

# NEWS Roundup

## Week Ending 30.10.20



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## ChALC Focus

### \*\*\*\* VIRTUAL TRAINING SESSIONS \*\*\*

Please see the ChALC website [here](#) for the latest training schedule dates, times and session outlines. To book your place(s) on any training session please contact Nikki Hewitt – [NikkiHewitt@chalc.org.uk](mailto:NikkiHewitt@chalc.org.uk)

## Teaser Question

What do St James' and St Paul's Parish Church - Marton, St James the Great Church - Gawsorth and St John the Baptist - Guilden Sutton and ChALC have in common? All will be revealed at the ChALC Virtual Annual Meeting on 19<sup>th</sup> November 2020 – have you booked your place yet?

## Other

### **Royal Voluntary Service Virtual Village Hall**

The Virtual Village Hall is a programme of themed online activities designed to enjoy at home. Sessions are led by expert tutors, Royal Voluntary Service activity coordinators, volunteers and some well-known faces, and require very little space or equipment. See <https://www.royalvoluntaryservice.org.uk/virtual-village-hall/> for more information.

## Cheshire West & Chester Focus

### **5 Member Briefings and associated papers attached**

**1597 - Three new Local Testing Sites for the borough:** Ellesmere Port, Frodsham and Blacon sites planned to open within two weeks, with installation starting at Ellesmere Port on Monday.

**1600 - Business and self-employed support:** To update members with details of the business and self-employed support announcements.

**1601 - Supporting our businesses through the pandemic:** The Council and our partners offer an extensive business support service that always aims to give practical advice and support but is particularly relevant now as new restrictions are in place.

**1602 - Care home visiting:** Update on local arrangements for families visiting relatives in care homes during COVID-19 pandemic.

**1603 - Libraries Phased Recovery – Service updates and changes:** Reintroductions of standard loan periods and overdue charges. Manifesto pledge - no fines for Under 13s and new autumn digital programme.

### **Live Well Cheshire West**



Whatever your communities current COVID status, Cheshire West and Chester's Live Well site has lots of information and services to support you. During this Half Term you can find support, information and resources in our [Support for children eligible for free school meals during half term](#) section, not to mention a raft of other helpful resources and information

## Cheshire East Focus

**Covid-19 Briefing for Elected Members 29.10.20**

## VACANCIES

Further details available [here](#) on the ChALC website

**Kingsmead Parish Council**  
Clerk & Responsible Financial Officer  
20 hours per week  
Closing Date: 13<sup>th</sup> November 2020

**Kingsley Parish Council**  
Part-time Clerk & Responsible Financial Officer  
8 hours per week initially  
Closing Date: 27<sup>th</sup> November 2020