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WELCOME TO THE LATEST ENEWS



It is wonderful to see more people returning to the city centre as footfall continues to increase and more businesses reopen COVID-19 Secure, there are over 70 businesses in Winchester taking part in the Eat Out to Help Out scheme and last week was celebrated as Shop Local Week.

Pictured above: Neil Parker and Rob Window (Police Community Support Officers,

Hampshire Constabulary), Jane Bastock (Business Crime Reduction Manager, Winchester BID) and the BID Rangers, Graham and Josh - helping to safely welcome people back to Winchester city centre.

We are continuing to regularly update the Coronavirus guidance page on the Winchester BID website and below are some recent updates.

winchesterbid.co.uk/coronavirus-guidance

- The Prime Minister confirmed on 13 August that more businesses could reopen from 15 August and beauty salons, tattoo studios, spas and barbers can now offer all close contact services. [Click here to find out more.](#)
- Back to Business packs are available for Winchester businesses, including the [Back to Business pack for retailers](#) and the [Back to Business pack for hospitality, visitor economy and close contact services.](#)
- Further [back to business advice](#) from Winchester City Council's Environment Health team is available on the Council's website.
- To find out what Coronavirus financial support is available for your business, please use the [Business Support Finder](#) on the Government's website.
- To help you easily access the correct guidance on how to safely reopen your business use the [Working Safely Tool](#) on the Government's website.



ENJOY SUMMER SAFELY

As part of the Government's 'Enjoy Summer Safely' campaign, last week Winchester BID supported #ShopLocal Week. The team are also working with Visit Winchester on local campaigns for the rest of summer as well as planning for autumn and the festive season.

visitwinchester.co.uk/we-cant-wait-to-welcome-you-back/

'EAT OUT TO HELP OUT' SCHEME ENDS 31 AUGUST - DON'T MISS OUT!

This scheme offers customers a discount when eating out Monday to Wednesday during August which businesses can claim back from the Government.

[FIND OUT WHICH LOCAL BUSINESSES](#)



**FIND OUT WHICH LOCAL BUSINESSES
ARE PARTICIPATING, CLICK HERE:**

tax.service.gov.uk/eat-out-to-help-out/find-a-restaurant



WINCHESTER HERITAGE OPEN DAYS, 11 TO 20 SEPTEMBER

Winchester BID are very pleased to be supporting Winchester Heritage Open Days again this year, with an exciting programme of online and in-person events, including a series of short films featuring local businesses. This year's programme is now online.

TO FIND OUT MORE, CLICK HERE:

winchesterheritageopendays.org

WINCHESTER GREEN WEEK, 27 SEPTEMBER TO 4 OCTOBER

BID members can get involved by creating a flag for a stream of 'bunting' for the High Street and side streets of Winchester.

Your flags, decorated with artwork, poems and photos will be a collective message of hope about what doing more together for the planet means. Part of the 'Images of Hope' concept for Green Week 2020.

TO FIND OUT MORE, CLICK HERE:

[Green Week summer project pack](#)



Winchester Green Week

SUSTAINABLE BUSINESS NETWORK WEBINAR, 30 SEPTEMBER

Winchester BID is part of the Sustainable Business Network steering committee and





our next webinar will be on 30 September 'Sustainability: The New Normal?'

TO BOOK YOUR PLACE, CLICK HERE:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/sustainable-working-after-the-lockdown-tickets-116095981205>

IS YOUR BUSINESS 'GOOD TO GO'?

Visit Britain and Visit England have been working with the tourism and hospitality sectors and with the Government and Public Health England to develop a new COVID-19 industry standard. The initiative provides confidence for businesses and reassurance for customers.

TO FIND OUT MORE, CLICK HERE:

goodtogo.visitbritain.com



HELP US TO SHARE YOUR BUSINESS UPDATES WITH THE PUBLIC

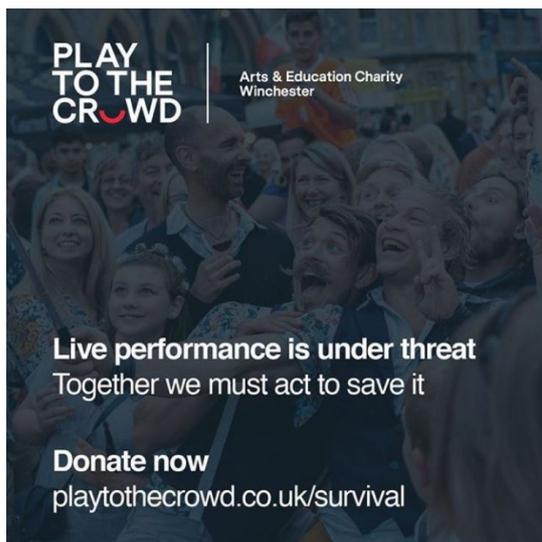
We are sharing updates from Winchester businesses across our BID social media channels. Tag @WinchesterBID and use #HelloWinchester for a story share on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#) or a retweet on [Twitter](#). Help us to share your current business updates with our audiences on our social media channels.

