MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Neighbours,

As we settle into the heart of summer, it's clear that many of our residents are away enjoying a well-earned break. With that in mind, activity across the village has been a little quieter this month - but that hasn't stopped progress.

First and foremost, I want to extend a sincere thank you to the Tala Council for the excellent work they've done on street cleaning. I think many of you will have noticed just how much cleaner the sidewalks and pavements are looking—it's made a real difference and deserves recognition.

In addition, following our recent meetings with the Council, they quickly acted on our concerns regarding sidewalk conditions. Several sidewalks across Kamares have now been repaired, and the improvement is clear to see. Their swift response shows just how valuable our collaboration with local authorities can be.

We also raised concerns about residents experiencing water shortages, and I'm happy to report that the Council took this seriously. Working with their local partners, they sourced additional water from higher up the hill, and since then, we've not received any further reports of shortages. That progress came out of direct discussions we had with both the Council and representatives from Leptos, and it shows what we can achieve when everyone comes to the table.

One point I want to clarify in this newsletter is the relationship between the KVHA and the Kamares Club. While we often hold events at the Club, it's important to note that the Kamares Club is owned and operated by the Leptos family, and not by KVHA. We have a good working relationship, but the Club is not under KVHA management or ownership.

Speaking of the broader community, I'm sure many of you have noticed that we've begun to step up efforts to clean up Kamares. I've recently written to Mr. Paris Gabriel, Executive Director of Leptos, requesting that they address dump sites along the Koili road, as well as other unsightly areas within the community that are not in keeping with a residential neighbourhood. We're awaiting a response, and I'll keep you updated on progress in the next newsletter.

Thank you as well to everyone who provided feedback on the future design of our new park. There was a strong consensus around creating a relaxing green space with benches - a peaceful area to enjoy the view and the surroundings. This is also a practical and achievable approach based on the budget we have.

We also had a small but meaningful success with the Koili Council. One of our residents raised concerns about a neighbour not cleaning up their sidewalk following construction. After we brought this to the Council's attention, they contacted the homeowner directly and set a deadline. We're grateful to the resident for complying, and it's a good example of how community cooperation, supported by KVHA, can lead to results.

In bigger news, our new membership management system is now being rolled out. This means we are moving entirely online: no more paper forms, no more cash payments. Everything - sign-ups, renewals, and payments - will be handled digitally going forward. It's a big step forward for efficiency and record-keeping, and we appreciate your support in embracing the change.

We're also happy to report that the Greek lessons, which have been a great success, are currently doing revision before taking a short break for summer. A new term of lessons will begin in September, and KVHA members are warmly invited to attend. For more information, or to register your interest, please contact Ismini on 9914 3931.

Finally, I want to say how pleased we are with the new complaints email system: complaints@kvha.cy. It's already been well-used, and it's giving us valuable insight into what's going on around the village. If you've submitted a concern - thank you. I try to reply to every message personally, but if you haven't heard back yet, please know that it has been received and logged. Some issues can be addressed guickly, while others will be raised at upcoming meetings with the Tala or Koili councils.

That's all for now. Wishing you all a relaxing summer and safe travels if you're away. thank you for your continued always, support and engagement.

Warm regards, Craig Elsdon-Dew President, Kamares Village Houseowners' Association

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22ND** *****

COMPLAINTS EMAIL

As stated above, you can now send any complaints, observations, or requests whether it's potholes, drainage problems, missing white lines, builder debris, or unsafe pavements - directly to complaints@kvha.cy. This inbox is monitored by the entire KVHA board, and we're using it to compile a master list of issues which we will prioritize and forward to the relevant council, be it Tala or Koili.

KVHA MEMBERSHIP

For Residents and Associate members PLEASE ENCOURAGE YOUR NEIGHBOURS AND NEW RESIDENTS TO JOIN THE KVHA *****Only €5 per household *****

For the last time - forms are next to Reception KVHA website - kvha.cy

If you are on WhatsApp these are groups to join
Kamares Neighbours
Your Life in Kamares
Events in Kamares
KVHA Kamares
Advertising in Kamares
Buy/Sell in Kamares
Yellow pages/Useful contacts
Gardens in Kamares
ECO patrol in Kamares
Strays, pets & Animals in Kamares
Security and vital issues in Kamares
Water issues

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 19th	Wine Tasting	Wines of the World in the Palm Room
July 23rd	Club event	Italian Night
September	KVHA meal	Melitzia tavern - date tba
December 12th	KVHA Ball	Christmas Ball with Whitemouse Duo
Wednesdays	KVHA Quiz	Centre of Koili with Andy 7:30p.m.

