

### ADDENBROOKE'S EMERGENCY DEPT. (ED) PILOT TRIAGE SYSTEM

The Pilot Triage System at Addenbrooke's Hospital has been running since August and in future from 9am to 9pm daily, anybody attending the ED without a medical referral, who has not been brought in by ambulance and has not called NHS 111, will be reviewed by a senior clinician who will assess the patient's symptoms and decide whether the ED is appropriate for their present complaint. If the patient does not require care from the ED they will be asked to call NHS 111, or visit the most appropriate healthcare service such as booking a GP appointment or visiting their local pharmacy. The Pilot will run for two months and kept under constant review.

This Pilot supports the new national NHS 111 First initiative, which encourages people to call NHS 111 **before** visiting an ED, in order to ensure people get the right help at the right time.

It has now been confirmed by Cambridgeshire County Council that Oslars Way, The Croft and The Maples will be resurfaced with Micro Asphalt this financial year, weather permitting. This work was suspended because of the Covid-19 lockdown.

**Traffic Calming** – unfortunately Council was unsuccessful in its bid under the Local Highways Initiative for traffic calming measures on Doggett Lane by the sharp S bend.

### Dates for your Diary

All Parish Council meetings are being held remotely until further notice. Joining instructions can be obtained from the Clerk

11 Oct	7.30pm	Parish Council meeting
11 Nov	7.30pm	Parish Council meeting
28 Nov		Winter Festival – save the date!
9 Dec	7.30pm	Parish Council meeting
13 Jan	7.30pm	Parish Council meeting
10 Feb	7.30pm	Parish Council meeting

Sadly it appears that many parishioners did not receive their copy of the July edition of the Pump. The PC has complained to the delivery company about them not fulfilling their contract and that it may terminate their contract if deliveries are not completely fulfilled.

### PARISH COUNCILLORS

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Bookings for the Swifts and news items for the Village Web site – publicise your event  
Contact Cllr Derek Thorn, Tel: 01223 881309, email: derek.thorn@tiscali.co.uk

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# THE VILLAGE PUMP

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Following legislation which came into force on 4th April 2020, Fulbourn Parish Council meetings continue to be held remotely. Joining instructions can be obtained from the Clerk.

### FULBOURN NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

At the Parish Council Meeting on 9 September 2020, Fulbourn Parish Council approved the Pre-submission draft dated 18/07/2020 which will now proceed to Regulation 14 Consultation. This Consultation will last 6-8 weeks and involves consulting all parishioners and statutory bodies for feedback. You will receive further communications in the next few weeks regarding the Consultation.

### AGE UK COMMUNITY WARDEN SCHEME FOR FULBOURN

Age UK were successful in their tender to South Cambs District Council for the implementation of a new community warden scheme in Fulbourn. To support the implementation of the new scheme they are recruiting for a full time Team Leader and this post is currently being advertised with the interviews due to take place shortly. A remote meeting will be arranged between the PC and all parties to see how such a scheme can be run to benefit the community and reach out to as many people as possible.

Age UK Cambridgeshire and Peterborough have successfully been delivering the Community Warden Schemes for the last 26 years which shows the sustainability and need for them.

### 28 NOVEMBER 2020

Join the outdoors fun for all the family!



Make decorative costumes, masks and lanterns, and get prepared for the (socially distanced) parade through the village. Also .... If you're in a Band or want to join one contact:

[fulbournarts@gmail.com](mailto:fulbournarts@gmail.com)



## HOME CLOSE

Home Close nursing care home in Fulbourn, Cambs, has created a special visiting 'pod' in its garden to help residents safely connect with their loved ones. The purpose-built temporary wooden cabin is located in the beautiful gardens of the home and provides a safe space for relatives to visit residents. It is equipped with a Perspex screen to separate visitors from residents and an intercom to make communicating easy. The room is also equipped with heating when required, insulation and nurse call buttons.



**Home Close is based on Cow Lane in Fulbourn. For more information on the range of services provided, call 01223 880233 or visit [www.healthcarehomes.co.uk](http://www.healthcarehomes.co.uk).**

## Fulbourn Community Car Scheme

The Fulbourn Community Car scheme will re-start with effect from 1st October. We want to reduce the risks of infection by COVID-19 for both you and your driver if you use the service. Initially, we ask that you only use the service for essential medical or hospital appointments, and please try to give us at least 72 hours' notice for a journey.

**Please follow these guidelines when using the Car Scheme.**

- Before requesting a Driver, consider whether someone in your household or "bubble" can take you.
- Only travel if you feel well and do not have COVID-19 symptoms.
- Wear a face mask.
- Wash your hands before leaving home.
- Sit in the back seat behind the passenger seat (if you are able).
- If possible, be prepared to enter the destination unaided.
- Have the correct fare ready in an envelope.

To request a journey, contact us:

- ◆ **Telephone: 01223 756446**
- ◆ **E-mail: [fulbourncarscheme@gmail.com](mailto:fulbourncarscheme@gmail.com)**

**Please also contact us if you can consider becoming a volunteer driver or could help us with administration.**

## School Guide –

Cambridgeshire County Council has prepared a welcome back to school guide which has been distributed to parents and guardians via the school.

This guide can be found at the following website:

<https://www.cambslearntogether.co.uk/>

## Fulbourn Village Library



**Run by volunteers for the benefit of the community**

We are making plans to reopen the Library. Sadly, it will be a bit different but our top priority is to keep our volunteers and our customers safe during this pandemic.

We are looking forward to welcoming you back into the Library but please be patient with us while we adapt to our new working arrangements. They may, of course, have to be tweaked as we go along, or if the situation changes again.

We plan, therefore, to open for two sessions each week; each session lasting 3 hours.

**Saturday mornings 9 am - 12 noon**  
**Tuesday afternoons 2 pm - 5 pm**

Please keep checking our website for our opening date: [fulbournlibrary.weebly.com](http://fulbournlibrary.weebly.com)

## FULBOURN COMMUNITY AID

***Fulbourn Community Aid is still here for the people of the Parish. If you need support due to COVID or COVID restrictions, we can help. Phone us on 01223 665 051 or email us on [fulbourncommunityaid@gmail.com](mailto:fulbourncommunityaid@gmail.com) and we will match you with the support you need. We have hundreds of volunteers willing to help with shopping, pharmacy runs, advice, or just someone to talk to who will make sure you're okay. Let us know!***

## DISPOSING OF PPE EQUIPMENT AND FACE COVERINGS

Please be aware that PPE equipment and face coverings need to be disposed of in the black bin. This is not only to prevent the spread of Covid-19 but also hugely important in terms of recycling. If PPE is placed in the blue bin it can contaminate blue bin waste which will then not be fit for recycling and could potentially put operatives at risk. Advice has been published on the government website, if you are suffering from Coronavirus symptoms, any medical waste or equipment should be placed in a bag and left for three days before going in your black bin.

## SOLAR PANEL SCHEME

Households across Cambridgeshire can now register for the chance to club together to buy and install solar panels at a reduced price. The County Council and District Councils have joined forces with Solar Together as part of the initiative to improve energy efficiency and reduce carbon emissions. Households and small and medium-sized enterprises can now register - for free and without obligation - for the groupbuying scheme by visiting the website [www.solartogether.co.uk/cambridgeshire](http://www.solartogether.co.uk/cambridgeshire)

When they register online for their complete solar PV system, applicants will be asked questions about their house, roof, and electricity usage. Households that already have solar panels installed can also register to have battery storage added to their existing solar panels to maximise the benefits of their system.