

Ringmer Parish Council Newsletter – May 2026

Fingerpost Field

Members of the Parish Council have recently met with a specialist advisor for 'Green Projects' to discuss potential strategies for improving the facilities in Fingerpost Field. An ambitious plan was presented at the April meeting for discussion and councillors agreed in principle to pursue a coordinated development of the area. During the planning process, residents, especially younger ones, will be consulted so watch this space and Parish Council social media.

LEAF (Lewes Environmental Advisory Forum)

This is a specialist interest group of local residents considering ways in which communities could be more involved in safeguarding and improving our local environment. If any Ringmer resident would like to become involved with the group please contact the Cllr. Mark Slater by email at mark.slater@lewes.gov.uk for more information.

Parish Council

We have regularly included in the Newsletter an invitation to residents to come forward to join the Parish Council. There are currently two vacancies on the Council. The current term of office will end May 2027, at which point the next four-year term will begin. We would welcome any resident interested in becoming a Ringmer Parish Councillor to contact the Clerk for more information. Contact details are as follows: clerk@ringmerparishcouncil.gov.uk or 01273 813242.

Meetings of the Council are open to residents to attend and there is an opportunity at the start of each meeting for residents to speak in relation to the business on the agenda. The next scheduled Full Council meeting is Tuesday 5th May at 7pm. Meetings are held in the Parish Rooms, Old School Close, Ringmer.

Jubilee Gardens

We have been working with Goldcliff Garden Centre to re-stock the flower beds that have been rather neglected. The task is nearly over with some work remaining on the flower bed nearest to the bus shelter. If any resident would like to help with the on-going routine maintenance of the Jubilee Gardens please contact the Clerk. Contact details are as follows: clerk@ringmerparishcouncil.gov.uk or 01273 813242.

Picnic on the Green

Following last year's popular event, the Parish Council is organising another on **Monday 31st August between 12.30 and 5.00pm**. Keep the date free.

Keeping in touch

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