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ENGLAND



➔ Come & see us,
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Kent County Show!
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➔ The newest
edition of Kent's
Finest is available
NOW! Pick yours
up at the show.



➔ Impress this summer with a BBQ course from Kent Cookery School

If you want to impress this Summer why not book onto one of the many Weber BBQ courses held at The Kent Cookery School in Mersham, Ashford. Say goodbye to burnt sausages and undercooked chicken and hello to confident BBQ cooking, smoked beef, sage and mushroom risotto, flatbreads, spicy chicken wings and delicious seabass. More information on dishes and prices, as well as booking, is available online.

If BBQ cooking is not your thing, The Kent Cookery School has something for everyone this Summer, from Chefs Tables to Vietnamese & Sushi classes you are sure to find something exciting to learn.

kentcookeryschool.co.uk
01233 501771



➔ Old English Pudding Flavoured Ice Creams Made with The Brogdale Collection



Simply Ice Cream and Brogdale Fine Fruits have partnered to create a range of unique flavours based on the finest Brogdale produce.

The specially created ice creams make the Collection fruit the champion and allow natural flavours to shine, including Apple Crumble, Rhubarb and Custard, Cherry Pie and Cherry Blossom sell for £2 a tub in Brogdale's fruit shop, Faversham.

"We choose Simply Ice Cream as it is beautifully creamy and tastes like real ice cream should." said Brogdale's Mandy Woodyatt.

simplyicecream.co.uk brogdalecollections.org

SEVEN KENT WINERIES LAUNCH THE WINE GARDEN OF ENGLAND



The Wine Garden of England represents the diversity of top quality producers and wineries in Kent – a partnership of seven wineries collectively committed to creating

a world-class wine trail. United by their passion for winemaking and desire to welcome visitors, this is a wine partnership unlike any other. From the game-changers who are shaping the future of English wine to stylish boutique wineries and historic businesses steeped in tradition, each has a fascinating story to share, and an incredible visitor experience to offer. The founding members of the Wine Garden of England are: Biddenden Vineyards, Chapel Down, Domaine Evremond, Gusbourne, Hush Heath Estate, Simpsons Wine Estate and Squerryes.

winegardenofengland.co.uk

➔ Grenville Allen completes Lost Art

Thanks to a power cut I had no social media distractions one day so was able to get on and finish a painting I began at 17. I found the artwork in a cupboard where it had been languishing for 45 years. That's my father's Jag on the drive and our postie Bill with cap and long trousers. NB half-drawn blue curtains to my teenage bedroom, creating a moody ambience. Behind those curtains would have been Bolan, Zeppelin, Bowie et al playing away on a record player! Now miraculously we've been able to take limited edition giclées from this painting that was almost lost forever.



grenvilleallen.com

➔ BRC Global Food Safety Standard are Updating



Summer is certainly hotting up and with it brings the publication of the BRC Global Standard for Food Safety Issue 8 on 1st August 2018. The development of Issue 8 involved international stakeholders representing all aspects of the

food industry. The updated standard incorporates key emerging issues and requirements of the food industry.

As of 1st February 2019, food and drink manufacturing sites will need to comply with Issue 8 of the standard. If you need support in transitioning to issue 8 or support with SALSA, please get in touch

[@finefoodcon](http://finefoodconsultancy.co.uk)
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➔ Awards all round for Owlets

Owlet have been growing fruit and making juices for over 30 years. As one of the first apple growers to diversify into fruit juice, they have had plenty of time to establish a brand renowned for consistently high quality and superb flavour.

With a 2018 Taste of Kent Award already to their name, Owlet are proud to announce that a Kent juice producer that has won this year's National Apple Juice Competition!

With a 1st place in both the Blended Apple and Mixed fruit categories, as well as a second, Owlet will be awarded this year's trophy at the National Fruit Show.

owletfruitjuice.co.uk



➔ Old Dairy win another CAMRA award - Kent Green Hop Beer



Old Dairy Brewery were proudly presented with another CAMRA award a few weeks ago by West Kent CAMRA Branch. The branch visited the brewery in Tenterden, had a tour and presented them with the award for Kent Green Hop Beer for their 'Green Horn' beer. Green Hop Beer is made with fresh green hops

as opposed to dried hops which are traditionally used. The competition was held at the CAMRA Spa Valley Railway Beer Festival back in October. The certificate was presented to the Head Brewer, Wes Lynch by Iain Dalgleish from West Kent CAMRA branch.

olddairybrewery.com

➔ The Wonky Parsnip

Summer is in full swing down at Horton Farm in Chartham, and we now have around 100 different weird and wonderful things growing on our little farm! You may see us about at farmers markets across Kent, or pop down to our on site honesty shop and make an order to be picked fresh for you! We are also busy working with chefs and caterers across the county who are doing an amazing job working our cool Kentish produce onto their menus.



