

Welcome to our second newsletter!

The Crindau Pill area of Newport is subject to a significant risk of tidal flooding with approximately 650 properties at risk. Natural Resources Wales (NRW) has developed a flood risk alleviation scheme to reduce flood risk from Crindau Pill.

Current work in progress

Piling has been completed to the rear of industrial properties on Adelaide Street and on Pugsley Street at the multi-use games area (MUGA) and allotments.

The following areas are currently being prepared and secured for the next piling works:

1. North of the Shaftesbury park changing rooms
2. North and south of Lyne Road Bridge.
3. Lyne Road opposite McDonalds.
4. North and South of St. Johns Ambulance training centre
5. North of Industrial Doors Services (Adelaide St.) to Waterside Court (Albany St.).



Road closure, Lyne Road Bridge from Monday 3 April 2017 to Saturday 27 May 2017

This bridge is a key part of the new flood scheme. Works will include removing the existing bridge parapet walls and replacing them with reinforced concrete walls and preparing the bridge for connection to the new flood walls either side of the bridge. In the interest of safety, and in agreement with Newport City Council, we will be closing Lyne Road from the junction with Albany Street to the junction with Edwin Street (next to McDonalds). During the closure, fully signed diversion routes will be provided.

THANK YOU: We received a call from a local resident on Pugsley Street, praising our workforce for their , politeness, consideration and genuine commitment to the residents and project delivery.

Helping the environment

We are recycling large clumps of concrete and stone which were dug up from the piling trench. The crusher reduces the size of the clumps to around 80mm or less. We have been using the material to form a mat for the piling machine to sit on.



You may have seen this van driving about on site. This is a Renault Kangoo Z.E. It is an electric van and we have a charging point at our compound. Sam one of the drivers says it is easy to drive and very calming without the engine noise.



Community engagement

The drop in event at Crindau Primary School went well and we discussed the scheme with local parents, carers and teachers. We received positive feedback and we will look to arrange another event in the coming months as the scheme progresses.

The manager of Shaftesbury Football Club has approached us to ask if we can help with providing materials for the pitch boundary fencing. We are currently looking at options and ideas to support the club's request.

We're providing further support for our "Friends at the allotments". We have provided two temporary containers as storage facilities whilst we carry out work in the area which intrudes onto the allotments. We have also supplied working gloves to help with their spring dig!

Please contact Gino Salvatore if you would like to discuss anything relating to the community or construction activities.

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Anyone concerned about flooding can check their flood risk, and find out if a free flood warning service is available in their area by calling Floodline on 0345 988 1188 or by visiting www.naturalresourceswales.gov.uk/flooding