RAIN OR SHINE, IN PERSON OR VIRTUALLY, WE ARE HERE FOR YOU

With the full Winchester BID team back, joining their colleagues who worked throughout the lockdown supporting local



throughout the lockdown supporting local businesses, planning and preparations are underway for multiple projects across the city centre. Watch this space! To contact the team, call 01962 841000 or email enquiries@winchesterbid.co.uk.



PLEASE SUPPORT THE PLAY TO THE CROWD SURVIVAL APPEAL

Play to the Crowd is the arts and education charity which brings us [Theatre Royal Winchester](#), [Hat Fair](#) and [Playmakers](#). The charity contributes so much to the community and the local economy. Together we must act to save it!

TO FIND OUT MORE, CLICK HERE:

<https://playtothecrowd.co.uk/survival>

ROADWORKS TAKING PLACE NEAR TO YOUR BUSINESS?

You can find out who is carrying out the works and when they are expected to be completed by visiting: <https://roadworks.org/>

HOW WE CAN ALL SUPPORT LOCAL BUSINESSES

For lists of businesses which have recently reopened in Winchester city centre please visit the news section on our website:

<https://winchesterbid.co.uk>

To find out which restaurants, pubs, bars and cafes are participating in the Government's Eat Out to Help Out scheme in Winchester:

<https://www.tax.service.gov.uk/eat-out-to-help-out/find-a-restaurant/>

Philip Clark has created a website which is regularly updated and lists grocery delivery, shops and bakeries, restaurants and pubs:

<https://winchesterlocal.uk/>

Hampshire Fare have launched their 'Stay Loyal, Stay Local' campaign:

<https://www.hampshirefare.co.uk/>

If you are able and it is safe to do so, please support your local businesses.

- Open businesses have new safety measures in place to protect you and their staff and provide peace of mind so you can enjoy your visit.
- Many businesses across a wide range of sectors can still provide services to you remotely or online.
- You can choose to 'shop locally' online and support local businesses.
- Order local takeaway or home delivery.
- Buy gift vouchers to use later.
- Rate your favourite local businesses with 5 star reviews.
- Donate online to local charities.
- Find out more by visiting the websites of your favourite local businesses or by following them on social media.
- Follow Winchester BID on social media – we are sharing updates from local businesses using #HelloWinchester on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and [Twitter](#).

HEALTH & WELLBEING

Gyms and fitness studios in Winchester have started reopening!

[Anytime Fitness](#) | [Energie Fitness](#) | [New Energy Fitness](#) | [New Energy Yoga](#) | [Orangetheory Fitness](#) | [River Park Leisure Centre](#) | [Winchester Lido Sports Association](#) | [Winchester Pilates](#)

For advice, tips and tools to help you make the best choices about your health and wellbeing, please visit: <https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/>

NHS advice on Coronavirus (COVID-19): <https://www.nhs.uk/coronavirus>

ARE YOU HOSTING AN EVENT OR OFFERING A SERVICE WHICH CAN HELP PEOPLE WHO WORK IN WINCHESTER TO LIVE WELL?

If BID members are hosting a health and wellbeing event or offering a service which can help people who work in Winchester to live well - we want to know, so we can help to promote it here! Please contact: enquiries@winchesterbid.co.uk.

WINCHESTER CITY COUNCIL BUSINESS SERVICES

For information about the free business support service for businesses in Winchester District provided by IncuHive on behalf of Winchester City Council:

www.winchester.gov.uk/business/information-support-and-advice

For upcoming Winchester Sustainable Business Network webinars:

www.hampshireinsustainablebusiness.co.uk

www.hampshirechamber.co.uk
For all other information for businesses from Winchester City Council:
www.winchester.gov.uk/business

HAMPSHIRE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

For upcoming online events and webinars from Hampshire Chamber of Commerce:
www.hampshirechamber.co.uk/events-and-news.html

Winchester BID members receive a 20% discount on Hampshire Chamber of
Commerce memberships fees:

www.hampshirechamber.co.uk/membership-and-offers

CENTRAL WINCHESTER REGENERATION

Winchester City Council are seeking the comprehensive redevelopment of the
central Winchester area. You can stay up to date with the latest news on this
regeneration programme here:

www.winchester.gov.uk/projects/5744/central-winchester-regeneration

STATION APPROACH

The City Council would like to realise the potential of the area around Winchester
railway station, known as Station Approach. You can stay up to date with the latest
news on this regeneration programme here:

www.winchester.gov.uk/projects/5741/station-approach

JULY VACANCY RATE SURVEY REPORT

To view the July vacancy rate survey report for Winchester [click here](#).

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