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From The Desk Of The Town Clerk



The sad death of HM The Queen was a time of reflection and a 'first' for most of us.

Operation London Bridge set out the protocols and procedures to be observed following the death of the Monarch and was in place ready for such an event at all levels of the UK Government, as well as elsewhere. However, its deployment took a lot of organisation and in a short time, even locally for the Town. I have to praise our Mayor, Councillor Lucy-Jo Symonds, our Civic Officer, George Dyson, the rest of the Council Team and all others involved in making it happen.

I never cease to be amazed at the wide variety of events that take place at Community House; there really is something for everyone. Please take a look at our website, or pop in for more information.

Morrisons is consulting on its plans for a new supermarket and associated units to replace the existing Meridian Centre. Please get involved and make our views known. Community House will be staying where it is and will be integrated into any new development. We are in early discussions with Morrisons regarding how this will happen.

After many years of hard work, the Draft Neighbourhood Development Plan is now completed and ready to be submitted to Lewes District Council for the next stage of its assessment. Shortly after this, all residents will be asked to support the final Plan in a referendum. The result will be a highly professional and detailed document to ensure that future development of the Town is properly controlled and is appropriate.

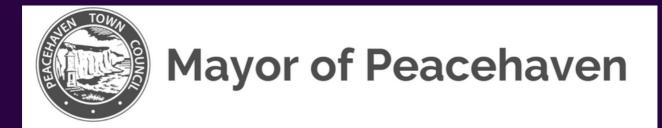


Finally, it was with great sadness that I learned of the death of our past Mayor, Jackie Harrison-Hicks, who passed away on the 19th September.

With best regards

Tony Allen
Town Clerk

From The Mayor Clir Lucy-Jo Symonds



It is with the greatest of sadness that as a nation we mourn the loss of our late sovereign, Queen Elizabeth II.

We remember with immense gratitude the lifetime of service which Her Majesty devoted to our Nation and to the Commonwealth, and whose unwavering dedication has brought us stability and continuity in a world of complexities and change.

Earlier this year, it was my honour as Mayor of Peacehaven to lead the town in celebrating the Platinum Jubilee at the War Memorial with the lighting of the beacon, music, and food. On Friday, at that same location I solemnly laid flowers following the awful news of Her Majesties' passing, and on Sunday, proclaimed the ascension of His Majesty The King, Charles III.

It is with the greatest of respect that I now lead Peacehaven in mourning the loss of our Queen, and on behalf of all residents of the Town, send our most heartfelt condolences to His Majesty The King, and the Royal family at this most difficult of times.

Cllr Lucy-Jo Symonds, Mayor of Peacehaven.

In loving memory of Her Majesty The Queen, Elizabeth II

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Peacehaven Town Mayor

"Making Peacehaven a better place to live, work & visit"

Peacehaven Town Council, Meridian Centre, Meridian Way, Peacehaven, East Sussex. BN10 7LH.

These past few months have been as busy as ever for me as Mayor, and with some real highs

and lows in a very short period.

August marked some amazing events, with one of mypersonal highlights being the Afternoon Tea event that I jointly hosted with Engage Sussex (one of my chosen charities), the Afternoon Tea was exceptionally well attended and a delight to see the Community coming together.



The other big highlight for me from August was seeing the start of Support the Supporters breakfasts – breakfast events hosted by Havens Community Hub (another of my chosen charities), designed to provide support and networking opportunities for lots of local charities. The event received overwhelmingly positive feedback and has continued to grow since.



At the end of August, my Deputy Mayor David and I were proud to be able to spend an hour on air with Len Fisher at Seahaven FM talking about Peacehaven, discussing some of the things that we've been doing, and some of the events we've still got to come.

If you missed us, you can still listen online - http://listenagain.seahavenfm.com/index.php?id=64335

The first week of September, I attended the Art Wave Open House event – meeting local artists and seeing some of the fantastic works that they create and getting involved myself. Peacehaven is lucky to have a lot of very talented artists, and a number of classes and workshops that run each week in our town – I'd recommend giving it a go to anyone!





