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Micheldever Parish COVID-19 Response Update

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Parish Response Group

- **Parish Response Group** - Key stakeholders / community support coordinators / businesses – WhatsApp group and digital meetings as required.

City / County Council Support / National Updates

- *Updates cascaded to residents via [Micheldever Village](#) and [Micheldever Station](#) Facebook Groups / Notice Boards / Parish Response Group / local support groups.*
- **National Tier Restrictions** – Hampshire remains in Tier 2 through the remainder of December at least. Household mixing indoors is not permitted, rule of 6 outdoors, hospitality venues permitted for substantial meals only.
- **Business Support** - WCC Business Helpline – 01962 814915 or see [website for details](#). Solent LEP [support hub](#) with advice for local businesses.
- **Winchester City Council Business Grants** – Local Restrictions Grant application window will reopen in early January – all businesses who qualify are encouraged to apply, [details and apply here](#).
- **Support for Vulnerable Residents** - HCC ‘Hantshelp4vulnerable’ help-line remains in place as first point of contact for those in need due to COVID – 0333 3704000 [9am-5pm weekdays]. Referrals to local support or contact directly as below.
- **City Council Support Directory** – A directory of support organisations covering rural areas is [available here](#).
- **Support for Families** – Various support available through City and Council Councils - [HCC Family Hub](#). School meal support should be available through schools however contact County Council as above.
- **HCC Winter Community Grant** – Available for community groups supporting local residents – [apply here](#). A number of grants are available to support organisations and individuals – a useful list of can be [found here](#) as well as [HICW here](#).
- [Government advice on safely helping others with daily needs](#).
- **Citizens Advice Bureau** - Offering help / sign-posting towards support – 01962 848003 / advice@winchesterdistrictcab.org.uk / citizensadvicewinchester.org.uk
- HCC Mental Health Helpline for Young People - 0300 303 1590.
- HCC Domestic Violence Support – [online](#) or 03300 165 112
- [Central Government COVID Information Hub](#)

Community Support / Information

- [Micheldever Village](#) and [Micheldever Station](#) Facebook Groups being used for significant updates and directing people to local support groups.
- Notices on Parish Council Noticeboards with contact details for those not in touch with local support plus Hantshelp4vulnerable number.
- Local support groups remain available for those who may still be isolating / in need.
- **Micheldever A [Winchester Road, / Village Centre / The Crease - Anna Gillings]** - WhatsApp group in place.
- **Micheldever B [Duke Street / Southbrook Cottages / A33 – Juliet Pattinson / Church Group]** - WhatsApp group in place.
- **Micheldever C [Church Street / Rook Lane / Dever & Barron Closes – Richard Ellis / Charlotte Cobb]** – WhatsApp group in place.
- **Micheldever D [Northbrook – Anne Freeland]** – WhatsApp group in place.
- **East Stratton [Sheryl Husson Martin / Zoe Gustar]**– WhatsApp Group in place.
- **Woodmancott [Linda Albin / Rhiannon Kerr - Church]** – Local group in place within very small community.
- **Micheldever Station West [Graham Foot / Andy Adams]** – WhatsApp group in place.
- **Micheldever Station East [Andy Adams / Simon Weatherall]** – WhatsApp group in place.
- **West Stratton** – Very small community with mutual support and awareness.
- **Weston Colley** – Very small community with mutual support and awareness. David & Suzie Findlay will report any additional issues that require additional support.
- **Carousel Park** – Support through Winchester City Council / Hampshire County Council.

Food Bank / Support

- **Food Banks** – Food Bank at St. Marys church has now been disbanded and residual stock donated to Winchester Basics Bank. HCC helpline and local support groups can potentially support those in need and refer to Winchester Basics Bank who can arrange delivery if required.
- **Healthy Start Vouchers** - Vouchers available subject to qualification, to purchase a range of healthy foods for some pregnant mums and children under 4. [Apply online](#) or contact County Cllr. Porter for a paper form.
- **Christmas Food Deliveries** – Anyone in need of support should be referred to County Council helpline [0333 3704000] in first instance. Christmas Day deliveries available by Salvation Army in conjunction with City Council.

