Vitality Villages can contacted by email at [info@vitalityvillages.org.uk](mailto:info@vitalityvillages.org.uk) or by post at The Village Information Centre, 2/3 The Old Forge, Gardner Street, Herstmonceux BN27 4LG

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**Welcome to the Herstmonceux area directory of clubs, services and businesses.**

**SECOND EDITION**

Vitality Villages is a community organisation established in 2015. The aim of the organisation is to focus on the health and well- being of residents in Herstmonceux Parish and the surrounding area.

It has the following projects

Monthly Coffee Mornings at the Great Space in Herstmonceux Health Centre – contact Sheila 01323 833673

Community Choir – contact Laura 07905 745384

Walking and associated activities

Healthy weekly walks (April to October) – contact Bea 01323 833535

8 free walking guides with maps, available from outlets in the Herstmonceux area – contact Steve 01323 833473

Footpath Improvement Group - Herstmonceux Truggers - contact

Steve 01323 833473

Community Walks – contact Janet 01323 833306

Men’s Shed – meetings aimed at men to undertake their own or group projects or chat and a coffee - contact Rhys 01323 833022

Allotment – growing food in a sociable environment – contact

Janet 01323 833306

Directory – information about the wide range of clubs, groups, businesses etc - contact Janet 01323 833306

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EMERGENCY NUMBERS

Ambulance, Police or Fire and Rescue 999 or 112 – emergency calls only.

Police non-emergency calls 101

Accident and Emergency Units

Eastbourne District & General Hospital, Kings Drive, Eastbourne, BN21 2UD, 01323 417400

Conquest Hospital, The Ridge, Hastings, TN37 7RD,

01424 755255

Minor Injuries Unit, Uckfield Hospital, Framfield Road, Uckfield, TN22 5AW – 01825 745001 – Open from 8am–8pm

Eastbourne Walk-In Centre, Eastbourne Station, Terminus Road, Eastbourne, BN21 3QJ – 01323 726650 – Open 8am –8pm

Emergency Dental Care

NHS 111 for information about local dentists

UTILITIES

South East Water Leakline 0333 000 3330 [www.southeastwater.co.uk](http://www.southeastwater.co.uk/)

Southern Water Emergency number 0330 303 0368, report a leak

0800 820 999 [www.southernwater.co.uk](http://www.southernwater.co.uk/)

UK Power Networks Power cut information 080031 63 105 [www.ukpowernetworks.co.uk](http://www.ukpowernetworks.co.uk/)

Defibrillators are located at Herstmonceux Fire Station, the Village Information Centre in Herstmonceux, the Cricket Club Pavilion on Herstmonceux Recreation Ground, the Horseshoe Inn in Windmill Hill, the White Horse in Bodle Street Green and the Bull Inn in Boreham Street.

Defibrillator familiarisation:- Nina de Pina Perou 01323 833034

Herstmonceux Integrative Health Centre

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Herstmonceux Integrative Health Centre is a patient-centred practice, providing a calm relaxed environment for patients and staff. We are committed to sustainable living and working,

providing safe and effective quality health care in an environment of equality and respect. We are passionate about healthcare striving to support our patients in achieving their health goals.

We are integrated within the community, working with our partners to identify, support and respond to our patients’ health care needs.

In September 2017, we were awarded ‘Outstanding Status’ from the Care Quality Commission, acknowledging the service we provide to patients and the community.

**Independent Practitioners, Classes and Workshops held in the Great Space at Herstmonceux Health Centre.**

For more information please speak to Bea Simmons on 01323 833535

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| MONDAY | EVENT | CONTACT |
| Every 1st Monday of the month 10–12pm | Care for the Carers support coffee morning | Bea Simmons 01323 833535 |
| Every 3rd Monday of the month 10–12pm | Health and Vitality Coffee mornings, all welcome, Speaker, quiz, healthy cake | Sheila Charlton 01323 833673 |
| 7.30–9.00pm | Yoga | Kate Arnold 07990 755415 |
| TUESDAY | EVENT | CONTACT |
| 9.00–6.00pm | Medicinal Herbalist | Julia Behrens  [Julia@herbal-consultant.com](mailto:Julia@herbal-consultant.com) 07968-366783 |
| 9.00–5.00pm | Counsellor | Anita Webster 07774 939474 |
| WEDNESDAY | EVENT | CONTACT |
| 2.00–3.00pm | Tai Chi | Rob Bowley 01323 738111  07796 545669 |
| 2.30–5.00pm | Age UK Podiatry Clinic | To book an appointment 01273 476704 extension 101 |
| 6.45–8.45pm | Vitality Village Singers | Laura Heales 07905 745384  [admin@lauraheales.co.uk](mailto:admin@lauraheales.co.uk) |
| THURSDAY | EVENT | CONTACT |
| 2.30–5.00pm | Care for Carers | Mark Tolhurst [www.cftc.org.uk](http://www.cftc.org.uk/) 01323 738390 |
| FRIDAY | EVENT | CONTACT |
| 9.00–5.00pm | Physiotherapist | Suzy Greenwood [physioeastsussex@gmail.com](mailto:physioeastsussex@gmail.com) 07939 580743 |
| 1.30–2.30 pm | Yoga | Safia Bowley 07989 562838 |
| SATURDAY | EVENT | CONTACT |
| 2nd Saturday of the month 9–12pm | Sussex Bowen Children’s Clinic for children from birth to 16 years for small donation | Nina De Pina Perou, [sussexbowen@gmail.com](mailto:sussexbowen@gmail.com) 01323 833034 |

# HEALTHY WALKS FROM HERSTMONCEUX HEALTH CENTRE

In the autumn of 2016, the doctors from Herstmonceux Health Centre worked with the “Green Open Spaces for Health” team and the Rangers from the South Downs National Park and created health walks in Herstmonceux. The walks are now led by volunteer walk leaders and are accompanied by a doctor for a walk and talk on health, vitality and the benefits

of being out in nature. This is followed by a cup of tea, talks and workshop in the Great Space Meeting Room at the

Health Centre on your return to the Health Centre. Please contact Bea Simmons

on 01323 833535 for more information on the timetable, the duration and “do ability” of the walks.

# VITALITY VILLAGE SINGERS

Vitality Village Singers is a small, friendly community choir where everyone is welcome and no auditions are needed. We sing for fun but also to learn and work towards local performances and have a great mix of male and female voices.

Singing is a fantastic way to feel more healthy and happy and to become involved in the community. We would love you to join us, so please come along on a Wednesday evening from 6.45pm–8.45pm to Herstmonceux Health Centre. Free first taster session. Contact Laura 07905 745384 or [admin@lauraheales.co.uk](mailto:admin@lauraheales.co.uk)

# PATIENT LINK - HERSTMONCEUX INTEGRATIVE HEALTH CENTRE’S PATIENT PARTICIPATION GROUP

Patient Groups were originally set up in 1972 by a GP and since then have grown rapidly, with experience showing that successful practices and effective Patient Groups go hand in hand. All practices are

now required to form a Patient Group.

Patient Link, Herstmonceux Health Centre’s Group, was re-launched in December 2016 and is now an active and established group of 11 people. New members are welcome (contact details below)

Patient Link works in partnership with the practice to:

* Contribute to the continuous improve- ment of services and quality of care
* Foster improved communication between the practice and its patient
* Help patients to take more responsibility for their health and improve their experience
* Provide positive and practical support for the practice and help to implement change
* Be called upon as a group to influence local provision of health and socialcare

AND MUCH MORE!

Anyone wishing to provide articles for the quarterly HMXIHC Newsletter, please email them to [lyndaprimr](mailto:lyndaprimrose21@talktalk.net)[ose21@talktalk.net](mailto:ose21@talktalk.net)

For more information about Patient Link, please check the Health Centre website [www.hmxihc.co.uk](http://www.hmxihc.co.uk/) or contact the Link Chairman, Mrs Lynn Bowman 01323 846158 or 07555 538276 or

[lynnr](mailto:lynnrosbow@hotmail.com)[osbow@hotmail.com](mailto:osbow@hotmail.com)

# BRIDGESIDE SURGERY

1. Western Road, Hailsham BN27 3DG

01323 441234

Hailsham Medical Group

# SEAFORTH FARM SURGERY

Vicarage Lane, Hailsham BN27 1BH

01323 848494

**VILLAGE HALLS**

# HERSTMONCEUX VILLAGE HALL

Herstmonceux Village Hall was opened in January 2000, replacing the Memorial Hall dating from 1920.