Unfortunately, September also saw the sad loss of The Queen, Elizabeth II, and I, along with all the other Councilors and Officers of Peacehaven Town Council, mourned her death, and showed our respect by opening a book of condolence at Community House, laying a wreath at the memorial, attending services of thanksgiving, and bringing together the people of Peacehaven to view the funeral at the Gateway Café.

The death of our Queen also marked the Ascension of our King – His Majesty King Charles III. I attended the East Sussex Proclamation of his ascension at County Halland then, with the support of Deputy Lieutenant Maureen Chowen, proclaimed theascension at the Peacehaven memorial.



I would like to finish with a brief look at what's to come; we have some great events upcoming soon to look forward to, including Wrestling, The Barn Dance, a Spooktacular Tricky Trail for Halloween, and don't forget the regular Bingo at Community House.

Town Mayor — Cllr. Lucy-Jo Symonds

Mayor's Civic Officer & Deputy Town Clerk — George

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HAVE YOUR SAY MORRISONS LAUNCHES PLAN FOR REDEVELOPING PEACEHAVEN'S MERIDIAN CENTRE, CREATING UP TO 390 LOCAL JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The Public Exhibition will be held in the vacant Unit 4/5 at the Meridian Centre on

Friday 30th September (4.00 p.m. – 8.00 p.m.) and Saturday 1st October (10.00 a.m. – 2.00 p.m.)

Morrisons has revealed exciting plans for a comprehensive redevelopment of the Meridian Centre, Peacehaven, and is asking residents to share their thoughts about the proposal.

The plans will deliver a new, vibrant town centre for Peacehaven including a range of commercial, retail and community facilities – anchored by a brand-new Morrisons supermarket.

The development as a whole will create up to 390 local job opportunities and the new store will offer Morrisons' full range of fresh food, including the popular 'Market Street' with specialist butchers, bakers and fishmongers.

A planning application for the principle, scale and design of the development will shortly be submitted to Lewes District Council.

Before any decisions are made, Morrisons is inviting local residents to have their say through a new consultation website – www.morrisons-peacehaven.co.uk – and a Public Consultation Exhibition where members of the public will be able to find out more information and give their feedback direct to Morrisons.

For more information, please contact Alex Wilson on 0208 530 6536 / 07380 851821 or by email: alex.wilson@psephosconsulting.co.uk

Alternatively, email <u>info@peacehaventowncouncil.gov.uk</u> or call 01273 585493.





We are holding a public exhibition so you can find out more about our plans, ask questions and let us know what you think.

The event will take place

ON:

Friday 30th September (4.00 – 8.00pm)

Saturday 1st October (10.00am – 2.00pm)

AT:

Meridian Centre, Peacehaven BN10 8BB If you can't attend the exhibition, please visit our consultation website www.morrisons-peacehaven.co.uk or use the attached reply paid card to tell us your views. Your comments will help us finalise the plans before we submit a planning application to Lewes District Council later this year.

For further information please contact:

Peacehaven Consultation Team, 25 Kingspark Court, London E18 2DD T: 0208 530 6536 / 07380 851821 (during office hours)

E: feedback@morrisons-peacehaven.co.uk W: www.morrisons-peacehaven.co.uk

Meridian Centre Regeneration Plans

Have your say!

Please tell us what you think about our plans for Peacehaven.

www.morrisons-peacehaven.co.uk

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local job
opportunities!

What we would like to bring to Peacehaven...

Morrisons has announced exciting plans to regenerate the Meridian Centre site. Our plans would deliver a new town centre for Peacehaven, with a purpose-built new Morrisons store and a range of other commercial, retail and community facilities. This will include our popular 'Market Street' with specialist butchers, bakers and fishmongers, and improve shopping choice for local residents.



Multi-million pound



Improved Community House



Replacement library building







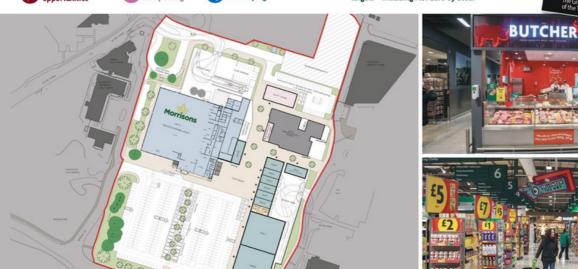


Who we are

Morrisons is the UK's fourth largest supermarket. We're both food makers and shopkeepers, which makes us different from our competitors. We make more than half of the fresh food sold in our stores, and we're British farming's biggest direct

All our colleagues are truly valued, with industry-leading pay rates and award-winning training programmes.

