

## DOVER FASTRACK – PROJECT NEWSLETTER

### Dates for the Diary:



The next Dover Fastrack public drop-in sessions will be held at Colas Site Office, off Tesco Roundabout, Honeywood Parkway, CT16 3PS. Sessions begin at 12 to 2pm on **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> September**, **Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> October** and **Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> November**.

*Pedestrian access is via an access gate directly off the footpath on Honeywood Parkway towards Tesco, a few yards from Honeywood Close Bus stop. Visitor's parking is available on site, a gate keeper will be available to facilitate access from Tesco roundabout.*

Representatives from Colas and Dover District Council Dover Fastrack Project Team will be attending **Whitfield Parish Council meeting** at the **Recreation Ground, Cranleigh Drive, Whitfield CT16 3FG** on **Tuesday 11th October** from 7.30pm.

### What has been happening?

#### Section 1 Tesco Roundabout to Whitfield



Dust Suppression North side of A2

Works continue north of the A2 on drainage works which is part of the main construction works on the new section of road.

On the north side of the A2 we have completed the temporary works for the working platform for the band drain rig. Band drain installation works have been completed.

Dust suppression measures are being undertaken to minimise the potential for dust nuisance.



Band drain installation

#### Section 2 B&Q Roundabout to Dover Road



Installation of Tactile Paving with Pedestrian deterrent paving

Drainage works, kerbs and footpaths continue to be installed including the addition of tactile paving. Tarmac surfacing has been carried out on large sections of the footpaths.

### Section 3 Dover Road, Guston

Works on Section 3, Phase 1 finished on 20 August 2022. A re-visit with additional road closure will be required once SGN & Severn Trent Water have programmed in the necessary utility diversions. This will then enable completion of road widening works adjacent to Guston Primary School and the construction of the new bus layby at Burgoyne Heights.



*Dover Road, Phase 1 works crossing*

### Looking Ahead

#### Section 1 Tesco Roundabout to Whitfield

Over the next month Colas will monitor noise and vibrations on the north side of the A2 while works continue installing the temporary platform and casing piles for the A2 bridge north abutment.

#### Section 2 B&Q Roundabout to Dover Road

Works will continue on the drainage attenuation tanks and deep bore soakaways, while footpath and lighting column installation takes place on the new section between Honeywood Parkway and Dover Road. The road surfacing will also be installed.

#### Section 3 Dover Road, Guston

Construction works on Section 3, Phase 2 (the area of Dover Road between the Burgoyne Heights junction and the Fort Burgoyne layby) are scheduled to take place between 07 September 2022 and 28 September 2022.

### Traffic Management updates

#### Section 1 Tesco Roundabout to Whitfield

Narrow lanes traffic management remains in place with reduced speed limit installed on the A2 between A256 Whitfield Interchange and A256 Whitfield Roundabout both east and westbound until December 2022.

Emergency Free Breakdown Recovery is available within the narrow lane section on the A2 via a dedicated 24 hr TSCO number **07974 617256**.

#### Section 3 Dover Road, Guston

**Dover Road: Phase 2** – full gated road closure of Dover Road, southbound starting after Burgoyne Heights down to Connaught Barracks housing development site from 7am Monday 12<sup>th</sup> September to 6pm Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> September. In case of a Traffic Management Emergency the dedicated Traffic Safety and Control Officer can be contacted on 07974 617256.

