>articles are also published on the website www. tenews.co.uk</u> - please inform us if you want any part of your article withheld from that particular medium.

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### **PCSO GRETEL MAY**

I can be contacted on **07772 226209** for any issues that you'd like to discuss with me. *Gretel.* 





## Village Diary 2016

### July

Thurs 14	Coffee Morning in the Village Hall
	WI Meeting in the Village Hall
Sat 16	Produce Assoc Summer Show 2pm in the Village Hall
Sun 17	Strawberry Tea 3pm at Maravel 113 London Road see ad page 15
Sun 24	Rounders Tournament with live music at the Playing Field - see
	ad next page
Tues 26	Parish Council Meeting 7.15pm in the Baptist Church Hall

Thurs 28Coffee Morning in the Village Hall

### August

- Thurs 11 Coffee Morning in the Village Hall
- Sat 13 'A Song to Remember' Temple Ewell Players at Alkham Village Hall - see letter page 37 for details
- Thurs 25 Coffee Morning in the Village Hall
- Mon 29 BANK HOLIDAY

### September

- Thurs 8 Coffee Morning in the Village Hall
- WI Meeting in the Village Hall
- Sat 17Produce Assoc Autumn Show 2pm in the Village Hall
- Thurs 22 Coffee Morning in the Village Hall
- Tues 27Parish Council Meeting 7.15pm in the Baptist Church Hall

### October

- Thurs 6 Coffee Morning in the Village Hall
- Sat 8 Barn Dance at the Village Hall see ad page 21
- Thurs 13WI Meeting in the Village Hall
- Thurs 20Coffee Morning in the Village Hall
- Mon 24 Produce Assoc AGM 7-9pm in the Village Hall
- Tues 25Parish Council Meeting 7.15pm in the Baptist Church Hall

### November

- Thurs 5 Coffee Morning in the Village Hall
- Thurs 10 WI Meeting in the Village Hall
- Thurs 17 Coffee Morning in the Village Hall
- Tues 29Parish Council Meeting 7.15pm in the Baptist Church Hall

### December

- Thurs 1 Coffee Morning in the Village Hall
- Thurs 8WI Meeting in the Village Hall
- Thurs 15Coffee Morning in the Village Hall
- Sun 25 CHRISTMAS DAY
- Mon 26 BOXING DAY
- Tues 27BANK HOLIDAY
- Thurs 29 Coffee Morning in the Village Hall

#### TEMPLE EWELL PARISH COUNCIL



### **ROUNDERS TOURNAMENT**

#### With live music

### SUNDAY 24th JULY

2pm

### KING GEORGE V PLAYING FIELD

Teams required for a rounders tournament 9 people per team

Please register your team at The Fox or ring Marilyn on 448140 by Sunday 17th July

#### **Refreshments available**

### Temple Ewell Celebrates

The festivities started on the Friday at the school where the children enjoyed a picnic lunch to celebrate the Queen's 90th birthday.







Some of the young at heart of the village joined them for tea and cake. Tales of their school days were recounted to the children.

Later in the afternoon the Friday Club enjoyed a Strawberry Tea.



Sunday could have been a washout due to the morning rain, but fortunately it stopped in time for the village event.

There were football matches for the children and the big boys. Thank you to Barry for being the Referee and Phil and Paul for running the line.



Musical entertainment was provided by The Ol' Gin Band and The Flat Pack Band - two different styles of music, both excellent.

Of course the day ended with 90 rings of the church bell and lighting of the beacon.

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### Produce Association

The Summer Show is on Saturday the 16th July 2-4pm, hope to see you all there.

The Floral Art at this show has a Wedding theme about it:-

Class 46 An arrangement for the top wedding table - space 45cm(18") Class 47 A Corsage for the Brides Mother Class 48 Beginners: A Posy for a small Bridesmaid.

And we have the Tussie Mussie - A posy of Herbs and Flowers(Class 45). For the Children we have Class 49 - A Basket of Summer Flowers (can be in oasis). We will have a raffle and the sales table with some Dahlias and Fuchsias and a few pots of home made goodies, so come along to the Village Hall and be impressed. A warm welcome awaits you.

#### **Regards Trevor Barlow**



### Temple Ewell W.I.

A fun evening was enjoyed by us when we painted on tiles at our June meeting, hoping to create masterpieces and maybe discover a few budding artists amongst us. Our tiles will be returned to us at our July meeting after being glazed.

