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Welcome to Farnham in 2014

Identified frequently as one of the best areas of the UK in which to live, the historic market town of Farnham offers residents a wonderful range of amenities, services and landscapes to enjoy. Farnham has always been a great location to settle. Stone Age, Roman and Saxon dwellings can be found here and Georgian architecture dominates the town today. Overlooked by the fine 12th century castle, with quaint cobbled streets boasting over 200 shops and a vibrant business community, beautiful green spaces such as Farnham Park, Gostrey Meadow with the river Wey and Forestry Commission land, local residents have a wonderful balance of town and country to experience.

With outstanding schools, Farnham College and the celebrated University of the Creative Arts, Farnham offers exceptional educational opportunities locally; and with its excellent transport links, access to employment opportunities across the South East.

Farnham and its communities

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Farnham Town Council

Farnham Town Council has 18 unpaid councillors representing the nine wards of Farnham and its surrounding villages. Farnham Town Council has a Town Mayor, Town Clerk and a small team of staff who look after an array of services for residents, businesses and visitors. Working groups made up of councillors formulate future plans for these services.

The Mayor (May 2013 to May 2014) is Cllr Patrick Blagden CBE. The Deputy Mayor is Cllr Jeremy Ricketts.

The Mayor is elected at the Annual Council Meeting which is normally held on the second Thursday in May.
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Based on a Band D property, households will pay £56.87 to Farnham Town Council during 2014/15. This covers a wide range of services to Farnham and surrounding villages, from free events, such as Music in the Meadow, to graffiti removal; from Farmers’ Markets to CCTV, and from allotments to “grow your own” and Christmas Lights. In addition, the council comments on over 800 planning applications each year and lobbies other councils and organisations on issues affecting the area. For 2014/15, Farnham’s net budget is £932,313 which is less than the annual net budget in 2012/13 (£938,117). For more information on the budget including income generated of £141,600 please see our annual report online at www.farnham.gov.uk.

Farnham Town Council provides the following services:

Allotments
Farnham Town Council manages 262 allotment plots on eight sites at Six Bells, West Street, Alderley Farm, Wrecclesham, Morley Road, Farnborough Road, West Street Extension and Shepherd & Flock. Plots are available for rent from Farnham Town Council. Contact Kevin Taitt on 01252 712667 or email: customer.services@farnham.gov.uk

Annual Town Meeting
Each year the Town Council hosts a meeting for the electors of Farnham and its villages to provide feedback to the Council on issues local people believe are important and set out what the Town Council has achieved over the past year. You are most welcome to attend.

Bus shelters
Farnham Town Council has a programme to replace, maintain or repair bus shelters working with Waverley Borough Council and Surrey County Council where appropriate. Contact customer.services@farnham.gov.uk if your area could benefit from a shelter.

Cemeteries
Farnham Town Council, as the local Burial Authority is responsible for burials which take place in the cemeteries, maintenance of the cemeteries and the upkeep of the cemetery records.

Farnham Town Council owns and manages the cemeteries in West Street, Hale, Badshot Lea and Green Lane. Graves can be pre-purchased. Contact customer.services@farnham.gov.uk. In addition Farnham Town Council looks after the War Memorials in Gostrey Meadow, Hale, and Badshot Lea.

Christmas events
Farnham Town Council arranges Christmas events for all the family including the Christmas lights switch-on in Gostrey Meadow and a Christmas Market in Castle Street. Support your local businesses by shopping in Farnham.

Christmas Lights
Farnham Town Council arranges for the Christmas Lights in Farnham with the support of local businesses and property owners. If you know of part of Farnham that could benefit from an extension of the Christmas Lights contact customer.services@farnham.gov.uk on 01252 712667, and we will see what we can do.

Civic events
A number of civic events take place during the year including a Civic Service (Second Sunday in June), the Remembrance Sunday Parade in association with the Royal British Legion, the Venison dinner (in November); a Candlelit Community Christmas Carol Service in St Andrew’s Church in December; and the Services to Farnham Awards (last Monday in February).

Closed circuit television
The Farnham CCTV system, funded by Farnham Town Council and monitored by the police, has a valuable role in providing a safer environment in the town and helping contribute to the effectiveness of its policing.

Community events
Enhancing Farnham as a place to live and have fun including a programme of Music in the Meadow concerts on summer Sundays, Farmers’ Markets on the fourth Sunday each month, the Food Festival in September and, new for 2014, a Christmas Market.

