

The Feckenham Informer

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As *Feckenham News* is taking a break from publication **Swansbrook Radio** has decided to publish this information newsletter. It contains contact information and updates to help local people cope with the current emergency. We'll update it as things change. For the most up to date information check swansbrook.com



HELP FOR YOU if you are self-isolating **From Volunteers Co-ordinated by Feckenham Facebook Group & Parish Council**

A group of local volunteers from the village are available to assist you with PICKING UP SHOPPING, or POSTING MAIL, picking up URGENT SUPPLIES (including medications) or just having a FRIENDLY PHONE CALL during this challenging time when many people are being advised to self-isolate if they are either vulnerable or ill.

If you would like some help then please contact JANE BULL, Clerk to Feckenham Parish Council either on **892522** or clerk.feckenhampc@feckenham.com and we will be in touch (& the help is free!). Any goods will be left on your doorstep. More updates on our local radio: swansbrook.com

NOTE: Coronavirus is contagious. Please take every precaution to ensure you are spreading only kindness – Avoid physical contact (keep at least 2m distance from others) and Wash your hands regularly

THE VILLAGE SHOP

in partnership with Feckenham Parish Council
REVISED OPENING TIMES

Mon-Fri: 8am to 2.30pm

Sat: 9am to 2pm - Sun: 10am to 1pm

DELIVERIES: If you live in the Parish and are self isolating or ill you can place a **telephone order** for provisions from the shop between 0900 - 1100 hrs. This will be delivered to you via the Parish Council, through volunteer helpers, within 24 hrs

Call 01527 894475

payment can be by cheque handed to the deliverer or by card payment, subject to mobile signal

If you're Self Isolating but able to drive - Hillers Farm Shop will accept phone orders, pay over the phone then collect from the car park - no need to leave the car. **01789 773057**



Pete the Meat

at Astwood Bank is open and has ample supplies. Owner Pete Lawton sent this message: "At present stock is coming in on a daily basis so there's no need for panic buying!!

We'd also like to help anyone especially the over 70s who are self isolating. If you call us on **01527 892654** we'll do our best to deliver as soon as we can".



BOTANY BAY
NURSERIES • GARDEN CENTRE • CAFE



Botany Bay is closed to the public – but you can still order plants and garden supplies by phone – they'll deliver if you live within 5 miles –

£25 minimum order

01527 894402

DOCTORS

If you think you may have Covid-19 you should not go to your Doctor. Isolate yourself and your family at home for 14 days. If the symptoms are severe telephone 111 for advice. In an emergency dial 999.

For other problems and routine consultations the local surgeries recommend the following action:

RIDGEWAY SURGERY - Astwood Bank (01527 892418)

Telephone the practice in the morning. The Doctors will give phone/Skype consultations. If they decide they need to see you, you will be given an appointment in the afternoon. Home visits will continue but will require a phone call from the doctor first. Urgent blood tests and nursing appointments will continue - however routine reviews have been postponed. Prescriptions can be collected from the dispensary window outside the building between 12noon and 2pm ONLY.

GREY GABLE SURGERY - Inkberrow (01386 793007)

The Open Access / Walk-in morning clinic is suspended. If you need to consult with a doctor, please call the surgery and you will be triaged. Many consultations will be carried out by phone. Prescriptions can be collected from the dispensary window to the left of the main entrance - 10am to 4pm only. Repeat prescription slips can be dropped into the letterbox. You are asked not to enter the surgery.

HUNGRY?

FED UP WITH COOKING?

THE BULLS HEAD,

INKBERROW

is now offering a delivery service to Feckenham

Fish & Chips, Pizzas and Sunday Lunches

Call 01386 792233 to order

bullsheadinkberrow.com

£20 minimum order

THE FLYFORD ARMS,

FLYING FISH CHIPPY

will also deliver to Feckenham

Full range of chip shop favourites

Call 07796 891280

[Wed to Sat only]



Ian Ridley's rainbow over Feckenham painting on The Square. Photo: Arthur Hind

FECKENHAM PARISH COUNCIL

The Parish Council Meeting on Thursday, 16th April at 7.30 pm will be held through a Zoom online meeting. Parishioners are welcome to attend and there will be the chance to bring matters to the attention of the Council. Call

the Parish Clerk on 01527 892522 or email

clerk.feckenhampc@feckenham.com for joining details

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