



*Dinner Ladies at Iwade Community Primary show they're game for a laugh for Comic Relief*

# Iwade Village Newsletter

April 2009

## Iwade to Lower Rainham by Mark Loos MSEP

The Medway Swale Estuary Partnership is a voluntary forum that seeks to address the various issues facing the estuary and its communities. It currently consists of 12 organisations from the private, statutory and voluntary sectors, who have a common interest in promoting a sustainable future for the area. The partnership's work is centred around raising awareness of the importance of the estuary and the management of competing demands, through research, publications, practical conservation work and educational activities.

We are currently looking at **the area between Iwade and Lower Rainham**, north of the A2, for a landscape project entitled 'Estuary & orchards'. The project seeks to make a real difference to the

area through practical schemes, such as:

1. Improvements to the Public Footpath Network.
2. Conservation works such as Hedgerow restoration and Wild-flower verges.
3. Community Orchards.
4. Local history projects.

**We would like to hear from you about the kind of projects** - themed around the environment and local history - you would like to see in your area **and whether you would like to be involved in making them happen.** To contact us, please write, phone or e-mail us at: MSEP, Riverside Country Park, Lower Rainham Road, Gillingham, Kent ME7 2XH, Tel:01634 338891 or e-mail: [msep@kent.gov.uk](mailto:msep@kent.gov.uk)



## Red Nose Day



Lauren and Rebecca Veness managed a 12 hour silence on Red Nose Day and raised an amazing £182 pounds for Comic Relief.

Lucy Fleming held a Red Noses Lips and Nails Open House to raise money for Comic Relief with Julia Brown doing Phoenix Cards. Iwade School raised money with a Wrong Trousers and Skirt Day. Tinkerbells held a Comic Relief Bad Hair Day (we all have those days I think you'll agree!)

And I'm sure there are many more of you besides who raised money for Comic Relief on Friday 13th March or made your own donations so well done Iwade for your contribution.

Tell the Iwade Newsletter your news by calling 439892 or emailing [newsletter@iwadevillage.co.uk](mailto:newsletter@iwadevillage.co.uk)

### Did you know PACT stands for Partners and Community Together?

Have your say in community issues that can be prioritised by our Police Community Support Officer and fill out your PACT voting form which you should have received with last month's newsletter. Or complete a form online at [iwadevillage.co.uk](http://iwadevillage.co.uk). Contact our PCSO (contact details on back page) if you don't have a form. Deadline 12th April. Post Box in Budgens.

# Friends of Iwade School

Our AGM was a very busy affair, with lots of new faces attending. We voted in new committee members with Lucy Phillips as Chair, Jane Rotter as Vice Chair, Claire Bird as Secretary and Debbie Green staying on as Treasurer. We would like to thank Susan Mersh for all her hard work as Chairperson for the last two years. She will be a hard act to follow!! We have lots of events planned for this year already so hopefully we can rise to the challenge.

The blue bags for Bags2school will be arriving shortly, so if you are having a spring clear out please keep any bedding, clothes, soft toys, belts and shoes for us. You can use black bags as well. Then just drop off at the school between April 27th and April 30th. Reception Classes are also

asking for any good quality Bike, Scooters and Dolls prams. We are also in need of any left over coloured exterior wood paint, seeds or plant donations as we are hoping to give the reception play area a bit of a Ground Force makeover. If you have any of the above please phone 01794 425671 to arrange collection.

Here are a few dates for your diary  
Easter Disco Friday 3rd April.

Family Fun Day Monday 25th May.  
Summer Fete Sunday 5th July.

The next Friends Of Iwade meeting is Wednesday 22nd April at 8pm in the Woolpack so please feel free to come along - new faces are always welcome.

*by Lucy Phillips*

# Gas Update

If you notified the 'Gas people' about low gas pressure and they attended your property to shut off your gas supply you should be on the list for compensation. If you have not been contacted by Scotia Gas Networks (formerly Transco) re compensation then contact:

Karen Drummond

Depot Clerical Supervisor  
East Kent

01233 614 429

karen.drummond@scotiagasnetworks.co.uk

They should pay the compensation to your gas supplier, who will then pay you. You should receive the payment separately and not have it deducted from your gas bill.