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➔ Cliftonville's Viking Gallery Available for Hire

Foodie owner Pamela Price is working to install a new kitchen as well as judging Great Taste Awards! Cliftonville and the surrounding Northdown Road continue to attract young professional and artistic people which gives the area a good boho vibe with interesting neighbouring businesses, plant based food outlets, cafes, galleries, coffee, wine, vintage and yoga are all on offer.

So a definite upturn in the demographics and we look forward to hosting more exhibitions, workshops, film shoots, receptions and tasting events later in the summer season. Our hire charges are reasonable, our space is awesome and we have a liquor licence. Use us!

vikinggallery.co.uk



WHAT'S ON?



➔ Tonbridge & Aylesford FM

In summer the county's farmers' markets are at their peak with fantastic produce and hopefully good weather. There's not a better time to eat Kentish produce and these markets are one of the best places to find it.

There are some great markets in Kent, and Tonbridge & Aylesford are among the best. There are cooking demos every month involving producers from the market and our host Matthew Kearsley-Lawson.

Tonbridge Farmers' Market - 2nd Sunday of every month, 9.30am - 1.30pm, Long Stay Car Park, Sovereign Way TN9 1RG

Aylesford Farmers' Market - 3rd Sunday of every month, 9.30am - 1.30pm, Grounds of Aylesford Priory, ME20 7BX

tonbridgefarmersmarket.co.uk



➔ Brogdale Cider Festival – 25 & 26 August

Get in the Festival spirit with at Brogdale Collections Cider Festival, in Faversham this August bank holiday. Enjoy the sunshine and all the festival fun with over 50 local ciders to try! With live music across 3 stages all weekend and the cider barn packed with delicious ciders to taste, it definitely the best way to kick off the bank holiday fun.

Entertainment for the whole family & activities plus talks, demonstrations and more. Take a ride on the miniature railway or enjoy tractor trailer tour of the orchards.

Find out more at brogdalecollections.org



➔ Play spot the difference at Spadework

It's not just the menu that's changed in Spadework's Café in Offham. Regular visitors, already impressed by the new dishes featuring home grown and locally sourced ingredients, have also been delighted by improvements to the café space.

Mix and match furniture, an injection of colour and large patio doors which offer views over the garden centre and allow the daylight to flood in. Other improvements to come include a new outdoor seating area, a new barista style coffee machine and even a name change! So, if you haven't visited for a while, do pop in for coffee or lunch. We guarantee you'll notice the difference and don't forget to spread the word!

spadework.net

➔ Marshmallow Heaven Create Vegan Range

Marshmallow Heaven have created a vegan marshmallow which was launched on the 5th of June in Fortnum & Mason, Piccadilly, London. Available also online, there will be 3 great flavours to choose from and they will be priced the same as our original mallows. The artisan mallows are naturally made using Aquafaba as a base combined with a secret recipe of non animal setting agents that replace the usual gelatine. During taste tests, they have been exciting the vegan confectionery lover and as far as we are aware there are no other companies in the UK creating a Vegan mallow to this standard.

The range will be available to buy from Fortnum & Mason and the Marshmallow Heaven website:

marshmallowheaven.org



➔ Stained Glass Poppies to Commemorate Centenary of the End of the Great War

Adrian is one half of the Cupcakes n' Crafts team and is a stained glass artisan, having trained at Kingfisher Glass on Romney Marsh.

Adrian has been working with stained glass for over eight years and with 2018 being the centenary of the end of the Great War, Adrian is busy making stained glass poppies to commemorate the occasion.

These have, in the past, been sold via the Royal British Legion Community Hub in Aylesford, and can always be found on Cupcakes n' Crafts stall at events they attend. A £1.00 donation per poppy is donated to the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal.

cupcakesncrafts.co.uk

➔ Looking for a summer activity that works for children, adults and dogs?

Gusbourne, the award-winning wine estate in Appledore, Kent, have introduced a self-guided walking tour in time for the holidays this year. Stop in at Gusbourne's tasting room, the Nest, to collect a map and take the dog (and the kids) for a walk around the beautiful vineyards, learning about the flora and fauna that you pass. Then return to the Nest to reward yourself with a glass of wine overlooking the vines.

The tour is free, but donations in support of local charities are welcome.

Gusbourne, Kenardington Road, Appledore, Ashford, Kent TN26 2BE

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nest@gusbourne.com
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Biddenden Shortlisted for Two Awards

The finalists for the Kent Excellence in Business Awards (KEiBA) have been announced, with Biddenden Vineyards shortlisted as finalists in two categories; Family Business of the Year and Tourism & Leisure Business of the Year.