The hall is situated on the A271, to the west of Herstmonceux Village. There are three halls of varying sizes and two kitchens which can be hired individually or in any combination for weddings, celebrations, exercise classes, groups and clubs, dancing, staff training, seminars. [www.herstmonceuxparish.org.uk](http://www.herstmonceuxparish.org.uk/) or [hxvillagehall@btconnect.com](mailto:hxvillagehall@btconnect.com) or Booking Clerk Mr Rhys Clatworthy on 01323 831854 - for more information about regular events or bookings

# REID HALL, BOREHAM STREET

Your perfect venue for weddings, large family parties, community groups, dance, exercise, art classes, children’s clubs, corporate events, meetings and conferences.

Our purpose-built rural village hall is attractive and spacious with Wi-fi and excellent modern kitchen facilities. There is ample off-road parking, space to add a marquee and glorious views over Sussex countryside.

Phone 07943 924976

Email: [enquiries@reidhallborehamstreet.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@reidhallborehamstreet.co.uk) [www.reidhallborehamstreet.co.uk](http://www.reidhallborehamstreet.co.uk/)

# BODLE STREET GREEN VILLAGE HALL

Bodle Street Green Village Hall is a modern hall, opened in 1998, comprising a main room and kitchen. It is located on The Causeway, Bodle Street Green and is a focus for local village activities such as the Gardening Club, WI, Film Society,

drama. It can be hired by clubs, societies for a wide range of activities. [www.bodlestreetvillagehall.org.uk](http://www.bodlestreetvillagehall.org.uk/) or Booking Clerk, Mrs Ros Billinghurst on 01323 832062/07771 787800 for more

information about regular events or bookings.

# HELLINGLY VILLAGE HALL

Hellingly Village Hall is located at the junction of North Street and Church Road, is regularly used by a wide range of groups. The hall offers a main hall and kitchen and is used by the following organisations on a regular basis Hellingly Playgroup, Hellingly WI, Ladies’ Social Club, Photographic Society, Hellingly Sports Club, Magham Down Folk Dance Club, Brownies.

[deputyclerk@hellingly-pc.org.uk](mailto:deputyclerk@hellingly-pc.org.uk) or telephone 01323 844108 for more information about regular events or bookings.

# NINFIELD VILLAGE HALL

Ninfield Memorial Hall is located in Bexhill Road on the A271 on the approach to the centre of the village. The hall offers a main hall, a small committee room and a kitchen. It is used by a wide section of the local community e.g. Pre-school, Mums and Toddlers Group, Cubs and Scouts, Horticultural Group, Flower Group, dancing, art and keep fit classes.

Booking Clerk, Mr Adrian Dommersen 01424 892428 for more information about regular events or bookings.

# DUNN VILLAGE HALL, RUSHLAKE GREEN

Dunn Village Hall is located in the heart of Rushlake Green and has been the focus of community activities since it was built in 1934 by the Dunn family. The facilities

include both a large and a small hall and kitchen which are regularly used for plays, musicals, pantomimes, public meetings, craft events, WI Meetings, exercise sessions and dancing. [www.rushlakegreenvillagehall.co.uk/](http://www.rushlakegreenvillagehall.co.uk/) index/Dunn Village Hall or Bookings Mrs Denise Bailey 01435 831565 or Mrs

Pauline Clifford 01435 408425 [www.rushlakegreenvillage.co.uk](http://www.rushlakegreenvillage.co.uk/) for more information about events in Rushlake Green.

# HERSTMONCEUX PARISH

Herstmonceux is a village and rural parish situated in the Wealden District of East Sussex. Most of the parish lies within the Low Weald but the north eastern third is part of the High Weald of Outstanding Natural Beauty and the southern part extends into the Coastal Levels and includes part of Pevensey Levels. The parish includes Herstmonceux Castle, Cowbeech, part of Windmill Hill and a number of smaller hamlets including Flowers Green, Foul Mile, Gingers Green, Stunts Green and Trolliloes. The 2011 Census records 2852 inhabitants.

Herstmonceux village was previously called Gardner Street and research continues to determine when and why

the main population and the name moved from the castle and its adjoining significant church to Gardner Street.

The name Herstmonceux comes from the Anglo-Saxon word “hyrst” a wooded hill and the name of the Monceux family who were lords of the manor in the 12th Century.

# HERSTMONCEUX PARISH COUNCIL

Herstmonceux Parish Council has 11 members. The Council employs a Parish Clerk, Mrs Clare Harrison and a

Responsible Financial Officer, Mrs Karen Crowhurst.

Full Council Meetings are held on the third Monday in every month, Planning Committee Meetings are held on the first Tuesday in every month and Finance and General Purposes Meeting are held on the second Tuesday in every month.

Parishioners may attend any of these meetings which are all held in the small hall in Herstmonceux Village Hall.

Regular newsletters are circulated in Herstmonceux Parish and monthly drop-in sessions with councillors are held on the first Saturday in the month from 10am – midday in Herstmonceux Village Information Centre. Every third month the meeting is held at the Merrie Harriers, Cowbeech. Contact the Parish Clerk for the details.

[www.herstmonceuxparish.org.uk](http://www.herstmonceuxparish.org.uk/) and [clerk@herstmonceuxparish.org.uk](mailto:clerk@herstmonceuxparish.org.uk) - for more information about the Parish Council and other meetings on the work of the Council e.g. Highways, Footpaths,

Street Lighting, Allotments, Grounds, Building Development, Communications, Emergency Plan.

# HERSTMONCEUX CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

Herstmonceux Church of England Primary School is a non-selective school for boys

and girls from 4 – 11 years. The Ofsted Inspection of 2017 rates the school good. [www.herstmonceux.e-sussex.sch.uk](http://www.herstmonceux.e-sussex.sch.uk/) or [office@herstmonceux.e-sussex.sch.uk](mailto:office@herstmonceux.e-sussex.sch.uk) or 01323 833148 for more information.

clubs, tourist sites, local accommodation, travel and benefits.There is a small meeting room available to rent and a photocopier and computer for public use. There is a monthly clinic for NHS hearing aids (servicing and batteries). [www.herstmonceuxvic.org.uk](http://www.herstmonceuxvic.org.uk/) or [admin@herstmonceux.org.uk](mailto:admin@herstmonceux.org.uk) or

01323 833961 for more information.

# VILLAGE INFORMATION CENTRE

The Village Information Centre is situated in the centre of the village at 2-3 The Old Forge, Gardner Street, Herstmonceux.

The Centre, which is staffed by volunteers, is open Monday to Friday 9.30am – 12.30pm and Saturday from 10am – 12 noon.

Free information and leaflets are available on local groups and activities,

# TRUGS IN HERSTMONCEUX

Sussex trugs are baskets made from willow and sweet chestnut which were originally used in agriculture when harvesting produce and measuring grain. It is thought that the word trug is derived from an AngloSaxon word “trog” meaning a boat shaped vessel.

The traditional Sussex craft of trug making dates back in the Herstmonceux area for at least 200 years. Thomas Smith formed the first trug making company in Windmill Hill in 1829, the business then moved to Herstmonceux where it remained until 2003. It is now located in Magham Down.

Thomas Smith walked with a wheel- barrow of his trugs to London to the Great Exhibition in 1851 and was awarded a gold medallion after Queen Victoria purchased some of his trugs. Later Queen Victoria awarded him her royal warrant.

Reuben Reed, an experienced trug maker started making trugs at the

Truggery, Herstmonceux in 1899 and work continues at the site today.

Sussex Trugs in various sizes are still made in Herstmonceux at:

The Truggery, Coopers Croft, Herstmonceux BN27 1QL [www.truggery.co.uk](http://www.truggery.co.uk/)

01323 832314

[info@truggery.co.uk](mailto:info@truggery.co.uk)

Trugs are also available at Cuckmere Trug Company, Red Lion Hall, Magham down BN27 1PN

[www.sussextrugs.com](http://www.sussextrugs.com/) 01323 847540

# THE STEAM HOUSE

About 1908 the Baron de Roemer installed his first electricity generating plant in

Lime Park, Church Road. By 1911 an underground DC supply had been established to the Woolpack public house, shops and houses in the village together with some street lighting.

A battery storage facility was also added. In 1913, electric cooking demonstrations were held in the village hall. The system was very advanced for its day and age.