## Iwade Village Hall Events

### Good Friday Easter Hunt.

**Friday 10th April** - This Easter Hunt starts at the Village Hall at 12pm where refreshments and facepainting will be available. Put on your thinking caps as you follow the clues through the village to find your prize. £3 per child. Feel free to dress as bunnies! To book please call 01795 554 262 or email [events@iwadevillagehall.co.uk](mailto:events@iwadevillagehall.co.uk)

### Table Top Sale

**Sunday 19th April** - 10am-1pm - Iwade Village Hall - Entrance Free items old and new, bric-a-brac, crafts, kids clothes and toys and much more. £5 per table. If you would like to book a space please contact [events@iwadevillagehall.co.uk](mailto:events@iwadevillagehall.co.uk) or call 01795 554 262 by 12th April.

### Spring Indulgence Day

**Saturday 9th May** 10am-4pm  
Come along to one of Iwade's

yearly Indulgence days in the Village Hall. Have a taster of some of the beauty treatments and alternative therapies, psychic readings, mouthwatering food and more. Entrance £1. For more info or to book a treatment please call 01795 554 262 or email [events@iwadevillagehall.co.uk](mailto:events@iwadevillagehall.co.uk)

### Next Farmer's Market

**Sunday 5th April** - 10am-1pm  
Iwade Village Hall

The Iwade Farmer's Market began in February 2009 and has proved to be a great success. Each month the increasing stalls bring greater variety to the Market. The **5th April** will see a new stall selling delicious oils and marinades. Make sure you are one of the hundreds of shoppers that attend each month. Iwade Farmer's Market would like to thank everyone for their continued patriotism.

*by Sasha Carrington-Dawkins*

## PACT by PCSO Lindsay Woods

Can I please remind you all that the proxy vote forms need to be posted back to me or placed in the box at BUDGENS by Sunday 12th April 2009.

The current Priorities are:

- 1 - Vehicle crime
- 2 - Environmental damage in Iwade - graffiti, damage to grass areas and posts etc
- 3 - Increasing police re-assurance in Lower Halstow area.

There are copies of the PACT newsletter for those who were unable to attend in BUDGENS or the GP surgery - or feel free to contact me directly (see back page).

I will also be holding A POLICE SURGERY AT the Farmers Market event where I will also be collecting your PROXY VOTE FORMS and issuing PACT NEWSLETTERS. Depending on stock I may also be issuing crime prevention devices so please feel free to come and have a chat.

## Walking around Iwade



There are now an average of 20 people who turn up every week on Thursdays to take part in the Health Walks around Iwade. The aim is to get people walking, which is good for the heart and also get people talking, as it is a social activity. We meet at the Village Centre at 11am, starting the walks at 11.15am and finishing at 12 pm. There are a variety of walkers, from young mums with pushchairs to all ages of the active retired. It was decided from the start that dogs would not be allowed.

Most of the walks are around the village estates and parks, but since February the group has been split so that some walkers could experience the footpaths across the countryside.

One particular walk, after leaving the Village Centre, starts north of the village, at the footpath on the left side of the Old

Ferry Road crossing the stile. It then continues westwards towards the estuary to the drive to Raspberry Farm, where it turns left. This is part of the Saxon Shore Way. The views across the estuary and the new Sheppey Bridge are magnificent.

The walk continues along the track, passing the farm, until it meets the stile and continuing the Saxon Shore Way for approximately 500 metres to the next way mark, where the walk leaves the Saxon Way and follows the track left towards the village. It enters the village at the stile near Stangate Drive and finishes back at the Village Centre. It is about two and a half miles long.

In the future it is hoped to take longer walks around Iwade and even go further afield to places like the R.S.P.B. Bird Sanctuary at Elmley. Phone 476274 for details.

by Lynda MacGowan

## Out of Date?

Motorists risk prosecution after failing to spot the extremely small print on their photocard licence which says it automatically expires after 10 years and has to be renewed - even though drivers are licensed to drive until the age of 70.

