



April 2026

Bringing You the Latest from Your Parish Council & Your Community Hub

***** COUNCIL OFFICE OPENING HOURS: Monday to Thursday 9am to 3pm. CLOSED Fridays*****
Please Note the Hub and Parish Council Office is closed: Friday 3rd April and Monday 6th April

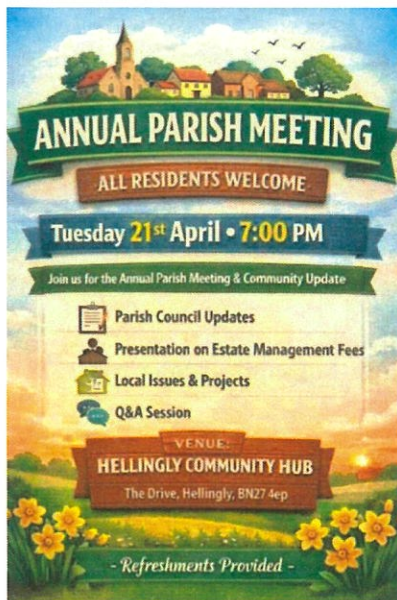
📅 Parish Council Updates & Meetings 📅

- Planning & Environment Committee Meeting – 8th April at 6:30pm
- Council Meeting – 8th April at 7:30pm
- Parish Halls Committee Meeting – 15th April at 7:00pm
- Annual Parish Council Meeting 21st April at 7:00pm
- Cemetery & Allotments Meeting – 22nd April at 7:00pm
- Planning & Environment Committee Meeting – 29th April at 7:00pm

Councillor Award Scheme

The Councillor Ward scheme will re-open in 2026-27, with effect from 1st May 2026, and each Ward Councillor will be allocated a budget of £10,000 to be able to provide funding for locally focussed community projects and initiatives that aim to improve outcomes for residents of those wards, as well as contributing to the delivery of the Council Strategy. Next year's scheme will close to applications on 28th February 2027 <https://www.wealden.gov.uk/councillors-and-committees/councillor-ward-budgets-scheme/>

Annual Parish Council Meeting – Tuesday 21st April at 7:00pm



This meeting is *for you* — the residents of our parish. It's your opportunity to hear updates, ask questions, and share your views on the issues that matter most to our community.

Whether you're new to the area or have lived here for years, your voice matters. Come along to:

- Hear from your Parish Council
- Learn about local projects and estate management
- Raise concerns and ask questions
- Connect with neighbours and enjoy refreshments

Everyone is welcome — and encouraged to attend. Let's shape the future of our parish together.

📅 Future Dates For Your Diary!!! 📅

East Sussex County Council Elections 7th May 2026

Hellingly Community Hub,
The Drive, Hellingly, BN27 4EP


Polls Open at 7am and Close at 10pm




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Weekly Groups at The Hub


 **Hellihubs Baby & Toddler Group** - A FREE relaxed social group with play activities, perfect for little ones and their grown-ups. Older siblings welcome during school holidays! No need to book, just turn up.

 Every Monday 8.30am–10am (except bank holidays)

Please note Hellihubs will return after Easter Bank Holiday on 13th April

 **Hellingly Youth Club** - Games, activities, and a safe space to hang out, and its FREE!

 Wednesdays - **Years 5–8:** 6.15pm–7.30pm **Years 8–12:** 7.45pm–9.00pm

 **Young at Heart Group** – A FREE Group for those aged 55+. Come along for friendly conversation, a warm cuppa, and fun activities. No booking required, just pop along – Mondays 10.30am-12.30pm

Please note Young At Heart Group will return after Easter Bank Holiday on 13th April

Upcoming Events this month

- **The Fame Academy Easter School Holiday Club:** Dance, Singing, Acting, Games and Arts & Crafts at the Hellingly Community Hub

2nd April = 10am – 3pm, 7th April = 10am – 3pm, 9th April = 10am – 3pm, 10th April = 10am – 3pm

To BOOK contact: 07568 075488


- **The Bad Boob Club** – Friday 10th April from 11.15am - 12:45pm
- **Fish & Chips Mobile Van**

The mobile Fish and Chip van is on site outside the Hellingly

Community Hub on the 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the Month. Serving from 4.30pm. Phone Orders Welcome: 07754 679 793

◆ 1st & 15th April 2026

◆ 6th & 20th May 2026

 For all the latest information, pick up a copy of our **What's On' Guide** from The Hub to see all events and activities happening this season.

Hire the Hub for your next Event in 2026!

Looking for a bright, modern, and cool space to host your next event? The **Hellingly Community Hub** offers:

- ✓ Fully air-conditioned rooms
- ✓ Built-in projectors and sound system in every room
- ✓ A convenient location with free parking

Perfect for: parties, classes, clubs, workshops meetings & more!

 **Find out more & book online:**  hellingly-pc.gov.uk/community-hub-and-village-hall

Foodbank Donations

The Hub will continue to be a Food Donation point for Hailsham Foodbank in 2026. All donations are always welcomed. Thank you.

