

## Defibrillators

I have attached photos of the 4 x defibrillators recently installed in Tadworth to help clarify their precise locations. The Walton defibrillators are installed in the "old" red telephone box on Gun Corner and on the Riddell Hall.

The three most recently installed defibrillators in Tadworth were facilitated by TWRA.

It is important for residents and those regularly visiting Tadworth to be aware of the locations of these devices as, combined with CPR, the speed of getting a defibrillator to someone who is suffering from a cardiac arrest is critical to the likelihood of their recovery. Those making emergency 999 calls will be told by the operator where the nearest defibrillator is located but hopefully seeing the photographs accompanying this article will make the precise location even clearer.

Working from South to North defibrillator locations in Tadworth are:

On the High Street in the grounds of Priory Veterinary Surgeons, installed by Farm Fencing and Churchill Electrical Solutions, It has post code KT20 5SD and "what three words location reference" [///wipes.chairs.rating](#).

On Station Approach mounted on the exterior wall of the Good Shepherd Church Hall. Note you will need to climb one of the sets of steps leading off Station Approach to the Church/hall grounds. It has post code KT20 5AH and "what three words location reference" [///bake.ready.skinny](#)

Off The Avenue near Tadworth Station mounted on the exterior wall of St John The Evangelist Church and accessible from the church car park. It has post code KT20 5DB and "what three words location reference" [///dogs.saves.neck](#)

On Shelveys Hill mounted on the wall of Brightsmile Dental Care. Note this is at the Western end of Shelveys Way. It has post code KT20 5PU and "what three words location reference" [///count.latest.cook](#)

To apply for local training with respect to how to apply CPR and use a defibrillator - contact Felicity Hook on [hookfel15@gmail.com](mailto:hookfel15@gmail.com). The next training session, which will take place in Walton, will be on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February and the following one will be in Tadworth on Wednesday March 19<sup>th</sup> both at 7.30pm. Please register your place with Felicity. I attach a poster relating to the training. You will see that it is being organised by "The Tadworth Forum". This is a new group being formed to promote activities in Tadworth. You can read about them on both facebook and Instagram see here:

<https://www.facebook.com/share/g/1Btb7fkSyy/?mibextid=wwXlfr>

[https://www.instagram.com/tadworthvillage?igsh=Nmd2MTUwbWNoNzBj&utm\\_source=qr](https://www.instagram.com/tadworthvillage?igsh=Nmd2MTUwbWNoNzBj&utm_source=qr)

## Other News from TWRA

The appeal hearing relating to the Planning application for 3 x temporary and 3 permanent pitches for caravans in a field alongside Chequers Lane has been re-scheduled for June 17<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> with two further days on the 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> June if necessary.

Surrey has currently been selected as one of the initial counties to undergo local government reorganisation, potentially with Borough/District Councils abolished, and, as a consequence, local elections scheduled for May 2025 have been postponed. As the reorganisation has relevance to most residents, it is planned to have a presentation session and discussion on this topic at the TWRA AGM which is scheduled for Wednesday May 21<sup>st</sup>.

## ROAD ISSUES & SPEED CHECKS

### CLOSURES/DISRUPTION

Complete closure of M25 with diversions will take place on the weekends of Friday 7 March - Monday 10 March and Friday 21 March – Monday 24 March. Closure of entry/exit roads to M25 from A3, 21 to 24 February (M25 junction 10). Details can be seen on

<https://nationalhighways.co.uk/our-roads/south-east/m25-junction-10/>.

Various local roads are having work done to repair potholes – please watch out for signs indicating temporary disruption or closures.

## TOAD PATROLS

It is the time of year when toads make their regular move towards Walton Pond. As a consequence Toad Patrols in high vis. jackets will be seeking to enable safe crossings for them. Please take care when driving past Meare Pond.

## COMMUNITY SPEED WATCH

This section includes data extracted from reports made by Community Speed Watch volunteers over the last 4 months whom you might have noticed manning speed checks on some roads in our vicinity. The three roads whose data has been included below are ELN = Epsom Lane North; NW = Nork Way and FTR = Fir Tree Road.

The volunteers are trained to use "speed guns" by Surrey Police. They monitor traffic in roads where there is thought to be a speeding problem. They log those vehicles that are exceeding the applicable speed limit. Details of the vehicles are forwarded to an administrator with access to the DVLC data base and warning letters are sent to registered keepers of the vehicles concerned. The police may take note of repeat offenders and, if appropriate take further action against them.

The group has undertaken 33 sessions, and logged 702 vehicles (including a number where the details were 'not recognised' within the system). This has resulted in 611 letters being issued (with 16 pending).

The fastest recorded speeds were : 61mph along ELN, 55mph along NW, 51mph along FTR.

9 vehicles were identified as not having a current MOT; 10 were without TAX; 2 had declared SORN (Statutory Off Road Notification) and 13 were double offenders (those issued with 2 letters).

On the plus side - there are two VAS (Vehicle Activated Signs) along Epsom Lane North, one at either end. Prior to the local CSW team starting its campaign in October, these would regularly be activated by the MAJORITY of motorists travelling up or down this road, suggesting there was little heed to the 30mph speed limit. Nowadays the majority DON'T activate the signs, a clear indication that the CSW presence has made an impact.

More volunteers are welcome to join the Group, and with weather conditions improving over the coming weeks and longer daylight hours more monitoring sessions can occur.

If you are interested in volunteering please reply to this bulletin and I will forward your contact details to the group leader.

