



**Come see what your
local market has to
offer today...**

1st May - 30th June

9am - 4pm Monday - Saturday

**Buckhurst
Lane Car Park
TN13 1HW**



With seating/dining area – Range of Local Traders – Open Air Entertainment Contact: council@sevenoakstown.gov.uk for more info



APRIL 29th - 8 sessions available



**CURE YOUR ADMIN AGONY WITH HELP VA BUSINESS OWNER,
ENTREPRENEUR AND HIGHLY EXPERIENCED VA, SIOBHAN HOBSON**

Having previously worked for a large accountancy firm based in London, in Executive Assistant and Event Management roles for 10 years. Siobhan founded Help! VA in 2016 – a Virtual Assistant service based in Sevenoaks. Along with a small team, Help! VA provide a multitude of administrative services to clients from a variety of different sectors.

She will answer your administration queries during your 30 minute 1:1 session.

Perhaps you've struggling to get to grips with one of your IT systems, would like some tips on how to better organise your workday, need to create a new process to save you time or have a tricky document you need a hand with.

Whatever your query Siobhan would love to help and is offering Chamber members a discounted price of only **£7.50** (plus eventbrite fees) for a 30 minute 1:1 session. Appointments can be Face to Face or via Zoom – whichever you feel more comfortable with.

We hope that you see the value of this collaboration - book soon to avoid disappointment!

The Sevenoaks and District Chamber of Commerce Team - 01732 455188 - info@sevenoakschamber.com - sevenoakschamber.com

BOOK HERE

Locals to have a say on Sevenoaks sculptures

Residents are being asked for their views on two proposed sculptures for Bligh's in Sevenoaks.

The Council's Public Realm Commission is working with the art community and others to place a piece of public art outside of M&S.

Last year, artists were invited to come forward with their ideas for the busy Sevenoaks site and the Council received more than 35 submissions.

These were shortlisted down to two entries with the help of local artists, businesses and residents.

The first is 'Three and Four' by Oliver Barratt, a bronze statue inspired by coppice trees and hop vines that once grew locally. The statue's verdant green-base is a reference to the green buses that came and went through Bligh's when it was a bus station.

The other is 'Seven Oaks' by Simone Tchonova and Matthijs le Roi. The sculpture represents the oaks of Sevenoaks and is symbolic of climate restoration. Residents would be invited to have their own personal environmental message engraved on one of the 4,500 unique steel pieces that form part of the sculpture.

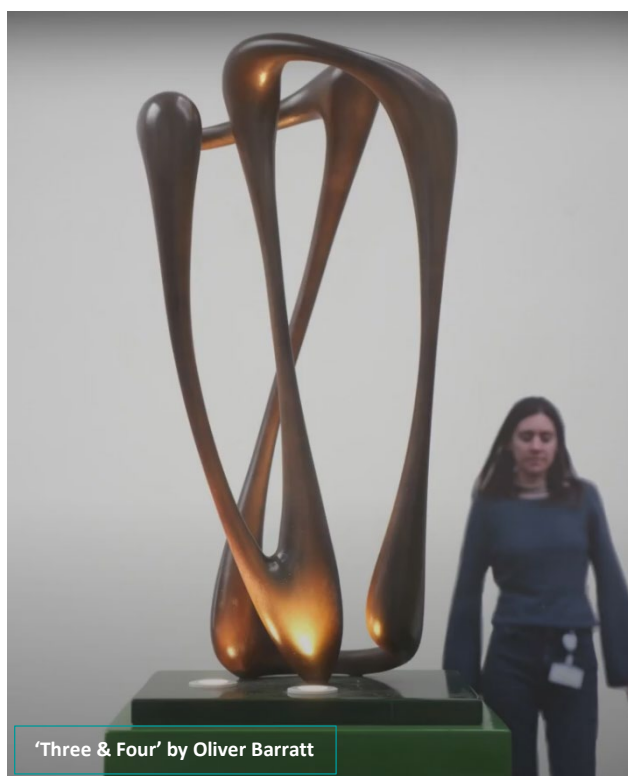
[Residents can find out more and have their say on the proposals by visiting: www.sevenoaks.gov.uk/publicrealm.](http://www.sevenoaks.gov.uk/publicrealm)

The survey will remain open until **5pm on Friday 14 May.**

Cllr Roddy Hogarth, the Council's Commissioner of the Public Realm, says: "We are excited to be bringing public art to such a well-used location, right in the heart of Sevenoaks town.

"The past year has shown us that outdoor spaces are incredibly important so now, more than ever, we want to make the most of our public areas.

"We have shortlisted two outstanding options for the site. We would love to know what residents think of these proposals, so we would urge them to visit our website to find out more and have their say."



Celebrating Dawn Chorus Day!

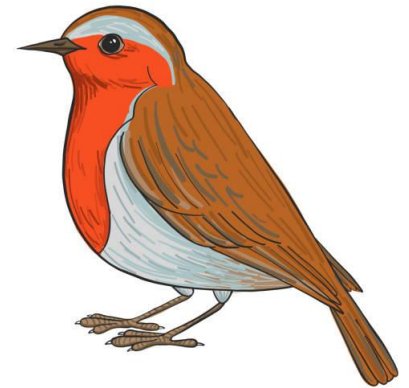
**Join Jaanki for a fun family session all about birds.
Learn to identify common garden birds on
international dawn chorus day**

**Sunday 2nd May 2021
from 9:30am to 10:15am**

OR

from 3pm to 3:45pm

free online event



email Jaanki if you would like to join us on

jaanki.hargrave@kentwildlife.org.uk



Knole is closing its car park on Wednesday 28th April. The main drive, roadways and car park will be closed to allow for a major planned exercise with the Fire Service. They are assessing the hydrants down in the gallops, at the main entrance to the parkland, and will be laying hoses up to the house to test capacity and

water supply pressure. This has to be done ahead of the SEW pipeline project which is now gathering pace in the park.

The park is still open during this time so we ask people that may be driving down to visit, to please park in the Sevenoaks Town Multistorey car park.



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We stock a range of products varying from skincare, haircare, home cleaning & accessories, bundles & gift sets and pet care, accessories & toys. Our products can be bought separately or as one of our sustainable gift sets.

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Ru Paul's Drag Race star joins Silly Billy in Sevenoaks Panto!

Star of the BBC smash hit tv series Ru Paul's Drag Race, Vinegar Strokes, will join Ant Payne as Silly Billy for the fun filled family panto Treasure Island this Christmas!

After a long wait, panto will be back with a bang at the Stag, in this swashbuckling adventure. Ant Payne will once again be leading the fun, playing Silly Billy Bones.

Vinegar Strokes, who has also recently starred in the West End productions of 'Everybody's Talking About Jamie' and 'Death Drop' as well as the hit first season of Ru Paul's Drag Race UK, will play the Magical Mermaid.

Also joining the cast will be Jamie Alexander Wilson as panto dame Mrs Smollett, and Rik Jones as the lovable rouge Long John Silver. Further casting to be announced.

The Pirates Of Treasure Island runs at the Stag Theatre from 10 December - 2 January, with tickets from £16! To book visit www.sevenoakspanto.com





NATIONAL GARDEN SCHEME
Garden Open For Charity



May Cottage

52, St Botolphs Road,
Sevenoaks, TN13 3AG

Sunday 2 May

11am - 5pm

Adults £5 Children free



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drop-in visitors this year
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