## THE ROYAL OAK AND BELL CONSTRUCTION DONATE CHRISTMAS TREE

The Mayor of Lydd, Cllr Martin Sweeney, and Members and staff of Lydd Town Council would like to express their gratitude on behalf of the community of Lydd to The Royal Oak, Park Street, Lydd and Bell Construction (South East) who have jointly donated the money to pay for the Christmas tree which was installed in the grounds of All Saints' Church on the morning of Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December.

For many years the CPTA (Cinque Ports Training Area) had each year donated a Christmas tree to Lydd Town Council which was cut down and transported and installed by Landmarc support services in the grounds of All Saints' Church.

Over the last few years, it had become increasingly difficult for them to find a suitable tree as the area had been cleared and an orchard of fruit trees planted. This year the tree was purchased from a Christmas tree farm and the cost was £500 for a Nordmann fir tree.

We are delighted to say that Councillor Darren Chapman gave the wonderful news to the Town Clerk that The Royal Oak and Bell Construction (South East) would like to sponsor the tree for the community of Lydd this year.

Sharon Chapman from The Royal Oak and Hayley Bell from Bell Construction (South East) are shown photographed with the tree. The banner was donated by Top Banana Services.