## POLICE REPORTS

### Theft Reports

09/02/2025 Between 03:19 to 03:20. Wilmot Way, Banstead. Residential Garage Burglary. Method of Entry – Forced entry through the garage door. The two suspects have been disturbed by the occupant of the property and they have left the premises.

Stolen: Nothing Stolen. (PR 45250016138)

01/02/2025 Between 12:45 to 19:15. Downs Way, Tadworth. Residential Burglary. Method of Entry – Forced entry through a first floor Balcony door.

Stolen: Not confirmed at this time. (PR 45250012844)

04/02/2025 Between 23:27. Chetwode Road, Tadworth. Residential Burglary. Method of Entry – Entry was gained through a door to the property.

Stolen: Not confirmed at this time. (PR 45250014781)

05/02/2025 Between 03:40 to 03:56. Burns Drive, Banstead. Residential Burglary. Method of Entry – Forced entry through a kitchen door located at the rear of the property.

Stolen: Not confirmed at this time. (PR 45250014243)

Contacting the Police

The Police Reference Number (PR) with each of the reports is shown in brackets. If you have any information on any of the reports, including CCTV, please contact us quoting the Police Reference Number (PR).

## Ways to Contact Surrey Police

### Contact the Neighbourhood Team

As always, the local Neighbourhood Team are keen to receive information on all crime spotted or believed to have occurred as this can assist with ongoing enquiries, as well as helping to pool information to build a wider understanding.

If you believe you have any information relating to relevant information or concerns you can:

·Call 101

·Online reporting <https://www.surrey.police.uk/ro/report/ocr/af/how-to-report-a-crime/>

·If you have social media, why not give us a follow. You can also message us if you want to report something to us

- Our Facebook is Reigate and Banstead Beat (Surrey Police) and our twitter is ReigateBeat

You can also give information totally anonymously by contacting the Independent Charity Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111; or through their anonymous online form <https://crimestoppers-uk.org/>

In an Emergency please contact 999.

For general enquiries please email us at: [reigateandbanstead@surrey.police.uk](mailto:reigateandbanstead@surrey.police.uk)

### USING THE POLICE SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY REPORTING PORTAL

Have you witnessed something suspicious in your community, or someone acting suspiciously around businesses, places that you visit, or near your home?

Our Suspicious Activity Portal is a tool available for you to submit digital media (photos/CCTV/dashcam/smart doorbell footage) of any suspicious activity.

The dedicated portal is not a reporting tool and should not be used to report a crime. Instead, it helps us build and understand the wider intelligence picture of related offences in the area, which is vital in helping to reduce crime.

You can upload to the Suspicious Activity Portal [here](#). Please upload media via the relevant borough as shown at the bottom of the page.

If you need to report a crime, please use our reporting tools [here](#).

### Trading Standards Report (Scams etc)

Read about dangerous dog chews, illegal vapes, the latest scams including QR codes on parking machines, what rules apply to you if you sell via social media and the latest recalls to be aware of including a big one from Coca Cola. Please do share!

[You can read the newsletter here](#) or by copying and pasting this url into your browser: <https://news.comms.surreycc.info/pa2/send/jc7-j7486>

### EVENTS

Friday Feb 21<sup>st</sup> Curzon Country Cinema at the Riddell Hall "Paddington in Peru" at 4.45pm and "Lee" at 2pm and 7.15pm all seats £8.

Saturday February 24<sup>th</sup> Coffee Morning Good Shepherd Church from 10.30 am and subsequent Saturdays usually in the Church.

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb Jumble Sale Good Shepherd Hall –11am to 1pm admission £2. Deliver any Jumble to the hall after 6.30pm on 21<sup>st</sup> or before 10.30am on 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February Defibrillator and CPR training see article above.

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> February Walton Village Forum Meeting 8pm Breech Lane Community Hall.

Sunday March 2nd Good Shepherd Parish Lunch note you must book in advance with your name on the list in the back of the church.

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> March World Day of Prayer St John's Church opposite Tadworth Station 2pm.

Saturday March 8<sup>th</sup> Walton Village Kitchen is replaced by Soup + Bread & Cheese Lunches 12.30 to 1pm in the Riddell Hall also on 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup> March and 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> April.

Saturday March 15<sup>th</sup> 10 – 4.30pm Model Railway Exhibition in Good Shepherd Hall

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> March Defibrillator and CPR training see article above.

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> March The Friends of St Peter's Quiz Night at the Blue ball. 7.30pm (doors open 7pm) £10 ticket including a glass of wine.

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March Curzon Country Cinema at the Riddell Hall "Conclave" at 2pm, 4.35pm and 7pm all seats £8.

Friday and Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> April TWOAT Street Collection

Sunday April 6<sup>th</sup> Good Shepherd Parish Lunch note you must book in advance with your name on the list in the back of the church.

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> April TWOAT Quiz Evening St John's Hall ticket including buffet £15 BYOB contact [mike.fox2@ntlworld.com](mailto:mike.fox2@ntlworld.com)

For details of the many Group Activities and Events organised by Banstead u3a for those no longer in full-time work, visit here <https://u3asites.org.uk/banstead/home>  
Please let me know if you have an event taking place in the next 2 months.

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Note. The next issue of "The Tribune" is expected to be distributed in the May. If you wish to read an online version of the current or previous versions of The Tribune please visit the TWRA web site here <http://www.twra.org.uk/about/t...>