

SHREWSBURY TOWN COUNCIL

Impact on services during the Coronavirus outbreak November 2020

Following the Government's announcement of a second lockdown period from 5 November 2020, the impact on services will be:

Allotments

These will remain open to tenants with strict conditions applied. These must be adhered to.

Bus Shelters

These will remain usable. Any queries regarding the bus service should be made with Shropshire Council at shropshire.gov.uk/public-transport/ or via 0345 678 9006.

Parks and Gardens

We will continue to maintain these areas as normal and allow access to the public wherever possible. Rules around social distancing and usage **must** be adhered to.

The Quarry remains open for the purpose of exercise.

Dingle is open to the public from daily 10am - 3.45pm (apart from Friday - 3.15pm). One-way system is in place to ensure social distancing measure are maintained. Rules around social distancing and usage **must** be adhered to.

All events in the Quarry have been cancelled until January 2021.

Play Areas

Following Government instruction, play areas have re-opened. Rules around social distancing and usage **must** be adhered to.

Splash Park

Following Government instruction, the splash park will remain closed until Spring 2021.

BMX Ramps

Following Government instruction, BMX ramps and tracks are open. Rules around social distancing and usage **must** be adhered to.

Fisheries

Fisheries currently remain open in line with the fishing season and where it is safe to do so. Rules around social distancing and usage **must** be adhered to.

Markets

Both the Market Hall and Sunday market at Battlefield are open for essential items (including food) only. We ask all members of the public to observe social distancing guidance and stay two metres apart when using the markets.

Public Conveniences

The lower & upper Quarry & Abbey Foregate DDA toilet facility are open for use by everyone from 10am – 4pm. The facility is checked and sanitised approximately every half hour during opening hours and safety measures have been put in place to protect the operative and public wishing to use this facility. Current social distancing measures restrict the ability to open up the Mens/Womens blocks. Rules around social distancing and usage **must** be adhered to.

Recreational Grounds and Sports Facilities

Our recreational grounds are open but can only be used in line with Government and the relevant sporting association guidelines. All non-elite sports have ceased and Monkmoor Recreation Ground will be closed from 5pm for safety and security reasons. Please refer to the relevant body regarding specific restrictions.

Youth Services

Our Youth Services are now closed to the public. However, we will still offer support to our members via the internet or telephone during the time slot that clubs would usually be open. We will also be offering online services.

Further details can be found:

https://www.shrewsburytowncouncil.gov.uk/youth-services

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