Electricity Generation continued up until 1932 when the Weald Supply Company took over.

# PRAISE THE LORD COTTAGE

Gardner Street once sported the very recognisable Praise the Lord cottage.

Recognisable because of the amazing cotoneaster creeper which grew up the front of the cottage, which the owners had carefully and very skilfully clipped into the words ‘PRAISE THE LORD’.

Jim Crouch, senior bought the house in Herstmonceux with this extraordinary creeper in about 1957. The previous owners had planted the cotoneaster and clipped it into the shape of Praise the Lord in protest at the building opposite being turned into a public house, the current Brewer’s Arms. The family were extremely anti-alcohol and took great exception to

a public house being opened opposite their cottage.

The shrub, which had actually died, was removed within six months of the family moving in and the cottage was then re- named Cotoneaster Cottage after its one- time famous shrub.

Cotoneaster Cottage has been re- named Winslow House and in its time it has been a bakery and tea rooms, a hairdressers, an estate agent’s, a home interiors and antique shop.

# HERSTMONCEUX/VARENGEVILLE TWINNING ASSOCIATION

Herstmonceux has been twinned with Varengeville-sur-mer since 1989. It is a family-based group but also fosters links between the village schools, local music and sewing/embroidery interests and with Canadian students at Bader International Study Centre, Herstmonceux Castle.

Varengeville is a typical Normandy village with half-timbered houses linked by deep tree -lined roads, situated 8 kilometres west of Dieppe on the Normandy coast.

Over 30 families from the two villages meet annually, with each village hosting the twinning celebrations on alternate years. Events such music as festivals, art exhibitions and the busy Varengeville Christmas Market are visited by twinning group members.

Le Parc Floral du Bois des Moutiers in Varengeville is an ornamental and botanic garden set out in the English style with a profusion of flowering plants. The gardens were designed by Gertrude Jekyll and the house, built in 1898, by Sir Edwin Lutyens. The church, L’eglise Saint-Valery is built on an attractive site overlooking the sea. One of the stained-glass windows in the south aisle of the church, depicts the Tree of Jess by Georges Braque, who is buried in the churchyard.

The National Hydrangea Collection is located in Varengeville. See [www.hortensias-hydangea.com](http://www.hortensias-hydangea.com/) [www.vanregeville-sur-mer.fr](http://www.vanregeville-sur-mer.fr/)

Contact Alan McInnes [mcinnes.alan@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:mcinnes.alan@yahoo.co.uk) or 01323 833306 /07946604201 for

more information about the twinning.

# PGL ACTIVITY CENTRE AT WINDMILL HILL

Windmill Hill Place is a residential PGL Activity Centre with a wide range of activities for young people of all ages. [www.pgl.co.uk/windmillhill](http://www.pgl.co.uk/windmillhill) or 0333 321 2100 for more information.

# BUSES

Herstmonceux, Windmill Hill, Boreham Street, are served by a Route 98 Stagecoach bus which connects Eastbourne and Hastings – www.stagecoachbus/timetables for more information about the route.

# CUCKMERE BUSES

Cuckmere Buses was established in 1976 to provide for residents in rural areas, who do not have access to a car. Every Wednesday the Cuckmere Bus leaves The Brewers Arms at 10.14a.m. arriving in Eastbourne at 10.50a.m. The bus leaves Eastbourne (Terminus Road) at 1.30 pm and arrives at The Brewers Arms at 2.06

p.m. The cost return is £7.35 but free if you have a bus pass.

**WHERE TO VISIT**

# WINDMILL AT WINDMILL HILL

There may have been a windmill at Windmill Hill since the 1600s, although

the first map reference to a mill at Windmill Hill was in 1783.

The existing post mill was built in 1814 by the millwright, Samuel Medhurst, after the former mill was demolished. The post mill is one of the largest post mills in Britain and unique as it is fitted with a Hammond’s Patent Sweep Governor.

In 1894, work by wind ceased and the sails were removed. A steam engine was installed in the roundhouse to provide power to grind the corn.

In 1913 the mill ceased to mill corn but was left as a landmark for ships in the channel. The mill stood derelict for many years until restoration started in 1994. The mill is now in full working condition and started to grind grain again in 2016.

The windmill is open on the first and third Sundays between Easter and mid- October, every Sunday in July and August and Bank Holidays. Please check at [www.windmillhillwindmill.org,](http://www.windmillhillwindmill.org/) Facebook or Mrs Jenny Alder 01323 832329

# HERSTMONCEUX CASTLE

Herstmonceux Castle is the oldest brick building of note still standing in England and dates from the mid-15th century. It was constructed by Sir Roger Fiennes and on completion, was considered to be the largest private dwelling in the country.

The internal structure of the castle was deliberately demolished in 1776 as it was deemed to be beyond economical repair. During the Victorian era it became an ivy- clad ruin before major restoration in the first half of the 20th century restored it once again to a magnificent private dwelling.

In 1946, the castle and its 300 acre estate were purchased by the Admiralty as the new home for the Royal Greenwich Observatory (RGO), away from the smog

and light pollution of London. New buildings were constructed in the 1950s to house the giant telescopes that were brought from Greenwich. The RGO remained at Herstmonceux for more than forty years before its final move to

Cambridge and subsequent closure eight years later.

A development company acquired the castle, intending to convert it into a luxury hotel but ended up in administration after planning permission was denied following pressure from a local action group.

In 1993, Dr Alfred Bader purchased the whole estate and gifted it to his alma mater, Queens University Ontario in Canada. Some of the money was used to convert former RGO buildings into student accommodation and in 1994 the first intake of students arrived. This new international campus for Queens was later renamed the Bader International Study Centre in honour of its generous benefactor and 2019 marks its 25th anniversary.

Today the castle and estate function as both a university campus and a popular tourist attraction. Beyond its beautiful themed and formal gardens are open parkland and woodland trails to explore. Although its primary function is of an academic nature, guided tours of the castle are made available whenever possible. Times and dates are shown in advance on the website. The castle also plays host to a wide range of events and is a very popular wedding venue.

For more information, please visit: [www.herstmonceux-castle.com](http://www.herstmonceux-castle.com/) Contacts:

Operations Manager, Mrs Caroline Harber T: 01323 834457 or

[c\_harber@bisc.queensu.ac.uk](mailto:c_harber@bisc.queensu.ac.uk)

Functions and Events, Mr Carlos Goncalves T: 01323 834479 or

[conf@bisc.queensu.ac.uk](mailto:conf@bisc.queensu.ac.uk)

# FRIENDS OF HERSTMONCEUX

**CASTLE & BADER INTERNATIONAL STUDY CENTRE**

Formed in 1988 to save the castle from building development, The Friends supported its transition to study centre for students from Queens University, Canada which now owns the castle. Members take an interest in castle activities, are invited to castle events and offer a community link to students to visit local people or exchange experiences over a cup of tea. For information Alan McInnes 01323 833306 or [mcinnes.alan@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:mcinnes.alan@yahoo.co.uk)

# HERSTMONCEUX SCIENCE CENTRE

The Observatory Science Centre at Herstmonceux is located at the former home of the world-famous Royal Greenwich Observatory. It is an interactive science- based visitor attraction set among the iconic green domes that still house some of the largest telescopes in the country.

Making science fun, informative and

spectacular for all ages, it offers over 100 interactive exhibits, both inside and out, along with science shows and telescope tours. Regular Open Evenings give visitors the chance to view the night sky through some of the giant telescopes (weather permitting). For more information including details of opening times, events, activities and astronomy courses, please call 01323 832731 or visit

[www.the-observatory.org](http://www.the-observatory.org/)

**CHURCHES**

# HERSTMONCEUX

All Saints, Church Road, Herstmonceux

– Reverend Richard Steven - 01323 833124 Church Wardens Mr Gerald Stone

* 01323 833976 or Mrs Pam Kendall -

01323 833079

Free Church, Chapel Row, Herstmonceux, East Sussex BN27 1RE [www.herstmonceuxfreechurch.org.uk](http://www.herstmonceuxfreechurch.org.uk/) or for information about services and activities - Mrs Helen and Mr John Ford

* 01323 832266. Communities and families contact – Mrs Sylvia Catt – 01323 832104 or 07909 644762

Friends Meeting House, West End, Herstmonceux – Mrs J. Fairbrother 01323 844269 for more information.