We are working hard to reduce our environmental footprint and are on track to meet our challenging targets – including Net Zero by 2035.





HEW DATE

The Peacehaven High Street Regeneration Feasibility Study

AS A QUALIFYING BODY, PEACEHAVEN TOWN COUNCIL, WAS AWARDED A GRANT OF £15,000 TO UNDERTAKE A FEASIBILITY STUDY OF THE RETAIL AREA ALONG THE A259.

TO AID FUTURE IMPROVEMENTS.

ARCHITECTS AND PLANNING CONSULTANTS, KANER OLETTE, WERE APPOINTED TO UNDERTAKE THE FEASIBILITY WORK AND REPORT ON THEIR INVESTIGATIONS.

FURTHER TOWN PLANNING AND PROJECT MANAGEMENT SUPPORT WAS NEEDED TO ENSURE THAT THE FEASIBILITY STUDY COVERED THE MAIN ISSUES RAISED WITHIN THE DRAFT NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN. AND THAT THE REGULAR UPDATES ARE PROVIDED FOR THE

COUNCIL. TO DO THIS, L&N CONSULTING WERE APPOINTED FOR THIS PURPOSE.

PUBLIC CONSULTATION

DUE TO THE SAD PASSING OF HM QUEEN ELIZABETH II, KANER OLETTE, WILL NOW BE HOLDING A PUBLIC CONSULTATION ON WEDNESDAY 12TH OCTOBER FROM 2:30 P.M. TO 8 P.M. IN THE MAIN HALL AT COMMUNITY HOUSE TO PRESENT THEIR IDEAS ON THE PEACEHAVEN HIGH STREET REGENERATION FEASIBILITY STUDY.

ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY ARE INVITED TO ATTEND.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION. PLEASE CONTACT THE INFORMATION OFFICE ON 01273 585493.



The 100th Anniversary of The Peacehaven Hotel

In October 1922, the luxurious Peacehaven Hotel was completed. It stood on the south side of the South Coast Road, where The Stonehouse Pizza & Carvery Restaurant now stands.

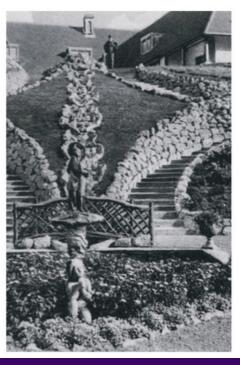
It is shown a drawing below from that year, together with photographs of Hotel's Sunken Italianate Garden, complete with statues and fountains.













Reporting Online Could Save Lives

Sussex Police would like to remind residents that the decision they make when choosing how to report a crime could be the difference between saving a life - or not.

It is vital phone lines are kept clear for people who need to contact police during a genuine emergency and need assistance urgently.

But it is not just for emergencies where it is important that the phone lines are kept clear. Some of the most vulnerable members of our community, like the elderly who may not have access to the internet, will call us to report non-emergencies.

Please be considerate when choosing how to report a non-emergency with Sussex Police so every resident can access the same levels of good service.

There are many advantages to reporting online which could be more beneficial to you.

Rather than relaying an account of your report to a Contact Officer, you can submit a comprehensive account which can be done at your leisure.

The Force does experience a high volume of calls, particularly to our 101 number, so be reporting online, you do not need to spend timing waiting in a queue to contact us.

One of the most common misconceptions about reporting online is that reports aren't seen or triaged by a Contact Officer. You can be reassured that all reports made online are assessed by a skilled Contact Officer - the very same people who you would normally speak to if you called 101.

Click Report online at www.sussex.police.uk Stay informed by connecting with us on social media and by signing up to Sussex Alerts at **www.sussexalerts.co.uk**

Call 101 when you don't require an urgent response. In an emergency, always call 999.