WINE TASTING
Saturday, July 19th
noon - 3:00p.m.
at the Kamares Club, Palm Room
with Wines of the World
contact maggiesquashsa@yahoo.co.uk
if you would like to attend

KVHA Quiz Nights with Andy at The Sheep in Koili centre every Wednesday at 7:30p.m. Book a table with Panayotis 96450050 food and drinks available

LIBRARY
Open every Wednesday from 11:00a.m.-1:00p.m. opposite the Medical Centre.
OPEN TO ALL



Walls etc being prepped for painting at last

TENNIS COURTS
Court 1 tennis net has been replaced, wire netting fixed and surrounds tidied





Beautiful hydrangeas on the way to Kalopanayotis





Flame tree

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KAMARES CLUB

ITALIAN NIGHT Wednesday, July 23rd Tickets still available

*****Please note, when there is a Public Holiday, Reception will be closed*****

KAMARES CLUB RECEPTION

The Reception is open from 8:00a.m. until 5:00p.m. Monday-Friday Saturday from 8:00a.m. until noon; Sunday closed

KAMARES CLUB BAR & RESTAURANT

The restaurant and bar are open for breakfast and lunch from 8:30a.m. with last orders for the kitchen at 3:00p.m. and bar 3:30p.m. every day. Open to everyone, dining in the restaurant or on the terrace.

Take-away menu is also available – please call 26880576

SUNDAY LUNCHES

€25pp with a 10% discount for Residents
Carvery and buffet will be from 1:00-3:00p.m.
Booking is a requirement at Kamares Reception or by telephone 26880576 at least two days prior

Please note when an event or private function is taking place, the bar and restaurant will be closed

Emergency Medical Centre



WITH THE EXCEPTION OF MEDICAL EMERGENCIES, APPOINTMENTS SHOULD BE MADE TO CONSULT WITH THE DOCTORS

Reception number 26653328

Dr. Theodora is on duty Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings 10:00a.m. – 1:00p.m. (Non Gesy).

Dr. Pradeep is available on Tuesday and Thursday mornings 10:00a.m. – 1:00p.m.

If you would like to keep a check on your blood sugar levels the medical centre can monitor this for you. Each Saturday morning Nellie one of our nurses will be holding a clinic to monitor this for you. If you wish to partake of this service, please call the medical centre to arrange a time. The medical Centre closes at 1:00p.m. on Saturdays.

The following information remains current:

The Medical Centre is open from 7:00a.m.—1:00p.m. Monday - Friday. Closed Saturday afternoon from 1:00p.m. and Sundays.

Appointments should be made for a consultation with the Doctor with exemptions for emergencies.

EMERGENCY NUMBER 99329434 FURTHER SERVICES

Home visits by a nurse for injections, change of dressings etc will be introduced if there is a demand for this service.

Mobility aids are available for a small fee ie crutches, toilet seat etc.

You will be informed of any updates on the above.

USEFUL TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Emergency Number for Ambulance, Fire or Police		112 or 199
Tala fires		99630613/99699125
Forest fires		1407
Kamares fires during office hours		26880576
Police and Fire Services - Duty Officer		1499
Police – burglary,	attempted burglary, suspicious	
activity/reporting	parking violation	26806060
Medical Assistance - Hospital Information		1400
GESY		17000
Paphos Citizens Advice		22309100
Kamares Club Reception		26880576
Kamares Medical Emergency		99329434
Larnaca and Paphos International Airports – flight info		77778833
Electricity – Tree pruning ie tree touching wires		1800 – press 3 then 5 for Paphos – give your Account Number
Street Lights – To Report a Fault (EAC)		1800 –press 1 then 5 for Paphos - give pole number and street name required
Water problems	Office hours	26652412
Out of hours	Daniel	kstala@cytanet.com.cy
	Nikiforos	99327262
		99630613
Whatsapp Security group (Anna)		97846439

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