# WARTLING

St Mary Magdalene, Wartling - Reverend Richard Steven - 01323 833124. Church Wardens – Mr David Harding 01323 832150 and Mr Paul Hurle 01424 892840

# BODLE STREET GREEN

St John the Evangelist - Reverend Marc Lloyd - 01435 830421

# RUSHLAKE GREEN

St Mary the Virgin, Warbleton Hill, Warbleton - Reverend Marc Lloyd - 01435 830421

# NINFIELD

St Mary the Virgin, Ninfield

Church Wardens - 01424 892792 or

01424 218241

# CATHOLIC CHURCHES

St Wilfreds, South Road, Hailsham - BN27 3JG - Father Rory - 01323 841504

St George’s, 110 Eastbourne Road, Polegate BN27 5DF – Father Rory - 01323 841504

# EASTBOURNE LIBERAL JEWISH COMMUNITY

Contact 07497 401280 eljc.org.uk

isted in the table below are the clubs and societies that already exist in this area and new members are always welcome. A contact telephone number has been provided

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so that you can get in contact and start the ball rolling.

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| **SPORTS CLUBS** | | |
| **ORGANISATION** | **CONTACT** | **CONTACT DETAILS** |
| Bowls Club | Mrs Sue Saunders (secretary) | 01323 833403 |
| Football Club | Mr Malcolm York (chairman) | 01323 832023  [malcolm.york2@btinternet.com](mailto:malcolm.york2@btinternet.com) 07759 163371 |
| Herstmonceux Cricket Club | Mr Alan Smith (chairman) | 01323 841060  07841 210582  [alansmith968@gmail.com](mailto:alansmith968@gmail.com) |
| Short Mats Bowls Club September – April Mondays and Fridays 2–5pm Herstmonceux Village Hall | Mr Graham Keeley (secretary) | 01323 503998 |
| Stoolball Club | Mr P Riggs | 01323 765777 |

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| **ACTIVITIES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE** | | | |
| **ORGANISATION** | **VENUE** | **CONTACT** | **CONTACT DETAILS** |
| Herstmonceux Brownies |  |  | girlguiding-join-us [www.girlguiding.org.uk](http://www.girlguiding.org.uk/) firstwartlingbrownies@hotmail. co.uk |
| Wartling Brownies | Reid Hall, Boreham Street  Wednesdays 17.45–  19.15 | Mrs Karolyn Richardson | 01323 841845  07815 054656  firstwartlingbrownies@hotmail. co.uk |
| Herstmonceux Guides |  |  | girlguiding-join-us and [www.](http://www/) girlguiding.org.uk |
| Beavers  6–8 years | Herstmonceux Free Church Hall  Tuesdays 17.15–18.15 | Mrs Karen Guest | [www.facebook.com/](http://www.facebook.com/) herstmonceuxscouts info@herstmonceuxscouts. org.uk  01323 887345 |
| Cubs 8–10½ years | Tuesdays 18.30–20.00 |  | [www.facebook.com/](http://www.facebook.com/) herstmonceuxscouts info@herstmonceuxscouts. org.uk  01323 887345 |

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| Herstmonceux Scouts  10½–14½ years | Herstmonceux Free Church Hall Wednesday  18.30–20.30 |  | [www.facebook.com/](http://www.facebook.com/) herstmonceuxscouts info@herstmonceuxscouts. org.uk  01323 887345 |
| Youth Club (11–16 years) | Fridays 19.30 – 21.00 in term time Herstmonceux Free Church Hall | Mrs H Ford | 01323 832266 |
| Herstmonceux Pre-School | Monday – Friday (not Wednesdays) 08.30  –17.00  Herstmonceux Village Hall – small hall | Mr Nick Porter | 07925 514252  herstmonceuxpreschool@ hotmail.com www.herstmonceuxpreschool. co.uk |
| Herstmonceux Tiddlers & Toddlers Club | Wednesdays 09.30 –  11.30 Herstmonceux Village Hall – small hall | Mrs Laura Campbell Mrs Sylvia Catt | 01323 832368  07817 157584  [campbelllaura92@gmail.com](mailto:campbelllaura92@gmail.com) 01323 832104 |
| All Saints Kidz Club | Fourth Sunday in the month in  Herstmonceux Church 11.15am onwards.  Primary School age children, under 5s must be accompanied by a responsible adult | Mrs Pam Kendall | 01323 833079 |
| Mega Explorers (Children’s church activities) | 15:20 to 16:15 on  Tuesdays fortnightly Herstmonceux Primary School | Mrs P Kendall | 01323 833079 |
| Young HATS (Drama Group) |  | Mrs Sue Stewart | 01323 833450 |

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| **CLUBS AND SOCIETIES** | | | |
| ORGANISATION | VENUE AND TIME | CONTACT | TELEPHONE |
| Age Concern | Hailsham, Hellingly and Herstmonceux, Charles Hunt Centre, Vicarage Field, Hailsham |  | 01323 844398 |
| Healthy Living Club | Methodist Church 82 High Street, Hailsham Tuesdays 10am–12 noon |  | 01323 449195  07791 442334 |
| Extend (over 60s exercise club) | Main hall, Herstmonceux Village Hall 7.00pm–8.30pm Mondays | Mrs Sue Wicks | 01323 843984  [sue.wicks1958@gmail.com](mailto:sue.wicks1958@gmail.com) |

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| Friends of Herstmonceux Castle |  | Mr Alan McInnes | 01323 833306  07946 604201 |
| Friends of Herstmonceux School |  |  | [friends@herstmonceux.e-](mailto:friends@herstmonceux.e-) sussex.sch.uk |
| Herstmonceux Amateur Theatrical Society (HATS) |  | Mrs Sue Stewart | 01323 833450 |
| TLC Group Support for people going through difficult times, such as bereavement or redundancy | Fourth Thursday in the month at 2pm contact John King for venue | Mr John King | 01323 832997 |
| Knit and Stitch Group | Once a month 14.30–16.00  Village Information Centre | Mrs Pam Kendall | 01323 833079 |
| Herstmonceux Local History Group |  | Mr Alan Brown | 01323 831754 |
| Herstmonceux Luncheon Club |  | Mrs Angela Webster | 01323 833141 |
| Ballroom and Latin Dancing | Tuesdays and Thursdays in the main hall, Herstmonceux Village Hall | Mrs Lisa and  Mr Gareth Taplin | 01323 847022 |
| Bingo | Last Wednesday in the month in the small hall, Herstmonceux Village Hall | Mrs Theresa and Mr Bryan Naish | 01323 833747 |
| Herstmonceux Sequence Dance Club |  | Mr Frank Beeney | 01323 832587 |
| Herstmonceux Walking Club |  | Mrs Sue Standen | 01323 832016 |
| Herstmonceux Women’s Institute |  | Mrs Sue Stewart | 01323 833450 |
| Cowbeech Bonfire Society |  | Mrs Mary Ann Gordon (secretary) | 01323 833749 |
| Women of Cowbeech Area | Second Thursday in the month at 7.30pm at the Merrie Harriers | Mrs Mary Ann Gordon | 01323 833749 |

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| Ray & Sheldon Club (over 60s) |  | Mrs Anne Kenward | 01323 441244 |
| Herstmonceux/ Varengeville Twinning Association |  | Mr Alan McInnes | 01323 833306 |
| Windmill Hill Horticultural Society |  | Mrs Penny Vasey | 01323 833603  [www.windmillhortsoc.org.](http://www.windmillhortsoc.org/) uk |
| Windmill Hill Windmill Trust |  | Mrs Bee Frost | 01323 833033 |
| Viewcraft (craft for blind and partially sighted people) | Tuesdays 10am–12 in the main hall in  Herstmonceux Village Hall | Mrs Jean Wilson | 01323 505764 |
| Herstmonceux Crop Group (craft) | Second Sunday in the small hall in  Herstmonceux Village Hall | Mrs Pat Musgrave | 01323 833277 |

