

November New Items

December Parish Council Meeting: The regular monthly meeting will, unusually, be on Tuesday December 3rd at the Thursley Road Cricket Pavillion at 7.30pm. Agenda is [here](#)

November Parish Council Meeting: The regular monthly meeting will be on Monday November 18th at the URC hall at 7.30pm. Agenda is [here](#)

Tell us your Broadband Speed: Many residents will have already connected to the new Superfast Broadband service in Elstead. However to ensure that Surrey can continue to work with BT to improve the service, it would be useful to have a record of the speed each household is getting with the service. Please let Councillor [Leif Davidsen](#) know this information - which will just be used to get an accurate picture of the service available around the village.

October New Items

Superfast Broadband available to order NOW! After months of promises, bargaining and negotiation, and then recently weeks of digging up Thursley Road, Elstead now has Superfast Broadband available to order, if you are connected to one of the 5 new cabinets. Your choice of ISP should be able to offer you an install of Fibre Broadband - check your number in their web pages or phone help lines. If you are in the parts of the village not yet connected, most of you will be connected as additional cabinets get deployed. Hopefully very few will be left without some form of improved access.

October Parish Council Meeting: The regular monthly meeting will be on Monday October 21st at the URC hall at 7.30pm. Agenda is [here](#). Note that the meeting starts at 7.30pm as usual, but with a short presentation by Katie Brennan from the Superfast Surrey team on the upgrade to Broadband that has been taking place. Questions from the public will therefore be after this.

Works on roads and drains: Following comments made by the Parish Council to Surrey, there have been some actions taken on the road to Farnham to address areas where there have been floods in the past

Vacancy on the Parish Council: There is currently a vacancy for a Councillor on the Elstead Parish Council. There has not been a request for an election and so the post will be filled by Co-option. Any volunteers for the position should contact the Clerk Chris Newman to apply. An appointment will be made at the December 2nd Parish Council Meeting but the deadline for applications is November 25th. Details about applying can be found [here](#).

Filming on Hankley Common: There has been some filming recently on Hankley Common for the new Man from UNCLE movie. This is due to finish by the 23rd or 24th October, and repairs should be made to any damage.

September New Items

Roadworks continuing: In support of the upgrade of the village broadband infrastructure there will continue to be some disruption on the roads to put in fibre as happened in August along Thursley Road. In September expect to see some roadworks on Milford Road.

Casual Vacancy on the Parish Council: [Vacancy on the Parish Council August 2013](#) - Please read the attached document, and if interested contact the Clerk. Also, as stated in the document, if you want to see an election, please write in.

September Monthly Parish Council Meeting: The regular monthly meeting will be on Monday September 16th at the URC hall at 7.30pm. Agenda is [here](#)

August New Items

August Monthly Parish Council Meeting: The regular monthly meeting will be on Monday 19th August at the URC hall at 7.30pm. Agenda is [here](#)

Tour of Britain Cycle Race in Elstead: The cycle race is on Saturday, 21 September. The local effect is that it enters Waverley from the north at Fulbrook Lane, Elstead, turns left onto the B3001 to Elstead Green, then into Thursley Road right through to Pitch Place and the Pride of the Valley, along Jumps Road to the A287, then turning right and taking the A287 into Farnham, round Farnham and then onto the Hog's Back. The race is due at Elstead at 1500, Frensham at 1515 and Farnham at 1520. There will be road closures all along the route for 75 minutes before those times and for 75 minutes after those times. Also, there will be a "no stopping" order in force for 30 minutes before the road closures start, but not from Westbrook Hill junction with Thursley Road, Elstead, onwards (to enable the Police to clear the roads before the closures). The Pride of the Valley cross-roads will be closed for Tilford Road in both directions. The full orders will shortly, if not already, be available at Farnham and Godalming libraries

Bramshill House Open Day: We have been advised of an Open day at Bramshill House - please see the [leaflet](#)

July New Items

Update from Surrey Trading Standards: Please read the attached document to provide you with warnings about rogues, frauds and recalls. [Here](#) it is

Another update from Surrey Trading Standards: Obviously lots going on to be aware of - read the latest update [here](#)

July Monthly Parish Council Meeting: The regular monthly meeting will be on Monday 15th July at the URC hall at 7.30pm. Agenda is [here](#)

Heatwave: As you are probably aware, the NHS issued a 'Heatwave' alert yesterday for the South East of England, including Waverley.