Churches / Village Halls / School / Open Spaces

- **Churches** - Church services taking place within guidance including outdoor carol services – see Dever or noticeboards. Digital services also being provided via [Upper Dever Benefice YouTube Channel](#) - email coordinator.upperdever@hotmail.com to be added to distribution. Church of England telephone service – 0800 8048044.
- **Village Halls** – [Updated national guidance](#) on community buildings. Usage only permitted with Tier 2 guidance for educational / business gatherings etc. - all halls have risk assessments / precautions in place. Users are responsible for ensuring current guidelines are adhered to.
- **Micheldever Primary School** – Operating within guidelines including transport.
- **Micheldever & Stratton Pre-School** – Operating within guidelines.

- **Playgrounds** – Playgrounds and outdoor gyms reopened in line with [National Guidance](#). Signage checked and renewed periodically.
- **Allotments** – Open as normal - appropriate precautions / restrictions required.

Infrastructure / Shops

- **Railway** – Slightly reduced train service continues. Ticket Office open Mon – Fri from 6-10am. Face coverings required onboard trains. Full details on [SWR website](#).
- **Buses** – Tuesday and Friday [95](#) / Stagecoach bus serving the villages running as normal. [Daily Taxishare also available](#). Bombay Sapphire bus from Micheldever Station to Overton has ceased running. [Xela Bus to Winnall available from Stoke Charity on Fridays](#). Face coverings required on all buses.
- **Postal Services** – Delivery and collections normal. Mobile Post Office on Wednesdays in Micheldever running as normal.
- **Local Shops** – Dever Stores / Mace Garage, Sutton Sotney and Barn Stores, North Waltham all open – check web / Facebook for hours. Face coverings required. **Barton Stacey Stores** offering delivery service of fruit, veg and other items – contact 01962 760243 / see [Facebook Page](#).
- **Waste Disposal** – HCC Waste Recycling Centres open but users required to [book a slot on website](#). Fly-tipping should be reported via [WCC Website](#).
- **Libraries** – Open with reduced hours, [check website](#). Digital resources [available online](#). Library in Northbrook Hall now available within restrictions – check noticeboard for updates.

Pubs / Businesses

- Pubs / cafes / hospitality permitted to operate with COVID Secure precautions, table service, alcohol permitted with substantial meals and last orders 10pm. [Tier 2 Hospitality Guidance](#). [National guidance issued on making hospitality COVID Secure](#).
- **Half Moon & Spread Eagle** – Open Friday, Saturday and Sunday with takeaway options and delivery can be arranged. See [Facebook Page](#) or call 01962 774150 / email halfmoonandspreadeagle@gmail.com for updates / orders.
- **Dove Inn** – Open Friday, Saturday and Sunday with takeaway options. See [Facebook Page](#) for updates.
- **Stratton Lane Brewery** – Open for collection / delivery - details on [website](#) and [Facebook Page](#).
- **Wonston Arms** – Currently closed due to restrictions. Delivery & collection service for beer, wines and spirits available locally - see [website](#) / [Facebook Page](#).
- **Frying High** – Operating with precautions - takeaway fish and chips at Warren Centre on Thursday from 6.30pm – 8.30pm and other villages on other nights. Orders should be placed in advance by text to 07980 917890. Updates on [Facebook Page](#).
- **Yum Yum Food Truck** – Now resumed serving local sites on weekday mornings and offering afternoon tea service. Updates on [Facebook Page](#).
- **Micheldever Tyres** – Operating normal hours with COVID precautions.
- **Forest Holidays** – Reopened including café for takeaway / outside dining.

Dever Magazine / Parish Website

- Dever being distributed as normal. Parish Council / COVID updates being included.

- Updates of COVID-19 Response Summary being published on [Parish Council website](#) with banner on homepage.

Other Community Support

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- **Noticeboards** - Updated with condensed information including community support contacts, Hansthelph4vulnerable and Citizen's Advice.
- **Meetings** – Virtual meetings will continue until further notice as per guidance, agenda and links posted on noticeboards and [Parish Website](#).

Any Other Issues

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