Connect with us face-to-face at your nearest Police Station or Contact Point. Contact your local Policing Team for community matters.



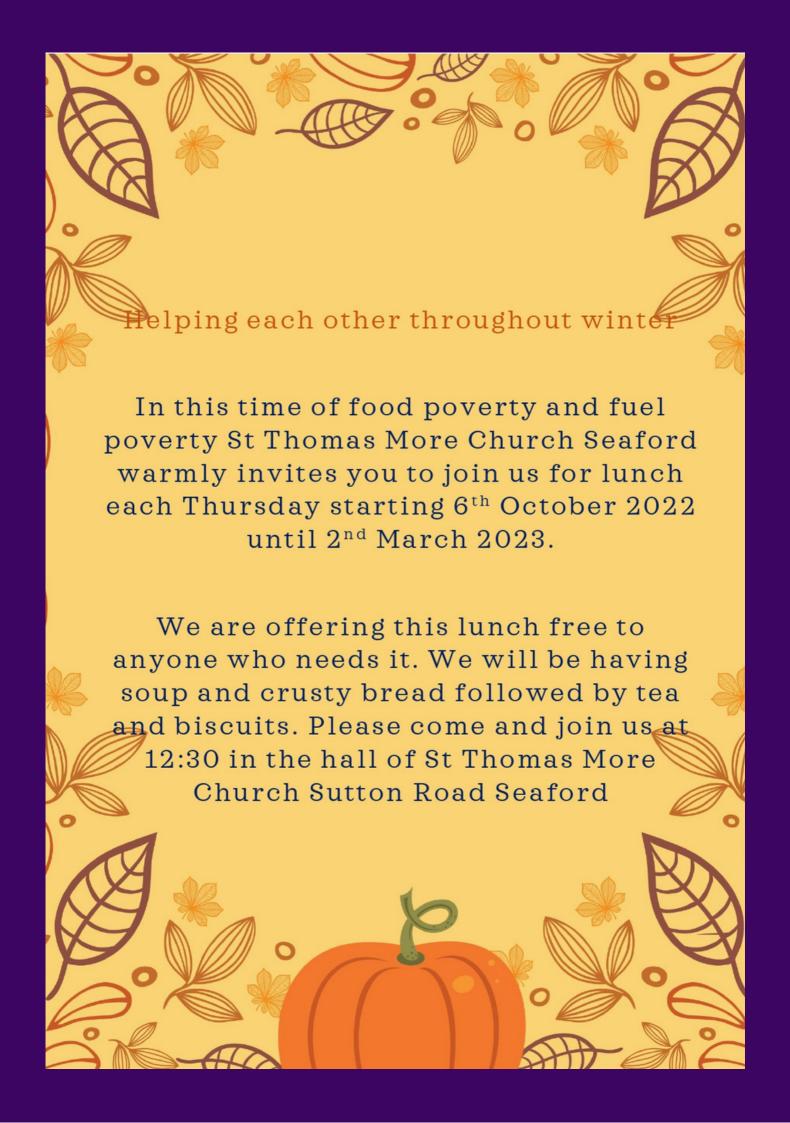


Reporting online could save lives

www.sussex.police.uk







WRESTLING SPECTACULAR

New wrestling sensation - Bullit - is aiming to hit the target at The Meridian Centre on 8th October

The barnstorming heavyweight star, who stands at 6 foot, 3 inches and tips the scales at around the 20 stone mark, will be the big attraction when the giants of the grappling game return to Peacehaven on 8th October.

Bullit - that's how he spells his ring name - is currently blowing up a storm wherever he appears and is proving a match for some of the top names in wrestling.

Among the globetrotting superstars of the ring he has battled with in recent bouts are former American champions, Doug Williams and Joel Redman, aka Oliver Grey, and European title-holder James Mason.

The Reading-based Bullit - who will be making his first appearance in front of the Peacehaven fans - is also gaining a formidable reputation of his own on the international stage and recently took part in a tournament in Malta.

The BIG TIME Saturday Nigh Spectacular, presented by top UK matchmakers Premier Promotions, will also feature one of the fastest-rising stars in the lighter weight divisions.

