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CHAIR'S ENGAGEMENTS 21 July-28 September 2011

Saturday 23 July	12.00 pm-1.00 pm	Chair: To attend Telscombe and Peacehaven local community Summer Fayre
Tuesday 26 July	12.15 pm-13.30 pm	Chair: To attend St James's Trust Luncheon Club for lunch and to meet the volunteers, helpers, disabled and elderly for which St James's Trust provides a service.
Saturday 30 July	11.15 am-2.30 pm	Chair: To attend Lark in the Park local community event. The Chair will inaugurate the event by planting a tree with the Mayor of Peacehaven, Councillor Phil Howson, and the young Mayors from the District. Visit to the different community groups taking part including the Bowls club where Councillor Russell will roll the first ball.
Tuesday 2 August	12.30 pm-13.15 pm	Chair: To officially open Art Wave Festival at the All Saints Centre in Lewes. Venues across the district take part in this visual art festival, organised by Lewes District Council and now in its 18th year. Over 100 venues and more than 400 artists are taking part.
Tuesday 9 August	8:30 pm-9:00 pm	Chair: To attend candle lit vigil to commemorate victims of Nagasaki in the Peace Gardens, Crouch Gardens, Seaford
Saturday 13 August	2.00 pm-3.00 pm	Chair: To attend Peacehaven Horticultural Society Summer Show and to present winning prizes. To take place at the Meridian Community Hall, Peacehaven.

Sunday 14 August	12.30 pm-4.00 pm	Chair: To attend Reception followed by Memorial Service to commemorate the Raid on Dieppe. A Memorial Service will be held at the Canadian Memorial, Newhaven. Attended by representatives from the Canadian High Commissioner, Canadian Veterans Association of the UK, Royal British Legion, Mayor of Newhaven, the Mayor of Dieppe, local school children, and Newhaven Town Council.
Thursday 18 August	6.30 pm-9.00 pm	Vice Chair: To attend Seaford in Bloom awards ceremony to receive award on behalf of Lewes District Council. The site that won the award is Micklefield Way, Seaford, managed by the Parks and Cemeteries Division. The ceremony will be held in Deans Place Hotel, Alfriston.
Thursday 18 August	11.00 am-10.00 pm	Chair: To attend the Raid on Dieppe commemorations in France. Memorial services taking place at Plage de Puy, the cemetery in Vertus and Square du Canada in Dieppe.
Friday 19 August	8.30 am-9.00 pm	As above see additional information attached for details of commemoration
Sunday 21 August	1.30 pm-2.30 pm	Chair: To open the Summer Fun Garden Party and Fete at Downlands Court. Organised by the Friends of Downlands.
Wednesday 24 August	2.00 pm-4.00 pm	Chair: To attend official opening of St George's Park new bowling green at the retirement village, Ditchling.
Monday 5 September	10.30 am-12.00 pm	Chair: To host the launch of the Lewes Heritage Open Days leaflet to be attended by the Chair of English Heritage Baroness Andrews.
Thursday 8 September	5.30 pm-6.30 pm	Chair: To attend reception hosted by the Mayor of the City of Brighton and Hove, Councillor Anne Meadows.
Friday 9 September	7.30 pm-9.00 pm	Chair: To attend talk at Anne of Cleves House organised by the Friends of Lewes. Illustrated talk by Helen Poole.

Sunday 11 September	10.55 am-5.00 pm	Chair: To officially open the annual commemorative Battle of Britain event at Newhaven Fort.
Saturday 17 September	10.00 am-11.00 am	Chair: to attend the Official Opening of Seaford Photographic Society Annual Exhibition in the Crypt Gallery, Seaford
Sunday 18 September	2.00 pm-4.00 pm	Chair: To attend Royal Airforce Association Seahaven Branch Battle of Britain Service and Parade. Includes a wreath laying service at the War Memorial in Seaford. Battle of Britain Memorial Fly Past.
Tuesday 27 September	2.00 pm-3.30 pm	Chair: To attend NHS AGM, which will report on the achievements of staff, partners and members of the community in improving the health of our population. Pelham House, Lewes.