



## Notification of construction work on Ashburton Road

As contractors to Devon County Council, we are writing to you with regard to the above scheme.

With the ongoing development to the west of Newton Abbot, Devon County Council is undertaking works along Ashburton Road to improve facilities for pedestrians and cyclists that will link new housing to the west, with educational sites and the town centre to the east. At the same time as the improvements are made, some highway maintenance works are also being undertaken, both to the carriageway surface and underlying drainage network.

The aim of this letter is to provide you with some updated information regarding upcoming works that will be taking place at night-time in the vicinity of your property.

These works are located on Ashburton Road between Oak Park Road and Chercombe Bridge Road and are programmed to commence on 17<sup>th</sup> June 2019 for up to 10 nights (weekdays only). During these works sections of Ashburton Road will be closed between 18.30 hours and 07.00 hours each week-day night as follows:

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June to Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June (inclusive) – Oak Park Road to Elmwood Avenue. There will be access into and out of Elmwood Avenue. Residents of Oak Park Road have been consulted individually about access arrangements.

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June, Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June and Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June – Applegarth Close to Chercombe Bridge Road. Access to / from Ashburton Road will be available at both these junctions.

Traffic Marshalls will be on hand at both ends of the road closure and will facilitate access to homes fronting the Ashburton Road.

This schedule is a guide and could change due to factors such as bad weather. The noisiest work such as removing the old road surface will be completed by 23.00 hours, but work may continue through the night and will involve heavy machinery with reversing alarms and flashing lights.

From 18.30 hours a signed diversion route for vehicles will be in place each night that works take place and will be removed by 07.00hours, when Ashburton Road will be re-opened. (Please see attached plan of diversion route). Operatives will be in position at each end of the road closure to control works access and direct drivers. Access for pedestrians will be maintained.

For public transport arrangements during these works please contact the operator via their website at [Stagecoach.com](http://Stagecoach.com).

We apologise for any inconvenience this work may cause.

In the meantime, should you require any further information please feel free to contact us by email [Ashburtonroad@alungriffiths.co.uk](mailto:Ashburtonroad@alungriffiths.co.uk) or telephone us on 03300412184 (*calls to this number are charged at national call rates and included in inclusive minute plans from landlines and mobiles*)

### CALM TOOLS for FAMILIES

OPEN MINDS UK offers emotional wellbeing support for families. Our personalised toolkit helps your child manage tricky times and become more resilient. Sessions cost £45 per hour in Bradninch, near M5 and you take away lots of useful ideas and resources to use at home. It really helps! See website for testimonials.

#### FAMILY COURSE

Our Calm Tools for Families course will take place at Exeter Phoenix on 18th June, 25th June and 2nd July. Cost £80 for one adult and one child.

See website for more details: [www.openmindsuk.org.uk](http://www.openmindsuk.org.uk)

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**Friday 21st June**

**3.30 - 5.00pm**



We would like to say a huge thank you to Lisa Woods who has stepped down as Chair of the Friends due to work commitments. She helped to lead the new committee in some successful events this year.

We are delighted that Tara East has stepped in as Chair. We are all looking forward to future events and initiatives. Watch this space!

**Accelerated Reader**

Top Quizzing Results 18/19	
Jan Kozlowski	100%
Tatiana Barbosa	100%
Ruby Slatter	98.2%
Maria Warren	98.2%
Annie McKinley	98%
Kayla Quainoo	97.6%

Class Quizzing Averages 18/19	
Owl	88.6%
Swallow	88.2%
Kingfisher	84.7%
Woodpecker	81.3%
Puffin	79.8%

### School Clubs

**Monday**

**Civic Award Club (Lunchtime)**

Mrs Soby

**Drama Club**

Miss Hannaford Yr 5/6 (4.30pm)

**KS2 Athletics**

Mr Mugford (4.30pm)

**Thursday**

**Homework Club**

Miss Dunne/Mrs Wilson (4.30pm)

**Friday**

**Forest School Y3/4 (4.30pm)**

Mrs Harrison



The school office is closed between 11.30 am - 12.30 pm and 1.30 - 3 pm. (Please be assured that we will always ring immediately if there is an emergency with your child.)

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### After-School Club/ Breakfast Club

We are delighted that Tara East has been appointed as Play leader to cover maternity leave.

### Marks & Spencer EARLY BIRD OFFER!

20% OFF SCHOOL UNIFORM!  
4<sup>th</sup> June - 2<sup>nd</sup> July



### School Lunches

Reminder to all parents to pre-pay for school meals at the beginning of each week. To avoid debts being run up, Mrs Hobart will check all accounts on a Friday and send an email reminding parents that payment needs to be made, or children will need to bring a packed lunch until the account is in credit again. Thank you for your co-operation.

Holy Spirit, fill us with your wisdom

**Guide us with your light.**

Holy Spirit, fill us with your strength

**Guide us through your Word.**

Holy Spirit, fill us with your courage.

### NON-UNIFORM DAY 21<sup>st</sup> JUNE

In aid of Catholic Children's Society

St Aloysius Day

£1 donation to wear yellow, blue and white.

St Aloysius is the patron saint of Christian Youth and Young Students.



**More school communication will happen via email. Do we have your current email address?**

### Congratulations

Congratulations to Miss Grylls on the safe arrival of baby Tommy on Wednesday 29th May.



Congratulations to Miss James on the safe arrival of baby Archer on Tuesday 28th May.

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Kelly Dunne: Headteacher

**St. Joseph's School is committed to safeguarding children.**

Designated Child Protection Officer: Kelly Dunne Deputy Child Protection Officer: Emma Wilson