Waverley has issued advice on keeping safe during the heatwave on our website at the link below, together with a link to more information from the NHS.

http://www.waverley.gov.uk/news/article/809/keeping_safe_during_the_heatwave

June New Items

June Monthly Parish Council Meeting: The regular monthly meeting will be on Monday 17th June at the URC hall at 7.30pm. Agenda is [here](#)

Elstead Marathon: The 101st running is on Friday 5th July. Entries from 6pm on the Village Green

Elstead Tug of War: This is held after the Marathon finishes on the Village Green

Elstead Paper Boat Race: This fun event is held on Sunday 7th July, from 11am at the Moat on Thursley Road.

May New Items

May Monthly Parish Council Meeting: The regular monthly meeting will be on Monday May 20th at the URC hall at 7.30pm. Agenda is [here](#)

Elstead Duck Race: On Saturday 18th May at 1130, the annual Duck Race will be held at Elstead Mill. Don't forget to buy your ducks in advance, and come along for all the fun.

Police Suspicious Vehicle Report : Please look out for this vehicle a white pick up van registration FE03 NEN which has been seen over the last few days in suspicious circumstances in the South Farnham area. The occupants gave different reasons to members of the public as to why they were they.

If you see the van please call police on 101 and hopefully there will be an officer close by to stop and speak with the occupants.

Another Suspicious Vehicle: On another note residents in Hale/Heath End in Farnham were asked to call police if they saw any suspicious white transit vans due to some garages been broken into over recent weeks. A member of the public called in this afternoon reporting such a van in White Cottage Close. NSO PC Jenny Hammond has arrested the two occupants on suspicion of going equipped. (for theft). She is currently dealing with them in custody. I am unable to circulate the vehicle registration due to the current enquires.

April New Items

April Annual Council Meeting: Each year the Parish Council holds an annual meeting to review the past year's activities and progress, and to set out the goals for the year ahead. This year's meeting is on Monday April 15th. The agenda is [here](#). The regular Parish Council meeting for April is on Monday 22nd April.

Annual Report: Each year Elstead Parish Council produces a report of the year's activities and priorities. The report for 2012-2013 can be found [here](#).

Advice from Surrey Police: An advice leaflet on using ATMs can be read [here](#)

April monthly Parish Council Meeting: Following on from the Annual Council Meeting there is the monthly parish council meeting on Monday 22nd April at 7.30 pm. The Agenda is [here](#)

Hankley: There have been long standing concerns around the behaviour of MOD and Landmarc on Hankley Common, about the plans to close the car park, and the occasional confrontational attitude. The Chairman of the Parish Council, Pat Murphy, has written [this letter](#) to Lt Col Richard Bishop to try to get better dialogue.

March New Items

March Parish Council Meeting: As usual the Parish Council Meeting will be at 7.30pm at the URC on Monday 18th March. Agenda is [here](#)

Cars parking on the pavement: There has been some recent discussion in the Parish Council and elsewhere about the incidences of cars parking in the village where they obstruct pedestrian access. Specifically this has come up with reference to the area in front of the Fish and Chip shop on Milford Road - where a section of what is actually pavement looks like and is used as a parking bay. If cars parking in this area impact you please let the Parish Council know. Also if you have concerns about greater road congestion if this area stopped being used for parking please let the Parish Council know.

Road Congestion in Surrey: Surrey County Council has laid out their thoughts and plans for how to deal with areas of road congestion in Surrey over the next few years. You can find their thoughts at [this link](#). They want to know your thoughts about this - it is important that you read and respond. Thanks.

February New Items

Alert from Surrey Police: Police would like your help to solve a nasty burglary in Farnham. Details are [here](#)

Crime in Elstead: There was an attempt to steal the cash machine from the Spar in the morning of Feb 26th. Details are [here](#).

Latest news about Superfast Broadband: Some very encouraging news from the team at Surrey County Council. The Elstead Phone Exchange will get connected by fibre in September 2013. Then the new roadside green cabinets will get rolled out after that, with most properties in Elstead being able to be connected to them before the end of this year. There is a postcode checker on the new Superfast Surrey site [here](#) to allow you to see the possible date for when you should be able to get connected to the new Superfast Broadband. This seems to show that other than properties in Farnham Road, Fulbrook Lane, Seale Road and Church View Close which will get connected in 2014, pretty much all the other properties in Elstead get access in 2013.

January New Items

Happy New Year: The Parish Council would like to wish everyone a happy, healthy and successful New Year

Trading Standards Newsletter: Please read [this newsletter](#) from Surrey Trading Standards covering a number of items about scams and product recalls.

Superfast Broadband: The latest newsletter from Surrey County Council about the Superfast Broadband plans is available [here](#)

More Trading Standards Alerts: January must be a busy month for scams and recalls. Another newsletter [here](#)