Farmers’ Market
Farnham Town Council organises a Farmers’ Market on the fourth Sunday of every month in the Central Car Park from 10am to 1.30pm. Each month a charity runs a tea tent raising much needed funds and awareness. For more details contact Ginny Gordon on 01252 712667 customer.services@farnham.gov.uk

Farnham in Bloom
Farnham in Bloom is more than just flowers – it is a year-round community project to
make Farnham a more attractive place to live, work and visit. In 2014, Farnham has been invited to represent the South East in Britain in Bloom, the 50th year of the competition. If you know of an area that needs tidying up let us know customer.services@farnham.gov.uk and we will work with owners and other councils to keep improving Farnham.

Friendship with other communities
Farnham is twinned with Andernach in Mayen Koblenz, Germany. The Farnham Andernach Friendship Association contact is Penny Marriott Tel: 01252 714489 www.andernach.de. In addition, Farnham is linked by Andernach’s Friendship with St Amand-Les-Eaux (France), Focsani (Hungary), Tivoli (Italy), Dimona (Israel), Ekeren (Belgium), Stockerau (Austria) and Zella Mehlis (Germany).

Graffiti removal
Farnham Town Council removes graffiti from public and community areas working where it can with other public bodies.

Grants
Each year Farnham Town Council grants over £50,000 to assist community organisations based in Farnham or that work for the benefit of Farnham residents.

Mayor
The Mayor of Farnham is elected annually from amongst the 18 Town Councillors and serves Farnham as its civic head. If you would like the Mayor to attend an event please contact mayor@farnham.gov.uk or telephone 01252 712667.

Noticeboards
Farnham Town Council has 23 notice boards for events in and community information. Promote your community event for free. Contact customer.services@farnham.gov.uk

Planning
Farnham Town Council is a key consultee on every planning application in the Farnham area. Over 800 planning applications are considered each year. Contact your local councillor if you have comments on any application.

Public toilets
Farnham Town Council owns and manages three sets of public conveniences located in the Central Car Park, The Hart and Gostrey Meadow. If you see a problem please contact customer.services@farnham.gov.uk

South Street Trust
The Town Council is the Trustee of the Farnham South Street Trust and annually provides grants of some £20,000 for arts-based educational activities.

Tourism
Promoting Farnham as a great place to visit for business or leisure to increase the value of the local visitor economy with brochures, guides and events. www.farnham.gov.uk/visit

–Farnham Food Festival
Some aims for Farnham in 2014

To enhance your community

Farnham Town Council is delighted to have been awarded Gold awards for the Town Centre and Best Town Centre in the Region categories of the South and South East in Bloom competition 2013.

In 2014, Farnham Town Council is part of the 50th Anniversary of Britain in Bloom. We are looking to engage with as many people and communities as possible in Farnham. Our aim is to get local communities working together to enhance the area in which they live. Various activities will be run by the in Bloom team this year culminating in the visit of the Britain in Bloom judges in August. If you know of an area that needs a tidy up or have a group of volunteers who would like to do a litter pick or improve your local area please contact customer.services@farnham.gov.uk.

Let us be proud of Farnham.
Making Farnham a more vibrant place to live

Events for 2014

During the year a wide range of events and activities are planned and co-ordinated. The purpose is to provide something for people of all ages to do and also help to generate footfall into the town to support local businesses.

Music in the Meadow on summer Sundays from May to September.

In 2013 an estimated 6,000 residents and visitors enjoyed the weekly Sunday afternoon free music in Gostrey Meadow. This year will build on the success of these free events in Gostrey Meadow, including Picnic in the Park.

2014 will see the fabulous backdrop of Castle Street hosting the Food Festival on 27 September and new for 2014 a Christmas Market on 14 December.

Providing services when they are needed most

Cemeteries

Since taking over responsibility for the four cemeteries in West Street, Green Lane, Badshot Lea and Hale, Farnham Town Council continues in its commitment to provide the highest quality of care and assistance to all those using its Cemeteries Services throughout 2014/15.

Following public consultation on the Future of Farnham’s cemeteries in 2013, the chapel in Green Lane will be converted into a two-bedroom dwelling with the funds used to refurbish the former chapel in West Street cemetery to give it a fresh lease of life and convert it into a workshop. Farnham Town Council is also hoping, following further consultation with the residents of Hale, to renovate the dilapidated Hale cemetery chapels.