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| **BUSINESSES** | | |
| **ACCOUNTANCY SERVICES & FINANCIAL PLANNING** | | |
| James Pollard | Chartered Accountant Full range of financial services & advice | The Old Farm, Trolliloes, Cowbeech, East Sussex BN27 4QR  01323 831717 |
| Wilson Phillips Andrew Phillips | Accountancy, Taxation, Book-keeping | Hughenden, West End, Herstmonceux, Herstmonceux, East Sussex BN27 4NL 01323 832619 |
| **ACUPUNCTURE** | | |
| The Acupuncture Clinic |  | Mrs Sue Miles, [smiles3878@aol.com](mailto:smiles3878@aol.com)  174b Coast Road, Pevensey Bay BN24 6NR  01323 832525, 07740 200555  [www.acupuncture.co.uk](http://www.acupuncture.co.uk/) |
| **AGRICULTURAL** | | |
| R. Popovic & Son (contractor) | Hedge and grass-cutting, grass seeding, ploughing, muckspreading, baling, sileageing | 01323 832002  07889 177434 |
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| **ALTERATIONS** | | |
| Carol’s Alterations | Curtains, gowns and household sewing needs | 01323 832455 |
| **ARCHITECT** | | |
| Steven Seear RIBA Architect | From Planning and Building Regulation applications to construction. | Heathfield TN21 [steven.seear@btinternet.com](mailto:steven.seear@btinternet.com) 01435 813272  07795 955934 |
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| **ARTS AND CRAFTS** | | |
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| Kevin Ryall | Works as a fine art painter in his studio in Wartling. Visitors welcome by appointment. | For commissions contact 01323 833180  07979 056578 |
| crafts@themalthouse | Courses, workshops and have-a-go craft sessions. Stockist of papercraft, beading, encaustic art and much more. | [www.themalthouse.co.uk](http://www.themalthouse.co.uk/) 07771 906630  [crafts@themalthouse.co.uk](mailto:crafts@themalthouse.co.uk) |
| **BAKERY** | | |
| The Little Bake Shop, Herstmonceux | Bread, cakes, hot take away, fresh sandwiches, baguettes | The Briars, Gadner Street, Herstmonceux BN27 4LB  01323 833182 |
| Cakefleur | Cakemaker and florist | Natasha Dean [tashadean@outlook.com](mailto:tashadean@outlook.com) Facebook Cakefleur |
| **BANDS** | | |
| Warbleton Brass Band | info@warbletonbrassband. org | [www.warbeltonbrassband.org](http://www.warbeltonbrassband.org/) 07881 808654 |
| **BUILDING SERVICES** | | |
| AGB Design and Draughting Services | Planning applications, building requirements | 3 Nursery Lane, Windmill Hill 01323 83175  07754 399007 |
| Angears Quality Builders | All aspect of building work, commercial and residential. No job too small. | 01323 833684  07860 492843 |
| Jon Funnell | Windows, doors, fascias, cladding, conservatories | 4 Fiennes Road, Herstmonceux 01323 833106 |

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| Adrian Jenkins | Driveway & patio specialist, all small building works | 07971 305485 |
| Robins of Herstmonceux | Agricultural lime, chalk, building aggregates, crushed concrete, coal, top soil, garden materials recycled grade 1. Grab lorry and sweeper hire. | Sandbanks, Chilsham Lane, Herstmonceux  01323 833181  01323 832494 |
| Angel Construction |  | [info@angel.construction](mailto:info@angel.construction) [www.angel.construction](http://www.angel.construction/) 07771830386 |
| Dicker Construction Repointing |  | Mr Michael Bridger [Michael1676bridger@yahoo.com](mailto:Michael1676bridger@yahoo.com) 07875 044985 |
| Cordless Ltd | Carpentry, joinery, bathrooms, kitchens, extensions | Mr K. Orpen [orpen24@btinternet.com](mailto:orpen24@btinternet.com) [www.cordless.co.uk](http://www.cordless.co.uk/) 01323 832942  07904 177543  07957 201565 |
| Thompson and Co | Extensions, drives, repointing, alterations, patios | [thompsonandco@talktalk.net](mailto:thompsonandco@talktalk.net) 01323 832304  01435 865009  07704723216 |
| **CARE SERVICES** | | |
| APC Care | Personal home care service | [vyji\_gardiner@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:vyji_gardiner@yahoo.co.uk) 01323 849019 |
| Hankham Lodge | Residential Care Home | Mr and Mrs Peter Sims [info@HankhamLodge.com](mailto:info@HankhamLodge.com) 01323 766555 |
| **CARS AND CAR SERVICING** | | |
| Collins Honda | Honda main dealer, new and used cars, servicing and parts | Herstmonceux Service Station, Herstmonceux BN27 4JU [www.collinshonda.co.uk](http://www.collinshonda.co.uk/)  01323 832211 |
| Cooper Autos | Car servicing and repairs | The Old Stable Yard, Threeways, Bemzells Lane, Cowbeech  01323 833752  07973 635523 |
| Attwood Motor Services | Service and repairs MOTs, tyres, batteries Free estimates  Pick-up service available | Mr William Billinghurst [billinghurst.b@yahoo.com](mailto:billinghurst.b@yahoo.com) 01323 833893  07801 563009  Bodle Street Green |
| Auto Solutions | Auto electricians, tow bars, diagnostics, general vehicle electrics | Mrs Amy Page 07967 614637  01323 831644 |

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| Windmill Hill Garage | Used cars, sales and service | Mr Bernie and Mr Nick Rodemark 01323 833311 |
| Simon Turner Motor Services | Mechanical servicing, MOTs, repairs, vehicle refrigeration and van hire | [www.simonturner.info](http://www.simonturner.info/) 01323 833321 |
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| Tina Harffey | Catering services | 01323 833873 |
| Speedwell Event Catering and Equipment Hire | Tables, linen, chairs, cutlery, glasses, tableware, dance floor | [www.speedwellcateringhire.co.uk](http://www.speedwellcateringhire.co.uk/) 01323 833553 |
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| Big Sky Tipi Holidays | Glamping tipi campsite | [info@bigskytipis.co.uk](mailto:info@bigskytipis.co.uk) 01323 832325 |
| Orchard View Park | Mobile homes, holiday caravans to rent. Calor gas stockist | Office open 10am–12 midday Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays 01323 832335 |
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| Bill Gower | CASSOA approved caravan storage | 01323 832532 |
| **CATTERY** | | |
| Coopers Croft Cattery |  | New Road, Coopers Croft, Herstmonceux  01323 832762 |
| **CHIMNEY SWEEP** | | |
| Richard Avis |  | 07747 134683  01323 832337 |
| **CLEANING SERVICES** | | |
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| Maria Sharp | Domestic cleaning services | [theladycleaner@hotmail.com](mailto:theladycleaner@hotmail.com) 07514 573651  01323 846779 |
| **CONSERVATORIES** | | |
| Elliott Reid Conservatories Ltd |  | Mr Bob Reid  The White House, Stunts Green, Herstmonceux  01323 833924 |
| **COTTAGES - SELF CATERING** | | |
| Beechcroft | Cowbeech | [www.beechcroft.org](http://www.beechcroft.org/) 01435 830316 |
| Toll Farm, Bodle Street Green | Fully accessible, self- catering cottages | [www.tollfarm.co.uk](http://www.tollfarm.co.uk/) 01323 833343  0771 732046 |