The next meeting is on the 14th July when we will enjoy a Strawberry Tea.



### Friday Club

We are having a quiet time with holidays coming around but still able to function.

On Friday 10th June we had a Strawberry Tea, this always gives us a full house. The strawberries were local and were delicious and enjoyed by all.

On Friday 29th July we will be at The Fox for a skittles afternoon with hot dogs for lunch. This is always a good laugh and we all really enjoy it. I hope that the weather will be good for us.

We are breaking up on 29th until September 2nd to recharge our batteries.

If you would like to join us on a Friday you are very welcome. There is no age restrictions so come along and enjoy an afternoon at the Friday Club.

Have a good summer.

Yvonne



### **Branching Out**

We have been busy on our allotment and thanks to the recent rain things seem to be growing well. We are hoping to enter some of our vegetables in the Autumn Show.

Richard is enjoying his work experience at Sheperdswell Steam Railway and Tiffany is working hard at the Riverside Day Centre on Wednesdays.

We had a good day in London when we visited Covent Garden. Next week we are going to Canterbury for a boat ride down the Stour.

#### **Richard Grayson**



### Willows

We are looking forward to the Heart of the Community evening at the Cruise Terminal. Thanks to all those people who filled in forms for us as we have made it to the finals.

We enjoyed our day out at the Rare Breeds Centre, especially the tractor ride. Ben got to hold a hawk during the falconry demonstration. Our next trip out is to the Fox for skittles and sausage and chips. Then we have a BBQ at Marilyn's, a trip to the beach and then to Chessington!

We'll let you know how it went in September.



### Youth Club

Youth Club are looking forward to their trip to Thorpe Park on the 19th of June. We've also got the bus booked in July for a BBQ at Joss Bay to celebrate Luke's birthday.

We'll let you know how our summer went in September! Enjoy the holidays!

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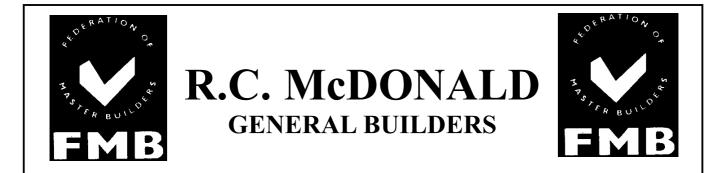
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#### At Temple Ewell our Sunday Club meets at 10.30am during term time as advised.

Sunday 3rd July	Parish Eucharist (St. Thomas the Apostle) 10.30 a.m.
Saturday 9th July	Marriage of Thomas Miles & Sally Worton 2.00 p.m.
Sunday 10th July	Parish Eucharist 10.30 a.m.
Sunday 17th July	Parish Eucharist 10.30 a.m
Monday 18th July	School Leavers' Service 2.00 p.m.
Sunday 24th July	Parish Eucharist 10.30 a.m.
Sunday 31st July	Benefice Eucharist at St. Mary's, Lydden 9.00 a.m. Celebrant; Fr. Derek Mottershead SSC
Sunday 7th Aug.	Benefice Eucharist at TE 10.30 a.m. Celebrant; Fr. Derek Mottershead SSC
Sunday 14th Aug.	Parish Eucharist (Celebrating the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary) 10.30 a.m.
Sunday 21st Aug.	Parish Eucharist 10.30 a.m.
Sunday 28th Aug.	Parish Eucharist 10.30 a.m.

#### For times of midweek services, please refer to the Church Notice Board https://www.facebook.com/templeewellpepaul

I don't fully concur with the suggestion engraved on those plaques which my late parents had 'You are closer to God in a garden than anywhere else of earth'. Apart from the fact that the Rectory garden is a nightmare to maintain, Jesus spoke of his being more than close but spiritually present when his followers gather together in his name. The Church also teaches that we receive directly from him through every sacrament he entrusted to her. However, there is no doubt that many people rightly do experience a sense of awe at the Creator's gift and find a kind of wholeness and healing through contact with nature. Indeed, how blessed and fortunate we are to live surrounded by such beautiful countryside. Nevertheless, however beautiful it is to stand on the hills looking down on the homes of our village communities, we know that a mixture of feelings are being experienced in them. Hopefully, in many there is the experience of happiness, contentment and love, but in others perhaps there are scars – maybe communication has broken down to be replaced by bitter remarks, in our very caring Nursing Homes nevertheless someone is frightened and confused, a young family somewhere is overcome by the struggle to pay the bills, elsewhere illness or bereavement is being faced, and so on.