Music in the Meadow
Working to ensure Farnham’s future growth is well planned.

Since 2011, Farnham Town Council has been working with its constituent communities and local residents to prepare a Neighbourhood Plan that will shape the future development of Farnham in conjunction with the emerging Waverley Borough Local Plan. During 2014, Farnham will be working with external advisers to ensure that the necessary technical elements and evidence are incorporated in the Neighbourhood Plan before it is considered by a Government Appointed Inspector. Farnham Town Council wants to ensure the Neighbourhood plan is robust and can meet the aspirations of the local community over the next 15 to 20 years. Your help in shaping and commenting on the evolving plan is vital in ensuring it reflects the views of the whole community. See www.farnham.gov.uk/future for more details.

Investing in community buildings

Farnham Town Council has completed a refurbishment of its offices in South Street to improve the facilities available to community organisations and local businesses. If you would like to book a meeting room for your organisation email customer.services@farnham.gov.uk or call 01252 712667.

Farnham Town Council has worked with the Trustees of Wrecclesham Community Centre to raise over £150,000 for a much need refurbishment of the Centre providing a new roof and storage extension as well as new flooring in the Hall. Grants from the SITA Trust, the Veolia Environmental Trust and Surrey County Council have supplemented funding from Farnham Town Council and will enable the building to be fit for purpose for its many users.

Supporting community organisations

Farnham Town Council welcomes applications in the autumn for £50,000 of grants for community organisations in Farnham and surrounding villages. Grants can be for up to £2,000. In addition small grants of up to £200 can be applied for throughout the year. For further details see www.farnham.gov.uk or contact grants@farnham.gov.uk. The main grants process for 2015 will open in October 2014, with application forms and further information available on the website at www.farnham.gov.uk/grants or by calling 01252 712667.

Working with other authorities

Where possible, Farnham Town Council works with other local authorities to provide cost effective solutions and added value for Farnham residents. This includes removing graffiti and cleaning signs on behalf of Surrey County Council, and providing dual recycling bins and organising litter picks in association with Waverley Borough Council.

Recognising the contribution of unsung heroes

Farnham is blessed with an army of volunteers who are recognised by the annual Services to Farnham Awards. Inspired and sponsored by Sir Ray Tindle CBE DL owner of the Farnham Herald, the awards ceremony takes place in February each year. If you know of someone who has given outstanding service to the local community please nominate them by downloading a nomination form from www.farnham.gov.uk or contact mayor@farnham.gov.uk.
# Farnham Events 2014

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<td>22 – 30 March</td>
<td>Farnham in Bloom Spring Big Pick Week</td>
<td>Across Farnham</td>
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<td>Annual Town Meeting of Electors</td>
<td>The Bush Hotel</td>
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<td>Beerex</td>
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<td>Farnham Duck Race</td>
<td>River Wey, The Maltings</td>
<td><a href="http://www.farnhamweyside.org.uk">www.farnhamweyside.org.uk</a></td>
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<td>Thursday 8 May</td>
<td>Annual Council (Mayor Making)</td>
<td>Farnham Town Council Office</td>
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<td>Woodland Woggle (10km run or 6k family walk)</td>
<td>Hampton Estate, Seale</td>
<td>10am <a href="http://www.woodlandwoggle.com">www.woodlandwoggle.com</a></td>
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<td>Rowledge Village Fayre</td>
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<td>Civic Service</td>
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<td>The Choir Company, Danny Lee Band, The Vic Cracknell Band, 12pm – 5pm</td>
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<td>Wrecclesham Village Fair</td>
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<td>Finding Farnham Community Dig</td>
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<td>Young Artists Showcase, 3pm – 5pm</td>
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<td>Farnham Charity Bike Ride</td>
<td>Departs Waggon Yard Car Park</td>
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<td>Heritage Open Days</td>
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<td>Friday 26 - Saturday 27 September</td>
<td>Thread... a festival of textiles</td>
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<td>Christmas Lights Launch Event</td>
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**Key to Events**

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**Key to Map**

- Car Park
- Play Area
- Coach Park
- Cycle Racks
- Hotel
- Museum
- One way Street
- Post Office
- Toilets
- Visitor Information
- Footpath