The fiasco has come to light a decade after the first batch of photo licences was issued in July 1998, just as they start to expire.

Drivers will have to pay £17.50 to renew their card

Official DVLA figures reveal that while 16,136 expired this summer, so far only 11,566 drivers have renewed, leaving 4,570 outstanding.

Dear residents, please check your license so you are sure that you are not one of these people in line for a fine.

If you are having trouble checking your license please feel free to contact me by PCSO Lindsay Woods

## Gardening by Ann Menzies

Despite the cold winter we are being told spring is emerging 3 weeks earlier than it used to. My garden is looking a picture, with primroses everywhere, pots of pansies and miniature daffodils in full bloom and lovely pink camellia flowers shining against the glossy dark green leaves. If any of you are tempted by the camellias in the garden centres, don't forget they hate lime, so our soil is not really suited to them. However I have two wonderful specimens planted in pots of ericaceous compost which I water with rain water, especially in late summer and autumn. If they dry out at this time you may stop the production of flower buds for the next spring.

April is a busy month for anyone with a garden, getting rid of

small weeds now will save you a lot of time later on in the year when you really want to be sitting outside just enjoying your garden. For those of you who grow your own vegetables; and there's no excuse for any of you not to; now is a really busy time. The soil is warmer, so get out there and plant something to eat, even if it's just a pot of mixed salad leaves. With such a small garden I'm growing loads of stuff in pots, spinach, turnips, lettuce, radish, the list goes on and on. Choose small varieties, there are lots recommended for container growing now, so browse the seed displays and have a go. I bought some of the water retaining crystals; they swell to big lumps of clear jelly when you add water, so are great to put in pots to stop them drying out so quickly. They work for

flowers too; in fact they were originally marketed for hanging baskets. Don't be fooled by the bright sunshine though, the temperatures can still fall dramatically at night, so hold back on planting out tomatoes and peppers and keep an eye on the forecast. Taking the time to spread a bit of fleece over your tender young seedlings will pay dividends later.

*If you're online why not visit Ann's blog at [potagerplot.blogspot.com](http://potagerplot.blogspot.com) - and if you don't know what a blog is - it's just a web diary. Makes for a great read and might give you some good ideas for your garden.*



## ChurchWarden's Notes by Sylvia O'Shea

During March of last year, Mr Budd of the Children's Society, came to Iwade Church to talk about the work of the Society and how they offer help to youngsters – many of whom have been forced to leave home by difficult circumstances. As a result of his talk, a number of the Mums present took a collecting box home to try and fill with coins. If you have one of these could you please contact Sylvia O'Shea on 01795 478103. If you would like to join in collecting for Children's Society, Sylvia has empty boxes waiting to be used.

On a number of occasions lately, we have noticed 'pooh' left in a churchyard when a resident has been exercising their dog. The following is an extract from church magazine for Iwade dated June 1979 written by Rev. M.J. Chandler – Vicar of the time. 'If you have a dog, DON'T allow it to foul footpaths or graves in the churchyard. No one has any right to use the place where the dead are buried as a lavatory for their pets. To do so is offensive, unpleasant and disrespectful. In addition, it is most distasteful for those who work hard to keep the churchyard in good order; it is also distressing for anyone who comes to tend a grave to find that a dog has got there first.' It appears we have not learnt anything with 'modern' living. We currently make the same request. PLEASE DO NOT use the churchyard to exercise your dogs. Thank you.

Do please join us for the Walk of Witness on Good Friday, 10th April from the Village Hall to Church. Walk leaves the hall at 10.15am led by Rev. David Webb and the service will commence at 10.30am in Church with activities for all ages (typical Family Service), followed by hot drinks and Hot Cross Buns. Later at 3.30pm there will be a quiet hour of meditation in Church.

And last but not least for your diary there will be a Coffee Morning with Bring & Buy (and hopefully a plant sale) on Friday 15th May at 29 The Street 10am to 12pm in aid of Church funds. There may be bargains to be had!