The awards are the county's leading event to recognise excellence in Kent's businesses. This year saw a record number of entries, with over 329 entries across 16 categories. Having undergone an in depth entry process, followed by interviews with the judges from both categories, there are now just three finalists in each – the winners of which will be announced at the awards dinner on 21st June 2018.

biddendenvineyards.com

➔ Hinxden Milk Delivered to your Door

Hinxden Farm Dairy has been delivering Farm Fresh Pasteurised Milk in glass and plastic bottles for over 30 years. Though in recent months, requests for deliveries in glass bottles have increased considerably - possibly thanks to David Attenborough's 'Blue Planet 2'!

Our herd of 250 milking cows, are now out grazing the lush grass to provide milk, cream, yogurt, crème fraiche and cheese which is delivered to doorsteps within a 10 mile radius of Benenden.

Wholesale deliveries stretch across Kent and East Sussex.

Sample our produce and enjoy a milkshake at local food/ village fairs!

hinxdenfarmdairy.co.uk 01580 240685



➔ Summer has arrived and so has the new terrace

Since opening, The Weald Smokery café extension has been well received, Andrew Wickham, owner says "it is most encouraging because customers are returning and making positive comments, both to myself and on social media." The extension is a light and airy room, known as The Kiln Room and it is an ideal place to sample some of the Great Taste Gold Award winning products which are traditionally produced on the premises in their log fired kilns and the other delicious food sold in their delicatessen shop.

wealdsmokery.co.uk



➔ Beauty and the Beast themed Afternoon Teas at Bessie's Tea Parlour

The menu, designed on a magic mirror, includes croissants, teapot sandwiches and croque monsieur pinwheels. Sweet treats include Mrs Potts, Cogsworth or Beast enchanted biscuits, a Belle inspired cake and a delicious Brownie, topped with the 'Grey stuff'. No afternoon tea would be complete without scone, clotted cream and jam and for this we are serving Raspberry, vanilla and rose geranium jam.

In addition to our varied tea menu, we serve a special French Fancy Tea - with a Mrs Potts teapot of course.

Additional dates will be advertised via social media. Come, be our guest.

bessiesteaparlour.co.uk



➔ The Ever Evolving Wooden Spoon

The Wooden Spoon has long established itself as a small but forward-thinking company. We are situated in a beautiful rural location in Wye, Kent and enjoy being an integral part of our local community. Being part of the Produced in Kent group, we find ourselves involved in many local events and farmers markets. The company is ever evolving with a passion for

the development of new concepts and products combining the traditional and innovative new flavours. Soon we shall be introducing new products and labels into our brand. We pride ourselves in the production of unique preserves and bottled fruits using locally sourced produce where possible.

thewoodenspoon.co.uk



➔ New Additions to Jenni Rogers' Collection

As the event season kicks off, Jenni is thoroughly enjoying being out and about at various events around the county selling her beautiful handmade jewellery. This year she's been adding some beautiful new stones to her collection, and is very excited to show them off over the summer! Follow her on Facebook to find out where to find her!

[f/Jenni-Rogers-jewellery](https://www.facebook.com/Jenni-Rogers-jewellery)

➔ Best UK Market Award to West Malling Farmers Market

West Malling Farmers Market collected the award for Best UK Market in the Farm Shop and Deli Awards 2018 on 18th April 2018. The Award was presented by Nigel Barden at a ceremony which took place in Birmingham at the NEC. Lenham Country Market received a Commended Award in the same category. Some of the customer comments the judges received about West Malling Farmers Market included "Fantastic market in a wonderful location, great variety of stalls and friendly atmosphere." West Malling Farmers Market held on the 4th Sunday of each month from 9.30 to 1.30.

myfarmersmarket.co.uk



➔ The tale continues for the Canterbury Ales

The Friar's Ale is the newest addition to the Canterbury Ales' core range. It is brewed with East Kent Goldings from Brenley and Jester, one of the newest breed of hop from west Kent. Jester is becoming well known for its bright fruity flavours and fresh hoppy aroma. Dry hopping, a process of adding additional hops near the end of the fermentation, brings incredible hoppy aromas to the beer. Recently launched at the Unicorn Inn in Canterbury, the beer is widely available from July.

canterbury-ales.co.uk



➔ Blended Therapies supplying the National Trust for 10 years!

Spring and summer always bring lots of orders from our National Trust properties so we are busy making and filling jars with our popular therapeutic creams and enjoy hand delivering most of the orders. What a great excuse to visit such beautiful places in Kent as Sissinghurst and Ightham

Mote. It is always a pleasure to visit the properties to meet our customers on our demonstration days, a very civilised day out! Blended Therapies are very proud to have been selling with the National trust in Kent and beyond for 10 years.

blendedtherapies.co.uk



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