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| **COUNSELLOR** | | |
| Angie Nettle Local Integrative counsellor | Adults children and young people | 07817 997 922  [angienettle.counselling@outlook.co.uk](mailto:angienettle.counselling@outlook.co.uk) |
| **DOGS** | | |
| Tails on Trails | Dog walking  Collect & walk your dog on private farm near Cowbeech & Rushlake Green, call to your home, etc fully insured, current CRB check | 01323 831753  07909 800117 |
| Hot Dogs Grooming Salon | Mr Andrew Welch | [www.hot-dogsgrooming.co.uk](http://www.hot-dogsgrooming.co.uk/) 07910 949030  01323 846105 |
| Wag Tails Dog Spa Gardner Street, Herstmonceux |  | 01323 831991 |
| **DRAIN CLEARANCE** | | |
| Trenchline | Drain clearance specialists | 01424 731985  [www.trenchlineutilities.org.uk](http://www.trenchlineutilities.org.uk/) |
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| Catherine Hooper | Editor, proofreader, project manager and picture researcher  A professional editor who trained at a large publishing house, I check and can help compile the text on everything from  websites to brochures and from illustrated books to marketing materials. I am conversant with a wide range of programs and work across many subject areas. | 01323 832137  [catherine@hoopdesign.co.uk](mailto:catherine@hoopdesign.co.uk) |
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| James Harris Hire | Sound, Lighting and Vision equipment providers | 07761 668894  [www.jamesharrishire.co.uk](http://www.jamesharrishire.co.uk/) |
| MAS Systems Ltd | Electrical & mechanical security engineering contractors. Fire Alarms | The Oast, Stunts Green, Herstmonceux 01323 833860 |
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| **ENGINEERING** | | |
| Louis Engineering Co Ltd | Architectural ironwork, handrails, balustrading | Mr David Martin  The Old Dairy, Windmill Hill Place Farm BN27 4RZ  01323 833700  07813 063883 |
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| Stevens & Carter | Estate Agents & Valuers | 1 The Old Forge, Gardner Street, Herstmonceux  01323 832888 |
| **ENTERTAINMENT** | | |
| Coco Photo Booths Ltd |  | Leo Ferenc 0800 0407921  [info@cocophotobooths.co.uk](mailto:info@cocophotobooths.co.uk) [www.cocophotobooths.co.uk](http://www.cocophotobooths.co.uk/) |
| **FALCONRY** | | |
| East Sussex Falconry |  | 01323 485529  [www.eastsussexfalconry.co.uk](http://www.eastsussexfalconry.co.uk/) |
| **FARM SHOPS AND PRODUCE** | | |
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| Court Lodge Organics | Home produced yoghurts | Mr and Mrs David Harding [marian@courtlodgeorganics.co.uk](mailto:marian@courtlodgeorganics.co.uk) 01323 832150 |
| Pete and Amy Sterling | Rears and produces own beef, lamb and pork | Red House Farm, Bodle Street Green BN27 4QY  [sterlingfarmshop@hotmail.com](mailto:sterlingfarmshop@hotmail.com) 07769 289480 |
| **FENCING** | | |
| MT Goodsell | All fencing work, timberwork undertaken, logs for sale | 01323 832178  07776 232608 |
| **FIRST AID TRAINING** | | |
| Mark and Nina de Pina Perou |  | 01323 833 034, 07968 323 246  [ITSperou@depinaperou.plus.com](mailto:ITSperou@depinaperou.plus.com) itsfirstaidtraining.wordpress.com |
| **FISH AND CHIP SHOP** | | |
| Willows Fish Chips & Grill | Local family run shop - top quality fish & chips, locally sourced burgers and more | 2 The Willows, Gardener Street, Herstmonceux, BN27 4LE Facebook: willows fish and chips 01323 833435 |

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| **FISHERIES** | | |
| Brick Farm Lakes | Trout fishery Windmill Hill | [www.brickfarmlakes.co.uk](http://www.brickfarmlakes.co.uk/) 01323 832615 |
| Furnace Brook Farm and Coarse Fishery |  | Trolliloes, Cowbeech 01435 830835  [alastair@carbonfreegroup.com](mailto:alastair@carbonfreegroup.com) furnacebrookfishery.co.uk |
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| Pat’s Flowers | Weddings, funerals, floral tributes | [patsflowershailsham@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:patsflowershailsham@hotmail.co.uk) 01323 848217  01323 441853 |
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| Forest School |  | forestschool@the observatory |
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| Sussex Bedrooms |  | [www.sussexbedrooms.co.uk](http://www.sussexbedrooms.co.uk/) 07913 613886 |
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| The Lady Gardener | Garden Services | Becky Barney Constant Facebook.com/ladygardener01 07756 426506 |
| Moonwood Gardening Services | Gardener – Ms Izzie Simes | moonwoodgardeningservices@yahoo. com |
| R P Taylor Ltd | Garden services | Ms Lisa Taylor [www.popesfarm.co.uk](http://www.popesfarm.co.uk/) [popesfarm@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:popesfarm@hotmail.co.uk) |
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| Bit of This, Bit of That | Mr Derek Willis Garden and property maintenance | [bitotbitot@aol.com](mailto:bitotbitot@aol.com) 01323 833304  07977 196304 |
| Simply Gardens | Ms Sarah Bartholemew Lawns, hedges, trees, shrubs, flower beds, pots | 01323 847338  07780 681878 |
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| Mr Trevor Hoad | Grass cutting | 01323 845414 |
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| Flowers Green Plants | Bedding plants, herbs, perennials, alpines, vegetable plants, basket, pots | Church Road, Herstmonceux [www.flowersgreen.co.uk](http://www.flowersgreen.co.uk/) 01323 833256 |
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| Popes Farm Shop | Ms Sophie Frost | [popesfarm@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:popesfarm@hotmail.co.uk) [www.popesfarm.co.uk](http://www.popesfarm.co.uk/) 01323 832346 |
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| Gel Nails |  | [www.facebook.com/](http://www.facebook.com/) prettyperfectnails2017 |
| M/S HairAffair | Mobile hairdresser | 07704 348990 |
| Natural Beauty by Zara | Beauty salon – all things beauty, manicure, pedicure, holistic treatments | Ms Zara Ballard [info@naturalbeatybyzar.co.uk](mailto:info@naturalbeatybyzar.co.uk) 01323 301500  07530 481333 |
| Reflections Hair Salon |  | Mrs Sian Thorpe Facebook.com/ReflectionsHx 01323 831555 |
| Unisex Mobile Hairstylist | Manicure, pedicure, wig and hairpiece consultant | Lesley  01323 831778  07761 754977 |

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| Take the Lead to Success | Stress Management Consultant and Behaviourist Coach | MS Martina Mercer-Hall [Taking.the.lead.to.success@gmail.com](mailto:Taking.the.lead.to.success@gmail.com) [www.taketheleadtosuccess.wordpress.](http://www.taketheleadtosuccess.wordpress/) com  07720 244541 |
| Tai Chi | Local classes | [lynnewood@aol.com](mailto:lynnewood@aol.com) [www.chiinunity.co.uk](http://www.chiinunity.co.uk/) 01323 833582  07752 012438 |
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| Glassy Glitter | Home décor | facebook.com/glassyglitter.uk [glassyglitteruk@gmail.com](mailto:glassyglitteruk@gmail.com) |

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| Livery Yard | Livery, part/DIY, all year turnout, large stables | 01323 832178 |
| Equestrian Ruggies Laundry Services | Horse rug cleaning | 07901 910539 |
| Equine Bowen Technique |  | Ms Claire Etherington-Grey [claireetherington@sky.com](mailto:claireetherington@sky.com) 01273 780322 |
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| Rutherford and Son | Removals – house clearance  – storage | Paul Rutherford [www.rutherfordandson.co.uk](http://www.rutherfordandson.co.uk/) [www.houseclearancesussex.co.uk](http://www.houseclearancesussex.co.uk/) 07511 636025 |
| **JEWELLERY** | | |
| Mingels Marvels | Individually designed necklaces and earrings | 7 Highview Close, Windmill Hill [www.mingelsmarvels.co.uk](http://www.mingelsmarvels.co.uk/) 07971 266506 |
| **KITCHENS** | | |
| Touchwood Bespoke Kitchens |  | 174b Coast Road, Pevensey Bay BN24 6NR  01323 832525  [touchwoodkitchen@aol.com](mailto:touchwoodkitchen@aol.com) [www.touchwoodkitchen.co.uk](http://www.touchwoodkitchen.co.uk/) |
| Pebblestone Kitchens | Fully fitted or supply only | 01424 844522 |
| **LEISURE** | | |
| Herstmonceux Castle grounds and gardens | Tea room, nature trail, children’s play area, visitor centre, conferences, functions and weddings; guided tours of the Castle subject to availability. | [www.herstmonceux-castle.com](http://www.herstmonceux-castle.com/) 01323 833816 |

