

Kicked out of the board....

In our "rich" Netherlands we have to deal with countless problems: Poverty, Dementia, Discrimination, Drugs, Loneliness, Noise pollution, Domestic violence, Youth care, Childcare allowance, Low literacy, Cracks in homes in Groningen etc./etc. The media pays a lot of attention to all these themes. Fortunately, very beautiful things are happening in our country. Think of the countless things that are mainly organized by volunteers: Attention for the elderly and sick (K.B.O.'s, Caregivers, Stichting Nieuwe Levenskracht and de Zonnebloem) Neighbor help, Cultur, Caregivers, Relaxation, Sports, Recreation. etc/etc.

Our activities in the neighborhood, our walk-in house, our Door & Voor evenings, streaming live performances of the Hofnar etc / etc.

As a district committee, we want to do something about the problem: LONELINESS. A problem that is experienced differently by almost every lonely person, We are looking for a few hostesses, cart pullers or a working group. Our goal is to bring a number of single men and women together.

To avoid misunderstandings: Not all single people are lonely. The location, the number of meetings, etc. is determined by the hostesses, initiators or the working group. We offer financial support and will help you get started. This approach will improve the quality of life within our neighbourhood. Tackling loneliness is a matter of a long breath. Several years of guidance, otherwise one falls back into the old pattern.

We think you have to tackle loneliness from the bottom up (close up). Your neighbors or your immediate surroundings. If you are interested, please contact our secretariat or Jan Sanders phone: 040-2042 452.

Banners 30 km great success

In recent weeks, banners have been hung on the 6 approach roads of our neighborhood to make motorists aware to drive quietly.



a relaxed rider makes the neighbourhood happier
Fortunately, there are many motorists who understand this message and have started to drive more carefully in our residential area. Unfortunately, there are also some who probably do not have children themselves or never ride through our neighborhood as cyclists. To regularly remind everyone of the 30 km speed, 75 stickers have been applied to the clicko's of which are next to the lanes every week..

Will you help keep our playgrounds clean?

The district committee received several complaints from parents of young children. In the playgrounds on the Dr. Schaepmanstraat and on the Min. Aalbersestraat regularly cigarette butts and dog rolls are found. Did you know that if a small child ate a cigarette butt in an unguarded moment, it can be deadly? Do you realize that dog poop on the shoes / clothes is very annoying? Will you help keep our playgrounds clean? Do you appeal to fellow local residents when you see that they pollute the playgrounds and thereby make them dangerous for children? We trust in your cooperation! Thank you very much on behalf of the children and their parents in our ward.



Voor de nederlandse versie van deze nieuwsbrief zie onze website:
www.wijkcommissiekerkackers.nl

Help construction group Flower Parade

Come and see if building a float is something for you. Welding (concrete) iron, applying cardboard to prick up the flowers, a position on the board or taking care of coffee and tea, there is plenty to do. Come to the tent on the Dr. Schaepmanstraat or Dommelseweg and experience the informal atmosphere in which such a new float is built. You can also help by sponsoring an amount(s), but handing in your old iron at the Kerkkakers tent also helps.

www.kerkkakers.nl

Sunday, September 11, 2022 is the day again; **the annual Flower Parade Valkenswaard**. FREE ADMISSION in 2022. More info see the website: www.corsovalkenswaard.nl



More information:
Buurtschap Kerkkakers, Dr. Schaepmanstraat
[www.facebook.nl](https://www.facebook.com) search by: Buurtschap Kerkkakers

Druiventrots!



Buurtschap Kompas, Dommelseweg
[www.facebook.nl](https://www.facebook.com) search by: Buurtschap Kompas

Burglary prevention holiday period

Tips to prevent home burglary:

- If it is dark and you are not at home, leave a lamp on. Then it seems as if someone is present. For example, set up an automatic light switch for this.
- Close windows and doors tightly, even if you are away for a while.
- Always lock the door. Do you have a back entrance? Also lock the gate well and provide lighting in the garden.
- Put valuable equipment, such as laptops and iPads, out of sight.
- Do you have bushes around the house? Make sure these are short so that the house is clearly visible to neighbors and passers-by.
- Make sure there are no ladders, containers or other tools at your home that make it easy to climb inside.
- A sliding door is susceptible to burglary. To do this, apply a specially suitable lock.
- Do not hide house keys under a doormat or in a flower pot. These are not 'secret' places for burglars either.
- Do not attach an address label to your key (bunch).
- Register your properties. Use the app of the website for this www.stopheling.nl
- Install track-and-trace software on your mobile phone, laptop and/or tablet and block this equipment with a PIN code.

Source: www.politie.nl

Walking or cycling with clients

At De Biezenrijt, day care center for people with an intellectual disability, they are looking for volunteers who want to go walking or cycling weekly with one or more clients



on our new duo bike with pedal assistance. If you think, that is something for me, please contact De Biezenrijt, Dr. Schaepmanstraat 52, telephone 088 5517060 and ask for mw Jet Schonenberg.

