



Kamares Village Matters

Kamares Village Houseowners' Association Newsletter

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The President's Piece

By John Keenan

This past month has seen much, 'behind the scenes', activity by your committee. Despite the 'groaning cynicism' of a certain element, we have achieved pertinence.

Tala, as you will have read, is actively working on our roads and pavements. (Your committee of robust stalwarts will monitor Tala's application). They have been given finances - once expended - wait until the next financial year!

With regard to dogs, inconvenient and illegal parking – please call 26806060.

You will have all read, by this time, our information missive.

One thing of interest. Working on Sundays. It is not against the law to work on Sundays. What is illegal, is for whoever is working not to use machinery that generates noise. So you can work as a carpenter, or brick layer. Once again use that phone number. I have heard that a chap remonstrating and quoting the law, caused a cessation of work.

Leptos developers DO NOT work on Sundays. So it is the police you need to complain to!

I shall, at the end of the month, pass on the mantle of Presidency to Val Potter, my enormously erstwhile, Vice President. Unfortunately I have to return to the UK for some work on my heart. (Plumbing ok, but no back emf to you engineers). My return date is 'vagrant'. However, mine, as always - is a Keo!

I know the Committee have given you our greetings, but from myself - 'heads up each morning and reconnect your overnight disconnected joints'. Brace yourself, with the stamina and fortitude, developed with your heritage, over your ancient years! Shake each other's hand, nod at each other - and quote the immortal words. 'Happy New Year, see you next year'!

Look after yourselves. John K. Sometime President of the KVHA.

The Committee and members wish John well with his upcoming  operation.



Please make a note of VP Val Potter's new e mail address
valpotterkvhvp@gmail.com

Police Telephone Number

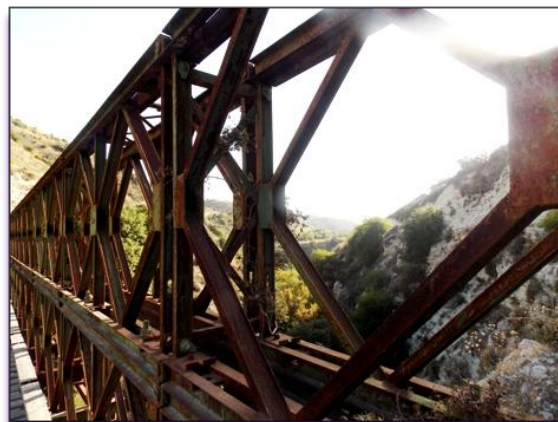
Apologies – the number to call regarding cars parked on double yellow lines in Tala, or anywhere else, was incorrect in last month's KVM.

The correct number is 26806060

Off the Beaten Track – Trozena

Trozena is a small mountain settlement which was abandoned around 20 years ago. There is a church, Agios Georgios which was built in 1885 and renovated in 1993.

To get to the village take the F616 through Kidasi and turn off at Gerovasa; eventually you come to the Trozena bridge which is made of steel with wooden beams for the roadway; this was built during the British rule and the Diarizos river flows below the bridge. It is quite scary driving across, but it can take 8 tonnes.



TALA POST OFFICE

Please note that with immediate effect, the Post Office in Tala will be open for post and parcel collection from 9:00-11:00a.m. Monday to Friday and not as previously.

This change has been instigated by the management at the General Post Office.

Please also note that the Post Office will be closed December 24, 25 and 26, January 1 and 6.

Bits and Pieces

Disabled parking

Please do not park in the two disabled parking spaces unless you have a disabled badge.

Recycling

Please ensure you place your plastic and paper outside, not inside your bins.

Weeds and storm drains

Please check your own area and remove weeds and rubbish etc from storm drains.

Break-ins

Please report any break-ins or attempts to the police immediately.

Manhole covers

Please report any broken manhole covers to the Secretary which will be passed on to Tala Council.

