

COVID CRISIS - LEAFLET 9

The Shimpling playground is now open - Please follow the guidelines posted on the playground fence to keep everyone safe while using this facility.

The Bush is now open - Please help The Bush Team to keep **everyone** safe by observing the rules that have been put in place.

St George's, Shimpling -The church is currently open for private prayer. Please observe the guidelines that can be found in the church porch. Look out for news on the church website for details of the church reopening for socially distanced services in the coming weeks.

Village Hall - The Village Hall Committee has decided that the Village Hall will reopen in early September. In the meantime, they still remain busy organizing equipment and procedures so that the Village Hall can be reopened in a safe manner.

Village Fete – 13th September - The PCC has taken the difficult decision to cancel the Village Fete in September. As well as being one of the main events they hold to cover church expenses, this is an important community event in the village calendar; however it was felt that this was the right thing to do in the present COVID climate.

Parish Council Meetings

13th July 7.00pm – Annual General Meeting of the Parish Council
13th July 7.30pm – Parish Council Meeting

The above meetings will be held virtually via Zoom. Meeting address:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85816537922?pwd=eklrcE5ycWhueEFRdlpYN2lZL1Yxdz09>

Meeting ID: 858 1653 7922 Password: 632999

Agendas will be posted on the Parish Council noticeboard by the bus stop as well as on the Parish Council website.

If you are unable to join the virtual meeting but would like to comment on any item on the agenda, please write to our Clerk, Stuart Palmer - shimplingpc@gmail.com - 12 Old Court, Long Melford CO10 9HA.

Vacancy for Parish Clerk – Very sadly Stuart, our current clerk, will be leaving his post in September. If you are interested in this interesting, varied and worthwhile job, please contact Stuart in the first instance for details.

The Shimpling Support Group is still available for anyone who needs help with collection of medication (from other GP surgeries/pharmacies) shopping, or if you just need to chat – please call Liz Brunwin on 828122 or Katie Haslehurst on 827370 if you need any help.