- Christmas Light Launch event, 2013
- Farnham in Bloom litter pick with Tootsies Nursery and Mayor 2012-13
- Mayor Cllr Patrick Blagden CBE visits the new Jubilee Wharf at the Farnham Maltings
Frequently asked questions

When is the Council’s Annual Meeting?
27 March 2014

Where can I find information about the Farnham Neighbourhood Plan?
www.farnham.gov.uk/future

How can we have a banner displayed?
Local organisations can apply to have a banner over the highway on Downing Street or The Borough. Apply via Farnham Town Council office customer.services@farnham.gov.uk or visit www.farnham.gov.uk

How do I find out more about the Blue Badge scheme?
The Blue Badge Scheme is for drivers or passengers with severe mobility problems. To apply visit www.gov.uk/apply-blue-badge

Can I receive a concessionary bus pass?
Concessionary bus travel is free for senior citizens of eligible age and for disabled people that reside in Surrey. Check with Surrey County Council for your eligible age (60-66) and apply at Farnham library, West Street.

How can I view CCTV footage in Farnham?
CCTV is funded by Farnham Town Council but monitored by Surrey Police. For queries by insurance companies in case of accidents (Tel 01483 630615) or, if the police were involved, with reference to the Surrey Accidents and Process Unit in Woking Tel: 01483 571212

Churches - where are the different denominations located?
Listed in Useful Contacts (page 14)

Which clubs are there for the elderly in Farnham?
There are lots of regular meetings and events for locals to enjoy and meet others.
- Brightwells Gostrey Community Centre offers daily lunches and regular classes. Transport to and from the centre can be arranged. Centre Manager: Maggie Groves Tel: 01252 725330 (9 am – 4 pm) Email: brightwells.admin@btconnect.com off East Street, Farnham GU9 7SB
- Farnham Assist, including Knit ‘n’ Natter, coffee mornings, Pie and Pint pub lunches. Tel: 01252 717710 or email assist@farnham.org.uk
- U3A for over 50s for £35 annual subscription you can access as many talks and events as you wish. Tel: 01252-684058 www.farnhamu3a.org.uk
- Walks for Health, two walks every Tuesday at 10.30am. Brightwells, Gostrey Centre, Dogflud Way. Tel: 01252 723208

Where can I find a Doctors' Surgery?
List in Useful Contacts (page 14)

How can I get to local hospitals?
- Royal Surrey County Hospital: Monday to Saturday from Farnham take bus 65 to Guildford Railway Station and then change to bus 5 for the hospital (return to station on bus 4). On Sundays and Public Holidays from Farnham take train to Guildford changing at Aldershot and then bus 5
- Frimley Park Hospital: Monday to Saturday daytimes from Farnham take bus 17, 18 or 19 to Aldershot Bus Station and then change to bus 3. Monday to Saturday evenings, Sundays and Public Holidays take bus 5 to Aldershot Bus Station and then change to bus 1.

- Farnham Hospital : Buses 4, 5, 17, 18 and 19 stop outside the hospital.
- The Hoppa runs a low cost community transport service across Surrey Tel: 01428 681701 or visit www.hoppa.org.uk for more information.

- Maintenance of Hale memorial
Where is the local Foodbank? How can I donate?
To donate bring your non-perishable and tinned food to:

**The Vineyard Centre**
Church House
Union Road
FARNHAM GU9 7PT
Mon 11am - 1pm
Fri 11am - 1pm

**St. Mark’s Church**
Alma Lane
Upper Hale
FARNHAM GU9 0LT
Wed 11am - 1pm

For enquiries on how to help contact:
07901 581539
01252 737586
www.farnham.foodbank.org.uk/get-involved

Halls for hire and contact details?
See www.farnham.gov.uk for details.

Lost property?
The neighbourhood police service will receive found items on Fridays between 12.30-2.30 in the Farnham Maltings car park or items can be taken to Waverley’s police team in Godalming. Call 101 to report a loss.

How can I find out about planning applications?
Planning applications are submitted to Waverley Borough Council www.waverley.gov.uk but Farnham Town Council comments on all applications. All current applications pre decision (or appeal) are available to view at the council offices on South Street.

How do I contact the Police?
There is an ‘in your neighbourhood’ service on Fridays 12:30pm - 2:30pm in the Farnham Maltings car park. For a face to face police service visit the Waverley Council offices in Godalming. For non-emergencies, such as lost property, please call 101.

