Withyham Parish Council - Bulletin 2

SAVE THE DAY FOR YOUR APA!

YOUR ANNUAL PARISH ASSEMBLY IS ON

Saturday 28th March 2020 10.00AM - 12.30PM

GROOMBRIDGE VILLAGE HALL

SAVE ENERGY SAVE MONEY SAVE THE PLANET

REDUCE

REUSE

RECYCLE



St Thomas School, Groombridge is on a mission to go plastic-free and we are thrilled that they will be joining us to share their ideas.











We will also be joined by WeFill Local who are a



mobile refill service delivering unpackaged household products. All of their products are SLS & Paraben free, vegan friendly and not tested on animals.

PARTNERSHIP Wealden District Council

We are delighted to be working with Wealden District Council to give our residents the opportunity to save money and the planet!





Bring along your bill to the APA for a free energy bill checking service.

All those having bills checked will get a free tea or coffee on us!

Energy Desk

Wealden

What's on offer:

- •Free bill-checking service
- •Free thermal imaging surveys
- Learn about energy grants



- •Energy gifts for the first 20 people
- •Other ways to cut your energy costs



Our Parish is a colourful and vibrant place to live, with a wealth of groups, clubs and societies. Find out at the APA how you can make new friends and broaden your horizons.



Come and meet your PCSO over a slice of cake and discuss any issues at the Mobile Police Station. You are invited to bake us a cake for the extended Community Café run by the Parish Council.



We know what wonderful bakers you all are!

MAKE A CHANGE BECOME A PARISH COUNCILLOR?

We currently have Vacancies!

- Are you concerned about or interested in what happens in your local area?
- Would you like to help represent the views of your community?
- Do you want to contribute your skills and expertise?
- Are you looking for a worthwhile and rewarding way to help your local area?

Help us work towards improving community wellbeing and providing better services at a local level.

Come and join us to make even more good things happen in the Parish by getting involved with:

- Community Spaces
- Protecting the Environment
- Community Activities such as the Community Café, and Amblers
- Newsletter Folding and Delivery
- Safeguarding our Rights of Way

or bring fresh ideas to support the community!





No other voluntary role gives you a chance to make such a huge difference to the quality of life for people in your local area.

Your Parish Council, Working With Sussex Police

- Rural crime in the north of the district is currently one of Sussex Police's top 3 priorities
- In October 2019 we arranged a meeting between Groombridge residents and Sussex Police to discuss concerns about drugs
- In January 2020 we brokered a meeting between Sussex Police and 80 residents of Blackham to discuss the recent spike in burglaries



Please report <u>every</u> crime to Sussex Police*. It is important that all crime in our Parish is recorded because... "if it isn't logged, it didn't happen".

* Emergencies call 999. * All other reports call 101 or email 101@sussex.pnn.police.uk *