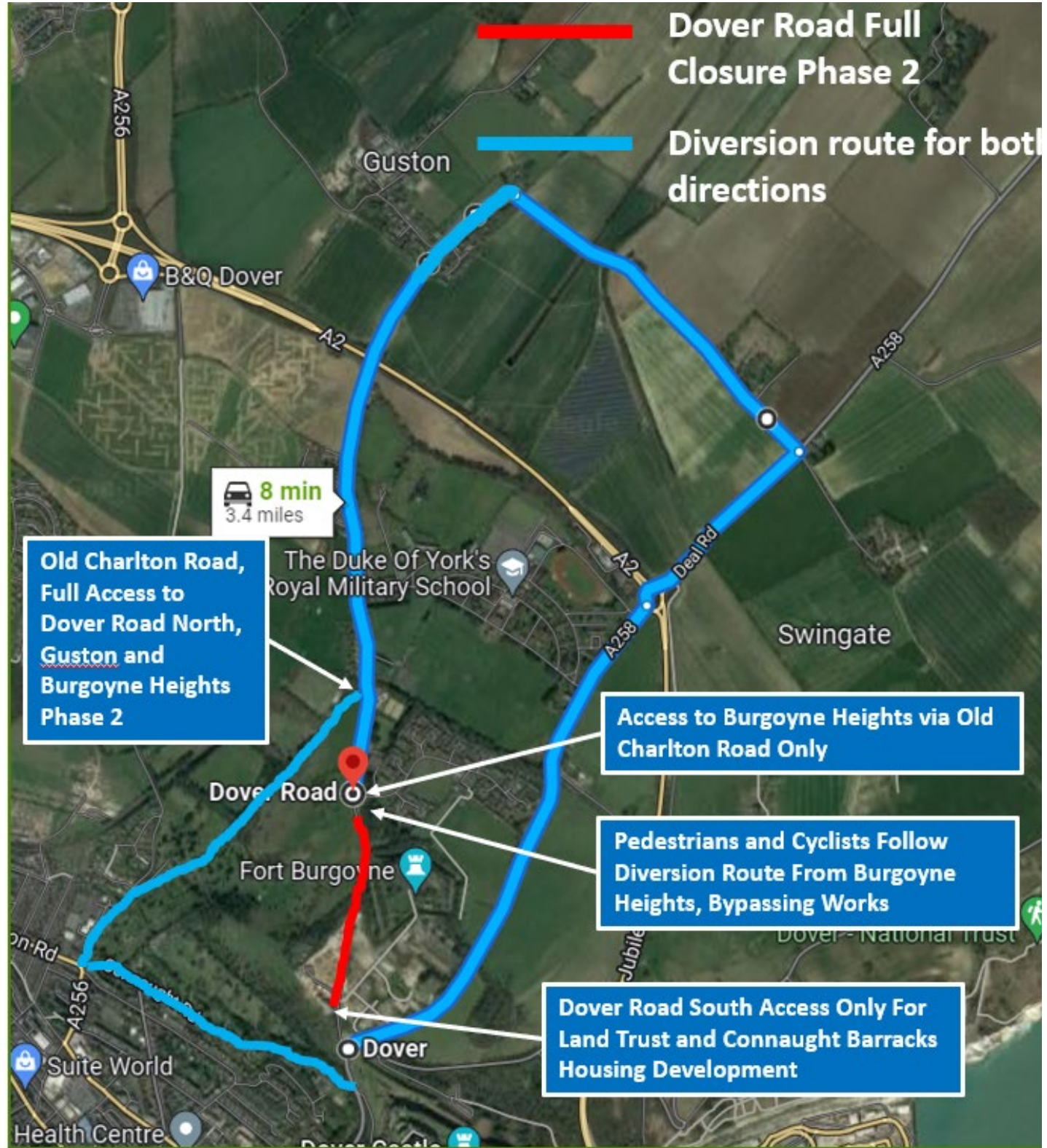
A temporary two-way traffic light system will be in place at the junction of Dover Road and Burgoyne Heights for the first week to allow for new kerb and footpath installation. The alternative route for any through traffic including residents of Burgoyne Heights is to follow diversion routes via Old Charlton Road or Castle Hill Road towards The Lane Guston, A258 Deal Road.

There will be no vehicle access to Dover Road south during this closure except to provide access to Land Trust and Connaught Barracks housing development.

A diversion route which bypasses the works will be available for pedestrians and cyclists for the duration.



### Road Closure Diversion



## Social Value Update

Resurfacing works to the road and footpaths at the entrance to Guston Primary School have been completed.



## Want to know more?

If you want to get involved in community events or take advantage of free training opportunities, please call or text our dedicated Public Liaison Officer on **07799 835379** or email [PLODoverFT@colas.co.uk](mailto:PLODoverFT@colas.co.uk) or sign up to Dover District Council's 'Keep Me Posted' service at [www.dover.gov.uk](http://www.dover.gov.uk) or view Kent County Council website at [www.kent.gov.uk](http://www.kent.gov.uk)



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