

Hello,

We have a few updates from Barnstaple Library and the wider service for you. Any assistance in sharing this in digital or print form and via your networks is much appreciated.

Any current library stock loan(s) have been extended to 31st August 2020.

Please can we request that you hold onto books, CDs and DVDs. We do not require you to make a special visit to your local library to return items and you will have the opportunity to return them in advance of the August renewal date. There will be no fines as your current loan period has been extended.

We are monitoring government advice about relaxing lockdown rules and we are planning a phased return from w/c 6th July. Details of our phased plan will be published on our website very soon. <https://www.devonlibraries.org.uk/>

Keeping our staff, volunteers and customers safe and healthy is our first consideration. When we re-open how we deliver services will change as we return to normal.

Our library service continues online so that our libraries remain open, wherever you are in Devon or Torbay, and our staff will continue to support our digital library service.

You can view and explore our catalogues and resources online. We have eBooks, eAudiobooks, eMagazines that you can access for free using your library card. We have added new online resources such as Ancestry Library Edition and Medici TV which are fully accessible from home.

If you need assistance please email your local library stating your name and library card number. Please bear with us, at this time, as we are receiving an increased number of enquiries.

Thank you for your understanding in this.

I have attached an image if that would help when sharing on social media or publishing in print format if applicable.

Best wishes

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