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| Observatory Science Centre and Discovery Park | Telescope domes and buildings of the former Royal Greenwich Observatory, adjacent to the Castle grounds. Open to the public Jan–Mar 10am–5pm, April–Sept 10am–6pm, Oct– Dec 10am–5pm (check precise dates) | [www.the-observatory.org](http://www.the-observatory.org/) 01323 832731 |
| **LOCKS** | | |
| Lee’s Locks | Window locks, digital locks | [lee@lees-locks.com](mailto:lee@lees-locks.com) 01323 800034  07921 068564 |
| **MUSIC** | | |
| Sam Hobden Records | Mail order only | Church Farm, Cowbeech 01323 832595 |
| **OSTEOPATHY** | | |
| East Sussex Massage and Osteopaths |  | Ms Sarah-Jane Prince [eastsussexmassage@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:eastsussexmassage@yahoo.co.uk) [www.eastsussexmassage.co.uk](http://www.eastsussexmassage.co.uk/) 07762 576495 |
| Osteopathy for Wellbeing | Osteopathy and cranial osteopathy | Clare Kersley, Town House, Market Street, Hailsham BN27 2AE  07954 327614  [clar](mailto:clare@osteopathyforwellbeing.co.uk)[e@osteopathyforwellbeing.co.uk](mailto:e@osteopathyforwellbeing.co.uk) [www.osteopathyforwellbeing.co.uk](http://www.osteopathyforwellbeing.co.uk/) |
| **OIL SERVICES** | | |
| A.D. Oil Services | Oil heating specialist, - boilers, AGAs, Rayburns. Service and repairs. Oil tank installation. Boiler installation and commissioning. | A. Dyer [andy@adoilservices.co.uk](mailto:andy@adoilservices.co.uk) 07766 000383 |
| Michael Lucioni | Oil boiler servicing and repairs  AGA, Rayburn, new boilers and oil tanks | 07817 933015  01797 224264 |
| **PEST SERVICES** | | |
| Marcus Fearn | Covers Sussex and East Surrey | <http://www.pestscontrolsurrey.co.uk/> [marcusfearn1218@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:marcusfearn1218@yahoo.co.uk) 07885 609 825 |
| A. Scott Pest Control | Moles, rats, mice, squirrels, wasps, insects | [Scott.andy@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:Scott.andy@tiscali.co.uk) [www.scottpestcontrol.co.uk](http://www.scottpestcontrol.co.uk/) 01323 831790 |

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| **PET CARE** | | |
| Gem’s Trendz | Pet accessories with a twist. | For the online shop visit [www.](http://www/) gemstrendz.co.uk [info@gemstrendz.co.uk](mailto:info@gemstrendz.co.uk) 07772 997254 |
| Home Alone | Pet services business, dog walking, cat feeding and small animal care. I am fully insured and CRB checked. | [www.homealone-petservices.co.uk](http://www.homealone-petservices.co.uk/) 07463 150015 |
| Wag Tails | Pet supplies | Gardner Street, Herstmonceux BN27 4LE 01323 831991  [nina@wagtailspetsupplies.co.uk](mailto:nina@wagtailspetsupplies.co.uk) [www.wagtailspetsupplies.co.uk](http://www.wagtailspetsupplies.co.uk/) |
| **PHARMACY** | | |
| Warwick and Radcliffe Pharmacy |  | Hailsham Road, Herstmonceux, BN27 4JX  Opening times: Monday to Friday 8.45am–6.15pm, Saturdays 9am–1pm 01323 833162 |
| **PLUMBING & HEATING** | | |
| Stephen Woodley | Heating and Plumbing Gas, oil, LPG, under floor heating | 01323 442611 |
| **PHOTOGRAPHY** | | |
| Stuart Sutton | Wildlife | 07808 682894 |
| **PUBLISHING** | | |
| Hoop Editions | Publisher that takes books from conception to finished copies. | [info@hoopdesign.co.uk](mailto:info@hoopdesign.co.uk) 01323 832137  [www.hoopdesign.co.uk](http://www.hoopdesign.co.uk/) |
| **PLASTERING** | | |
| M. F. Plastering | All aspects of plastering | Mr Matt Field [mfplastering@outlook.com](mailto:mfplastering@outlook.com) 07512 312281 |
| **PROVISIONS** | | |
| General Store | (Mace) Post Office, newsagent, off-license, photocopying, fax  Open: Monday to Saturday 5.30am to 7pm  Sunday 5.30am to 2.0pm Gardner Street, Herstmonceux General Store | 01323 832213  Post Office 01323 832905 |

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| The Village Store | Newspapers, off-license Open: Monday to Sat 8am to 7pm;  Sunday 8.30am to 1pm | Gardner Street, Herstmonceux 01323 833273 |
| Windmill Hill Store and Post Office | Open:  Monday–Friday 7am–6pm Saturday 7am–6pm Sunday 8am–1pm | 01323 833278 |
| **REFRIGERATION SERVICES** | | |
| Simon Turner Refrigeration Services Ltd | Transport refrigeration & vehicle air conditioning specialists | Cowbeech [www.simonturnerrefrigeration.co.uk](http://www.simonturnerrefrigeration.co.uk/) 01323 833433 01323 833090 |
| **REMOVALS** | | |
| Removals | Man with working driver | 07760 565236 |
| **RESIDENTIAL HOME** | | |
| Dunsfold Residential Home | Specialises in cases of Alzheimer’s disease | West End, Herstmonceux 01323 832021 |
| **RESTAURANTS & PUBS** | | |
| The Brewers Arms | Public House | Gardner Street, Herstmonceux 01323 832226 |
| Eastern Promise | Indian cuisine, includes takeaway.  Banquet Nights on Mondays and Tuesdays except for Bank Holidays | London House, Gardner Street, Herstmonceux [www.easternpromise.com](http://www.easternpromise.com/) 01323 832533  01323 833494 |
| The Horseshoe Inn |  | Windmill Hill, Herstmonceux 01323 833265 |
| The Merrie Harriers | Free house, restaurant, beer garden | Cowbeech [www.themerrieharriers.co.uk](http://www.themerrieharriers.co.uk/) 01323 833108 |
| The Sundial Restaurant |  | Gardner Street, Herstmonceux [www.sundialrestaurant.co.uk](http://www.sundialrestaurant.co.uk/) 01323 832217 |
| The Lamb Inn | Lunch and supper – bed and breakfast | Wartling [www.lambinwartling.co.uk](http://www.lambinwartling.co.uk/) 01323 832116 |
| **ROOFING** | | |
| Icon Roofs |  | 0800 003355 |
| **SATELLITES** | | |
| HDI Aerials and Satellite | All aspects of aerial and satellite work Telephone, broadband, WiFi | [www.hdi-aerials.co.uk](http://www.hdi-aerials.co.uk/) 01323 442557  07968 345409 |

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| **SECRETARIAL AND OFFICE SUPPORT** | | |
| Sussex Secretaries | All secretarial work | Ms Corinne Gibbons Ms Marcia Wheeler  [www.sussexsecretaries.co.uk](http://www.sussexsecretaries.co.uk/) 07940 886123  07816 486410 |
| Lisa Tomlinson | Secretarial, Audio, typing, minutes, invoicing, credit control and administration help either remotely or at your premises. Negotiable rates. | [Lisa\_tomlinson@yahoo.com](mailto:Lisa_tomlinson@yahoo.com) 01323 442232  07840 678730 |
| **SEWING** | | |
| The Sewing School | Classes, workshops, tuition | [trailingthread@gmail.com](mailto:trailingthread@gmail.com) [www.thesewingschool.org.uk](http://www.thesewingschool.org.uk/) 01424 893912  07986 694114 |
| **SOLICITORS** | | |
| Barry and Co | Will writing service Lasting Power of Attorney | [info@barryandco.org](mailto:info@barryandco.org) 01323 460395 |
| Hart Reade Solicitors | Wills, Trusts, Probate, conveyancing, property, family | 01323 841481 |
| **SURVEYING** | | |
| MCA Mike Chewter Associates | Building surveying, project management, architectural services | Tudor Lodge, West End 01323 833951  07930 117578 |
| **TAXIS** | | |
| BTS Taxis (Barden Transport Services) |  | Millers Cote, Windmill Hill 01323 832455 |
| Hail-A-Cab | Local and long distance taxis | 01323 849888  07702 536760 |
| **TEXT AND SERVICES** | | |
| Text and Graphics Service (TAGS) | Church Farm Cottage | 01323 833215  07737 877444 |
| **TREE SURGEONS** | | |
| Michael Salvage | All aspects of tree surgery and felling, stump grinding, and fencing | 01323 442121 |
| Enviro Care | Tree surgery, stump removal, garden maintenance | 01323 440001 |

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| **TRUG BASKETS** | | |
| The Truggery |  | Cooper’s Croft [www.truggery.co.uk](http://www.truggery.co.uk/) 01323 832314 |
| Cuckmere Trug Company |  | Red Lion Hall, Magham Down [www.sussextrugs.com](http://www.sussextrugs.com/)  01323 871640 |
| **UPHOLSTERY** | | |
| Sussex Primrose Upholstery | Traditional and modern furniture | Unit3B Penlands Farm, Church Road, Herstmonceux [doug.payne@live.co.uk](mailto:doug.payne@live.co.uk)  07843 425156  01323 832032 |
| **WEED AND VEGETATION MANAGEMENT** | | |
| Languard | All vegetation and weed management | [www.languard.co.uk](http://www.languard.co.uk/) 01323 831965 |
| **WINDOW CLEANER** | | |
| Extreme Clean | Pure water window cleaning | David Richardson  2 Coopers Farm Cottages, Wartling 01323 832768  07530 429933 |
| Evolution Window Cleaning Services | Residential and commercial | [evolutioncleaning@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:evolutioncleaning@hotmail.co.uk) 01323 832472  07887 956007 |

# CAR PARKING

Wealden District Council operate a free car park in Herstmonceux village, behind the Woolpack Inn. Enter from West End.

