



Wimborne Wagtails Spring Newsletter 2020



<https://www.wimbornewagtails.org.uk/>

COVID 19 UPDATES

We have recently updated the website with links to the Government and Local Authority websites regarding latest information on COVID 19.

<https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>

<https://www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/emergencies-severe-weather/emergencies/coronavirus/coronavirus-covid-19.aspx>

<https://www.bcpccouncil.gov.uk/News/News-Features/COVID19/coronavirus-covid-19.aspx>

New guidelines regarding exercise for people with learning disabilities and/or autism were published on 9th April 2020 and can be found on the link below at Question 15.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-outbreak-faqs-what-you-can-and-cant-do/coronavirus-outbreak-faqs-what-you-can-and-cant-do>

Please always refer to current website information, as it is changing all the time.

KEEPING IN TOUCH DURING LOCKDOWN

As we are no longer able to meet up during lockdown and to keep us all in touch, the Trustees have set up 2 new groups on social media.

Zoom — group chat

If you would like to take part, you will need to download the Zoom App and enter Sarah's ID 573 509 9052

Every Saturday at 11.00

Wagtails Whats App group.

If you would like to be added to the group you will need to download Whats App and contact Julian on 07923 993630.

You can still keep up to date by checking in with our website and Facebook page.

<https://www.wimbornewagtails.org.uk/>

<https://www.facebook.com/wimbornewagtailsswimmingclub>

CLUB NEWS—AGM Saturday 16th May 11.00 on Zoom

This year we have decided to hold a very short AGM to enable us to officially handover to the new Chairman and Vice Chair and carry out official business. As things are so uncertain at the moment we wanted to move forward with this. In lieu of this and when the restrictions have been lifted, we plan on a much deserved social event.

At the AGM we will be announcing the resignation of Jacqui as Chairman/ Trustee with Julian Vernon taking on the Chairman's role.

Alex will be standing down as Vice Chair and her role will be taken on by Sarah McDonald. Other Trustee roles will remain the same. If you have any objections to these new positions or issues that need to be made at the meeting, please contact current Trustees listed below. Please contact Alex if you would like to attend this meeting.

Membership & Fees

Due to the current circumstances we are unable to swim at this time, therefore membership and swim charges have been temporarily suspended. Anyone who has kindly set up a standing order, please cancel until further notice.

Amazon Smile

Don't forget you can still support Wagtails by choosing us as your charity when shopping with Amazon Smile!

Jigsaw offer

Ruth from Dial a Ride is offering to deliver you a jigsaw from her large selection. Please contact her direct on 01202 880827.

Fundraising

We are applying to Sport England with regard to funding pool hire for 6 months which if successful will enable us to offer free swimming!

Swimming

After lockdown, when we are able to return to the pool, Jacqui and Liz will be looking at new ways to run swim sessions and keep within to social distancing rules. There may be changes that members need to prepare for. We will give more information nearer the time.

Sponsored Swim Challenge — will be postponed until later in the year when the restrictions have been lifted.

Trustees at April 2020. (New Trustees/Committee Members will be listed on next Newsletter)

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Helen Rolf	Admin Support		helen@wimbornewagtails.org.uk
Colin Burrows	Meet & Greet		based in reception at sessions.