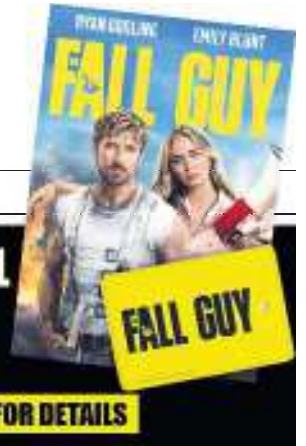


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A young runner loving the bubbles

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This year's Bubble Rush event in aid of Acorns Children's Hospice was 'fantastic', according to organisers.

About 1,000 people joined in the fun in Walsall Arboretum running through mountains of bubbles and raising vital funds at the same time.

Kate Vousden, events manager at Acorns, said: "What a fantastic day! It was incredible to see the mountains of bubbles and the smiles."

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Sainsbury's closed as IT outage still causing problems

Sainsbury's was forced to close its St Marks superstore in Wolverhampton yesterday.

The closure was blamed on "technical difficulties" as several businesses still struggled to cope with global Microsoft problems which crippled companies worldwide on Friday.

A post on Facebook said: "We are currently closed to customers due to technical difficulties, so please don't make a wasted journey."

There were reports the tills were down at the Raglan Street store despite working on Saturday. The petrol station adjoining the superstore was also closed for business.

Customer Rebekah Katy said: "The tills were down and the engineer had been there since 10.30am. We asked when they would be open and they said they did not know."

Meanwhile the Gunmakers Arms pub in Wolverhampton told customers yesterday "cash only again today, sorry for the inconvenience".

A flawed update rolled out by cybersecurity firm CrowdStrike knocked many businesses around the world offline on Friday.

TRIBUTE TO MAN KILLED IN CRASH

West Midlands Police are appealing for witnesses after a 91-year-old man was knocked down and later died.

Armando Mazzone, 91, a much-loved great-great-grandfather, was taken to hospital with serious injuries after he was struck by a car on Penn Road, Wolverhampton at around 9.20am on Thursday, July 11.

Mr Mazzone died in hospital days later. His family are being supported by specialist police officers.

Following the incident, the driver of the vehicle remained at the scene to assist police with their investigation. Now police want to speak to

DANIEL WALTON

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witnesses or anyone with information.

Meanwhile Mr Mazzone's family paid tribute to a man 'whose family meant everything to him'.

A statement from his family released through police read: "The best grandfather, great-grandfather and great-great-grandfather, a role he wore with pride.

"His family meant everything to him and he was the heart of our family. He was fiercely independent and had a real zest for life.

"He planned for a future he never got to live out. Even at 91 he still had more years left in him.

"But he was so cruelly taken from us. He fought in hospital for four days with his family at his bedside, surrounded by love.

"His passing has left a massive hole in our hearts and our lives."

Anyone who has information on the crash is asked to contact West Midlands Police via the 101 number, or alternatively via the Live Chat service on the force website.

Sergeant Julie Lyman, from the Serious Collision Investigation Unit, said: "Our thoughts are with Mr Mazzone's family at this awful time. We are doing all we can to identify the exact circumstances. We would like to hear from people who were driving in the area and have dashcam footage."



Armando Mazzone, who was 91

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WALSALL COUNCIL
LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT 1982, SCHEDULE 4 PARAGRAPH 2
NOTICE OF PUBLIC CONSULTATION TO RE-DESIGNATE THE STREETS IN THE BOROUGH TO CONSENT STREETS

Notice is hereby given that the Walsall Council, in accordance with the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982 is undertaking a public consultation on the designation of the streets in the borough to consent streets. As per the legislation, it is a requirement for this notice to include the proposed resolution, should the council decide to proceed with the designation. Below is the draft resolution:

"In pursuance of the powers conferred upon the council by virtue of schedule 4 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) act 1982, the council hereby makes the decision that all the streets within the borough of Walsall including any road, footway, or other area to which the public have access without payment to be designated as consent streets and shall come in to force on the 01/11/2024"

The consultation will end on the **30/08/2024**. The consultation is to designate all the streets in the borough to Consent streets. Currently streets in the borough are designated as prohibited streets, licensed streets and consent streets.

You can view details of the consultation at:
<https://online1.snapsurveys.com/street-trading>
 Representations to the consultation can be made completing the survey on the link above or by emailing:
Streettradingreview2023@walsall.gov.uk

David Elrington, Head of Community Safety and Enforcement, Walsall Council, Civic Centre, Darwall Street, WS1 1TP.
 Date: 22/07/2024

Public Notices

DUDLEY METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 SECTION 14(1)
DUDLEY METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL
(TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF MEARS COPPICE, QUARRY BANK)
ORDER 2024

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Dudley Metropolitan Borough Council intends to make an Order, the effects of which will be the temporary closure of Mears Coppice, at the bridge over the River Stour. The purpose of the restrictions is to safely facilitate bridge deck replacement works on or near the affected road. The Order will come into force on Monday 5th August 2024 and the works are anticipated to be completed on Friday 27th September 2024. The Order may remain in force for a period of up to 18 months, or until the works are completed, whichever is the earlier.

Access to properties on Mears Coppice will be via Lawnsdown Road. Access to frontages and for emergency services will be maintained where safe to do so.

Any queries on the temporary restrictions imposed, should be made on (01384) 815453.

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THE WOLVERHAMPTON CITY COUNCIL (LEA ROAD/JEFFCOCK ROAD) (TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC) ORDER 2024

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Wolverhampton City Council propose to make an Order under Section 14(1)(a) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991, prohibiting vehicles from proceeding on the following stretches of road:

- Lea Road closed in both directions between its junctions with Lyndhurst Road and Copthorne Road.
- Lea Road closed one way, in a south-western direction, between its junction with Copthorne Road/Jeffcock Road and its junction with Stubbs Road. Vehicular Diversion Route: Stubbs Road, Penn Road and vice versa.
- Jeffcock Road to operate one way in a north-western direction for its entire length, from its junction with Lea Road to its junction with Bradmore Road. Vehicular Diversion Route: Bradmore Road and Birches Barn Road.

The Order may operate for a maximum period of eighteen months, but it is anticipated that the works will be undertaken from 31 July 2024 until 2 August 2024.

The Order is required to facilitate remedial carriageway reinstatement works by Severn Trent Water.

Dated 22 July 2024

David Pattison
 Chief Operating Officer and Solicitor to the Council
 Civic Centre, St Peter's Square
 Wolverhampton WV1 1RG



PUBLIC NOTICE
DUDLEY METROPOLITAN BOROUGH LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1972 - SECTION 123(2A) AS AMENDED BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT, PLANNING AND LAND ACT, 1980

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Dudley Metropolitan Borough Council proposes to dispose of land forming part of Public Open Space, namely:

LAND ADJACENT TO 258 BROMLEY LANE, KINGSWINFORD
 Containing approximately 0.010046 hectares or thereabouts.

A plan showing the boundaries of the land referred to may be inspected at the main noticeboard in the main foyer area of Dudley Council Plus, 259 Castle Street, Dudley, DY1 1LQ between 10.00a.m. and 3.00p.m. Monday to Friday. Objections to the proposed disposal should be sent to me at the under mentioned address, quoting reference: 27094/FMSF3/VJ, by no later than **MONDAY 12th AUGUST 2024**.

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