

Bob Bowdler & Susan Stedman

Your Local Choice for
Horam & Punnetts Town

■ Ensuring your voice is heard
at Wealden District Council



 **Vote Conservative**

BOB BOWDLER

■ I was first elected for Heathfield East in May 2015, and I believe together we have had some great results. We didn't win all the battles, but we have won our fair share. I was also elected to the county council in 2017, which is an added bonus for residents as it allows for direct access to key decision makers.

My background is principally military; I was a career soldier and locally-based businessman. I know this area extremely well and it is home to all my close family. In my spare time I am a musician and with friends in 'El Banda Burros' we support and raise funds for the Heathfield-based youth charity 'Wealden Works'.

With your support I will be able to continue my work with Wealden and the county council on your behalf.



SUSAN STEDMAN

■ Since I was first elected for Horam in 2003, I have worked closely with Horam Parish Council and residents, on various issues. There are several road safety concerns, not least the layout of the new roundabout; there is also a need for a further safe crossing-place within the village.

I am an experienced councillor and promise to work on your behalf during a period of change. Over the past years I have initiated and worked on a number of projects that have brought a positive contribution to the village.

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on Thursday 2 May



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LOCAL BOUNDARY CHANGES CREATE OUR NEW WARD

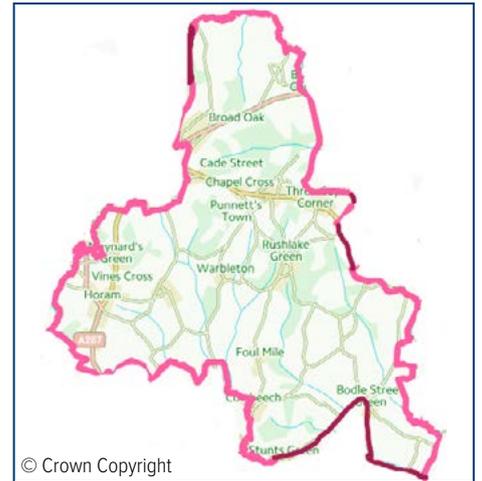
Amalgamating the two electoral wards for Wealden District Council, previously known as Heathfield East and Horam, has created the new ward of Horam and Punnetts Town to be represented by two district councillors.

This new ward encompasses Broad Oak, Cade Street, Marle Green, Horam, Coggers Cross, Punnetts

Town, Rushlake Green, Vines Cross, Warbleton, and a northern section of Herstmonceux.

The District Council will in future have 45 councillors rather than 55.

Parish boundaries are unaffected, as are the two Parliamentary constituencies of Wealden and Bexhill & Battle, used for General Elections.



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SCHOOL CROSSING

This year I have given the campaign for a safer school crossing in Punnetts Town my full support, in the hope that in these times of financial constraints, we can find some way to fund this much-needed facility, which will also serve the Medical Centre, Village Hall and the sports fields.

Speedwatch teams have been introduced to these villages and have already made a positive impact on through traffic. I am constantly fighting to maintain the character of the AONB whilst also providing for future generations.

Bob



SUPPORTING OUR LOCAL BUSINESSES

Growth brings fresh business opportunities and we want to help local residents take full advantage.

We will insist that delivery of the promised infrastructure takes priority with the county council and other providers, eg water, NHS, and broadband.

Meanwhile post offices services are available in Heathfield, Broad Oak and in Rushlake Green Village Stores.

Bob & Susan



DEVELOPMENT

Horam faces growth on a scale not seen since the 1970/80s. Whilst concern is raised about loss of green space, the new housing allocations will see a marked increase in one and two-bedroom dwellings.

Delivered as either 'open market' or affordable housing units, they will enable first-time buyers and down-sizers alike to make Horam their home. Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) and other charges made to developers, will go towards the infrastructure needed to support this expansion.

Susan

6 Good reasons to Vote Conservative on May 2nd

1 LOW COUNCIL TAX

We have kept council tax in Wealden as low as possible whilst maintaining services.

2 ROAD SAFETY

We have supported road safety measures and improvements across Wealden.

3 HIGH STREETS

We work to keep our town and village high streets vibrant; they help to make Wealden, Wealden.

4 HOUSING

In Wealden we have supported infrastructure investment and taken a balanced view on new housing

5 FREE PARKING

Wealden remains one of the few districts that does not charge for off-street parking.

6 COMMUNITY

Together we are two strong voices, speaking out for our rural community across Parish, District and County councils.

Polling Stations on May 2nd are open from 7am to 10pm