



CHEVENING PARISH COUNCIL

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Corona virus – help if you need it

If you are over 65 or otherwise at risk please read this

We are putting together a group of locals who will get shopping for you if you need anything and are worried about going out. We can also pick up prescriptions for you.

We will be making up a list this week so if you feel you will need some help with this please contact, Judith Hayton (07981 759255), myself (07956 545261) or Charlotte Divall (07747 562666). Charlotte is very kindly co-ordinating the details of who lives where then we will organise help accordingly

If you have shopping or a need, here is what you need to do:

1. Register with myself, Judith or Charlotte, we can be contacted on the numbers above.
2. Make up a list with the items that are needed.
3. Phone Judith at 07981 759255 between the hours of 10 am and midday with your address, telephone number and the shopping list. If you can email these details to clerk@cheveningparishcouncil.gov.uk that would be even better.
Try to minimise items. (If Judith is not there or on another call leave a name and number and she will call back)
4. Judith will call you back with a time of delivery and the name of the person who will be delivering your items. This will start at twice a week and we will see how it goes. Initially we will try to fulfil deliveries from where we can depending on what is available
5. If you have the cash available or cheque to pay whoever brings you shopping, that would be very helpful.
6. We will try to ring round on a regular basis to make sure you are ok and have everything you need.
7. The District Council are also arranging to provide **emergency** food parcels containing non-perishable basic provisions. They will accommodate specific dietary requirements where possible - you will be asked to confirm this upon contacting them. The Council will arrange the payment process directly with you either on the phone or online. If you need this service can register for help by contacting the Council online at www.sevenoaks.gov.uk/requesthelp or by telephone 01732 227000.

Nothing in this letter is meant to replace arrangements you may have already set up with friends, neighbours or family. If it's working for you, please carry on, but do keep our details in case you need to revise your arrangements due to changing circumstances

We also welcome help from non at-risk Chevening Parish residents who are prepared to do a bit of extra shopping for our older and vulnerable neighbours. Please contact Judith Charlotte or myself if you are able to volunteer

Most importantly - please stay safe

Andy Clark

Chairman – Chevening Parish Council