## W.I. at Brick Lane Theatre

Iwade W.I. on a trip to London to see Snow White and the Dwarf (one Dwarf plays seven geddit?) - turn to camera please!



## Minister's Letter by Curate Jacky Davis

So many people have marked this time of Lent in their daily lives, and not necessarily regular church people! It's good to see, yet ask someone why they do it and what is Lent and the answers have been very varied.

'A time to give up' ..... 'a time to deny yourself', or 'because I always try to do something' are the most popular explanations of Lent. They're all right, but it also means much more... a time to take something on... maybe a commitment to following the faith in a deeper way, or a determination to stop being so negative in everyday matters or even a commitment to like the ones we dislike! Well done if, whatever you committed to, you managed to master! We don't all succeed, but we can always try!.

As we now enter the period leading up to Easter, try and take time to read, to meditate or even to pray about all the events of that unforgettable week of Christ's passion and His sacrifice. Wherever you are on the road of faith, whether just beginning, far along the road or maybe not even on it yet, just let it sink in that when Jesus Christ died on the Cross, it was neither an unfortunate accident nor a sign of failure! Because whether we have professed the faith or not, Jesus' death on the cross was a conscious act to set us ALL free from the guilt of so much wrongdoing – sin! The Bible tells us quite clearly that: 'Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous man, though for a good man, someone might possibly dare to die. But God demonstrates His own love for us in this: When we were still sinners, Christ died for us.' Romans ch.5

Familiar words, but stop and study them... He died for those who hated Him, spat at Him, belittled Him, and He did it of His own free will! That either makes Him a stupid man or God Himself. He is not stupid! Read again of His power, and then ask yourself if there is anyone else that you could trust as much as Jesus Christ.

Sometimes, we are all called to go through very dark times, but when we are, just know that Jesus is there too, there is nothing we have to experience that He cannot help us through. Enjoy the Easter Celebrations, but remember, that even in our own lives, we cannot bypass the agonies of Good Friday to get to the joy of Easter Sunday, we have to travel through it first. May the joy of Easter Sunday become very real to you all.

Tinkerbells have been busy growing plants for our pots outside in the garden, and collecting worms to go in them. Ugh. The children have been making some paper mache flower pots for Mother's Day, planting them up and making some very artistic cards. We have been talking about things that grow, plants, animals, fruit and veg and ourselves. The weather is being kind at the moment and we are able to use the garden a lot for play and

## February Parish Council Meeting

**Letter Boxes in the Village** - Cllr Stokes reported that a post box would be installed in the next 5 weeks at the top of School Lane - junction of the new estate. Cllr Groves suggested that the letter-box outside the Post Office should be increased in size to accommodate volume of post. Cllr Stokes will investigate.

**Hillreed Development** - Chairman reported he still had not received a reply to his letter.

**Stream Update** - Cllr Peter Wilks reported that the Environmental agency was now based in Stickfast Lane. He expressed his concern to them re flooding in the village in the light of the increased development. The EA agreed that they did not have all the facts when they wrote their letter saying that they had no objections to the new Hillreed Development. Cllr Manning was also concerned that no one body was responsible for the attenuation ponds. He also expressed his concern that the fence around the pond in the park needs repairing or replacing. Chairman agreed to chase up. Cllr Stokes noted that he was still chasing up for the ownership of the land at Woodpecker Drive.

**Planning - SW/09/0019EE**

activities.

We have a lot of children getting prepared for big school, most of them are very excited about this, telling us which school they are going to. We are beginning to talk about big school and helping with the transition that will take place soon. It seems to have come round so quickly this year!

Thank you to the volunteers who came to read to the children, please come again, just let us know when it is convenient to you or if you would like to do it on a regular basis. The children

Detached dwelling and garage at King Fisher Close. The council objected to this application on the grounds of lack of amenity and use of open green space. Chairman noted that he had also received a signed petition from people living in King Fisher Close objecting to this house being built. **SW/09/0021EE** Change of use of land for storage of fencing & barriers at Raspberry Hill. No objections providing lorries are not permitted to enter site through village.

