

Sall, Saul or Salle

The name of the village; we all pronounce it the same but how do you spell it? The title gives three ways but since the Domesday book to date it has also been recorded as Salla, Saulle, Sawle, Psalle, Sal and Saal. The most frequent spelling (particularly during the middle ages) was Salle. It would seem that the 'e' was dropped during the sixteenth century and this spelling persisted until the early part of the twentieth century. The Rev. F. Lillingstone who was Rector from 1902–1909 revived the spelling with a final 'e'; during the 1930s it was felt that this spelling was gaining vogue and perhaps today it is now generally accepted that it is Salle.

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