Builders' noise

If you see any builders working out of hours i.e. Sundays, please contact the Police on 112. Leptos builders do not work on Sundays

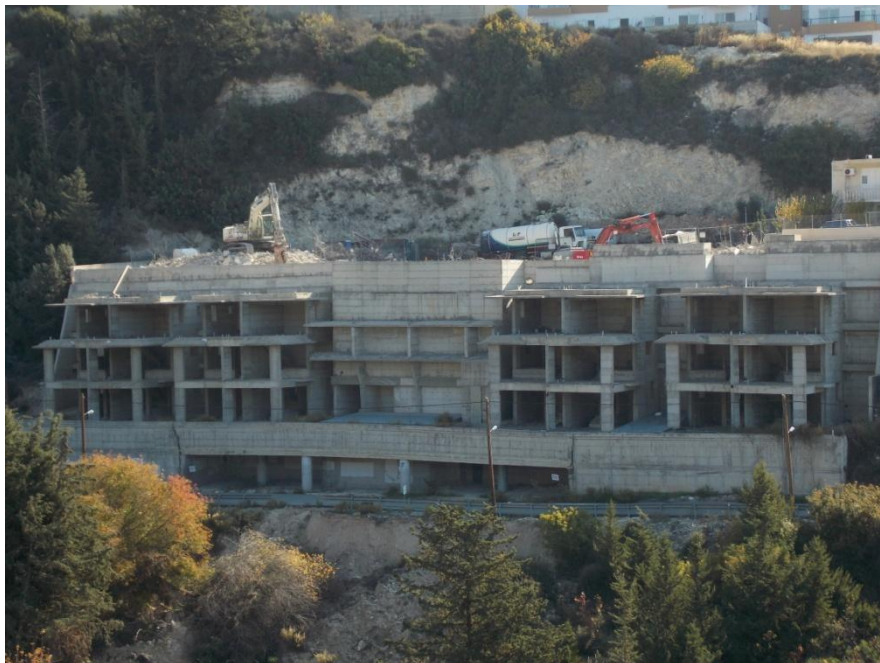
NEWSPAPERS

If you would like to order daily newspapers, please call Reception on 26880576. Please note there are no Sunday newspapers.

Did you know..... filo means leaf in Greek.

SLIPPING BUILDING

The buildings on the top have now been demolished and the rubble is now being taken away.



KVHA CHRISTMAS PARTY

The KVHA organized their final social event on Thursday, December 12th with a great attendance of 89 enjoying entertainment by Melanie Ballard who played her saxophone, sang Christmas songs and many danced the night away. Thanks to Minni who organized it, Marinos, Eleni and all the staff for serving drinks, and Chef George and his team for a tasty buffet.



HUNTING

The hunting open season is designated as follows:-

At the end of August, 3-4 hunting days are held inland of the island and during this time only woodpigeon and turtle dove can be hunted.

September has very limited hunting areas in the Cyprus coastal regions where woodpigeon, turtle dove and quail can be hunted.

During November and December, hunting can take place on Wednesdays and Sundays only during which time hare, chukar partridge, black francolin, thrushes, woodpigeon and woodcock can be hunted.

During January and February, hunting can take place on Wednesdays and Sundays only and thrushes, woodpigeon, woodcock, ducks and geese can be hunted.

There is a limit on quotas that a hunter is allowed to take. Hunters exceeding the quotas will be subject to heavy fines. At the time of writing, quotas are two hares and five partridges per hunter per hunting day, or two hares, four partridges and one francolin per hunter per hunting day.



Emergency Medical Centre

The Doctor is available Monday to Friday from 9am - 12 noon only. Please be aware if you wish to consult with the Doctor you should be there before 12 noon.

Emergency Number 99329434

MEDICAL CENTRE NOTICE

Please be aware that there will be no Doctor available at the medical centre on the following dates:

Tuesday 24th & 31st December and Wednesday 1st January

There are now a limited number of flu vaccines available at the medical centre

Kamares Club Weekly Activities


Day	Morning	Afternoon	Evening
Monday	Bridge Club Yoga		
Tuesday	Sine Nomine Choir		Happy Hour 18:00 - 19:00 Quiz 20:00
Wednesday	Art Group Tai Chi	Book Exchange	Monthly Wine Tasting – no meetings Dec, Jan, Feb
Thursday	Bridge Club		
Friday	Orphean Singers Tai Chi	Quilting Group	

Useful Telephone Numbers



Emergency Number for Ambulance, Fire or Police	112 or 199
Police and Fire Services - Duty Officer	1499
Medical Assistance - Hospital Information	1400
Kamares Club Reception	26880576
Larnaca and Paphos International Airports	77778833
Street Light Fault Reporting (EAC)	1800 with pole number





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