**Gas Main Supplies** - Chairman received a letter from Scotia Gas re disruptions to supplies. Problems have been caused by water in the gas pipes. Iwade has a back up supply pipe which is not working. Anyone who has a gas supply problem should contact the emergency gas supply number given in your telephone book.

**Street Wardens** - If anyone finds graffiti or people parking on grass verges then telephone SBC Street Warden on 417850.

**School parking** - Cllr J.Gregory and Cllr Stokes reported that County Cllr Roger Truelove will be setting up a sub committee to discuss traffic congestion around the school and shop area.

**Allotments** - A meeting was held

talked a lot about the stories afterwards and asked if the 'lady' is coming back! If anyone fancies trying out story telling, cooking or dance, let us know! Staff are always on hand to help.

Thank you for the flower pots.

## Classifieds

Waggy Tailz Pet Services - Home boarding for dogs, dog walking, home visits for all pets and house sitting. Contact Anne on 01795 426921 or email [anne.bushell@talk21.com](mailto:anne.bushell@talk21.com).

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at SBC which confirmed there was no money allocated for allotments. Chairman confirmed that SBC was in discussions with the developers to provide allotments. Cllr J.Gregory said that the allotment committee was looking at other ways of funding.

**Lighting Grant** - The Chairman and Cllr B.Groves attended a meeting at Bobbing Village Hall and a further meeting will be arranged with KCC to explain and discuss the lighting grant. Borden Parish Council is incurring all the costs of these meetings and has asked for a small contribution towards the costs. The council agreed to contribute.

Chairman has received a letter from **Lamp Lighters** thanking them for the PC contribution.

Cllr Stokes announced that a new batch of **roads have been adopted by SBC**. A list is available on the SBC web site.

The Chairman announced that a **Broadband meeting** will be arranged soon in the village hall.

## KCC Offer Broadband Solution?

Put Tuesday 14th April at 7pm Iwade Village Hall in your diary for a public Broadband meeting with representatives from KCC namely Mr Gurr and Mr Walker. Whilst Iwade has been identified by KCC as a 'not spot' (an area with poor broadband) **the purpose of the meeting is for KCC to explain the options and to establish a real community interest.**

So your job is to attend the meeting and show a community interest. We need at least 60 residents to attend the meeting to really

show them we need a faster cheaper service that will enable us to access the amazing resource that is the internet more effectively. Peak times are the worst in Iwade if you are getting your broadband down a BT line (albeit not necessarily through BT).

So come on Iwade let's see what we can do for surfing in our village and let's show KCC we mean business.

**Remember - Tuesday 14th April 7pm Iwade Village Hall - be there!**

further advertising, perhaps through the school. That still leaves issues around the afternoon pick up. It is proposed that we discuss with the Village Hall, the prospect of getting grants to improve the car park there, which would be of general benefit to the community, but might also provide an alternative afternoon pick up point. Parish Councillors are pursuing other ideas for car parking in the village.

We have asked PC Anne Jones to come to the meeting on April 21st to outline a Police Scheme that encourages good parking behaviour by parents outside schools. Simply, this provides internal school rewards for children whose parents do not park in a dangerous and irresponsible way outside schools. We would of course need to ask the school to support such a scheme.

The Group discussed the impact of the new housing development at the top of School Lane. The new estate will have its own distributor road, which will take traffic out to the south, whilst the school role will not change.

It is hoped that the Kent Highways scheme to change the junction of School Lane and Ferry Road might add to safety. We have waited a very long time for action on this but details are expected soon and work should start within a few months.

The Highways would not put in a zebra crossing outside the school and it is not possible to find more parking spaces in the immediate vicinity of the school.

**Cllr Roger Truelove and PCSO Lindsay Woods welcome your comments on these proposals in particular if you are unable to attend the Parking Meeting at Lower Halstow School on Tuesday 21st April at 6.30pm prior to the 7.30 PACT meeting.**

Contact Roger on 01795 425445 or at [Roger.Truelove@kent.gov.uk](mailto:Roger.Truelove@kent.gov.uk)

## School Crossing Group *by Cllr Roger Truelove*

The Working Group looking at safety and congestion outside the school met on Monday 9th March. The Working Party included 12 members, made up of local residents and parents, the PCSO, Parish Cllrs, Borough Cllr and County Cllr.