Where is the registrar in Farnham?
The registrar is in Vernon House next to the Library.
The Registrar attends by appointment only at this office for the registration of births, deaths and notices of marriage and civil partnership.
Please telephone to make an appointment:
Farnham Registrar’s Office
Farnham Library
Vernon House
28 West Street
Farnham
Surrey GU9 7DR
Tel: 0300 200 1002
Fax: 01483 573232
Email: registration.guildford@surreycc.gov.uk

Where can I found out about local schools and nurseries in Farnham?
See www.surreycc.gov.uk

Can I use the bandstand and hire Gostrey Meadow?
To hire the bandstand complete a form from Farnham Town Council at customer. services@farnham.gov.uk or Tel: 01252 712667 and to hire Gostrey Meadow contact Waverley Borough Council, Tel: 01483 523333

What time is the local tip open?
Farnham Community Recycling Centre (Tip)
Bourne Mill, Farnham, Surrey, GU9 9PS
Tel: 01252 726316
Opening times:
Winter (1 October - 31 March)
Monday to Friday from 8am until 4:15pm
Weekends from 9am until 4:15pm

Summer (1 April - 30 September)
Monday to Friday from 8am until 5:15pm
Weekends from 9am until 4:45pm

Any larger items such as furniture can be recycled via Surrey’s Community recycling Centres. See www.surreycc.gov.uk for more information.

What is Farnham Craft Town?
October 2013 saw the official launch of Farnham as ‘England’s Craft Town’. This recognition highlights Farnham’s significant arts and crafts history and has been made possible by £10,000 of Government funding secured by Farnham Town Council. Farnham’s rich heritage will be promoted to attract and increase the number of visitors to the town thereby enhancing the local economy.
The Craft Town project is a partnership between Farnham Town Council, the Crafts Study Centre, Farnham Maltings, University for the Creative Arts, 318 Ceramics, the New Ashgate Gallery and many more craft based organisations in and around Farnham. For more information see www.farnham.gov.uk

Where is the tax office?
The Citizens Advice Bureau, South Street hosts a tax service by appointment only on Mondays and a drop-in service on Fridays 9am-4pm, or Tel: 0844 848 7969.
Useful Contacts

Churches
Farnham Baptist Church
The Hart, Farnham GU9 7HA
Tel: 01252 726830
Farnham Methodist Church
South Street, Farnham GU9 7RN
Tel: 01252 820665
Farnham Vineyard Church
Church House, Union Road, Farnham, GU9 7PT Tel: 01252 737586
Jubilee Church
56 Weydon Hill Road, Farnham GU9 8NY
Tel: 01252 820203
Religious Society of Friends (Quakers)
36 Tilford Road, Farnham GU9 8DL
Tel: 01252 714 938
St Andrew’s Church
Upper Church Lane, Farnham GU9 8NY
Tel: 01252 715412
St John’s Church
Hale Road, Farnham Tel: 01252 718882
St George’s Church
Badshot Lea Road, Badshot Lea, Farnham GU9 9LD Tel: 01252 718882
St Mark’s Church
Alma Lane, Upper Hale, Farnham GU9 0LT
Tel: 01252 718882
St Joan of Arc Catholic Church
19 Tilford Road, Farnham GU9 8DJ
Tel: 01252 716711
St Thomas-on-the-Bourne Church
Frensham Road, Farnham GU9 8HA
Tel: 01252 715505
United Reform Church
South Street, Farnham, GU9 7QU
Tel: 01252 726306

For more information see:
www.churchestogetherinfarnham.org.uk

Doctors’ Surgeries
Downing Street Practice
4 Downing Street, Farnham GU9 7NX
Tel: 01252 716226
River Wey Medical Practice
Hale Road, Farnham GU9 9QS
Tel: 01252 737387
The Ferns Medical Practice
Farnham Centre For Health, Hale Road
Farnham, GU9 9QS Tel: 01252 723122
Farnham Dene Medical Practice
Lodge Hill Road, Lower Bourne, GU10 3RB
Tel: 01252 730100
Hollytree Surgery
42 Boundstone Road, Wrecclesham
GU10 4TG Tel: 01252 793183

Hospitals
Farnham Hospital
Tel: 01483 782000
Frimley Park Hospital
Tel: 01276 604604
Royal Surrey County Hospital
Tel: 01483 571122
NHS Direct
Tel: 111

