KNOCKHOLT HELP

There has been an amazing response to the Knockholt help group set up to support the vulnerable through the pandemic. It really has proved what a tight knit and supportive community we are.

You can contact the support hub which receives both phone calls and emails and is open from 9am to 1pm Monday to Saturday and messages can be left on the voicemail out of hours.

Telephone number:07523 147272 Email: knockholthelp@gmail.com

Thank you all for your continued support.

CYCLISTS

Many residents have raised concerns regarding the amount of cyclists in the village during the lockdown including many cycle clubs from far and wide, cycling in big groups and not abiding to the social distancing rules.

The Parish Council have written letters to many of the cycle clubs outlining the social distancing rules and asking their members to abide by these in a hope to see a reduction in number of big cycling groups present throughout the village.

NEW BINS

Many of you may have already seen that a new waste bin has now been installed by the cycle track. We are also exploring the possibility of getting another new bin installed at the top of Chevening lane.

NEW SPEED SIGNS

The Parish Council are passionate about reducing the speed of traffic around the village and are always looking at ways to achieve this.

As well as the 2 electronic speed devices that have been purchased in the last year, we have also purchased a number of 30mph check speed signs which are ready to be installed as soon as conditions allow.

ALLOTMENT

Unfortunately the current climate has had an effect on the sports societies around the village as members have been unable to play safely. Although there has been no cricket, football or tennis played over recent months, we are pleased to see that the allotment is thriving with all plots currently taken and being prepared for growing. The site has never looked better or had so much activity. Well done to the Allotment Association and we look forward to seeing sports being played again when it is safe to do so.

EVENT UPDATES

Carnival.
Saturday 11th July.
Cancelled.

Knockstock & Barrel 2020 Saturday 13th & Sunday 14 June Cancelled.

Free Family Fun day
Saturday 22nd August 10am—2pm
TBC

Freighter

Cancelled until further notice

If any local businesses/organisations have any dates they would like publicised, we encourage residents to inform the clerk: knockholtclerk@gmail.com so these can be added to the KPC website.

GRAPEVINE

Many residents find the Grapevine a great way to keep in touch with what is going on around the Village, it has proved especially important during the COVID-19 pandemic. If you haven't already, you can join up by simply emailing your information including address to Alex Jones; knockholt.grapevine@gmail.com

FREIGHTER DATES

To be confirmed.

Please look out for updates on the website regarding rescheduled dates.

PLANNING

FULL DETAILS AVAILABLE ON KPC'S WEBSITE.

Applications Received

SE/20/00546/HOUSE TOUCHWOOD 20 MAIN ROAD TN14 7JD

Single storey side extension and first floor side extension with internal alterations.

SE/20/00788/HOUSE 13 BOND CLOSE TN14 7NB

Single storey side infill and conversion of gar<mark>age. New f</mark>lat roof to existing house and garage. Alteration to fenestration BROAD OAK OLD LONDON ROAD TN14 7JN SE/20/00929/HOUSE

Proposed small single storey rear extension with storm porch, vaulted ceiling and roof lights to be added. Change rear

door and window to sliding doors.

SE/20/01051/ADJ LAND AT NEW YEARS LANE (SKY FARM)

Erection of steel framed agricultural building for storage of hay, straw and farming equipment and to aid sheep during their lambing period (Application for Prior Approval Under Part 6 of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development)(England) Order 2015)

CHERRY COTTAGE MAIN ROAD TN14 7NT SE/20/01193/HOUSE

Alterations to front bay, relocation of entrance door and insertion of rooflight to east elevation, single storey rear extension and opening alterations to wesrt elevation, loft conversion with dormer to west elevation, alterations to fenestration, landscaping works and removal of chimney.
SE/20/01125/CONVAR BOWMANS ORCHARD BURLINGS LANE TN14 7PF

Removal of condition 7 (removal of outbuildings) of 19/02976/FUL to erect a replacement detached dwelling. SE/20/01134/LDCEX THE PINES RUSHMORE HILL KNOCKHOLT TN14 7NL

Confirmation that the erection of extension and ancillary outbuildings is lawful.

ARAGLEN MAIN ROAD TN14 7LG SE/20/01231/WTPO Works to Ash Tree

Granted

SE/20/00194/LDCPR ACREMEAD MAIN ROAD TN14 7NT

Proposed erection of an outbuilding

PORTLANDS CUDHAM LANE SOUTH TN14 7PA SE/20/00694/DETAIL

Details pursuant to condition 2 (materials) of 19/00913/HOUSE

SE/20/00468/FUL STORE ADJACENT TO NEW STABLES FARMHOUSE RUSHMORE HILL TN14 7NS

Conversion of existing barn and store into a four bedroom residential dwelling SE/20/00621/LDCPR BOWMANS ORCHARD BURLINGS LANE TN14 7PF

New garage building.

Refused

SE/19/003453/HOUSE **DEERLEAP HOUSE DEERLEAP LANE TN14 7NP**

re-routing existing access, demolition of existing outbuildings to construct new triple garage and summerhouse, driveway to be redone.

LAND AT RUSHMORE HILL ESTATE

Erection of a agricultural poultry shed with egg storage and packing room, a free-standing feed silo and concrete hard-

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ANTI SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR

It has been reported that many large gatherings have been held on the recreation ground over the last few weeks, resulting in Nitrous Oxide canisters and empty alcohol bottles being dumped in the village hall car park. The police have been informed and we urge residents to report any further activity to the police by calling 101 and quoting reference number 25-0534.

We would like to politely remind residents, that these type of gatherings are an inappropriate use of the recreation ground and village hall car park especially in the current climate as we should all be following the government guidelines regarding social distancing. It is also particularly important that users of the recreation ground dispose of any litter in the bins or take it home with them please.



COOLINGS & VILLAGE STORE

We would like to say a huge thank you to both Cooling's and the Village shop for continuing to open their doors each day in such uncertain times to provide residents with their essential provisions while still complying with social distancing.

VILLAGE PUBS

Both of the Village pubs have carried out impressive exterior transformations over recent weeks, It is encouraging to see such investments being made in the village businesses throughout such testing times. Well done!!

CLAPPING FOR THE NHS

There has been a real community spirit shown throughout the village amid the Coronavirus pandemic including a full turn out every Thursday in clapping to show our appreciation for the NHS and all other key workers.