FERRING PARISH COUNCIL EVENTS UPDATE - Remembrance Day and the Christmas Festivities

Due to Corionavirus (Covid-19), the Parish Council has been forced to consider the arrangements for their two annual events Remembrance Day and the Christmas Festivities.

After much deliberation and to follow Government Guidelines currently in place, the Parish Council has taken the below difficult decisions:



REMEMBRANCE DAY

The annual act of Remembrance organised by Ferring Parish Council and our local Ferring Churches includes a service at St Andrews Church, followed by the laying of wreaths by 38 local organisations at the War Memorial in Ferring Street. The event attracts hundreds of people.

Due to current Government Regulations, any gatherings of more than 6 people are prohibited, therefore at this time the event cannot go ahead

Wreath layers will be invited to lay their wreaths at the war memorial during Sunday 8th November 2020. This small occasion will be facilitated by the Parish Council and will be adhering to social distancing

We ask residents please not to attend the War Memorial unless you have been invited to lay a wreath.

The Royal British Legion's slogan for 2020 is 'remember from home'



CHRISTMAS FESTIVITIES

The Christmas Festivities include, entertainment, Christmas Fair and the Christmas light 'switch on'.

To observe the Government Guidelines at this time, the usual proceedings are simply not an option, therefore, this event has been cancelled.

The Parish Council will still ensure that the centre of the village is illuminated with Christmas Lights.