

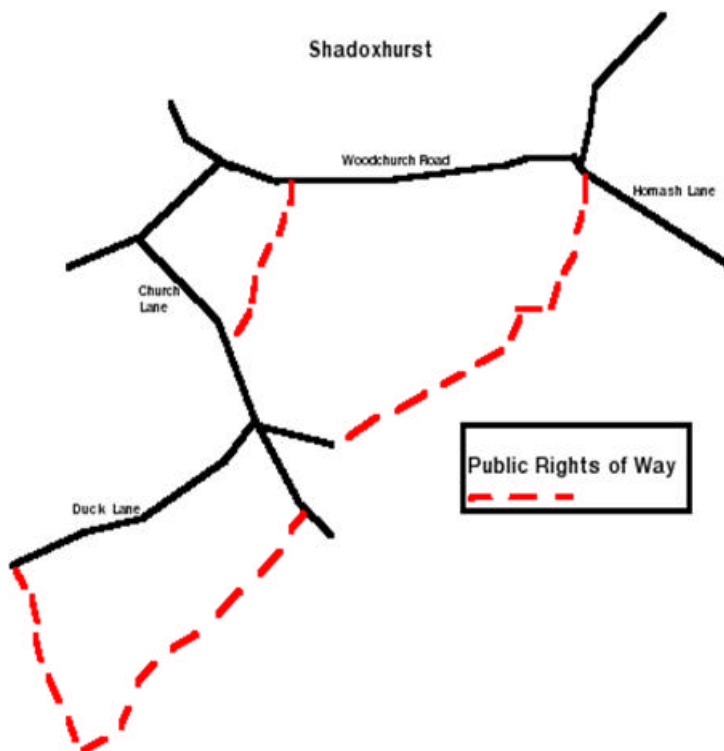
SHADOXHURST PARISH COUNCIL

QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER SPRING 2008

Two Walks in Shadoxhurst

The first walk goes from the village hall down Woodchurch Road. Enter the pub field and cross to stile on the opposite side. Follow the track through the paddock to another stile and walk behind the houses and onto Church Lane. Turn left and go down The Street and over another stile at the bottom on the left. Cross this field diagonally to yet another stile and up the left-hand edge of the field. Take the stile at the gate and walk in a straight line across the field, (usually occupied by horses), and you will find the last stile slightly hidden by bushes, the alley takes you back to the start.

The second walk starts from the crossroads by the village pump. Walk down Church Lane towards the church and over the stile opposite the church gate. Walking straight across the field, follow the footpath signs through four fields, keeping mostly to the left-hand side. Enter the last field by the stile over a brook and head towards the corner of the wood where you will see yet another stile. Follow the edge of the wood and out onto the track via another stile and turn right. At the end go through the large gate and turn right again. You are now on Duck Lane, follow the track to the farmhouse and up the road to Church Lane.



Both walks are round about 1 mile and should take the average walker about 20 minutes. If you want a longer walk combine the two routes.

Please keep to the marked footpaths to ensure you do not trespass on private land.

Shadoxhurst Rainbows is currently full but Lisa Cooper, telephone 732178, is accepting names for a waiting list for Easter or September 2008.

SHADOXHURST GARDENING CLUB

2008 SPRING SHOW

Saturday 5th April

2.30 – 4.00 pm

In the Village Hall

Raffles, Tombola, Cakes, Plants, Refreshments

Entry Free

To Book the Village Hall

Contact Mrs. Tracey Skates on 733579. Please call only after 9.00am and before 9.00pm.

Articles for inclusion in the village newsletter should be sent to the editor at info@shadoxhurst.info or in writing to the village hall post box. Cut-off date for articles for the next issue is the last week of May.

Message from your Borough Councillor, Aline Hicks

Residents may like to know that the Borough is currently holding workshops in some of the rural villages, namely those that have been identified as being suitable for expansion, to ascertain the views of residents about how their village should develop. Items already discussed include rural housing, employment sites, windfall sites and possible facilities. Many villages have already produced Village Plans and found them to be most helpful in their discussions with the Borough Planning Department. After all of the individual village consultations have taken place I have been informed that there will be a Rural Conference, to which all villages (including Shadoxhurst) will be invited to send representatives, which is likely to be in June. This will enable the smaller villages to have an input before the Borough produces its final Rural Policy.

Clubs and Societies in Shadoxhurst Village Hall

Darby and Joan club—Contact Mrs U Knott
732734

Flower Arrangers—Contact Mrs G Sim 732212

Gardening Club—Contact Mrs M Burgess 627449

Short Mat Bowls—Contact Mrs D Clear 733252

Future Scholars Nursery—Contact Sarah on
07976 515517

Karate Club—Contact Richard Nye or Megan
Williams 631905

Line Dancing—Contact Mrs B Moir 01233 628542

Shadoxhurst Scout Hut

Rainbows—Contact Lisa Cooper 732178

Guides—Contact Ms Plester 502769

Cubs—Contact Ann Driscoll 610065

Scouts—Contact G Bradford 611745

Others

Parent and Toddler Group—Contact
Lisa Cooper 732178

Village Walks—Contact Rosslyn Brady on 732747

New Police Contact

Shadoxhurst is now covered by the Tenterden Rural Neighbourhood Policing Team based at Tenterden Police Station. Telephone: 01233 896332, email: www.tenterden.neighbourhood@kent.pnn.police.uk

The officer for Shadoxhurst is PCSO Stuart Goodban and he can be contacted on 07772 226093 or email: 56481@kent.pnn.police.uk

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Village Hall

This is a reminder to all users —please take your rubbish away with you when leaving the hall, as required by the contract of hire. Thank you.

You can see more about what is going on in Shadoxhurst on our web site.

www.shadoxhurst.info