The chalky nature of the area we live is ideal to support many varieties of wild flowers and at Springtime and early Summer they can be seen in abundance. When through idiotic actions the countryside is scarred by discarded McDonalds litter, cans and the like, it is a desecration, but fortunately how often it is that grass and other plant life slowly enfolds and grows over it. Sadly, some of the scars people bear may never be really healed in this life, but if we do look to nature to find and experience something of God, we can remember that he has created us in his image and in some way we may seek to reflect him. We cannot take away all the problems that confront people, but the image we see in nature calls us to 'enfold' them in his love.

Wishing all a safe and happy holiday season.



Fr. Paul

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OF

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As the outcome of this appeal, on the 3rd November 1936, King George's Fields Foundation was constituted by Deed Trust: "To promote and to assist in the establishment throughout the United Kingdom of playing fields for use and enjoyment of the people; each such playing field to be styled 'King George's Field' and to be distinguished by heraldic panels."

Acting on this appeal the late Miss Watson, of Great Watersend, gave, in June 1937, a handsome gift of a piece of land, which for 150 years had

been known as Stanley's Meadow, to the parishioners of Temple Ewell for a playing field, vesting all interest in the Parish Council in perpetuity. Early in 1938, the following entry appeared in the Royal Record of all recreation grounds undertaken throughout the British Empire: "Temple Ewell, Kent. a playing field adjoining the Parish Church has been presented to the village by the Lady of the Manor, Miss M. Watson. This beneficent gift was accepted with gratitude by the Parish Council."

Whilst considering schemes for converting the field into a playing field, applications for advice and a grant were made to The Kent County Playing Fields Association and the National Playing Fields Association. From these Associations it was learned that the first essentials for any grant were:

- 1. A proper layout approved by them.
- 2. The provision of a part of the cost of the layout by the Parish Council
- 3. If our field were dedicated as a King George V Memorial Playing Field application for assistance could be made to King George's Fields Foundation.

With the technical assistance of the Assocations a draft lay-out was prepared with estimate of cost, and schemes for raising funds were considered. Whilst these deliberations were taking place the political situation became worse and war was declared and very soon afterwards the above Associations closed down for the duration of hostilities.

Correspondence was re-opened in 1946 when new quantities and figures of cost of lay-out had to be obtained. At the same time an invitation to River-Without Parish Council to co-operate was accepted and several meetings of the two Parish Councils took place, but nothing tangible resulted.

Meanwhile, it was learned that although the Associations were quite willing to deal with the two Councils, our grant would be less than if only one Council were involved.

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### **Temple Ewell Baptist Church**

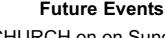
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#### MESSY CHURCH

In various surveys, when asked what makes people happy, invariably the most frequent response is their family and friends. We have an inherent need to belong, to love and be loved. Our family is unique in its ways and traditions, size and memories. Spending Christmas and birthdays alone are not usually our choice, and it is at these times when we have lost someone dear to us which are particularly poignant.

At Temple Ewell Baptist Church on the second Sunday of the month we hold 'Messy Church' which is designed for the regular members of the church to come together to put on a theme for the day, prepare craft material to make things, and cook a meal for families who come to enjoy this afternoon of creativity, fun, teaching and fellowship. The 'Church Family' all pull together to host other families and we all unite in this lovely afternoon. We quickly befriend and grow fond of the people who visit us. After all, God is our Father, and so we are all united in this.

The village community is very good at staging events for the benefit of all, such as celebrating the Queen's Birthday in June (along with the whole country), and there are so many groups we can join from drama to rambling and gardening. Why don't you think of coming along and sense the spirit of community as we worship our Father and pray for each other's needs? You're always welcome.





MESSY CHURCH on on Sunday 10th July 4 - 6pm. This is for children and adults and comprises about one hour of craft activities, 10 minute Bible based talk, a full cooked meal. Our theme will be "The Queen who risked her life to serve God".

CHURCH ANNIVERSARY on Saturday 2nd July at 6.00pm. All are welcome to a meal followed by a talk.

