Welcome

Welcome to our 6th and final Village Hub information leaflet (print date 6th July) The minimum Royal Mail delivery service was for 7,704 leaflets and over the last 13 weeks we have got our Money's worth!. The first delivery back at the end of March was done by a nameless hero, as the Royal Mail service took a while to start.

The Hub continues - If you need help or know somebody who might, the email and phone service is still being monitored and we will connect you to a nearby neighbour. Thank you to all those wonderful volunteers who have stepped forward.

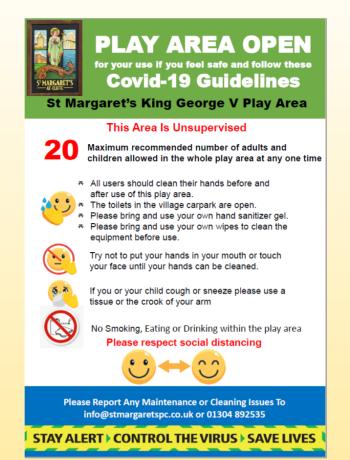
Celia from the Post Office, VJ from the Village Shop and Hannah from Sandra's all asked the Council to forward their thanks to their faithful customers. All three of these institutions stayed open throughout the whole lockdown. Let's thank them!

They also have copies of previous leaflets and our VE day celebration booklet.

New Ideas: Your Council do not have a magic wand or unlimited resources. If you have a wonderful idea – e.g. change of use of telephone box, skate park, memorial for lockdown,. we may be able to point YOU in the right direction for YOU to make things happen. Feel empowered!

We are all in this together

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<u>Play area</u> was opened 6th July. If we all follow the guidelines above (may change as advice evolves); take responsibility for social distancing & hand cleaning - the area should stay open.

St Margaret's Cosmopolitan Cricket Club:

U11 Training Wed 6pm; U15 Training Fri 6pm booking essential; Matches some weekends. Pavilion shut.

Bowls Green: partially reopened – 1 rink 'roll ups' booking system Clubhouse shut.

Tennis Courts: Open see local signage. Spectators welcome outside the Courts Watch out for the cricket balls!







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Parish Council do not meet in August and there will only be a limited email / phone service

e.g. Traffic, yellow lines, PROW, Upper Road, Toilets, Councillors, Parking The best way to find things on our webpage is to use the search bar for keywords Search...

We did request, fruitlessly, that the lines continue further towards the village but it is a good first step! from the Castle end of Upper Rd to the Swingate memorial. Highways pulled out the stops for this one! Highways to stop this access to the village being cut off. Double yellow lines were introduced on July 2nd our DDC rep Cllr Martin Bates worked very hard with the National Trust, HM Coastguard and Kent parked cars as tourists came to enjoy the White Cliffs. It was dangerous. The Parish Council, along with Over Easter and the sunny May bank holidays, Upper Road was blocked with badly

equipment, rather than one we can source directly, is proving so far to be prohibitive. More to come! collated and posted on our website. We are receiving more suggestions for traffic control. Gridlock wish to install a portable Speed Indicator device but the cost of using the compulsory KCC approved for double yellows in the village. No objections as yet. No potential timings either. These responses will be The team would like to thank the 38 residents who have responded so far to the proposal

want to contribute and can be co-opted so we can be firing on all cylinders after the summer break. councillors. Six applicants have been invited to attend our July meeting virtually, hopefully three will still New Councillors: We are delighted to have had a phenomenal response to our request for new

conveniences have been stored safely and let's hope they do not need to be used again. <u>Toilets</u>: We are really pleased that the toilets in the Bay and in our village carpark opened on 9th June and have stayed open. The three Parish Council banners warning visitors that we had no public

evidence to this effect. - If you wish to do so please go to our website. narrowed and hence obstructed. However, he is now asking for residents to provide statements as (running between The Droveway, towards the Football field, parallel to Droveway Gardens) has been The Public Rights of Way Officer agreed back in January that the fencing in of ER28

objections from our residents back in January this year that the issue was well and truly closed. Please Introducing charges to the village carpark: This has reared its ugly head once more. The Parish Council will use their full might to stop any introduction of charges. One would have hoped that after 209 keep an eye on the webpage and Facebook - if we need to rally the troops again, we will shout!

Local Openings as anticipated when going to print on 6th July

Post Office: Village Shop: Mon to Fri 9am to 5:30pm, Sat 9am to 12:30pm Mon to Sat 7am to 7pm, Sun 8am to 7pm - search for their Facebook page

Sandra's: 9am to 2pm, Bar: Thu to Sun 4pm to 9pm Cafe Bar open, table service only, space outside and Madge's Field Cafe: Mon to Fri

Coastguard: Jeb's Fruit Stall Sun 11am to 2pm Village Car Park. Deliveries Thu or Fri if ordered by 3pm Thu.

Indoor tables to book, Outdoors: controlled queuing Mon to Sat 10am to 10.30pm

Sun 10am-6pm, reduced menu, take-away, cashless – check webpage Drinks & imminent plans for Pizza service. Eat in or Take away. Tables in Bar,

The Smugglers: Garden and Restaurant. Opening times changing daily - Facebook or 01304 853404

The White Cliffs: From Aug Hotel only with self check in & no contact. No food or drink.

Brownies & Guides are exchanging emails- tanyacharding@hotmail.com (camping in own back garden) & virtual escape rooms, quizzes etc. info5thdoverscouts@btinternet.com Scouting: Scouts & Beavers meeting virtually via Zoom, doing activities like virtual sleepovers

01304 852265 -Currently no other visits permitted, donations to the food bank can still be placed in porch. Church: Open for Sunday 10am service; Pre booking only. Contact Sandy on sandyliggins@sky.com.