



HURST Villager

HURST VILLAGE SOCIETY

E- ZINE: April 2017



This Saturday. 1st April

Meet at the Village Halls at 09.00hrs.

Tabards, black bags and pickers provided
wear suitable clothing, shoes and gloves

The main areas include:

Wokingham Road (part), Forest Road, Sandford Lane, Whistley Green Lane
Davis Street, Dunt Avenue / Lane, Lines Road and roads around the village centre.



Chief Constable Francis Habgood said: “In light of the recent tragic incident in London, the cooperation of our communities is more important than ever before.

“I would urge you to contact the police straight away if you believe that someone is acting suspiciously. Trust your instincts and let us decide whether the information is important or not. No piece of information is considered too small or insignificant.

“I would like to reassure you that Thames Valley Police has reviewed our security measures and there is no specific intelligence to suggest a threat to our communities within Oxfordshire, Buckinghamshire and Berkshire.

“My officers and staff will continue to provide a visible presence in our communities and we have specialist resources in place to respond in an emergency.”



Me2 Club enables children and young people with additional needs to take part in a mainstream leisure activity of their choice. We work throughout Wokingham Borough.

If you can help support our work, either with fundraising or by volunteering with us, please do get in touch via the contact details on our website www.me2club.org.uk. We would also love to hear from you if there is a child or young person in your family who would benefit from our help



re3 has launched a series of 'Mythbusters' information sheets that you can use to help answer many of your questions and concerns about waste management and recycling.

The whole series is available from our website:

here: <http://www.fccenvironment.co.uk/mythbusters.html>

There's also a YouTube video illustrating where to find the information on www.re3.org.uk. Please find the video here youtu.be/mTwxRvaPy-o Thank you for your support.

Anna Fowler

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The new (12 sided) £1 coin launched today - 28th March



It's the first time the pound coin has been changed in more than 30 years. The old coins were easily illegally copied which meant that lots of worthless pound coins have been in circulation.

The Royal Mint, who create the coins, said that this one will be "the most secure coin in the world" making the pound coins harder to illegally copy. The new coins look a lot different to the old ones but that's not the best bit. It has a picture like a hologram that changes from a '£' symbol to the number '1' when the coin is seen from different angles with all sorts of added extras to the way the coin looks.

There is even a hidden high-security feature built into the coin to protect it from being illegally copied but the details haven't been made public.

What images are on the coin? The design on the 'tails' side of the coin features four emblems to represent each of the nations of the United Kingdom - the English rose, the leek for Wales, the Scottish thistle, and the shamrock for Northern Ireland - emerging from a single stem within a crown.

The design was based on artwork by 15-year-old David Pearce, who won the competition to design the new coin.

What do you do with your old coins?

You will still be able to use the round £1 coin until 15th October, after that date they then become worthless. People will have to swap their old coins for new ones at the bank,

Get those coins out of your piggy banks!

It's thought that around a third of the £1.3 billion worth of coins stored in piggy banks or saving jars around the UK are the current £1 style coin.

The **HURST Villager** Spring Magazine will be dropping on your door mat late April

Note: *The Hurst Village Society Annual General Meeting will be held on Friday, 12th May 2017*