Our activities continue as usual: Sunday Family Service: 10.30am Monday Keep Fit: 7.30pm Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer: 7pm

Bookings for the church hall should be made through John Woodland (telephone 01304 822982).

If we can help in any way please do not hesitate to contact June on 822982, Jack on 825150 or our minister Ewart Graham on 375823. www.temple-ewell-baptist.co.uk



Tiddlers went on our annual trip to Wildwood. We had a lovely time, saw loads of animals and had a special encounter with a badger. The play area is very good there and the children made full use of it.

We had a picnic as well - a nice day out.

### Amanda Lomas 07506 811851



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### **Temple Ewell Parish Council**

The Parish Council undertook to keep everyone appraised of progress concerning the traffic problems in the village. Since the public meeting we have been in touch with the Kent County Council

concerning the various traffic management proposals put forward, but I regret to say that their response was very negative. Not only is the County Council unable to fund any improvement measures, it appears that money is so short that they are unable even to carry out any research. Thus, it is down to the Parish Council, at it's own cost, to design a scheme of whatever type and then put this before the Kent County Council with no guarantee that it will be approved. If it is subsequently approved, it will be down to the Parish Council to fund the works. The Parish Council has funds put aside, but nothing like enough to pay for any sort of traffic management scheme. In the circumstances, it hardly seems worth undertaking a traffic survey.

It seems that the only low cost option available is negotiation with Stagecoach in the hope of, perhaps, achieving some improvement in the situation. We are aware that the problem is not solely attributable to buses but, without a traffic management scheme, other vehicles cannot be regulated. The Chairman has, therefore, been authorised to meet with Stagecoach in order to discuss the shuttle bus idea that was raised at the public meeting. Any progress will be reported in the next edition of the Newsletter.

#### Colin Smithen, Chairman

The full Parish Council meets on the last Tuesday of the month (excluding August and December) at 7.15pm at the Temple Ewell Baptist Church Hall on the corner of the High Street and London Road.

Parishioners are encouraged to report any incidents within the village to PCSO May on 0777 222 6209 or to go to the PCSO's monthly surgery. For immediate help contact Dover Police on 01304 240055 or dial 999. Parishioners are most welcome to attend and contribute to meetings.

The agenda and minutes are displayed on the Parish Council notice board by Southdown Stores and on the Council website. Should you wish to put anything on the notice board please contact either the Clerk or the Chairman.

> Contact details for councillors are on the website: www.templeewellpc.kentparishes.gov.co.uk Mrs. Jane Coulson-Wright, Temple Ewell Parish Council, 5 Dour Side, River, Dover, CT17 0UX coulsonwright@aol.com



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In writing:

Councillor Mark Rose Dover District Council Offices White Cliffs Business Park, Dover CT16 3PJ

I do hope everyone is well and enjoying the village greenery, after so much recent rain fall.

I have been in rural Wales recently and the very same changing climates and regular monsoon-like rain falls have been occurring there, as in Kent with the same huge growth of the usual wildflowers in the hedgerows and verges. I have recently been seeding many small areas in the hope that native wildflowers will flourish and numbers will be increased for the Villages. I have created a key coded map to show the meadow and chalk varieties in over 40 places in Lydden and Temple Ewell.

I would like to assure residents that all other DDC Village issues sent to me are being managed or dealt with. Please feel free to invite me to attend or discuss any DDC local concerns you have directly with me, in the first instance, as your local contact for DDC. I can then engage and respond. Please call my mobile or text, also my email address above.

Continue sending me pictures of illegal parking, I am still working on this in other meetings at DDC.

My DDC landline number is now no longer in use. Thank you all.