Dentists
NHS Choices www.nhs.uk

Pharmacists
Boots
48-49 The Borough, Farnham GU9 7NW
Tel: 01252 715121
Bourne Phamacy
46 Frensham Road, Lower Bourne, Farnham
GU10 3PX Tel: 01252 715626
Heath End Pharmacy
103 Farnborough Road, Farnham GU9 9AW
Tel: 01252 323289
Lalys Chemist
4a Downing Street, Farnham GU9 7BP
Tel: 01252 723326
Rowlands Pharmacy
Farnham Hospital, Hale Road,
Farnham GU9 9QL Tel: 01252 715 662
Sainsbury’s Pharmacy
(open until 9pm Mon- Fri) Water Lane,
Farnham GU9 9NJ Tel: 01252 718061
Vaughan James Chemist
113a West Street, Farnham GU9 7HH
Tel: 01252 716274

Business
Business Directory of Farnham
www.farnham.gov.uk
Farnham Chamber of Commerce
Tel: 01252 734100
www.farnhamchamberofcommerce.com

Education
Schools and Education
(Surrey County Council) Tel: 03456 009 009
www.surreycc.gov.uk
Farnham College
Morley Road, Farnham
Tel: 01252 740501
University of the Creative Arts
Falkner Road, Farnham GU9 7DS
Tel: 01252 722441
Adapt Learning Centre
25 West Street Tel: 01483 518558
Waverley Training Services
The Pump House, Kimbers Lane, Farnham
GU9 9PT Tel: 01252 725872

Community
Bishops Meadow Trust
www.bishopsmeadowtrust.org
British Pest Control Association
Tel: 01332 294288
Care Farnham
Milbrook House 3a, Highlands Close,
Farnham, Surrey, GU9 8SP Tel: 01252 716655
Citizens Advice Bureau (CAB)
Montrose House, South Street, Farnham
GU9 7RN Tel: 0844 848 7969

Grant Giving Organisations
www.farnham.gov.uk

Farnham Foodbank
Tel: 07901 581539 / 01252 737586
www.farnham.foodbank.org.uk

Farnham Leisure Centre
Dogflud Way, Farnham GU9 7UD
Tel: 01252 723208
www.dcleisurecentres.co.uk/centres/farnham-leisure-centre

Farnham Library
Farnham Library, Vernon House, 28 West Street, Farnham GU9 7DR Tel: 0300 2001001
www.surreycc.gov.uk

Farnham Maltings
Bridge Square, Farnham, GU9 7QR
www.farnhammaltings.com
Tel: 01252 745444

Farnham and District Ramblers
Tel: 01252 725899
Email membership@farnhamramblers.org.uk
www.farnhamramblers.org.uk

Farnham District Scouts
www.farnhamscouting.com

Farnham U3A (University of the third age)
Tel: 01252 726593
www.farnhamu3a.org.uk

Farnham Lions
Tel: 0845 833 7848
www.farnhamlions.org.uk

Farnham Round Table
www.farnhamroundtable.org.uk
www.farnhambikeride.org.uk

Farnham Building Preservation Trust
Tel: 01252 722975
www.farnhamtrust.org.uk

Hedgehogs
Tel: 01252 724947
www.the-hedgehogs.org.uk

Museum of Farnham
Free of charge: open Tuesday – Saturday, 10am – 5pm
Wilmer House, 38 West Street, Farnham
GU9 7DX, Tel: 01252 715094
www.farnhammaltings.com/museum

Police
Tel: 01483 571212 and 101
www.surrey.police.uk

Rotary Club Farnham
Tel: 01252 318 097 www.rotary-ribi.org

Rotary Club of Weyside
Tel: 01252 718214
www.farnhamweyside.org.uk

Waverley Borough Council Pest Control
Tel: 01483 523333

Pot holes and street lights
(Surrey County Council)
Tel: 03456 009009 www.surreycc.gov.uk

Waste Collection and Recycling
Waverley Borough Council
Tel: 01483 352 3333 www.waverley.gov.uk

Transport

National Rail
Tel: 08457 48 49 50 www.nationalrail.co.uk
Traveline Tel: 0871 200 2233

Hoppa (Waverley Community Transport)
Tel: 01428 681701 www.hoppa.org.uk

Bus Timetables
Tel: 03456 009009 www.surreycc.gov.uk

This listing cannot be fully comprehensive in the space available. Please refer to www.farnham.gov.uk for more information.
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