**Mayor’s Address**

I hope this finds you all well and you are coping with this new reality.

We live in challenging times but the community of Thame are responding wonderfully.

We at Thame Town Council are doing everything we can too.

Although the Town Hall is closed all of our staff and Councillors are still working hard.

They are actively beavering away on your behalf, building networks, supporting community groups and disseminating information.

I urge you all to visit our website – just Google ‘Thame Town Council’ – and not just once but every day, as new information and links are constantly being added.

We are here to support you, and to link you to the many splendid local volunteer groups who have put themselves at the community’s service.

To them, also, a big thank you!

And if you’re not sure how to get in touch with them, call the Town Council on 01844 212833 and ask for guidance.

Please do heed all the advice from Government, not only for your safety but for everyone else’s too. Stay indoors as much as you possibly can, as I am doing.

We understand you will all need some fresh air now and again but please avoid places where people might congregate.

When out, for whatever reason, remember to KEEP YOUR DISTANCE from others.

Please don’t strip the supermarket aisles – there’s enough in the supply chain for everyone.

And do keep an eye on family, friends and vulnerable neighbours and, of course, keep washing your hands.

Thame is resilient and we can do this.

Stay safe.