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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>

Scam Champion: Neighbourhood Alert System

Bucks and Surrey Trading Standards is running a new information/messaging service. They will be sharing the latest scam and rogue trader alerts applicable to where you live. There will also be a useful fortnightly newsletter. If you already receive alerts then you should not need to do anything. However if you have yet to subscribe just click on this link: <https://bit.ly/3nolhne>

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Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/BucksSurreyTS>. You can also

find the team on **Instagram**:
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Spotlight On: reporting criminal activities



It can sometimes feel to be a waste of time reporting criminal activities such as drug dealing in our local area. Leaving a phone message or submitting details online may not result in receiving a call back or an email in response. We may feel that it is not worth reporting repeat incidents as we don't hear anything back. In reality this could not be further from the truth! We may not receive a call back/email however the police do record every incident onto their database. This is crucial in helping them build up the profile of criminal activities. Most recently this led to a drug factory being raided and the organisers caught. Thames Valley Police urge us all to keep alerting them to local criminal activities. Here's how: <https://bit.ly/3gJJm6M>

High Wycombe Street Association launched

Great to see that this newly-created fellow association is already recruiting Street Representatives having only just been launched. There is clearly a need and HSA has helped get things moving. Let's keep the momentum growing here in Hughenden: join HSA today and take an active part as we move forward to face the next challenges!

Listen here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=42i4ITH_omk

Oakridge School in High Wycombe is looking for volunteers to help with reading. As we know from the media there are some areas where children have been adversely affected by the pandemic and now need to try to catch up. Reading is such an important skills and volunteers are needed each day between 1pm and 3pm. Could **YOU** help? To find out more please drop an email to buckseducationaid@gmail.com

Dementia Awareness Week, 17th - 23rd May 2021

Wycombe District Dementia Action (**WDDA**) will launch its first YouTube presentation at **11am on Monday 17th May**. Do attend the launch – called a 'Premiere' by YouTube (!) – and leave your comments which the team would really appreciate. Here is the link: <https://bit.ly/2Q8JCBa>

Don't forget to 'like' **WDDA** on **Facebook** and follow them on **Twitter**?

Facebook: @WDDementiaAction

Twitter: @WDDAction20

One Can Trust: April Update



The work of the Trust continues and whilst there are positive signs of demand failing it is too early to say if this trend will continue. Here is an update from Jo at OCT:

'In the week to 16 April 2021, we supported 458 people, 189 of which were children (41%). Last week we supported 520 people and 47% children.

In the week to 16 April 2021, parcels were delivered to 221 homes.

In March 2020, the average number of people we were supporting was 225 per week.

We are currently supporting 104% more people compared with pre-COVID times. In other words, we're supporting twice as many people as we were.

In March 2021, the value of the food parcels that we provided was in excess of £52,000'.

Check this week's shopping list here:

<https://bit.ly/3dmopv1>

Domestic Violence and Abuse



It is a sad reality that the lockdowns have made life a misery for some people – both men and women. Domestic violence and abuse have increased significantly as victims are forced to share a house with their abuser. **Bucks Council** is running an online workshop highlighting some of the signs for this violence and abuse. If you would like to participate please contact Jacqueline Austin-Lavery for more details using the following email address: .

communities@buckinghamshire.gov.uk

The event is taking place on **Wednesday 12th May** at 10.30am

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