



Kent Building Preservation Trust  
144-146 Bridge Street, Wye, Ashford, TN25 5DP

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### List of Helpful Organisations

**Last updated: June 1998**

#### Name of Organisation

#### What it does

##### **Ancient Monuments Society**

St. Anne's Vestry Hall  
2 Church Entry  
London EC4V 5HB  
**Tel: 0171 236 3934**  
Fax: 0171 329 3677

studies and campaigns for conservation of historic buildings and monuments advises local authorities on listed building consent applications.

##### **British Lime Association**

156 Buckingham Palace Road  
London SW1W 9TR  
**Tel: 0171 730 8194**  
Fax: 0181 519 3444  
E-Mail: [quarry/products.association@virgin.net](mailto:quarry/products.association@virgin.net)

trade association for the lime industry

##### **British Wood Preserving & Damp-Proofing Association**

Building No. 6, The Office Village  
4 Romford Place, Stratford  
London EC15 4EA  
**Tel: 0181 519 2588**  
Fax: 0181 519 3444  
E-Mail: [bupda@uk.co.uk](mailto:bupda@uk.co.uk)

trade association for the wood preservation and damp proofing industries

##### **Brooking Collection**

University of Greenwich  
Oakfield Lane,  
Dartford, Kent DA1 2SZ  
**Tel: 0181 331 9897**  
Fax: 0181 331 9305

a comprehensive collection of architectural details such as windows, doors, fanlights, bootscrapers, and wooden mouldings from the last five centuries. Access by appointment

##### **Building Crafts & Conservation Trust**

Kings Gate, Dover Castle  
Dover, Kent  
**Tel: 01304 225066**  
Fax: 01304 225066  
Mobile: 01227 451 795

provides training in traditional building skills for the conservation of historic buildings for building professionals



**Charities Aid Foundation**

Kings Hill Avenue  
West Malling  
Kent ME19 4TA

**Tel: 01732 520000**

Fax: 01732 520001

www.charitynet.org.\caf

**publishes the Director of Grant-making  
Trusts**

**Construction History Society**

c/o Chartered Institute of Building  
Englemere, Kings Ride  
Ascot, Berkshire

**Tel: 013446 30700**

Fax: 013446 30777

E-Mail: reception@ciob.org.uk

Web Site: www.ciob.org.uk

**focuses attention on the history of buildings,  
construction techniques and builders**

**English Heritage**

Fortress House  
23 Saville Row  
London W1X 1AB

**Tel: 0171 973 3000**

**South East Team: 0171 973 3755**

Fax: 0171 973 3001

Web Site: <http://www.english-heritage.org.uk>

**official body advising government on historic  
building matters. Grant schemes and  
publications on repair.**

**English Nature**

**Kent Team**

The Countryside Management Centre  
Coldharbour Farm  
Wye, Ashford  
Kent TN25 5DB

**Tel: 01233 812525**

Fax: 01233 812520

Web site: <http://www.english-nature.org.uk>

**official body advising government on nature  
conservation issues; promotes conservation  
of wildlife and habitats**

**Georgian Group**

6 Fitzroy Square  
London W1P 6DN

**Tel: 0171 387 1720**

Fax: 0171 387 1721

**campaigns on behalf of Georgian buildings,  
monuments etc. Publishes booklets on  
range of conservation issues.**

**Heritage Lottery Fund**

7 Holbein Place  
London SW1W 8NR

**Tel: 0171 591 6000**

Fax: 0171 591 6001

**official body distributing lottery money as  
for historic building repair, museums,**



**Historic Houses Association**

2 Chester Street  
London SW1X 7BB  
Tel: 0171 259 5688

national body of owners of large historic houses, gardens, etc. Campaigns on issues (e.g., grant and taxation) of concern.

**Institution of Structural Engineers**

11 Upper Belgrave Street  
London SW1X 8BH  
Tel: 0171 235 4535  
Fax: 0171 235 4294  
E-Mail: [istucte.lon@mail.bogo.co.uk](mailto:istucte.lon@mail.bogo.co.uk)

professional body of structural engineers

**Kent Wildlife Trust**

Tyland Barn  
Sandling  
Maidstone  
Kent ME14 3BD  
Tel: 01622 662012  
Fax: 01622 671390  
E-Mail: [kentwildlife@cix.compulink.co.uk](mailto:kentwildlife@cix.compulink.co.uk)

campaigns for wildlife and habitat conservation. Manages nature reserves. Has a programme of activities.

**Royal Commission on the Historical Monuments of England**

National Monuments Record Centre  
Kemble Drive  
Swindon  
Wiltshire SN2 2GZ  
Tel: 01793 414600  
Fax: 01793 414606  
E-Mail: [info@rchm.gov.uk](mailto:info@rchm.gov.uk)  
Web Site: [www.rchme.gov.uk](http://www.rchme.gov.uk)

official archive of England's historic buildings: the National Monuments Record

**Royal Institute of British Architects**

66 Portland Place  
London W1N 4AD  
Tel: 0171 580 5533 Fax: 0171 255 1541  
E-Mail: [KeithRobinson@inst.riba.org](mailto:KeithRobinson@inst.riba.org)  
Web Site: <http://www.riba.org>

professional institution of architects in the UK

**Royal Institute of Architects (S.E. Branch)**

17 Grovenor Road  
Tunbridge Wells  
Kent TN1 2DU  
Tel: 01892 515878  
Fax: 01892 513865  
E-Mail: [Region@riba-se.invictanet.co.uk](mailto:Region@riba-se.invictanet.co.uk)



**Society for the Protection of Ancient Buildings (SPAB)**

37 Spital Street  
London E1 6DY  
**Tel: 0171 377 1644**  
Fax: 0171 247 5296

campaigns for appropriate care and repair of historic buildings also advises local authorities and government on listed building

**Thatching Advisory Services Ltd**

Faircross Offices  
Stratfield Saye  
Reading  
Berks RE7 2BT  
**Tel: 01256 880 828**

information and advice on thatching and insurance

**National Society of Master Thatchers**

73 Hughenden Avenue  
Downley  
Bucks HP13 5SG  
**Tel: 01494 443198**

information on thatching

**UPKEEP**

Room 203, South Bank University  
202 Wandsworth Road  
London SW8 2JZ  
**Tel: 0171 815 7212**  
Fax: 0171 815 7213

provides courses in maintenance of all types of building – not just historic ones. Has a permanent exhibition

**Victorian Society**

1 Priory Gardens  
Bedford Park  
London W4 1TT  
**Tel: 0181 994 1019**  
Fax: 0181 995 4895

campaigns for Victoria buildings and organises activities and visits. Consulted by local authorities on listed building applications affecting Victorian/Edwardian buildings