David Lovejoy, from Worthing, is thrilling fans with his all-action style as he follows in the footsteps of other top Sussex favourites like Barry Cooper, Charlie Checkmate and Jordan Breaks - and the young rookie wrestler has already repelled all-comers in a couple of rumble events since making his debut at The Meridian Centre in March.

The action kicks off at 7:30 p.m. and there is no increase in pre-lockdown prices so fans can enjoy a big family night out at inflation- beating prices. All profits go to The Mayor of Peacehaven's chosen charities.

For tickets, please contact The Information Centre at The Meridian Centre on 01273 585493 or email: info@peacehaventowncouncil.gov.uk



Peacehaven Town Council, in aid of the Mayor's Charities, presents



Tickets available from:

info@peacehaventowncouncil.gov.uk

or www.ticketsource.co.uk/peacehaven-tc/t-avvvero

(booking fees may apply. An additional £2 per ticket will be charged for tickets on the night)

Price:

Adult £10.00

Junior £9.00

Family (2+2) £36.00

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Peacehaven Town Council, in aid of the Mayor's Charities, presents



Wednesday 19th October 2022 2-4pm

Main Hall, Community House, Meridian Centre, Peacehaven, BN10 8BB

Snowball

Refreshments



Peacehaven Town Council presents our next Big Cinema Showing



Wednesday 19th October 2022



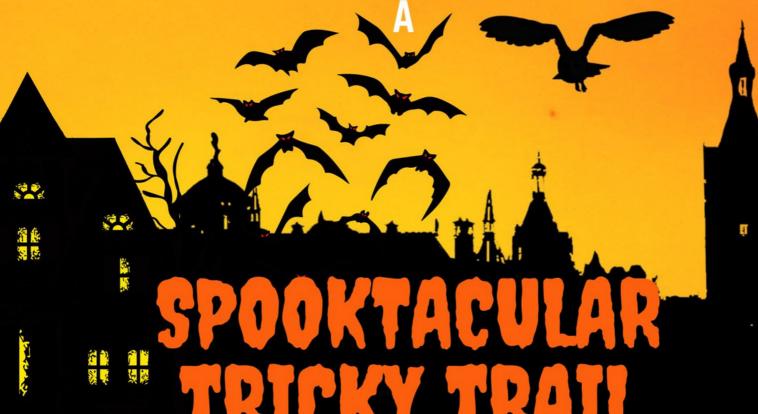
The life of the unforgettable American music icon Elvis Presley, from his childhood to becoming a rock and movie star in the 1950s while maintaining a complex relationship with his manager, Colonel Tom Parker.

Stars: Tom Hanks * Austin Butler * Olivia DeJonge

Curtain Up at 7:30 p.m.
Tickets £7
Tea, Coffee and Ice Cream Available

Community House, Meridian Centre, Peacehaven, BN10 8BB
Tickets available from The Information Office or via email:
info@peacehaventowncouncil.gov.uk via www.cinemobile.co.uk
Tel: 01273 585493





SATURDAY 29TH OCTOBER 2022 11.00AM THE OVAL, PEACEHAVEN

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TRICK OR TREAT

AN EERIE ADVENTURE FOR ALL THE FAMILY!



ALL CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT





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12+ with parental advisory, (The odd naughty word may appear). Drinks, including alcohol, can be purchased at the venue. Free parking available on site. Tickets available on the door and online at Ticket source.







GARRDENING TIPS FOR OCTOBER

The weather has changed and autumn is upon us, haven't the last few months flown by.

October is the time for cleaning up in the garden, water butts may need cleaning out along with gutters. You should also cover wood garden furniture and terracotta pots will need bringing inside as they have a tendency to freeze and crack.

Now is the best time to plant winter pansies, wallflowers and spring flowering bulbs to give you lovely spring colours. You can also plant new perennials, trees and shrubs.

You can replant hanging baskets with spring flowering bulbs, trailing ivy, winter heathers and spring bedding plants.

You can divide overcrowded and poor flowering herbaceous plants and cut back perennials that have died down.

You should also prune climbing roses.

