

A word from the mayor

Dear fellow citizens,

A few weeks ago we thought we would have the pleasure of announcing that the village social life which is so appreciated by all could possibly start up again.

Unfortunately the health situation is deteriorating again very quickly. Government recommendations and possible health restrictions in the weeks to come are obstructing all our projects and in particular the Council's get-together for Everyone in the village in the New Year has had to be cancelled already.

The traditional meal for the elder residents will probably not be able to be held on its usual date but be postponed to a later date as soon as the conditions will allow.

Let us not, however, become too downhearted because life must go on, even if everyone must take care at all times.

The members of the municipal council join me in wishing you all, despite everything, happy holidays at the end of this year and send you our best wishes for 2022, especially for your good health, happiness and success.



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Wednesday: 10h - 12h or by appointment.

Merry Christmas &
Happy New Year 2022



Municipal Life and What's Going On

Deliberations of the Municipal Council

October 2021:

Additional work has been carried out at the school replacing a window and a dilapidated shutter.

The municipality has decided to give help to the contribution for municipal employees who would like to subscribe to MNT Health and TERRITORIA Prévoyance.

The municipality has decided to subscribe for agents, from the 1st January 2022, to the new service agreement (health, hygiene, safety at work) offered by the management centre of Charente as a replacement to the old contract.

November 2021:

The WPD company offered us a construction project for a solar panel park on the site of the old municipal landfill located on the route de Moussac.

The municipality has decided to remove the revenue control from the canteen in its current form as of November 22, 2021. From December the payments will be made by securities at the perception by T.I.P, among tobacconists, ...

Décember 2021:

Solar panel park project WPD:

The City Council has authorized the Mayor to sign a promise to a emphyteutic lease.

- The municipal council declared itself not in favour of the project for an additional wind turbine on the "Croilières" park in Courcôme.

Please remember you can download all the minutes of the municipal council meetings on the website www.mairie-charme.fr, in the "Téléchargements" section.

Feral Cat sterilization campaign (formerly known as stray cats).

The start of this campaign is scheduled for January 3, 2022 and should take place over two months. It will be carried out hamlet by hamlet, starting with Roussillon and rue du Cantonner.

The corresponding municipal decrees will be posted, in each hamlet, eight days before the start of each campaign.

Remind

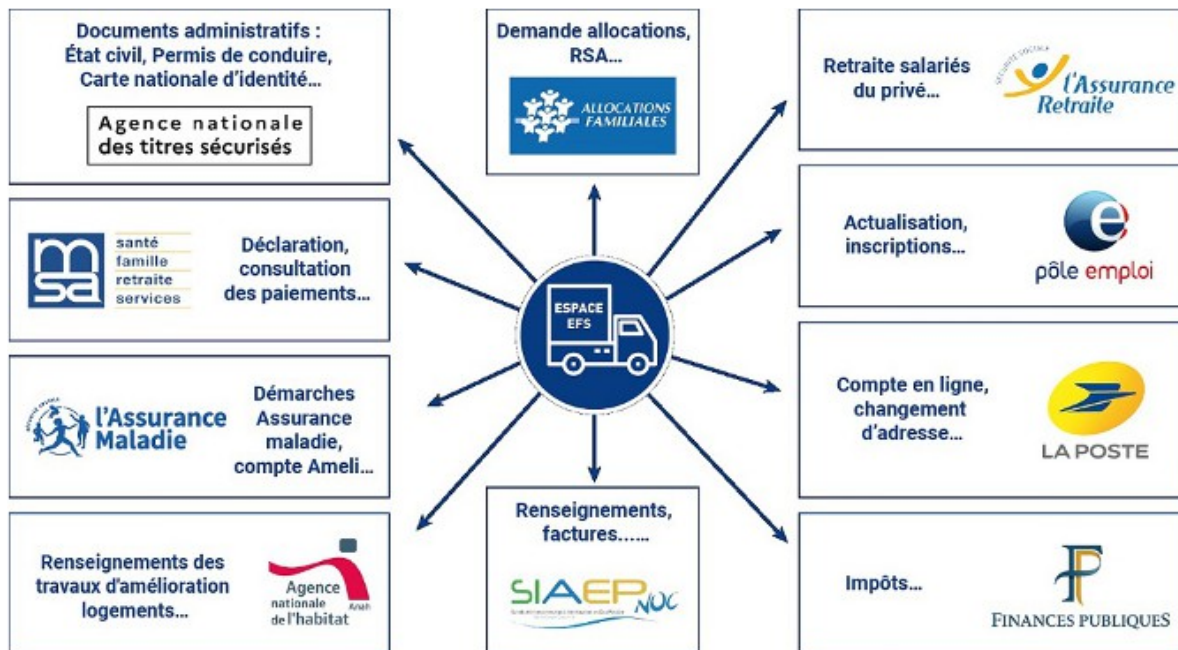


The municipality must, once again, remind everyone that rubbish containers and bins must be taken in after the collection lorry has collected the rubbish and not be left behind permanently on the sidewalk. The yellow bags must be taken out the evening before the collection day.

We confirm that we condemn and deplore the fly tipping of rubble, when the recycling centers are available to individuals free of charge to deposit rubble.

