



Meeting Title: Falmouth & Penryn Extraordinary Community Network Meeting

Date: Tuesday 27th October 2020

Time: 5.30pm – 7.00pm

Location: Microsoft Teams

Chaired by: John Bastin

Attendees:

John Bastin CC	Cornwall Councillor, Constantine, Mawnan & Budock
John Symons CC	Cornwall Councillor, Penryn East & Mylor
Jayne Kirkham CC	Cornwall Councillor, Falmouth Smithick
Mary May CC	Cornwall Councillor, Penryn West
Peter Williams CC	Cornwall Councillor, Mabe, St Gluvias & Perranarworthal
David Saunby CC	Cornwall Councillor, Falmouth Trescobeas
Geoffrey Evans CC	Cornwall Councillor, Falmouth Arwenack
Alan Jewell	Cornwall Councillor, Falmouth Boslowick
Darren Willcocks	St Gluvias Parish Council
Phil Hart	Budock Parish Council
Michelle Wilkinson	Mabe Parish Council
Amie Fulton	University of Exeter
Stuart Douglas	Perranwell Community Speedwatch
Jack Pentecost	Constituency Assistant – Cherilyn Mackrory MP
PS Paul Kelly	Devon & Cornwall Police
Brian O'Neill	CC Consultant in Public Health
Esther Richmond	CC Community Link Officer
Nikki Drewett	CC Communities Support Assistant
Apologies: Jonathan Price	CC Corporate Leadership Team Representative
Ann Smith	CC Head of Adult Care and Support
Malcom Bennett	Budock Parish Council
Jacqueline Davey	Perranarworthal Parish Council
Mark Williams	Clerk, Falmouth Town Council
Insp Martin Roberts	Devon & Cornwall Police

Notes

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1	<p>Welcome and Introductions</p> <p>John Bastin CC, Community Network Panel Chair welcomed all present and explained the purpose of the Extraordinary Meeting.</p>	
2	<p>Public Questions</p> <p>None received.</p>	
3	<p>Local Outbreak Management Plan</p> <p>Brian O'Neill, CC Consultant in Public Health provided a presentation to the Panel (attached with notes) to give an overview of the Local Outbreak Control Plan.</p> <p>A number of concerns were raised by Panel Members regarding the student population, University Campus and accommodation (University & private landlords), and how control measures are being adhered to.</p> <p>BO reassured the Panel that Public Health are working very closely with the University, reinforcing messages in terms of size of households and working closely with private landlords to ensure they are doing what they have been asked.</p> <p>Public Health England capture the data regarding the number of confirmed cases, however at present there is no formal method of monitoring people who have recovered from but have been left with additional health issues. This is known as Long Covid and can cause symptoms similar to chronic fatigue.</p> <p>BO confirmed that the self-isolation period is 14 days.</p> <p>There was a discussion regarding Outbreak Response Communication and who is notified. Town & Parish Council's requested they be communicated with and informed.</p> <p>It was suggested that some work is done with Parishes to allow some online communication between local elderly people and students/individuals to reinforce Public Health messages. This would help individuals to take some responsibility and adhere to the guidelines.</p> <p>Action: BO will take this back to the Public Health Team.</p> <p>Concern was also raised regarding the University being open to students during the current pandemic, and people visiting the University from other parts of the country for face to face tours.</p> <p>Amie Fulton, University of Exeter explained the Government made the decision that education is essential and reassured the Panel that all possible measures have been taken to ensure there are covid secure areas on campus</p>	

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	<p>and any student found to be not acting responsibly will face disciplinary action. AF also explained that any face to face visits/tours of campuses have ceased until next year.</p> <p>Esther Richmond informed the Panel that the University are meeting with Town & Parish Councils on a regular basis. The next meeting is in December and Town & Parish Council representatives have been invited. It's key that everyone works together.</p> <p>If anyone has any concerns the Public Health Team can be contacted by email: phhelpdesk@cornwall.gov.uk</p> <p>Cllr Bastin thanked Brian ONeill for attending the meeting.</p>
<p>4</p>	<p>Partner Updates</p> <p>Cllr Bastin welcome PS Paul Kelly, Devon and Cornwall Police to the meeting.</p> <p>PS Kelly explained the Police are currently involved in Covid related work in the Falmouth area. The Safer Falmouth Partnership have been meeting on a fortnightly basis and the membership comprises of the Police, Licensing, Universities and other partner agencies such as We are With You (formerly Addaction), Town Council, and Salvation Army etc. The recent meetings have been addressing Covid related issues in Falmouth and surrounding areas.</p> <p>Other current work involves a drug network operation in Falmouth and street drinkers in the town. There is multi-agency working to ensure people are given the right support.</p> <p>Concerns were raised from Mabe Parish Council regarding the policing of the skate park during lockdown. There was a high level of anti-social behaviour with youths ignoring the restrictions and closure signs. A Parish Councillor visited the skate park on a regular basis and was faced with verbal abuse. This was reported to the Police on a number of occasions, but it was felt there was very little support.</p> <p>There were also issues of an individual defecating in the Memorial Gardens and leaving behind drug paraphernalia. Again, these were reported via 101. PS Kelly reassured Mabe PC they were aware of the issues and did patrol the area, but unfortunately patrols can't be everywhere at once.</p> <p>PS Kelly will check the report logs and look to see why this wasn't addressed. Similar issues were reported in Trescobeas Park.</p> <p>PS Kelly reinforced the need to report any issues via 101, Webchat or email as the Police need evidence to be able to deal with issues.</p> <p>Cllr May reported there are issues currently in Penryn with people parking illegally on the pedestrian crossing zig zag lines, while collecting food from a local takeaway. The Police are aware and will liaise with Helen Newton and</p>

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<p>the CCTV Team at Tolvaddon to see if they can capture registration plates etc from the footage.</p> <p>ER explained she also attends the Safer Falmouth Partnership meetings and these cover the wider network area. Please let ER know of any issues and these can be flagged up, but still always report via 101.</p> <p>Reports of a caravan parked in Divers Car Park and camper vans parked on the sea front.</p> <p>ER confirmed that this has already been flagged up and there have been discussions regarding a Public Space Protection Order (PSPO). To be able to implement a PSPO there needs to be firm evidence of ASB. Currently working with the relevant agencies to find a suitable resolution.</p> <p>There are ongoing parking issues in Flushing with local residents coning off parking spaces in the road outside their properties. The cones were recently removed by CORMAC, and now residents are using garden furniture such as patio tables and chairs.</p> <p>PS Kelly advised this needs to be reported via 101 so the Police are aware and if a long-standing issue, email concerns to 101 to help to build up a picture. The Police are able to be involved if there is an obstruction to the highway.</p> <p>There are reports of two cars regularly parked on the pavement on the main A39 (near to the Police Station) which are causing pedestrians to move into the road.</p> <p>PS Kelly reiterated the need for this to be reported via 101 at the time. If this becomes an ongoing issue, enquiries can be made with the registered keeper of the vehicle/s. This could lead to the vehicle/s being towed away.</p>	
<p>5 Any Other Business</p> <p>Cllr Jewell commented on the new speed signs by the Norway Inn on A39 and how well they work and suggested similar signage could be installed on Bickland Road.</p> <p>Cllr Williams will forward the information to Cllr Jewell.</p>	PW/AJ
<p>6 Date of Next Meeting</p> <p>Tuesday 17th November 2020 – Microsoft Teams</p> <p>Topic – Highways Scheme</p>	
<p>7 Meeting Close</p>	