**The Group propose a number of solutions but these will be subject to local agreement at a pre meeting of the PACT meeting, to be held at 6.30 on Tuesday 21st April at Lower Halstow School.**

The success of any of the measures proposed depends on local good will and co-operation. Some proposals can be put into place fairly soon. Others longer-term.

The first step should be the introduction of a School Crossing Patrol (a lollipop lady). This has been discussed with the Kent Highways, with the County Education department and the school. There appears to be general agreement this can be pursued.

We also feel there would be merit in moving the yellow zig zag lines down School Lane towards the vehicle entrance to the school. We have discussed this with Highways. It is also thought that bollards

could be erected on the south side of School Lane to stop vehicles parking on the pavement. Highways are prepared to work on this but neither of these changes would be introduced without full consultation.

We are aware that adjacent streets do not want the School Lane congestion displaced into their roads. The School PTA is working hard to establish a Walking Bus, which would reduce the volume of traffic coming into the centre of Iwade. This needs to involve not only the children who live in the village and near to the school, but also children coming in from outside, say from Kemsley or the rural areas to the west of Iwade. It is proposed that we try to establish drop off points on the outskirts of the village where children could join the Walking Bus. One drop off point would be to the south of the village and another at the playing field at the top of School Lane. The latter would of course have to be negotiated.

The WoolPack is prepared to allow parking in the morning. This is a generous community gesture. It is felt that this facility needs



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## Dates for the Diary

**Mobile Library** Thursday **2nd** April end of Sheerstone 10.40 to 10.55am telephone 07740 183 758

**Gardening Club** Thursday **2nd** April 7.30pm Woolpack

**School Easter Disco** Friday **3rd** April

**Farmers Market** Sunday **5th** April 10am to 1pm Iwade Village Hall

**Communion** for Palm Sunday **5th** April 11am All Saint's Iwade

**Walk of Witness** Friday **10th** April starts Iwade Village Hall 10.15am

**Family Service** Friday **10th** April 10.30am All Saint's Iwade

**Good Friday Easter Hunt** Friday **10th** April starts Iwade Village Hall 12pm £3 per child

Medway Towns Footpath Group Walk Iwade to Sittingbourne Saturday **11th** April contact Stephen Manning on 01634 375821 or at manningstephen@hotmail.co.uk

**Church Open Day & Bring & Buy** Saturday **11th** April 10am to 2pm All Saint's Iwade

**Family Communion** for Easter Sunday **12th** April 11am All Saint's Iwade

**KCC Broadband Meeting** Tuesday **14th** April 7pm Iwade Village Hall

**Parish Council Meeting** Tuesday **14th** April 8pm Iwade Village Hall

**W.I. Meeting** Wednesday **15th** April telephone 01795 474 686

**Mobile Library** Thursday **16th** April end of Sheerstone 10.40 to 10.55am telephone 07740 183 758

**Communion Service** Sunday **19th** April 11am

**Parking and PACT Meeting** Tuesday **21st** April 6.30pm and 7.30pm Lower Halstow School

**Coffee Morning & Good News Van** Wednesday **22nd** April 10.15 to 11.30am All Saint's Iwade

**Friends of Iwade School meeting** Wednesday **22nd** April 8pm Woolpack

**Family Service** Sunday **26th** April 10.30am All Saint's Iwade

**Mobile Library** Thursday **30th** April end of Sheerstone 10.40 to 10.55am telephone 07740 183 758

## Useful Contact Numbers

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Kent Highways - 0845 8247800 | Kent Community Warden – Response Team - Sarah Port – 07872 378 220 (temporary post) | Gas Emergency - 0800 111 999 | Kent Healthwatch 08458 247 103

**Iwade All Saints Church** : Revd. Canon Alan Amos 01795 842913 (priest-in-charge) | Mrs Sylvia O'Shea, 01795 478103 (churchwarden) | Maria Wilkinson 01795 477133 | Rev David Webb 01795 424502

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