# EAST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

Council services [www.eastsussex.gov.uk](http://www.eastsussex.gov.uk/) 0345 608 0190

# EAST SUSSEX ASSOCIATION OF THE BLIND AND PARTIALLY SIGHTED PEOPLE

Services for blind and partially sighted people.

[www.eastsussexblind.org](http://www.eastsussexblind.org/) [info@eastsussexblind.org](mailto:info@eastsussexblind.org) 01323 832252

# EAST SUSSEX HEARING RESOURCE CENTRE

A charity (Registered Charity No 1101140) providing a free community service.

The key aims are to:

* improve the lives of deaf and hard of hearing people.
* improve the quality of life for deaf, hard of hearing and deafblind people.
* promote their independence and lead more active lives within their local communities.

Hearing aid batteries, service and information at 11am at Herstmonceux Village Information Centre on 4th Friday each month.

Free advice, demonstrations of equipment, information and support. Please contact 01323 722505 or [www.eshrc.org.uk](http://www.eshrc.org.uk/) for more information.

# NEWSPAPER CORRESPONDENT

Please forward copy to Jenny Seale email

[j.seale.press@gmail.com](mailto:j.seale.press@gmail.com) or

01323 440567

# PUBLIC AMENITIES

Toilets open for use by members of the public under the Community Toilet Scheme can be found at:

The Brewers Arms, Gardner Street, Herstmonceux – pub opening hours Village Information Centre, Gardner Street, Herstmonceux (Monday – Friday 10am – 12.30pm)

# RECREATION

There is a recreation ground in Herstmonceux village, off Gardner Street. There are facilities for bowls, cricket, skateboarding and tennis and a children’s playground. There is a football pitch in Lime Park Recreation Area.

# RECYCLING

There are recycling bins for paper, card and glass in the car park in Herstmonceux village, behind the Woolpack Inn and The Horseshoe public house in Windmill Hill. Extensive recycling facilities are at WDC, Swan Barn, Station Road, Hailsham.

# WEALDEN DISTRICT COUNCIL

Council services [www.wealden.gov.uk](http://www.wealden.gov.uk/) 01323 443322

Opening hours 8.30am–5pm

Wealden Citizens Advice

Offices in Hailsham, Crowborough and Uckfield [www.wealdencitizensadvice.org.uk](http://www.wealdencitizensadvice.org.uk/) 03444 11444

# BED AND BREAKFAST

Stoneacre Lodge, New Road, Herstmonceux

Tel: 01323 833971

Email: lisajwaters65@gmailcom [www.](http://www/) stoneacrelodge.co.uk Free WiFi

1. x Double/Twin.

Self-contained lodge with fully-fitted kitchen. Ideal for self-catering holidays but also available on bed and breakfast basis. Decking area outside. Kitchen with table and chairs overlooking garden and fields beyond. Credit cards accepted.

Boreham House,Boreham Street

Tel: 01323 833719 Mob: 07809383482

Email: [enquires@borehamhouse.com](mailto:enquires@borehamhouse.com) [www.borehamhouse.com](http://www.borehamhouse.com/)

1. Superking / Double / Twin all ensuite Boreham House is a five star luxury bed and breakfast sitting in over 2 acres of land. All the rooms are furnished to the highest standard and have wonderfully comfortable beds as well as tea/coffee facilities and wide-screen TV’s. The Grade II listed Georgian House is close to a number of local country pubs and restaurants.

Prices on application.

Butlers Farmhouse Luxury Bed and Breakfast

Tel: 01323 833770

Email: [peter](mailto:peter.willson2@btopenworld.com)[.willson2@btopenworld.com](mailto:.willson2@btopenworld.com) [www.butlersfarmhouse.co.uk](http://www.butlersfarmhouse.co.uk/)

16th century farmhouse with beautiful garden set in 5 acres of idyllic Sussex countryside. Swimming pool for use of guests. Internet access, free Wifi, plus flat-screen TVs. Flexible breakfast times and menus in conservatory overlooking garden. Open fires in winter. Credit cards accepted.

Cleavers Lyng, Church Road, Herstmonceux

Tel: 01323 833644

Email: [cleaverslyng@btinternet.com](mailto:cleaverslyng@btinternet.com) / [www.cleaverslyng.co.uk](http://www.cleaverslyng.co.uk/)

Double / Single. All ensuite

16th Century country guest house set amidst landscaped gardens, with stunning views across unspoilt Susses countryside. Communal lounge with WIFI connnection, games and cards for loan.

Dogs welcome during off-peak times. Credit cards accepted.

Conquerors, Cowbeech Hill Tel/Fax: 01323 832446

Email: [t.short@homecall.co.uk](mailto:t.short@homecall.co.uk) [www.conquerorsbandb.co.uk](http://www.conquerorsbandb.co.uk/) Double/Twin; Family. (All ensuite and discounts offered for longer stays.) Charming single-storey home with lovely gardens in a parkland setting. Quiet location and views. Tea/Coffee-making facilities in all bedrooms. Children welcome. Wheelchair access.

Residents’ lounge.

Courtlands Farm, Cowbeech Rd, Rushlake Green

Tel: 01435 830360

Email: [info@courtlandsfarm.co.uk](mailto:info@courtlandsfarm.co.uk) [www.courtlandsfarm.co.uk](http://www.courtlandsfarm.co.uk/) Double/Twin ensuite (Two rooms) Warm Irish hospitality in this Grade II- listed rural farmhouse with great views. Guest sitting room. Open fires in winter and pretty terrace in large garden to be enjoyed in the summer.

Experience Sussex, Wimbles Farm, Foords Lane, Vines Cross, Horam Tel: 01435 810390

Email: [wimbles@experiencesussex.co.uk](mailto:wimbles@experiencesussex.co.uk) [www.experiencesussex.co.uk](http://www.experiencesussex.co.uk/)

Double / Twin plus a child’s bed 1–12years

Single

Wimbles is a family run B&B offering camping, Shepherd’s Hut, fishing, guided walks, pottery breaks, cycling and cycle hire for the South Downs NP/Cuckoo Trail, with accommodation. The oast-house, overlooking the lake is within an area of outstanding natural beauty.

Halfway House, Wartling Tel: 01323 833654

Email: [dougpochin@icloud.com](mailto:dougpochin@icloud.com) Double / Single

16th century cottage, now a family farmhouse. Farmhouse breakfast with home-grown produce. All rooms ensuite with TV and tea/coffee making facilities. Children & pets welcome.

The Olde Forge Hotel, Magham Down Tel/Fax: 01323 842893

Email: enquiries@theoldeforgehotel. co.uk

[www.theoldeforgehotel.co.uk](http://www.theoldeforgehotel.co.uk/) Double/Twin/Single All ensuite. This hotel used to be a forge and maintains the original open fires and

timber beams. TV and tea/coffee-making facilities in all rooms. Restaurant with Licensed bar. Children and dogs welcome. Major credit cards accepted.

Old Farm, Trolliloes, Cowbeech Tel: 01323 831544

Email: [sue.pollar](mailto:sue.pollard@btconnect.com)[d@btconnect.com](mailto:d@btconnect.com) Double/Twin (ensuite)

Comfortable Sussex-style farmhouse in

lovely setting with fabulous views. Short walk to village inn. Guest lounge.

Wartling Place Country Bed and Breakfast Wartling, East Sussex BN27 1RY

Tel: 01323 832590

Email: [accom@wartlingplace.co.uk](mailto:accom@wartlingplace.co.uk) [www.wartlingplace.co.uk](http://www.wartlingplace.co.uk/)

A former Georgian rectory with far- reaching views towards the Sussex Downs. Individually designed, elegant en-suite bedrooms all feature garden or

countryside aspect and offer every facility, incl. Wi-Fi, flat-screen TVs & DVD players.

In addition, set within the 3-acre gardens can be found a two-bedroom Lodge Cottage offering self-catering

accommodation, ideal for families or short breaks.

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