

Issue No. 24

## New fence around Young Children's Play Area at KGV Playing Field



It took a little longer than the 2-3 days it was originally intending to take, but a new fence has now been installed around the toddler play area at the King George V playing field. This replaced the old wooden fence, which was becoming a health and safety hazard.

## Live in Loose & need help?

If you live in Loose, are vulnerable and need help with shopping, collecting prescriptions, etc., please contact **Community Warden, Liz Lovatt**  
**Tel: 07813 712107**

## GP Provision and Local Health Care

Maidstone Borough Councillor for Loose Ward, Susan Grigg, has been invited to a GP Provision and Local Health Care meeting, due to take place on Mon 1 November 2021. She would like to hear from any residents who have had either good or bad experiences relating to GP Provision and Local Health Care which they would like to share with her. To let your views be known, please email her prior to 1 November: [susangrigg@maidstone.gov.uk](mailto:susangrigg@maidstone.gov.uk)

## A229 Traffic Issues

Speeding on the A229 continues to cause concern: Whilst the local Speedwatch group is starting to resume, it can only provide 'snapshots' over one/two hour periods. The Council's Environment Committee recently commissioned longer traffic surveys on three roads in the parish, including the A229 viaduct to Linton crossroads section. Data is being analysed, hoping to help persuade KCC to reduce the speed limit. Recent months have, however, seen incidents on the supposedly safer section of the A229 from Lancet Lane to the W heatsheaf junction (which is technically outside the parish boundary) so speeding seems only one of several factors to be considered.

30 September 2021

## Community Coffee Mornings

At the last main LPC meeting Community Coffee mornings were discussed. Councillors agreed to start the sessions at 9.30am, rather than 9am.

### LOOSE COMMUNITY COFFEE MORNINGS

Loose Parish Pavilion King George V Playing Field  
Walnut Tree Lane Loose ME15 9RG

**All Welcome!**  
9.30am-12noon

**WEDS 13 October 2021**  
**WEDS 10 November 2021**  
**WEDS 8 December 2021**

& every 2nd Wednesday of each month  
(subject to Covid government guidelines)

- Are you sitting indoors with nothing to do?
- Are you visiting the KGV playing field with your children?
- Would you like to meet other Loose residents?
- Free tea and coffee (though donations always welcome!)
- Book and Jigsaw swap service – 50p per item
- Companion Dogs welcome too

If you require further details or can offer help by making drinks, washing-up or meeting and greeting, please contact **Anne Rigby**  
Tel: 07419 986538 email: [office@loose-pc.gov.uk](mailto:office@loose-pc.gov.uk)  
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## LPC - Council & Committee Meetings

*Council & Committee meetings are held at the KGV Parish Pavilion. Members of the public are welcome to attend any council or committee meetings. Agendas are published the week prior to the meeting on the parish council website and noticeboards.*

**04 Oct 7pm LPC Planning Committee**  
**04 Oct 7.45pm LPC Human Resources Board – Held in private due to the confidential nature of items being discussed**  
**11 Oct 7.30pm LPC Pavilion & Community Hub Committee**  
**18 Oct 7.30pm LPC Planning Comm.**  
**18 Oct 7.30pm Loose Parish Council**  
**01 Nov 7.30pm LPC Planning Comm.**