Mark Rose District Councillor



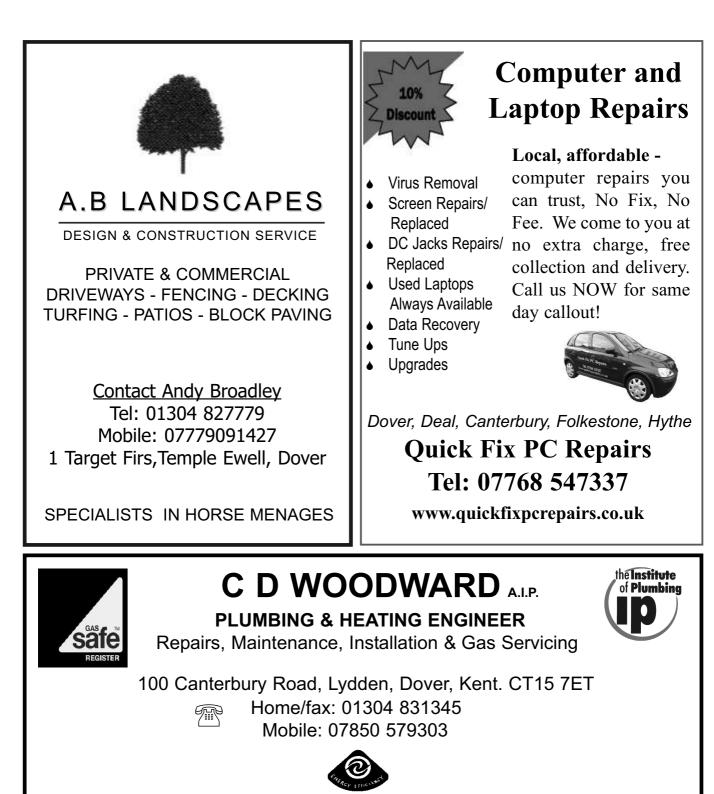
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Kearsney Abbey hosts Parade in the Park

Over 1,500 people celebrated HM The Queen's 90th birthday and the Dover district's Royal and military connections with a Parade in the Park at Kearsney Abbey on Sunday, 12 June.



The weather didn't dampen spirits as the crowds warmly greeted the Band of the Brigade of Gurkhas. The Dover Community Crafts Group presented the Band with a commemorative blanket, one of many they have knitted to be sent to Nepal which is still suffering the effects of a devastating earthquake in 2015. Α collection for the Gurkha Welfare Trust raised over £400 at the event.

### Bringing communities together

School choirs from Guston Primary School and Whitfield Aspen Primary School also appeared at Parade in the Park. Many service families live in the Dover district, including families of Gurkha soldiers. The children wowed the crowd with their performances, including singing Happy Birthday to Her Majesty.



### Park's Royal connection and wartime past

Bringing the Parade to a rousing finale was the P&O Ferries Choir who won BBC2's The Choir: Sing While You Work with Gareth Malone.

During the event, the crowds also learnt about Kearsney Abbey's Royal and military past. One of the former occupants of the Abbey was the Marquis of Ely, whose mother was Lady of the Bedchamber to Queen Victoria. During World War II the park was commandeered by the War Office as an Auxiliary Territorial Service Operation's establishment and Headquarters of Number 2 Searchlight Regiment.

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped us stage the event, and to the Community Covenant Grant Scheme which funded the event to bring together the civilian and armed forces communities.



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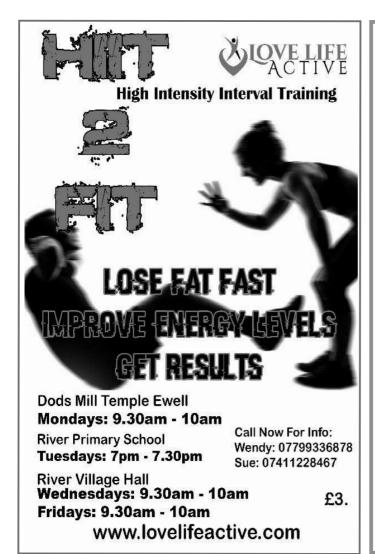
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### **County Councillor**

Research shows one in three drivers in Kent use their mobile whilst driving. Research by Kent County Council has found 65% of people fear the biggest risk to them on the roads is drivers using mobile phones whilst at the wheel.

The research, by KCC's Road Safety Team, shows that motorists estimate 39% of drivers use a hand-held mobile phone, 34% use a phone to text/use apps/check email/use internet and 49% use a hands-free mobile device whilst driving.

Over the past month, Kent County Council is launching an awareness campaign to remind drivers of the dangers of using mobile phones whilst driving. It aims to remind drivers that mobile phones cause a huge distraction whilst driving and that it is a myth to think that it is possible to concentrate fully on two things at once.

The reality is that no two activities can be given equal attention - one task will always be more dominant. With a task as important as driving, even just a slip in concentration due to a mobile phone could lead to severe consequences.

