

Update on Working with Refugees in Shepway

The Thursday afternoon group run in Millfield to give support to teenage refugees continues to go really well. Please pray for all the SKCC volunteers and the refugees themselves.



Before last Christmas, SKCC and Hythe Salvation Army joined together to arrange and fund a bowling trip for around 20 refugees supported by KRAN. The cost of the bowling trip was £10 per person which included the cost of bowling, food, drink and minibus transportation. This figure came about due to a significant discount rate negotiated with the bowling alley.

The following is a report from Callum the Hythe Salvation Army Captain.

“We were a bit nervous on how it would go, as it all felt such a step into the unknown. But 26 of us went on the trip together, and it was a great opportunity for all of us to get to know each other - the individuals being supported by KRAN, the KRAN volunteers, and those who came along from SKCC and the SA. We had great fun, there were lots of conversations and we shared a meal together at the end. I think another benefit was that it seemed to give Wendy and the KRAN staff a bit of breathing space in their hectic schedule! “

A similar trip is being planned for Tuesday 22nd March and the Hythe church leaders want to show their support for this by asking members of their congregations to sponsor places on the trip.

It is also hoped to arrange some different things to happen later in the year.

The churches in Hythe (including SKCC) have joined together to run a prayer group - Hythe Churches Refugee Response (HCRR). This meets every Monday between 8-8.30 p.m. at Hythe United Reformed Church.

All are welcome.

Inclusions for next week's news-sheet should be passed to the church office — by 6.00 p.m. on Wednesday 2nd March

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Sunday 28th February 2016

A warm welcome to any visitors with us this morning; we look forward to getting to know you.



THIS AFTERNOON 18-25's Group: @ Willetts House, Sandling Road, Saltwood. 4 - 6 p.m. prior to Mexico meeting. Food provided.

Tuesday 1st March SKCC Family Update:

12.30 p.m. at Millfield or 8.00 p.m. at The Gate, Hythe

Please make one of these times a priority



Prayer Opportunities this week:

Please feel free to join any of the times listed below. You would be very welcome.

Sunday	9.55 a.m.	Room MA3 Pent Valley
Monday	1.45 p.m.	65 St Leonard's Road, Hythe
Tuesday	9.30 a.m.	SKCC Office, Folkestone
Thursday	7.00 a.m.	49 Orchard Valley, Hythe



Pray for the SKCC Assemblies Team in Hythe Bay, Saltwood, St Eanswyth and St Martin's.



PRAYER

If you would like someone to pray with you, please speak today's host or one of the leadership team.

WELCOME LEAFLETS

If you are a visitor, please feel free to take a leaflet from the table at the back of the hall.

OFFERING

An offering will be taken as part of our worship. Gift Aid envelopes are available at the back of the hall.

Our vision is... To demonstrate God's Kingdom in community - at home and away.

GIVING

ENJOYING

IMPACTING

CULTIVATING

INSPIRING

DIARY DATES & EVENTS

February

Monday 29th Bereavement Awareness (2nd of 3 sessions)
7.45 - 9.00 p.m. at 11 St Hilda's Road, Cheriton.

March

Wednesday 2nd Older Folk Coffee Morning at Irene Astor Court (St John's Street, Folkestone, CT20 1TZ) 10.30 a.m. come along for a chat, cuppa & home made cake.

Wednesday 2nd  at Hannah Haines' home: 7.30 p.m.

Friday 4th Women's World Day of Prayer:

Hythe	2.00 p.m.	The Salvation Army
Folkestone	10.30 a.m.	Folkestone Baptist Church
	2.30 p.m.	St Andrew's Methodist Church
	8.00 p.m.	Sandgate Road Methodist Church



Saturday 5th SKCC Social with music from across the eras - 1960's, - 1990's
7.30 - 10.30 p.m. at Lyminge Village Hall with live music by 'Ron & Ash'.

We hope you will join us in 'fancy dress' for a fun night. Tickets available now!

Monday 6th Bereavement Awareness (3rd of 3 sessions)
7.45—9.00 p.m. at 11 St Hilda's Road, Cheriton.

Friday 11th Coffee Morning @ The Gate, 10.00 a.m. - 12 noon.



April

Saturday 23rd SKCC Ladies Afternoon Tea
(book this date - more details to follow)



Mexico collecting boxes - Please can you return your boxes to Joyce by next Sunday (6th March). Thank you



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Mike Mulcahy is planning to go
and is willing to fill his car with
others who might also like to go.

SCHOOL ASSEMBLY TEAM

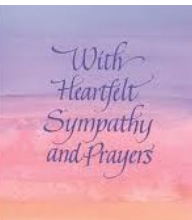
Barney is looking for volunteers to help with assemblies at local primary schools on Wednesday & Thursday mornings during term time. Please could you let him know if this is something you could be involved with. Many thanks.



Please remember Ade, Sarah, Bryony, Madoc and Seren Griffin as they make the final preparations for their return to the UK on Thursday (3rd March)

Please also pray for John Fudge whose work for Urban Saints takes him to The Gambia for the next two weeks.

Thank you - Derek & Jan Halliwell would like to say a big thank you for all the prayers recently offered regarding Jan's bout of atrial fibrillation. Last Wednesday the doctor declared that Jan's heart had "jumped back to normal."
We give thanks and praise to God.



Our love and sympathy goes out to Christina Hayhurst on the death of her father last Sunday after a short illness. Please remember Christina and her mother in yours prayers as they come to terms with their loss.