



BULLETIN

Our local groups are supplying updates on their progress during these challenging times.

Covid-19 can't stop us playing ukuleles!

Despite the lockdown Effingham Ukes continues to hold virtual weekly meetings on Zoom every Tuesday morning, with up to 10 players attending each session. These have proved to be great fun and, as all but the lead singer/player are muted, no one else hears our mistakes. We are playing a mixture of old tunes from our repertoire and introducing some new tunes using, mainly, easy chords. If you can play the ukuleles and fancy joining us, then please email effinghamukes@outlook.com.

Effingham with Little Bookham Parish.

Sorry that we have had to shut our church buildings, for the time being, however we still endeavour to be a worshipping and serving community. Twice a day we meet for an online service via Zoom. Please contact the Rector, Reverend Mandy, on rev.mandymacvean@gmail.com for joining instructions. Please also contact Reverend Mandy on 01372 458314 if you have any practical needs or prayer requests. Do keep in touch via our Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/stlawrenceallsaints>

1st Effingham Scouts

We at 1st Effingham Scouts are continuing to help the young people of Effingham by running Virtual Scout meeting this is for all sections, in addition to our usual evenings of fun we are joining up with Leatherhead District Scouts for additional evenings. We are redecorating the Scout HQ while face to face Scouting is not happening. We are short of paint for our lobby, kitchen and toilets. Our Exec member David Ralph has taken on the mammoth task of doing this, I have mentioned him by name as I believe he deserves the recognition for his efforts. Also recognising our Leaders who would always accept help when and if offered.

Our libraries are shut, but we're still open!

Why not check out our new webpages for things to do during self-isolation? Visit www.surreycc.gov.uk/libraries and click on Libraries from home for children and young people, and Libraries from home for adults. Library members can borrow eBooks, eAudiobooks, eMagazines and eComics. Just register with RBdigital and you can start borrowing all of the above for free. You can also access other online resources such as COBRA - a wealth of information for businesses, potential start-ups, jobseekers and students; stream music using Naxos, which contains over 35,000 CDs; Which? Magazine and lots more!

St Lawrence Pulls Together

At St Lawrence Primary School, staff have demonstrated true dedication in supporting our families through weekly home learning plans from teachers and staff working from home to support families to help children progress their learning. We have been able to support key worker and vulnerable families by remaining partially open. Head of school, Tom Dell, remains in touch with families regularly. The mental health of families, along with everyone's safety, has been at the forefront of decisions. We look forward to the day we can reopen our doors fully and thank you all for your support.

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