Vicky Watkins, Road Safety Team Leader at KCC, said, "Using a mobile phone whilst driving impairs reaction time, reduces concentration levels, leads to poorer judgment of speed and distance and reduces your field of vision." Drivers using mobile phones make the roads less safe for us all. "It's a fallacy to believe we can concentrate on two things at once. The reality is one activity will dominate the other." "It's not simply splitting your attention 50:50, it's more like 95:5 with the task seeming the most important taking over – with drivers using a phone that means the call or text completely takes over from the driving."

A video will highlight key every day moments where it would be perceived as ludicrous to answer a mobile phone and in doing so, emphasise that driving is another one of these moments.

The campaign will be running throughout the month and will be on television and on demand services, Heart radio bus rears, bus stop posters and social media. Inspector Martin Stevens from Kent Police said, "Though the majority of people know it is wrong to phone or text at the wheel, some feel that using apps is acceptable." "Doing this is just as distracting as calling or texting someone and just as likely to cause a collision. Furthermore should a motorist cause a collision or be caught on their phone, we can forensically examine it and find out exactly what the user was doing with their handset."

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### Brownies



This term we created a collage for the Queen's 90th Birthday. It was made of letters on squares and the letters were coloured in with glitter glue. We also

coloured in a 90th poster for the amazing occasion and this is now in the Baptist Church.

We are doing the Spring Bugs badge. We went to Dragon Wood to look at flowers and birds. The flowers we saw were bluebells, wild strawberries, cowslips, herb-robert, violets and early spider orchids.



Before going out we each made a kite and flew it on the hills and later we coloured them in.

We planted runner beans and sunflower seeds and then we had to pot them on into larger pots when they grew. We've taken them home now to plant in our gardens.



Nicole and Delphi

We are doing our Home Skills badge. For this we cleaned window sills and glass and some brass. We set and laid a table and we made a booklet to record our activities.

We are now learning about visually impaired buttons for the blind and washing instructions.





### Letters to the Editor

We would like to hear from you. What do you want information on? Need help with something? Want to comment on a local issue? This is the place to do it! Send to the Editor - details on page 3

#### Dear Editor

Through your letters page I'd like to express my thanks to Matt and Jinx who rescued me after a funny turn at the top of Scotland Common Lane on Saturday 4/6/16 and saw me and Josh safely home.

Your arrival was well timed and your actions are much appreciated – you are a local hero, many thanks.

#### Mary Phasey

#### Dear Editor

The Temple Ewell Players have been invited to perform their show ,"A Song To Remember " at Alkham Village Hall on August 13th at 7 -30 p.m.

This is a fund raising event for Alkham Church Project and a donation will go to the Motor Neurone Charity as well.

If you missed the show in Temple Ewell and would like tickets for this performance, they go on sale from July 12th, available from 822271 or 824340 - £8 each bring your own drinks and nibbles.

#### Rosemary Ann Hogben

#### Dear Editor

A Friend in Temple Ewell kindly sends me the TENews every month and in the May issue I was surprised to see a section of a write up of the Dover Express for 22nd Aug 1952.

The item was about how well the children had fared at the Flower Show. I recognised some of the names – two names in the Fancy Dress. One of them, Yvonne Stokes, is still a very good friend of mine and Tommy Chapman was my brother. We were born and brought up in Temple Ewell in Stone Cottages, now known as Templar Road.

I enjoy my TENews every month, hoping I will see someone I know.

Thank you all for compiling it.

#### Rosemary Howland (ne Chapman)

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### ONE'S STATION IN LIFE

Clickety clack, clickety click The tap, tap, tap of the computer keys Churning out the work she had to do Before the walk to the station.

Clickety clack, clickety click The clack, clack, clack of the wheels of the train Must get home before the rain To plan a menu.

Guests arriving seven thirty for eight There's always one who will be late It'll be her husband travelling home on the very next train Tired and stressed as she.



The guests have gone, home to their beds So much to clear before she gets to theirs Eventually she gets to sink her head on the pillow And lies there feeling mellow.



Sleep comes, but before very long Rrrring, rrrring, ring of that dratted alarm to awaken her for another day To start her thinking of the work she has to do After her walk to the station.

But wait a minute, it's her day off So why is she so awake? 'Cos she can do this and can do that – go shopping and meet a friend Which ...... means a walk to the station!

### ANNE COX



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