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## Hughenden Newsletter

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### The Hughenden Street Association vision

For community life in Hughenden Parish to become better connected, supportive/supported, stronger and friendlier so that all residents are involved in it to the level they desire. This means working to create safer and connected communities encouraging residents to identify the needs of their neighbours to help them engage in the community. The Association has a key role to play in helping develop links to existing facilities whilst also working to support community groups to reach out to as many residents as possible.

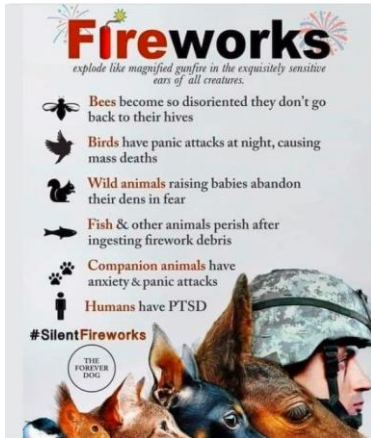
So much has been achieved by the Street Association with more still to do together. Take a look: <http://bit.ly/2Skst40> PLEASE SHARE THIS NEWSLETTER

### Remember, Remember The Fifth Of November

Living in a semi-rural location means that it is important to balance human and enjoyment and that of the wildlife that we care so much about.

November 5<sup>th</sup> is an exciting evening especially for youngsters (and some adults too!) It is, however, traumatic for others.

Do let your neighbours in your street and any nearby streets know well in advance if you will be setting off fireworks in your garden. They need time to protect their pets.



### Authorised Push Payment Scam

First Direct has recently shared this information. Other banks will have also communicated to their customers

"We're always working hard to protect you and your money from all types of scams. As part of this, we wanted to let you know about some new rules, which came into effect on 7 October 2024 and could help if you have money stolen through an Authorised Push Payment (APP) scam.

#### What's an APP Scam?

This is where you're tricked into making a payment to an account outside your control and the person receiving it isn't who you intended to pay, or the payment wasn't for the purpose you originally agreed.

#### Things you need to know

These new rules, due to a change in regulation, only apply to money sent from 7 October 2024 between UK accounts using:

- Faster Payments: a way to send money electronically in near real time
- CHAPS: a type of same day bank transfer, often used for larger payments.

If you need to claim for an APP payment scam:

- the maximum amount you could claim is £85,000
- an excess of £100 may be deducted from the claim amount
- we'll reimburse eligible claims no later than 35 business days after you contact us.

You would need to report the scam to us as soon as possible and provide the information we needed to look into your claim properly."

To find out more on the new rules click [HERE](#).

You may have seen some comments about the fact that the maximum amount that can be claimed has been significantly reduced. This is disappointing as some people have lost 100s of thousands of pounds as seen on the recent Panorama programme.

### For Your Information

Thames Valley Police Social Media Summary [HERE](#).

Have Your Say: taxi licensing review [HERE](#)



Read about the project [HERE](#)



### Dates For The Diary

#### HSA October Get-togethers

**Great Kingshill/Widmer End:** 23<sup>rd</sup> October. Contact Janet Booth, 07976 896219. Held at the **Full Moon**, Little Kingshill

**Afternoon Social at Bon Ami Café** at Naphill Village Hall: 28<sup>th</sup> October at 2.00pm. A chance to catch up and have fun in a convivial setting. Contact Susan Bickerstaffe for details. 07880 519323

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