

Dear All,

You may be aware that, over the last two years, I have been attending meetings as a member of the *Ringmore Parish Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group*. In this role, I've been doing my best to represent the interests of Challaborough residents. The Neighbourhood Plan has now progressed to the point of a first draft but before this is finalised I felt it would be useful for you to be brought up to date with its main points and give you an opportunity to air your views and confirm that we're getting it right.

Once completed and approved, the Neighbourhood Plan will act as a guide to the planning authorities wherever decisions need to be made on planning applications and on proposals for new developments. So, it will be an important influence on how Challaborough and the rest of Ringmore Parish will look and feel over coming years.

You are invited to an informal evening get-together, <u>for those living in Ringmore Parish</u>, ie on the west side of the stream, **at 7pm on 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2019, at The Broch, Challaborough**.

After a bit of socialising, I'll briefly outline the various sections of the Neighbourhood Plan and draw your views on what has been proposed thus far. Your comments on anything that has been missed out would also be very welcome. Your opinions will then be fed back to the Steering Group.

Looking forward to seeing you there,

Malcolm

(The Broch, Challaborough)