Attention for loneliness in the Kerkkakers district

29 September to 6 October, the 'Week against Loneliness' will take place. It is a week in which extra attention is paid to people who are lonely. And that is necessary. Many people are lonely, according to the figures from the GGD: 65% of the over-65s, 43% of the adults and 31% of the youth are (to a greater or lesser extent) lonely. The campaign 'One Against Loneliness', which will receive extra attention in the municipality of Valkenswaard this week, is intended to raise awareness about this subject.

"Do you feel lonely from time to time: it can happen to anyone. You shouldn't be ashamed of that. Often that feeling goes away on its own. It's different when loneliness persists. Then it is important to do something about it."

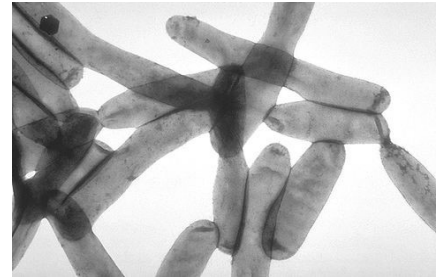
If you feel lonely

In Valkenswaard we have an eye for everyone. So when it comes to your health, it's important that you get the right support. On the social map: <https://valkenswaardoogvooredereen.nl> you will find accessible facilities, such as: help with administration, neighbor help, home care, meal service, meeting opportunities in the neighborhood, Automaatje, DigiTaalhuis, Alzheimer café and so on. If you are concerned about the (mental) health of someone in your area, you can report this to the social team: 040-208 3444

Attention for loneliness in the Kerkkakers district
There are also people in the Kerkkakers district who would like to help when you feel lonely. The Kerkkakers Neighbourhood Committee helps you to offer the right support. You can call on this support by putting a note in the mailbox (Dr. Ariënsstraat 20) or with a phone call in the evenings, telephone: 06-4123 4138. Of course you can also send an e-mail: secretariaat@wijkcommissiekerkakers.nl

Legionella in shower and garden hose

A legionella infection (Legionnaires' disease) can be contracted by inhaling atomized water containing the bacterium. When showering and spraying the garden, there is atomized water. Legionella growth can occur in stagnant water at temperatures



between 25 and 55 degrees. An infection is easy to prevent. Make sure that the temperature of hot water appliances with a storage tank (such as boilers and some combi

boilers) is at least 55 degrees and if you have not been home for a week, flush the taps for one minute. That is why it is good to flush the taps for one minute immediately after returning from your holiday. To prevent contamination with the legionella bacteria, we especially recommend flushing the shower head, immersed in a bucket of water. This prevents you



from inhaling the water vapor. Of course, you don't have to throw away the water. You can collect it and use it very well to water your plants, patch

your windows, replenish the water in the pond, or to wash the car.

PS: Also at your holiday address it is wise to flush the taps.

More information: www.rivm.nl/legionella

Kerkakkers puzzle

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Inloophuis opened in the holiday period

While enjoying a free cup of coffee or tea, have a chat. Are you coming too?



Kardinaal de Jongstraat 6.

Agenda inloophuis

mondag **4 july** 10:00 hour
mondag **18 july** 10:00 hour
mondag **1 aug** 10:00 hour
mondag **15 aug** 10:00 hour
each time up to ± 11:30 hour

Theater Streaming performance July 5

Musical The Addams Family on July 5, 2022

Both creepy and funny: a new story starring the well-known characters: the passionate Gomez and his beloved Morticia. Of course, their dark children Wednesday and Pugsley cannot be missed.

Wednesday is engaged to an 'ordinary' boy and only shares that with her father, who has never kept anything secret from Morticia. During a dinner with both families, all secrets are put on the table, so that all relationships are put to the test.

The Addams Family is an anniversary: it's the tenth major musical that Scholengemeenschap Were Di in Theater De Hofnar on the shelves brings. Tuesday, July 5, 2022, start: 20:15, room open at 19:45.

Where: Room of De Horizon, Amundsenstraat 5, Entrance: free including a cup of coffee or tea.

Would you rather be present live in De Hofnar on 3, 4, 5, or 6 July? There are still tickets for sale on

www.hofnar.nl

Door & Voor Information evenings

Every second Wednesday evening of the month, a free lecture, excursion or workshop is organized by & for local residents, in community center De Horizon, Amundsenstraat 5.

July and August Closed for the HOLIDAYS

Speedometer Piggy Bank



There will also be one in our district: a Speedometer-Piggy Bank. Every motorist who does not drive faster than 30 km/h saves for a good cause. A small amount goes into the piggy bank, which is used for gifts to Day Care Center De Biezenrijt of

LunetZorg and to Vegetable Garden Association De Rijt in our neighborhood. A total of € 1000 has been made available by the Municipality of Valkenswaard, Wijkcommissie Kerkakkers and Veilig Verkeer Nederland.