



THE ALTONIAN WEEKLY

WEEK 31
11th August 2022

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Hampshire Search & Rescue



Hampshire search and rescue will be undertaking a training exercise this Sunday, 14th August at Anstey Park and the surrounding areas.

The training exercise will start in and around Anstey Park and then move out to some of the housing estates and Howard's Lane, Holybourne.

The use of drones will also feature as part of the exercise and will fly from Diggers (Anstey Park extension) under the control of a pilot and will be accompanied by another Hampshire Search & Rescue team member and the drone(s) will be flown in accordance with CAA protocols.

The Hampshire Search & Rescue team will set up in the Alton School car park (Control Point) and deploy from there on foot.

Anstey park and Diggers will probably be used for transiting or a search around the perimeter and a land rover may be used to ferry a team to a location.

south east water

There has been a lot of coverage in the news about a hosepipe and sprinkler 'Temporary Use Ban'. Alton currently doesn't have a ban, but for further information and to check whether you are affected by the temporary ban using your postcode click on the following link:

<https://www.southeastwater.co.uk/about/updates/tubs>

Even though we are not in an area with a hosepipe ban. You may use your hosepipe but please do so sparingly to ensure there is enough water for everyone.

Summer Club

There will be lots of dancing, singing, crafts, stories and so much fun!

Every Thursday in August (4th, 11th, 18th, 25th of August) From 10am until 1pm At St Lawrence Church

For ages 4 to 11 (Children in primary school or starting primary school in September)

Greater Alton Project
Wesleyan & Methodist Jointing Church

To sign up please email: martha@potr-alton.co.uk

Summer Reading Challenge

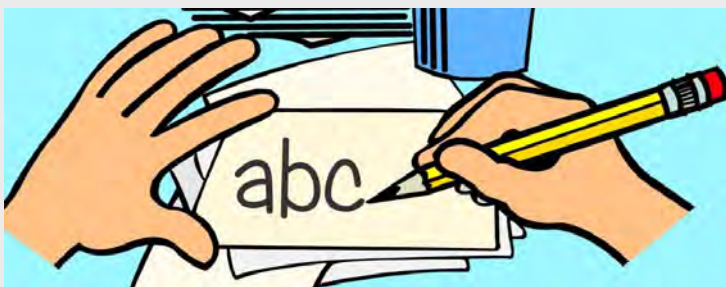


The Summer Reading Challenge is a great way to share stories and encourage reading throughout the summer holidays, a time when children's reading skills can sometimes dip.

The theme of the challenge this year is Gadgeteers. Join Eddie, Leo, Ajay, Maggie, Aisha and James and discover the amazing science and innovation behind the world around you! Everyone who finishes the challenge has a chance to win a Samsung Galaxy tablet too!

<https://www.hants.gov.uk/librariesandarchives/kids-zone>

Children's Writing Competition



To celebrate Her Majesty's Platinum Jubilee, Alton Town Council launched a children's creative writing competition with a Royal theme in June.

We are inviting children of all ages to let their imaginations run wild and submit a short story or poem for inclusion in our first children's anthology in aid of the Town Mayor's Charity 2022/2023.

To download a copy of the form please go to http://www.alton.gov.uk/Childrens_Writing_Competition_2022_42645.aspx

Free entertainment

Generously supported by:



Fun Fridays



Free Children's Entertainment

2.00pm - 3.00pm
Public Gardens, Alton



29th July
Baby Ballet



5th August
Magic Wanda



12th August
Scotty's Circus Skills



19th August
Zumba Kids



26th August
Professor Potty's Magic Show

WET WEATHER RELOCATION
In the event of wet weather Fun Fridays will be in the Assembly Rooms, High Street, Alton.

Bikeability Lessons

Our next Bikeability level 1 lessons are on Tuesday 16th August at Anstey Park. We still have availability at the following times:

11:30am - 1:30am
2:00pm - 4pm

Groups are limited to 10 children.

If you would like more information please go to:

http://www.alton.gov.uk/Free_Bikeability_Lessons_42916.aspx

A promotional banner for Bikeability Lessons. It features the Alton Town Council logo, the CycleRight logo, and a sun icon. The text says "DEVELOP YOUR CYCLING SKILLS THIS SUMMER FREE BIKEABILITY LEVEL 1 LESSONS". Below this, it says "DON'T DELAY BOOK TODAY! SOME SESSIONS ARE ALREADY FULLY BOOKED. VISIT WWW.ALTON.GOV.UK FOR MORE DETAILS". At the bottom, there are three cartoon children riding bicycles.

SKATE JAM

SUN 21ST AUGUST 2022

JUBILEE SKATEPARK ALTON



FREE EVENT!



All ages, all genders. Everyone skates together.
Prizes will be awarded for individual performance.
Land something dope and score some free stuff.

Death Race • Deez Nutz Bundle • Best Trick • Rider of the Day
Music • Food • Merch • Demos

Sponsored By:

SHRUNKEN HEAD SKATES - 110 HIGH STREET - ALTON



Prizes By:



Authentic French Market



Alton HIGH STREET
Saturday 27th August

9am - 5pm

FRANCE AT HOME
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fahmarkets@gmail.com

TODD WILSON



BACK ON THE RACK 2!

SWAP 'TIL YOU DROP THRIFT SHOP

ALTON MALTINGS

6U34 1DT FRIDAY

23RD SEPT 2022

3:30 PM → 6 PM



Swap
your
preloved
clothes

Upcycling
Climate Cafe
Donations
welcome



SUGGESTED FOR THOSE AGED 07-20

EAST HAMPSHIRE LEISURE
LEARNING

Sept-Dec 2022



Enrolling now for Sept 2022
Art, Spanish, French, German, Tai Chi,
Yoga and Fitness.

New Workshops in Abstract Art,
Art for Fun & Fabric Crafts

New Courses in Beginners French,
German, Italian & Spanish and Lipreading
Talks on French & Spanish Culture

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