Pumpkins that were planted in April, May and June should now be ready for harvesting in October. If you have any spare, then hollow them out as they make great bird feeders.

Don't forget to move tender plants into a conservatory or greenhouse.

If you have a greenhouse now is the time to insulate it using bubble wrap.

You can care for your lawn by brushing leaves or raking them off the grass. The end of October is the correct time of year for the last cut of the lawn - make sure you cut it slightly higher than during the summer months as this will protect your lawn from winter frost damage.

If you like hyacinths, you should plant them now. They will give a lovely scent and colour in your home, but make sure you get the 'prepared' ones.

Happy Gardening!

News from The Mayor's Chosen Charities



WAVE COMMUNITY BANK HAS LAUNCHED A NEW HELP POINT WITHIN HAVENS COMMUNITY HUB AT 2A THOMPSON ROAD, DENTON, BN9 ORS IN AN EFFORT TO HELP LOCAL RESIDENTS ACCESS FINANCIAL SERVICES AND HELP WITH MANAGING THEIR MONEY.

The drop-in Help Point is open every Wednesday from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

The latest price-cap rise in energy costs is predicted to create even more users of the services of the Hub projects and on concern for the management team of the Hub was the though of people turning to 'loan sharks' or disreputable lenders to cope with higher outgoings.

Wave Community Bank was formerly known as The East Sussex Credit Union. A credit union is a financial co-operative which provides savings, loans and a range of services to its members. It is owned and controlled by the members.

"I think Wave Community Bank approaching us at this time to have a session at the Hub offers so many positive opportunities to prevent people from being forced to take high interest loans or loan shark payments to make ends meet at this very difficult time for us all," said Paula Woolven, Founder of the Hub.



"Community Banking from a Community Hub just makes sense. Wave Community Bank's ethical, sustainable, successful savings and loan schemes match the ethos of the Hub – providing joint solutions for community members," Paula added.

Havens Community Hub helps meet unmet community needs and during the height of the pandemic, launched three new projects.

Havens Community Cars, a volunteer care driver scheme to help people who are unable to use public transport; Havens Food Cooperative, a waste reduction and priority redistribution food pantr, and Havens Happy Clubs, activity and social clubs for older people with complex needs. The Hub also offers support and guidance to other local charities and causes to help them remain sustainable and active.



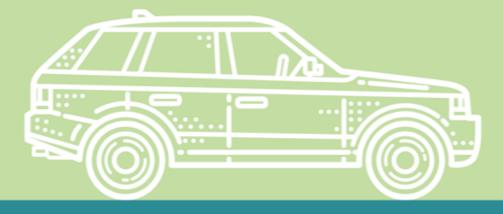
Do you enjoy driving, helping others and making a difference?

VOLUNTEER DRIVERS NEEDED

We are looking for volunteer drivers to join our friendly, community minded team.

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YOUR JOURNEY MATTERS



For more information please contact: havenscommcar@gmail.com

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As the cost of living crisis continues with rising food and energy prices, we look at what you can do t cope with the soaring prices and what to do if you are in financial difficulties

Lewes District Citizens Advice can provide help with income maximisation, budgeting and debt, food bank referrals, fuel and other vouchers.

The government has announced a number of measures to ease the cost of living crisis. These include the £650 Cost of Living Payment for households on meanstested benefits.

The Disability Cost of Living Payment entitles disabled people to a payment of £150.

The £400 Energy Bill Discount is automatic and will be applied in six instalments between October 2022 and March 2023.

In the winter months, pensioners can get between £100 and £300 to help pay heating bills. This winter, they will also receive an extra one-off £300 Pensioner Cost of Living Payment.

Further support is available to help with transport, utilities, housing and childcare costs

If your energy problem is urgent, for example your energy supply is about to be cut off, Citizens Advice Consumer Helpline will usually transfer your call directly to the Extra Help Unit.

You can contact the Citizens Advice Consumer Helpline on Freephone 0808 223 1133.

It is important to remember that you are not alone and there is support out there. What you can get will depend on your circumstances. You can contact Lewes District Citizens Advice to seek tailored support via email info@lewesca.onmicrosoft.com or call 01273 007557.



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