Practical Information

Emmabüs Services



New Opening Hours

| Charmé : every second Tuesday | |
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| Next to the Mairie : 9-12.30 and 13.30-15.30. | |
| <u>14 December 2021</u> | 22 March 2022 |
| 28 december 2021 Cancelled | <u>12 April 2022</u> |
| <u>11 January 2022</u> | 26 April 2022 |
| 25 January 2022 | <u>10 mai 2022</u> |
| <u>8 February 2022</u> | 24 mai 2022 |
| 22 February 2022 | <u>14 June 2022</u> |
| <u>8 March 2022</u> | 28 June 2022 |

Service PASS mobile (Permanent Access to Health Care)



If you can no longer look after yourself
 If you are on your own and you cannot move around
 If you don't know your social rights
 If you need help

It is a free service that allows health professionals to meet up with the population of Nord-Charente so that everyone has access to healthcare.

Ms. Boyaval, nurse attached to the Ruffec Hospital Center, will be present during the the first visit of Emmaus each month (days underlined above) from 2 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

She will help you rebuild your treatment path, explain with you about your social rights and will direct you to a social worker if necessary.

Associations News

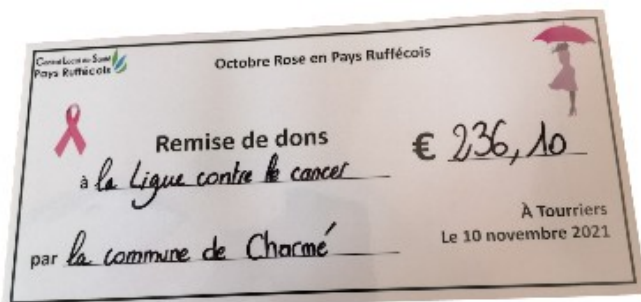


The association "Les Croq'sentiers" of Charmé held its general assembly on October 9, 2021 in the presence of the mayor, who was thanked by Raymond Boutant, the president of the association, for the granting of the granted subsidy. After reading the status report and the report on activities,, the income statement was presented and unanimously accepted. After being unanimously elected, the new board of directors appointed the eight-person committee.

The Cœur de Charente Community of Communes has undertaken work to redesign the hiking trails for the communes of the Pays d'Aigre. As part of the maintenance of the trail signs, the community is calling on the help of the Croq'Sentiers association, which counts among its members markers trained by the FFRP as well as volunteers able to support them. An agreement must be drawn up and then signed.

Events

Octobre rose



The commune of Charmé was involved in the Pink October campaign in support of the fight against breast cancer, "an operation carried out by the Departmental Committee of the League against Cancer and locally relayed by the Ruffécois PETR". The facade of the Town Hall and the Church were lit up in pink and pink umbrellas decorated the Town Hall.

Also to be noted is the initiative of the local farmer, Mr. Benoît Fradin, who "decorated" the entrance to the village with straw bales wrapped in pink to mark the occasion.

Tuesday, October 5, during the permanence of "Emmabüs" on the town hall square, Madame LARO AMET, public health officer in New Aquitaine, was present to talk about screening for breast, cervical and colo rectal cancers.

On Wednesday October 6 afternoon, the municipality, in collaboration with the Croq'Sentiers hiking association, organized a solidarity walk of 6 km, from the stadium, for a contribution of € 3 per person. The 50 adults and 5 children who took part in this hike got together, on the way back, for a refreshment and a piece of brioche generously offered by the club.

During this moment of conviviality, Doctor Isabelle REAM from Nanteuil-en-Vallée kindly gave some of her precious time for which we are grateful, to give information about the importance of screening, prevention and support in the context of breast cancer. The exchanges between the attentive audience and Doctor REAM were very interesting.

All of the donations collected, i.e. € 236, were donated to the League against cancer.

Commemoration Of the First World War Armistice



This year, the health conditions allowed the commemoration of the armistice of the First World War to take place, in the presence of a few dozen people including a large representation of the British community and the always faithful Mr. Keith Thomas, formerly of the Royal Air Force.



Courtesy of Mr. Keith Thomas

Municipality Projects



The Communication Commission plans to organize a photographic exhibition focused on the history of our town and its inhabitants.

The photos could relate to the following themes:

- People (photos of class, school activities, etc.)
- Buildings (municipal or private)
- Machines, tools and utensils.
- Leisure (fairs, sporting events, etc.)

To do this, an advisory committee will be set up for the occasion. All those interested in this project are welcome to join this committee, the aim of which will be to collect pictures. Contact Robert Claeysens at 06.14.50.86.15 or at robert.claeysens@gmx.fr.

Hopefully the health situation will allow us to organize this event in the course of 2022.

Information Radar



As you have noticed, an information radar has been installed, in different places, along the RD 736.

This radar allows the recording of average and maximum speeds as well as the estimation of the number of vehicles.

The full results will be available at the end of the campaign scheduled for the month of December.

However, the first results, recorded at the northern entrance to the village, show that one in two vehicles does not respect the 50 km/h limit, and for the maximum speed recorded?

Beyond 122 km/h (75 mph) in the incoming direction (Ruffec towards Aigre)!

Important Messages from La Poste

Dogs



Dog bites are a major cause of postal employees accidents and La Poste naturally attaches particular importance to ensuring that postal employees can perform their job in normal safe conditions.

So that the distribution can be assured without danger, we would ask dog owners to respect the rules below:

- o **Keep the gates of your home closed;**
- o **Make sure your mailbox and bell are out of reach of the animal;**
- o **Attach or isolate it when the postman is present in the neighborhood.**

Addresses



Many undeliverable mail is dropped off at the town hall by the postman, forcing a member of the municipal team to redistribute it to the correct recipient.

The updated address list has been sent to the postal services, but when you notice an error or discrepancy in the wording of your identity or in the address, it is up to you to contact the sender to notify them of the error so that they can update their mailing list.