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Vaccinations help

LLR Health and Social Care has produced an easy read COVID-19 vaccination leaflet, especially for people with learning disabilities. We have attached a copy with this newsletter.

We have heard of lovely gestures from local taxi firms offering free rides to the Measham vaccination centre for people from Coalville and surrounding areas. Contact [Coalville Yellow Cabs](#) or [CK Cars](#) for details of their offers. Do let us know if you know of other kind gestures to help residents.

Voluntary Action Leicestershire (VAL) is looking for volunteers to help out at the vaccination centres. Greeters, stewards and chaperones for patients all needed. Register here to help [VAL online](#)

Think Funding Survey

Think Funding has launched a [survey](#) aimed at Third Sector organisations in Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland.

The survey is designed to find out:

- what impact COVID-19 has had on the ability to raise income
- what organisations think will be the longer-term impact of COVID
- How the pandemic has affected service delivery and governance

The closing date for responses is Sunday 7 February.

Latest COVID-19 Stats

The latest statistics show that, in the past seven days, North West Leicestershire (NWL) has had 310 new cases, a rate of 299.2 cases per 100,000 people. This is less than the 366.8 cases per 100,000 people recorded this time last week across the entire district.

The [Government's interactive map](#) shows that most areas within NWL saw a drop in cases but the following areas have seen an increase: Ibstock and Ellistown (46.7% increase); Hugglescote and Bardon Hill (25.8% increase); Agar Nook (59.1% increase).

You can [run a report](#) that will generate a graph showing the local situation against the national figures. Or [input your postcode](#) to find out the situation for your local area or browse the [interactive map](#) to view local changes since August 2020.



Environmental Health

The district council's environmental health team works hard behind the scenes to keep residents safe. This work has increased considerably since the start of the pandemic and the team works tirelessly, supporting businesses across the district to ensure they are operating within current government guidelines to keep residents safe.

As in other parts of the country, we have covid marshals supporting this work and you may start to see these out in the district.

Whilst the overriding message is to stay at home and keep safe, there are times we need to be out for necessary shopping.

If you have any concerns or wish to report any issues for the team, please email

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Free Supplies for Charities

[Giving World](#) partners with businesses and charities to redistribute end-of-line, surplus and discontinued products, for free.

The products must be for the organisations beneficiaries and not for reselling or fundraising. Food is also available from time to time to groups registered with Giving World.

To view the products and register: [Giving World products and register](#)



Wash Hands



Cover Face



Make Space

